

# 72<sup>nd</sup> TABOR CZECH DAYS CELEBRATION



*Schedule as of June 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2021  
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## **THURSDAY JUNE 17, 2021**

6:00 p.m. – **MERRIAM'S MIDWAY SHOWS** – Main Street Midway (NO WRIST BANDS. Only Regular Sales Tickets on Thursday)  
6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. – **CRAFT FAIR & SUE SOUHRADA MEMORIAL QUILT SHOW** – School Gym  
7:30 p.m. -- **TABOR BLUEBIRDS BASEBALL GAME vs. LESTERVILLE** – Leonard Cimpl Park  
10:00 p.m. -- **RICH SCHILD MEMORIAL FIREWORKS DISPLAY** – Leonard Cimpl Park

## **FRIDAY JUNE 18, 2021**

10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. – **CRAFT FAIR & SUE SOUHRADA MEMORIAL QUILT SHOW** – School Gym  
-- **CHAIN SAW CARVINGS** – Jeff Klatt, [www.runawaysaws.com](http://www.runawaysaws.com) -- Location TBD  
10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. -- **INFORMATION/SOUVENIR CENTER** – South of Community Center  
10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. – **QUEEN CANDIDATE HERITAGE & COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT DISPLAY BOARDS**  
– Czech Heritage Museum  
10:45 a.m. – **CZECH HERITAGE MEMORIAL SERVICE**– Sokol Park Stage  
12:00 Noon – **MERRIAM'S MIDWAY SHOWS** – Main Street Midway  
(Advance sale wristbands, regular sale wristbands and tickets can be used)  
(Wristband Sessions 12noon-5pm and 5pm-10pm)  
12:00 Noon – **THE HAPPY PLAYERS POLKA BAND** – North Main Street by CorTrust Bank  
1:00 p.m. – **GIANT PARADE** – Led by the 2021 Parade Marshalls Ken and Vicky Carda  
3:00 p.m. – **OPENING PROGRAM** – Sokol Park Stage; Jean Hunhoff & Matt Hunhoff, MC's  

- Presentation of Colors – Tabor American Legion
- National Anthem – Abbey (Hunhoff) Peltier
- Retirement of Colors – Tabor American Legion
- Welcome – 2019 Czech Days Royalty, Queen Sydney Kubal, Prince Jaden Bult and Princess Kenzley Souhrada
- Recognition of Former Czech Days Queens
- Recognition of Former Czech Days Prince and Princesses
- Recognition of Czech Days Parade Marshalls Ken and Vicky Carda
- Recognition of Marit Lee Kucera, Honorary Consul General of the Czech Republic in St. Paul
- Recognition of Jan Kubista, Deputy Consul General of the Czech Republic in Chicago
- Recognition of Anna Cookova, Online Czech Language and Culture Instructor
- Dedication of 72<sup>nd</sup> Tabor Czech Days to Amelia Rokusek
- Dedicatory Address – Paul Hunhoff
- Czech National Anthem – Michael Koranda

  
3:25 p.m. – **INTRODUCTION OF 2021 CZECH DAYS QUEEN CANDIDATES** – Sokol Park Stage  
Miss Drew Hejna  
Miss Ciera Himes  
Miss Camille Sykora  
3:30 p.m. – **BOHEMIAN TRACTOR PULL** – South of St. Wenceslaus Church on Yankton Street  
3:50 p.m. – **PARADE AWARDS** – Sokol Park Stage  
4:00 p.m. – **THE HAPPY PLAYERS POLKA BAND** – Sokol Park Stage  
5:00 p.m. – **GREGORY POLKA BAND** – Sokol Park Stage  
6:15 p.m. – **NASE MALA KAPELA POLKA BAND & POLKA DANCE-OFF CONTEST** – Sokol Park Stage  
7:00 p.m. – **QUEEN CANDIDATE ORATORY, ONSTAGE INTERVIEW & KROJ JUDGING** – Sokol Park Stage  
8:00 p.m. – **TABOR 1890 BAND CONCERT** – Sokol Park Stage  
8:30 p.m. – **CHAIN SAW CARVING AUCTION (4 Carvings) & COUNTDOWN CALENDAR DRAWING \$250** – Sokol Park Stage  
8:45 p.m. – **TABOR BESEDA DANCERS (40 Dancers)** – Sokol Park  
9:45 p.m. – **KAUL BOYS FREE CONCERT** – Sokol Park Stage

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## **SATURDAY JUNE 19, 2021**

- 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. – **CRAFT FAIR & SUE SOUHRADA MEMORIAL QUILT SHOW** – School Gym  
-- **CHAIN SAW CARVINGS** – Jeff Klatt, [www.runawaysaws.com](http://www.runawaysaws.com) -- Location TBD
- 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. -- **INFORMATION/SOUVENIR CENTER** – South of Community Center
- 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. – **QUEEN CANDIDATE HERITAGE & COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT DISPLAY BOARDS**  
– Czech Heritage Museum
- 10:30 a.m. – **KIDDIE PARADE** – 1 Block East of St. Wenceslaus Church on Vyborny Street
- 11:00 a.m. – **BALLOON ANIMALS & GOAT KIDS PETTING ZOO** – Sokol Park
- 11:45 a.m. -- **INTRODUCTION OF FORMER CZECH DAYS PRINCE AND PRINCESSES** – Sokol Park
- 12:00 Noon – **MERRIAM'S MIDWAY SHOWS** – Main Street Midway  
(Advance sale wristbands, regular sale wristbands and tickets can be used)  
(Wristband Sessions 12noon-5pm and 5pm-10pm)
- 12:00 Noon – **KIDDIE PARADE AWARDS** – Sokol Park Stage, Jean Hunhoff & Matt Hunhoff, MC's  
-- **CROWNING OF 2021 CZECH DAYS PRINCE AND PRINCESS**  
(Must be between the ages of 8 years old and not yet 12 years old at the time of selection)
- 12:30 p.m. – **CZECH HERITAGE RE-ENACTMENT PRESENTATIONS** – Sokol Park Stage, *Free-Will Donation*  
Msgr. Emmanuel A. Bouska – Longtime St. Wenceslaus Parish Priest  
Janda Families – Founders of Tabor and Tabor Businesspeople  
Sister Katherine Koupal – Involved in the Creation of the Mayo Clinic  
Charles & Magdalena Stibral Family – Early Settler and Farmer  
Wagner Families – Local Banker and Farmer
- 1:30 p.m. – **PEDAL TRACTOR PULL COMPETITION** – Street South of Sokol Park  
C & D Pedal Pullers – Chad Stevicks; Burke, SD
- 1:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. – **MOGEN'S HEROES** – Sokol Park Stage
- 2:15 p.m. – **KOLACHE EATING CONTEST** – Sokol Park Stage
- 4:00 p.m. – **OUTSIDE CZECH POLKA MASS** – St. Wenceslaus Catholic Church North Parking Lot – **ALL FAITHS WELCOME**  
**Please bring your own lawn chair to sit on. No seating provided outside.**
- 5:00 p.m. – **NEBRASKA AREA JAZZ ENSEMBLE** – Sokol Park Stage
- 6:00 p.m. – **TABOR 1890 BAND CONCERT** – Sokol Park Stage
- 7:00 p.m. – **CHAIN SAW CARVING AUCTION (4 Carvings) & COUNTDOWN CALENDAR DRAWING \$500** – Sokol Park Stage
- 7:15 p.m. – **TABOR BESEDA DANCERS (40 Dancers)** – Sokol Park
- 8:00 p.m. – **INTRODUCTION OF FORMER CZECH DAYS QUEENS as CORONATION HONOR GUARDS** – Sokol Park Stage  
-- **CROWNING OF THE 2021 TABOR CZECH DAYS QUEEN** – Sokol Park Stage
- 9:00 p.m. – **CZECH DAYS ROYALTY CORONATION BALL** featuring **ANGIE KRIZ AND THE POLKATOONS** – Sokol Park Stage

## **SATURDAY, JUNE 26, 2021 - (NOTE – This occurs 1 week after Czech Days)**

- **MINI-ROD, PICK-UP AND TRACTOR BENEFIT PULL** – South of Tabor Co-op Fertilizer Plant  
Mini Rods – NE Iowa Tractor Pullers Association  
Trucks/Tractors – Great Plains Tractor Pullers Association  
Two Tracks with Two Sleds

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**BLUEBIRD BASEBALL GAME AND FIREWORKS DISPLAY** – Leonard Cimpl Park; The Tabor Bluebirds amateur baseball game begins at 7:30 pm followed by the Rich Schild Memorial Fireworks Display.

**JEFF KLATT'S RUNAWAY SAWS** -- Chainsaw Carvings; eight (8) carvings auctioned for sale--four (4) sculptures on Friday and four (4) sculptures on Saturday.

**BESEDA DANCERS** -- Sokol Park; 40 Colorful costumed folk dancers performing both evenings.

**MERRIAM'S MIDWAY SHOWS** – Main Street Midway; carnival rides, games, and Concessions Thursday Evening, Friday, and Saturday.

**CRAFT FAIR AND QUILT SHOW** – Tabor Elementary School Gym and Cafeteria; Located North of St. Wenceslaus Church, Open Thursday from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.; Friday and Saturday from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

**TABOR PIONEER RE-ENACTMENTS AND MINI CZECH PIONEER VILLAGE** – Vancura Memorial Park; Consisting of a Chapel, jail, store, log school and log house “Chalupa”, are all part of Vancura Memorial Park and are open for public inspection. Homemade noodles, playing cards of old tabor scenes, and old world Czech music tapes are available for sale in the store during Czech Days. The new Heritage Museum welcomes visitors to many new exhibits. On Saturday at 12:30 p.m. the re-enactments take place portraying area early pioneers on the Sokol Park Stage. A free-will offering will be collected.

**POLKA DANCE-OFF CONTEST** -- Friday 6:15 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. in Sokol Park with the Nase Mala Kapela Polka Band providing the music. Contestants will register at 5:45 p.m. in Sokol Park. Six Age Groups determined by the oldest of each couple: (1) 6 & under; (2) 7-13; (3) 14-20; (4) 21-30\*; (5) 31-49\*; (6) 50 & Over\*. \*Groups 4, 5, & 6 will also be competing with a waltz. . Czech dress is not required. Prizes given to the top couple in each age group.

**KIDS PEDAL TRACTOR PULL** – Street South of Sokol Park; Saturday-1:30 PM. C & D Pedal Pullers of Burke, SD--Chad Stevicks

## FOOD

**BESEDA HALL**--Czech Meals (Friday 2:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. Saturday from 12:00 Noon – 6:00 p.m.)  
--Kolaches by the dozen for sale starting at 10 a.m.

**LEGION HALL**– lunches (including individual kolaches) from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Friday and Saturday.

**FIRE HALL**--pork loin sandwiches, hot dogs and ice cream Friday and Saturday from 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

**GEOCACHING SITES** – at various locations in and around Tabor will give all members of the family a challenge in locating the special hidden caches.

**SATURDAY JUNE 26, 2021 – BENEFIT PICKUP AND TRACTOR PULL (NOTE DATE CHANGE)** -- Organized by Ed and Mike Sedlacek - Saturday, June 26 south of the Tabor Co-op Fertilizer Plant. Proceeds from the pull will be used for improvements at the Leonard Cimpl Bluebirds Baseball Park and Takota Park. Refreshments are served on the grounds. NE Iowa Tractor Pullers Association will provide the sled for the Mini Rods and Great Plains Tractor Pullers Association will provide the sled for the Pick-ups and Tractors. There will be two tracks for the pullers. For more information call (605) 660-3497.

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72 years of Tabor Czech Days (1948-2019, 2021-)  
149 years of Tabor, SD (1872 – 2021)