

Tivoli Fest 2016

Friday-Sunday, May 27, 28 & 29

The 2016 Tivoli Fest Royalty

The King and Queen for Tivoli Fest 2016 are Merlyn and Jeanette Knudsen, both lifelong supporters of Elk Horn. The King and Queen were elected by the community and crowned at the annual Better Elk Horn Club spring banquet on April 18, 2016.

Both have served and supported the community and neighbors for many years.

Representing Tivoli Fest as the 2016 Prince and Princess this year are Prince Jakob Morris (Travis and Teresa Burnison, Elk Horn), age 8, and Princess Lillian Niklasen (Dain and LaJissa Niklasen, Kimballton), age 5. They were crowned at the Museum of Danish America on April 14.

Tivoli Fest 2016 Theme is "Generations of Love"

For over 100 years the Danish Villages have been a great place to live, work and raise our families. It is apparent that there are "Generations of Love" that have existed and still exist today.

We are thankful for our heritage and for the sacrifices made by the Danish immigrants who settled this area. They built a community that maintained Old World traditions while pursing American dreams.

The Tivoli Fest Committee's goal is to honor the community's Danish heritage throughout the generations by celebrating at our annual Tivoli Fest. We invite you to come visit us Memorial Day weekend and feel the heritage of love.

Did you know that Tivoli spelled backwards is I lov it?

Elk Horn, Iowa PARADE

SATURDAY
Beginning at
11 am



Sat., May 28 • 7 pm
Danish Windmill Stage

Come have a "blast" before the fireworks as the Danes re-make the popular game show! Hosted by our very own Wayne Eubanks.
Featuring newlyweds and not-so-newly weds.





Savor authentic Danish cuisine





It's a fun-filled Danish American Festival . .

Tivoli Fest Opening Ceremonies will be held at the Danish Windmill at 8 a.m. on Saturday, May 28. With the help of the local Color Guard, the Tivoli King and Queen will raise the Danish and American flags to the strains of the U.S. and Danish national anthems. Mayor Stan Jens, and the Tivoli chairperson Dustin Petersen, will conduct the ceremonies.

The Mill to Mermaid Fun Run/Walk The 5K run will end in Kimballton at the Little Mermaid fountain. T-shirts will be given to the winners in each age division. Juice and M & M's will also be available for all participants. All ages are welcome, so come and join in the fun whether you are walking, running or pushing a stroller! Registration is from 7:30 - 8 a.m. at the former Danish Inn. The fee is \$5.00 per person for ages 12 and older. Call Tom Cannon at (712) 764-5306 with questions.

The Mill Entertainment Stage beckons you to bring your lawn chair and enjoy folk dancing, songs, and music - all with a Danish flair. In case of rain, all events will be moved to the Elk Horn Fire Station. Listen to 1220 KJAN radio station.

The Tivoli Fest Fireworks Spectacular can be seen from the Windmill grounds. Fireworks have been a part of the Tivoli Gardens in Copenhagen, Denmark, for over 150 years. The only exception was during WWII. Elk Horn is excited to carry on this tradition with their annual fireworks extravaganza by the Waymire Brothers. The aerial display will begin on Saturday night after dark on the southeast side of the Tivoli Inn & Suites Motel. The public is invited to sit on the grass south of the motel or on the Windmill grounds. Major funding for the fireworks display is provided by local businesses and generous donations from the public. Mange Tak! Look for free-will donation canisters around town during Tivoli Fest if you would like to make a contribution.

The Danish Strøget (Walking Street) has that "perfect something" you're searching for! Stroll down the Danish Strøget with quaint shops and unique items. Stop in the shops and enjoy the charm and hospitality as the proprietors share their wares and heritage with you. Shop the open-air market on Saturday from 10 a.m.-4 p.m., north of the former Danish Inn and behind the Egg Krate. Some will also be open Sunday in front of the Egg Krate. Locate the Tivoli Country Store and select homemade goodies to take with you. Take a stroll up Main Street to visit other businesses and food vendors.

FRIDAY, May 27, 2016 - Elk Horn Fire Station Schedule Subject to Change



ELK HORN FIRE STATION • 3 P.M.-10 P.M. lowa Craft Beer Tent

Experience Iowa, Denmark and domestic beers



Diego Garcia Reunion Band • 7 p.m.-10 p.m.
(Free will donation at gate)
Bachelor and Bachelorette games and fun auction

DANISH HOT DOGS



Sold by the Tivoli Committee **7 p.m.** until supplies gone

Saturday, May 28, 2016

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THE DANISH WINDMILL	STRØGET - DANISH WALKING STREET	
Hours 8 a.m7 p.m.	Open-Air Vendor/Flea Market and Crafts 10 a.m4	-
Tour the historic 1848 Danish Windmill celebrating 40 years in America. This majestic mill was built in 1848 in Nørre Snede, Denmark, and brought to America in 1975. It was rebuilt	Food Vendor Stands 9 a.m4 µ	
in Elk Horn by community volunteers to honor the area's strong Danish heritage. Be sure to visit the VikingHjem, Morning Star Chapel and now the Ebeltoft Village.	Tivoli Country Store, Main Street (Bake Sale) 9 a.m2 p Retail Shops & Boutiques (closed during parade) 9 a.m5 p	
Opening Ceremonies 8 a.m.	TIVOLI PARADE	
The opening ceremonies will be held at the Danish Windmill. With the help of the Local	Theme: Generations of Love (See Map)	
Color Guard, the Tivoli King and Queen will raise the Danish and American flags. The national anthems of both the United States and Denmark will be performed. Mayor Stan Jens and Tivoli Chairperson, Dustin Petersen will conduct the ceremonies.	Floats, Bands, Vintage Cars and Tractors, Horses, Hans Christian Andersen, and More Surprises. Fly Over-Sponsored by Olie Pash and Friends before parade. The ary Grand Marshals are Bob and Mabel Madsen the longest married couple in Elk	Honor-
M & M Fun Run (5K Mill to Mermaid)	ELK HORN FIRE STATION	
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VIKING ENCAMPMENT	Ron Johnson	1
Viking Encampment ongoing throughout the day on the Viking Grounds and at the VikingHjem.	Live Band, "Usual Suspects" 9 p.mMi	idniah
MILL ENTERTAINMENT STAGE	Featuring Elk Horn native Darla Hansen (Free will donation at gate). Sponsored by Horn Fire and Rescue	the Elk
Bring your lawn chair and enjoy folk dancing, songs, and music - all with a Danish and Scandinavian accent. In case of rain, all events will be moved to the Fire Station. Listen to	ELK HORN TOWN HALL-DANISH SANDWICH	
1220AM/ 101.1 FM KJAN radio station.	Danish Open-Faced Sandwiches & Desserts Noon-4 p	.m.
Danish Villages Folk Dancers	Ron Johnson, Accordionist of Scandinavian Melodies Noon	
Omaha's Scandinavian Folk Dancers 2 p.m.	Photos of past Tivoli Fest Kings & Queens and Generations Wedding p	
Viking Enactment Demonstration and Rope Making 3 p.m.	ELK HORN LIBRARY-CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIE	
Omaha's Scandinavian Folk Dancers 4 p.m.	LEGO® Contest Exhibit	3 p.m.
Exira- Elk Horn- Kimballton FFA Alumni BBQ 5 p.m8 p.m. on the lawn, bring your lawn chairs	A Photo Booth, Children's Crafts	3 p.m.
Ron Johnson, Singer & Accordionist 5 p.m.	The LEGO® Movie will be showing and the Elk Horn History Exhibit will be o	n dienlav
Newlywed Game		ii dispiay
with our very own Wayne Eubanks Parade Winners Announced	FUTURE FITNESS CENTER BUILDING (Tours Available)	
MUSEUM OF DANISH AMERICA	Children's Bounce House	n.
Free Admission 9 a.m5 p.m.	Small fee- sponsored by the Fitness Center committee, proceeds for New Fitness (Center
The Museum of Danish America celebrates Danish roots and American dreams While visiting the museum, be sure to visit the Jens Jensen Prairie Landscape Park-30	ELK HORN CITY PARK	
acres of prairie, picnic areas, authentic homesteader's cabin, walking trail, outdoor fitness	Volleyball Tournament 1 p.m. Firemen Competitions Registration 1 p.m.	
equipment and green roof. Interpretive signage is placed throughout the park to enhance	Firemen Competitions- Fire Department's Water Bowling 2 p.m.	
your visit.	Men and Women Tivoli Water Bowling: 3rd Annual Elk Horn Fire Dept. Water Bowling	ing at the
Curator led tours of artifact storage	City Park. Registration begins at 1 p.m. Water Bowling starts at 2 p.m. Men's and	women'
beginning Saturday morning-SPACE IS LIMITED Featured Exhibits:	water bowling with 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place trophies for the winners. \$5 fee per Fire ment teams to enter. Pre-registration and questions to Nathan Paulsen: 712.249 fourpawranch@hotmail.com.	
Sport for Sports' Sake: Athletes and Ethnicity in Danish America: Historic and present-day	TIVOLI FIREWORKS SPECTACULAR	
exhibit of Danish-American sport from basketball to tug-of-war.		l.
Art by Gert Mathiesen Bold: contemporary painting and printmaking by a Danish American. Photographs for National Geographic (1990-2002): by Danish photographer Sisse Brimberg.	The Waymire Brothers Fireworks display After Dark Sponsored by local merchants (Donations to Fireworks Fund Appreciated)	1
Crafters	KIMBALLTON: OUR SISTER DANISH	
Watch live demonstrations of rare Danish needlework and interact with talented artisans.	VILLAGE TO THE NORTH	
LEGO All Star 1 p.m4 p.m.	Be sure to see the Hans Christian Andersen's Little Mermaid & Sculpture Garden,	and the
Sixth-grade All Star Ryan Ray of Blair, NE will demonstrate his skills and help builders in the play area.	Freedom Rock	
Children's "Ringridning" Bicycle Competition	COOKBOOKS & HISTORY BOOKS	
Ages 4-12 on the east lawn of the museum. Extra bikes and helmets will be available. Prizes awarded.	FOR SALE AT INFO BOOTH & SOME RETAIL LOCATION	S
Free Registration	Information & Dublic Engilities	
	Information & Public Facilities	
BEDSTEMOR'S HOUSE Hours 10 a.m4 p.m.	If you need more information about "where" or "when" once you arrive in Elk Horn for Fest, stop by the INFORMATION BOOTH near the fire station.	r Tivoli
Free tour of a circa 1908 Danish Grandmother's House	A SHUTTLE SERVICE NOON-5 PM to the Museum of Danish America on Saturday	
THE GENEALOGY CENTER ON MAIN STREET	available. The shuttle stops at Bedstemor's House, Fire Station and the Danish Wind	
"My Favorite Dane" 9 a.m5 p.m.	PUBLIC RESTROOMS are located at the Elk Horn Town Hall, the Fire Station and in City Park. There are also port-a-pots located around town.	n the
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DANISH WINDMILL

Danish Gifts, Food & Collectibles

Tivoli Sales!

Tour the authentic 1848 Danish Windmill 712-764-7472

MUSEUM OF DANISH AMERICA Saturday 9 a.m.-5 p.m. and Sunday Noon-5 p.m. FREE ADMISSION!

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GENEALOGY CENTER Saturday 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Free Admission!

"My Favorite Dane" Photo Display. 4210 Main Street

Sunday, May 29, 2016

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I DE DANISH WINDWILL			
Hours	. 10 a.m5 p.m.		
Tour de Tivoli Bike Ride Registration	. 8 a.m.		
Tour de Tivoli 26 mile Bike Ride official start	. 9 a.m.		
Dwight Lamb and Bill Peterson in concert	. 11:45 a.m.		
Mass Vow Renewal Ceremony	. 12 p.m1 p.m.		
At the 1952 Morning Star Chapel.	•		

VIKING ENCAMPMENT AND VIKINGHJEM

Viking Encampment and Viking Market ongoing throughout the day on the Viking Grounds

ELK HORN HIGH SCHOOL (EXIRA EH-K) WEST DOOR

Community Church Service 10:30 a.m.

Local EH-K churches Special music by the Whitney Street Worship

STRØGET - DANISH WALKING STREET

Retail Shops & Boutiques...... 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Food Vendor Stands 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

ELK HORN CITY PARK

Antique Tractor Drive (Charles Larsen Memorial)........ 9 a.m. Line-up at Salem Street

MUSEUM OF DANISH AMERICA

Free Admission...... 12 Noon-5 p.m. Featured Exhibits:

Sport for Sports' Sake: Athletes and Ethnicity in Danish America: Historic and present-day exhibit of Danish-American sport from basketball to tug-of-war.

Art by Gert Mathiesen Bold: contemporary painting and printmaking by a Danish American. Photographs for National Geographic (1990-2002): by Danish photographer Sisse Brimberg. Bedstemor's House...... 1-4 p.m. Free tour of a circa 1908 Danish Grandmother's House

ELK HORN FIRE STATION

Æbleskiver & Medisterpølse	8 a.m1 p.m.
Iowa Craft Beer Tent	9 a.m2 p.m.
Experience Iowa, Denmark, and domestic beers	•
Dwight Lamb and Bill Peterson in concert	9 a.m.
Ron Johnson, Accordionist	10 a.m.
Dwight Lamb and Bill Peterson in concert	11 a.m.
Danish Villages Danish Adult Folk Dancers	Noon
Danish Kransekage Wedding Cake	
Competition – following Ceremony completion at the	Windmill

Samples and punch reception

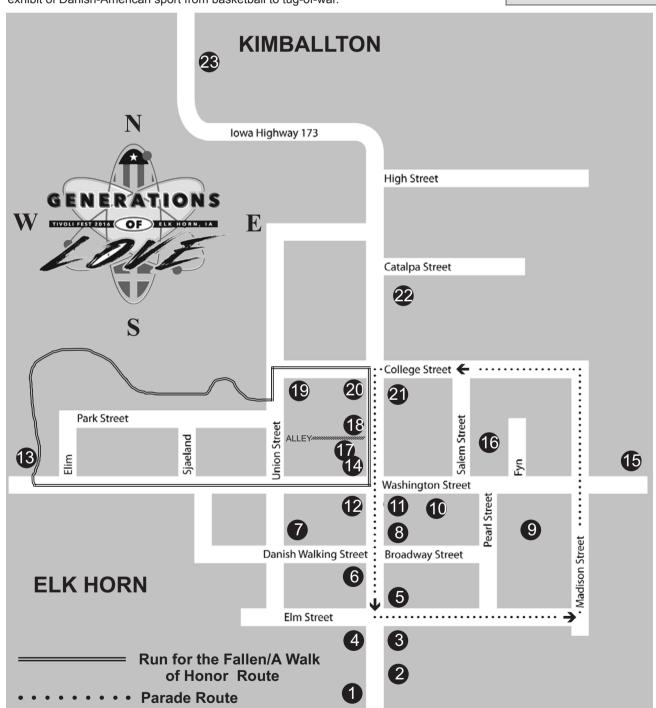
VETERANS MEMORIAL PARK, MAIN STREET, ELK HORN

Street to the Museum of Danish America. While walking the trail, you can view placards containing pictures of local veterans and their military biographies.

KIMBALLTON: OUR SISTER DANISH **VILLAGE TO THE NORTH**

Be sure to see the Hans Christian Andersen's Little Mermaid & Sculpture Garden, and the Freedom Rock

Portable Picnic Tables donated by RIT Motors - Russ Lange, Atlantic



- Village Cafe & Village Station 1.
- Viking Encampment
- Shelby County State Bank ATM
- Danish Windmill & Mill Stage VikingHjem
- Coffeegirl and Daisy Girl Bath & Body
- **Food Vendors**
- The Egg Krate Mall 7.
- Fire Station Æbleskiver/Medisterpølse & Information Booth
- EH-K School (Parade line up, church service)
- 10. Elk Horn Public Library-Children Events
- 11. Future Fitness Center Building

- 12. Elk Horn Veterans Memorial Site
- 13. Museum of Danish America
- 14. Genealogy Center
- 15. Danish Countryside Vines & Wines
- 16. Elk Horn City Park
- 17. Town Hall Open Faced Sandwiches
- 18. Wayne Hansen Real Estate
- 19. Bedstemor's House
- 20. The Flour Mill
- 21. Salem Lutheran Homes
- 22. Elk Horn Lutheran Church
- 23. Hans Christian Andersen's Little

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Main Street. Elk Horn



IOWA CRAFT BEER TENT

Friday, Saturday and Sunday -

The Tivoli Fest Committee along with the Elk Horn Fire Department is happy to announce the return of the lowa Craft Beer Tent to Tivoli Fest 2016. The lowa Craft Beer Tent represents the new growing phenomena of beers made in lowa. They will be featuring lowa Craft Beers, Carlsberg along with a few domestic beers located at the new Elk Horn Fire Station.

Children's Bounce House SATURDAY 1-6

Schedule Subject to Change



THE MUSEUM OF DANISH AMERICA RINGRIDNING!

Ringridning is a Danish tradition that has been adapted from adults riding horses to children riding decorated bikes. Last year's hit bicycle competition for ages 4-12 will be reprised this year on the lawn just east of the museum. 2 p.m. registration and 2:30 p.m. start time. Bring your own bike (decorated, of course!) and a helmet. There are two age categories: 4-7 years and 8-12 years Prizes awarded. Extra bikes and helmets available. *The event is free and fun for the entire family!*

VIKINGS INVADE TIVOLI FEST!

Skjaldborg (Viking Living History) will be in Elk Horn, Iowa. This group shares a common love of educating and entertaining. Their greatest satisfaction in doing this is the wonder and thrill in the eyes of the kids that see them. Skjaldborg is less of a "reenactment" group, and more of a historical education group, who tries to shed some light on the Dark Ages

It is important to Skjaldborg that historical accuracy be followed whenever possible. They strive to present the facts about a greatly misunderstood people through their appearances. The Vikings do hope to be entertaining as well as educational. To do this, they show how the weapons and armor were used in the often-brutal world of the Vikings. Full speed, non-choreographed combat with real (just not sharp) authentic replica weapons of all kinds.

Few people know as much about the diverse Norsemen as they think. Along with their spoken demos and the steel combat, they also sport an accurate Viking camp complete with tents, cook pots and wares, furs, and other details.



DIEGO GARCIA REUNION BAND, FRI., MAY 27, 7-10 pm

Diego Garcia originally formed in 1997 & consisted of Mark Christensen, Polk City; Kevin Larsen, Carroll; Bill Daeges & Chris Will, both of Harlan. Mark & Kevin were 1973 graduates of Elk Horn-Kimballton High School. The band played approximately 150 shows from 1997 through 2006. Some of the highlights of those shows included 5 A.B.A.T.E. Motorcycle Rallies in Humboldt & Algona, where the band took the stage immediately following some big name bands such as the Nitty Gritty Dirt Band & Mark Farner, co-founder of Grand Funk Railroad. The band also did several RAGBRAI shows, 2 shows at Lake Robbins Ballroom, and appeared throughout lowa. After 2006, the band played a few shows with a couple new members, then disbanded. In 2015, the band decided to get back together again with the original 4 members. They are very much looking forward to playing at Tivoli Fest again.



TIVOLI BUTTONS JUST \$3 EA.

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DWIGHT LAMB & BILL PETERSEN

Dwight plays traditional Danish tunes on his vintage G accordion.

Gates sponsored by Cappels ACE Hardware



LIVE BAND, "USUAL SUSPECTS" SAT. MAY 28, 9- PM - MIDNIGHT featuring Elk Horn Resident, Darla Hansen

"Usual Suspects" combines musical talent from the area. All of the members have been in bands for many years. Elk Horn resident Darla Hansen, and Dave Brammann, Bill Daeges, Doug Hammer and Chris Will from Harlan will be playing a variety of classic rock, country and pop for you to enjoy. Whether you are a dancer or a listener, there is something for everyone! 9 p.m.-Midnight, Saturday, May 28 at the Elk Horn Fire Station.

8TH TOUR DE TIVOLI BIKE RIDE-26 MILE RIDE

The Danish Windmill will be hosting the 8th annual Tour de Tivoli Bike Ride on Sunday May 29 during Tivoli Fest. Registration for this 26 mile bike ride will be at the Mill at 8 am and the official start is at 9 am. Once again, you will enjoy our beautiful countryside and challenging, rolling hills. As you may know, RAGBRAI's 2013 Century Loop was the exact route we have had all 7 years! Registration will begin at 8 a.m. at the Danish Windmill grounds, 4038 Main Street, Elk Horn. Plenty of parking and restrooms are available inside the Windmill. After you register and before the ride begins, you can enjoy an Æbleskiver breakfast at the Elk Horn Fire Station by using your Free Meal Voucher or take a tour or shop at the Windmill. DON'T FORGET TO USE YOUR WINDMILL COUPON! The Tour will end back in Elk Horn where you can continue to enjoy Tivoli Fest activities. The \$35.00 Registration Fee includes a T-shirt, Refreshments, Æbleskiver Meal, and Tivoli Fest Entertainment. (A \$20 Registration Fee includes everything mentioned above, except the t-shirt).

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