

Belmont Old Home Day is this Saturday

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BELMONT — Join the fun this Saturday, Aug. 12, for Belmont's Old Home Day celebration.

The 2017 theme is "Summertime Fun." Day and evening activities include a pancake breakfast starting at 7:30 a.m. at the Tioga Pavilion on Mill Street.

The challenging 10-mile road race will begin on Concord Street at 8:30 a.m. with registration in the Belmont Middle School parking lot on Memorial Drive. The family-friendly Tioga Fun Run Race, about a mile and a half, starts on Concord Street at 8:45 a.m. and weaves through downtown side streets and around the fire station.

Little kids love the pedal-tractor pull and other children's games held near the bandstand behind the library on Main Street. There will be a free climbing wall both during day and evening activities this year.

The Tyler Road Band will perform on the bandstand starting at 10:30 a.m. The grand parade will kick off down Main Street at 1 p.m. Spend time strolling through the craft and information booths, and don't forget to try some of the delicious food available at the various concession stands.

The fire department hosts its annual chicken barbecue dinner at the fire station starting at 5 p.m., and activities on Bryant Field start at 6 p.m. The band, B Street Bombers, will surely be a hit with all ages, playing music from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. Old Home Day comes to a close after the spectacular fireworks display.

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