

Daniel Parker Memorial Triathlon — Run • Bike • Canoe

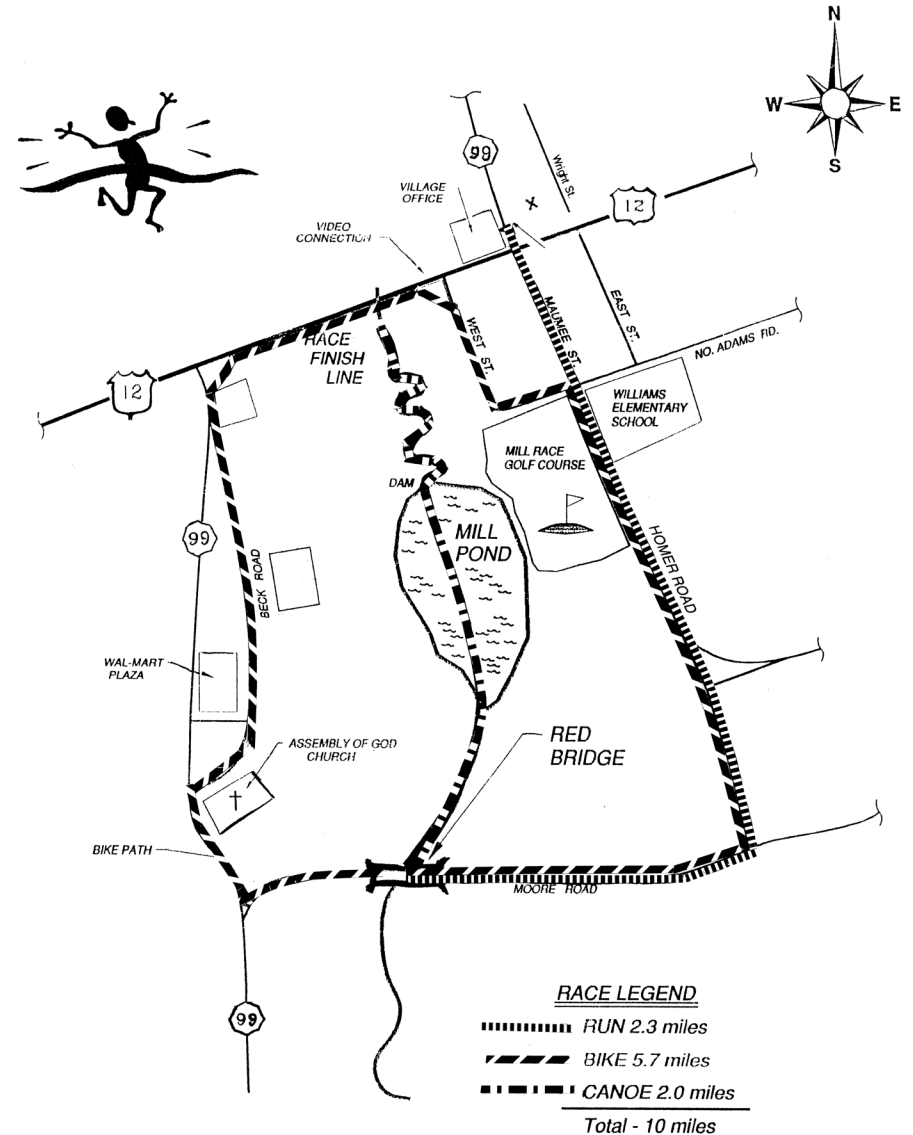
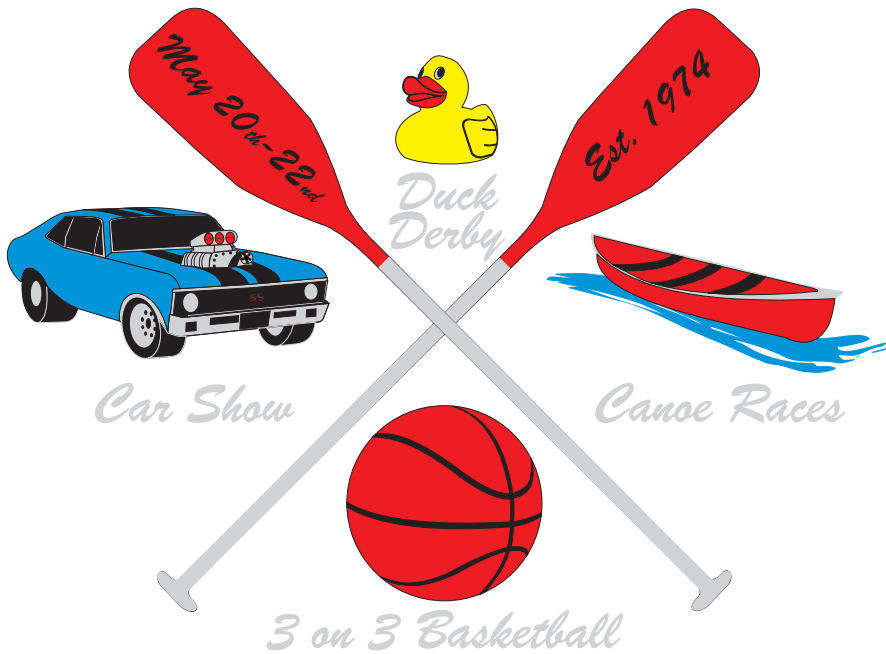
Sponsored by Jonesville Health Care

Friday, May 20 • Carl Fast Park

Registration—Between 4:00 & 5:30 p.m. at Jonesville Finish Line

Race Start—6:00 p.m.

37th Annual
*Jonesville
Riverfest*
2011



Cash Awards & Medals Awarded to Fastest Teams—1st, 2nd & 3rd places
<http://.facebook.com/captainpirateship?ref=profile>

TRIATHLON RULES

Entry Fees and Deadline

Mail entry form, fees signed waiver of liability, and parental consent, when appropriate. Make check payable to **Jonesville Riverfest Committee**, and mail to **P.O. Box 124, Jonesville, Michigan 49250**. The entry fee is \$9.00 per person, per race. **DEADLINE** for entry without penalty is **NOON May 20**; thereafter, the entry is \$10.00 per person, per race.

Registration and Start

Shot gun start. Contestants must register by mail or from 4:00 to 5:30 p.m. May 20, at the Riverfest Finishline. Race numbers will be determined by the order in which the entry forms are received. Runners must report to Carl Fast Park Pavilion by 5:45 p.m. Race will begin at 6:00 p.m. Bikers must go to Red Bridge second leg position.

Contestants must provide own transportation to race start locations.

Tagging

Contestants must tag their teammate on the hand before proceeding to the next portion of the race. Tags shall be made at Red Bridge.

Drop Out

Drop out teams must report to the radio observer at the nearest check point to obtain pickup and keep the records clear.

Disqualification and Sportsmanship

Any team receiving help during any portion of the race shall be disqualified. Commonly accepted rules of sportsmanship will prevail. Intentional contact with opponent, capsizing of, or damage to the opponent's canoe or bicycle shall result in disqualification. Only short portages across obstructions in the river will be allowed. Canoes must stay in the water in the shallow areas.

Protests

All protests must be submitted **IN WRITING** within 20 minutes of the finish of the last canoe in the race. No protests after awards are given.

All decisions by protest committee are final.

Awards and Finishing

No Times released until 15 minutes after the finish of the last canoe. Awards will be presented at the U.S. 12 Finishline 10 minutes after times have been posted. The first three fastest overall times will receive a cash prize and a medal. The fastest runner and the fastest biker determined by split times will receive a special prize provided by the Bike Peddler.

Running and Bicycling Regulations

Runners must stay in designated areas. All passing must be done on the left. Slower runners should stay on the far right side of the road. Each bicycle contestant must wear a bicycle helmet. Bicyclists shall stay on the right side of the road. All passing must be done on the left. Bicyclists must follow the designated bicycle route. Boundaries shall be marked.

Canoe Regulations

Each canoe contestant must wear a Coast Guard Approved life preserver at all times while in canoe no matter the age or weather conditions.

Canoe: Canoes must be occupied by two (2) canoeists. **Aluminum canoes only** and shall be the product of a regular manufacturer. Maximum length 18' 6". **Beaver and all other aluminum racing type canoes will be handicapped 3 minutes.** Canoes are available for rental for a fee of \$10.00. A limited number of canoes will be available and will be distributed on a first come first serve basis.

Paddles: Single blade paddles only. Paddles may be of any width.

It is recommended that contestants have a bike handler at the Red Bridge to grab and be responsible for the bike. Otherwise, volunteers will be available. You will need to retrieve the bike as quickly as possible following the race.



Castle Bounce House

G. Carl Fast Park
Sunday, May 22nd
11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

JONESVILLE FIRE DEPARTMENT BBQ

SATURDAY, MAY 21st

Starting at 11:00 a.m. until ???

Serving HALF a CHICKEN or SMOKED PORK CHOPS
with Beans, Cole Slaw and Roll for
\$8.00 Adult — \$5.00 Children

4th Annual

WATERBALL COMPETITION

Who: Area Fire Departments

What: Waterball Competition

Where: G. Carl Fast Park on US 12

When: Sunday, May 22nd, 2011, at 10:00 a.m. — ???

Why: Just for Fun !!

Come watch fire fighters compete !!!

American Legion Post 195

VETERANS' RAFFLE

Sunday, May 22, 2011

Jonesville Fire Department — 3:00 - 3:30 p.m.

(Old Town Canoe Co.)

Pathfinder Canoe

14 ft. 10 in.

Tickets \$2 each

THANK YOU

Special Thanks to:

St. Joe River Rats
Grosvenor House Museum Volunteers
National Guard
Jonesville DDA
Reading EMS
Hillsdale County Dive Team
Jonesville Volunteer Fire Department
and Auxiliary
Hillsdale County Sheriff's Department
Domestic Harmony
Riverfest Volunteers
Twin Pines Campgrounds
Gow Construction
Jonesville Village Crew
Jonesville Police Department
Hillsdale Marine Patrol
Jonesville Printing
The Manor Volunteers
Hope House Volunteers
Mark Havens and Litchfield Crew

Very Special Thanks to:
Jonesville High School - John Loveless'
Art Class and Kyle Green

Thank You Race Sponsors:

Briner Oil Company
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County National Bank
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Jonesville Eagles #4290
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Jonesville Health Care
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Start and Finish Line Sponsor:
McDonald's

Bounce House Provided By:
A Spectacular Event Party Rental

“RIVER RAT” CLEANUP SPONSORS

Performance Automotive of Jonesville
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Jonesville Veterinary Clinic
Hillsdale Community Theatre
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Richard's Motor Sales
C. Raker and Sons
ABS Rental Service
Cranberry Corners
Custom Embroidery
Republic Waste
CountrySide Trophies
Market House

RACE EVENTS

Friday—

6:00 p.m.—**Daniel Parker
Memorial Triathlon.**
Start: Evans St. / US 12.
Sponsor: **Jonesville Health Care.**

Saturday—

9:30 a.m.—**Mixed Couples.**
Start: Burger King near Fayette
Street Bridge.
Sponsor: **Jonesville Riverfest**

11:00 a.m.—**Junior Fun Cruise.**
12 -16 years. Start: Red Bridge.
Sponsor: **Jonesville Eye Care.**

12:30 p.m.—**Fun Cruise** for the
inexperienced canoeist.
Start: Red Bridge.
Sponsor: **Martinrea
Jonesville LLC**

1:30 p.m.—**Men's Class** over 18.
Start: American Legion.
Sponsor: **Jonesville Lumber.**

2:30 p.m.—**Generations Race.**
Adult 21 and over. Child 12 and
under. Start: Red Bridge.
Sponsor: **Ken Stillwell
Ford-Mercury.**

Sunday—

12:00 p.m.—**Women's Class.**
Start: Burger King near Fayette
Street Bridge.
Sponsor: **Wal-Mart.**

12:00 p.m.—**Corporate Challenge
Race.** Travelling Trophy.
Start: Red Bridge.
Sponsor: **Edward Jones
of Jonesville.**

12:30 p.m.—**Junior Men.** 14-18
years. Start: Burger King near
Fayette Street Bridge.
Sponsor: **Jonesville Rotary
Club.**

1:00 p.m.—**Joe Dillenger
Memorial Open Class.**
Start: American Legion.
Sponsor: **CNB.**

1:30 p.m.—**Cruising Class.**
Start: Sandy Beach.
Sponsor: **Jonesville Eagles
#4290.**

2:00 p.m.—**Kayak Race.** 14 and up.
Start: Red Bridge.
Sponsor: **Briner Oil Co.**

3:00 p.m.—**Tom Sawyer Raft
Race.** 12 years and under.
Start: Behind Jonesville Plaza.
Sponsor: **Jonesville Business
Association.**

4:00 p.m.—**Duck Derby.**
Fund-raiser for:
Domestic Harmony.
Start: Canoe Race Finish Line.
**For Event Information Call:
Dana Kyser — (517) 320-1403
or Lenore Spahr (517) 398-3544**

Jonesville Business Association ARTS and CRAFTS SHOW

Saturday 9:00 - 5:00 — Sunday 12:00 - 5:00
DOWNTOWN JONESVILLE
jonesvillebusiness.org
or (517) 849-9151 for more information

FESTIVAL ACTIVITIES

Friday—

4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.—

Registration at Jonesville Finishline

6:00 p.m.—**Triathlon**

Saturday—

7:00 a.m. to 10 a.m.—

Grosvenor House Pancake

Breakfast. Wright Street Gym.

Under 5 free, 5-10 \$2.00,
all others \$5.00

8:30 a.m.—**Rotary 3 on 3 Basketball**

Tournament. High School Gym—

Elem. reg. 8:30 a.m. Start 9 a.m.

Jr. High reg. 12:30 p.m. Start 1 p.m.

Call John Barrett 849-1085.

9:30 a.m.—**Canoe Races Begin.**

See Race Events.

9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.—**Jonesville Post**

Office Passport Fair.

9:00 a.m. to 5 p.m.—**Arts and Crafts.**

9:00 a.m. to 4 p.m.—**Charity Car &**

Bike Show. Sponsored by The
Manor / ABATE.

10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. —**MI Child**

Identification Program. Jones-

ville Police Dept., 116 W. Chicago.

11:00 a.m.—**Pork Chop/Chicken**

BBQ. Jonesville Fire Station.

Come early, BBQ sells quickly.

11:00 a.m.—**Jonesville Jill's Pie Sale.**

Jonesville Fire Station.

Come early, pastries sells quickly.

11:00—**Pure Energy Cloggers.**

Next to Jonesville Fire Department,
in front of Jonesville Lumber.

12:00 p.m. to 4 p.m.—**Grosvenor**

House Museum Tours and old-
fashioned children's games.

Jonesville High School Arts Display

throughout downtown.

Reading EMS Ambulance on Site.

4-H Food Concessions.

Boy Scout Troop 247

Pioneering Display.

3:00 and 7:00 p.m.—**Town and Country**

Chorus. Sage Center,

Hillsdale College.

8:30 p.m. to 12 p.m.—**Party on the**

Patio. Saucy Dogs. Weather

permitting.

Sunday—

8:30 a.m.—**Rotary 3 on 3 Basketball**

Tournament. High School Gym—

High school reg. 8:30 a.m. Start 9

a.m. Open reg. 12:30 p.m. Start 1

p.m. Call John Barrett 849-1085.

10:00 a.m.—**Waterball Competition.**

G. Carl Fast Park. Between area

fire departments.

10:00 a.m. to 5 p.m.—**National Guard**

Military Equipment Display.

G. Carl Fast Park. Celebrating

Veterans' Appreciation Day.

11:00-2:00—**Castle Bounce House.**

G. Carl Fast Park

12:00 p.m.—**Canoe Races Begin.**

See Race Events.

12:00 p.m. to 5 p.m.—**Arts and Crafts**

Fair.

Jonesville High School Arts Display

throughout downtown.

Reading EMS Ambulance on Site.

Children's Activities.

3:00 p.m.—**Tom Sawyer Raft Race**

4:00 p.m.—**Domestic Harmony**

Duck Derby

CANOEING RULES and REGULATIONS

Entry Fees and Deadline: Mail entry form, fees, signed waiver of liability, and parental consent, when appropriate, to Jonesville Riverfest Committee, P.O. Box 124, Jonesville, Michigan 49250. The entry fee is \$9.00 per person, per race.

DEADLINE for entry without penalty is **NOON, May 20**; thereafter, the entry is \$10.00 per person, per race.

Registration and Start: Contestants must register at Jonesville Finishline anytime during Riverfest up until one hour before start of race. Then report to start line no later than 20 minutes before scheduled start of race. Starting positions will be determined by the order in which entry forms are received. Canoes will start at (3) three minute intervals with winners being determined by the fastest time.

Drop Out: Drop out teams must report to the radio observer at the nearest check point to obtain pickup and keep the records clear.

Disqualification and Sportsmanship:

Any team receiving help during any portion of the race shall be disqualified. Commonly accepted rules of sportsmanship will prevail. Intentional contact with opponent, capsizing of, or damage to the opponent's canoe shall result in disqualification. Only short portages across obstructions in the river will be allowed. Canoes must stay in the water in the shallow areas. Canoes shall go under all bridges except Bacon Street Bridge and Packer's Cement Bridge. Canoeists must portage on left-hand side at Jonesville Mill Pond Dam and Packer's Cement Bridge. Any team receiving help while portaging is immediately disqualified.

Protests: All protests must be submitted **IN WRITING** within 20 minutes of the finish of the last canoe in the race. No protests after awards are given. *All decisions by protest committee are final.*

Awards and Finishing: No times released until 15 minutes after the finish of the last canoe. Awards will be presented 10 minutes after times have been posted. **The first three places will receive cash prizes and medals in all canoe races. Special award for 25 mile cup race.**

Canoe Regulations Canoe: Canoes must be occupied by two (2) canoeists, except for the Cup, Open and Cruising Class. Aluminum canoes shall be the product of a regular manufacturer. Maximum length 18' 6". **Aluminum canoes must be used in all classes except Generations, Cruising, Fun, Cup and Open. Open Class regulations, canoes 17' and under, any material.** Cruising canoes may be made of any material or combination of materials with built in buoyancy of 25#. Fun Cruise, Generations and Open Class canoes may be of any material*. **Beaver and all other racing type canoes in all other classes except Cruising, Cup and Open Class will be handicapped 3 minutes.** A limited number of rental canoes, paddles and life jackets will be available on a first come first serve basis for a fee of \$10.00. **Paddles:** No restrictions.

Life Preservers: Each canoe contestant must wear a Coast Guard Approved life preserver at all times while in canoe no matter the age or weather conditions.

Kayak Regulations: Double bladed paddles only. Must be 14 or older and wear PFD.



Barrett Insurance is sponsoring the Hillsdale County and Branch County Humane Society Saturday, May 21, 9am-4pm. Adopt a Pet and receive a free bag of dog or cat food courtesy of Jonesville Wal-mart.

**PETTING
ZOO
Sat—1pm-4pm**

**PLANT
SALE
Sat—10am-4pm
Sun—12pm-4pm**



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PARTY on the PATIO

SATURDAY,
MAY 21st



8:30 p.m. - 12:00 p.m

at SAUCY DOGS

Weather
Permitting!

21th Annual Show & Shine

Riverfest Charity Car & Bike Show

Presented by

The Manor

Where Every Child Matters

Co-sponsored with . . .

ABATE OF MICHIGAN

American Bikers Aiming Toward Edu-
cation — Region #13
Blessing of the Bikes

Saturday, May 21, 2011 — Rain or Shine

Car Corral and Swap Meet

G. Carl Fast Memorial Park Downtown Jonesville, at the corner of US-12 & M-99

\$10.00 or donation of your choosing per Car/Bike

Call or Email Jon Beal, event coordinator, at jonbeal@the-manor.org

517-849-2151 ext. 1021 or 269-317-8229 after 5 p.m.



HILLSDALE COUNTY DOMESTIC HARMONY

Sunday, May 22, 2011

4:00 p.m.

RIVER PARK, JONESVILLE, MICHIGAN

You need not be present to win.

GRAND PRIZE

14k Yellow Gold and Diamond Earrings

— ROGER LOSEY JEWELERS

MANY, MANY, MANY PRIZES TO WIN!

- \$1000 Cash — Anonymous
- 14k White Gold Diamond Circle Pendant — Roger Losey Jeweler
- 14k White Gold Cirrine Pendant — Roger Losey Jeweler
- Six Diamond 14k White Gold Pendant — Roger Losey Jeweler
- 1-yr. Membership — Hillsdale College Sports Complex

Many more prizes !!

Tickets are \$5.00 each . . . available at

Kroger, Fifth Third Bank, Southern Michigan Bank and Trust, and Gold Star

37th ANNUAL JONESVILLE RIVERFEST

MAY 20, 21, 22, 2011

We are looking for volunteers to help run the Jonesville Riverfest Canoe Race.

We need spotters at the riverside during the races to keep track of all paddlers; race starters and time keepers; finish line help, time sheet runners; set up help on Friday afternoon and tear down help on Sunday late afternoon.

Schedules are set up in approximately two to four hour shifts and all volunteers will receive a Riverfest t-shirt. Shifts are Friday, May 20th evening; Saturday, May 21st, morning and afternoon; and Sunday, May 22nd, afternoon.

Please call Dana Kyser 517-320-1403 or Lenore Spahr 517-398-3544 to set up your preferred shift. Contact by May 1st if available to volunteer.

We are seriously in need of volunteers, without your help the races may be in jeopardy.

JONESVILLE RIVERFEST COMMITTEE, INC.

c/o Cathy Church, 1111 W. Sterling Road, Jonesville, MI 49250 — 517/416-0585

JONESVILLE VIDEO VILLAGE PARKING LOT

RIVER RAT CLEAN UP — MAY 7th — (Rain Date 8th)

Lunch Provided — 2011 River Rat T-shirt for 4 Hours Work

RELEASE OF CLAIMS WAIVER

I fully understand that by signing this liability disclaimer, I, on behalf of myself and my agents, heirs and next of kin, assume all risks and hazards incidental to my participation in this activity, including transportation to and from these activities. I do hereby waive, release, absolve, indemnify and agree to hold harmless, collectively and individually, the elected and/or appointed officers, members of the Jonesville Riverfest Committee, Inc. and/or the property owner from any claim by their gross negligence of willful and wanton misconduct.

I agree that if the Jonesville Riverfest Committee, Inc., their members or officers or the property owner are sued by anyone else because of claimed conduct of myself, I will indemnify the Jonesville Riverfest Committee, Inc., and/or the property owner for all damages and costs including attorney fees.

I have read, understand and comply with this agreement.

Name of Volunteer _____

Signature of Volunteer _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian (if Minor) _____

Street Address _____

Phone Number _____ Date _____

In case of emergency please notify

Name _____ Phone Number _____

T-shirt sizes (circle) Small Medium Large XL XXL XXXL

Bring this waiver with you to clean up

Jonesville Riverfest Canoe Races Registration Form

Race Entering _____

Name _____ (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____ Age _____

Adult Responsible for entrants under 18 _____

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____ Age _____

Adult Responsible for entrants under 18 _____

_____ \$9.00 per person,
per race before NOON May 20th

_____ \$10.00 per person,
per race after NOON May 20th

_____ \$10.00 canoe, paddle
and/or life vest rental

_____ \$5.00 paddle and
life vest rental

Preregistration by mail for discount, or at the Jonesville Finish Line between 4:00 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. May 20th for Triathlon. For all other races register anytime the finish line is manned, up to one hour prior to your race start. Complete registration form and sign waiver. Parental signature needed for contestants under 18 years.

Make checks payable to

Jonesville Riverfest Committee
and mail with registration form to:
P.O. Box 124
Jonesville, Michigan 49250

This form must be signed for all races entered. Waiver of Liability and Parent's Consent

I/We, the undersigned, attest to the swimming ability of: _____

and _____, I/We consent to the above's participation in all Jonesville Riverfest activities and further hereby release, forgive and forever discharge the Jonesville Riverfest Committee, Inc., and its directors, officers, members, employees, agents and its past, present and future companies, subsidiaries, successors and affiliates from any and all actions, causes of action, claims, demands, damages, including compensatory, exemplary, statutory and punitive damages, costs, attorney fees or other sums of money the above may ever have by reason of any matter, fact, cause or thing of any conceivable kind of character whatsoever, from the beginning of the world through the date of all Jonesville Riverfest activities, including, specifically, but not by way of limitation, for any and all injuries the above may sustain by participation in any Jonesville Riverfest activities. This release is not merely a recital but is contractual in nature. It may be plead as a full and complete defense to any action, suit or other preceding which may be instituted, prosecuted or attempted in breach of this release. It shall be construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Michigan.

I/We have carefully read this release and I/we fully understand the consequences of its execution and do so as my free act and deed.

Emergency contact number _____ Date _____

Signature of Contestant _____ Signature of Parent of Minor Contestant _____

Signature of Contestant _____ Signature of Parent of Minor Contestant _____

Check out our website
www.jonesvilleriverfest.org

Special Note
CASH PRIZES!
for Canoe and Kayak Races
1st, 2nd and 3rd Places
**SEE INSIDE FOR
NEW RACE TIMES!**

Jonesville Riverfest Committee
P.O. Box 124
Jonesville, MI 49250