

NEWS OF THE REALM

OKTOBERFEST

Bavarian Village

Celebrate Oktoberfest by strolling through German vendors, artisans, restaurants and more in our new Bavarian Village! Learn more about German culture from local clubs and organizations as well as getting your belly filled with authentic German food in the Special Events Field.

Polka Lessons

Patrons can test their own dancing shoes in the popular German pastime with their Polka teachers, Eric and Pat Jaakkola. Watch them demonstrate the dance and try it out for yourself at 11:00, 12:30, 2:00, and 4:00 in the Special Events Field.

German Music & Dance

German music and dance will fill the Festival as the Flemming Fold and Blumenkranz Dance Troupe perform traditional dance and music during Oktoberfest. Singalong with the Flemming Fold as they play in the Special Events Field on Saturday at 10:30, 11:30, 1:00, and 2:30. The Blumenkranz Dance Troupe is a group from the Twin Cities German Immersion School that will be performing their traditional dance at the Pavilion Stage at 12:00, 1:30, and 3:00.

Stein Holding Competition

Hold your stein for as long as you can! Stein will be filled with water and contestants must hold with arm fully extended perpendicular to your body. Show up at the Special Events Field at 1:30 to join the competition!

Keg Toss

It's as simple as it sounds, pick up an empty keg and toss it as far as you can! The individuals with the longest throws will win prizes! Stop by the Special Events Field at 3:30 to show off your best keg toss!

Hammerschlagen

Take your best shot at the challenging and favorite Oktoberfest game! Patrons can battle one another by using a wedge-shaped hammer to hit a nail into a tree stump. Every game has a winner so stop by the Special Events Field to play all weekend long! Supplies provided by Siwek Lumber.

Bier Pong

Grab a beer and a partner to compete in the Bier Pong Tournaments in the Special Events Field at 12:00pm and 3:00pm. Sign up is free and will take place 15 minutes prior to the tournaments in the field. Come win some prizes just by drinking beer!

Beard Competition

Patrons proud of their finely trimmed and manicured beards can enter into the new Beard Competition! The most appealing beards will win prizes for the categories of Longest Beard, Grizzliest Beard, Most Unique Beard, Best Mustache, and Best Trimmed Beard. The competition will take place at the Pavilion Stage at 3:30.

Sauerkraut Eating Contest

All patrons fit for the challenge can fill their belly with a German favorite at the Sauerkraut Eating Competition. Bring your appetite to the Pavilion at 2:00 pm each day to compete and win prizes!

EVENT SCHEDULE September 22 & 23

SPECIAL EVENTS FIELD

Bavarian Village 10:00am - 6:00pm

10:30.....Flemming Fold (Sat. Only)
11:00.....Polka Lessons & Demo
11:30.....Flemming Fold (Sat. Only)
12:00.....Bier Pong Tournament
12:30.....Polka Lessons & Demo
1:00.....Flemming Fold (Sat. Only)
1:30.....Stein Holding Competition
2:00.....Polka Lessons & Demo
2:30.....Flemming Fold (Sat. Only)
3:00.....Lederhosen & Dirndl Costume Contest
3:00.....Bier Pong Tournament
3:30.....Keg Toss
4:00.....Polka Lessons & Demo

PAVILION STAGE

12:00.....Blumenkranz Dance Troupe
1:30.....Blumenkranz Dance Troupe
2:00.....Sauerkraut Eating Contest
3:00.....Blumenkranz Dance Troupe
3:30.....Beard Competition

FEATURED EVENTS

New! Mermaid Cove

No longer only known to lost sailors, visitors to the festival can now see mermaids up close! Watch as they dive, twirl, and swim majestically through the water. If you're lucky, they may share a piece of their magic with you. Located near the Children's Realm.

Cooking Demos

Come one, come all and learn about the foods, spices and cooking from the past with Alice the Cook! Demonstrations will be held near the Meat Booth at 11:00, 12:30, 2:00, 4:00 and 5:00.

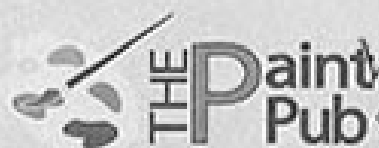


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No experience necessary for this painting class! The Paint Pub offers step-by-step instructions to help patrons create a one-of-a-kind Renaissance painting! Held Sundays at 11 a.m. at the Leaping Frog Pub, patrons are provided supplies and one drink chip for \$30.

LEGEND STAGE

10:30.....Puke & Snot
12:00.....Puke & Snot
1:30.....Puke & Snot
3:30.....Puke & Snot
5:00.....Puke & Snot

BAKERY STAGE

10:00.....The Danger Committee - Ninja Show
11:00.....The Danger Committee - Blunt Trauma
12:00.....The Danger Committee - Flaming Death
1:00.....The Danger Committee - Blunt Trauma
2:30.....The Danger Committee - Flaming Death
4:30.....The Danger Committee - Ninja Show
5:30.....The Danger Committee - Danger Show

CROWN STAGE

10:45.....Tortuga Twins
12:15.....Tortuga Twins
1:00.....Johnny Phoenix
1:45.....Johnny Phoenix
2:30.....Johnny Phoenix
3:15.....Tortuga Twins
4:00.....Johnny Phoenix
5:00.....Tortuga Twins

MEAD BOOTH

10:30.....4 Pints Shy
11:00.....Arthur Greenleaf Holmes: Widely Inappropriate Poetry
12:00.....Bedlam
12:30.....Naughty Bawdy Brigade
1:00.....Arthur Greenleaf Holmes: Widely Inappropriate Poetry
1:45.....The Magic of Will Bradshaw
2:15.....Arthur Greenleaf Holmes: Widely Inappropriate Poetry
3:00.....Langer's Ball
3:30.....Pizpor
4:15.....Arthur Greenleaf Holmes: Widely Inappropriate Poetry
5:30.....Renaissance Smoker

FOLKSTONE WELL

10:45.....MooNIE
11:30.....Washing Well Wenches
12:15.....MooNIE
1:00.....Washing Well Wenches
1:45.....MooNIE
2:30.....Washing Well Wenches
3:15.....MooNIE
4:30.....MooNIE

KING'S ARBOR

10:00.....Celtic Church: St. Patrick's Breastplate (Sat.)
10:00.....Celtic Church: Sunday Gathering (Sun.)
3:30.....Children's Knighthood
6:00.....Celtic Church: Celtic Compline (Sat. & Sun.)

BEAR STAGE

10:15.....MN Traditional Morris Dancers
11:00.....Head over Heels
11:30.....Parade Jam
12:00.....MN Traditional Morris Dancers
12:30.....Vilification Tennis
1:00.....Royal Scottish Country Dance Society
1:30.....Head over Heels
2:15.....Royal Scottish Country Dance Society
2:45.....Afsana Belly Dance Lessons
3:30.....MN Traditional Morris Dancers
4:00.....Royal Scottish Country Dance Society
4:30.....MN Traditional Morris Dancers
5:00.....Afsana Belly Dance Lessons
5:30.....Head over Heels

FOLKSTONE PUB

10:00.....Four Leaf Clover
10:30.....Elizabethan Syngers
11:00.....Bardz at Large
11:30.....McDougal's Pride
12:00.....Battlelegs
12:30.....Briar
1:00.....Langer's Ball
1:30.....4 Pints Shy
2:00.....The Dregs
2:30.....O' Brennan
3:00.....Briar
3:30.....Too Broke Blokes
4:00.....Langer's Ball
4:30.....4 Pints Shy
5:00.....Black Velvet Band

MAC'S PUB

11:00.....The Dregs
11:30.....DeCantus
12:00.....Langer's Ball
12:30.....Bardz at Large
1:00.....Battlelegs
1:30.....Too Broke Blokes
2:00.....Bedlam
2:30.....4 Pints Shy
3:00.....Big Fellas
3:30.....The Dregs
4:00.....Bedlam
4:30.....McDougal's Pride
5:00.....Dreg-A-Long

PAVILLION

12:00.....Blumenkranz Dance Troupe
1:30.....Blumenkranz Dance Troupe
2:00.....Sauerkraut Eating Contest
3:00.....Blumenkranz Dance Troupe
3:30.....Beard Competition

CHILDREN'S REALM

Wand Making All Day!
Mermaid Cove 10-12:15, 1:15-3:15 & 4:15- 6:00
12:30.....Dr. Thora Pandora's Science Show
1:00.....Costume Fashion Show
2:00.....Terpsichory
2:30.....Black Velvet Band
3:20.....Children's Parade to the Knighthood Ceremony
4:00.....Fairytale Tea

BALLINA IRISH COTTAGE

9:00-12:00.....Cooking Demonstration
11:00.....Renaissance Children's Theatre
1:00.....Renaissance Children's Theatre
2:00.....Renaissance Children's Theatre
3:30.....Marco

CHATAEU VINO

10:30.....Missess Kathleen
11:15.....Court Revelers
12:00.....Missess Kathleen
12:30.....Shenanigans
1:00.....Missess Kathleen
1:30.....Rose the Harpist
2:00.....Laughing Hearts
2:30.....Gabriel
3:00.....Naughty Bawdy Brigade
3:30.....Bardz at Large
4:00.....DeCantus
4:30.....Naughty Bawdy Brigade
5:00.....Big Fellas
5:30.....Missess Kathleen

PRINCESS COURT

9:00-10:00.....Greeting at Opening Gate
11:00-11:30.....Joust Track - Cheering from the Dias
11:45.....Festival Parade
12:00-1:30.....Princess Lunch near Pavillion
2:00-3:00.....Princess Photo Op at Children's Realm
4:00-4:30.....Joust Track-Cheering from Dias
5:00-5:30.....Courtly Dancing on Bad Manor Green
5:30-7:00.....Parting Wishes at Closing Gate

ROYAL COURT

9:00-10:00.....Just inside the Front Gate
10:00-10:30.....at the Willow Tree near The Children's Realm
10:30-11:00.....near the Information Booth
3:30-4:00.....Children's Knighthood at the King's Arbor
4:00-4:30.....King's Arbor
6:00-7:00.....Outside the Front Gate

STAGE SCHEDULE

GYPSY STAGE

10:00.....The Robin Hood Show
10:30.....Fandazzi Fire Circus-Journey of Fire
11:00.....Caravan Belly Dance
11:30.....Fandazzi Fire Circus-Spirit of the Fire
12:00.....Caravan Belly Dance
12:30.....The Robin Hood Show
1:00.....Caravan Belly Dance
1:30.....Fandazzi Fire Circus-Journey of Fire
2:00.....The Robin Hood Show
2:30.....Caravan Belly Dance
3:00.....Fandazzi Fire Circus-Spirit of the Flame
3:30.....The Robin Hood Show
4:00.....Caravan Belly Dance
4:30.....The Robin Hood Show
5:00.....Fandazzi Fire Circus-Uber Fire Show

FRONT GATE KIOSK

10:00.....Marco
10:30.....Black Velvet Band
11:00.....Reuben Correa
12:00.....Elizabethan Syngers
12:30.....Reuben Correa
1:00.....Nature of Mercy
2:00.....Elizabethan Syngers
2:30.....Birch
3:00.....DeCantus
3:30.....Missess Kathleen
4:00.....Four Leaf Clover
4:30.....Missess Kathleen
5:00.....Nature of Mercy
6:00.....DeCantus
6:30.....Court Revelers

SHEPARD'S GREEN

9:15.....Shepherd's Arrival
10:00.....Royal Scottish Country Dance Society
12:30.....Sheep Herding Demo
3:00.....Royal Scottish Country Dance Society
3:30.....Sheep Herding Demo
4:00.....Royal Scottish Country Dance Society

ROYAL NAVY EXPERIENCE

(Navy Pier Near Legend Stage)
12:30, 2:30 & 4:30

GROVE STAGE

10:45.....The Magic of Will Bradshaw
11:45.....Tucy-Juggling & Ropewalker
12:30.....The Magic of Will Bradshaw
1:00.....Tucy-Juggling & Ropewalker
2:00.....Tucy-Juggling & Ropewalker
2:45.....The Magic of Will Bradshaw
3:15.....Tucy-Juggling & Ropewalker
4:15.....Tucy-Juggling & Ropewalker

TROUBADOUR STAGE

9:30.....Allen-A-Dale
10:00.....Allen-A-Dale
10:30.....Laughing Hearts
11:00.....Allen-A-Dale
11:30.....Shenanigans
12:00.....Four Leaf Clover
12:30.....McDougal's Pride
1:00.....Vegabond
1:30.....Black Velvet Band
2:00.....Shenanigans
2:30.....Vegabond
3:00.....Four Leaf Clover
3:30.....McDougal's Pride
4:00.....Big Fellas
4:30.....Elizabethan Syngers
5:00.....Laughing Hearts
6:00.....Music Jam

TRACK

11:00.....Quintain
1:00.....Joust
4:00.....Joust

BAD MANOR GREEN

9:00.....Morning Jam
10:00.....Courtly Dance
10:30.....Afsana Belly Dance
1:00.....The Vodka Family
4:00.....The Vodka Family
5:00.....Courtly Dance
6:30.....Drum Jam

ALICE THE COOK

Near the Mead Booth
11:00.....Spice Making Demo
12:30.....Cooking Demo
2:00.....History of Spices
4:00.....Cooking Demo
5:00.....Seasoning your Cast Iron and Wooden Utensils

QUEEN'S PUB

10:30.....O'Brennan
11:00.....Bedlam
11:30.....Black Velvet Band
12:00.....Big Fellas
12:30.....Too Broke Blokes
1:00.....Laughing Hearts
1:30.....DeCantus
2:00.....Naughty Bawdy Brigade
2:30.....Court Revelers
3:00.....Battlelegs
3:30.....4 Pints Shy
4:00.....Battlelegs
4:30.....Briar
5:00.....Court Revelers
6:00.....Troll Shenanigan's Pub Sing

TREETOP STAGE

10:00.....Zilech the Tory Steller
10:30.....Franko - Master Hypnotist
12:00.....Franko - Master Hypnotist
1:00.....Zilech the Tory Steller
1:45.....Franko - Master Hypnotist
2:45.....Zilech the Tory Steller
3:30.....Franko - Master Hypnotist
4:30.....Zilech the Tory Steller
5:15.....Franko - Master Hypnotist

WITCHWOOD STAGE

10:30.....Jacks of all Trades
11:00.....Pizpor - Magician
11:30.....2 Children Left Behind
12:00.....The Wacky Chickens
12:30.....Jacks of all Trades
1:00.....The Wacky Chickens
1:30.....Pizpor - Magician
2:00.....The Wacky Chickens
2:30.....Pizpor - Magician
3:00.....The Wacky Chickens
3:30.....2 Children Left Behind
4:00.....Jacks of all Trades
4:30.....Cale the Juggler
5:00.....2 Children Left Behind

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Sat. 11am, 2pm & 4:45pm

Sun. 11am & 2pm

\$80 per person

ROYAL WINE TASTING

Enjoy a selection of fine wines and scrumptious hors d'oeuvres while enjoying lively entertainment!

2:00pm Daily

\$20 per person

PAINT PUB

No experience necessary for this painting class!

The Paint Pub offers step-by-step instructions to help patrons create a one-of-a-kind

Renaissance painting!

11:00am Sundays

\$30 per person

RENAISSANCE SMOKER

Enjoy a sampling of ales, fine cigars, and delicious hors d'oeuvres while being regaled with song & stories!

5:30pm Daily

\$20 per person

PUB CRAWL

Three pubs, three beers and a free tankard! Activities include trivia, songs and games.

12:30pm-2:00pm

3:30pm-5:00pm Daily

\$20 per person

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