30th International Rice Festival Opens in Crowley

Former Japanese Minister
Makoto Saito Top Honoree

Miss Eventual Reigns Over
Friday Activities

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Sudduth earns rice eating title

Crowley judging unique

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