

MANISTEE



NATIONAL FOREST FESTIVAL

SUNDAY, JULY 6

- 7 a.m.-1 p.m.** **WORLD FAMOUS KIWANIS PANCAKE BREAKFAST:** A Manistee and Forest Festival tradition for over 45 years. Manistee Catholic Central School Cafeteria, 1200 U.S. 31 South. Advance Tickets: Adults \$5, 5-12 years \$2, under 5 Free. \$6 at the door. Tickets available from any Kiwanian or at Jackpine Business Center. Proceeds to benefit area youth. Kiwanis...changing the world, one child and one community at a time.
- 8 a.m. – 3 p.m.** **CUSTOMS N’ CLASSICS CAR CLUB 17TH ANNUAL CAR SHOW:** First Street Beach. Car and truck show, registration 8 a.m.-12 p.m., \$12 registration fee. Trophies at 2 p.m., top 50 vehicles, plus additional trophies for host, best of show and special award for Mopar Muscle. Prizes for participants and food available.
- 10 a.m.** **MANISTEE EQUINE PET SHOW:** Open to all pets. Small animals must be in a carrier. Dogs must be on a leash. Festival Tent, First Street Beach. Please bring your own pooper-scooper. **NO CHARGE.** Presented by Manistee Equine Feed and Pet Supply.
- 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.** **I’VE BEEN WORKING ON THE RAILROAD:** The Lyman Building, 425 River St. Students-\$1, Adults-\$3, Adult Couples-\$5, Families-\$7, museum members and invited guests-free
- 10 a.m. – Dusk** **FESTIVAL MARKET PLACE & FOOD VENDORS:** First Street Beach.
- 10 a.m. – Dusk** **WHISPERING PINES ANIMAL KINGDOM:** First Street Beach entertainment site. **NO CHARGE.**
- 11 a.m.** **MASTERS OF THE CHAINSAW, X-TREME POWER SCULPTURE:** Prepare to be amazed as a master carver from Masters of the Chainsaw turns an ordinary log into a work of art! All pieces will be auctioned off daily after the final performance, minimum bid of \$150. Proceeds benefit the Manistee National Forest Festival. Festival Entertainment Site, Douglas Park, First Street Beach. **NO CHARGE FOR VIEWING.**
- Gates Open @ 11 a.m. 14TH ANNUAL TRADITIONAL JIINGTAMOK (POW WOW):** Public welcome!
Please join us for a celebration of Native American culture. Experience unique Native dance styles and singing. Native food vendors will be on site. Arts and crafts vendors will be offering a variety of items for sale. Tribal Gathering Grounds located across from the Little River Casino Resort (corner of US 31 and M-22). All drums and key personnel are TBA. For more information contact 231-723-8288.
- 11 a.m.-7 p.m.** **VISIT DOUGLAS VALLEY ORGANIC VINEYARD COMMUNITY:** Michigan’s first and only organic farm vineyard community, offering a wine and hard cider Tasting House, and an organic Farm Market, surrounded by rolling hills of orchards and vineyards with a panoramic view of Lake

Michigan. Tour the property on a horse drawn Hay Ride (\$5.00 charge per passenger- children 5 and under free), or visit the Tasting House and Farm Market at no charge. Take M-22 north two miles to Schoedel Road, then right 1/2 mile. Ph. (231) 233-6563.

- 12 p.m.- 3 p.m.** **SANDCASTLE CONTEST:** First Street Beach, judging will be at 3 p.m. Presented by Forest Festival Committee. NO CHARGE.
- 12 p.m.-Close** **SCHMIDT AMUSEMENTS CARNIVAL:** First Street Beach.
- 1 p.m.** **MANISTEE SAINTS BASEBALL GAME:** The Saints will host the Pontiac Cardinals at the Reitz Park diamond in Oak Hill, corner of Vine Street and Park Avenue.
- 1 p.m.** **SMOKEY AT THE KID'S FUN DAY:** Smokey will walk in the Kid's Parade and then meet with the kids. Presented by USDA Forest Service.
- 1 p.m.** **KID'S PARADE:** Theme: Critters of the Forest. Line up at the Armory; follow First Street to the beach. Kids come in costume, and parade down to game area. NO CHARGE.
- 1 p.m.-3 p.m.** **KID'S FUN DAY:** First Street Beach in the lower parking lot on the beach. Games, face painting, penny scramble and more! NO CHARGE.
- 1 p.m.-4 p.m.** **LIONS PIG ROAST:** Enjoy a delicious pig roast presented by the Manistee Lions Club. First Street Beach Festival Tent, \$7.50 per person.
- 1 p.m.-4 p.m.** **12TH ANNUAL WATERBALL COMPETITION:** Firefighters compete in a demonstration of skill in water stream application. NO CHARGE. National Guard Armory Parking Lot, 555 First Street.
- 1 p.m.-8 p.m.** **ART EXHIBIT PLEIN AIR:** The exhibit features artists who work (paint) outside. Plein Air is a French term, which means in the open air. Landscape artists capture the light and color of every day subjects in their natural setting. Ramsdell Theatre – Hardy Hall, 101 Maple St. Presented by Manistee Art Institute.
- 2 p.m.** **GEORGE M!** Main Stage Patriotic Musical. Music & Lyrics by George M. Cohan. Book by Michael Stewart, John Pascal & Francine Pascal. Lyrics & Musical Revisions by Mary Cohan. Box Office Opens: 6/30/2008 at Noon, 231-723-9948.
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- 4 p.m.-6 pm.** **SCOTTVILLE CLOWN BAND:** First Street Beach Festival Tent. **\$1 per person donation, children 12 and under no charge.**
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