



SELINGSGROVE PROJECTS INC.

BUSINESS BEAT

SELINGSGROVE'S 40TH ANNUAL MARKET STREET FESTIVAL PLANNED FOR SEPTEMBER 22

The Selinsgrove Projects, Inc. committee working on Selinsgrove's 40th Annual Selinsgrove Market Street Festival promises that this year's event will be a combination of familiar faces with some fresh twists.

The annual Market Street Festival is a much-anticipated and loved event in Selinsgrove. Each fall, as the weather turns crisp and breezy, record crowds turn up to stroll Market Street to check out the businesses, enjoy the many artisans, crafters and games, to listen to the music, to ride a pony or pet the animals, and of course, to sample delicious and diverse food. 10,000+ people attend this event each year!


Entertainment for the day includes the Selinsgrove Area High School Marching Band to kick off the festival, Selinsgrove Dance Studio, Burns Tae Kwan Do, Larry Smith, Timothy Burns and Pete's Consequence. Vendor applications are already arriving daily. "I've taken some time to recruit vendors from some of our area's other festivals in Lewisburg, Northumberland and Danville", says Joyce Hendricks, Chair of this year's event, "so expect to see some new and different stands along Market Street. I have even invited some from Wilkes-Barre. To date we have 125 vendors signed up." The 6th Annual Snader Strong 5K, organized by Selinsgrove Area High School girls track coach Jeff Kiss, will be held once again. That particular part of the event keeps growing every year." Crafters, civic groups, food and games will line Market Street on Saturday, September 22 from 8:30 am-4 pm. Vendor applications may be found at <http://selinsgrove.net/selinsgrove-market-street-festival/>.

Questions may be directed to Lindsay Trick via email at selinsgrovemsm@gmail.com, or via phone at 570-541-9117.



DOWNTOWN NEWS

- ◆ First National Bank welcomes new branch manager, Douglas Hagerman.
- ◆ The Gabe Stillman Band will finish up the Rudy Gelnett Summer Music Series in the Commons on August 23 at 6:30 pm.
- ◆ **Volunteers are always needed!** Interested individuals contact Lindsay Trick at 570-541-9117 or via email at selinsgrovemsm@gmail.com

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SU PROFESSOR INTERVIEWS SELINGGROVE BUSINESSES

As part of DCED's new "Engage" business retention and expansion program, with hopes of bringing more educational and financial resources to our area for small businesses, Dr. Emma Fleck, Associate Professor of Management and Director of the Center for Economics, Business & Entrepreneurship Education at Susquehanna University, working in cooperation with SPI, conducted interviews with small business owners during the months of June and July.

We thank the following businesses who participated in this important undertaking.

Beverly's Interior Design
Friedman Electric
Grayston Enterprises
Isle of Que Brewing
Keller's Beer
Marine Technology Solutions
Rine's Florist
Sire Advertising
Steininger's Laundry & Dry Cleaning
The Country Squire
Uniquely Sakura



Want to know what SPI does for the Selingsgrove's downtown?

Do you have concerns or questions? Stop by the Kind Café the second Monday of each month from 7:30-9:00 am and meet with a representative from SPI. Your input is welcome!

SELINGGROVE FARMERS' MARKET UPCOMING EVENTS

August 11-Farmers' Market Week

August 25- Tomato Fest

October 27- Kids Day

November 17- Thanksgiving Holiday Market

December 8- Christmas Holiday Market

The Selingsgrove Farmers' Market is open every Saturday from 9am-1pm in the Commons, on the corner of Market Street and Pine Street.



Recently SPI won a free medium display case from the Susquehanna River Valley Visitor's Bureau (SRVVB). The display will be up for the next six months. Stop by the visitor's bureau and take a look at the displays from other valley businesses!

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