

TENNESSEE SOYBEAN FESTIVAL

THURSDAY, AUG. 31

Rotary Golf Tournament

Time: 11:00 am-Lunch Served, Tee Time: noon; Format: Four person team scramble. Location: Persimmon Hills in Sharon, TN Entry Fee: Team \$300, Individual \$75. Register online by August 22nd. For more information and registration form visit www.tnsoybeanfestival.org
Sponsored by: Martin Rotary Club

SATURDAY, SEPT. 2

HomeGrown Farmers Market

Time: 8:00 am-noon - Location: Martin Farmers Market, Historic Downtown Martin, TN; Purchase local produce grown within 50 miles of Martin, TN. The Tennessee Soybean Festival Harvest Market will feature live music, guest vendors from Coastal Connection Seafood, and local craft vendors.

SUNDAY, SEPT. 3

Guitar As Art Contest Exhibition

Exhibit Open: 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm, Awards Ceremony: 3:00pm - Location: Art Gallery, Fine Arts Building, UT-Martin; Showcasing guitars that have been artistically altered using any 2D media method. Refreshments and live music. The Guitar as Art Exhibit is open to the public Tuesday, September 5 through Saturday, September 30, 1:00 pm-5:00 pm. Sponsored by: UT Martin Dept. of Visual and Theatre Arts, and the League of Striving Artists

TUESDAY, SEPT. 5

Soybean Canasta Tournament

Time: 10:00am - Location: The Martin Gateway Center. The Canasta card tournament will be open to the public. Please arrive by 9:45am to register. Free lunch and door prizes will be provided.

Sidewalk Chalk Art Contest

Time: 3pm - 5:30pm - Location: Registration starts at 3pm at CE Weldon Building/Soybean Central, Free for everyone, Children, Teen, Adult, and Family divisions will be judged. Winners and prizes will be announced on the Tennessee Soybean Festival Facebook and Instagram pages on the following day. Prizes will be available at the library front desk. For more information call 731-587-3148

Soybean Parade

Time: 6:30pm - Parade Route: University Street and Lindell Street, Grand Marshal, Turner Family : Parade Applications and information available online at www.tnsoybeanfestival.org. Application deadline- Thursday, August 31st. Sponsored by: Simmons Bank and Broadcast sponsored by WLJT-DT

Midway & Amusement Rides

Time: Tuesday & Wednesday 5pm-10pm, - Location: Downtown Martin. Wristband and individual ride tickets on sale at midway box office. Armband specials available for Tuesday & Wednesday from 5pm-9pm.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 6

Prayer Breakfast

Time: 6:45am - Location: First Baptist Church of Martin, Speaker: Weakley County Mayor, Jake Bynum, Free and open to the public.

Phase 10 Tournament

Time: 10:00am - Location: The Martin Gateway Center. The Phase 10 tournament is open to the public. Please arrive by 9:45am to register. Free lunch and door prizes will be provided to attendees. Sponsored by: The Gateway Center

Martin & Soybean History Exhibit

Open Time: 5:00pm -7:00pm Location: CE Weldon Building. Stop in the historic CE Weldon Building to learn more about the City of Martin and festival history, pick up a map and event schedule, drop off lost and found, and view art displays and exhibits.

Crossroads Luncheon

Time: Noon-1:00 pm - Location: Martin Public Library Event Center; Martin Civic organization members and guests are welcome to attend. Please RSVP to Steve Vantrese at svantrese@utfi.org or call 731.431-1202.

Jr. Art Contest Deadline

Time: 5:00 pm - Location: Martin City Hall Categories: K-2nd, 3rd-5th, and 6th-8th. Paint or draw on paper or canvas, no larger than 8.5x11 inches, and include your name, parent phone number, school, and current grade on the back. \$30 awards for each age group's 1st Place winner! Sponsored by: Weakley County Young Professionals.

Community Health And Safety Fair

Time: 5:00pm - Location: Historic Downtown Martin; Free and open to the public. Visit with local health & safety professionals in a fun and interactive environment. Free Activities for children.

The Soybean Voice Contest

Time: 6:00pm - Location: WK&T Amphitheater; Doors Open at 6:00pm, Free Event, Open Seating, The Finals Live Round on the main stage! Eight contestants will be performing for the \$250 First Place Prize. Submit entries online by Friday, August 25th at tnsoybeanfestival.org.

Sample a Soybean

Time: 5:00pm - Location: Faith & Community Night Meal Tent Attendees can enjoy Free Edamame Samples while supplies last. Edamame is a Japanese dish prepared with immature soybeans in the pod. The pods are boiled or steamed and may be served with salt or other condiments. The dish has become popular across the world because it is rich in vitamins, dietary fiber, and isoflavones. Donated by Hunan Palace

Faith & Community Night

Time: 5:00pm - Location: Downtown Martin & WK&T Amphitheater - Join us for a fun community evening. Local churches will line Lindell Street and giveaway free desserts while supplies last. Attendees can enjoy a free hot dog and drink at the Faith and Community Night Tent Free Concert begins at 7:00pm: Daniel Doss Band

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

THURSDAY, SEPT. 7

Farmers Breakfast

Time: 6:30am - Location: Tennessee Tractor, Speaker, Dr. Keith Carver, Senior Vice Chancellor and Senior Vice President UTIA. Breakfast is free & open to the public. Sponsored by: Farm Credit Services of Mid-America, Weakley County Farm Bureau, Weakley Farmers Co-Op, Tennessee Soybean Promotion Council, Tennessee Tractor

Trivia Tournament

Time: 10:00am - Location: The Martin Gateway Center. Open to the public. Please arrive by 9:45am to register. Free lunch and door prizes will be provided. Sponsored by: Weakley County Nursing Home and Rehab

Midway & Amusement Rides

Time: Thursday 4pm-midnight, - Location: Downtown Martin. Individual ride & game tickets on sale at midway box office.

Martin & Soybean History Exhibit

Open Time: 5:00pm -7:00pm Location: CE Weldon Building.

Soybean Street Fair

Time: 5:00pm-midnight - Location: Historic Downtown Martin. Eat, explore, and shop from 60+ vendors. Sample delicious festival food, see fun entertainment, purchase one of kind gifts, toys, and handmade goods. A full list of vendors can be found at tnsoybeanfestival.org

FlippenOut Show

Show Times:4:30 pm, 6:30pm, 8:30pm - Location: South Lindell Street. See the FREE thrilling trampoline show and watch as the performers fly through the air.

Wildlife Wendy & Her Tropical Birds

Show Times: 5:00pm, 7:00pm, 9:00 pm - Location:Corner of University/Lindell St. Wildlife Wendy provides a FREE show that is fun for all ages. Wendy incorporates education with the goal of creating wildlife awareness. Birds will be on display in between shows.

Sea Lion Splash Show

Show Times: 5:30pm, 7:30pm- Location: Martin City Hall parking lot. The Sea lions are back for FREE shows. Watch as they perform tricks and dance for the crowd. Sponsored by: First Community Bank of the Heartland

Fast & Furious Power Wheels Race

Time: 5:00pm - 7:00pm - Location: Oxford St Parking Lot First Community Bank of the Heartland invites kids age 8 and under to bring a battery powered Power Wheels car for a fun race experience. Races begin every 15 minutes. Register online at tnsoybeanfestival.org . All participants will be entered to win a new Power Wheels. Questions? Contact FCB at 731.261.0115.

Cheap Trick Concert

Time: 7:00pm - Location: WK&T Amphitheater, Tickets \$20-\$30, available for purchase at tnsoybeanfestival.org. (Pit, Reserved Chair, & Bleacher). Opening Act, The Eliot Michael Band, Any remaining tickets will be available for purchase at 5:30pm day of show at the Ticket Box Office. Thursday Night Sponsored by: Vowell and Sons

FRIDAY, SEPT. 8

Chicken Crazy, Hog Wild BBQ Cook-Off

Cook Time: All Day - Location: Virginia Weldon Park, Cooking Categories: Backyard Variety, Shoulder, Backyard Bird, Fine Swine & More; Cooking Teams registration forms at www.tnsoybeanfestival.org Sponsored by: Tyson Foods

Martin & Soybean History Exhibit

Open Time:8:00am -12:00pm & 5:00pm -7:00pm Location: CE Weldon Building. Pick up a map and event schedule, drop off lost and found, and view art displays and exhibits.

Soybean Street Fair

Time: 10:00-midnight - Location: Historic Downtown Martin. Eat, explore, and shop from 60+ vendors.

Big Bean Bingo

Time: 10:00am - Location: The Martin Gateway Center. BIG BINGO will be open to the public. Please arrive by 9:45am to register. Free lunch and door prizes will be provided to attendees. Sponsored by: Woodmen of the World-291

FREE BBQ Tyson Chicken

Time: 5:00pm - Location: Virginia Weldon Park, FREE BBQ Tyson Chicken will be provided to attendees while it lasts at the designated area. Sponsored by: Tyson Foods

Sammies Eating Contest

Contest Time: 6:30pm- Location: Virginia Weldon Park, The winner of the Eating Contest will receive a massive trophy and a \$100 gift certificate to Sammies. All contestants will receive a t-shirt. Advance registration is required at Sammies Restaurant in Martin, TN. Only TEN spots available. Lock, Stock & Barrel challenge winners will have priority. For specific rules visit Sammies Facebook page or stop by Sammies.

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Sea Lion Splash Show

Show Times: 5:30pm, 7:30pm, 9:30pm - Location: Martin City Hall parking lot.

Vintage Ice Cream Making Display

Time: 5:00pm - Location: Corner Oxford/ Lindell Street, Sample handcrafted ice cream created with a classic 1919 hit & miss engine. Free samples will be available while supplies last throughout the evening. Sponsored by: Price Less Foods, Steve & Misty Stone, 731 Self Storage

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS 🍌

FRIDAY, SEPT. 8

Jugglers, Aerialist, & Fortune Teller

Time: 5:00pm-9:00pm - Location: Street Fair Entrance, Free performances throughout the evening. Xalt Talent Artists will welcome guests to the Tennessee Soybean Festival with their non stop acrobatics and vibrant display. Stop by the free fortune teller to see what your future holds.

Bohemian Facepaint & Henna Artist

Time: 4:00pm-8:00pm - Location: Street Fair Entrance, The Bohemian Monkey will be open to both kids and adults for **free** face painting & henna throughout the evening. Sponsored by: Higher Ground Coffee Co. & Vantage Coffee Roasters at 731.261.0115.

Brothers Osborne Concert

Time: 7:00pm - Location: WK&T Amphitheater, Tickets available for purchase in advance on Eventbrite. Any remaining tickets will be available for purchase at 5:30pm day of show at the WK&T Amphitheater Ticket Box Office. (Pit, Reserved Chair, & Bleacher). Price \$20-\$40

SATURDAY, SEPT. 9

American Legion Ladies' Auxiliary Pancake Breakfast

Time: 7:30am-10:30am - Location: American Legion Post (221 Central St.) Pancake Breakfast \$8 for adults - Ages 6 and under, Free: Call 731-587-4886 for pickup orders

UTM Family Weekend 5K

Time: 7:30am -1K Kid Run, 8:00am 5k - Location: UT Martin Elam Center: 5K Run Pre-Registration Fee of \$10; 1K Kid Run/5K Walk Pre-Registration Fee of \$5. Registration form available at Eventbrite

Cars & Coffee Show

Time: 8:00am-12:00pm - Location: First Baptist Church Parking Lot. This event is free to attend and free to enter your car, truck, or bike. Come enjoy a beautiful morning in Martin, TN with free coffee and doughnuts. Awards will be given for best car, truck, & bike | Mayor's Choice | Best Club Participation. Sponsored by Stanley Black & Decker

West Tennessee Dairy Show

Time: 10:00am - Location: Ned Ray McWherter Ag Complex, Open and Junior Show, Juniors receive additional premium. Animals may arrive on September 9th and entries will be accepted morning of show. This is free for public to attend and watch. Contact Freeman Brundige for any questions, 731.446.6248.

Break For Bach

Time: 10:00am - Location: Martin Public Library, Join pianist and harpsichordist Elaine Harriss, violinist Bethany Ostenson, and friends for a program of refreshing music by J. S. Bach and his contemporaries.

Martin & Soybean History Exhibit

Open Times: 10:00am -12:00pm & 5:00pm -7:00pm
Location: CE Weldon Building

Martin Merchant Sidewalk Sale

Time: Open hours vary per business Location: Historic Downtown Martin Explore our locally owned Martin businesses at the merchant sidewalk sale. It's the perfect time to pick up a gift or even something for yourself while supporting our local shops.

Soybean Street Fair

Time: 10:00-midnight - Location: Historic Downtown Martin. Eat, explore, and shop from 60+ vendors at annual Soybean Street fair.

Midway & Amusement Rides

Time: 12pm till Midnight - Location: Downtown Martin. Individual ride tickets on sale at midway box office. Armband special from 11am-2pm for \$25.

Tyson BBQ Awards Ceremony

Time: 12:00pm - Location: Virginia Weldon Park, Winners of the cook off announced in Virginia Weldon Park.

Sea Lion Splash Show

Show Times: Noon, 5:30pm, 7:30pm, & 9:30pm Free to everyone. Sponsored by: First Community Bank of the Heartland

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Stilt Walker, Jugglers, Lolli Pop Artist, & Fortune Teller

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Russell Dickerson Concert

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