



# BRISTOL RENAISSANCE FAIRE®



WELCOME TO ELIZABETHAN ENGLAND!



When you enter the gates of the Renaissance Faire, the world of 16th century England awaits. It is the "Golden Age," the English Renaissance, the time of Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth Tudor, who reigned from 1558 to 1603.

***THE QUEEN IS COMING!*** No other event in your life is more important. Bristol recreates a day in the life of Elizabethan England - in this instance, the summer day in 1574 when Queen Elizabeth visited the English hamlet of Bristol.

Sanctuary Ski Club invite you to participate in this regal event. Join the fun, dress in costume, and converse in the tongue of the Realm. You will be entertained with a parade, jousting, plays, street performers, games, great beer, food, and shopping.

**When:** Sunday August 17<sup>th</sup>

**Place:** 12550 120th Ave., Kenosha, WI 53142

**Cost:** \$18.95 Adult

**Parking:** Paid lot is \$3.00 per car. Free lot is only a short walk.

**Meet:** Just inside the front gate at 12:00 noon. Gate opens at 10:00AM. Look for our red flag, use a 2-way radio (channel 7-7) or call our cell phone.

**Bristol info:** <http://www.renfaire.com/bristol/> Their phone 847-395-7773

**Directions:** Take I-94 north (or Hwy. 41) to Russell Road exit. Right (east) on Russell Road to Hwy H (Kilbourne). Left (north) on Hwy H to Cty ML. Left (west) on ML to the Faire. Follow the signs.

*Tell us you 're coming, so we have and idea of who we're looking for:*

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**Food** -- Turkey Drumsticks - with or without BBQ sauce; Baked Potatoes - Stuffed with your choice of fresh vegetables - cheese or chili; Beef Ribs -BBQ and savory ; Teriyaki Chicken on a Stick, Pork Ribs - BBQ and Tasty; Fish n' Chips; Tangy BBQ Pulled Pork; Tempura - lightly battered deep fried vegetables; Shish-Ka-Bobs Corn on the cob, and much more.

**Taverns** --Three Sheets to the Wind Tavern; Tuscany Tavern; Black Friars; The Crow's Nest; The Black Swan; Joust Bar; The Pig 'N; Whistle; -- Beers: Leinekugell; Murphy's; Bemish; Newcastle; Kronenberg; Pilsner Urquell; Fosters Lager; Hacher Pshorr; Tetley's.

### **About the fair –**

Back to a time when knights were noble, maids were merry, and turkey legs were titanic. “The Renaissance Faire is one of the few remaining entertainment venues where patrons can safely interact and ‘play’ with performers and each other.”

30-acre wooded site that previously housed King Richard’s Renaissance Faire, Bristol management began constructing a permanent village of shops, pubs and performance stages.

Scheduled shows feature jousting knights on horseback, swashbuckling swordsmen, dancers, musicians, rope-walkers, jugglers and an eclectic assortment of comedic performers who invite their audiences to become part of the act. Between stages, faire streets are lined with game and ride areas, food vendors, and merchants selling everything from sterling silver jewelry to rare-edition books and hand-caned brooms. Strolling minstrels, jesters and other era characters mingle with faire-goers, many of whom come dressed in their own period costumes.

Tongue of the Realm: Good morning(Good morrow) / Good afternoon(Good day) / I’ll see you later(I shall see you anon) / I'm thirsty (I be parched) / More on their web page!

Learn to address the villagers and members of the royal court by their correct titles, but remember to be extremely respectful of the Queen:

And, finally, immerse yourself in the Renaissance Faire experience by eating foods of the period (with your fingers), make toasts to her Majesty's health as you quaff an ale, and end the day cheering loudly for the knight of your choice at the Joust.

**Remember, the more you participate, the more fun you'll have!**