

Press Release
14 July 2009

Riner Heritage Day Vendors and Parade Entries Invited

Riner Heritage Day and Parade will occur on Saturday 12 September 2009. This event provides an opportunity for fun and to celebrate the history of the community. The parade will start at 10 am on Fairview Church Road, along Route 8, and end at Auburn Elementary School. The parade will include antique tractors and vehicles, horses, and the Auburn High School marching band. In order to celebrate the 70th anniversary of the opening of Auburn High School, the Riner Branch of the Montgomery Museum is hoping alumni and friends will organize floats representing each of the decades since then (1930s, 1940s, 1950s, etc.). The festival will start immediately following the parade, with activities running from approximately 10:30-3:00 pm. Crafters, demonstrators, and vendors are invited to participate. Registration forms for vendors and parade entries should be available locally in Riner, or call Amanda Witt (357-0345) for more information.

The Riner Branch of the Montgomery Museum and Lewis Miller Regional Art Center will have historical displays in the log cabin building. The Montgomery County Community Cannery and Riner Fire Department will be open for tours. A pet show and pony rides will be available for kids. Kids races and games (toddler dash, sack race, hula hoop, jump rope, etc.) will be held with ribbons and cash prizes for the winners. There will be live music throughout the day and food available to purchase.

This event is sponsored by the Riner Ruritan Club and the Riner Branch of the Montgomery Museum. More information and directions to the site will be posted at <http://riner.ruritan.org> and at <http://www.montgomerymuseum.org/pages/visit-riner.html> or by calling the numbers above.

SHORT ENTRY FOR CALENDAR

Community Festival

Riner Heritage Day and Parade 10 am to 3 pm Saturday 12 September 2009. Route 8, Auburn High School grounds and Riner Fire Department. Parade at 10 followed by kids games, pony rides, music; museum, cannery, and fire house open. Call 357-0345 to request parade or vendor registration form, or for more information.