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Award-winning Band to Perform at OCCA Oktoberfest

Fritz's Polka Band, inductees in the Syracuse Area Music Hall of Fame, will highlight the entertainment at OCCA Oktoberfest, to be held on October 5, 2013, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Joseph L. Popp, Jr. Butterfly Conservatory in Oneonta.

Formed 35 years ago, Fritz's Polka Band is not just an "oompa" band, but plays a variety of music including modern polka, rock, country, and blues. The band has made 17 recordings and had two songs featured on the hit TV series, *Breaking Bad* in 2011.

Fritz's Polka Band is just one of the highlights of the day. OCCA Oktoberfest will also showcase exhibits and displays by Otsego County Conservation Association and its partner organizations, a vendor fair featuring local craftspeople, seasonal foods from Hot Rod's BBQ of Otego, and Oktoberfest-themed children's activities from Oneonta World of Learning. There is also a strudel contest, with the winner being crowned "Überstrudelmeister of OCCA Oktoberfest."

Admission to OCCA Oktoberfest is free with paid admission to the Butterfly Conservatory. For more details, contact OCCA at 547-4488, or visit www.occainfo.org.
http://occainfo.org/documents/POSTEROCCAOktoberfest081913_000.pdf.