

School Days Schedule

7am to 3pm

(check back since the schedule will be updated)

BLACKSMITH COMPETITION

- 7am-1pm Blacksmiths hammering out "18th Century Gate Hinges"
- 7am-1:30pm Make sure to cast your VOTE for your Favorite Blacksmith by donating to their Individual DONATION CAN! This will determine the OVERALL CHAMPION of the competition as the "People's Choice!"

DUTCH OVEN LUNCH DRAWING 7am-10am Must be present to win

TOWN TOURS with "johnny popper" tractor 9:30am, 11am & 1pm

SPECIAL ACTIVITIES various times throughout the day

- 9am-noon Reflector Oven
 - Yummy! Making Strawberry Shortcakes for the Pie Social
- 9:30am & 1pm Story Time in the Library
 - Come sit and let your Imagination wonder as the stories wash over you!
- 1pm/TBA Garden Cloches
 - Cutting glass to make "clothing" for plants when it is still too cold to go without
- TBA
 - Stilt-making using pegs and a brace—only ten to be made
 - Wax sealing letters to veterans—draw a picture, write a letter and seal it the old-time way
 - Rope making
 - Knot tying—tie special knots using the rope you just made
 - Roping Blaze—learn to rope a dummy
 - Horseshoeing
 - Medicinal Fire Cider (see auction items)
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MAIN EVENT ACTIVITIES 9am-2pm

- Pie Social Room
 - Grab yourself something SWEET, then sit down to enjoy some great conversations!
- Country Store
 - Ticket Sales: Lunch, Pie, Drinks, and Ice Cream
 - Plus, arts and crafts, games, local author books and special Flora School items for sale
- Book Sale
 - Find something you haven't read, or a gift for someone else!
 - Or buy an AUTHOR BOX—a box of books by the same author
 - Or buy a MYSTERY BOX—nope even we don't know what is in it!
- Music
 - Listen to old time music
- "What is it?"
 - Cast your guess at the wonder before you and have the opportunity to win!
 - NO CELL PHONE USE ALLOWED!
- "Make an Offer" trailer loaded with goodies
 - Some of the goodies (subject to change)—pizza stone, tomahawk, gateleg table, folding ironing board, garden cloche, Fiesta ware dishes, quilt... and more... this list will grow as we get closer!
 - See something you like? MAKE AN OFFER and take it home!
- Old Time Car Show
- Old Time Tractor Show

DEMONSTRATIONS 9am-2pm

- Dutch Ovens
 - Watch our cooks make the lunch meal right before your eyes
 - 17 Dutch ovens in use
- Sewing
 - Drop in and see the many different types of machines and techniques being used—treadle, crank, modern (nowadays machines, long arm quilter), hand sewing
 - Bean bags—make one using an old-time machine, then go throw it through the clown's mouth
- Blacksmith "Come Make a Hook"
 - Don't be shy! Tom won't bite... too hard. Make something to remember us by!
- Branding
 - Red hot irons just waiting to be touched to wood or Tandy leather!
- Wood Cookstove
 - Just like your Triple-Great Grandparents used! Or the Nana that is using it now!
 - Watch spoon bread being made for your Dutch oven lunch
 - An upside-down apple pie will be in the Pie Social, hot out of the oven!
- Kitchen Work
 - Everything used to taste so much better because of...you guessed it...HARD WORK!
 - Help make this year's lunch by grinding grain into flour and churn butter from cream for the spoon bread!

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AUCTION, AWARDS & PRESENTATIONS

- 2pm-3pm Order TBA, most likely-- auction—QOV—auction—Awards--auction**
- Quilts of Valor Presentations
 - Every year the Flora School Education Center, partnered with Quilts of Valor, awards a cherished Veteran of our Nation for their Service and Sacrifice with a special Quilt that is one of a kind!
 - Quilts are made at Flora School during the QOV Sew Bee when possible—October 4-5 2024
 - Awards Ceremony
 - Top Smith-- The Golden Hammer
 - Award is voted on by the smiths themselves!
 - Recipient of this award is considered to be the Best Smith of the Competition as decided by their peers!
 - People's Choice-- The Anvil of Champions
 - Award is determined by the PUBLIC through the Donation Cans!
 - The smith who raised the most in DONATIONS will be awarded the "Anvil of Champions," a traveling trophy to be displayed in their home for one year!
 - Award determines the Blacksmith Competition Champion!
 - Auction
 - Not sure what type of auction yet—regular or \$1 per number—but when we know, you will know!
 - Some items that are ready to auction (subject to change)
 - Fiestaware dishes
 - Picnic basket with quilt, dishes and gift certificate for your picnic meal
 - ODFW Show Me Tour with the elk (January or February)
 - Metal art flower jewelry holder
 - Dutch oven lunches for a group of four and another for a group of two (no expiration)
 - Homemade pies
 - One of a kind queen size quilt
 - Medicinal Fire Cider (see demo of this being made)
 - Blacksmith gate hinges (see blacksmith competition above)
 - And more... this list will grow as we closer to the event