



## KEWAUNEE COUNTY PROMOTIONS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT

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### Kewaunee County Calendar of Events 2009

**February 14 – Mardi Gras Cajun Cocktail Party on the Lake at the Farm Market Kitchen.** Enjoy Cajun food, music and festive décor. Call (920) 487-9750 for more information.

**March 1 – Bridal, Prom, Special Occasion Fair. 11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.** Over 30 local vendors participate in this annual event at the Algoma Youth Club – right by Lake Michigan. Call (920) 487-2041 for more information

**April 19 – Algoma Variety Show** – Sponsored by Algoma’s Main Street Program. Call (920) 487-9852 for details.

**April 22 – Music on the Farm at Heritage Farm.** 5 miles south of Kewaunee) presents Musical Brass Polka Band 6 – 10 PM, call (920) 3880-0604 for more information.

**May 2<sup>nd</sup> – Casco Village Garage Sale** 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM , Cost to be “on the map” is \$5.00. For more information, please call Debbie Haumschild at (920) 837-2152.

**May 9 – Annual Ahnapee Trail Day.** Sponsored by the *Friends of the Ahnapee State Trail*, this all-day event is loaded with activities for the whole family. Whether you ride a bicycle, enjoy horseback riding, or just like to hike, the trail has something for you. Many activities are planned that include games and refreshments. For more information, call (920) 487-2041 or visit the website at [www.ahnapeetrail.org](http://www.ahnapeetrail.org).

**May 16 – Annual Main Street Car Show** Sponsored by Community Improvement of Algoma Main Street Center. Call (920) 487-5498 for more information or visit their website at [www.algomamainstreet.org](http://www.algomamainstreet.org).

**May 16 – Spring on the Farm** at Heritage Farm, 5 miles south of Kewaunee. This event includes the Grand Opening of the blacksmith shop, horse plowing, many homemaking demonstrations, horse wagon rides, and farm animals. Call (920) 388-0604 for more information.

**May 16 – Luxemburg Village Wide Rummage & Craft Sale.** The deadline to register to be on the map is May 5<sup>th</sup>. To register, send \$5, name, address of sale, phone number and brief

description of sale to: Mark Heim, 520 Marcks Ct., Luxemburg, WI 54217 or email [Mheim@centurytel.net](mailto:Mheim@centurytel.net) For information, Call Heim at (920) 845-5408.

**May 27 – Music on the Farm at Heritage Farm** (5 miles south of Kewaunee) Introduction of the “Farm Family of the Year”, as well as entertainment from Jerry Schneider Polka Band 6 – 10 PM. Call (920) 388-0604 for more information

**June 4 – June Dairy Month Kick-off Breakfast!** Please join us for breakfast at *JW's Place* in Slovan! Breakfast will be served 6:30 AM to 8 AM, speaker & program to begin at 7:15. Contact Aerica Opatik at 388-7138 for additional information.

**June 6 – Dairy Days Dash – 4<sup>th</sup> Annual 5K Walk/Run.** All ages are encouraged to participate. For more information please contact organizer Chris Warber @ (920) 437-1733 or Andrea Dalebroux @ (920) 437-9281. You can also register online @ [www.luxemburgusa.com/business/run/](http://www.luxemburgusa.com/business/run/)

**June 12-13-14 – 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Heritage Farm Bluegrass Festival.** Music and more all weekend! See and hear some of the best. Two stages this year (both indoors), plus a campfire circle as well as a food and beverage court. Camping Available! For additional information, call (920) 388-0604 or visit them on the web at [www.agriculturalheritage.org](http://www.agriculturalheritage.org)

**June 17 – Music on the Farm at Heritage Farm** (5 miles south of Kewaunee) Presents Bob Kuether Band, 6 – 10 PM. For more information, call (920) 388-0604 or visit them on the web at [www.agriculturalheritage.org](http://www.agriculturalheritage.org)

**June 18-19-20 – Spartan Grandslam Youth Baseball Tournament,** Casco. Contact Rob Kinnard at (920) 837-2448 for additional information.

**June 20 – Annual Great Lakeshore Tractor Rally** Beginning at the Kewaunee County Fairgrounds in Luxemburg. For more information, call (920) 388-0604 or visit them on the web at [www.agriculturalheritage.org](http://www.agriculturalheritage.org)

**June 20 – Kewaunee City Wide Rummage Sale.** Sponsored by The Kewaunee Area Chamber of Commerce. Shop till you drop! Maps will be available at *Center Court Convenience Store* and online at [www.kewaunee.org](http://www.kewaunee.org) Sale runs 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.

**June 20 – Kewaunee County Open Draft Horse Show,** Fairgrounds, Luxemburg

**June 20 – Annual Doll & Teddy Bear Show and Sale.** Dealers from all over the U.S. come to Algoma to sell antique and collectible dolls, toys, & bears, along with clothes & furniture for dolls & bears from the early 1900's to today's collectible dolls and bears. Bake sale and country kitchen on site. For more information contact Al & Marge Hansen at (920) 563-0046 or [dollbear@sbcglobal.net](mailto:dollbear@sbcglobal.net). Sponsored by the Algoma United Methodist Church

**June 21 – Kewaunee County Breakfast on the Farm!** Schleis Farms, located XX miles East or West of Highway 42, on Sandy Bay Rd.. Sponsored by the Kewaunee County Dairy Promotion, Inc. More information coming soon!

**June 26 & 27 – 4<sup>th</sup> Annual “Creek Fest” @ Moe’s Corner in Rio Creek!!** Live Music Friday night 8 PM to Midnight by “*SPICE*”. Saturday’s itinerary includes: Parade at 12-noon, Live Polka Band from 1 – 5 PM, Live music 8 PM to Midnight by “Nashville Pipeline”! Cover charge each night. Great Food & Refreshments both days! For additional information, call (920) 487-2204.

**June 27 – Luncheon & Fashion Show** “Country Garden Party” at the Heritage Farm, 5 miles south of Kewaunee on Hwy. 42. Ticket Sales Only, Hospitality 11 am, Luncheon 12 noon, Fashion Show at 1 pm. For additional information, please call (920) 388-0604 or visit them on the web at [www.agriculturalheritage.org](http://www.agriculturalheritage.org)

**June 27<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> – 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Lakeshore Festival** This festival will feature master craftsmen’s work in wood, metal and other mediums. In addition, other “strictly-handmade” items will be displayed. Food and entertainment both indoors and out. Call (920) 388-0800 for more information.

**June 28 – Performance in the Park, Kewaunee** Located in Harbor Park, performances will be from 5:30 PM until 8:00 PM. Call the Chamber office at (920) 388-4822 to see who is performing.

**June 28 – The Victorian Garden Tea Party** will be held in conjunction with the *Kewaunee 54216 Flower Project*. Stop and check out area gardens, then stop by the Hollyhock House for tea! The Hollyhock House is located at 1408 Dodge Street. Please call (920) 388-3445 with any questions.

**July 1 – Algoma’s Concerts & Art in The Park!** Check out the Calendar of Events at [www.algoma.org](http://www.algoma.org) for specifics as we get closer to this date. Concert will be 7 – 9:30 PM, be sure to bring a chair and/or blanket and enjoy the free concert at Heritage Park in downtown Algoma. Art & Children’s Art Projects begin at 5 PM. Rain or shine.

**July 4 – Rio Creek Fly-In** Food, live music, airplane rides and more. Rio Creek holds this event annually. For more information, visit [www.riocreekairport.com](http://www.riocreekairport.com).

**July 4 – Kewaunee County 4-H Open Horse Pleasure Show**, Fairgrounds, Luxemburg

**July 4<sup>th</sup> – The Fishmongers 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual “Shrimp Dump”** prepared by “*the shrimp guy*”. Huge peel n’ eat gulf shrimp dumped on a papered table, served with all the fixins! Drink specials, entertainment, prizes and giveaways. Live music provided by “*Those Gringos*”. This is an outdoor event, starts at 12-noon. Located at 231 N. Main St., Kewaunee. Call (920) 388-fish for details!

**July 5 – Kewaunee County 4-H Open Horse Speed Show**, Fairgrounds, Luxemburg

**July 5 – Performance in The Park, Kewaunee.** Located in Harbor Park, performances will be from 5:30 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. Call the Chamber at 388-4822 to see who is performing.

**July 8 – Algoma’s Concerts & Art in The Park!** Check out the Calendar of Events at [www.algoma.org](http://www.algoma.org) for specifics as we get closer to this date. Concert will be 7 – 9:30 PM, be sure to bring a chair and/or blanket and enjoy the free concert at Heritage Park in downtown Algoma. Art & Children’s Art Projects begin at 5 PM. Rain or shine.

**July 11 – Algoma’s City-Wide Garage Sale.** Hours are 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Maps available at the Algoma Visitor Center on Friday and Saturday. Sponsored by Community Improvement of Algoma. For additional information, please call (920) 487-5498.

**July 11 – Lady’s Festival** at von Stiehl Winery 11 Am to 7 PM. For all the information about this NEW event, check out [www.vonstiehl.com](http://www.vonstiehl.com) or call 1-800-955-5208.

**July 12 – Performance in The Park, Kewaunee.** Located in Harbor Park, performances will be from 5:30 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. Call the Chamber at 388-4822 to see who is performing.

**July 15 – Algoma’s Concerts & Art in The Park!** Check out the Calendar of Events at [www.algoma.org](http://www.algoma.org) for specifics as we get closer to this date. Concert will be 7 – 9:30 PM, be sure to bring a chair and/or blanket and enjoy the free concert at Heritage Park in downtown Algoma. Art & Children’s Art Projects begin at 5 PM. Rain or shine.

**July 17-18-19 – The 37<sup>th</sup> Annual Trout Festival!** – Kewaunee’s own 3 day festival! Celebrated in downtown Kewaunee, in Harbor Park. Live music all weekend, great eats, fireworks on Friday, volleyball tourney, car show, children’s activities, Duathlon, Offshore Challenge, and HUGE parade on Sunday. Call the Chamber office at (920) 388-4822 or check out the website at [www.kewaunee.org](http://www.kewaunee.org).

**July 18<sup>th</sup> – The Troutman Duathlon, ½ Duathlon, and 5K walk/run.** Bigger and Better every year! Register on-line at [www.active.com](http://www.active.com) or call the Chamber at 388-4822.

**July 18<sup>th</sup> – Annual “Offshore Challenge” Salmon and Trout Derby, Kewaunee.** Now one of Wisconsin’s biggest one day tournaments, huge payouts. This is one tourney you don’t want to miss! Call the Chamber at (920) 388-4822 for more information.

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**July 22 – Music on the Farm at Heritage Farm** (5 miles south of Kewaunee) features the Mark Jirikovic Band from 6 – 10 PM. Heritage Food & Refreshments. For more information, call (920) 388-0604 or visit them on the web at [www.agriculturalheritage.org](http://www.agriculturalheritage.org)

**July 23-26 – Kewaunee County Fair.** Located at the Kewaunee County Fairgrounds in Luxemburg. Enjoy agricultural displays, food, midway rides, livestock, horses, grandstand entertainment. Call (920) 845-2241 for entertainment and ticket information, or visit [www.kewauneeccofair.com](http://www.kewauneeccofair.com)

**July 25-Aug. 2 - 27th Annual Kewaunee/Door Salmon Tournament:** More than \$30,000 in cash and prizes will be on the line in the Midwest’s most popular Chinook salmon fishing contest. Cast or troll anywhere in Lake Michigan off the shores of Kewaunee and Door counties with weigh-in prts at Algoma, Kewaunee, Sturgeon Bay, Baileys Harbor and Washington Island.

First Place is worth \$10,000 cash to the lucky angler who reels in the winning “king”. The tournament usually pays down more than 200 places, making it unique among Great Lakes’ fishing contests. That’s in addition to the daily cash and prizes awarded at all five weigh-in ports. Tickets are \$25 per person, or \$13 for a one-day chance. For more information, call (920) 883-9792 or visit them on the web at [www.kdsalmon](http://www.kdsalmon)

**July 25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> – Celebrate the Arts Festival** will take place at *Hamachek Hall* in Kewaunee from 10 AM to 4 PM. *Hamachek Hall* is located on Lake Michigan, just East of Route 42 at the foot of Route 29 (Ellis St.) This year’s *CELEBRATE THE ARTS FESTIVAL* will feature artists, artisans and craftsmen from Kewaunee County, Door County, and Chicago. Demonstrations, contests, food, wine-tasting, and music will be part of both the outdoor and indoor celebration. Call (920) 388-0800 for more information.

**July 26 – Performance in The Park, Kewaunee.** Located in Harbor Park, performances will be from 5:30 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. Call the Chamber at 388-4822 to see who is performing.

**July 29 – Algoma’s Concerts & Art in The Park!** Check out the Calendar of Events at [www.algoma.org](http://www.algoma.org) for specifics as we get closer to this date. Concert will be 7 – 9:30 PM, be sure to bring a chair and/or blanket and enjoy the free concert at Heritage Park in downtown Algoma. Art & Children’s Art Projects begin at 5 PM. Rain or shine.

**August 1<sup>st</sup> – The Second Annual “Kewaunee River Paddle” and Treasure Hunt.** Sponsored by *The Fishmonger Market & Rentals*. “Paddle” crafts are utilized (ie: kayaks & canoes). The Fishmonger has a limited supply available to rent. Pre-registration is suggested by stopping at *The Fishmonger* (231 N. Main St., Kewaunee) or by calling (920) 388-FISH (3474). All participants bringing their own boat are required to supply themselves with a life vest that MUST be worn. Participants under the age of 18 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian or available to sign the waiver for them.

**August 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> – Czech Fest** with Czech Food & Beer, and more! Located at Heritage Farm (5 miles south of Kewaunee). On Saturday, enjoy Kolache Festival with Kolache sale, bake-off and demonstrations at 10 a.m., and 2 p.m. . On Sunday there’s a Polka Mass at 10:30 a.m. and a Czech dinner at 11:30. Music provided by Orv Konop Band from 1 – 5 PM. Kolache Festival Sale Continues at 10 AM. Call (920) 388-0604 for additional information.

**August 2 – Performance in The Park, Kewaunee.** Located in Harbor Park, performance will be from 5:30 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. Call the Chamber at 388-4822 to see who is performing.

**August 5 – Algoma’s Concerts & Art in The Park!** Check out the Calendar of Events at [www.algoma.org](http://www.algoma.org) for specifics as we get closer to this date. Concert will be 7 – 9:30 PM, be sure to bring a chair and/or blanket and enjoy the free concert at Heritage Park in downtown Algoma. Art & Children’s Art Projects begin at 5 PM. Rain or shine.

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**August 14-15-16 – “Fabric of the Lakeshore” National Quilt Show** at Heritage Farm, 5 miles south of Kewaunee. Friday 12-noon to 8 PM and 10 AM to 4 PM on Saturday & Sunday. Juried and judged show with professional and non-professional categories with prizes up to \$1,000. Quilt raffle, great food, exhibits learning opportunities and lots of fun in our beautiful Lakeshore Community! Call (920) 388-0604 for additional information or visit [www.agriculturalheritage.org](http://www.agriculturalheritage.org)

**August 14-15-16 – Shanty Days Celebration of the Lake.** Huge three-day family festival. Friday kicks off with a book sale at the library. Entertainment on the grounds Friday night along with kid’s entertainment and great food tents. Saturday’s parade at noon is one of the state’s largest community parades. The huge Arts & Craft Show and Street Market will run from 10 a.m. – 6 p.m. Saturday and 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. on Sunday. Enjoy entertainment at the main stage, kid’s activity area, and great food on the grounds. Photo contest, steam engine rides, fishing contest, games, 5k Walk/Run and more surprises await you. Sunday features an ecumenical church service by the lake. Great food and live music all day Sunday. Stay around for the grand finale fireworks over the harbor. Kids under 12 are free! Visit [www.algoma.org](http://www.algoma.org) or call (920) 487-2041

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**August 22 – 12<sup>th</sup> Annual V.I.P. Car Show!** The show this year is at Bruemmer Park! Come on down to see all the neat cars on display! Food, beverages, play-ground! Rain or Shine! Call (920) 487-2111 for further information.

**August 26 – “Music On The Farm”,** Ag Heritage Farm, just 5 miles south of Kewaunee on Hwy. 42. Featuring Jerry Voelker & The Jolly Gents Band, 6-10 p.m. Call for more information, 388-0604.

**September 5 – Kele Alpacas 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Day on the Farm!** Bring the whole family and spend the day learning about alpacas, what they can do and how they are used. Spinning and weaving demonstrations. All proceeds go to the Violence Intervention Project. This alpaca farm is located approximately 10 miles west of Kewaunee, two miles south of Hwy 29 on County Road AB, east on Pine Grove Road. Watch for signs.

**September 12<sup>th</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Kewaunee FFA Alumni Truck & Tractor Pull.** This annual event is held on the new pulling track at the Heritage Farm, just south of Kewaunee on Hwy. 42. Call (920) 388-0604 for more information.

**September 17 – Kewaunee Chapter Ducks Unlimited Annual Banquet** held at *CJ’s Restaurant and Banquet Hall*. This is a yearly fundraiser; money raised will go to support wetland preservation. Call (920) 388-3276 for tickets.

**September 19<sup>th</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Black Tie Dinner** Call 388-0604 for additional information & tickets.

**September 19 & 20 – Wet Whistle Wine Fest.** Plan to visit Algoma for this annual wine festival. You’ll enjoy live music, heritage foods, fine arts, award-winning wines, and, you may

want to participate in – or just cheer at – the “always-a-crowd-pleaser” grape stomp. For more information, call the main Street Center at 487-5498 or visit: [www.vonstiehl.com](http://www.vonstiehl.com)

**September 23<sup>rd</sup> – “Music On The Farm”**, Ag Heritage Farm, just 5 miles south of Kewaunee on Hwy. 42. Featuring Jerry Krueger Band, 6-10 p.m. Call for more information, 388-0604.

**September 26 & 27 – Agricultural Heritage Days.** This annual event is held at the Luxemburg Fairgrounds and will feature antique farm equipment, tractor pulls, horse pulls, and demonstrations of old time farming and more. Watch food being prepared on antique wood-fired cook stoves. There will be a large flea and craft area. Call 388-0604 for more information.

**October 10 – Oktoberfest, Kewaunee** Experience the only Harvest time Festival in the city of Kewaunee. Join the *Fishmonger* for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual “Oktoberfest” Celebration. Authentic German food, free beer and wine samples, drink specials, music, vendors, and fun. Indoor and outdoor events start at 11:00 AM.

**October 3<sup>rd</sup> – Annual Open House – DNR Besadny Fish Station on the Kewaunee River.** The open house will take place between 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. with guided tours of the facility. This is a must see event! Watch the salmon jump the fish ladder through the underwater viewing windows & learn about egg collection. The annual salmon run is expected to continue through mid-October. For additional information, please call the DNR at (920) 388-1025.

**October 17 – “Oktoberfest”** at Heritage Farm, located 5 miles south of Kewaunee. An afternoon of German Food Demonstrations and Exhibits, 4:00 PM Mass, followed by a German Dinner and Dancing. Call (920) 388-0604 for more information or visit [www.agriculturalheritage.org](http://www.agriculturalheritage.org)

**October 28<sup>th</sup> – “Music On The Farm”**, Ag Heritage Farm, just 5 miles south of Kewaunee on Hwy. 42. Featuring Orv Konop Band, 6-10 p.m. Call for more information, 388-0604.

**October 24 & 25 – Algoma Halloween Walk** Algoma’s annual Halloween Walk at Algoma High School. This is a great time for the whole family. Costumes welcome, refreshments, games, photo opportunities and much, much, more. There is an admission. Proceeds go to the Algoma School District to sponsored youth-related activities. Check out the calendar of events at [www.algoma.org](http://www.algoma.org) closer to the event for up-to-date information.

**November 20 – Kewaunee Holiday Parade & Festival.** Sponsored by the Kewaunee Area Chamber of Commerce. Be part of the parade or sit back on Ellis Street and watch the numerous floats, fire trucks and bands perform. Then sit back and watch the lighting of the love light tree. Stop by **Christkindlmarkt** to visit with Santa immediately following the parade to hear the little ones wish list for Christmas. Call the Chamber office at 388-4822 with questions.

**November 20<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> -- Christkindlmarkt!** Kewaunee’s newest festival. Come down and see Santa following the parade. Experience a traditional centuries old European Christmas Market at Hamachek Hall. Shopping, kids activities, music, food and more. A large tree decorated with area children’s ornaments, walk through the forest of trees decorated by area businesses, many different vendors, this is a must see! Something for everyone. Call (920) 388-4822 for details.

**December 4 & 5 – Christmas in the City, Algoma.** Join visitors and residents as they celebrate the holiday season. Expect to see Santa; take a wagon ride; and listen to choirs singing your favorite Christmas carols. Spend the days shopping; buy a craft or two at the youth club, have

milk & cookies with Santa, and more! Sponsored by Community Improvements of Algoma, Main Street program. Call 487-5498 for more details.

**December 5 – “A Country Christmas”**, Ag Heritage Farm, located on Hwy. 42, just south of Kewaunee. Featuring Santa, Winter Wonderland of Trees, Crafts for Kids, Home Made Cookies, Candies, and Pastries, Lunch and more! Call 388-0604 for more information or email [ahr@tm.net](mailto:ahr@tm.net)

## **Ongoing County Events**

IMCA Stock Car Racing, Friday nights April – August, Fairgrounds in Luxemburg, (920) 845-2300 or visit [www.luxemburgspeedway.com](http://www.luxemburgspeedway.com)

Tug Ludington Tugboat Tours, Mid May – Mid September, Kewaunee Harbor  
(920) 388-5000

Spring & Fall Fish Run, CD Besadny Fish Facility, Dana Farm, Kewaunee  
(920) 388-1025

**Algoma Chamber** (920) 487-2041

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