



## Annual RiverFest to begin on Wednesday, May 3<sup>rd</sup> - Sunday, May 7<sup>th</sup>

PORT NECHES - Officials are getting ready for the Annual Port Neches RiverFest at Port Neches River Front Park Wednesday, May 3<sup>rd</sup> – Sunday, May 7<sup>th</sup> brought to you by Neches Federal Credit Union.

**“Thunder on the Neches” power boat races** produced by John Schubert with North American Speed Boat Federation will start **Saturday, May 6<sup>th</sup> from 9am-5pm and continue Sunday, May 7<sup>th</sup> from 9a.m. until 4:30p.m.**

ENTERTAINMENT *brought to you by Classic Southeast Texas and Budweiser:*

Wednesday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>:

Annual FAITH & FAMILY NIGHT, featuring the Christian band **The Digital Age** 7pm – 8:30pm

Thursday, May 4<sup>th</sup>:

**Living proof** 7:30-9pm, **Reckless Kelly** 9:30-11pm

Friday, May 5<sup>th</sup>:

**PPO – Pea Patch Orchestra** 7:00-8pm, **Bri Bagwell** 8:30-10pm, **Turnpike Troubadours** 10:30pm-12am

Saturday, May 6<sup>th</sup>

**Bayou Sound** 6:30-7:30pm, **Brian Jack & The Zydeco Gamblers** 8:00-9pm, **Fireworks** 9:00-9:35pm, **Brian Jack & The Zydeco Gamblers** 9:35-10pm, **Shinyribs** 10:30pm-12am

RiverFest also offers a variety of Food and Arts & Crafts vendors Thursday through Sunday.

On Thursday, May 4<sup>th</sup> is Philpott Motors Carnival Ride Wristband Night at Riverfest! Stop by Philpott Motors in Nederland and pick up your \$5.00 Off Coupon!

On Saturday, May 6<sup>th</sup> at the Pavilion there will be lots of local talent performing. The Annual Classic Car Show will also be hosted within the Port Neches Park.

Sunday, May 7<sup>th</sup> the 2017 Miss Port Neches Royalty and 2017 Mother-of-the-Year will be announced!

Other scheduled events are the Pet Show, Treasure Hunt, 2-day Fishing Tournament, Horseshoe & Washer Tournament, Veteran’s Parade, Fireworks Display, Cutest Baby Contest, Photo Contest and a kid coloring contest where the winner gets his/her picture put on a t-shirt and much more!

**2017 RiverPasses for unlimited carnival rides are on sale NOW** at the Port Neches Chamber of Commerce and online at [PNRiverfest.com](http://PNRiverfest.com). Price is \$40 per person for unlimited rides and free admission to the Entertainment Complex Thursday – Sunday.

**Don’t forget Saturday, April 29<sup>th</sup> The weekend before Riverfest we will be having the Annual Riverfest 1K & 5K Fun Run. Plus this year check out the “Smoke on the Water “ BBQ Cook Off at the Neches River Wheelhouse and sign up today.**

**Prices for the All-inclusive wristbands for the boat races and Entertainment Complex will be as follows:**

**General Admission - \$15 wristband good for all 3 nights (Thursday- Sunday)**

- Wednesday - Faith & Family Night - \$5 - Youth 3 and under get in free!
- Thursday - \$15 (Good for the entire weekend) (Children 3 and under get in free)
- Friday - \$15 (Good for the entire weekend) (Children 3 and under get in free)
- Saturday- \$10 (Good for the entire weekend) (Children 3 and under get in free)
- Sunday (no charge)

The public will also be able to purchase Faith & Family Night Tickets, Entertainment Passes and Riverpasses online at [www.pnriverfest.com](http://www.pnriverfest.com)

The following areas are NOT inside the gate, and will remain FREE to the public: The Pavilion, All Vendors - Food and Arts & Crafts, Port Neches Park, Fun Run, Car Show, Boat Show, and Barbeque Cook-off. (Tugboat Island and the Splash Park will be closed May 3<sup>rd</sup> - May 7<sup>th</sup>)

Golf Carts will be running to give you a ride to the park.

For more details about any of these events call the Port Neches Chamber of Commerce at 722-9154, go to [www.pnRiverFest.com](http://www.pnRiverFest.com) , or find us on Facebook.