

Experience and Explore, the Red Carpet Corridor!

Joliet - Saturday & Sunday - The Route 66 Visitor's Center at the Joliet Area Historical Museum will be open from 8AM to 5PM on Saturday and noon to 5PM on Sunday. Free admission to the Route 66 Experience portion of the Joliet Area Historical Museum. Discounted rates will be available on these days for RCC attendees desiring to experience the Museum's galleries. Joliet Area Historical Museum, 204 N. Ottawa St., Joliet, (815) 723-5201 ext 226

Elwood - Saturday: Are You Elwood? Day-We're searching for our favorite Blues Brother and calling all Elwoods to our stage at Lloyd Erickson Park. We'll take your mug shot before you leave town. Live & DJ Entertainment all day at Lloyd Erickson Park followed by an evening of live Blues entertainment. Bring your roller skates and have a blast from the past at our Bobby Sock Skate at Lloyd Erickson Park. Children's activities and food vendors all day long! Cruise our original village to see the historic homes of Elwood. *Saturday and Sunday:* Don't miss our Children's Garden at Lloyd Erickson Park. 815-423-5011.

Winnington - Saturday - Must stop photo op! Gemini Giant, Dino the Sinclair dinosaur, Elvis cutouts, more. 20-mile bike Red Carpet Ride (9AM), begins/ends downtown, the "Focus on Fleas" flea market, music, Hula & hound contests, cockroach races, RC car racing, food, Check in tent Water & Baltimore. Sunday - North Island park check-in, baby back rib cook-off, morning worship service, Twinkie decorating contest, cupcake contest, children's games and more. 815-476-5991

Bridgwood - Saturday & Sunday: Extended flea market, baked goods, beautiful hanging baskets, craft displays, food, bounce house, clown, Polk a Dot, member of R166 Hall of fame, will be celebrating 25yrs in business; Saturday only-a stop on the 20 mile Exelon Red Carpet Bike Ride on Rt 66. Angie 815-353-3053.

Godley - Saturday - Cruisin' Rt 66 Motorcycle Show & Rodeo, *Sunday*- Cruisin' Car Show, Sunrise Breakfast, Willis Award, **DAILY** - Flea Market, Illinois Rt 66 Mining Museum, Automotive Swap Meet, Children Pavilion w/ Touch-A-Truck, bicycle rodeo, Motorcycle Cowboys Stunt Show, Music, Food, Entertainment.

Braceville - Saturday & Sunday: Visit Braceville on your way down the Corridor to see the history of Braceville and talk to Alice Creech historian of Braceville on Saturday, we will also have fossil displays available for viewing, and great baked good from the church. Don't forget to stop by Mazonia State Park for some great scenery. For more information contact the Village of Braceville at 815-237-8655.

Garther - Saturday & Sunday: Meet & Greet at the diner car & historic jail.

Dwight - Saturday Only - Fun-Games- Food, 2nd Annual BBQ cook-off at Bassett Park, Dogs on Parade, *Saturday & Sunday:* Route 66 Wayside Exhibits, town-wide garage sales, Texaco Welcome Center. 815-584-3077

Odell - Saturday & Sunday: Visit the historic 1932 Standard Oil gas station - souvenirs, soda & nostalgia!

Pontiac - Saturday & Sunday: Special exhibit, "Remembering the 1940's" grand opening at the Route 66 Museum! Arts Festival, food and entertainment on the Square; Chinese Artist Tang Dongbai will be creating an air-brush mural: City-Wide Garage Sales; Jolly Trolley Tours; *Saturday Only:* Touch-A-Truck for Kids at Rec Center; 815-844-5847.

Chenoa - Saturday: Carnival, vendors, live bands and the Chenoa 4th of July Committee's Pork Chops. *Sunday:* Carnival and entertainer Anjanel Folkens. Everything's happening at Chenoa Swimming Pool Park -located directly on Old Route 66. 815-945-7779.

Lexington - Saturday: Events being held at Mounce Automotive 302 S Spencer on Old 66. Lexington Vintage Tractor Show 8AM on Rt 66 walkway www.lexingtontractorshow.com FREE - The Zoo Lady Saturday 10AM.-3PM. Entertainment tent—Elvis is back in town with Lexington School band and singers, featuring Chris Corkery. *Sunday:* FREE - Unique Twist Balloons 10AM—3PM, children's parade 11AM all are welcome to join in! Garage sales both days! 309-365-3331.

Towanda - Saturday & Sunday: Flea market, area garage sales, antiques, food, entertainment and Route 66 Memorabilia at the North Park. *Sunday:* car show on old Route 66, for information call 815-579-6452.

Cattle Bandits Band to play at 1PM at North Park. Be sure and check out Schenk's Route 66 Garage. Come visit for 2 days of family fun! For information on festival call 309-728-2169.

90 Miles of Family Fun
Is Waiting For You!

Plan to spend a weekend on
this self-guided driving tour of
towns and rural areas along
the "Mother Road". Each
town on the tour will be
producing its own event -
There is sure to be
something for everyone!

Entertainment, flea markets,
many garage and yard sales,
antiques, food, historical sites,
exciting vendors and many
Attractions!

For specific town information,
or to inquire about being a
vendor please contact the



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