



The Beach Chickens will perform Friday night, August 11, in downtown Hessel at a free street dance.

Beach Chickens, Sault Swing Band To Perform at This Year's Boat Show

Performances by local musicians will provide the entertainment for this year's Les Cheneaux Antique Wooden Boat Show. The Beach Chickens will play Friday night, while Hessel native Callie Hausler and the Sault Swing Band will perform Saturday.

The Beach Chickens, led by Jeff King of Pickford and Ken Izzard of Cedarville, will play on Lake Street in Hessel from 8 p.m. to 11 p.m.

Mr. King is a former Hessel resident who has sung and has played guitar since he was 12. Mr. Izzard has played guitar for more than 30 years. The two musicians have played since the 1980s with bluegrass, blues, and rock bands, including their own bands and North Country Band of Cedarville.

The band now includes Mr. Izzard's son, Josh, 21, on drums, and his daughter, Lauren, 18, a vocalist.

Guest appearances by other local musicians are anticipated throughout the evening's performance.

Callie Hausler now lives in Petoskey, but many remember her singing at the boat show, Les Cheneaux Community Schools, and as a member of a Sault Ste. Marie band while she attended college. She will sing the Star Spangled Banner during opening ceremonies Saturday at 10 a.m.

The Sault Swing Band has performed classic big band, swing, jazz, and blues for nearly 10 years at the boat show. Two performances Saturday will be from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 1:45 p.m. to 3 p.m.

The band features vocalist Lise White of Sault Ste. Marie. Members come together from around the Eastern Upper Peninsula and Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario, and include Fred Bryner and Pete Goehring, both residents of Hessel.

The band has been together for almost 20 years and features saxophones, trombones, trumpets, bass, keyboard, and percussion. The band rehearses every week, and gives close to a dozen performances a year.

Love of Event, History Draws Boat Show Workers Year After Year

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one calculated how much it would cost to pay employees to do the same work. But the volunteers would never hear of it.

They come together each year because of their common love of boats, history, and community. Many of those who first came because they were showing a boat started helping because they were there, but remained helpers long after they stopped showing boats.

Barbara Murray of Cedarville is one of those, and came to the show with her husband, the late Reverend George Murray of First Union Church in Cedarville, when they showed their 1929 Scottish sailing dinghy, *Mary Ellen*, in the first boat show. Mrs. Murray took charge of organizing concessions for 12 years. She plans to work on T-shirt sales this year.

"It's fun," Mrs. Murray said. "It was always just such an exciting day, and I like having a good time with the people I meet, and seeing our summer friends. There's a camaraderie with the people, and it's been a really great time."

She appreciates the fact that the Boat Show Committee has always wanted the Les Cheneaux Islands community to benefit from the crowds the show attracts, and that they always opened concession opportunities to nonprofit groups. Over the years, groups like the Les Cheneaux Lions Club, Les Cheneaux Sportsman's Club, Friends of the Animals, Les Cheneaux Chamber of Commerce, Masons, Les Cheneaux Air Sled Club, churches, and other groups have benefited from selling food at the community's largest event.

Reverend Murray showed his boat for many years, until it was

loaned indefinitely to the Maritime Museum as a display.

"He always joked after that his boat was 'moored at the museum,'" Mrs. Murray said. "He just loved the museums and the Boat Show so much."

Like the Murrays, many of the volunteers work as couples, as families, or even recruit their weekend guests to help.

Marshall Bean, a volunteer since 1985, started helping with his youngest daughter after years as a seasonal resident and Boat Show spectator. He also showed and worked on boats, including a 1940, 16-foot Chris Craft utility with a Model A engine that he eventually traded for a Chris Craft Sportsman. Mr. Bean has the Boat Show in his blood, he said, like "varnish and paint under my fingernails. I just love it!"

"I've been around the area for 57 years, and been running boats since I was five," Mr. Bean said. "I help out because it's been a really good time and I enjoy meeting the people who come to the show. It's a nice, fun-filled day, and I love meeting the people and talking to them."

Mr. Bean started coming the first year of the show, when he carried his four-month-old daughter, Melinda, in his arms. Years later, he brought her along to help when he started working as a volunteer. If she couldn't help that year, his oldest daughter, Marsha, would come in her place.

"It's always been a family thing," Mr. Bean said. "I've had a lot of nice experiences there, and I've loved it all."

Mr. Bean said he remembers a few years when a couple of boats almost sank because someone forgot to put in a plug, or didn't season the wood enough to prevent leaks.

Mr. Bean says he always "keeps an eye on the water line" for signs of trouble when they launch boats.

Like ants wearing bright shirts to make them easily identifiable to spectators and participants with questions, the volunteers will scurry around the show grounds and docks, all but disappearing into the crowd by late morning. Long term planning and an early start to the busy day enable the volunteers to do most of their work when the public can't see it. Experience has

trained the longtime volunteers to start as early as possible and do their hardest work behind the scenes.

Barb Smith, who co-chaired the show this year with Richie Nye, Kress Goldner, and C.C. Vaught, said it was "about time" to honor these volunteers who have helped the show run as well as it does.

"It's just amazing how this thing works!" she said. "And when you put in over 20 years on an event, that's a really long time."

180 Children Enjoy Free Day at Zoo

More than 180 children enjoyed free admission to GarLyn Zoo at Naubinway for its first Kids' Day Celebration Saturday, August 5.

Many dogs and cats were brought to the zoo to promote animal adoption through Mackinac County Animal Control and Animal

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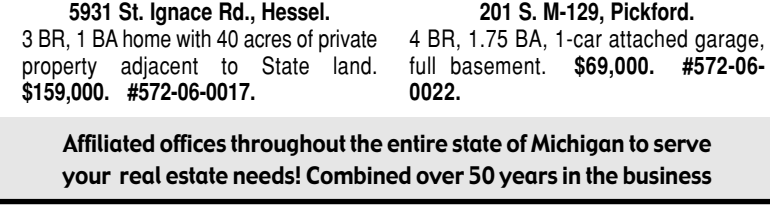
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