

Thursday Night Lottery

Once again, the Thursday night thing is as popular as ever! Please read carefully through all our documents. As always, the Lottery is drawing for any Festival goer who correctly submits an application for a Thursday night camp site. It is totally random and we can assure you that no one is given preference. We typically receive about 300 applications for less than 100 spots!

Again, the reason you see folks in the same spot year after year is most likely that they are a VOLUNTEER and have a job to do early in the week or Thursday or Friday to make the Festival happen!!! We do place all our necessary Volunteers in campsites first, then we conduct the Lottery.

Hiawatha is striving for the least amount of disruption on Thursday to the businesses along Enterprise Drive, our new Festival Entrance for vehicles and campers. If you are selected, you will have a time written on your accepted application that indicates what time we would like you to arrive. Hiawatha will fill in the time you are to arrive. *Please plan to arrive at the time listed on your application!!*