

JUBILEE STATE PARK RALLY

Thursday July 17th through Sunday July 20th, 2025

Rally Host – John Underwood 309/472-3893, call/text

Thursday July 17th - Arrive any time after 3 p.m.

Jubilee College State Park is a 3200-acre facility located in Peoria County between the towns of Kickapoo and Brimfield, just off US Route 150. This scenic area, with its rolling topography and meandering Jubilee Creek, offers various outdoor recreational activities. This park offers picnicking, camping, equestrian, hiking and biking trails and various hunting opportunities.

Directions:

You can reach Jubilee College State Park from I-74. Traveling west, you will want to take exit 82 at Kickapoo/Edwards Rd. Turn right onto Kickapoo//Edwards rd. and it is about a half mile into Kickapoo then turn left on U.S. Route 150. You will drive for 4 miles and the entrance to the park will be on the right. Those coming from the west should take exit 75, then left onto Maher rd. for about a 1000 ft. then you will make a right onto U.S. Route 150 and drive for 4 miles. The park entrance will be on your left.

Address:

13921 W. Route 150 Brimfield, IL 61517

GPS Info:

40.829999, -89.805833

40° 49' 47" N 89° 48' 20" W



Rate is \$20/day or \$80 total for the rally. All spots are back in with gravel except for a few handicap spots that are concrete, all spots have 30amp electric, there are water hydrants, at

various locations in the camp area and a dump station at the entry into the camping area. I have reserved a handicap spot at 29H so we can put up a couple of dining flies like we did at New Salem. I figure all the group stuff would be done on this spot.

6:30 pm – Bring what you want to grill and a side dish to the group area. The grill will start at 6:00 pm.

Campfire in the group area afterwards.

Friday July 18th – Breakfast on your own.

11:00 am – Meet up and caravan to: Wheels O time museum, Wed – Sun, noon to 5pm, admission \$10 (senior) 1710 Woodside Drive, Dunlap IL., 16 miles from the park Ph. 309/243-9020, Laura Evancho, Executive Director, Cell 309/229-6430, self-guided tour (see map)

After the tour there are other venues that might be of interest that you can explore on your own. (see below)

There is always Brakers Market, Eureka IL. 32 miles from the park, everything there is super high quality, 1183 Cruger Rd., Eureka, IL 61530, Ph. 309/431-4700

5:45 pm – Meet up and caravan to Double A's Pizza Sports Bar and Grill, 7716 Il 91, Peoria, IL 61615, PH. 309/692-0800, our reservation is for 6:15 pm.

Saturday July 19th – Breakfast on your own.

9:45 am – Meet up and travel to the other side of the park and tour the Old Jubilee College Historic Site which dates to the earlier part of the 19th century. A guided tour is arranged through Jesse Gilles 309/243-9489.

Lunch on your own and explore on your own in the afternoon.

Evening campfire and Joker in the group area or dinner at any of the restaurants close by, see list below.

Sunday July 20th –

9:30 am – Pancake and Sausage breakfast in the group area, bring anything additional you would like.

Nothing scheduled during the day

5:30 pm – Camp fire and wiener roast, hot dogs and buns provided, bring something to share. Possible magic show.

Monday July 21st –

Check out by 3 pm safe travels home, hope everyone had a good time.

Restaurants

Going West on Rt. 150 from the park, about 5 miles, there are two bars in Brimfield that have decent food, Burnzee's bar and Grill and Rookies,

Going East on Rt. 150 into Kickapoo there is the Kickapoo Creek Saloon that has a notable Cheeseburger and Pizza 150. There is also the Jubilee Café right at the Kickapoo/Edwards exit on I-74

Going about 5 miles more on Rt. 150 gets you to the Shops at Grand Prairie and there are numerous eateries there.

Good Tequilas

Buffalo Wild Wings

Longhorn Steakhouse

Childers Eatery

Double A's Sports Bar

Culvers

Hickory River Smokehouse

Osaka Steak Hibachi and Sushi Bar

Other venues that might be of interest

Caterpillar Visitor Center – Tues-Saturday 10am to 5pm, seniors \$6, 110 S.W. Washington St. Peoria IL. 61602 It is 18 miles from the park, they have some new exhibits since our rally at Kentuckiana

Peoria Riverfront Museum is right next door to the Caterpillar Visitor Center and opens 10 to 5 daily, \$18 senior price. Group arrangements made thru Tina Ori 309/683-3013, tori@peoriariverfrontmuseum.org

Downtown near the museum there is a sidewalk sculpture tour, information on that is available at the museum.

The Bishop Hill historic site, 304 S. Bishop Hill St., Bishop Hill IL. 61419, Ph. 309/927-3345, Sunday 9am to 4 pm. 42 miles from the park.