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Site Hours for show

Outer Gates:
Fri, Sat, Sun Locked
@10:30pm

-Exceptions-

Back Gate:
7am-2pm Monday with
security guard on duty

Inner Gate:
A and B open 7am-
10:30pm. C only open
7am-midnight

Drive-in Gates:
6:30am-8am



Special Events:

Free Wine Tastings: Held daily in the Pavilion at 12:30, 3:30 and 4:30.

Charity Wine Auction: The MN Festival hosts the 12th annual Charity Wine auction that benefits the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation. Bidder programs and numbers will be available at 1:00, with the auction beginning at 2:00 in the Pavilion.

Flower Presentation: At 5:00 in the Pavilion, brought to us by Federated Garden Center.

Homemade Wine Competition: Hosted by the Purple Foot Club near King Arbor's Stage on Sunday beginning at 12:30.

Wine Seminar: Learn the basics of wine appreciation in the Pavilion at 10:00, hosted by Grand Sommelier de la Bourgone.

Blind Wine Test: Following the seminar at 10:30 in the Pavilion.

Grape Stomp: Jump into a good time at 12:00 behind the Pavilion stage

Grape Toss: The Children of the Realm can win prizes by tossing grapes at 11:00 in the Children's Realm.

Funky Formal Flash

"The Hoo-Do, Too-Do, VOO-DO"

When: Saturday, Sept. 21st

Where: Folkestone Welly

Time: Food & Dance 8p.m to 12a.m.

Music: Mo Jo Roots!

Do you have any talent???

Do you like to sing whether it's in the shower or for an audience? Do you like making a fool of yourself or other people? Do you dance like nobody's watching? Whether it be singing, dancing, acting, musical or whatever creative energy you have, you should participate in the talent show. The Renaissance talent show will be held Saturday, Sept. 21st at 8:00 p.m. in the Pavilion. Those wishing to perform can sign up Saturday the 21st in the entertainment office at Bad Manor.



Service Awards

The Years of Service Awards ceremony will take place on Sunday, September 22nd at 10:30 a.m. at the King Arbor Stage. Those participating in the ceremony need to be in the Wedding tent at 10:00 a.m. for instructions

These participants were accidentally omitted from last week's list for the Knighting Ceremony. Thanks for your understanding:

Mark Mosen

Jason Goemer

Patsy Healy



Entertainment office hours:

Saturday 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Sunday 9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.



Attention Entertainers:

There will be a cast photo taken at cast call on Sunday, September 22nd. All entertainers are invited to participate in this event. Anyone who is contracted through the Entertainment Department is welcome. Please arrive no later than 8:00 a.m. at the Bakery Stage.

Order of the Garter

There will be an Order of the Garter Installation Ceremony at the Arbor on Saturday, September 21st at the Post Parade show at 2:00 p.m.

The Musings of a Campground Director

Completely Useless Campground Facts

- Ⓢ Despite being in Minnesota, there is no one named Johnson or Anderson officially registered in the Campground.
- Ⓢ The last name with the most number of entries: Kelly
- Ⓢ After Minnesota, Arizona has the most number of people staying here, with 12, followed by Texas and Wisconsin (go Packers!), tied with 9 each. Colorado and Florida are tied with 6 each, and Georgia and Illinois have 4. Pennsylvania has 2 people and then there is one each from: CA, IA, KY, MI, MO, MS, NC, ND, NE, NM, OK, OR, SC, SD, TN.

Trail of Terror

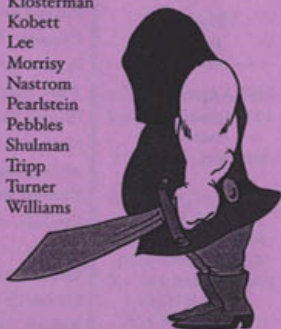
Trail is just around the corner. This year's show will run October 10-13, 17-20, 24-27, & 31st from 7-11 p.m. (matinees at 5 p.m. on weekends) We are looking for enthusiastic participants from all areas of the festival to join our Halloween show and frighten even more patrons. If you are interested, contact Erin for more information.



Deadbeat List

The people on this list need to take care of their campground fees ASAP!

First Name	Last Name
Erik	Akers
Alex	Betsill
Melissa	Crawford
Kerry	Grittner
Jeff	Kelly
Brad	Kirchmann
Dane	Klosterman
Charlie	Kobett
Samuel	Lee
Joaquin	Morrisy
Chuck	Nastrom
Jeff	Pearlstein
Rick	Pebbles
Arleen	Shulman
Juliet	Tripp
Steve	Turner
Ishmael	Williams



Campground Survey

In order to better service our participants, we are trying to determine an approximate number of campground spots that will be requested next year. Please complete the survey below and return to B Gate or the Information Booth by September 29. They can also be picked up at B Gate or the Information Booth. Please understand that this does not act as your campground application for 2003.

I intend to apply for a campground space for the 2003 season.

Name _____
Phone Number _____
Area of Participation _____
Type of Camper (i.e. tent, RV) _____
Number of people _____
Electricity Y / N _____

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Hall Of Masters

Exhibit Schedule

Sept. 21-22 - Astrology, Candles, Glass, Jewelry, Paintings, Print & Wall hangings, Plants, Perfume & Potpourri

Sept. 27-29 - Masters and Artisans of the Masters Program.

News from the Hall of Masters

Be sure to stop in this weekend and see the wonderful exhibits of artists who have been nominated in the Masters Program! The hall is open for your viewing convenience on Sunday mornings at 8:00 a.m. Exhibitors please note - it is critical that you pick up your work on Sunday evenings! You can pick up your work as early at 6:30 p.m. when the drum jam starts.

Masters: Please make every effort to get out and critique the nominees this weekend. Additional critique forms are available at the Hall. The exhibit should be fully labeled and ready for you around noon on Saturday. Contact Alicia if you need to view work after 7:00 p.m. on Saturday evening or before 8:00 a.m. Sunday morning.

Kudos * Kudos * Kudos

Caufield Pottery (Caufield Clay Works, booth number 316) was featured in the April 2002 issue of Ceramics Monthly.

That's like the Rolling Stone for the clay world! Be sure to stop in and see Kevin and Amy also check out their great bridal registry.



Craft Shops for Sale

The following shops are currently listed for sale:

Shop 104 - Ruth Ipsan-Brown

One story, wiring to code, new roof on display area, brick walk in front

Shop 110 - John Lidington, Animal Friendly Prints

One story, stucco front

Shop 114 - Russell Mattson, The Chandlery

Two stories, open front sales area has a tall grape arbor which could be roofed or enclosed, large storage area in building

Shop 145 - O'Brien Tyrrell, Tyrrell Designs

One story, bright and airy, well ventilated, secure, easy open/close, rear attached shed

Shop 508 - Lori Felix, Sandlar

One story, unique design

Shop 626 - Cynthia Brzezinski, Camelot

One story, cozy shop, recently remodeled, wired to code, fenced in back yard, secured doors

Shop 644 - Carol and Linn Lisbona, Jul Hus

One and a half stories, one of a kind stone building, hand crafted hinges, leaded glass windows

Shop 645 - Brandi Reuter, Beauty by Brandi

One-story, brick floor, new hand split shake roof, courtyard shared with 644, roofed patio in back

Shop 822-823 - Joseph Leach, Dunghanrach Stoneware

One story, bi-level, double shop area, overnight occupancy certificate, rear drive up access, built in 1999

Negotiations are not final and money should not change hands until written approval is received from the Craft department. A booth for sale does not necessarily mean that the current owner is leaving the Festival, they may simply be relocating. Booth sales are open through October 12th, but restricted to currently accepted craft participants. More detailed information about individual shops and sales procedures is available from the office on weekdays.

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Gems

Saturday, Sept. 14th

Aaron Prope who lost 2 out of 3 in an insult contest with 2 nine-year old boys (winning insult: Elephant poop!)

Dan Hasselius for enrolling a female patron in making amends with Lady Solests (Mistress of Summer) for offending her with his angry woo.

Steven Wilson as the grumpy fairy

Kathleen Cain Nastrom in a joust between her wooden duck and a rottweiler puppy. (The duck won)

Staci Ludwig for getting mooned by a Scottish nudist ("there were no tan lines").

Sbanon Taylor convinced patrons to water their shoulder pets all day.

Lolly Foy & D'Lisa Schmidt in a round of tag team storytelling-one word at a time.

Justin Bell danced an entire Maypole show (while tied to a Maypole dancer).

Sunday, Sept. 15th

Marianne Lerbs in an early morning polka at the Front Gate

Christopher Michela as the privy fairy Biff

Jenn Jackson the gypsy who stole the Queen

Drunk & Disorderly for the Irish Pipe & Drum corps in the parade

Tobie Arfstrom for creating a perfect, magical moment for 2 developmentally challenged women.

Anna Kobett & Judy Blythe in ninja hanky fight

Nate Westover for Privy traffic control

Emily Burrell and her bug house village



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