



TWINS DAYS TIMES

NEWS AND VIEWS ABOUT THIS YEAR'S TWINS DAYS FESTIVAL • Twinsburg, Ohio

DATES TO REMEMBER FOR 2003

The following dates have been established to make sure that your correspondence has been received in a timely manner and can be processed within the time period as herein stated. Your cooperation is appreciated.

Scholarship Application

Must be received no later than
June 6, 2003

Royal Court

Registration must be in our office no later than
June 6, 2003

Talent Show

Application must be received no later than
June 20, 2003

Patron Listing

The drop-dead date along with your fee is
June 20, 2003

Pre-Registration

Your application must be received by
July 20, 2003

FESTIVAL 2003

While in the past the Twins Days Committee has tried to select a theme for each festival and parade when warranted, it has been decided that there will be no specific theme for 2003. Twins Days has always been a celebration of multiple birth and this year we really want to focus on that. Come on everyone – be creative! Let's show those singletons what it's all about!

HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS SCHOLARSHIPS

The Twins Days Festival Committee is once again sponsoring scholarships for 2003. To be eligible you must have attended Twins days at least three times in the last five years, not including this year. If you meet this requirement you may apply for the \$1,000 cash scholarships that will be awarded by the TDFC. Please contact the Twins Days office at (330) 425-3652 and request an application. Completed applications must be received in the office no later than June 5, 2003. This year's recipients will be invited to the annual kick-off luncheon to be held on Thursday, August 1, 2003. Additional information about the luncheon will be released in the near future.

GOLF TOURNAMENT

The 2003 Twins Days Golf Tournament will be held at Twinsburg's Glen Eagles Golf Club on Friday, August 1. This year's teams will include a Seniors division. So, come on out and enjoy the fun in the sun. See the enclosed flyer for more details!

HOTELS AND ACCOMMODATIONS

In addition to having the Holiday Inn Hudson as our OFFICIAL TWINS DAYS HOTEL, we have contacted many other hotels in the area that will more than happy to assist you in booking your accommodations for your Twins

Days weekend. You can choose from a variety of accommodations and pricing as listed on the flyer enclosed in this mailing.

TWIN VOLUNTEERS WANTED

The Twins Days Festival Committee would like to extend our heartfelt thanks to all of you twins who have helped us in many areas during the festival, especially in the souvenir and registration booths. We would like to appeal again to the twins (at least 18 years of age) that would like to volunteer a couple of hours of their time to help us in the booths again this year. If you are interested in assisting the committee with putting on your festival please contact the office at (330) 425-3652 or fax us at (330) 423-7280.

RENTALS AT THE FESTIVAL

Wagon and locker rentals will again be available this year. Rentals are located in the first tent on your right as you enter the front gate. Rental prices are as follows:

Storage Lockers – \$2 per day; holds your belongings until you leave

Wagons – \$5 per day; a valid driver's license is required as a deposit.

Remember, all rentals are sponsored by the Twins Days Festival Committee and proceeds are used for continued success of the festival. Thank you for your support!

THE NEW FOOD COURT

We would like to introduce a new area for our food vendors called the Food Court. This area has been created as a result of the construction that occurred to the Parks and Recreation building. The Food Court will feature 29 food vendors selling a wide variety of foods and Pepsi products. This area will allow the flow of pedestrians to be redirected away from the midway, relieving the congestion of people that normally gathers in this area.

2003 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Friday August 1, 2003

9:00 a.m. Golf tournament at Twinsburg's Glen Eagles Golf Course

4:00 p.m. Children's Games at Dodge Intermediate School
Twins' Registration Opens

6:30 p.m. Welcome Wiener Roast at Dodge Intermediate School

Saturday August 2, 2003

9:00 a.m. Double Take Parade

12:00 noon Twins Contests in the Amphitheater

12:30 p.m. Twins Talent Show in the Entertainment tent

3:00 p.m. Twins Group Photo - on the hill behind the Entertainment tent

Entertainment after the Talent Show

Dusk - Fireworks Display

Sunday August 3, 2002

10:00 a.m. Interdenominational Church Services in the Entertainment Tent

12:00 noon Twins Contests in the Amphitheater

12:30 p.m. Twins Talent Show in the Entertainment Tent

3:00 p.m. Twins Group Photo - on the hill behind the Entertainment Tent

Entertainment after the Talent Show

9:00 p.m. Festival closes for 2003

NOTE:

See the souvenir program for schedule

All times and events are subject to change without prior notice.

Please check the on-site bulletin boards for the latest scheduled events and their times.

PEPSI SPONSORSHIP BENEFITS TWINS DAYS

Twins Days and Pepsi Cola have recently renewed their sponsorship contract. Twins Days benefits from each sale of a Pepsi product, so please be sure to visit their booths and help support the festival. In addition, all Pepsi products will be sold in plastic bottles only.

VISIT SIX FLAGS WORLDS OF ADVENTURE

Twins Days and Six Flags Worlds of Adventure in Aurora, Ohio, wish to share with you admission discount coupons. The coupon, valid from July 31, 2003 thru August 5, 2003, gets you into Six Flags for \$20.33 per person, a savings of \$20 per person, and is good for up to six people. The coupons will be included in your registration packet that you pick up on-site at the registration booth. If you would like to receive your coupons earlier your paid registration must be received in our office. Contact the office with your request for the coupons and they will be mailed out to you. Six Flags is open from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. daily.

MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION

The Welcoming Wiener Roast and children's field games will be located at Dodge Intermediate School, located on Ravenna Road across from the festival site. The wiener roast cost for twins is **FREE**, for non-twins there is a \$2 per person charge. Watch for the signs!

There will be two portable restrooms located at the start of the parade, in the park area in front of the TDFC office, for the benefit of those watching the Double-Take Parade on Saturday morning.

General parking on site for all visitors is **FREE**. Preferred parking is available at the high school at a cost of \$3 per day for cars and \$5 per day for motor homes and busses. **FREE** shuttle transportation from the parking areas to the festival site is available on Saturday and Sunday, from open to close.

There will be **NO SMOKING** in any of the tents erected on the festival site. Thank you to everyone for honoring this request.

Dogs and other pets will **NOT** be allowed to enter the festival grounds. Anyone bringing a pet to the festival will not be allowed to bring the pet through the gate. The only exceptions are those animals (dogs) that are specifically trained to assist the physically challenged. To prevent any problems **PLEASE DO NOT BRING YOUR PETS. THEY WILL NOT BE ALLOWED THROUGH THE GATE** and we don't suggest leaving them in a hot vehicle all day.

THERE WILL BE NO PARKING OR BUS SERVICE AT THE CHRYSLER STAMPING PLANT.

The Meeting Board, located in front of the Twins Days souvenir Tent, will be available again this year for those who wish to contact others or twins they have met in the past.

VISA, MASTERCARD, DISCOVER and AMERICAN EXPRESS will be accepted for any purchases at the official souvenir booth during the festival. Travelers checks, with proper identification, will also be accepted.

CREDIT CARDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR ANY TRANSACTIONS AT THE REGISTRATION BOOTH. Due to technical problems encountered in the past credit cards will not be accepted for transactions made at the Registration booth. Only cash, personal checks, travelers checks (with proper identification), and money orders will be accepted.