

Spring 2009

Dear Friends of the Tulip Festival;

Spring will soon arrive, and our Tulip Festival is only three months away. We are excited to celebrate our 69th annual festival. Our celebration relies on the many wonderful volunteers in our community. One of our biggest assets is our financial supporters. We are writing to ask for your monetary support for the Festival through the **Friends of the Festival Foundation**.

Last year your donations enabled our Tulip Festival Steering Committee to purchase many positive enhancements such as: Dutch Street organ books, a large wooden shoe in the park, band travel incentives for our visiting bands, a new paintable backdrop for the night show, and completion of the straatmarket booths.

In 2009 we hope to acquire the following:

- New Current Queen and Court float
- Costume research trip to the Netherlands
- Visiting band travel incentives
- Barker Booths for Central Avenue
- New Sound System—3 year project

We are open to any community suggestions and ideas for new endeavors. Please consider making a *tax-deductible gift* to the **Friends of the Festival Foundation** in support of these projects. Your contribution enables us to provide a family friendly experience for everyone.

Thank you for your consideration

Wanda Vande Kieft, volunteer
Friends of the Festival Foundation Chairperson

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Yes, I would like to support the annual Orange City Tulip Festival! Enclosed is my gift.
I/We wish to have the gift recorded under the following name/s: _____

William of Orange Club	\$2500 or above	White Tulip Club	\$500-\$999
De Volksvriend Club	\$1500-\$2499	Yellow Tulip Club	\$250-\$499
De Klompen Fund	\$1000-\$1499	Red Tulip Club	\$5-\$249

Gifts of all sizes are welcomed and needed

Please make checks payable to: Friends of the Festival Foundation

And deliver or mail to:

Tulip Festival/Chamber Office, 509-8th Street SE, Orange City Iowa 51041