

# 2026 Demonstration Opportunities

Date	Event	Location	Champion & contact information
25-26 April 2 May	Minnesota Zoo's Farm Babies Gammelgarden Museum Opening Day	Apple Valley, MN Scandia, MN	Rick Wessling, rgwessling@gmail.com Patrick Sullivan, smokiemilo@gmail.com 651-894-3765
2-3 May 9-10 May 16 May	Minnesota Zoo's Farm Babies Minnesota Zoo's Farm Babies Boy Scout Jamboree	Apple Valley, MN Apple Valley, MN Stearns Scout Camp South Haven, MN	Rick Wessling, rgwessling@gmail.com Rick Wessling, rgwessling@gmail.com Gordon Barr, agbarr@aol.com, 952-894-4821
16-17 May 17 May 17 May	Minnesota Zoo's Farm Babies Spring Festival, Holtz Farm Scouts – District F Spring Welding & Metalsmithing Merit Badge	Apple Valley, MN Eagan, MN Taylors Falls, MN Almelund Threshing Show Ground	Rick Wessling, rgwessling@gmail.com Zach Christiansen, ziggmo@gmail.com Patrick Sullivan, smokiemilo@gmail.com 651-894-3765
5-7 June	Nowthen Hammer-In Guild Membership Meeting	Nowthen, MN	Wayne Olson, wayneolson10@gmail.com. June's Membership Meeting will be held on Saturday the 6th.
6 June	St. Anthony Park Art Festival	St. Paul, MN	Anna Gaseitsiwe, http://themaker.space, 612-756-9499
27 June	Midsommardagen, Gammelgarden Museum	Scandia, MN	Patrick Sullivan, smokiemilo@gmail.com. 651-894-3765
20 – 26 July 22-25 July	Rice County Fair Faribault County Fair Sponsored by: Faribault County Historical Society (FCHS)	Faribault, MN Blue Earth, MN	Lou Groth, <a href="mailto:loug33@yahoo.com">loug33@yahoo.com</a> , 952-895-1515 No Guild representative, Contact site directly. Randy Anderson, randwulfr@aol.com 507-525-0368.
22-26 July	Scott County Fair	Jordan, MN	Contact: Erika Ediger-Connolly, SCF manager fairofficestaff@scottcountyfair.com, 952-492-2436 Contact Erika by May 1 <sup>st</sup> ., 7151 190th St, Jordon Dick Carlson, Blacksmith@onlinecarlson.com 651-437-3329
24-26 July 29 July - 1 August July 30 - August 2 7-9 August	Little Log House Antique Power Show Rock County Fair Fisherman's Picnic Bally's Blacksmith Shop Almelund Threshing Show	Hastings, MN Luverne, MN Grand Marais, MN Taylors Falls, MN	Larry Wasmund, poundedtreasures@gmail.com 651-322-6626 Don Hammer, carshaper@yahoo.com, 218-370-0122 Patrick Sullivan, smokiemilo@gmail.com. 651-894-3765
9 August 13-16 August 14-15 August	Torii, Finland Heritage Center Pierce County Fair Corcoran Country Daze	Finland, MN Ellsworth, WI Corcoran, MN	Don Hammer, carshaper@yahoo.com., 218-370-0122 Jesse Gavin, jagavin6273@hotmail.com No Guild representative, Contact site directly at corcorancountrydaze@gmail.com 612-314-3232 Christina Dodge, christina.guildmbr@gmail.com Patrick Sullivan, smokiemilo@gmail.com. 651-894-3765
14 - 16 August 15 August	Nowthen Threshing Show Spelmansstämman, Gammelgarden, Museum	Nowthen, MN Scandia, MN	No Guild representative. No contact information. Larry Wasmund, poundedtreasures@gmail.com, 651-322-6626 Martin Pansch, blacksmithingyeti@gmail.com 612-599-4762
29-30 August 29-30 August	Pioneer Power Show Donnelly Threshing Bee	Le Sueur, MN Donnelly, MN	No Guild representative. No contact information. Larry Wasmund, poundedtreasures@gmail.com, 651-322-6626 Bob Brown, Bbrown474@msn.com , 651-260-2749 Dewey Roll, 651-590-3634 Tom & Kitty Latané, tclatane@gmail.com, 715-442-2419
4-6 September	Rice County Steam & Gas Engine Show Labor Day Wknd	Dundas, MN	Bob Brown, Bbrown474@msn.com , 651-260-2749 Dewey Roll, 651-590-3634 Tom & Kitty Latané, tclatane@gmail.com, 715-442-2419
TBA TBA	Lamberton Hot Iron Days Farming of Yesteryear	Lamberton, MN Kiester, MN Pepin, WI	No Champion, contact Kim Maas if interested, tgom.volunteer@gmail.com, 651-328-7219 Larry Wasmund, poundedtreasures@gmail.com, 651-322-6626
12-13 September	Laura Ingalls Wilder Days	Pepin, WI	No Guild representative, Contact site directly. Zachary.Mohlis@threeriversparks.org, 763-694-1139 Michael.Murray@threeriversparks.org, 763-694-7788
19 September	Harvest Festival, Holtz Farm	Eagan, MN	No Guild representative, Contact site directly. Zachary.Mohlis@threeriversparks.org, 763-694-1139 Michael.Murray@threeriversparks.org, 763-694-7788
27-29 September	Gamehaven Fall Camporee Gamehaven Scout Camp	Rochester, MN	No Guild representative, Contact site directly. Zachary.Mohlis@threeriversparks.org, 763-694-1139 Michael.Murray@threeriversparks.org, 763-694-7788
11-14 November	National ABANA	Bentonville, AR	No Guild representative, Contact site directly. Zachary.Mohlis@threeriversparks.org, 763-694-1139 Michael.Murray@threeriversparks.org, 763-694-7788
Mid-October Most wknds Memorial Day thru Labor Day	Pumpkin Train The Landing / Three Rivers Park District	Dresser, WI Shakopee, MN	No Guild representative, Contact site directly. Zachary.Mohlis@threeriversparks.org, 763-694-1139 Michael.Murray@threeriversparks.org, 763-694-7788

Saturdays & Sundays in December	Santa's Train Shop Jackson Street Roundhouse	St. Paul, MN	Main number for Three Rivers 763-694-7784 Gordon Barr, <a href="mailto:agbarr@aol.com">agbarr@aol.com</a> , 952-894-4821
Various dates thru the year.	Boy Scout Blacksmith Merit Badge at the School of Horseshoeing	Ramsey, MN	Gordon Barr, <a href="mailto:agbarr@aol.com">agbarr@aol.com</a> , 952-894-4821
TBA – Bellows	Boy Scout Fall Camporee	Carver, MN	Contact & contact information -TBD.
Wednesdays & Saturdays	Jackson Street Roundhouse Transportation Museum	St. Paul, MN	Gordon Barr, <a href="mailto:agbarr@aol.com">agbarr@aol.com</a> , 952-894-4821

- Contact the Champions and see what you can do to help with any of these events.
- If you know of an event where a guild member is demonstrating and it is not listed, please email information to [tgom.volunteer@gmail.com](mailto:tgom.volunteer@gmail.com) to get it listed. Information needed for listing: event name, date(s), location, Champion's name, and contact information.

Thank You!!