WARRENS CRANBERRY FESTIVAL

THE CRANFEST SCOOP

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Warrens Cranberry Festival

September 22-24, 2023

Royalty News :

Warrens Cranberry Festival Royalty

Royal greetings!

We attended the Tomah Senior Center Christmas Party in December. It was a fun holiday party with the seniors.

We visited The Capital & Executive Residence in Madison. They were both decorated beautifully for the Holidays. We took lots of pictures on the cold snowy day.

We look forward to attending the Westby Ski Jump in early February.

We are excited for all the events to come and are honored to represent the Warrens Cranberry Festival!
Yours truly,

2022-2023 Warrens Cranberry Festival Royalty Queen: Kendall Murdock and Princesses: Abigail Beck and Makenna Roose

Princess Abigail, Queen Kendall, and Princess Makenna
At the Capital in Madison

Festival Membership

2023 Warrens Cranberry Festival Members

Debbie Bauer	Mike Gnewikow	Jack O'Connor
Jeri Betthauser	Tonya Gnewikow	Roxie O'Connor
Jeanne Butzer	Carolyn Habelman	Karen Pierce
Jeff Butzer	David Hall	Mickey Rezin
Cody Copper	Jensen Cranberry Bogs, Inc.	Barth Robinette
Bonnie Dana	Summer Minney	Lisa Scheitler
Robert Dana	Aleda Moseley	Jody Schiel
Deanna Donaldson	Grant Moseley	Shana Steele
Jacob Donaldson	Rebecca Moseley	Jenna Van Wychen
Jessalyn Donaldson	Sara Moseley	Jim Van Wychen
Will Donaldson	Kyra Neumann	Nodji Van Wychen
Deb Frost	Dave Oakes	
Amy Gebhardt	Dottie Oakes	

50th Annual Warrens Cranberry Festival
50 Years of Tradition
22-24 Sept. 2023
Warrens, WI

Sign Up & Join!

Join or renew your Warrens Cranberry Festival Membership for only $5.00

Memberships run Jan to Dec

2023 Membership Form is available on page 3

Sign up for 2023 Warrens Cranberry Festival Membership!

Warrens Cranberry Festival Membership Application January 2023- December 2023

Please print

_____New Membership _____Renewal

Annual Membership Fee $5.00

NAME:_____

ADDRESS:_____

_____

E-MAIL: _____
(We will not share your email)

PHONE: _____ CELL: _____ FAX: _____

Committees you are involved in? _____

Interested in volunteering? Tell us where you'd like to volunteer? _____

_____

_____

Newsletter: Email (monthly) _____ or Postal (quarterly) _____

Other communications: Email_____ Postal_____

Date membership paid_____ Amount $_____

Thank you for your interest in joining the Warrens Cranberry Festival. Festival memberships run from January 2023 through December 2023.

Membership dues are $5.00 annually.

The festival membership meets once a month, the second Monday of each month at 6:00 p.m. There are no meetings in December, January and February.

For more information, contact the Festival Office at:

PO Box 146
Warrens, WI 54666
Phone: 608-378-4200

Fax: 608-378-4250
E-mail: cranfest@cranfest.com
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri. 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

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SCHOLARSHIPS

2023 Warrens Cranberry Festival, Inc. Scholarship Applications are now available.

The Warrens Cranberry Festival is announcing that it is accepting applications for four available scholarships through March 10, 2023. Students selected for the Festival scholarships receive $500 toward their higher education.

The Warrens Cranberry Festival Scholarships are available to Residents of the Tomah Area School District or Alumni. The Festival selects four recipients based on academic ability and achievement, financial need, persistence, service to others, and leadership.

The Warrens Cranberry Festival Scholarships are designed to help cover students' education expenses, tuition, books, or required fees.

Applicants may go to the Tomah School District website for an application or contact the Festival office at 608-378-4200 or email cranfest@cranfest.com Applicants must supply information such as GPA earned, school attending or accepted to and a 300 word essay. The application is also available on the Festival website at www.cranfest.com

Since 1973, the Warrens Cranberry Festival has awarded over $125,000 in scholarship funding to Tomah Area School students. The Royalty chosen each year to represent the Festival also receive a scholarship upon completing a successful reign.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Warrens Cranberry Festival, Inc. Scholarship Application
2023

The Warrens Cranberry festival, Inc. will award a total of Four scholarships in the amount of $500 each. Preference will be extended to Warrens Wisconsin residents.

Eligibility:

1. **Resident of the Tomah Area School District or Alumni**
2. **Statement of why you should be awarded this scholarship**
3. **Deadline for Submission – Must be received no later than March 10, 2023.**
4. **Send photo to cranfest@cranfest.com for press release.**

Applicant Profile:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

E-mail _____

High School Attended: _____

Dates of attendance: From: _____ To: _____

GPA Earned: _____

School/University attending or accepted to following High School graduation:

_____

Please respond to the following question in 300 words or less:
"What is your goal and how will this scholarship help you in accomplishing your goal?"

Provide the name and phone number of 3 references:

1. **Name: _____ Phone Number: _____**
2. **Name: _____ Phone Number: _____**
3. **Name: _____ Phone Number: _____**

Applications for this scholarship must be submitted to:

Warrens Cranberry Festival Scholarships
Warrens Cranberry Festival, Inc.
P.O. Box 146, 402 Pine Street
Warrens WI 54666 Phone 608/378-4200

Cranberry Cuisine

Recipes Inspired by the Cranberry! Bon Appétit!

Cranberry Apple Smoothie

Source: weelittlevegans.com

Ingredients:

- 1 cup cranberries fresh or frozen
- 1/2 of 1 sweet apple – peeled, if desired
- 1 medium very ripe banana, frozen
- 1/4 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1 1/2 cup non dairy milk
- 1-2 tablespoon maple syrup, optional

Directions:

1. Combine all ingredients in blender and blend until smooth.
2. Serve immediately.

Grandma's Cranberry Salad

Source: justapinch.com

Yields: 10-12 servings

Ingredients:

- 1 pkg cherry Jell-o (3 oz box)
- 1 cup hot water
- 1 cup sugar
- 1 Tbsp lemon juice
- 1 cup drained crushed pineapple, juice reserved (8 oz can)
- 1/2—1 cup pineapple juice (use the reserved juice and add water to make 1/2 to 1 cup liquid)
- 1 cup ground cranberries
- 1 orange, ground
- 1/2 cup pecans, chopped

Directions:

1. Boil the cup of water. Dissolve the Jell-o in the hot water in a 9x13-inch pan; mix well. Add sugar, lemon juice, and pineapple juice. Stir to dissolve well.
2. Add the remaining ingredients and mix. Chill overnight.
3. Grandma's notes: Chop the pecans first before getting the blender wet, or you could just buy pre-chopped pecans. Use the blender or food processor to chop up cranberries, then orange, seeded, and partially peeled. The chopped peel gives it that special zing!

Calendar of Events
What's around the corner…and beyond!

January 2023

23 – **WABA Meeting**
5:00 p.m.—Cranfest Office

February 2023

2 – **Ground Hog Day**

8 – **Warrens Community Meal**
Lions Log Building - 4:00-6:00 p.m.

14 – **Valentine's Day**

20– **President's Day**

***Note** No Festival Meeting in February*

March 2023

8 – **Warrens Community Meal**
Lions Log Building - 4:00-6:00 p.m.

12—**Daylight Savings Time Begins**

13 – **Festival Monthly Meeting**
6:00 p.m. Festival Office

17— **St. Patrick's Day**

20—**First Day of Spring**

Cranberry Festival Merchandise For Sale:

T-shirts, sweatshirts, hoodies, hats, tote bags,
prints, buttons, glasses, cookbooks and so much more!

Items can be purchased at the Warrens Cranberry Festival Office, call or stop by...608-378-4200
402 Pine Street, Warrens.

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Did You Know?

(Source: Alwaystheholidays.com)

It takes approximately 200 cranberries to make a can of cranberry sauce.