

# 65<sup>th</sup> Annual Posen Potato Festival

September 9, 10, 11, 2016

\*3 Big Days --- CLARK AMUSEMENTS ATTRACTIONS

## Schedule of Events

### – Friday, September 9 –

CLARK AMUSEMENTS ATTRACTIONS - opens TODAY  
6:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.

(Armbands \$15.00 buy one get one free)

VENDORS 6 - 10 p.m.

**6:00 p.m.** Opening Ceremony for 65<sup>th</sup> Annual Potato Festival - Polka Pavilion around the flag pole area

**6:00 p.m.** FOOTBALL GAME at Posen High School - Admission is \$5.00 per person! Vs. Charleston Heston.

**7:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m.** POLKA DANCE - (Polka Pavilion) Music by: *Diddle Styx of Grand Rapids, MI and Duane Malinowski - Polka Band, Toledo OH* Admission \$8.00

**K OF C AND SRODEK'S FOOD BOOTH BOTH OPEN**

### – Saturday, September 10 –

#### 5-K Run/ Walk

Registration at 8:00 am @ Posen High School

Walk starts @ 9:00 am - Race starts @ 9:15 am

Fee to enter \$20.00 per person or family of four \$75.00

For more information please call, Lisa Kortman (989) 734-4691

VENDORS - Open all day

**8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.** K OF C BREAKFAST - (Green Pavilion) Potato Pancakes and all the trimmings

**9:00 a.m.** FLEA MARKET & ANTIQUES - (Around Green Pavilion)

**9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.** POTATO DISPLAYS & POTATO DISH CONTEST REGISTRATION

(Side Entrance of Community Center - Posen Township Hall) - Cookbooks - for sale \$7.00 & \$3.00

**9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.** TOURS OF THE HISTORIC ELOWSKY GRIST MILL, 13796 Leer Rd, Posen, corner of Long Lake Rd. - tours start at 9:00 a.m. each tour begins on the hour and lasts about 45 minutes. Admission is \$5.00 adults, children under 12 years of age free with parents. Gift shop items and refreshments available. [www.hemlockhillsonmillpond.com](http://www.hemlockhillsonmillpond.com)

**10:00 a.m. Noon** JUDGING OF POTATO DISPLAYS & POTATO DISH CONTEST

**10:00 a.m. 4:00 p.m.** ARTS & CRAFT SHOW!!! - By Posen School Trip Club - Class of 2017 at Posen Consolidated School (Concessions on the premise)

**Noon** KIDDIE PARADE - (Main Street) Registration: 11:15 - 11:45 a.m. (Starts at Community Center)

**Noon - 4:00 p.m.** PUBLIC VIEWING OF POTATO DISPLAYS AND POTATO DISHES (Posen Township Office) Cookbooks - For Sale \$7.00 & \$3.00 each Centennial Books \$5.00

**Noon - 6:00 p.m.** POLKA DANCE - (Polka Pavilion) Admission \$3.00 -16 & over - Music by *Judy and Her Suche Brothers or Alpena, MI (sponsored by WATZ Radio Station) and Diddle Styx of Grand Rapids, MI - K OF C AND SRODEK'S FOOD BOOTHS OPEN*

**Noon - 7:00 p.m.** V.F.W. DINNER - (V.F.W. Hall, Post #7804) Polish Sausage, Ham, Golabki (stuffed cabbage), Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Glazed Carrots, Relish Tray, Homemade Bread, Dessert, Beverages. Adults - \$10.00 Children (5-12 years) - \$5.00 Handicap Dining Available

**Noon - 10:00 p.m.** CLARK AMUSEMENTS ATTRACTIONS OPEN - Special Armband Price \$12.00 unlimited rides

**Noon - 7:00 p.m.** POSEN FIRE & RESCUE VOLUNTEERS FESTIVAL DINNER - (St. Casimir's Gym, ¼ mile north of Posen) - Oven Baked Chicken, Pork Loin, Mashed Potatoes, Kluski "Noodles", Sauerkraut with "Potato Dumplings", Creamed Cucumbers, Cole Slaw, Hot Fresh Garden Vegetables, Homemade Bread, Desserts and Beverages.

Adults - \$10.00, (Ages 5-12) - \$5.00 and Children under 5 Free

**1:00 p.m.** POSEN HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 2019 TRIP CLUB BEAN BAG TOSS (CORN HOLE TOSS) TOURNAMENT - (Near the vending area on the chamber grounds). For more informations please call Linda (989)464-7015

**1:00 p.m.** ..... NEW ..... BUMP AND RUN DEMO DERBY - The Posen C of C, Todd Sorenson and Crew would like to welcome you all to the "Posen Potato Festival Demolition Derby" (Field Event Area) Adults \$6.00 Ages 6 - 12 \$2.00 Under 5 Free REGISTRATION 9:00 AM - NOON \$ 40.00 ENTRY, \$15.00 FOR PIT PASS

### – Saturday, September 10 –

**SMALL CAR BUMP AND RUN** \$1000/500/250 (\$100 Dollars and trophies for main heat winners) If 50+ cars, a \$500 feature will be added. -- **BIG CAR BUMP AND RUN** 100% payback and trophies. Jr7 USA rules welcome --

**POWERWHEELS DERBY** for kids ages 3 to 10 Free Entry (Prizes for ALL kids). For more information/rules go to TNT Demolition Derby Michigan website:

[www.tntdemolitionderbymichigan.yolasite.com](http://www.tntdemolitionderbymichigan.yolasite.com) or Call Todd at (231) 425-6990

**2:00 p.m.** POSEN HIGH SCHOOL ROBOTICS TEAM - Robotics Demonstration for one hour behind Parts Plus before the carnival set up, on the pavement.

**7:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m.** POLKA DANCE, (Polka Pavilion) Music by: Box on Rick Vinicki & Family Polka Band and Duane Malinowski - Polka Band, Toledo OH - Admission \$8:00, Combination Wristband \$14.00 K OF C AND SRODEK'S FOOD BOOTHS OPEN

**8:00 p.m. - 12:30 a.m.** THE ROCK SHOW (ULTIMATE TRIBUTE TO JOURNEY) TOMMY KLIMASZEWSKI AND CREW (MUST BE 21 TO ENTER) Building Opens at 7:30 p.m. - (Green Pavilion - Country Western Building) SPONSORED BY HURON DISTRIBUTORS, CALCITE CREDIT UNION & POSEN C OF C. K of C Food Booth Open, Admission \$8.00 Combination Wristband \$14.00

### – Sunday, September 11 –

\* Vendors Open All Day! \*

**8:00 a.m. - Noon** V.F.W. BREAKFAST- (V.F.W. Hall, Post # 7804) Fresh Polish Sausage, Ham, Buttermilk Pancakes, Scrambled Eggs, Hash Brown Potatoes, Toast, Juice, Desserts, Handicap Dining Available

Adults - \$8.00 Children (5 - 12years) - \$5.00

**9:00 a.m.** FLEA MARKET & ANTIQUES - (Around Green Pavilion)

**9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.** POTATO PANCAKE DINNER - (Community Center) Ham, Kielbasa, Potatoes, Vegetables and POTATO PANCAKES (fried in peanut oil) and dessert.... Sponsored by the St. Casimir Rosary Sodality

Adults - \$10.00 Children (5-12) - \$5.00, Under 5 free

**9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.** REGISTRATION FOR BUMP AND RUN DEMO DERBY - SEE 3:00 P.M. FOR RULES AND PRICES -- \$40.00 Entry, \$15.00 pit pass

**10:00 a.m. 4:00 p.m.** ARTS & CRAFTS SHOW -- Sponsored by Posen School Trip Club -- Class of 2017 at Posen Consolidated School Gym (Concessions on premises)

**10:30 a.m. Noon** PUBLIC VIEWING OF POTATO DISPLAYS AND POTATO DISHES (Posen Township Office)

**Noon - 7p.m.** CLARK AMUSEMENTS ATTRACTIONS OPEN - Special Armband Price \$12.00 - Unlimited rides

**Noon - 9 p.m.** POLKA DANCE - Admission \$3.00 (16+ only) - Box on Ricki Vinicki and Family Polka Band and Darrell Weltin and the New Brass Express

K OF C AND SRODEK'S FOOD BOOTHS OPEN UNTIL 8:30 P.M.

**1:30 p.m.** GRAND FESTIVAL PARADE - (Main Street) Parade Marshalls- Clarence and Bernadine Hincka

**3:00 p.m.** NEW - BUMP AND RUN DEMO DERBY - (Field Event Area) - (Sponsored by Posen Chamber of Commerce) - Immediately following the parade!

(Admission Gates open at Noon. Adults \$6.00, Children 6 - 12 \$2.00 Children under 5 free)

**SMALL CAR BUMP AND RUN** (limited to first 20 cars) \$500/250/100. (\$50 and trophies for main heat winners) -- **BIG CAR LITE MOD DEMO DERBY** (1 Heat) \$1000/400/200 (USA & jr7 rules only) -- **BIG CAR BONESTOCK DEMO DERBY** \$500/250/100 1978 or newer automobiles only. TNT rules -- **FWD GUT N**

**Go BONESTOCK DEMO DERBY** -- With 15 Plus Cars \$1000/400/200 (1 heat, unless over 25 cars) There will be a Hardest Hitter Award. TNT rules -- For both bonestock Demo Derbys - If 20+ cars, will add money to purse \$40.00 Entry, \$15.00 pit passes -- Payouts Guaranteed -- **POWERWHEELS**

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**3:30 p.m.** 2<sup>nd</sup> ANNUAL KIELBASA EATING CONTEST - side of the polka pavilion by Srodek's Food Booth -- \$10.00 entry fee -- Cash prizes to be awarded to the top three winners. -- SPONSORED BY SRODEK'S, ALPENA BEVERAGE, AND POSEN C OF C

**4:30 p.m.** TRIBUTE TO "ARMED SERVICE PERSONNEL" - Polka Pavilion You won't wanna miss this!!

Sunday "Potato Express" Bus Service

11:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Centennial Books \$5.00  
Sharing Our Best Cookbook \$3.00  
2010 Favorite Recipes Book \$7.00

FESTIVAL INFORMATION – (989) 766-8128  
[www.posenpotatofestival.com](http://www.posenpotatofestival.com)