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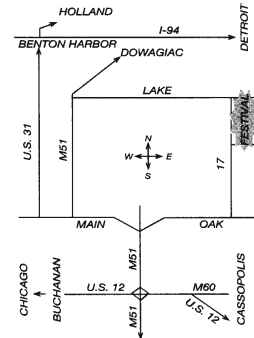
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P.O. BOX 672, Niles, MI 49120
(269) 683-8870 Fax (269) 687-8843
fourflagsapplefestival.org

Apple Festival Site
Corner of 17th & Lake Streets
Adjacent to the Niles Airport



Apple Festival site is handicapped accessible



Parking Donation: \$5.00

Parking courtesy of Fireman's Association

Due to our insurance, **PLEASE** no pets will be allowed on the grounds.



Join us next year on Sept 30-Oct 3 2010

Thank you for supporting our

37th Annual FOUR FLAGS AREA APPLE FESTIVAL

37TH YEAR

October 1st - October 4th

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

ROCKIN' IN THE USA



WWW.FOURFLAGSAPPLEFESTIVAL.ORG

37th Annual Four Flags Area Apple Festival

Thursday Oct 1st - Sunday Oct 4th 2009
2009 Pre-Festival Events
Rain or Shine

Lip Sync Registration and Review... All ages welcome!! You must be pre-registered and reviewed before qualifying for the Lip Sync finals. Categories: 7-12, 13-17, & 18 and over. (In the event of a group the oldest will determine the age category)
Saturday Sept. 19th 2:00 p.m. Location: Front of Amphitheater River Park Square Chr: Stacy Stilwell Co-Chr: Patty Teeter Sponsor: CAT Country 99.9

“YOUTH DAY”

Chr: Chuck Craig

Saturday September 26th 8:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. **Trike and Big Wheel Registration**
Location: Ring Lardner Middle School parking lot Chr: Craig Crocker Sponsor: Hardee's Family Restaurant of Niles and Four Flags Area Apple Festival

Saturday September 26th 9:00 a.m. **Trike and Big Wheel Race**
Ages (2-3) (4-5), & (6-7).

Location: Ring Lardner Middle School parking lot.

Sponsor: Hardee's Family Restaurant of Niles and Four Flags Area Apple Festival. Chr: Craig Crocker

Saturday September 26th 10:30a.m. - 7 **Princess & Princess Selection**
Ages 5-8 Only. Selection is by random drawing. Pre-registration required.

Location: South Bend Tribune / WSBT Radio Station Stage Main Tent
Sponsors: 5/3 Bank Chr: Donna Dodge

Assemble Youth Parade... Saturday Sept. 26th at Eastside Park. Parade Line-up at Noon. Parade will begin at 1:00 p.m. Parade route- East Side Park to 17th St. to Apple Festival Site Chr: Kellie McCombs Sponsor: Pilkington & United Federal Credit Union

Kid Games...

Saturday Sept. 26th from approx 2 - 4 p.m. following the Youth Parade at the Apple Festival Grounds on the corner of 17th and Lake St. There will be a Magic Show at 2 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. There will be a moon walk, McDonald's games, hotdogs, and cotton candy. ALL FREE... Games by: Niles Service League Sponsor: McDonald's Restaurant of Niles (Refreshments will be served to participating children) Youth Day sponsored by: Greater Niles Community Federal Credit Union

Golf Tournament/ Refreshment

Sunday September 27th at 9 a.m. Mixed Scramble & Shot gun. Limit 64 Entries!!! Goody bags will be handed out! Chr: Craig Crocker Co-Chr: Chuck Brooks Sponsor: Apple Festival

OPENING CEREMONIES Saturday Sept. 19th at 6:30 p.m.
Location: Niles High School Auditorium Sponsor: Apple Festival

CROWNING OF SR. KING & QUEEN 2009...
Immediately following Opening Ceremonies

Saturday Sept. 19th
Sponsor: Greater Niles-Buchanan Committee on Aging Chr: Kathy Ender
Location: Niles High School Auditorium

CROWNING OF MISS APPLE FESTIVAL 2009
Saturday Sept. 19th Approx. 7:00 p.m. Ages 16-21.

Tickets available at the door. \$12.00 per person (5 & under free)
Chr: Cathie Waggoner, Kim True and Nan Countess
Sponsor: Apple Festival Location: Niles High School Auditorium

12th ANNUAL JR. MISS PAGEANT
Ages 13-15. To be combined with the Miss Apple Festival

Saturday Sept. 19th
Contest: Tickets available at the door: \$12.00 per person (5 & under free)
Chr: Cathie Waggoner, Kim True and Nan Countess
Sponsor: Apple Festival Location: Niles High School Auditorium

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1ST

ENTERTAINMENT NIGHTLY!!

1:00 p.m. Judging of Window Decorating Contest
Chr: Karen Alexander Sponsor: Coldwell Banker R.E. Specialists

5:00 - 10:00 p.m. Carnival with Skerbeck Bros. Shows, Inc.
WRIST BAND NIGHT/ RIDE ALL RIDES FOR ONE PRICE - \$20.00

5:00 p.m. to Close Apple Products Tent
Location: Northeast Corner On Site
Chr: Chuck Craig Co. Chr: Mike Hubbard/Niles Service League

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2ND

ENTERTAINMENT NIGHTLY!!

11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. 16th Annual Exceptional Citizen's Day
(Handicap & Sr. Citizens only)

Chr: Katie Lowe Sponsors: Apple Festival & Skerbeck Bros. Shows, Inc.

4:00 - ?? The Niles City & Township Fire Dept.
Presents "The Flash and Flicker Show",

Mini Shows promoting safety, saving lives and fighting fires. Location: On Site

5:00 p.m. - Midnight CARNIVAL with Skerbeck Bros. Shows, Inc.

Concessions on Site!

5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Entries / Scarecrow Contest *All Ages Welcome!*
Location: Front of Apple House Chr: Diane & Hunter Janowiak

4:00 p.m. - Close Apple Products Tent
Location: Northeast Corner On Site Chr: Chuck Craig Co Chr: Mike Hubbard, Niles Service League

4:00 p.m. - Midnight Beer Tent... On Site Sponsor: Miss Buchanan, Inc.

5:00 p.m. - Close Huntly Baptist Puppet Shows *Every show on the hour & Giveaways*
Location: On Site Chr: Rikki Jones

7:00 p.m. Entertainment - Blackhawk
Country music
www.blackhawkmusic.us

9:00 p.m. APPROX. Fireworks
Sponsor: Skerbeck Bros. Shows, Inc.

9:30 p.m. Dance Sport on the Plaza, The Studio Dance Exhibition, Ballroom, latin & Swing Dance. *Open Dancing after exhibition.*
Sponsor: The Crocker Family

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3RD

7:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Pancake Breakfast
Location: Semco Energy Tent
Sponsor: Miss Cass/ St Joseph County Scholarship Pageant Committee Chr: Phil Hurlbutt

7:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Open Stage... *Bring your own Instruments*
Location: Semco Energy Tent Chr: Steve Barber

8:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon Entries for Judging Scarecrows Only

8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. 18th Annual Community Prayer Breakfast
Location: Ring Lardner Middle School Sponsor: Niles Ministerial Association Chr: Jeff Whitaker

9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Friends of the Library Book Sale
Location: Niles District Library Chr: Darlene Jackson

9:00 a.m. - Close Apple Products Tent
Location: Northeast Corner On Site Chr: Chuck Craig Co. Chr: Mike Hubbard/Niles Service League

10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. 37th Annual Arts & Crafts Fair (Over 200 Displays)
Location: On Site Chr: Christine Konkey Sponsor: Psi Iota Xi Sorority

10:00 a.m. - 11 p.m. Concessions On Site

10:00 a.m. - Midnight Carnival Skerbeck Bros. Shows, Inc.

10:00 a.m. - Close Huntly Baptist Puppet Shows
Every show on the hour & Giveaways Location: On Site Chr: Rikki Jones

10:25 a.m. and 11:09 a.m. 34th Annual Train Station Apple Giveaway
Location: Niles Historical Train Station Sponsor: Four Flags Garden Club Chr: Phyllis Davis

5:00-?? The Niles City & Township Fire Departments
Presents "The Flash and Flicker Show",
Mini Shows promoting safety, saving lives and fighting fires.
Location: On Site

Noon-Midnight Beer Tent... Location: On Site Sponsor: Miss Buchanan, Inc.

1:30 p.m. 37th Annual "Apple Festival Grande Parade"
Chr: Chuck Craig Sponsor: Four Flags Area Apple Festival

1:30 p.m. Salvation Army
424 North 15th St. Refreshments During Parade.

3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Old Fashion log Cutting & Hand Saw Contest
Location: On Site Awards presented immediately following contest. . . 1st & 2nd place cash prizes in the following categories. . . Sr Citizen's, Men & Women 18-60, & Boys & Girls ages 14-17, 11-13, 8-10, & 5-7
Chr: Rich & Bill Martin Sponsor: Randy's Auto Service

4:00 p.m. Scarecrow Contest Entries & Registration Deadline
Categories: Funniest, Most Original, Not So Scary
Chr: Diane & Hunter Janowiak

4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Home Made Entries... "Homemade Apple Pies, Pastries & Cake Contest"
Categories: Pies, Pastries, & Cakes
Location: Semco Tent Chr: Madeline Shelby Ribbons & Cash Prizes Awarded 1st & 2nd places
Sponsor: Apple Festival

5:00 - ??? Beard and Mustache Contest
Location: Main Tent Chr: Scott Zeider
Sponsor: Apple Festival

5:00 - 6:00 p.m. Judging "Homemade Apple Pies, Pastries & Cake Contest." @ Semco Tent

6:00 p.m. Scarecrow Contest Judging
Location: On Site (Rain date on Sunday)

6:00 p.m. Deadline for "Biggest Apple" Contest
Location: Apple Festival Building Chr: Donna Dodge Sponsor: Country Bake Shop

7:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. YMCA Senior Citizens Dance DJ Rick Clingerman
Dancing - Door Prizes Refreshments - ALL FREE
Chr: Margaret Haines
Sponsor: Huntington Bank & YMCA
Location: Niles Buchanan YMCA

8:15 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Entertainment: The System / Bob Seger Tribute

9:00 p.m. APPROX Fireworks
Sponsor: Apple Festival & Niles Daily Star/Leader Publications

9:30 p.m. - 10:15 p.m.
Entertainment: The System / Bob Seger Tribute

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4TH

8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Pancake Breakfast
Location: Semco Energy Tent

Sponsor: Miss Cass/ St Joseph County Scholarship Pageant Committee Chr: Phil Hurlbutt

8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Open Stage... *Bring your own instruments*
Location: Semco Energy Tent Chr: Steve Barber

9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. 10th Annual Apple Festival Custom Car Show 2009 "Free to Spectators"
1st 100 cars receive dash plaque (\$10.00 per car registration fee). Car registration 9 - 12
Location: National Standard Grounds Chr: Steve Crocker Sponsor: Apple Festival

9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Apple Products Tent
Location: Northeast Corner on site Chr: Chuck Craig Co. Chr: Mike Hubbard/Niles Service League

10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. 37th Annual Arts & Crafts Fair (Over 200 Displays)
Location: On Site Chr: Christine Konkey Sponsor: Psi Iota Xi Sorority

10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. Carnival Skerbeck Bros. Shows, Inc.

10:00 a.m. - 7 p.m. Concessions On Site

11:00 a.m. - ??? Harold Galbreath "Galley" Memorial Horserhoe Tournament
Double with Single competition immediately following \$10.00 Entry fee. Awards & Cash Prizes.
Sponsor: Pri -Mar Petroleum, Inc. Chr: Tom Spain

Noon Pre-registration for the **Apple Pie Eating Contest** at the contest tent. All entries need to be in by 12 Noon on Sunday, Oct. 4th. No new entries after NOON on Sunday!
Sponsor: Plaza Restaurant, Jim & Joyce Vaughn Chr: Mark Nolan

Noon Judging "Biggest Apple" Contest *Cash Prizes*
Location: Apple Festival Building Chr: Donna Dodge Sponsor: Country Bake Shop

1:00 - ?? The Niles City & Township Fire Departments
Presents "The Flash and Flicker Show",
Mini Shows promoting safety, saving lives and fighting fires.
Location: On Site

1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. 20th Annual Lip Sync Contest! *Cash Prizes*
You Must have been pre-registered at the Review on Sat. Sept 19th (Sorry no new entries)
Location: South Bend Tribune / WSBT Radio Stations Stages Main Tent
Chr: Stacy Stilwell / Co-Chr: Patty Teeter Sponsor: CAT Country 99.9

1:00 p.m. - Close Huntly Baptist Puppet Shows
Shows every hour & Giveaways Location: On Site Chr: Rikki Jones

3:00 p.m. Apple Peeling Contest
Location: Activities Tent Chr: Vivian Stilwell Sponsor: Stilwell Company

3:30 p.m. Registration "Apple Seed Popping"
Contest Location: Activities Tent Chr: Gene Millin Sponsor: Niles Vision Clinic

3:30 p.m. Apple Pie "Eating" Contest Immediately after Lip Sync
Location: On Site Chr: Mark Nolan Sponsor: Plaza Restaurant (Jim & Joyce Vaughn)

4:00 p.m. - ?? Church of Niles - Church Service
Special guest Miss Lillie Knauls, Gospel singer

PLEASE NOTE...
ARTS & CRAFTS WILL BE
SATURDAY AND SUNDAY
ONLY!!!

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