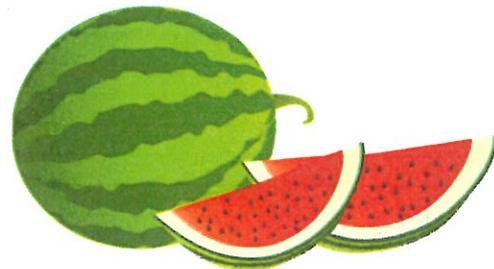


# ATKINS WATERMELON DAYS

HOSTED BY ATKINS COMMUNITY CLUB  
AUGUST 2<sup>ND</sup> & 3<sup>RD</sup> 2019 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

## Friday

- 5:00 pm Helping Hands Concessions  
6:00 Youth Bean Bag Toss Tournament  
Snow Cones (until 8:00 pm)  
6:00 Disc Golf Tournament  
6:00 – 8:00 Kids Games and Rides  
6:30 5K Run and Run/Walk  
6:30 Kiddie Parade  
6:30 – 8:30 Band “Unincorporated”  
7:30 Kids Free Mini-Mini Bale Toss



## Saturday

- 9:00 – 3:00 Gordy Nelson Memorial Car Show (Registration 8:00 – 12:00)  
10:00 Parade (*new parade route – see attached*)  
11:00 Beer Tent – open until midnight  
11:00 – 5:00 Kids Games and Rides  
Benton Band Boosters Dunk Tank and Snow Cones  
11:00 – 7:00 St. Stephens Food Concessions  
12:00 Presentation of Colors – Atkins American Legion Post #217 (By Gazebo)  
12:00 Billy K Murray Band (Gazebo)  
12:00 – 4:00 Bingo in Air-Conditioned City Hall  
1:00 – 4:00 Band “Music by Scott and Annette” (Library Stage)  
N:00 N Adult Bean Bag Toss Tournament (Beer Tent)  
2:00 Watermelon Eating & Seed Spitting Contests (Basketball Court)  
3:00 Watermelon Bowling (Basketball Court)  
4:00 Balloon Toss (Basketball Court)  
5:00 – 7:00 “Music with Mags” (Library Stage)  
6:00 Cow Pie Bingo (Basketball Court)  
7:00 Post Prom Concessions (Beer Tent)  
8:00 – 12:00 Band “Two Buck Chuck” (Library Stage)  
Dusk FIREWORKS – winners will be announced before the fireworks



**\*Check out our Facebook page and the City of Atkins website for more information.\***

# FRIDAY EVENTS

## Concessions

5:00 pm

Grilled Pork Loins & Hot Dogs

Chips, Popcorn, Funnel Cakes, Cotton Candy and Drinks

*Sponsored by Helping Hands Food Pantry*

## Youth Bean Bag Toss

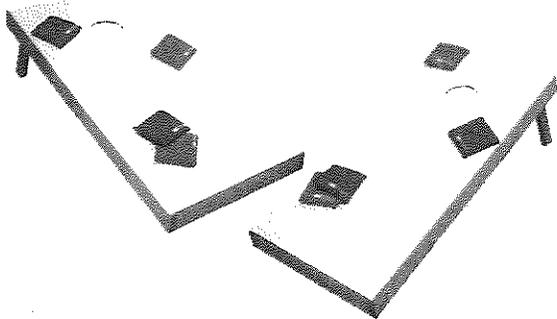
### Tournament

6:00 pm – Atkins City Park

\$5.00 per team

15 years and younger – 2 person teams

Teams Register by 5:45 pm



## Disc Golf Tournament

6:00pm - Soccer Park

2 Rounds of 6 Holes – 12 total

\$5 Entry Fee with 2 Divisions

Bring your own discs. Golf rules with lowest score wins

## 5K Run & 1 Mile Walk/Run

6:30 pm at Park Pavilion

Pick up packets at 5:30 pm

Proceeds support Benton Community Cross  
Country Team

Registration form on our Facebook page

## Kiddie Parade

6:30 pm

5<sup>th</sup> Grade and under join us to the music of  
"Watermelon Crawl"

Decorate your bike, wagon, stroller, yourself or  
dress up for fun!

Line up at 6:15 at Main Ave and 1<sup>st</sup> Street

## Kids Games and Rides

Kids Games and Rides 6:00 – 8:00 pm

Bloomsbury Farm Barrel Train

Early Bird Tickets available for Saturday Games and Rides.

\$20.00 Wristbands sold Saturday only!

## Mini – Mini Bale Toss

7:30 pm

Ages 1 – 5 and 6 – 10 divisions

Sponsored by 4-H Fremont Go Getters

**\*\*INTERSECTION CLOSED AT 2<sup>ND</sup> AVE & PARKRIDGE RD AFTER THE PARADE TILL MIDNIGHT\*\***

## SATURDAY EVENTS

### Gordy Nelson Memorial Car Show



**9 – 3 pm Soccer Park**

**\$10.00 Entry Fee / Registration 8 – Noon**

**Awards at 3pm**

**Contact Dan Cross 319-446-7928 or**

**38fireclub@gmail.com**

### Concessions

**11 am – 7 pm at the Park Pavilion**

**Plate Lunches, Sandwiches, Desserts, Drinks,  
Popcorn and Ice Cream**

**Sponsored by St. Stephens Lutheran Church**

**Post Prom Concessions 7 pm – 12 pm**

**(Beer Tent Area)**

### Kids Games and Rides

**\$20.00 WRISTBAND**

**Unlimited rides and games Saturday only**

**Or \$1.00 per ticket**

**11:00 am – 5:00 pm**

Children's Games

Fast Pitch

Carousel

Tubs of Fun

20 ft. Slide

Fire Trucks

Kids Bounce House

Calamity the Clown – Balloon Creations

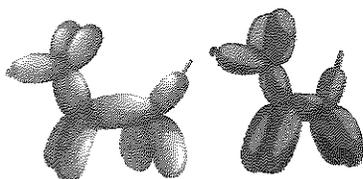
Obstacle Course

Rock Climbing Wall

Swing Chair

Jumping Bean

Dunk Tank



### Parade

**10:00 am**

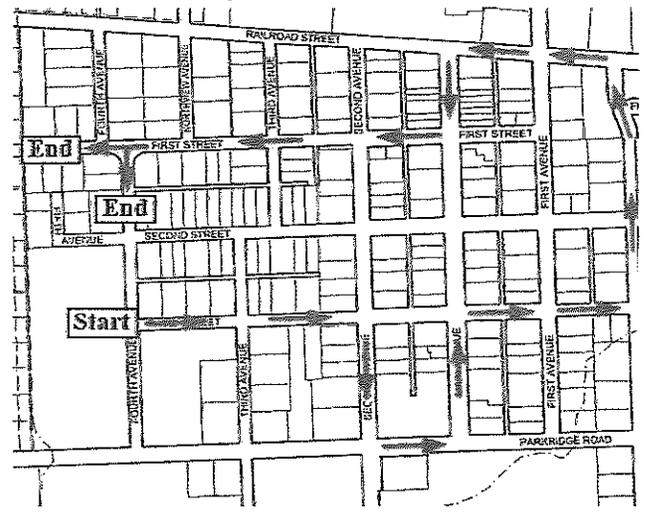
**Starts at the Atkins Elementary School**

**Registration at 8:30 am**

**For more information contact**

**Joy Greiner 319-310-8120 or**

**Karey Dirks 319-423-2548**



### Beer Tent

**11 am to Midnight**

**By the Library parking lot!**



**Billy K. Murray Band**

**Listen at the Gazebo at Noon**



**In Air-Conditioned City Hall**

**12:00 to 4:00**

### Adult Bean Bag Tournament

**16 years and older – 2 person teams**

**\*\*New Start time\*\* Noon at the Beer Tent**

**Registration at 10:30**

**\$20.00 per team**

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**SATURDAY EVENTS CONTINUED**

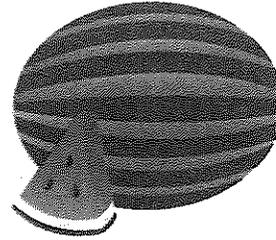
**Watermelon Eating, Seed Spitting, Bowling and Balloon Toss Contests**

2:00 pm Eating and Spitting

3:00 pm Bowling

4:00 pm Balloon Toss

Sign up at the Ticket Tent.



**FREE Watermelon until it's gone!**



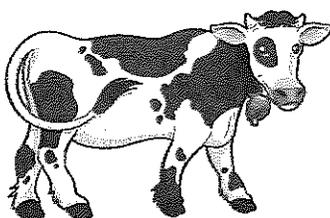
**Cow Pie Bingo**

\$10.00 Chance to Win \$1000.00

Need not be present to win.

Tickets available from any Legion or Fire Department member or August 3rd at the Ticket Tent in the park.

Cow Pie Bingo starts at 6:00 pm  
Winners will be announced that evening.



**"Music by Scott and Annette"**

1pm – 4pm

**"Music by Mags"**

5pm – 7pm

Library Stage

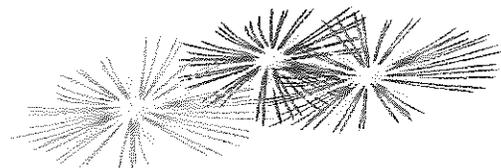
**Live Band "Two Buck Chuck"**

8:00 pm to Midnight on the Library Stage

\*Fireworks intermission at dusk\*

**Fireworks at Dusk**

Sponsored by City of Atkins and Atkins Community Club



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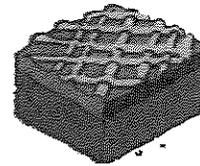
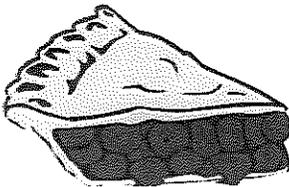
## MISC INFO

### Hey Dessert Lovers!

We love serving slices of fresh baked pies and bars during Watermelon Days. However, we need your donations of pies and bars to keep the tradition going.

Please drop off your dessert the morning of Saturday, August 3rd, at the pavilion. If you wish to pick up your pan later, **make sure your name is clearly marked on it.**

Please, no cream pies due to heat.

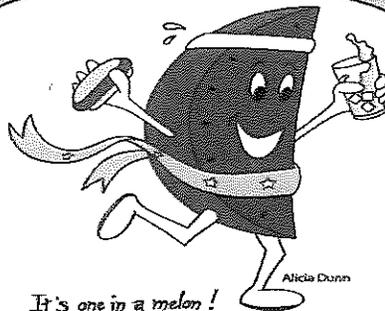


### T-Shirts

Original design created by Alicia Dunn.

\$15.00  
Adult & Child Sizes

Available at the Atkins Library or Friday night from 5:30 to 8:30 and Saturday at the Ticket Tent in the park.



*It's one in a melon!*

### Free Kids and Teen Raffle

Sign up at the Ticket Tent at the park

Kids Raffle - Up to 12 years old

Girls 5 - \$10.00 Target Gift Cards

Boys 5 - \$10.00 Target Gift Cards

Teen Raffle - 13 to 19 years old

6 - \$15.00 Visa Gift Cards

### Adult Raffle

Tickets available Friday night and Saturday at the Ticket Tent in the park.

Tickets are \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00

**Grand Prize – 50/50 Raffle**

2<sup>nd</sup> Place – \$100.00 Visa Gift Card

3<sup>rd</sup> Place – \$50.00 Atkins Lumber Gift Card

4<sup>th</sup> Place – \$50.00 Rambling Rose Gift Card

Help needed at the park for set-up on Thursday, August 1st at 6:00 pm.

Also for tear-down on Sunday, August 4<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 am!