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September 11-12

Southern Illinois Bluegrass & BBQ at Bryan Park, Salem. For more information call (618) 548-3010 or visit www.salemilchamber.com.

September 11-13

Southern Illinois Antique Power Days at the Marion County Fairgrounds, Salem. For more information call (618) 548-3010 or visit www.salemilchamber.com.

September 11-13 (See Feature)

Cedarhurst Craft Fair at Cedarhurst Center for the Arts, Richview Road. Join the thousands of visitors during this two-day event held each year the first weekend after Labor Day. More than 120 exhibitors from throughout the country show and sell crafts as diverse as feather jewelry, contemporary furniture, quilting, pottery, woodworking, glass, and ceramics. Cedarhurst Craft Fair was named a Top 100 Event in North America by the American Bus Association in 2003. For more information call (618) 242-1236 or visit www.cedarhurst.org.

September 12

Grape Stomp at Genkota Winery, 301 North 44th, 7-11 p.m. For more information call (618) 246-9463.

September 12

Jefferson County Garden Tractor Association Tractor Pull at Wells Bypass Fairgrounds, 4 p.m. For more information call (618) 315-4445.

September 12-13

Jefferson County Historical Village, 1411 North 27th Street, open Saturday 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. and Sunday 1-4 p.m. Authentic log cabins and museum containing Jefferson County memorabilia. Free admission. For more information call (618) 246-0033.



Featured This Week



Cedarhurst Craft Fair

Saturday and Sunday
September 12 and 13, 2009
10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

\$3/adults, free/children 10 and under
Shuttle service: \$2/adults, free/children 10 and under

Preview

Friday, September 11, 2009, 5 to 7:30 p.m.
\$20 members / \$25 non-members

Look for 130 craftsmen to be showcased at this year's Cedarhurst Craft Fair featuring glass, ceramics, jewelry, fiber, wood, basketry and leather, two-dimensional art and much more. An exciting area just for Children will be located behind the Mitchell House and include lots of games and make and take crafts for children to enjoy as well as their very own place to shop, the "Children's Store".

The Shrode Art Center will be spotlighting several talented artists from the area, demonstrating painting, fiber arts, spinning, clay, woodworking and more. Have a seat in the Grand Tent and enjoy entertainment by national and regional bands, tasty treats in the Cedarhurst Beer Garden!

Parking / Bus Service

Space does not allow for parking on the grounds at Cedarhurst however convenient Shuttle Bus service is available from Times Square Mall located on Broadway in Mt. Vernon. Buses run about every 10-15 minutes. Round trip bus fare is \$2/adults, free/children 10 and under.

Events & Entertainment

Regional and national bands will entertain this year's visitors in the Grand Tent with a variety of music.

Children's Area

The Children's Area will be located directly behind the Mitchell House and include lots of games and make-and-take crafts for children to enjoy, entertainment specifically for the Children's Area as well as their very own place to shop, "The Children's Store".

Food

Area civic organizations will serve up tasty treats and beverages from their food booths throughout the weekend such as BBQ sandwiches, homemade ice cream and brats, funnel cakes, nachos and more.

September 7-13, 2009

This Week at Cedarhurst Center for the Arts

August 7 - October 18

Southern Illinois Artists Open Competition and Exhibition

August 7 - October 18

20th Annual Gathering of Quilts

August 7 - October 18

Snuggle and Snooze: Quilts for Children

September 11-13 (See Feature)

Cedarhurst Craft Fair

Hours:

Tuesday-Saturday, 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 1-5 p.m.

2600 Richview Road
Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
(618) 242-1236
www.cedarhurst.org

This Week at Showplace 8

The Final Destination, R

4:50, 7:40

G.I. Joe: Rise of Cobra, PG13

4:00, 7:30

Gamer, R

4:40, 7:10

Halloween II, R

4:10, 7:00

Inglourious Basterds, R

4:30, 7:50

Julie & Julia, PG13

3:50, 6:50

Shorts, PG

3:40, 6:40

Time Traveler's Wife, PG13

4:20, 7:20

www.kerasotes.com

1-800-FANDANGO

All times listed are p.m.

**Please double check movie times as they are subject to change.

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