

Meet the Michigan Stiltwalker

Marvel at the amazing Michigan Stiltwalker, Neil Sauter, as he interacts with the crowd during the Railroad Days parade on Saturday, May 15. Hailing from Blissfield, Neil earned his nickname when he walked 832 miles from Toledo, Ohio to Iron Mountain, Michigan on stilts to raise money for charity. He has held a marathon world record on stilts and has been featured in Ripley's Believe It Or Not.

After the parade, at approximately 2:45 p.m., Neil will present a children's program in the Activity Tent. His program will include a balloon puppet show, lessons on the basics of balloon twists and designs. Following the lessons, participants will be invited to help build a giant balloon sculpture. All ages are welcome. His program gets parents involved and is great for middle and high school ages as well.

After the Activity Tent program, Neil will wander around the Railroad Days festivities for a short time so if you don't get to see him in the parade or in the Activity Tent, be sure to "track" him down and meet him!

Neil is sponsored by Riverside Market of Durand

Social distancing practices are to be followed. This includes the wearing of masks and remaining socially distanced as directed by the State of Michigan.