

41st ANNUAL FIDDLE CONTEST

“Fiddlin’ Down the Tracks”

CSOFTA District #3
Country Oaks Baptist Church
20915 Schout Road
Tehachapi, CA 93561

PRIZES and AWARDS

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Friday, September 15, 2017

- 1:00 – Registration (*for Contestants only*)
- 3:00 – **Fiddle Preliminaries:** Senior-Senior (Public Welcome)
- 3:30 – **Fiddle Preliminaries:** Senior
- 4:15 – **Finals:** Senior-Senior and Senior
- 4:30 – **Awards:** Senior, Senior-Senior, and Oldest Fiddler
- 5:00 – Adult Band Scramble (Ages 18 & up)
- 5:30 – Dinner Break
- 6:30 – Contra Dance Instruction
- 7:00 – Contra Dance w/call by Wayne Thompson
at Community Church 100 East “E” St.

Saturday, September 16, 2017

- 8:00 – Registration (*for Contestants only*)
- 8:45 – Meeting with Judges
- 8:55 – **Opening Ceremonies** featuring Tehachapi String Orchestra
- 9:15 – **Fiddle Preliminaries:** Junior, Junior-Junior, & Small Fry
- 11:30 – **Finals:** Junior-Junior & Small Fry
- 12:00 – **Awards:** Junior-Junior, Small Fry, & Youngest Fiddler
- 12:15 – Howdy Forrester Scholarship and Entertainment
- 12:30 – Lunch Break
- 1:30 – Judges Play
- 1:45 – Howdy Forrester Division
- 2:00 – **Fiddle Preliminaries:** Adult & Open
- 2:30 – **Finals:** Junior, Adult, & Open
- 3:15 – **Awards:** Junior, Adult, & Open
- 3:30 – **Preliminaries:** Cello/Bass Division (17 & under)
- 3:45 – Twin Fiddles (*ONE round only*)
- 4:00 – **Finals:** Cello/Bass Division
- 4:15 – Junior Picking (*ONE round only*)
- 4:30 – Open Picking (*ONE round only*)
- 4:45 – Junior Novelty (*ONE round only*)
- 5:15 – Open Novelty (*ONE round only*)
- 5:45 – Junior Band Scramble (Ages 17 & under)
- 6:15 – **GRAND CHAMPION PLAYOFF**
- 6:30 – **Awards:** Cello/Bass, Twin Fiddling, Picking,
Junior Novelty, Open Novelty, Howdy Forrester Division,
Accompanist, & Grand Champion
- 6:45 – Raffle Drawings (need not be present to win)

**PARTICIPANTS MUST BE REGISTERED
30 MINUTES PRIOR TO THEIR SCHEDULED
DIVISION TIME. THE TIMES LISTED ABOVE
ARE APPROXIMATE.**

**REFRESHMENTS ARE AVAILABLE,
PUBLIC WELCOME**

This contest is FREE for all audience members and is a Drug,
Tobacco and Alcohol Free Event. Thank you for your cooperation!
Please visit: <http://www.tehachapifiddlers.org> for more
information or email: csotfa3.fiddlecontest@gmail.com

Small Fry (Ages 8 and under)

- Entry Fee: \$0
- 1st Place - \$20 & Trophy
- 2nd - \$15 & Medal
- 3rd - \$10 & Medal
- 4th - \$8 & Medal
- 5th - \$5 & Medal
- 6th - 8th – Rosettes

Junior-Junior (Ages 9-12)

- Entry Fee: \$4
- 1st Place - \$40 & Trophy
- 2nd - \$30 & Medal
- 3rd - \$20 & Medal
- 4th - \$15 & Medal
- 5th - \$10 & Medal
- 6th - 8th – Rosettes

Junior (Ages 13-17)

- Entry Fee: \$6
- 1st Place - \$100 & Trophy
- 2nd - \$75 & Medal
- 3rd - \$50 & Medal
- 4th - \$35 & Medal
- 5th - \$25 & Medal

Adult (Ages 18-49)

- Entry Fee: \$8
- 1st Place - \$100 & Trophy
- 2nd - \$75 & Medal
- 3rd - \$50 & Medal
- 4th - \$35 & Medal
- 5th - \$25 & Medal

Senior (Ages 50-69)

- Entry Fee: \$6
- 1st Place - \$100 & Trophy
- 2nd - \$75 & Medal
- 3rd - \$50 & Medal
- 4th - \$35 & Medal
- 5th - \$25 & Medal

Senior-Senior (Ages 70 & up)

- Entry Fee: \$6
- 1st Place - \$100 & Trophy
- 2nd - \$75 & Medal
- 3rd - \$50 & Medal
- 4th - \$35 & Medal
- 5th - \$25 & Medal

Howdy Forrester Division

- (Any Age)
- Entry Fee: \$0
- 1st Place – Trophy

Band Scrambles

- Entry Fee: \$5
- * Cash Prizes &
1st Place Band Medals

Twin Fiddles (Any Age)

- Entry Fee: \$0
- 1st Place - \$40 & Trophy
- 2nd - \$30 & Medal
- 3rd - \$20 & Medal

Open (Any Age)

- Entry Fee: \$12
- 1st Place - \$175 & Trophy
- 2nd - \$150 & Medal
- 3rd - \$100 & Medal
- 4th - \$75 & Medal
- 5th - \$50 & Medal

Accompanist (Any Age)

- Entry Fee: \$0
- 1st Place - \$150 & Trophy
- 2nd - \$125 & Medal
- 3rd - \$100 & Medal
- 4th - \$75 & Medal
- 5th - \$50 & Medal

“Jim Smith” Junior Picking

- (17 & under)
- Entry Fee: \$4
- 1st Place - \$40 & Trophy
- 2nd - \$30 & Medal
- 3rd - \$20 & Medal
- 4th - \$15 & Medal
- 5th - \$10 & Medal

Open Picking (18 & up)

- Entry Fee: \$8
- 1st Place - \$100 & Trophy
- 2nd - \$75 & Medal
- 3rd - \$50 & Medal
- 4th - \$35 & Medal
- 5th - \$25 & Medal

Novelty (Junior & Open)

- Entry Fee: \$4
- 1st Place - \$40 & Trophy
- 2nd - \$30 & Medal
- 3rd - \$20 & Medal
- 4th - \$15 & Medal
- 5th - \$10 & Medal

Cello/Bass (17 & under)

- Entry Fee: \$6
- 1st Place - \$100 & Trophy
- 2nd - \$75 & Medal
- 3rd - \$50 & Medal
- 4th - \$35 & Medal
- 5th - \$25 & Medal

Youngest & Oldest Fiddler

Medals for Each

Grand Champion

Trophy & Certification to National
Fiddle Contest in Weiser, Idaho