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Home Spun Fun at the 7th Annual Hermiston FunFest; spend the day with us on Saturday, July 14th on Hermiston's Main Street from 9am-4pm.

Funfest Breakfast by the Ford Leadership group will be serving from 7:00am-9:30am on North 2nd Street. The festival will also include children's activities, including games; face painting & the kids have more fun dressing up for the teddy bear parade which begins at 9:30am. Hold onto your hat, they are back by popular demand revving up their engines racing down Main Street in front of Sherrell Chevrolet; it's the Outlaw Lawn Mower Dragsters. We are bringing is a chainsaw carver that will be carving up a fantastic piece of art.

OMSI will be here again this year with great hands on exhibit the whole family can experience, OMSI (Oregon Museum of Science and Industry) is going to be located at the old Hermiston Herald building on Main Street from 10am – 2pm.

There is a great line up of entertainers and talent on the Main Street stage this year, including dance groups, and very well-known musicians and singer song writers Alexis Harris and Joseph Konty. Konty will be donating 10% of his CD sells to Martha's House as a fundraiser for this local project.

ART ART ART Check out the fantastic collection of artistry on the 100 block of E. Main Street.

There will be more than 40 booths and activities, GAMES, which will be located on **Hermiston's Main Street USA. Shade will be provided in the general area around the stage with plenty of seating throughout the event.**

Join the Hermiston Classics Car Club at Mckenzie Park there will be music and a great display of cars that will bring back good memories of days gone by.

The Purple Lavendar Ridge Festival is a two day event and will be providing our area with a beautiful display of Lavendar fields, art, wine tasting and music. A shuttle will be available to take people to and from the downtown area to the Lavendar Festival on Saturday and then back again to Funfest.

This event is brought to you by HAPO Community Credit Union, KOHU/The Q and the Hermiston Chamber of Commerce.

For more information on the event call the Hermiston Chamber office at 541-567-6151.

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