

240127 BRA Kumquat Festival Dade City FL

Located one hour north of Tampa the Dade city kumquat festival is an annual experience that local residence should definitely consider. The entire city of Dade. Get here early. The show starts around 9 AM and ends around five. It's really Americana like you've never seen.

The food is varied, reasonably priced and delicious. It's recommended that you walk around first to see what's available before you decide.



It's usually a mad crush of people here. So if you don't like crowds, this is not a good festival for you to come to. And there is lots of local vendors for just about everything. This is the central intersection for the city which is now been taken over by the festival.



The stand runs out of three corn every festival. Normally you'll have to wait till they roast more but it's the only place that I know of where you can get authentic Mexican Street corn





The festival is even larger in 2024 than it was in 2022. It stretches out for several blocks and all directions.



Lots of small businesses, restaurants, cafés, just about anything that you'd want is available here. And it's just a madhouse, of course with all the people.



Yes, they can make wine out of anything. Even kumquats.



Armories are the stuff of Americana as well, and there are plenty of these buildings all over the United States. They're all uniformly shaped as a Quassett hut with a grand entrance. This was no different. It's interesting to see this in such a small town.



And if you'd like old cars, then this is a great festival to come to. There's. Styles of every remodel every year. You'll see some antique cars here that you didn't know existed. It's a great free car show to come to.



I'm not sure how you get a 427 end of this car. But it seems to fit and only Lord knows how you keep it on the ground.



The classic Chevy, SS 454. This is a beautiful car. Two-door.



And of course, this is the jeep for everybody. Everybody got to have one of these.



This car you can put in your pocket or even check in on your flight. Take it with you on vacation.



And of course, no car show would be complete without a fastback Mustang. That's the car that I have except it's in Brittany blue.



Great for takeout. Lots of 1950s cars of course which were very popular in the 80s. But today they're really relics that very few people want to drive. But they're all classic

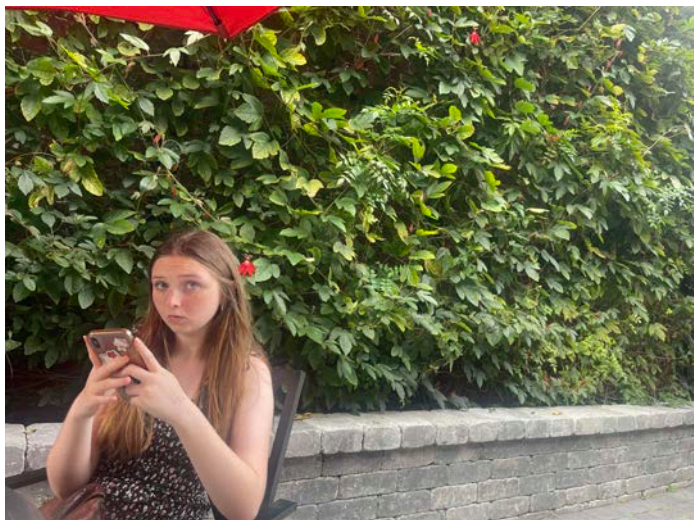
automobiles from the past.



This festival goes on and on and on. There's also games for kids and petting zoos and all kinds of stuff so there's something here for everybody.



If you look, you'll find a quiet spot to sit, although it's really hard to do this market. But there is a team room located at seventh and Meridian and there is a secluded garden to the side. Not too many people know it's there and it's a quiet place to sit in the middle of a people storm.



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