

Saturday, June 7, 2008

Cohoes citywide garage sale packed with activities

COHOES — The city is holding a citywide garage sale throughout today, officials said.

A list of all participants and their addresses will be available at the Riverspark Visitors Center today and self-guided tour maps of Cohoes will be at the Cohoes Visitor Center on Remsen Street.

The sale was started several years ago as a joint effort with the city and the former Chamber of Commerce.

This year, the Cohoes Local Development Corporation is assisting residents with selling items.

Following the garage sale, tours of the historical treasures of the city at the Visitor's Center and in the business district will be offered.

The Local Development Corporation will host a scavenger hunt along Remsen Street.

Passports will be available at the Visitor Center and at many of the garage sales. A series of clues will lead participants to five different businesses in the downtown area. If the proper business is located, they will stamp the passport.

The first 10 people that discover the treasures of the city will receive a free T-shirt.

All successful individuals will receive a certificate of completion and will be entered into a drawing to win prizes.