

# FREEDOM FESTIVAL CELEBRATION

## Saturday July 4th 2009

### at the Richland County Fairgrounds

#### Flag Raising Ceremony

Starting off the festival will be a flag raising ceremony at 12 noon, organized by Frank Russo.

#### Complimentary Lunch

Enjoy a complimentary picnic lunch presented by The Honorable Mayor Don Culliver, and served by the Fair Women's Auxiliary. Beginning at 12:30 pm in the Fairhaven Hall. Get your Free Meal Tickets at entrance gates on Lantz Rd. and Home Rd. starting at 10:00 am while supplies last!



## Freedom Festival Car, Bike & Truck Show

Registration: 10 am - 1 pm  
Show Hours: 12 pm - 4 pm  
Awards: 3:30 pm  
No Registration Fee  
Dash Plaques to 1st 100 entries  
All years and models welcome.

Door Prizes  
Trophies to Top 20  
Rock & Roll Oldies  
Trivia  
50 / 50 Drawing

All proceeds benefit the United Way of Richland County  
Donations are always appreciated.

#### Horse Shows and Calliope Music

Two Great Horse Shows! Amazing Performances by Belgian Horses starting at 12:30 pm. Free Rides on Belgian Horse Drawn Wagons. Organized by Dean Wells. Also Bea Friend will tour the grounds with her Calliope Music.

#### FREE RGTB Service!

The Richland County Transit Board (RCTB) is providing FREE service between downtown and the fairgrounds. Riders may climb aboard for a ride to the event as the bus will make continuous loop service from 12:00 pm to 4:30 pm. Call United Way for stop locations and times. 419-525-2816.

#### Fun, Food, & Games

Family fun, food, and games have been arranged for everyone to celebrate Saturday July 4th, 2009 at the Richland County Fairgrounds. Food vendors will have all your favorites. A beer garden for adults will be managed by the Fair. The day long festival is being held by the city of Mansfield in conjunction with the Richland County Agricultural Society. Entrance and parking is FREE!

#### Schedule of Events

10:00 am - 1:00 pm	Car, Bike & Truck Registration
12:00 am - 4:00 pm	Car, Bike & Truck Show
12:00 pm	Flag Raising Ceremony
12:30 pm	Complimentary Lunch
12:30 pm	Touring Calliope Music
12:30 pm	Horse Show
3:30 pm	Car, Bike & Truck Awards
6:00 pm	"Strut Your Stuff" Richland Academy
7:00 pm	Theatrical Offerings by Mansfield Playhouse
8:00 pm	Drawings
9:00 pm	Karaoke

## FREE CARNIVAL RIDES FOR KIDS!

## KARAOKE!

### "Strut Your Stuff"

Fairhaven Hall will host "Strut Your Stuff", of the Richland Academy of the Arts and theatrical offerings from the Mansfield Playhouse. Karaoke is also planned to round out the event.

## FREE ADMISSION!

## FREE PARKING!

Co-chairmen of the event are Frank Russo and Sarah Davis for the City of Mansfield, as well as, Dean Wells, representing the Agricultural Society.

The committee regrets that, due to the economic climate in Richland County, fireworks will not be displayed this year. However, any monetary donations to underwrite this family event would be appreciated. Call Frank 419-610-1374, if you are able to contribute or volunteer to help.