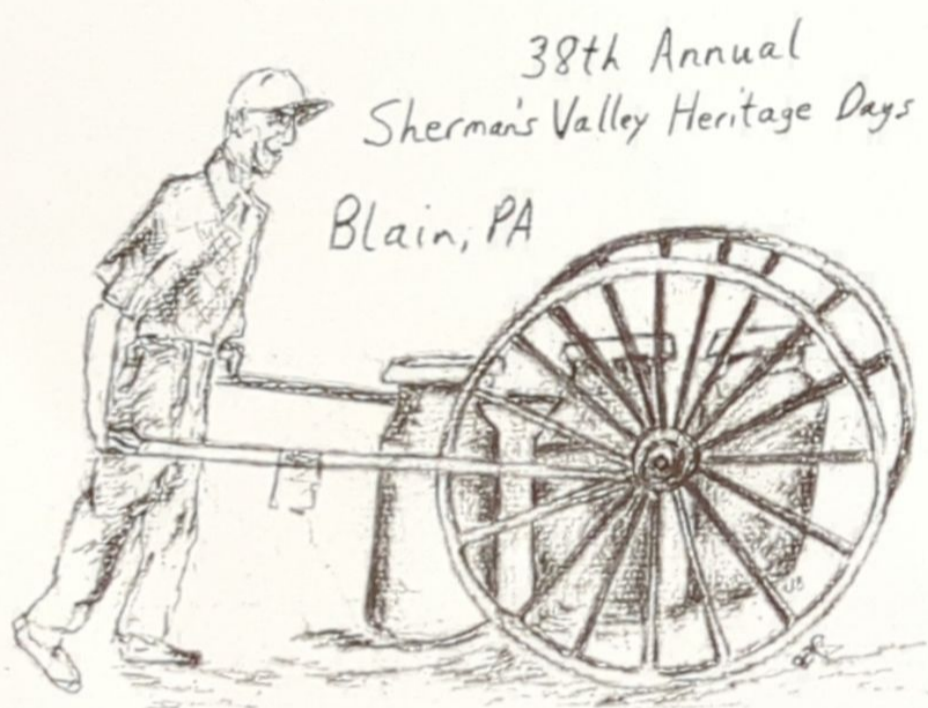


38th ANNUAL

2024

*Sherman's
Valley
Heritage
Days*

**Blain, Pennsylvania
Perry County**



October 11-12-13, 2024

FRIDAY, OCT. 11 • 8:00 am - 9:00 pm

SATURDAY, OCT. 12 • 7:00 am - 9:00 pm

SUNDAY, OCT. 13 • 7:00 am - 3:30 pm

**ADMISSION \$2.00 PER PERSON
UNDER 12 FREE**

Handicapped Parking & Restrooms

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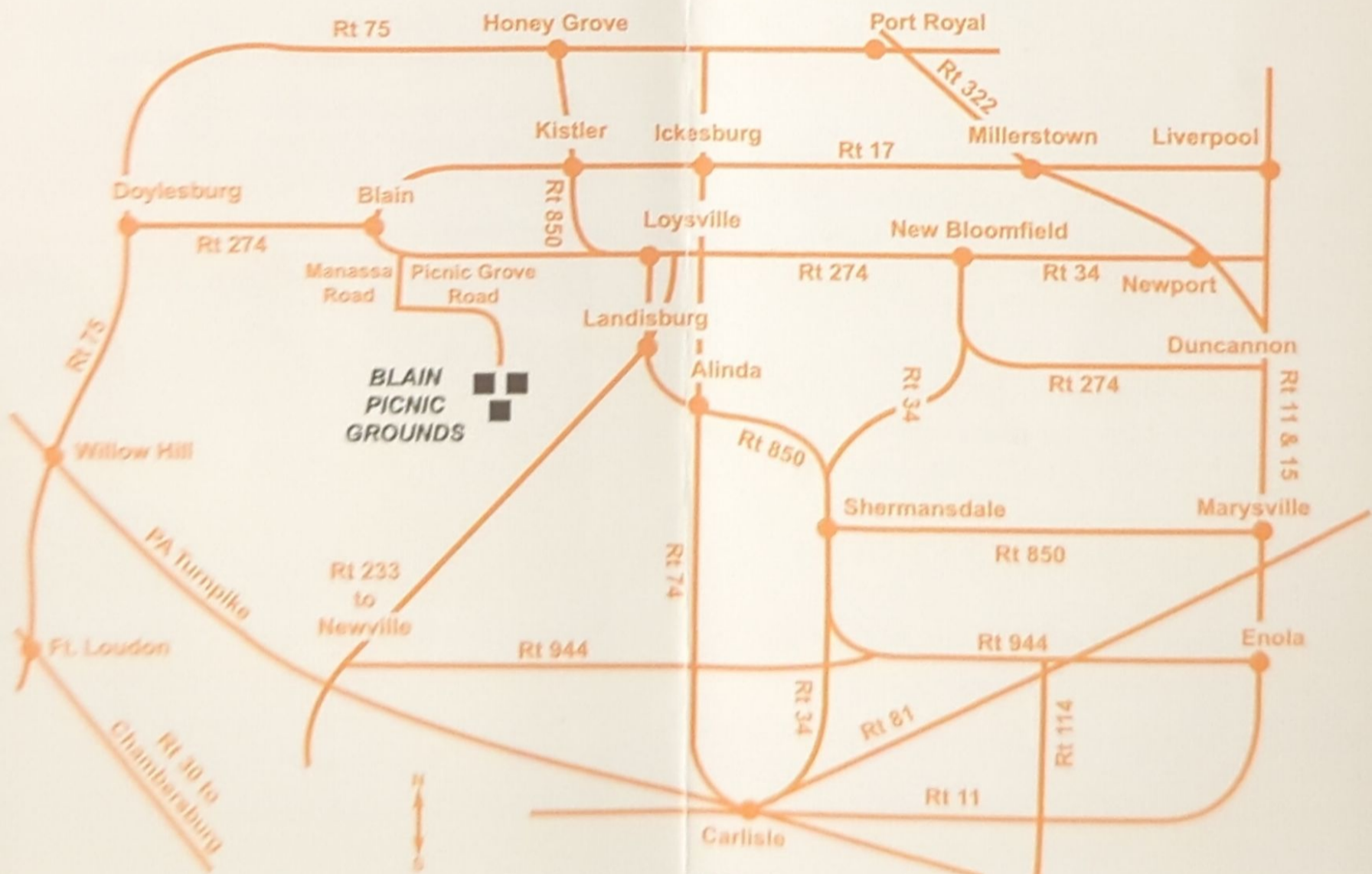


Sherman's Valley Heritage Days, Inc. is a non-profit organization which was founded in 1986. Its purpose is to demonstrate and preserve the role of antique farm equipment, vehicles, hand-craftsmanship, and the heritage of the way things were done in the "Good Old Days", and to educate the public about the importance of preserving items and practices from the past.

The Heritage Days show is organized and run by the Heritage Days association, with Heritage Days members and members of various community organizations volunteering to take part.

Anyone wishing to become a member of Sherman's Valley Heritage Days, Inc. can inquire at the Heritage Days office during the show. Meetings are held once a month throughout the year except for December.

Proceeds from our show are divided among the following community organizations to assist with their operations and outreach to the community: Blain Ambulance Co., Blain Volunteer Fire Co., Blain Senior Citizens' Center, Ladies Auxillary of the Blain Fire Co., Community Library of Western Perry County, Blain Lions Club, Blain Boy Scout Troop 105, West Perry Youth, and Sherman's Valley Heritage Days, Inc.



Google Maps and GPS Address: 532 Picnic Grove Rd. Blain, PA 17006

Friday 8:00 am - 9:00 pm
8:00-5:00 - Heritage Tent demonstrators located in the block building.

11:00 - Chicken Bar-B-Q
12:00 noon - U.S. Flag Ceremony and Prayer
National Anthem (sung by Donna McMillen)
2:00 - Threshing and Baling Straw
3:30 - Chicken Bar-B-Q
4:30 - Old Fashioned Parade
6:00-9:00 - Square Dancing (in block building)
- Keepin' It Simple
7:30 - Flea Market/Craft Area Closes

Saturday 7:00 am - 9:00 pm

7:00-9:00 - Country Breakfast
8:00-5:00 - Heritage Tent demonstrators located in the block building.
9:00 - Horseshoe Pitching Contest
10:15 - Threshing and Baling Straw
11:00 - Chicken Bar-B-Q
12:00 - Noon Whistle, U.S. Flag Ceremony and prayer
National Anthem (sung by Rick Smiley)
12:00 - Hog Maw Dinners (next to Chicken Bar-B-Q)
1:00 - Old Fashioned Parade
2:00 - Amish Quilt Auction
2:30 - Threshing and Baling Straw
5:00-9:00 - The Broken Record Band
(in block building)
7:30 - Flea Market/Craft Area Closes

Sunday 7:00 am - 3:30 pm

7:00-9:00 - Country Breakfast
9:00-10:00 - Blain Community Church Service
in block building (Bring Lawn Chairs)
Guest Speaker - Chalk Talk by Elva Hurst
Music By: Keepin' It Simple
10:00-2:00 - Heritage Tent demonstrators located in the block building.



Sunday Events (continued)

10:30 - Threshing and Baling Straw
10:30 - Chicken Bar-B-Q
12:00 - Noon Whistle, U.S. Flag Ceremony and prayer
National Anthem (sung by Karen Wallace)
1:00 - Old Fashioned Parade
3:30 - Raffle Drawing

Children's Activities Tent

Bring your kids for a fun-filled weekend.

- Coloring Contest
- Pedal Cart Track
- Corn Boxes
- Bean-Bag Toss

Antique Farm Machinery

Antique steam engine, gas engines, tractors & farm equipment demonstrations and displays.

- Threshing
- Corn Husking
- Straw Baling
- Ensilage Cutting
- Circular Sawmill

Antique Gas Engine Displays

For info phone Jay Hamilton 717-364-6729

Antique Cars & Trucks

For info phone Don Smith 223-842-1225 or Eric Smith 717-512-5677

*Antique vehicles must be at least 30 yrs old.

Horseshoe Pitching Contest

Sign-up - 8:30 - 9:00 am Saturday
Contest begins at 9:00 am **SHARP!**

For information phone Ron Hostetter at 717-877-9776



Re-enactors

Historical re-enactor encampments on grounds.

Heritage Demonstrations

Heritage demonstrators are now located at the block building. Working Artisan craftspeople will be demonstrating.

- Weaving
- Woodworking
- Spinning
- Trapping and others

Outside Demonstrations

- Blacksmiths
- Shingle-making
- Timber-framing
- Broom-making
- Chainsaw Carving

For information on being a demonstrator, call David Casner 717-385-3339

- Apple Butter Boil (bring own jars to be filled)
- Appearance by Smokey the Bear

Good Country Food

A wide selection of country foods will be available, including delicious sausage sandwiches, roast pork sandwiches, and scrapple to take home.

-Also-

- Chicken Bar-B-Q
- Fresh Baked Pies
- Fresh Apple Cider
- Homemade open kettle soups and more!

Special Attractions

- National Wild Turkey Federation Sherman's Valley Strutters Home of the Legends sanctioned turkey-calling contest held Saturday after the Old Fashioned Parade. For info., phone Brenda Beal at 717-979-0920
- Jake's Take Aim BB gun trailer airgun range will be present all weekend (weather permitting). For info., phone Joe Saylor at 717-903-2307
- Chalk Talk presentation at Church Service - elvaschalkart.com
- Hatchet-Throwing at the Frontiersman's Camp
- Civil War artillery firing demonstrations
- Stop by our Heritage Days building for a membership.
- We also offer a variety of hats, T-shirts, hat pins, sweatshirts, raffle tickets, and plaques.

Arts & Crafts and Flea Market Spaces

- All Outdoors/By application only.
- All generators **must** be on-site and shut off from 11:00 pm until 7:00 am.
- For information, phone/text Kim Failor at (505) 353-2604
New vendors, call between July 1 and October 1.

* Flea market/craft area closes at 7:30 pm; open at 8 am Friday & 7 am Sat. & Sunday
Spaces are 10'x10' for \$50

* ATM available on grounds.

The Blain Boy Scout Troop 105 located at the main show gate can assist with hauling large purchases to your vehicle. Donations welcome.

Raffles

Cash Raffle-only 250 tickets sold-\$10 each with 6 cash prizes: \$500, \$250, \$100, \$75, \$50, \$25

Drawing - 3:30 pm Sunday
Need not be present to win.

Children's Raffle for ages 17 and under.
Grand Prize: Aalls Chalmers 7080 Pedal Tractor
Tickets - \$1.00 each Drawing - Sunday after Cash Raffle. Need not be present to win.

* If you have questions about displaying tractors, steam engines or farm equipment, contact David Casner at 717-385-3339.

Boilers must have current state inspection.



Thank you for making our show a success.

We hope to see you next year at our 39th Anniversary Show:
October 10 - 12, 2025.

President - David Casner - 717-385-3339
Secretary - Kim Failor - 505-353-2604

We ask, for your protection, that you **observe all safety barriers** around the working machinery and stationary equipment. Also, please do not climb on tractors or any other equipment without the owner's permission.

Our annual show is **always** held on the second weekend of October in western Perry County at the Blain Picnic Grounds outside Blain, PA, so mark your calendars. We hope to see you there.

Ambulance/EMTs present on grounds.
People requiring medical transportation
will be billed by the carrier.

CAMPER SPACE AVAILABLE

By Appointment Only!

Phone/text Dan Spriggle (717) 385-9584
New campers call after July 1st.

Camping fee: \$25 per night

NO water or electric hookups. Bring your own generator. Generators **must** be on-site and shut off from 11 pm until 7:00 am.

NO sewage dumping.

NO merchandise sales at campers.

NO alcohol.

LOADING DOCK AVAILABLE

**** REMINDER ****

2025 Show - October 10 -12
39th Anniversary

**NO PETS, BICYCLES, OR RIDING
HORSES ON GROUNDS.**

*NO golf carts on grounds except for show
officials' use and handicapped
(must have tag).*

