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In small towns across the Midwest, summer brings fairs, festivals and town celebrations. These events bring communities together, celebrate American independence and gives a chance to enjoy the coveted funnel cake. This summer, many POET Biorefineries joined in the celebration and paraded the good name of POET and ethanol around the Midwest.



The following pictures give a brief look at the different events that POET plants took part in. The parade decorations several plants used showcased the partnership with NASCAR and showed the crowds that, “America Wins With Ethanol.”



At Hanlontown Sundowner Days and Lake Mills July Jubilee, POET Biorefining – Hanlontown, Iowa, featured the Alden-Conger High School Supermileage Team, who they sponsor. The team designs, builds and races energy efficient vehicles.



An enthusiastic participant pedals his way to the finish line at the Sundowner Days Kiddie Tractor Pull event that POET Hanlontown co-sponsored.



Danica Vanningen shows off her POET car with POET Biorefining – Chancellor at the parade in Lennox, S.D.



POET Biorefining – Chancellor’s team and family members show their support for ethanol in America and pose with their finished product at the Lennox 4th of July parade.



POET Biorefining – Gowrie making their way through the 4th of July parade in Gowrie, Iowa, with the American Ethanol NASCAR show car.



At Tabor Czech Days, POET Research Center, Scotland, S.D., team members reminded the crowd what it means to America when ethanol is in the fuel pump.

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POET Biorefining – Gowrie bid and won the Reserve Grand Champion at the Webster County Cattlemen’s trophy bid. Gary Eischeid, stands alongside Reserve Grand Champion Bryce Fevold, son of Natalie Fevold, Accounting Assistant at the plant, and his prize winning pet at the Webster County 4-H Fair in Iowa.



POET team members shared their latest technology with S.D. farmers in Mitchell, S.D., this August at Dakotafest.



Parkston, S.D. celebrated 125 years this July with POET Biorefining – Mitchell, who paraded their American Ethanol spirit down Main Street.



POET Biorefining – Leipsic, Ohio recruited many volunteers to join in the parade festivities sporting their uniquely decorated ethanol kiddie cars and showing the crowd that “America Wins With Ethanol.”