

72nd Annual Murphysboro Apple Festival
September 13—16, 2023

Join us for Southern Illinois' Longest Running Family Festival

Details for each event available on website
www.murphysboroapplefestival.org

2023 EVENTS
Subject to Change

- ◇ Apple Blossom Contest
- ◇ Window Display Contest
- ◇ Appletime Prayer Breakfast
- ◇ Festival Funland Carnival Rides
- ◇ Faith & Family Night
- ◇ Apple Pie & Apple Butter Contest, and Auction of Champion Apple Pies & Apple Butter
- ◇ Appletime Arts & Crafts Fair
- ◇ Appletime Classic Golf
- ◇ Kiwanis' Children's Pet & Hobby Parade
- ◇ Stage Entertainment
- ◇ Appletime 5K Walk/Run
- ◇ Appletime Grand Parade
- ◇ Drums at Appletime
- ◇ Appletime Fiddle & Banjo Contest
- ◇ Cornhole Tournament
- ◇ Miss Apple Festival Pageant
- ◇ Prince & Princess Contest
- ◇ Lawn Chair Decorating Contest

APPLETIME FIDDLE & BANJO SCHEDULE

Saturday, September 16, 2023

Held at The Historic Liberty Theater
1333 Walnut Street

5:00 - 6:00 p.m. Registration & Blue Grass Music Show

During registration listen to bluegrass music performed by national fiddle champion George Portz and his award winning "Friends of Bluegrass"

6:00 - 8:00 p.m. Fiddle & Banjo Contest

8:00 - 8:30 p.m. Final Round Contest

8:30 - 9:00 p.m. Award Presentations

CONTEST RULES & REGULATIONS

1. Registration opens at 5 p.m. on Saturday, September 16, 2023, at The Historic Liberty Theater located at 1333 Walnut Street.
2. No entry fee is required.
3. Contestants must be prepared to play three old time tunes of their choice.
4. No more than three accompanists will be allowed.
5. Junior Division participant must be under 20 years of age.
6. All judges' decisions are final.

Prizes & Trophies

FIDDLER DIVISION

1st Place \$100 + Trophy
2nd Place \$ 75 + Trophy
3rd Place \$ 50 + Trophy
4th Place \$ 25 + Medallion
5th Place \$ 15 + Medallion

BANJO DIVISION

1st Place \$100 + Trophy
2nd Place \$ 75 + Trophy
3rd Place \$ 50 + Trophy
4th Place \$ 25 + Medallion
5th Place \$ 15 + Medallion

JUNIOR DIVISION

1st Place \$100 + Trophy
2nd Place \$ 75 + Trophy
3rd Place \$ 50 + Trophy
Participation Medallions

For more information on the Appletime Fiddle & Banjo Contest contact:

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