



Historic Westside School Centennial Celebration

Grant	\$99,975
Organization	City of Las Vegas and the Westside School Alumni Foundation
Year	2023
	<p>The city of Las Vegas Parks, Recreation and Culture Affairs Department partnered with the Historic Westside School Alumni Association to host a celebration on Sept. 30, 2023, to mark the 100-year anniversary of the Historic Westside School. A Centennial Grant of \$99,975 funded the celebration, which included a parade and festival on the grounds of the school.</p> <p>The parade routed along Jackson Avenue and included school bands, a variety of dancing groups as well as floats dedicated to the history of the school. The festival opened with a land acknowledgment ceremony accompanied by Indigenous dancers, followed by local entertainment including singers, drum and dance groups and other performers. Several vendors distributed free promotional products, and vintage children's games were offered to the local youth.</p>