

Jackson Apple Festival starts Tuesday

Here is a schedule for the 41st Annual Jackson County Apple Festival being held this week in Jackson.

TUESDAY

6 p.m. — Preview showing; all rides all you can ride for \$4 until 10 p.m.; Art Show open in old Jenkins Building on Main Street.

7-9 — Holberg Hollow, country rock band from the grandstand.

WEDNESDAY

Noon — Official opening of the 1981 Apple Festival; all booths and exhibits open; all rides all you can ride for \$4 until 5 p.m.; midway by Bates Bros. Amusement.

1 — Apple cider and apple butter being made on the midway; Art Show open in old Jenkins Building on Main Street.

2 — Annual School Parade with Jackson High School bands, floats and little queen contestants.

2:45 — Little Queen Contest from the grandstand.

3:30 — Apple Bobbing Contest which is open to grade schoolers; booth and window judging.

5 — Announce booth and window display winners.

5:30 — Gymnastic demonstration by the Ross County

YMCA gymnastic team at the grandstand.

6 — All rides all you can ride for \$4 until 10 p.m.

6:30 — Mandrini the Magician, Fantasy in Flames from the grandstand.

8 — Grand Opening Parade.

9 — Crowning of the 1981 Apple Festival Queen Sharon Dearing and her court, Carla Johnson and Nancy Douthett by Grand Marshal Mrs. Marjorie Sellers.

9:30 p.m. — Mandrini the Magician, Fantasy in Flames from the grandstand.

THURSDAY

Noon-3 p.m. — All kiddie rides open for all the little ones.

1 — All booths and exhibits to be open; apple cider and apple butter being made on the midway; Art Show open in old Jenkins Building on Main Street.

2 — Baby Crawling Contest at the grandstand open to 6 months to 1-year-old babies; prizes will be awarded; apple butter being made on the midway.

2:4 — Open House at the new apartments.

5 — All rides all you can ride for \$4 until 10 p.m.

6 — All Ohio Fox Hunters Bench Show in front of the grandstand.

8-10 — Rock & Roll to the sounds of VIPER from the grandstand.

FRIDAY

10 a.m.-5 p.m. — Quilt and Craft Show in Memorial Auditorium on Broadway, actual quilting demonstration.

2 p.m. — All booths and exhibits to be open; Art Show open on Main Street.

5 — All rides all you can ride for \$4 until 10 p.m.

5:30 — Sky-U.S. Air Force Band to perform from the grandstand.

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9:11 — The feature attraction direct from a Summer U.S.O. Tour, The Flower Co.

SATURDAY

9:30 a.m. — Big Wheel Race in front of the grandstand, open to 4-, 5-, and 6-year-old boys and girls, two classes.

10 a.m.-5 p.m. — Quilt and Craft Show in Memorial Auditorium on Broadway.

10 a.m. — Apple Festival Run (6 miles, starts at Jackson High School parking lot and ends at the Memorial Building, sponsored by Jackson County Y.M.C.A.); 3rd Annual Apple Festival Volleyball Tournament at high school gym.

11 a.m. — Cheerleading competition at the grandstand.

11:30 a.m. — 6th Annual Apple Festival Firemans Water Battles between area fire departments at Kinison School playground on West Broadway.

Noon — Trophy presentation from the six-mile run at the grandstand; Pony Pull at Jackson High School practice field on Haron Street; all rides all you can ride for \$4 until 5 p.m.; all booths and exhibits open; apple butter and apple cider being made on the midway; Art Show open in old Jenkins Building on Main Street; bingo on the midway.

1-4 — Marko the Magic Clown performing on the midway.

2:30 — Sky-U.S. Air Force Band will perform from the grandstand.

4 — Dynamic Mentions Drum Corps. in front of the grandstand.

4:30 — Queens reception at Robbins Restaurant, by invitation only.

5:30 — Sky-U.S. Air Force Band will perform from the grandstand.

6 p.m. — All rides all you can ride for \$4 until closing.

6:30 p.m. — All display apples in front of the grandstand will be sold.

7 — Adelpi Community Band in front of grandstand.

8:30 — Grand Finale Parade — the largest lighted parade in Ohio with queens, band competition and float judging.

10 — Announce all parade winners and present trophies.

11:30 — Festival officially closed for 1981.

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