

56th Annual Ohio K of C State Family Campout July 18-21, 2024

Mercer County Fairgrounds 1001 West Market Street, Celina, OH 45822

Greetings Brother Knights and Families!

Make your plans to attend! The 56th Annual Ohio Knights of Columbus Family Campout has been scheduled for Thursday July 18 thru Sunday July 21, 2024, at the Mercer County Fairgrounds in Celina, Ohio, hosted by Fort Recovery Council #3324. Join us for a weekend of fun, food and friendship!

Come early in the week and enjoy some local attractions on your own....MVP Dairy, Maria Stein Heritage Museum, Maria Stein Shrine of the Holy Relics, Fort Recovery Historical Museum, 39 Mile Scenic Byway featuring The Land of the Cross Tipped Churches, Celina-Coldwater Biking/Walking Path, Franklin Township Greenway Trail for biking or walking, Grand Lake St. Marys, Tony Stewart's Eldora Speedway (Kings Royal week), Bicycle Museum of America, Armstrong Air and Space Museum.

Camping for Friday and Saturday is \$70 with \$30 for each additional night. Indoor activities will be held in the air-conditioned Jr. Fair Building. All sites are electric. Picnic tables will be provided. A hose will be available to fill your water tank if you do not bring water with you. Firewood will be available. Ice available for purchase.

Anyone local not camping but wishing to visit and enjoy the Friday and/or Saturday activities and meals **must pre-register as a Visitor** so we have enough food available. The fee will be \$5 per person for the Friday Carry-In meal (meat provided; bring a side) and \$10 per person for the Saturday meal (all food provided). If you are not camping folk and live farther away but want to join the festivities following are a few local hotels: just be sure to **pre-register with the K of C campout committee as a Visitor**.

- Best Western Celina, 2020 Holiday Drive, Celina, Ohio 45822; 419-586-4919
- West Bank Inn, 1055 West Bank Road, Celina, Ohio 45822; 419-584-3625
- Romer's Westlake Hotel Villas, 1100 S Main St, Celina, OH 45822; 419-584-1444
- Americas Best Value Inn, 1421 State Route 703, Celina, OH 45822; 419-586-4656
- The Gels Home Bed and Breakfast, 507 N 2nd St, Coldwater, OH 45828; 419-678-3288

We hope to see you at the 56th Annual 2024 State K of C Family Campout! Register by mailing the registration form before July 1, 2024. Reservations after this date cannot be guaranteed a site.

We are accepting donations to help defray the cost of the campout and would greatly appreciate any monetary or raffle gifts you may be want to send.

For more information you may call Ginny Fortkamp (419) 852-8960 or email – ohiokofcfamilycampout@gmail.com

Looking forward to seeing you July, 2024! Fort Recovery Council #3324 State Campout Committee