



St. Paul
-A MOVING RIVER EXPERIENCE-

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VIRGINIA IS FOR LOVERS

May 31 & June 1, 2024

With Special Events at the Lyric Theater:
Miss Clinch River Days Pageant 6 pm May 18 &
Heart of Appalachia Orchestra & Reception 6:30 pm May 30, 2024

Compliments of the Town of St. Paul, St. Paul Industrial Development Authority, and St. Paul Tomorrow Inc.

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RAIN OR SHINE, WE HAVE YOU COVERED... WE'LL HAVE OUR BIG TENTS SET UP FOR YOUR COMFORT WHILE ENJOYING THE ENTERTAINMENT!

Festival Entertainers

Kick off this year's Clinch River Days Festival on Thursday, May 30, with a live concert performance. Enjoy the Heart of Appalachia Community Orchestra on stage at the newly renovated Lyric Theater, 6-8 pm, with Reception to follow.

Friday's musical entertainment will begin on the outdoor stage at AR Matthews Park with the popular Clinch River "Idol" Contest from 4-5 pm; cash prizes will be awarded with an appearance on ARC TV for the winner! Registration begins at 3:30 pm. The Possum Playboys are bringing their unique and inspiring sound to stage from 5-7 pm. Next up from 7-9 pm, enjoy From The Edge high energy music followed by Ben Fugate & The Burning Trash Band from 9-11 pm for the rockin' country Dance Party!

Get ready for Saturday! It's a full day of exciting performances and events on the park stage and dance floor. The delightful Center Stage Cloggers will dance from 1-2 pm. The best gospel music anywhere will be performed by The King's Messengers from 2-3 pm. Blue Grass Circle, the finest bluegrass performers in the coalfields and beyond, will be on stage from 3-4:30 pm. Joseph Young will amaze the audience with a magical stage performance from 4:30-5 pm. Joseph will also be in the park from 10 am-8 pm with his magic tricks and slight of hand. Get ready to show off your dance moves with Longshot from 5-7 pm. Ivy Road will keep everyone on their feet from 7-9 pm. The "So You Think You Can Dance" contest will be held from 9-9:15 pm - register at the park stage at 8:30 pm. Trophies will be awarded. To complete the day, the 6 Gun Dance Party will keep you rockin' and rollin' 9-11 pm.

So bring your lawn chairs and dancing shoes to the 26th Annual Clinch River Festival for a great weekend of entertainment under the stars.

Schedule of Events

THURSDAY, MAY 30

At the Lyric Theater - Heart of Appalachia Community Orchestra on stage with reception to follow 6:30-8 pm

FRIDAY, MAY 31

At the Park - Beginning at noon, Craft & Food Vendors, Games, Amusements & Much More. The Wine Tent will feature local vineyards and craft beer starting at 3 pm. Duck Race tickets go on sale at the red caboose

UVa-Wise Oxbow Center - Open House 12-6 pm

On Russell Street - Mountain Heritage Museum Open House 2-6 pm

On the Park Stage - all FREE!

Clinch River Idol Talent Contest 4 pm

Register at 3:30 pm - Cash Prizes Awarded

Possum Playboys from 5-7 pm

From The Edge from 7-9 pm

Ben Fugate & The Burning Trash Band Dance Party

from 9-11 pm

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SATURDAY, JUNE 1

At Oxbow Lake - Free Kid's Fishing Tournament sponsored by the St. Paul Police Department 9 am-12 pm. Bring your own fishing pole; bait will be provided. Trophies & prizes will be awarded. Registration at 9 am. **Clinch River State Park** rangers will be on hand. 5K race will begin at 5 pm. There is a registration fee. Register in advance by calling 276-971-6464 or email yellolab@msn.com.

At The Western Front Hotel - Southwestminster Dog Show starts at 4 pm; registration begins at 3:30 pm. Dogs must be on a leash. Trophy and ribbons to be awarded. No fee to enter.

Clinch River Farmers Market - Open 8 am - 12 pm Heart of Appalachia Visitor Center, located inside Hillman House at Market Square will be open 8 am - 12 pm.

At Mountain Heritage Museum - Open House 2-6 pm

At the Red Caboose at the Park Entrance - Come float the Clinch for a discounted price Saturday only, June 1, tubes \$12 and kayaks \$15. No reservations required. Equipment and shuttle service included in price. Call (276) 275-4154 for more info.

At the Boat Launch - "Raising Baby Mussels" Demonstration by Team Estonoa 10 am - 2 pm

Duck Race 1 pm - get your tickets early!

At Wetlands Estonoa Vencil Learning Center - Tours 2 - 4 pm

On the Little League Field - Kid's Day featuring new rides and inflatables, games, magic, treats, prizes for all ages from 12-3 pm.

Magician Joseph Young will perform magic tricks. Special Event - **Main Event Wrestling** 3:30-5:30 pm!

In the Park - Craft & food vendors, games, kid's train rides, amusements & much more! Donkeyville Stables will have a petting zoo with their miniature animals 12-4 pm. The wine tent will feature local vineyards and craft beer starting at 3 pm. Magician Joseph Young will perform tricks and slight of hand throughout the park 10 am-8 pm with a special stage performance at 4:30 pm. Disney Princesses will be on hand between 12-3 pm.

Spearhead Trails Mountain View Trail System - To be announced. Trails will be open; permits required.

On the Park Stage - Great shows & entertainment! All FREE!

Center Stage Cloggers 1 - 2 pm

The King's Messengers 2 - 3 pm

Bluegrass Circle 3 - 4:30 pm

The Magic of Joseph Young 4:30 - 5 pm

Longshot 5 - 7 pm

Ivy Road 7 - 9 pm

"So You Think You Can Dance" Contest 9 - 9:15 pm;

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6 Gun Dance Party 9 - 11 pm

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