



Palisade Peach Festival

2011 Schedule of Events

(as of June 29, 2011)

Thursday, August 18, 2011

- **Tours:** Orchards; Vineyards/Wineries; Brewery and Distillery; Alpacas; Bike Tours & Colorado River Float Trips; Limo & Van Tours 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM Palisade Area
- “Old Times Again” Family Festival Games 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM Independence Park
- Ice Cream Social & Street Dance 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM Downtown Palisade

Friday, August 19, 2011

- **Tours:** Orchards; Vineyards/Wineries; Brewery and Distillery; Alpacas; Bike Tours & Colorado River Float Trips; Van Tours 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM Palisade Area
- **Peach Festival @ Riverbend Park** 1:00 PM - 9:00 PM **Riverbend Park**
 - ✓ Over 100 Vendors 1:00 PM - 9:00 PM
 - ✓ Fiber Expo 1:00 PM - 9:00 PM
 - ✓ Carnival: Ferris Wheel, Adult & Children Fun Rides 1:00 PM - 10:00 PM
 - ✓ Peach Cuisine with Colorado Chefs, *Sponsored by Dos Hombres/Clifton* 2:00 PM - 7:00 PM
 - ✓ Live Music/Entertainment *Sponsored by Grand Junction Subaru* 6:00 PM
 - ✓ “Peach Pit Pull”: Local High School Football Teams 6:00 PM
- Live Entertainment, Downtown Palisade 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM Palisade Town Center Plaza
- “Feast in the Fields” (*Reservations Required*) *Sponsored by US Bank* 6:00 PM - 10:00 PM Z’s Orchard

Saturday, August 20, 2011

- Lions Club Pancake Breakfast 7:00 AM - 10:00 AM Palisade Memorial Park
- Recipe Contest Check-in 7:30 AM - 9:00 AM Palisade Memorial Park
- Peach Fest 3 – 5 Mile Run 8:00 AM Taylor Elementary
- “Just 4 Fun” Car Show 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM Peach Bowl Park
- Peach Festival Parade, *Sponsored by Grand Junction Subaru* 9:00 AM Downtown Palisade
- Palisade Library Book Sale 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM Palisade Library
- **Tours:** Orchards; Vineyards/Wineries; Brewery and Distillery; Alpacas; Bike Tours & Colorado River Float Trips; Van Tours 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM Palisade Area
- Live Entertainment, Downtown Palisade 10:00 AM - 9:00 PM Palisade Town Center Plaza
- **Peach Festival @ Riverbend Park** 10:00 AM - 9:00 PM **Riverbend Park**
 - ✓ Over 100 Vendors 10:00 AM - 9:00 PM
 - ✓ Fiber Expo 10:00 AM - 9:00 PM
 - ✓ Carnival: Ferris Wheel, Adult & Children Fun Rides 10:00 AM - 10:00 PM
 - ✓ Peach Cuisine with Colorado Chefs, *Sponsored by Dos Hombres/Clifton* 11:00 AM - 5:00 PM
 - ✓ Live Music/Entertainment *Sponsored by Grand Junction Subaru* 11:00 AM - 9:00 PM
 - ✓ Peach Eating Contest, *Sponsored by American National Bank* 2:00 PM
- Recipe Contest: Announcements of Winners and Sample Sales 11:00 AM - Palisade Memorial Park
- “Feast in the Fields” (*Reservations Required*) *Sponsored by US Bank* 6:00 PM - 10:00 PM High Country Orchards

Sunday, August 21, 2011

- Peach Fest Pedal-Paddle-Pedal 8:00 AM - Finish Riverbend Park
- **Peach Festival @ Riverbend Park** 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM **Riverbend Park**
 - ✓ Fiber Expo 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM
 - ✓ Cowboy Church 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM
 - ✓ Over 100 Vendors 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM
 - ✓ Carnival: Ferris Wheel, Adult & Children Fun rides 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM
 - ✓ Live Music/Entertainment *Sponsored by Grand Junction Subaru* 11:00 AM - 4:00 PM
- Palisade Sunday Farmers Market 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM Downtown Palisade
- **Tours:** Orchards; Vineyards/Wineries; Brewery and Distillery; Alpacas; Bike Tours & Colorado River Float Trips; Van Tours 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM Palisade Area

Major Sponsor



Peach Festival @ Riverbend Park – Admission:

Adults: \$4.00 per day • Children (Ages 6 –12): \$3.00 per day • Ages 5 & Under: Free
Early arrivals receive a FREE PEACH



Agritours: Take a tour of any one of 9 orchards, 11 wineries/vineyards, Suncrest Orchard Alpacas and Sage Creations Organic Lavender farms, Peach Street Distillers and Palisade Brewery. Self-guided Wine Country Tours and guided Colorado River float trips are available through Rapid Creek Cycles & Sports. Take a tour in the comfort of an air-conditioned van or limousine through American Spirit Shuttle, Absolute Prestige Limousine Service and Allen’s Unique Autos & Limousine Service. Look for a schedule of these tours on our website: www.palisadepeachfest.com.

“Feast in the Fields:” A great way to experience the bounties of Palisade’s agriculture. Dinners are served in orchards, combining the art of cuisine with Palisade peaches and produce. Each course is paired with Palisade wines.

Price: \$95 plus tax, per person. *Seating is limited, reservations required.* Contact the Palisade Chamber of Commerce.

Entertainment: The Palisade Peach Festival at Riverbend Park features some of the Grand Valley's finest musicians. This year, adjacent to the entertainment area, enjoy a glass of beer or wine while listening to the best sounds in the Grand Valley.

Downtown Palisade/Historic Walking Tours: Enjoy live entertainment, great restaurants, art galleries and studios, shopping specials, Peach Street Distillers and the Palisade Brewing Company in beautiful downtown Palisade. Pick-up a tour brochure at any downtown business and take a self-guided tour of the magnificent history and architecture of Palisade.

Area Restaurants/Featuring Peach Culinary Cuisine: August 1 – 21st, enjoy peach cuisine at the Grand Valley's finest restaurants. Look for our special Peach Festival Medallion poster, showcasing the restaurant and Palisade peach grower.

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