

# Rauetoberfest FAQ'S

## 1. How much does it cost to get in?

\$5 at the gate. Children 8 years and younger are FREE! You can also purchase an Express Pass for \$20 either in advance or day of the event There is a limited amount of these passes available, so purchase while you can! Food and beverages will be available for purchase. *Cash only, please.*

## 2. What can we bring?

Not Allowed: fireworks, weapons, coolers, or pets. No outside food or beverages are permitted unless guests have dietary restrictions, or small children. Allowed: blankets, strollers, baby-related items, service animals and cameras (photo or video).

## 3. Can I bring my pet?

Please leave your pets at home, as they are not allowed on the event grounds. However, true service animals may be brought on, if absolutely necessary.

## 4. How do we get there? Can you give me directions?

If you use a GPS or an electronic mapping program, the address to type in is as follows: Beyond Stable Farm 11129 Illinois Rt. 17, Woodstock, IL 60098

## 5. Will we be searched at the gate?

All general public vehicles may be searched when entering at the gate. All drivers must have a valid driver's license, vehicle registration and proof of vehicle insurance. All adults in the vehicle should be prepared to show a valid ID card. Participants walking through the gate will also be required to show an ID card, and will not be allowed to bring in backpacks or coolers (see question #2).

## 6. Where do we park?

Parking is available on site. When you enter, you will be directed by Security to an available parking area. Lots and routes will be marked.

## 7. Is there handicapped access?

The festival grounds are located at the Beyond Stable Farm event grounds. There are 2 paved walkways on the perimeter. The event grounds themselves are all ground level,

hard-packed dirt. There is handicapped parking available and the newly renovated indoor bathrooms are ADA compliant.

**8. How much will concessions cost and what types of food will be available?**

There will be a beer truck consisting of several choices of beer. A food truck will be provided courtesy of The Public House and will be serving traditional German fare. Prices will be updated closer to the event and posted for your convenience.

**9. Will there be ATM?s on site? Is the festival cash only? Can I use my credit card to buy things?**

There will be no ATM on site. Guests are encouraged to plan ahead by bringing cash.

**10. Are restrooms available?**

Indoor restrooms across from the event arena.

**11. Will there be child care available?**

No, children under the age of 16 must be supervised by an adult at all times.

**12. How much do the kid’s activities cost?**

The Kinderfest will be open from 2 to 6p. This area provides families with activities for kids free of charge.

**13. I’d like to be a sponsor!**

If you’re interested in becoming a sponsor for Rauetoberfest or any other Raue Center event, please contact our Sponsorship and Advertising Coordinator, Amanda Dunal via email at [adunal@rauecenter.org](mailto:adunal@rauecenter.org) or visit <http://rauecenter.org/join-our-family/#corporate-partnership>

**14. What happens if it rains?**

This is an indoor arena! Rauetoberfest will take place rain or shine!

**15. Can we smoke?**

There will be NO smoking allowed in the arena. Smoking areas will be designated on site, located nearby.

#### **16. Do you have chairs we can use?**

There will be tables and chairs at the event for public use at the event.

#### **17. Will there be alcohol served at the event?**

Yes, however, this is a family friendly event, and we encourage everyone to use alcohol responsibly. ID's will be checked at the gate (please have them ready). Note: Alcohol sales will stop approximately 30 minutes before the end of the night.

#### **18. What is an Express Pass?**

The Express Pass provides you with an "express" experience. The cost for this pass is \$20 per person, while supplies last. Attendees of this area will receive a custom festival pint glass (which includes your first beer), closer parking lot, special seating area, and more! Express pass will be available for purchase through our box office at (815) 356-9212. Though, supplies are limited and will sell out quickly.

#### **19. What is the Restricted Area/Special Seating?**

This special seating area is designated for sponsors, and their employees/guests who helped Raue Center produce this amazing event. The area is also open those who have purchased an Express Pass.

**YOU WILL NEED A VALID ID OR DRIVER'S LICENSE TO PURCHASE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES. ID'S WILL BE CHECKED AT THE GATE AND A WRISTBAND WILL BE ISSUED. - All documents must not be expired.**