

2025 Illinois Oz Festival Schedule

All Day: Ozian Vendor Market, Oz Garden, Trolly Rides, Silent Auction (until 2pm), Professor Marvel's Magic and Balloons

9:00 Festival Grounds Open

10:00 Opening Ceremony (Oz Pavilion)

10:30 Steven's Puppets presents The Wizard of Oz (Oz Pavilion)

10:30 - 11:50 Character Meet & Greet (Oz Garden)

11:45 Costume Contest Registration Begins (Oz Pavilion)

12:00 Oz Costume Contest sponsored by The Spirit of Oz & The International Wizard of Oz Club (Oz Pavilion)

*12:00 Up to age 6

*12:10 Ages 7-11

*12:20 Ages 12-16

*12:25 Ages 16+

12:30 Wicked Witch Cackling Contest sponsored by The Spirit of Oz and the International Wizard of Oz Club (Oz Pavilion)

1:00-1:30 The Witches of Oz Photo Opportunity (Munchkinland)

1:00-1:30 Miss Gulch with Toto Photo Opportunity (Gale Farm)

1:30 Steven's Puppets presents the Wizard of Oz (Oz Pavilion)

1:30-2:30 Dorothy & Friends Opportunity with Full Cast (Emerald City)

2:30-3:50 Characters Roaming, Mingling and playing (The Woods and Ozian Vendor Market)

3:00 Steven's Puppets presents The Wizard of Oz (Oz Pavilion)

4:00 Grand Finale (Oz Pavilion)

4:15 Farewells (along the exit)