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WALLEYE WEEKEND HOLDS SECOND ANNUAL T-SHIRT CONTEST

If you have talent to show off, Walleye Weekend wants to see it. Fond du Lac Festivals, Inc. and Hopper's Silk Screening and All Star Trophy are holding the second annual contest to find the Official Walleye Weekend T-shirt designs.

"I am expecting three times the amount of people to be involved in the Walleye Weekend T-shirt design contest," said Mark Hopper, owner of Hopper's. "To increase participation and give people the chance to have ownership in Fond du Lac's biggest festival will be amazing to see."

There are two divisions: a 14-and-under division and a 15-and-over division. The winning designs will be printed by Hopper's, and the winners will receive a \$500 savings bond, sponsored by Hopper's. The winning t-shirts will be sold in the Official Walleye Weekend Vendor tent at this year's festival.

Hopper added that a new aspect of this year's competition is the unique digital printer, one of only 12 in the U.S, which they will be using to print the T-shirts.

"We can use unlimited colors and the detail is impeccable," Hopper said. "It will make choosing a design harder to do this year."

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Rules and entry forms can be picked up at Fond du Lac Festivals, Inc., 650 N. Main St., or Hopper's Silk Screening and All Star Trophy, 743 Wisconsin Ave. They can also be downloaded at the FFI Web site, www.fdlfest.com. The entries must be postmarked or dropped off at FFI by 5:00 p.m. January 11, 2006.

Walleye Weekend will be held at the Lakeside Park on June 9-11, 2006. More information can be found at the FFI Web site.

Fond du Lac Festivals, Inc. is a non-profit organization founded in 1983 with a mission to direct, promote, and support family-oriented festivals and special events that showcase the community resources and enhance the quality of life in the Fond du Lac area. The organization, with a great deal of help and support from the community, is responsible for Walleye Weekend and Hometown Bank's Taste of Fond du Lac. These events benefit more than 30 local non-profit organizations.

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