

Summer in the City

July 21-24

Downtown Dowagiac

Festival Opens
Thursday Evening

7:30-9:30 . . . Having opened for such Country greats as Lorrie Morgan, Chris Cagle and Tracy Lawrence, **Jared Knox** takes the stage as Summer in the City kicks off. This is a performance you won't want to miss! This is also **Huntington Night**, honoring the underwriter of our summer concert series!

Friday, July 22

- 9-5 pm . . . Ladies Library Association Book Sale
- 10 am . . . **Sidewalk Sales**, community & craft booths open
- 10-4 . . . Golf cart shuttle provided by Dowagiac Masons & Booth's Country Florist
- 10-5 . . . Enjoy the old-school to cutting-edge Rock & Roll of **Rebel Pride** at the Gazebo, featuring hometown favorite Dennis Ferrier!
- 10-5 . . . Nature's Creek Mobile Zoo & **camel rides!**
- 10-5 . . . Children's inflatables, presented by Judd Lumber
- 11 am . . . Food vendors open, including DASAS walking tacos
- 11-4 . . . **Children's games** presented by Dowagiac Area Federal Credit Union
- 11-4 . . . Roaming street performer presents **circus acts**
- 11-4:30 . . . Dunk a cop for charity!
- 12:30-1:30 . . . Music & Motion with **children's performer** Rick Kelley at Gazebo, hosted by Dowagiac Library
- 1 pm . . . **Youth Bags Tournament**. Ages 13 to 19. Hosted by, with sign-up at Wounded Minnow.
- 1, 3 & 5 . . . **BMX demos** presented by AGA Nation
- 2-7 pm . . . **Taste of Dowagiac**. Enjoy a mix of hors d'oeuvre sized specialties. Tickets, priced at \$10 each, are available at Baker's Rhapsody, Caruso's, Deb's Café, Earl's BBQ, Saylor's Front Street Pizzeria, Wood Fire Italian Trattoria & Wounded Minnow.
- 6 pm . . . Mixed Doubles Bags Tournament. Hosted by, with sign-up at Wounded Minnow.

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Saturday, July 23

- 9-4 pm . . . Ladies Library Association Book Sale. Also, continues Monday during library hours.
- 10 am . . . **Sidewalk sales**, community & craft booths open
- 10-4 . . . Golf cart shuttle provided by Dowagiac Masons & Booth's Country Florist
- 10-5 . . . Nature's Creek Mobile Zoo & **camel rides!**
- 10-5 . . . Children's inflatables, presented by Judd Lumber
- 10:30 - 11:30 . . . Miss Michele & Co. performance
- 11:30 - 12:30 . . . MKSOD performance
- 11 am . . . Food vendors open, including DASAS walking tacos
- 11 am . . . **Amazing Race** steps off. Watch participant teams learn a dance routine from Miss Michele & Co., as they move on to other feats throughout the City. Advance registration forms available at Chemical Bank.
- 11-2 pm . . . **Messytime Activities for Kids** hosted downtown by Dowagiac District Library
- 11-4 . . . **Children's games** presented by Dowagiac Area Federal Credit Union
- 11-4 . . . Roaming street performer presents **circus acts**.
- Noon-3 . . . Children's **pedal cars**, presented by Crystal Springs Camp & Retreat
- 12:30 . . . **Princess Party & Parade**. Little girls enjoy sweet treats, drawings, storytime and photos with Miss Dowagiac.
- 1 pm . . . Dowagiac **Bags Championship**, co-sponsored by Miller Light with sign-up at Wounded Minnow.
- 1, 3 & 5 . . . **BMX demos** presented by AGA Nation
- 1-5 . . . Summer on Tap, **craft brew tasting** event at Gazebo, featuring the acoustic duo of Elliott & Joel
- 2 pm . . . Rubber Ducky Race, hosted by Fine Arts Boosters
- 5 pm . . . Festival wraps up

Sunday, July 24

- 2 pm . . . ACTION presents a **Community Praise Jam** at the Gazebo with music, free hot dogs & ice cream!

Note: Port-a-Johns are located at Beckwith Park & Behind Underwood's. Visitors may also use the public restrooms at the Historic Dowagiac Train Depot.