2023 MCC Schedule of EVENTS



Wednesday July 26, 2023:

Early Arrivals – PREMIUM CAMPSITES



You must register and select "Early Arrival/Premium Campsite" on the Muddy Chef registration page and have a confirmed campsite assignment. Unfortunately, we cannot accept anyone who has not preregistered.

Dinner

6:30 p.m. - Poultney Pub. (https://poultneypub.com)

8:00 p.m. – BHAKTA Cigar and Bourbon Lounge.

9:00 p.m. – Bonfire.

Thursday July 27, 2023:

9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. – Arrivals and Campsite Setup



THINGS TO DO:

4:00 p.m. - Trail Ride with Peter.

5:00 p.m. – Kids Off-Road on athletic field.

5:00 p.m. – Tour of Bhakta Facility

6:00 p.m. – Orientation under the Yellow Dome Tent.

6:30 p.m. – BHAKTA Lounge. Learn to make craft cocktails.

7:00 p.m. – 13th Street Cocktails Opens.

8:00 p.m. – Bhakta Cigar and Bourbon Lounge Opens! Each night a new cigar paired with Bhakta spirits!



9:00 p.m. - Bonfire



Friday July 28, 2023:

TWO TRACKS - FANCY or MUDDY

8:00 a.m. – BREAKFAST! - Start your day with a catered breakfast from Chef Keenan Langlois. Keenan is a former MCC Champion and owner of Chez Casa in Salem, MA. People wanted an on-site breakfast and now it's a MCC tradition. Note – there is a small additional cost for the meal program. See the MCC registration page.

FANCY: A Day at The Races. Saratoga Springs Racetrack



Distance: 50 miles. One hour drive. **Departure to track:** 10:00 a.m.

Departure from track: 3:00 p.m. (some might want to leaver earlier to prep for Chopped) *Suggestions:* Preppy clothing, sunscreen, learn how to place bets in advance, have fun!

Food: Picnic in the park or buy food onsite.

MUDDY – MaBell Trail, Northampton, MA (You must pre-register for this event)



Distance: 125 miles. Two hours and thirty-minute drive.

Departure to trail head: 6:00 a.m.

Departure from trail: 2:00 p.m. (some might want to leave earlier to prep for Chopped)

Requirements: Full size spare tire, no modern un-modified low profile tire Land Rovers allowed, must have full set of recovery gear, must have some technical driving experience, must have the resources and ability to problem solve on the trail and recover if necessary. 2" lift suggested, as are diff guards and sliders. All vehicles must start the trail with a full tank of fuel.

Suggestions: Make sure to make a bathroom stop before hitting the trail. If you need to be out first, to get back to camp faster try to be as close to the front of the group as possible.

Food: Bring a cooler, with drinks, lunch, etc.

Friday July 28, 2023:

CHOPPED COMPETITION

Just like the TV show, CHOPPED at the Muddy Chef Challenge assembles a team of talented amateur Chefs who must make a gourmet meal from a box of mystery ingredients. EXCEPT - The kitchen is gone! Chopped competitors must pack their Land Rovers with everything they need to prepare, cook, and serve a meal from only what they carry in the vehicle.

Make no mistake, this is an exceptionally challenging contest and requires split second decision making – all against the countdown timer.

Just like with the TV show, we set up an ingredient pantry to allow chefs to create something amazing.

Think this is for you? Bring it! You must pre-register on the MCC registration page. Chopped is limited to 10 teams.

SCHEDULE:

4:00 p.m. – Chef meeting under yellow dome tent.

4:10 p.m. - Departure to remote location.

4:30 p.m. – Arrival at remote location.

4:40 p.m. – Remote kitchen setup.

5:00 p.m. – Chefs meet at the Judges table and receive ingredient box.

5:10 p.m. – Competition begins.

6:00 p.m. – Presentation and Judging.

6:30 p.m. – Departure for MCC Basecamp.

AVTA v Chaf Vannan at the Diverside Vitaber

7:00 p.m. - AFTER CHOPPED - Dinner provided by BHAKTA x Chef Keenan at the Riverside Kitchen. 8:00 p.m. - 13th Street Bar Opens.

8:00 p.m. – Bhakta Cigar and Bourbon Lounge Opens! Highlight – 2013 Bhakta Bourbon tasting.

9:00 p.m. – Movie – Title TBD.

9:00 p.m. – Bonfire and table games.



Saturday July 29, 2023:

8:00 a.m. – BREAKFAST! - Start your day with a catered breakfast from Chef Keenan Langlois.

FOUR TRACKS - BREWERY/SPORTING/SHOPPING/OFF-ROAD'N

BREWERY: How many Vermont Craft Breweries can you check off in a day?



Distance: As far and as fast as you can go.

Departure: We suggest 9:00 a.m. but if you want to leave at zero dark thirty – that's up to you.

Back by: No later than 4:00 to prep for the Muddy Chef Challenge.

Suggestions: Pack a lunch, get a navigator, keep your gas tank full and drive, drive, drive!

You must pre-register for the event. Note: We will continue to add breweries to this list.

Brewery Name:	Address:
Rutland Beer Works	41 Center St, Rutland, VT 05701
Drop In Brewing Company	610 US-7, Middlebury, VT 05753
Zero Gravity Brewery	716 Pine St, Burlington, VT 05401
Four Quarters Brewing	70 Main St, Winooski, VT 05404
Hill Farmstead	403 Hill Rd, Greensboro Bend, VT
Foam Brewers	112 Lake St, Burlington, VT
The Alchemist	100 Cottage Club Road, Stowe, VT
Lawson's Finest Liquids	155 Carroll Road, Waitsfield, VT
Lost Nation Brewing	87 Creamery Road, Morrisville, VT
Red Clover Ale Co.	43 Center Street, Brandon, VT
Wunderkammer Bier	4155 VT Route 15, Wolcott VT 05680
Hermit Thrush Brewery	29 High Street, Brattleboro, VT
River Roost Brewery	230 South Main Street, Hartford, VT
Godwater Brewery	740 Marshall Ave, Williston, VT 05495
Green Empire Brewing	478 Hegeman Ave, Colchester, VT 05446
Weird Window Brewing	82 Ethan Allen Dr suite a, South Burlington, VT 05403
Outer Limits Brewing	60 Village Green, Proctorsville, VT 05153
Bocklebank Craft Brewing	357 Dickerman Hill Rd, Chelsea, VT 05038
1st Republic Brewing	39 River Rd #6, Essex Junction, VT 05452
Hogback Mountain Brewing	372 Rockydale Rd, Bristol, VT 05443

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SPORTING: Multiple locations.

Distance: 30 miles. (Manchester, VT)

Departure: At your leisure.

Back by: No later than 4:00 to prep for the Muddy Chef Challenge.

Orvis Fly Fishing School – Full day of instruction and gear \$279.00. Reservations required in advance. Visit www.oris.com for more.

Orvis Wingshooting School – Full day instruction \$575.00. Not recommended for experienced shooters. This is an introductory course. Visit www.orvis.com for details. Reservations required in advance.

Pinball Pastime has more than 66 modern and vintage pinball machines. Play all for the cost of entry.

Mountain Biking – Humphrey's Trail, Dorset VT. BYOBAG – Bring your own bike and gear. Zero cost. https://slatevalleytrails.org/

The Green Mountain Falconry School - Join Rob Waite (Rob is a longtime supporter of the MCC and a classic Land Rover owner) Seasonal rates from \$150 to \$190 per person. Reservations are required in advance.

SHOPPING:

Distance: 30 miles or 56 miles (Manchester, VT or Weston, VT)

Departure: At your leisure.

Back by: No later than 4:00 to prep for the Muddy Chef Challenge.

Vermont Country Store. Visit a Vermont icon and drive off-pavement to get there. Beautiful scenery.

Distance: 30 miles (Manchester, VT)

Manchester Shopping Safari – Visit the Orvis flagship store, the Vermont Country Store, Northshire Bookstore, Mother Myrick's, The Mountain Goat, etc.

OFF-ROAD'N:

Distance: To be determined by the number of participants.

Departure: 9:00 a.m.

Back by: No later than 4:00 to prep for the Muddy Chef Challenge.











Saturday July 29, 2023:

The 12th Muddy Chef Challenge Competition

4:00 p.m. – Chef meeting at the Yellow Dome tent.

5:00 p.m. - Muddy Chef Challenge Starts.

5:30 p.m. – Judges leave for Appetizer tasting.

6:00 p.m. – Judges leave for Main Course tasting.

6:30 p.m. – Judges leave for Dessert tasting.

8:00 p.m. – 13th Street Bar Opens

8:00 p.m. – BHAKTA Cigar and Bourbon Lounge Opens! Highlight – 2013 Bhakta Bourbon tasting.



9:00 p.m. - Movie - Title TBD.

9:00 p.m. – Bonfire and table games.



9:30 p.m. – Captain Schmack Andrews Fireworks Extravaganza. This is a 4th of July, professional grade pyrotechnic experience.

10:00 p.m. – Happy Birthday Land Rover! Join us for a toast to Land Rover's 75th anniversary.

10:30/11:00ish – STREET FOOD by Chef Keenan. Just what you need just when you needed it....

Sunday July 30, 2023:

8:00 a.m. - BREAKFAST! - Start your day with a catered breakfast from Chef Keenan Langlois.

10:00 a.m. – Award and prize ceremony at the Yellow Dome tent.

11:00 a.m. – Departures. Don't forget to grab your MCC to go bag before you leave!