

## **Minutes of Events Committee Fall Festival Planning Meeting, Sept 2, 2025 8:35 AM**

In the Chair: Gary Bikman; attendees, Karma & Sandra

Approve Agenda: Karma

Additions: a long list

Approve Minutes of Sept 25, 2025: Sandra

### **Karma – plans - Stirling Fall Festival – Saturday, September 13, 2025 (3pm - 7pm)**

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This is the proposal as of Tuesday, Sept. 02. So, it could change a bit

#### **Squash the Competition** (3pm - 7pm)

- Bring your Largest, Strangest Vegetables & Best Jam/Jelly

#### **Mini Market – must be Hand Made** (3pm - 7pm)

- Jam, Jelly, Apple Cider, Pickles, Baked Goods, Crafts, Artwork, Jewelry, Home Decor

#### **Wagon Rides** (3pm - 7pm)

#### **Galt Historical Railway Park Display** (3pm – 7pm)

#### **Activities for Everyone**

- Carnival Games (3pm – 6pm)
- Fry Bread (3pm – 4:00pm)
- Bingo (4:30pm-5:30pm)
- Wrestling, Football & Softball Throws (5pm – 6pm)
- Pie Eating Competition (6:30pm)

#### **Specially for Kids**

- Bouncy Castles (3pm – 7pm)
- Races - Foot, Wheelbarrow, Sack, 3 Legged, Stilts (3pm – 4pm)

#### **Specially for Teens**

- Cage Ball Games (4pm – 5pm)

#### **Pulled Pork Dinner & Corn on the Cob** – 1<sup>st</sup> Ward (6pm)

Adjournment: 10 AM

Next meeting: as needed

## Stirling Fall Festival – Saturday, September 13, 2025 (3pm - 7pm)

Event	Description of Event	Proposed Time	People or Person in Charge	Materials Needed	Set up Requirements <b>Karma Map for Shane &amp; crew</b>
Squash the Competition	Bring your Largest, Strangest Vegetables & Best Jam/Jelly	3pm-6pm	Marie Vansamang & Tammy Vansamang	Trophies – <b>Gary will tell Brennan “same as last year”</b>	2 or 3 Tables, 2 chairs Set up on East side of the Garage
Mini Market – must be hand made	Jam, Jelly, Pickles, Apple Cider, Baked Goods, Home Décor, Crafts, Art Work, Jewelry	3pm-7pm	Brittany Jacober	People sign up at the office	Tent, small Table, 2 chairs
Wagon Rides	Tour Historic Stirling	3pm-7pm	Phill & Marilyn Still		Tent where the Wagon Rides start & end <b>NW blvd</b>
Galt Historical Railway Park	Display	3pm-7pm	Terry & Carolyn Gaebel	They will set up a display & talk with people	Tent, Table, 4 chairs
Activities for Everyone	Carnival Games <b>Karm’s volunteers</b>	3pm-6pm	Sandra Nelson games from Magrath Stake	Will go to Magrath to pick up 10 games	Help setting up the 10 Games, a chair by each game, so 10 chairs
	Fry Bread – <b>Karma will find a 2-burner stove top (Duane S)</b>	3pm-4:00pm	Jim & Wanda Miles	They will purchase supplies	Tent – 1 table, 2 chairs
	Bingo	4:30pm-5:30pm	Jenna Smith	Chocolate Bars for winners	The Tables will already be set up
	Wrestling Games Football & Softball Throws	5pm-6pm	Drew Walters & Wrestlers	Bucket of Candy / Candy Bags for all participants	
	Pie Eating Competition	6:30pm	Jenna Smith	Trophy... <b>or \$20 cash prize?</b> (if trophy, gary - brennan)	4 Long Tables & a chair for each competitor
Specially for Kids	Bouncy Castles	3pm-7pm	Volunteers		2 chairs per Castle
	Races – Foot, Sack, Wheelbarrow, 3 Legged, Stilts	3pm-4pm	Karma McC	a bag of Candy for each participant	Tent – at starting point - East of the Hill
Specially for Teens	Cage Ball Games (Karma has the Cage Ball)	4pm-5pm	Shannon & Mark Bruce	a bag of Candy for each participant	Tent on the grassy area – between the 2 ball diamonds
Dinner	Pulled Pork Dinner, Corn on the Cob, Cole Slaw  Is there Dessert??	6pm	Lana Sillito – 1 <sup>st</sup> Ward	Sandra is working with Lana	Table Money by kitchen door, 4 long tables (those tables can be used for pie eating contest)

Double Burner **Sources: Duane S. bishopric 2<sup>nd</sup> counselors – ward camp supplies**

Purchase Name Tags for all volunteers - **Sandra**

**Karma will source Candy (Halloween stuff?) to make Candy Bags for**

- Wrestling, Football & Softball Throws
- Kids Races
- Teens Cage Ball Activities

Chocolate Bars

- Bingo Winners

Fry Bread – Jim & Wanda Miles

- Smaller plates, Napkins
- Wanda & Jim will buy the supplies they need and then we will pay them back

Pulled Pork Dinner – Lana Sillito – 1<sup>st</sup> Ward, Sandra Nelson

- Pulled Pork – purchased & cooked at the Raymond Merc
- Corn on the Cobb – Johnson Farms – 30 dozen have been ordered
- Buns – Village Bakery
- Cole Slaw & Dressing, BQ Sauce, Butter, Water Bottles, Plates, Cutlery, Napkins

Pie Eating Competition – Jenna Smith

- 4 Long Tables set up in front of reunion centre opening, so the diners can watch the competition.  
We can move up the 4 Tables that had the food on for Dinner.
- **IF** People sign up at **Park...** we will know how many chairs to set up
- Jenna will order & purchase **20 small (10") pies (Karma will check with Neil Wickwire on cost/availability)**
  - **The winner is the pie eater who finishes first**

Volunteers thus far

- Sharon Myers - 1<sup>st</sup> Ward YW President wants her girls to engage in service projects, so she will ask them to get involved in volunteering
- Elaine Berthiaume
- Tracy Herget
- Brent Herget
- Bonnie Soltys
- Cindy Sykes
- Face Painting by Teens – part of the Carnival Games
- Ainsley Nelson and Jemma Barr – volunteered last year

**MC, music, sound system, - Karma will ask Steve Evanson to MC; let Shane know about need for PA system**

**Decorations on both sides of Reunion Center main doors – bales, stalks, pumpkins, etc – Sandra**

**Posters & notices: Karma will (send a card or) Aletta re content and locations: PO, Seniors, Library, School, N & S doors at Church, Pop Shop at Pool, Facebook, village website, electric sign at office...etc**