



# ILLINOIS STATE FAIR

AUGUST 7 - 17, 2025



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participants good luck!*





# Welcome to the

## ILLINOIS STATE FAIR

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### Admission & Promotions

#### THURSDAY, AUGUST 7

##### County Fair & Horse Racing Day

Adult (13-59)	\$5
Seniors (60+)	\$3
Children (0-12)	FREE

#### FRIDAY, AUGUST 8

##### Agriculture Day

Adult (13-59)	\$10
Seniors (60+)	\$3
Children (0-12)	FREE

#### SATURDAY, AUGUST 9

##### Kids Day

Adult (13-59)	\$10
Seniors (60+)	\$3
Children (0-12)	FREE

#### SUNDAY, AUGUST 10

##### Veterans & Gold Star Families Day \*

Adult (13-59)	\$5
Seniors (60+)	\$3
Children (0-12)	FREE

\* Veterans/Gold Stars & their immediate family get in FREE with proper ID

#### MONDAY, AUGUST 11

##### Senior Citizens & Scout Day \*

Adult (13-59)	\$5
Seniors (60+)	\$3
Children (0-12)	FREE

\* Senior Citizens (60 & over) & Scouts get in FREE

#### TUESDAY, AUGUST 12

##### TWOsday \*

Adult (13-59)	\$2
Seniors (60+)	\$2
Children (0-12)	FREE

\* All carnival rides are \$2

#### WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 13

##### Governor's Day

Adult (13-59)	\$5
Seniors (60+)	\$3
Children (0-12)	FREE

#### THURSDAY, AUGUST 14

##### Republican Day

Adult (13-59)	\$5
Seniors (60+)	\$3
Children (0-12)	FREE

#### FRIDAY, AUGUST 15

##### First Responder &

##### Healthcare Heroes Day\*

Adult (13-59)	\$10
Seniors (60+)	\$3
Children (0-12)	FREE

\* First Responders & Healthcare Heroes get in FREE with proper ID

#### SATURDAY, AUGUST 16

##### Park District Conservation Day

Adult (13-59)	\$10
Seniors (60+)	\$3
Children (0-12)	FREE

#### SUNDAY, AUGUST 17

##### Family Day

Adult (13-59)	\$5
Seniors (60+)	\$3
Children (0-12)	FREE

# PARKING:

# \$5 DAILY





**STATE OF  
ILLINOIS**



**OFFICE OF THE  
GOVERNOR  
JB PRITZKER**

*Welcome to the 2025  
Illinois State Fair!*

**A**s governor of the great state of Illinois, it is my pleasure to welcome you to the 2025 Illinois State Fair. Whether you have come for the culinary delights, Grandstand concerts, carnival rides, or world-class livestock, **adventure awaits** you and your family!

These eleven days showcase the very best that Illinois has to offer. From the creativity on display in the Hobbies, Arts and Crafts Building to the thrilling races on the world's fastest mile track, the Illinois State Fair has something for everyone.

Following more than \$85 million in upgrades, the 366-acre Illinois State Fairgrounds is ready to host visitors from across the nation and around the world to celebrate the culture, people, and products of Illinois.

The Illinois State Fair is a fun, family-friendly way to wrap up the summer. But it also serves a more meaningful purpose – to connect our farmers with the communities and people they feed. The fair celebrates our agricultural success while educating the next generation about where our food comes from, what responsible and sustainable farming looks like, and the role of agriculture in the Illinois economy.

Agriculture is Illinois' number one industry, and the State Fair is putting it on display for three-quarters of a million attendees. With more than 27 million acres of land dedicated to farms, Illinois is proud to be a national leader in an abundance of agricultural staples – soybeans, corn, horseradish, pumpkins, pork, and more.

You can experience all of Illinois' bounty at the fair. I encourage you to explore the exhibits, meet our farmers and artisans, sample new foods, and enjoy countless entertainment options.

We hope you made lasting memories and invite you to join us again next year!

**JB Pritzker, Governor**

**MK Pritzker, First Lady**





JB Pritzker, Governor | Jerry Costello II, Director



## *Greetings from the Illinois State Fair!*

We are delighted to have you join us for 11 fun-filled days and unforgettable nights of summer fun. This year's theme is **Adventure Awaits**.

We hope you will take the time to explore the grounds and the endless opportunities for adventure at the Illinois State Fair.

When you think of the fair, you may imagine enjoying a classic corn dog and an ice-cold lemon shake up or maybe a trip down the giant slide. Those are iconic fair experiences. But dig a little deeper and you'll find harness racing and a big top circus offering three shows a day. High dives. Truck and tractor pulls. Food from around the world in the Village of Cultures. Excitement and adventure await around every corner.

Looking for a slower pace? Snap a selfie with the butter cow. Shop for unique gifts in the Expo Building. Pet a sheep in the FFA barn. Or catch a ride on our trolley. It's free!

The Illinois State Fair highlights agriculture and the hardworking farmers who make it our state's number one industry. For an immersive agricultural experience, spend some time in the Coliseum where world-class livestock is on display. Walk through the barns to see cattle, goats, sheep and swine up close. Talk to the students showing their animals after raising them from birth. The exposure to agriculture in all its forms is second to none on the fairgrounds.

I am proud to say that the grounds have never looked better following countless upgrades sure to improve your experience. Thanks to the Pritzker administration and the General Assembly, over \$85 million has been allotted for infrastructure improvements, allowing for deferred maintenance to be addressed.

Thank you for attending the Illinois State Fair. We appreciate your support and look forward to seeing you back next year.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jerry Costello II".

**Jerry Costello, Director**

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Lori Costello".

**Lori Costello**



# 2025 PROMOTIONS!

## DOUBLE THE FUN PARKING PROMOTION THURSDAY, AUG. 7, 2025

When you pay to park on the Illinois State Fairgrounds on Thursday, August 7, your parking pass will get you free parking on a return trip to the Illinois State Fair on Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday.



## TWOSDAY AUG. 12, 2025

A money-saving way to see and experience the Illinois State Fair! One day only - Admission is reduced to just \$2 for Seniors and Adults! \*Plus\* all carnival rides are just \$2 in the Carnival Midway and Adventure Village!



FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE VISIT  
[statefair.illinois.gov](http://statefair.illinois.gov)



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# 2025 PROMOTIONS!

*Fun for the Whole Family!*

*Illinois State Fair*  
**FEEDING  
FRENZY**



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*Happy Hour Pricing*

**WEEKDAYS ONLY | 2PM-5PM**

**AT PARTICIPATING VENDORS!**

*\* Please check website or info booths for an updated list of participating vendors.*



**\$3.00**

**SAMPLE  
SIZED  
ITEMS!**

**AT THE VILLAGE  
OF CULTURES**

*Fifteen nationalities are represented in the*

*Village of* **CULTURES**

**BOOTHS OPEN 10:30AM - 10PM DAILY!**



Find the location of your favorite food vendor on the **ISF Mobile APP!**

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— 2025 Illinois

GRAND



**JAKE OWEN**  
FRIDAY 8.8



**THE BLACK CROWES**  
SATURDAY 8.9



**SNOOP DOGG**  
WEDNESDAY 8.13



**BRAD PAISLEY**  
THURSDAY 8.14



**TURNPIKE TROUBADOURS**  
SUNDAY 8.17



**SCAN FOR  
TICKETS!**



# State Fair — GRANDSTAND



**MEGAN  
MORONEY**  
SUNDAY 8.10



**SHERYL CROW**  
TUESDAY 8.12



**THE  
CHAINSMOKERS**  
FRIDAY 8.15



**DEF LEPPARD**  
SATURDAY 8.16



2025 Illinois Lottery  
GRANDSTAND STAGE

ILLINOIS  
**STATE FAIR**  
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ON THE  
**GRAND  
 CENTRAL  
 STAGE**  
 UNDER THE  
*Reisch Pavilion*



**Everclear**  
 Thu 8.7



**Diamante**  
 Fri 8.8



**Pecos & The  
 Rooftops**  
 Sat 8.9



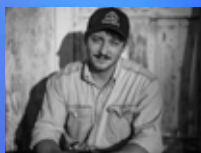
**Kashus  
 Culpepper**  
 Sun 8.10



**Shake Rattle 'N Roll**  
 A Tribute to Doo Wop & Soul  
 Mon 8.11



**Stephen  
 Wilson Jr**  
 Tue 8.12



**Hunter Flynn**  
 Wed 8.13



**Head East**  
 Thu 8.14



**The Frontmen**  
 Fri 8.15



**Simply Spice**  
 A Spice Girls Tribute  
 Sat 8.16



**Twista**  
 Sun 8.17

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*\*Alphabetical list of sponsors as of May 19, 2025.*

**G**rowing your brand awareness is effective and fun with the Illinois State Fair. Visited by more than 770,000 fairgoers in 2024, this annual event is your unique opportunity to participate in one of the state's fastest growing tourist destinations. There's still time for YOU to get involved in this year's Illinois State Fair! Our team works directly with you to curate a custom experience that influences your target audience and exceeds your expectations. We offer a variety of options to create impressions and brand awareness with fairgoers.

*Contact us today!*  
**ISF.Sponsors@Illinois.gov**



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MPA  
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# M.O.D.

## MONSTERS OF DESTRUCTION



## AUGUST 7

QUAD  
WARS

TUFF  
TRUCKS

MONSTER  
TRUCK RIDES

### SHOW TIME 7:30PM

Gate open 1 hour prior to the event.

**Adults** [13 & older]: **\$25** ADVANCE / **\$30** AT GATE

**Kids** [12 & under]: **\$20** ADVANCE / **\$23** AT GATE

**Kids** [3 & under]: **FREE**

*Admission is **NOT** included  
in price of a Grandstand or  
MPA Event Ticket.*

*PURCHASE  
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# BIG TOP ADVENTURES

## *Circus*

**THREE FREE**  
*Performances*  
**DAILY**





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## GENERAL INFORMATION ADMISSIONS GATE CHARGE

General Admission (Adults 13-59) .....	\$5.00
Friday, 8/8; Saturday, 8/9; Friday, 8/15 Saturday, 8/16 .....	\$10.00
Children (0-12) .....	FREE
Senior Citizens (60 & over) .....	\$3.00
Sunday, August 10- Veterans & Gold Star Families Day (with presentation of Proper ID) .....	FREE
Monday, August 11 - Senior Citizens Day (60+)/Scout* Day .....	FREE
<i>*Scout Day: Boy or Girl Scout in uniform or with official Scout card</i>	
Tuesday, August 12 – Twosday .....	\$2.00
Friday, August 15 - First Responders & Healthcare Heroes Day (with presentation of Proper ID) .....	FREE
<b>Gate Admission Policy:</b> Paid public admission for all gates are 7 am-10 pm.	
<b>NO ADMITTANCE after 10 pm</b>	
Adult (13-59) Discount Coupon	
Booklet - 11 Admissions .....	\$45.00
Senior (60+) Convenience Coupon	
Booklet - 10 Admissions .....	\$30.00

## PARKING

Accessible Parking is available at Gate 7 (pricing listed below) Bus Parking is available at Gate 7 in the Bus Parking area	
Daily Vehicle Parking on fairgrounds: .....	\$5.00
Exhibitor's Seasonal Auto Permit .....	\$40.00
General Public Seasonal Parking (Gate 6, Lot 18 only)* .....	\$40.00
(Public Parking will be permitted on the half-mile track after 10 am)	
<i>*Seasonal parking permit requires advance purchasing through Emmerson Building – Not available for purchase at the Gate.</i>	
<i>**Seasonal parking permit valid at all other open gates if Gate 6 is closed due to capacity or during Auto Racing.</i>	

## DAYS OF THE 2025 ILLINOIS STATE FAIR

Thursday, August 7 .....	County Fairs and Horse Racing Day
Friday, August 8 .....	Agriculture Day
Saturday, August 9 .....	Kids Day
Sunday, August 10 .....	*Veterans & Gold Star Families Day
Monday, August 11 ....	*Senior Citizen/Scouts Day
Tuesday, August 12 .....	Twosday
Wednesday, August 13 .....	Governor's Day
Thursday, August 14 .....	Republican Day
Friday, August 15 .....	*First Responders and Healthcare Heroes Day
Saturday, August 16 .....	Park District / Conservation Day
Sunday, August 17 .....	Family Day
<i>*Discounted Days – FREE Admission to those with proper IDs</i>	

## STATE FAIR OFFICES

Administration .....	217/782-6661
Camping .....	217/524-9894
Competitive Events .....	217/782-0786
Credentials .....	217/782-6998
Horse Show Offices .....	217/524-3196
Mega Pass .....	217/782-0775
Press Office .....	217/524-9825
Special Events .....	217/782-0777
Space Rental .....	217/785-1980
Ticket Office .....	217/782-1979
TTY .....	866/287-2999
Website Address .....	statefair.illinois.gov

## HOTEL/MOTEL INFORMATION

Springfield Convention & Visitors Bureau 109  
North 7th Street, Springfield, IL 62701  
217/789-2360 or 800/545-7300  
[Springfield.il.us/visit](http://Springfield.il.us/visit)

## GUEST SERVICES

### ACCESSIBILITY

In accordance with the Americans with  
Disabilities Act, any attendee requiring a  
reasonable accommodation should notify us of  
their needs.  
Wagons, wheelchairs and electric scooters will  
be available to rent daily from 9 am-10 pm on  
Grandstand Ave. near the Goat Barn. They will  
be available at the Illinois Bldg. from 9 am-5 pm  
(Mon-Thu) and 9 am-7 pm (Fri-Sun). Driver's  
license will be required for deposit on all rentals.  
All rentals must be returned to the same location  
to retrieve driver's license. Rentals must be  
returned by 12 midnight each day.

### ADMINISTRATION OFFICES

Located in the Emmerson Building on Main  
Street. Hours are 8 am to 6 pm during the Fair.

### AUTOMATED TELLER MACHINE (ATM):

16 Convenient locations on the fairgrounds:  
Arena • Coliseum • Commodities Pavilion •  
Conservation World • Village of Cultures •  
Expo Building • Reisch Pavilion (2 locations) •  
Grandstand (2 locations) • Adventure Village •  
Midway Comfort Station • Midway Ticket Booth •  
Orr Building • The Shed • Skyglide.

### BABY CARE FACILITIES

A private area for nursing mothers and  
diaper-changing is available in the South Wing of  
the Emmerson Building, just inside the Sensory  
Station. Hours are from 10:00 am to 7:00 pm.  
Adult changing tables are available in the First  
Aid Station. (See First Aid)



**FIRST AID**

Volunteers from SIU School of Medicine operate a First Aid Station in the Emmerson Building Annex near the Lincoln Stage and across from the Dairy Building. First Aid Station volunteers are knowledgeable personnel trained to respond to basic first aid care and comfort until the arrival of EMS personnel arrives, should they be required. The First Aid Station can provide free basic first aid and temporary care for injuries and sudden illnesses, and adequate space for adult diaper changing. The First Aid Station hours are from 11:00 am -11:00 pm daily.

**ILLINOIS STATE POLICE**

The Illinois State Police is stationed inside the Emmerson Building on Main Street. This is where you will find Lost & Found guest services., and you can find assistance in reuniting with a lost child/person.. Announcements for lost children 12 years and under will be made. A secondary location is featured on Grandstand Avenue to assist with FOID related questions and services.

**INFORMATION BOOTHS**

Conveniently placed at 6 locations throughout the grounds: 1) Main Street outside the Illinois Building; 2) Main Street and Central Avenue; 3) Central Avenue and 8th Street Road; 4) Grandstand Avenue at Goat Barn; 5) Infield of One Mile Track (Gate 6) just inside the pedestrian tunnel; and 6) Gate 2 at the SkyGlide. Hours are 10:00am to 8:00pm daily.

**MEGA PASS**

Mega Passes will be sold at the Emmerson Building Credentials Office  
8/7-11 — 8:30 am-7:00 pm  
8/12-16 — 8:30 am-6:00 pm  
8/17 — 8:30 am -Noon

**POST OFFICE**

A full-service U.S. Postal Service Office is located in the Exposition Building. Hours are 9 am to 5 pm.

**TAXI AND RIDESHARE PICKUP/DROP OFF**

A Taxi/Rideshare lane is located at the Gate 12 turn in just west of the entrance. All vehicles must enter from the west heading east in order to comply with the one-way traffic pattern.

**DAILY HAPPENINGS****ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TENT**

Located Central Ave & West of Main St  
10:00am-8:00pm (closing 6 pm Sun 8/17)  
Celebrate agriculture with the food growing our state: famous apple cider slushies, soft-serve ice cream, fresh-cut watermelon, peaches and sweet corn from the Illinois Specialty Growers Association. Sample and buy local food during the Illinois Products Artisan Market August 8-10 and Illinois Product Store August 11-17.

Check out the daily schedule to join us for \*free\* entertainment. The AgVenture Kids Area features \*free\* crafts, the always popular corn bin and farmers market play area and piglets.

**AKC/ILLINOIS STATE FAIR PREMIER CUP - 4th Annual**

Located in Coliseum

Capital Canine Training Club hosts TWO AKC licensed all breed Agility Drills. Registration open to all dogs 15 months and older registered with the American Kennel Club (AKC) or that have AKC Limited Registration.

Aug 8 .....4:00pm-8:00pm  
Aug 9 .....8:00am-Noon

**APEX STAGE**

Noon-8:00pm

Located at corner of Illinois Ave & Grandstand Ave  
Live entertainment daily.

**ARENA**

Located on South 8th Street

Aug 7 - Monsters of Destruction  
(Ticket Fee \$) .....7:30pm  
Aug 9 - Illinois State Fair Rodeo  
(Ticket Fee \$) .....7:30pm  
Aug 11 - ITPA Truck & Tractor Pulls  
(Ticket Fee \$) .....7:30pm  
Aug 12 - ITPA Truck & Tractor Pulls  
(Ticket Fee \$) .....7:30pm  
Aug 13 - ITPA Truck & Tractor Pulls  
(Ticket Fee \$) .....7:30pm  
Aug 16 - ISF Championship Demolition Derby  
(Ticket Fee \$) Power Wheels.....5:00pm  
Demolition Derby Event .....6:00pm

**ARTISANS BUILDING**

Located South of Coliseum and West of Exposition Building

Come taste wines from Illinois wineries in the Artisans Building. Additional locations include the Village of Cultures and Commodities Pavilion. Sponsored by the Illinois Grape Growers and Vintners Alliance (IGGVA).

Mon-Thu .....11:30am-8:00pm  
Fri-Sun .....11:30pm-9:00pm

**ATTORNEY GENERAL'S TENT**

10:00am-7:00pm

Located on Grandstand Ave

Visit Attorney General Kwame Raoul's tent to learn more about some of the many programs and services we provide. Responsible for protecting the interests of the state and its residents, the Attorney General's office works to protect consumers, help crime victims, advocate for older residents, safeguard communities, preserve the environment, promote transparency in government and defend the rights of Illinois residents. Stop by to see how we can help you. Also, visit the Illinois Building to learn more about the Attorney General's efforts to help seniors recognize and avoid scams.





# CRAFT BEER *Competition*

**AUGUST 8 & 9 | 11AM-7PM**  
**THE SHED**

*Raise a glass to local flavor!*

The Illinois State Fair will host the 2025 Illinois Craft Beer Competition and **\*you\*** are the judge!

Join the Illinois Craft Brewers Guild on August 8<sup>th</sup> and August 9<sup>th</sup> in The Shed and explore the very best of Illinois craft beer.

Buy a pint or snag a "Sample Pass" to sip your way across 10 different 5oz samples from some of the best breweries Illinois has to offer!

❗ **21+ with valid ID to purchase alcohol.**  
● **Please drink responsibly.**



**BIG TOP ADVENTURES**

Daily 1:00pm, 4:00pm & 7:00pm

Located in Happy Hollow

Step right up, Step right up! You won't believe your eyes, as Happy Hollow is transformed into an 800-seat big top circus! A spectacular showcase awaits with acts from jugglers, clowns, trapeze artists and so much more!

**BOOM! LED MOBILE HYPE SHOW**

Daily 2:30p, 4:30p, 6:30p, 8:30p

Roaring entertainment near Grandstand Avenue Prepare yourself for a pulse pounding, percussive production! This high- impact entertainment event will stop crowds and leave you wanting more. Witness this intense, uncontrollable, explosion of bright, loud and fun excitement.

**BUDWEISER CLYDESDALES**

Located in Barn 118 at Avenue of Flags

Viewing of the Clydesdale all dates August 7-17.  
2025 Schedule of Full Hitch Parade on the Fairgrounds:

Aug. 7 (in Twilight Parade) ..... 5:30pm

Aug 10 (in Veterans Day Parade) ..... 4:00pm

Aug. 15 ..... 4:00pm

Aug. 16 ..... 4:00pm

**BUSCH LIGHT TENT**

Noon-Midnight

Located on Avenue of Flags. Live entertainment daily.

**COLISEUM**

Located on Central Avenue

Aug. 7-8..... Society Horse Show, Saddlebred Roadster & Hackney, Welsh & Shetland Pony

Aug 8-9..... AKC Premier Cup Dog Agility Show

Aug 9.....Parade of Champions

Aug 10-12.....Draft Horse Show

Aug 13.....Governor's Sale of Champions

Aug 14-16.....Society Horse Show, Morgan, Arabian, Walking Horse, Fox Trotter & Paso Fino

Aug 17.....Draft Horse Pull

**COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE TENT**

9:30am-8:00pm

Located on Brian Raney Avenue

Come visit Illinois State Comptroller Susana A. Mendoza's tent which will feature an interactive and informative experience that will help visitors see exactly where their tax dollars are going.

**CONSERVATION WORLD**

10:00am - 7:00pm

Located on North 8th Street

Conservation World is 30-acres of rolling hills and woodlands that brings the northwest corner of the fairgrounds to life. Take a trip into the wilderness as our guides show you the wonders of nature.

**COORS LIGHT TENT**

Noon - Midnight

Located on Grandstand Ave. Live entertainment daily.

**CRAFT BEER COMPETITION**

Located in The Shed

(Aug 8, Aug 9) ..... 11:00am-7:00pm

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**DAIRY BUILDING**

9:00am-7:00pm

Located on East end of Central Avenue

Home of the unofficial icon of the Illinois State Fair, The Butter Cow! Come inside to check out this bovine butter creation and all of the great dairy products and exhibits featured by Illinois farmers. Sponsored by the Midwest Dairy Association.

**DOLLY DAYS**

2:00pm - 3:00pm

Located in the Sensory Station (Emmerson Building)

Join us every afternoon as we celebrate the magic of Dolly Parton's Imagination Library. Every month, the Imagination Library mails over 2.8 million books to children age birth to five, including to kids right here in Illinois. Children, parents, grandparents and caregivers are invited to attend a special storytime with staff from the Imagination Library and our wonderful surrounding library partners. Come out and learn more about the amazing contributions to literacy, music and creativity.

**EMMERSON BUILDING**

Located on Main Street & Brian Raney Avenue

First Aid Station/East Annex ... 11:00am-11:00pm

Sensory Station/South Wing .... 10:00am-7:00pm

Lost and Found Services ..... 8:00am-6:00pm

**EXPOSITION BUILDING**

Located on Main Street

Amateur and Junior Art Exhibits... 10:00am-8:00pm

Shopping ..... 9:00am-9:00pm

Expo Building Stage

(live entertainment, daily) ..... Noon-7:30pm

Selfie Gallery ..... 9:00am-9:00pm

U.S. Post Office..... 9:00am-5:00pm

**EXTREME DOGS STUNT DOG SHOW**

Located in Thrillville

Extreme Dogs tours the nation promoting animal rescue and pet adoption. These high flying, extreme sport, wickedly talented canine athletic superstar animals capture the hearts of hundreds of thousands from coast to coast. It's a \*free\* must-see event at this year's Illinois State Fair! Performing Daily ..... 2:00pm, 4:00pm & 6:00pm



**FIRST LADY'S TENT**

10:00am-6:00pm

Located on Main St &amp; Brian Raney Ave

Join the First Lady's Tent for art experiences that are for everyone! Join the First Lady, her team, and the Illinois State Museum to see how art connects us through hands on activities, an art exhibit by women who are justice impacted, and much more.

**FLORICULTURE**

Located in Illinois Building

Aug 7 .....	Noon-5:00pm
Aug 8 .....	9:00am-5:00pm
Aug 9 .....	1:30pm-5:00pm
Aug 10 .....	9:00am-5:00pm
Aug 11 .....	Noon-5:00pm
Aug 12 .....	9:00am-5:00pm
Aug 13 .....	Noon-5:00pm
Aug 14 .....	9:00am-5:00pm
Aug 15 .....	Noon-5:00pm
Aug 16 .....	Noon-5:00pm

**GAMING**

Located in the Grandstand (south end)

Hours of Operation ..... Noon-11:00pm

**GOLDEN ABE'S FANTASTIC FAIR FOOD CONTEST**

Aug 8: Winners Unveiled, Lincoln Stage .. 3:00pm

Aug 15: People's Choice Unveiled,

Expo Stage ..... 2:00pm

This contest, held annually, recognizes the most delicious, creative and well-presented culinary concoction featured at the Illinois State Fair. Sponsored by Woodward Community Media, cash prizes are handed out to the winners in the following categories: Sweet, Savory and Specialty.

**GOVERNOR'S TENT**

Located at Main Street and Brian Raney Avenue Governor JB Pritzker's Tent features displays from several State agencies highlighting their efforts to continue to provide the best services and programs for Illinois Families.

**GRANDSTAND CONCERT SERIES**

Sponsored by Illinois Lottery

Located on Grandstand Avenue

**Grandstand Ticket Office** ..... 8:00am-9:00pm**Concert Schedule**

8/8 – Jake Owen (Ticket Fee \$) .....	8:00pm
8/9 – The Black Crowes (Ticket Fee \$) .....	8:00pm
8/10 – Megan Moroney (Ticket Fee \$) .....	8:00pm
8/12 – Sheryl Crow (Ticket Fee \$) .....	8:00pm
8/13 – Snoop Dogg (Ticket Fee \$) .....	8:00pm
8/14 – Brad Paisley (Ticket Fee \$) .....	8:00pm
8/15 – The Chainsmokers (Ticket Fee \$) .....	8:00pm
8/16 – Def Leppard (Ticket Fee \$) .....	8:00pm
8/17 – Turnpike Troubadours .....	8:00pm

**GRAND CENTRAL STAGE**

Sponsored by Woodward Community Media

Located under the Reisch Pavilion

FREE Live Entertainment ..... 2:00pm-9:00pm

**Spotlight Artist – Free Concert Schedule:**

Thu, 8/7 – Everclear .....	7:30pm
Fri, 8/8 – Diamante .....	7:30pm
Sat, 8/9 – Pecos & The Rooftops .....	7:30pm
Sun, 8/10 – Kashus Culpepper .....	7:30pm
Mon, 8/11 – Shake Rattle 'n Roll .....	7:30pm
Tue, 8/12 – Stephen Wilson Jr. ....	7:30pm
Wed, 8/13 – Hunter Flynn .....	7:30pm
Thu, 8/14 – Head East .....	7:30pm
Fri, 8/15 – The Frontmen .....	7:30pm
Sat, 8/16 – Simply Spice (Spice Girls Tribute) .....	7:30pm
Sun, 8/17 – Twista .....	7:30pm

**HARNESS RACING**

Grandstand Mile Track

Aug 7 post times .....	11:00am
Aug 8 & Aug 9 post time .....	11:00am
Aug 13 & Aug 14 post time .....	11:00am

**HIGH DIVE SHOW**

Located at Corner of Main Street and Central Ave

Weekends (Fri-Sun) .....	12:30 pm, 3:30 pm, 5:30 pm & 8:00pm
Weekdays (Mon-Thurs) .....	3:30 pm, 5:30 pm & 8:00pm

**HOBBIES, ARTS, & CRAFTS BUILDING**

Thu, 8/7- Sat, 8/16 ..... 8:30am-8:30pm

Sun, 8/17 ..... 9:30am-Noon

**ILLINOIS BUILDING SENIOR CENTER**

Located on Main Street .....	9:00am-5:00pm
Bingo .....	11:00am-2:00pm
Exhibits .....	9:00am-5:00pm
Floriculture .....	(see Floriculture listing for times)
Illinois Theater (Entertainment) .....	9:00am-5:00pm
Illinois State Beekeepers Association .....	9:00am-5:00pm

**ILLINOIS WINE EXPERIENCE**

**Artisans Building** — Experience the best of Illinois agriculture at the Artisans Building during the Illinois State Fair. Sample local wines and discover why grapes are the highest value specialty crop in the U.S.

Meet winemakers, enjoy live music on weekends and relax in climate-controlled comfort. Glasses and bottles are available to enjoy onsite or take home. All ages welcome, must be 21+ to sample, tasting fees apply. Sip, savor and celebrate Illinois wine!

Mon-Thu ..... 11:30pm-8:00pm

Fri-Sun ..... 11:30pm-9:00pm

**Village of Cultures** — Featuring one winery per day selling glasses, bottles and our world-famous wine slushies!

Daily ..... Noon – 9:00pm

**Commodities Pavilion** (across from Grandstand) — Featuring one winery per day selling glasses, bottles and our world-famous wine slushies!

Daily ..... 11:00am-8:00pm



**KARDENNI the Magician ....** Multiple shows daily  
Locations - Lincoln Stage and roving performances daily.

Come witness mind-expanding miracles and sophisticated fun with Kardenni the Magician. Check out his unique style of magic that is exceptionally amazing, funny, effective and original.

### LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR'S TENT

10:00am-6:00pm

Located on Brian Raney Ave

Lieutenant Governor Juliana Stratton invites you to stop by and discover how #AgConnectsUsAll.

### LINCOLN STAGE ..... Noon-8:00pm

Located on Central Avenue across from The Shed

A mixture of live entertainment, contests and competitions, etc. daily.

### LIVESTOCK CENTER

Located on West end of Central Avenue

#### Beef Cattle Shows

Aug. 8-11 ..... 8:00am-4:00pm

#### Dairy Cattle Shows

Aug. 14-16 ..... 10:00am-7:00pm

#### Mini Horse Show

Aug 17. .... 9:00am-2:00pm

#### Park District Pentathlon

August 16. .... 11:30am

### MILLER LITE TENT

Noon-Midnight

Located on Illinois Avenue. Live entertainment daily.

### MERIDIAN HEALTHCARE of ILLINOIS ADVENTURE VILLAGE STAGE

Located inside Adventure Village.

This hidden gem is a family favorite destination for families with children looking for a moment to regroup or capture a souvenir to remember their trip to the Illinois State Fair. Stop by daily for \*free\* children's programming including face painting and balloon artists.

### NATHAN'S SPRAY MONAY

Multiple shows daily

Located on Central Avenue (North side of Emmerson Bldg.)

Nathan Bassett is known as the "The Rattle Can Ninja of the Midwest." His spray paint art is a live performance art which can be best experienced LIVE, as he paints a picture in about 5 minutes while playing energetic music.

### OFF AXIS STUNT SHOW

Located in Thrillville

This adrenaline-pumping spectacle combines extreme sports and circus acrobats with non-stop excitement from start to finish. It is an experience you won't want to miss!

Performing Daily ..... 3:00pm, 5:00pm & 7:00 pm

### ORR BUILDING

Located on 4-H Lane (off of 8th Street)

Fri 8/8-Mon 8/11, 4-H Activities..... 9am-4pm

Wed, 8/14 – Naturalization Ceremony..... 11am

### PICKLEBALL TOURNAMENT

Located in the Orr Building

Aug 16 ..... 10:00am

Discover the fastest growing sport in America, Pickleball! Join us for an exciting day of competition and community as the Illinois State Fair presents the **Dill-inois State Fair Pickleball Showdown**, a round-robin doubles tournament featuring both youth and adult divisions. Curious about this exciting sport? Try your hand on the instructional and challenge courts. No equipment needed, just stop by to learn how to play Pickleball or Adult Red Ball Tennis.

### PIGLETS ON PARADE ..... 10:00am-7:00pm

Located on Central Avenue, east of the Coliseum

### POWERLIGHT FEST ..... Sun, Aug 17

Located on Lincoln Stage

Rare of Breed ..... 5:00pm

Emerson Day ..... 6:30pm

Colton Dixon ..... 8:00pm

### PRE-SHOW PARTY TENT ..... 5:30pm-7:30pm

(Ticket Fee \$)

Located inside Infield Parking Lot (Gate 6)

Upgrade your concert experience with a pre-show party. This event is in addition to your concert ticket. Both a concert ticket and a pre-show party ticket are required to enter the party tent. Enjoy hors d'oeuvres, entertainment, presenting station swag giveaways and early entry into the concert venue. Only a LIMITED amount of pre-show party tickets are made available.

### ROUTE 66 EXPERIENCE ..... 10:00am-7:00pm

Located in Gate 2 area

Experience 300 miles of the Illinois Mother Road in one location. Participating communities include: Joliet, Pontiac, Atlanta, Bloomington, Normal, Lincoln, Springfield, Alton, Litchfield and Edwardsville

### THE SHED SPORTS BAR ..... Noon-11:00pm

Located East end of Central Avenue

Food, drinks and plenty of covered family seating.

### SECRETARY OF STATE'S TENT ... 10:00am-7:00pm

Located on Brian Raney Avenue

Fairgoers can renew their driver's licenses and vehicle registration stickers, as well as join Illinois' Organ Tissue/Donor Registry. Highway maps and other publications are available.



# MEET THE



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**CLYDESDALES**

**AT THE ILLINOIS STATE FAIR**



**AVENUE OF FLAGS**  
**AUGUST 7 - 17, 2025**





**SELFIE GALLERY** ..... 9:00am-9:00pm

Located in the Exposition Building  
One dozen unique, interactive and mind-blowing booths to capture your greatest poses and pictures! Includes 2 extra large booths for photos of your group. Come on in and take your selfies for Free! Don't forget to share your experience on social media at #ILStateFair.

**SENSORY STATION**..... 10:00am-7:00pm

Located at south end of the Emmerson Building.  
Dedicated quiet zone on the fairgrounds designed to provide fairgoers with sensory sensitivities the tools and resources to regroup and focus. Sunflower Hours will be offered on Saturday August 9 from 9:00am-Noon.

**SKY HIGH BALLOON GUY**

12:30pm, 2:30pm, 4:30pm, 6:30pm

Located at the Meridian Healthcare Adventure Village Stage  
Sky High Balloon Guy is a professional balloon twister with many years of experience that can make just about anything you can imagine! With jokes and charisma, he will entertain and make an impact you will never forget.

**SKY RIDE** (Ticket Fee \$) ..... 9:00am-10:00pm

The Sky Ride runs from the south end of Grandstand Avenue to the corner of Gate #2. It offers an excellent aerial view of the fairgrounds. Separate ticket required to ride.

**STATE FAIR MUSEUM** ..... 10:00am-8:00pm

Located in the Grandstand (north end)  
Step back in time and marvel at all of the historical exhibits and memorabilia highlighting the 160+ years of Illinois State Fair history. Souvenirs may also be purchased here.

**STROLLING PIANO** ..... 2:30pm, 5:30pm, 7:00pm

Daily  
Roaming entertainment near Main Street  
The Strolling Piano brings the gift the music to all ages and genres, as it gracefully glides through the fairgrounds filling the air with music, song and laughter. The talented performers switch effortlessly between genres reminding us that these songs have the power to bridge generations and bring people closer together. Whether it's a classic ballad, a rocking anthem, or your pop-music favorite, this mobile piano will have you singing along in the streets.

**THRILLVILLE**

Located on East Brian Raney Ave  
**Extreme Dogs Stunt Dog Show**  
Aug 7-17.....2:00pm, 4:00pm & 6:00pm  
**Off Axis Stunt Show**  
Aug 7-17.....3:00pm, 5:00pm & 7:00pm

**TREASURER'S OFFICE TENT** ... 10:00am-6:00pm

Located on Avenue of Flags  
Illinois State Treasurer Michael Frerichs' tent highlights several office programs during the Fair. On Saturday, Aug 17, a live Unclaimed Property Auction returns to the Lincoln Stage. The public can view auction items from 9am-11am, and the live auction begins at 11am. Stop by the Treasurer's tent to search the I-Cash database for any possible unclaimed property and also find information about the many great programs the Treasurer's office offers.

**VILLAGE OF CULTURES**

Located on Main Street  
Ethnic Food Concession ..... 10:30am-10:00pm  
(African, Cajun, Cuban, Filipino, German, Greek, Italian, Jamaican, Mediterranean, Mexican, Southern Comfort, and more!)  
IL Wine Booth & International Beer Booths ..... 11:00am-10:00pm  
Village of Cultures Entertainment..... Noon-10:00pm

**ZOO LADY AND HER ZOO CREW****FACE PAINTING**

Located on the Meridian Healthcare Adventure Village Stage  
Providing FREE face painting daily  
Noon-6:00pm

**CONSERVATION WORLD ATTRACTIONS****100 Years of Conservation Welcome Tent**

Daily: 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.  
Just inside the main entrance to Conservation World, visitors will enjoy browsing at our 100 Years of Conservation welcome tent for commemorative trinkets, special state park posters and a selection of giveaways.

**100 Years of Conservation Passport**

Daily: 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.  
Pick up a 100 Years of Conservation Passport at the main entrance to Conservation World and participate in activities at our must-visit spots. Children will earn passport stamps for each activity. Complete all activities to win a special prize.

**Archery Range**

Daily: 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.  
Youth can explore the fun of using a bow and arrow at IDNR's popular archery tent. Three archery lanes with a mix of Olympic and three-dimensional targets.

**Be a Climate Action Hero!**

Daily: 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.  
Visit with IDNR's climate action team members to learn about the department's efforts to reduce its carbon footprint and model initiatives to make agency operations more sustainable, save money, and improve visitor experiences at state parks. Learn what you can do to live more sustainably at home and enjoy fun activities.



# Welcome to **THRILLVILLE**



located behind Lincoln Stage

## **EXTREME DOGS** *Stunt Dog Show*



**2PM • 4PM • 6PM**

## **OFF AXIS** *Stunt Show*



**3PM • 5PM • 7PM**



**Chris Camp, "The Whip Guy"**

Aug. 8-10 and Aug. 15-17 ..... 12:45 p.m.,  
2:45 p.m., 4:45 p.m.

Check out Chris Camp, "The Whip Guy," and his show featuring daring, high-energy stunts, history, physics, light-hearted humor and fun. Perfect for all ages.

**Dunk a CPO and Touch a Truck**

Try your hand at dunking an Illinois Conservation Police officer in a water tank daily and make washable handprints on a police truck once a day on weekends.

**Eagle Nest Photo Opportunity**

Daily: 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Youth can get their photo taken in a replica eagle nest at the Habitat 100 tent.

**Fishing Clinics at the Pond**

Daily: 10:30 a.m., noon, 1:30 p.m., 3 p.m.,  
4:30 p.m.

Children can learn about different species of fish and try to catch some at the Conservation World pond.

**Fly Fishing Clinics**

Aug. 8-10 and Aug. 15-17, check for times

Participants will gain hands-on experience fly casting, learn the essentials of fly casting for a variety of species, and find out about appropriate tackle to use. Meet at the pond behind the IDNR building.

**Paul Bunyan Lumberjack Show**

Monday through Thursday, noon, 3 p.m., 6 p.m.

Friday through Sunday, noon, 2 p.m., 4 p.m.,  
6 p.m.

Bring the family to watch lumberjacks race to see who can chop, saw, and cut the fastest. Laughter, thrills and chills guaranteed. Multiple shows daily. Northwest corner of Conservation World behind the IDNR building.

**Rock Climbing Wall**

Daily: 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Kids can challenge themselves to climb the great rock wall.

**Sensory Hours**

Aug. 9 and Aug. 12: 8:30 a.m. to 10 a.m.

Visitors can enjoy Conservation World during special sensory-friendly hours. Programming and exhibit adjustments will offer a quieter, more calming environment for children and adults with sensory processing sensitivities.

**Voyageur Canoe**

Aug. 8-10 and Aug. 15-17, noon, 1:30 p.m.,  
4:30 p.m.

Take a ride in a traditional wood canoe on the Conservation World pond.

**Youth BB Gun Range**

Daily: 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Youth can test their shooting skills at the supervised BB gun range inside the conservation police tent.

**CONSERVATION WORLD  
EXHIBITS AND ACTIVITIES****100 Years of Wildlife Conservation**

Daily: 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

IDNR wildlife staff present a look back at 100 years of conservation in Illinois and invite visitors to consider what wildlife conservation will look like in the next century. Explore wildlife taxidermy, including full-body mountain lion and gray wolf mounts. Learn about habitat management, hunting, wildlife research, hunting and trapping harvests, large carnivore sightings in Illinois, and more. Games and activities for children.

**American Chemical Society, Illinois Chapter**

Daily: 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Demonstrations at 10:30 a.m., 12:30 p.m., 3 p.m.,  
5 p.m.

Discover science through hands-on activities and demonstrations for all ages. Teachers can earn professional development hours and pick up classroom materials. Educational handouts for adults and activity booklets for kids. Earn a prize by taking a science quiz or playing games.

**CPO Check Station**

Daily: 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Celebrate with the Illinois Conservation Police as they mark 140 years of service in 2025. Stop by their tent to visit with conservation officers, buy hunting and fishing licenses, and more. Check out a snowmobile and an ATV and view a display of deer mounts. Youth can test their shooting skills at the supervised BB gun range inside the tent.

**Dogs That Help**

Daily: 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Visit with professional trainers, veterans, volunteers and other dog lovers who know the immense improvements in quality of life a trained canine can provide.

**Forestry 100**

Daily: 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Learn about planting desired tree species in Illinois and keeping invasive exotic plants at bay. Ask a state forester how to manage a forest, plant and trim trees, control forest pests, and be a good land steward. Learn about ecological succession and the natural progression of plant communities through time. Pick up tree and seed samples from the Mason State Tree Nursery. Visit with staff from the Morton Arboretum. Smokey Bear will greet fairgoers at 11:15 a.m. and 4:15 p.m. daily. Lots of kids' activities.

**Habitat 100**

Daily: 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Learn about various animal species and their "100-year story." Explore IDNR's mussel table and the butterfly house. Enjoy the eagle's nest and monarch butterfly photo opportunities. Learn to identify different birds' nests and find out what a turkey nest looks like. The various stages of the monarch life cycle will be on display, and IDNR will host pop-up talks about monarchs. Explore a display of native plants that serve as important habitat and food sources to pollinators.



**Hydrozone**

Daily: 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Families can take a break from the heat and explore our popular water tables, including the original water table, a sediment table, a wave table, and the “Make it Rain” table. Learn about the depth of Lake Michigan and explore displays from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. Pick up information about flood protection and the State Water Plan.

**Illinois Environmental Protection Agency**

Daily: 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Hands-on educational activities and recycling games.

**Illinois Fisheries at 100**

Daily 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

View Illinois sportfish, such as catfish, muskie and alligator gar, in IDNR’s 2,800-gallon see-through fish aquarium. Learn the history of Illinois commercial fishing and talk with staff from the Illinois Department of Public Health about the benefits and risks of eating locally caught fish. Sign up in the tent for various fishing clinics and activities.

**Illinois State Archaeological Society and Illinois Association for the Advancement of Archaeology**

Daily: 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

**Illinois State Parks: A Century of Fun**

Daily: 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Reminisce about Illinois state parks at our special 100 Years of State Parks exhibit. Visitors can walk through time while enjoying photos, mementos, clothing, and equipment from camping and outdoor recreation over the past century. Include a Civilian Conservation Corps display, highlighting

the significance of these projects to Illinois state parks. Sign our guest book with your first memory of camping or spending time in a state park. Contribute to our vision board with your idea of what outdoor recreation will be like 100 years from now.

**Sportsmen Tent and Outdoor News**

Daily: 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Visit with representatives of the National Wild Turkey Federation, Friends of NRA, Quail Unlimited, and the Illinois State Rifle Association. Pick up free samples of Outdoor News.

**The Rock Box**

Daily: 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Children can have fun in the rock dig, play the mineral matching game, and visit the Rock Box trailer with displays. Explore the blasting and explosives display, Illinois underground mine maps, a model coal car, and various minerals and fossils. New this year: a display of aggregates used in road construction. Kid-friendly exhibits provide examples of conventional oil and gas practices. Learn how horizontal wells are drilled and where high-volume hydraulic fracturing is likely in Illinois.

**Winter in Illinois: Where Do They Go?**

Daily: 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Learn how different native animal species survive the winter in Illinois. Fairgoers will also learn about annual frost, snowfall amounts, and weather trends in Illinois and explore what an Illinois winter may look like 100 years from now. Children can engage with interactive activities, a winter track table, build a brush pile, explore the winter book nook, and check out the winter tree ID and winter bird feeding station.





## 2025 DAILY SCHEDULE

## Thursday, Aug. 7, 2025

Open Goats.....	8 am.....	Goat Barn
Live Cooking Contests.....	9 am.....	Hobbies Arts & Crafts Building
Jr Beef Cattle.....	9 am.....	Jr Livestock Building
Open Poultry.....	9:30 am.....	Building 105
Fishing Clinics at the Pond.....	10:30 am.....	Conservation World
Jr Beef Cattle.....	11 am.....	Jr Livestock Building
Harness Racing.....	11 am.....	Grandstand
Kid's Crafts.....	11 am.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Nick Muilaert.....	Noon.....	Apex Stage
Kevin Lucas Experience.....	Noon.....	Village of Cultures
Mike Anderson - Dulcimer Guy.....	Noon.....	Expo Bldg Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p).....	Noon.....	Adventure Village Stage
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay.....	Noon.....	Central Avenue
Society Horse.....	Noon.....	Coliseum
Amateur Talent Contest.....	Noon.....	Lincoln Stage
Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show.....	Noon.....	Conservation World
Sky High Balloon Guy.....	12:30 pm.....	Adventure Village Stage
Live Cooking Contests.....	12:30 pm.....	Hobbies Arts & Crafts Building
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p).....	1 pm.....	Adventure Village Stage
Circus.....	1 pm.....	Happy Hollow
Kardenni - Magician.....	1 pm.....	Roving
Jr Beef Cattle.....	1 pm.....	Jr Livestock Building
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay.....	1:30 pm.....	Central Avenue
Fishing Clinics at the Pond.....	1:30 pm.....	Conservation World
Dylan & Morgan.....	2 pm.....	Apex Stage
Sushi Roll.....	2 pm.....	Grand Central Stage
Peaches and Bacon.....	2 pm.....	Village of Cultures
Mark Konzen.....	2 pm.....	Expo Bldg Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p).....	2 pm.....	Adventure Village Stage
Extreme Dogs Stunt Show.....	2 pm.....	Thrillville
The Strolling Piano.....	2:30 pm.....	Roving
Sky High Balloon Guy.....	2:30 pm.....	Adventure Village Stage
Boom! LED Hype Crew.....	2:30 pm.....	Roving
Little Miss Contest.....	3 pm.....	Lincoln Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p).....	3 pm.....	Adventure Village Stage
Off Axis Stunt Show.....	3 pm.....	Thrillville
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay.....	3 pm.....	Central Avenue
Kardenni - Magician.....	3 pm.....	Roving
Jr Beef Cattle.....	3 pm.....	Jr Livestock Building
Kid's Crafts.....	3 pm.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Fishing Clinics at the Pond.....	3 pm.....	Conservation World
Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show.....	3 pm.....	Conservation World
High Dive Show.....	3:30 pm.....	Central & Main
Craig Corzatt.....	4 pm.....	Expo Bldg Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p).....	4 pm.....	Adventure Village Stage
Circus.....	4 pm.....	Happy Hollow
Extreme Dogs Stunt Show.....	4 pm.....	Thrillville
OAT (Owen Irwin, Amy Battles & Tom Irwin).....	4 pm.....	Artisans Building
Sky High Balloon Guy.....	4:30 pm.....	Adventure Village Stage
Boom! LED Hype Crew.....	4:30 pm.....	Roving
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay.....	4:30 pm.....	Central Avenue
Fishing Clinics at the Pond.....	4:30 pm.....	Conservation World
State Fair Parade Run - 2 Mile Race.....	5 pm.....	Main Street
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p).....	5 pm.....	Adventure Village Stage
Off Axis Stunt Show.....	5 pm.....	Thrillville
Kardenni - Magician.....	5 pm.....	Roving
Jr Swine.....	5 pm.....	Swine Barn
High Dive Show.....	5:30 pm.....	Central & Main

The Strolling Piano.....	5:30 pm.....	Roving
Twilight Parade.....	5:30 pm.....	
Extreme Dogs Stunt Show.....	6 pm.....	Thrillville
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay.....	6 pm.....	Central Avenue
Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show.....	6 pm.....	Conservation World
Parade Run Awards.....	6 pm.....	Village of Cultures
Sky High Balloon Guy.....	6:30 pm.....	Adventure Village Stage
Boom! LED Hype Crew.....	6:30 pm.....	Roving
Society Horse.....	6:30 pm.....	Coliseum
Good Vibes.....	7 pm.....	Village of Cultures
Circus.....	7 pm.....	Happy Hollow
Off Axis Stunt Show.....	7 pm.....	Thrillville
The Strolling Piano.....	7 pm.....	Roving
Kardenni - Magician.....	7 pm.....	Lincoln Stage
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay.....	7:30 pm.....	Central Avenue
Monsters of Destruction.....		
Monster Truck Show.....	7:30 pm.....	Multi-Purpose Arena
Everclear.....	7:30 pm.....	Grand Central Stage
High Dive Show.....	8 pm.....	Central & Main
Boom! LED Hype Crew.....	8:30 pm.....	Roving

## Friday, Aug. 8, 2025

Jr Swine.....	7 am.....	Jr Livestock Building
Jr Beef Cattle.....	7:30 am.....	Jr Livestock Building
Jr Beef Cattle.....	8 am.....	Jr Livestock Building
Jr Goats.....	8 am.....	Goat Barn
Free Hearing & Vision Screenings by Lions of IL Foundation (8a-4p).....	8 am.....	Illinois Building
Open Beef Cattle.....	8:30 am.....	Livestock Center
Live Cooking Contests.....	9 am.....	Hobbies Arts & Crafts Building
Society Horse.....	9 am.....	Coliseum
Jr Poultry.....	9:30 am.....	Building 105
Jr Beef Cattle.....	10 am.....	Jr Livestock Building
Jr Goats.....	10 am.....	Goat Barn
Golden Abe Contest.....	10 am.....	The Shed
Free Hearing & Vision Screenings by Lions of IL Foundation (8a-4p).....	10 am.....	Illinois Building
Artisan Market (10a-5p).....	10 am.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Marshall-Putnam-Stark Show Choir.....	10:30 am.....	Illinois Building
Fishing Clinics at the Pond.....	10:30 am.....	Conservation World
Open Beef Cattle.....	11 am.....	Livestock Center
Jr Goats.....	11 am.....	Goat Barn
Cutest Little Farmer Contest.....	11 am.....	Expo Bldg Stage
Harness Racing.....	11 am.....	Grandstand
Artisan Market (10a-5p).....	11 am.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Kid's Crafts.....	11 am.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Bingo sponsored by Tina Montgomery.....	11 am.....	Illinois Building
Double Identity.....	Noon.....	Apex Stage
Ana De Oliveria Quartet.....	Noon.....	Village of Cultures
Jason Michael Launer.....	Noon.....	Expo Bldg Stage
Coverlicious.....	Noon.....	Lincoln Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p).....	Noon.....	Adventure Village Stage
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay.....	Noon.....	Central Avenue
Jr Swine.....	Noon.....	Jr Livestock Building
Free Hearing & Vision Screenings by Lions of IL Foundation (8a-4p).....	Noon.....	Illinois Building
Artisan Market (10a-5p).....	Noon.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show.....	Noon.....	Conservation World
High Dive Show.....	12:30 pm.....	Central & Main



# MPA

## MULTI-PURPOSE ARENA



**THURSDAY, AUG 7**

**MONSTERS OF  
DESTRUCTION**

*Show Time - 7:30PM*



**SATURDAY, AUG 9**

**ILLINOIS STATE FAIR  
RODEO**

*Show Time - 7:30PM*



**MON - WED, AUG 11-13**

**TRUCK & TRACTOR  
PULLS**

*Show Time - 7:30PM*

*NIGHTLY Aug 11-13*



**SATURDAY, AUG 16**

**ISF CHAMPIONSHIP  
DEMOLITION DERBY**

*Power Wheels - 5PM*

*Show Time - 6PM*

### *Ticket Order Information*

**TICKETMASTER**



[ticketmaster.com](https://www.ticketmaster.com)



*Ticketmaster mobile app*

**ISF GRANDSTAND BOX OFFICE**



(217) 782-1979



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801 E Sangamon Ave  
Springfield, IL 62702



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P.O. Box 19427  
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ILLINOIS  
**STATE FAIR**  
AUGUST 7 - 17, 2025





Sky High Balloon Guy ..... 12:30 pm .... Adventure Village Stage  
 Live Cooking Contests ..... 12:30 pm ..... Hobbies Arts & Crafts Building  
 Chris Camp "The Whip Guy" ... 12:45 pm ..... Conservation World  
 Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p).. 1 pm .... Adventure Village Stage  
 Circus ..... 1 pm ..... Happy Hollow  
 Kardenni - Magician ..... 1 pm ..... Roving  
 Artisan Market (10a-5p)..... 1 pm ..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Sonshine Quartet ..... 1 pm ..... Illinois Building  
 Nathan Bassett - Spray  
 Monay ..... 1:30 pm ..... Central Avenue  
 Fishing Clinics at the Pond ..... 1:30 pm ..... Conservation World  
 Voyageur Canoe ..... 1:30 pm ..... Conservation World  
 Preston McCabe ..... 2 pm ..... Apex Stage  
 Would You Kindly? ..... 2 pm ..... Grand Central Stage  
 Hugo's Elvis Tribute ..... 2 pm ..... Village of Cultures  
 Marshall-Putnam-Stark  
 Show Choir ..... 2 pm ..... Expo Bldg Stage  
 Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p).. 2 pm .... Adventure Village Stage  
 Extreme Dogs Stunt Show ..... 2 pm ..... Thrillville  
 Free Hearing & Vision Screenings by  
 Lions of IL Foundation (8a-4p)..... 2 pm ..... Illinois Building  
 Artisan Market (10a-5p)..... 2 pm ..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Levi & Dennis ..... 2 pm ..... Illinois Building  
 Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show... 2 pm ..... Conservation World  
 The Strolling Piano ..... 2:30 pm ..... Roving  
 Sky High Balloon Guy ..... 2:30 pm .... Adventure Village Stage  
 Boom! LED Hype Crew ..... 2:30 pm ..... Roving  
 Chris Camp "The Whip Guy"..... 2:45 pm ..... Conservation World  
 Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p).. 3 pm .... Adventure Village Stage  
 Off Axis Stunt Show ..... 3 pm ..... Thrillville  
 Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay .... 3 pm ..... Central Avenue  
 Kardenni - Magician ..... 3 pm ..... Roving  
 Golden Abe Awards ..... 3 pm ..... Lincoln Stage  
 Free Hearing & Vision Screenings by  
 Lions of IL Foundation (8a-4p)..... 3 pm ..... Illinois Building  
 Artisan Market (10a-5p)..... 3 pm ..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Kid's Crafts ..... 3 pm ..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Fishing Clinics at the Pond ..... 3 pm ..... Conservation World  
 High Dive Show ..... 3:30 pm ..... Central & Main  
 Dog Agility ..... 4 pm ..... Coliseum  
 Colin Helton Band ..... 4 pm ..... Village of Cultures  
 Peaches and Bacon ..... 4 pm ..... Expo Bldg Stage  
 Petersburg Performing Arts..... 4 pm ..... Lincoln Stage  
 Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p).. 4 pm .... Adventure Village Stage  
 Circus ..... 4 pm ..... Happy Hollow  
 Extreme Dogs Stunt Show ..... 4 pm ..... Thrillville  
 Stuart Smith ..... 4 pm ..... Artisans Building  
 Artisan Market (10a-5p)..... 4 pm ..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show... 4 pm ..... Conservation World  
 Sky High Balloon Guy ..... 4:30 pm .... Adventure Village Stage  
 Boom! LED Hype Crew ..... 4:30 pm ..... Roving  
 Nathan Bassett - Spray  
 Monay ..... 4:30 pm ..... Central Avenue  
 Fishing Clinics at the Pond ..... 4:30 pm ..... Conservation World  
 Voyageur Canoe ..... 4:30 pm ..... Conservation World  
 Chris Camp "The Whip Guy" .... 4:45 pm ..... Conservation World  
 Blue Iris ..... 5 pm ..... Apex Stage  
 Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p).. 5 pm .... Adventure Village Stage  
 Off Axis Stunt Show ..... 5 pm ..... Thrillville  
 Kardenni - Magician ..... 5 pm ..... Lincoln Stage  
 High Dive Show ..... 5:30 pm ..... Central & Main  
 The Strolling Piano ..... 5:30 pm ..... Roving  
 Central Illinois Irish Dance ..... 6 pm ..... Village of Cultures  
 Doty & Dexter ..... 6 pm ..... Expo Bldg Stage  
 144th Army Band ..... 6 pm ..... Lincoln Stage  
 Extreme Dogs Stunt Show ..... 6 pm ..... Thrillville  
 Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay .... 6 pm ..... Central Avenue

Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show... 6 pm ..... Conservation World  
 Sky High Balloon Guy ..... 6:30 pm .... Adventure Village Stage  
 Boom! LED Hype Crew ..... 6:30 pm ..... Roving  
 Rocket & Gizzae ..... 7 pm ..... Village of Cultures  
 Circus ..... 7 pm ..... Happy Hollow  
 Off Axis Stunt Show ..... 7 pm ..... Thrillville  
 The Strolling Piano ..... 7 pm ..... Roving  
 Kardenni - Magician ..... 7 pm ..... Lincoln Stage  
 Nathan Bassett - Spray  
 Monay ..... 7:30 pm ..... Central Avenue  
 Diamante ..... 7:30 pm ..... Grand Central Stage  
 Jake Owen w/ Jo Dee Messina ..... 8 pm ..... Grandstand  
 High Dive Show ..... 8 pm ..... Central & Main  
 Boom! LED Hype Crew ..... 8:30 pm ..... Roving

## Saturday, Aug. 9, 2025

Jr Swine ..... 7 am ..... Swine Barn  
 Open Beef Cattle ..... 8 am ..... Livestock Center  
 Jr Sheep ..... 8 am ..... Sheep Barn  
 Dog Agility ..... 8 am ..... Coliseum  
 Free Hearing & Vision Screenings by  
 Lions of IL Foundation (8a-4p) ..... 8 am ..... Illinois Building  
 Jr Beef Cattle ..... 8:30 am ..... Jr Livestock Building  
 Conservation World (Sensory Hrs) 8:30 am ..... Conservation World  
 Live Cooking Contests ..... 9 am ..... Hobbies Arts & Crafts Building  
 Open Goats ..... 9 am ..... Goat Barn  
 Jr Rabbits ..... 9:30 am ..... Sale Barn 26  
 Conservation World  
 (Sensory Hrs) ..... 9:30 am ..... Conservation World  
 ABC AmTryke Presentation ..... 10 am ..... Grand Central Stage  
 Open Goats ..... 10 am ..... Goat Barn  
 Free Hearing & Vision Screenings by Lions  
 of IL Foundation (8a-4p) ..... 10 am ..... Illinois Building  
 Artisan Market (10a-5p) ..... 10 am ..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Fleming Academy ..... 10 am ..... Illinois Building  
 Extreme Dogs Stunt Show  
 (Sensory Hrs) ..... 10 am ..... Thrillville  
 Fishing Clinics at the Pond ..... 10:30 am ..... Conservation World  
 Sky High Balloon Guy  
 (Sensory Hrs) ..... 10:30 am .... Adventure Village Stage  
 Fiddle & Banjo Contest ..... 11 am ..... Lincoln Stage  
 Harness Racing ..... 11 am ..... Grandstand  
 Artisan Market (10a-5p) ..... 11 am ..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Kid's Crafts ..... 11 am ..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Cheerleading & Dance ..... 11 am ..... Illinois Building  
 Bingo sponsored by  
 Tina Montgomery ..... 11 am ..... Illinois Building  
 Native State ..... Noon ..... Apex Stage  
 Springfield Municipal Band ..... Noon ..... Village of Cultures  
 Tanner Romine ..... Noon ..... Expo Bldg Stage  
 Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p).... Noon .... Adventure Village Stage  
 Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay .... Noon ..... Central Avenue  
 Jr Swine ..... Noon ..... Swine Barn  
 Free Hearing & Vision Screenings by Lions  
 of IL Foundation (8a-4p) ..... Noon ..... Illinois Building  
 Artisan Market (10a-5p) ..... Noon ..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Lotus Fire Belly Dance ..... Noon ..... Illinois Building  
 Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show.. Noon ..... Conservation World  
 High Dive Show ..... 12:30 pm ..... Central & Main  
 Sky High Balloon Guy ..... 12:30 pm .... Adventure Village Stage  
 Live Cooking Contests ..... 12:30 pm ..... Hobbies Arts & Crafts Building  
 Chris Camp "The Whip Guy" ... 12:45 pm ..... Conservation World  
 Springfield International  
 Folk Dancers ..... 1 pm ..... Village of Cultures  
 Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p).. 1 pm .... Adventure Village Stage



# High Dive SHOW



Divers from the world renowned **WATERSHOW PRODUCTIONS DIVE TEAM** will be WOW'ing fairgoers right in the middle of the fairgrounds on Main Street & Central Avenue. It is a high performance show consisting of many dynamic dives. The acrobatic divers jump from heights of 3, 6, 9 and 25 meters with so much skill that it leaves you breathless, especially since the pool is only 8 meters in diameter and only 3 meters deep! This performance offers serious and comical dives with one or more acrobats at a time, up to five divers at once.



*Corner of Central Ave. & Main St.*

## PERFORMANCE TIMES:

*Monday-Thursday*

3:30p ♦ 5:30p ♦ 8:00p

*Friday-Sunday*

12:30p ♦ 3:30p ♦ 5:30p ♦ 8:00p



# FREE ENTER



## BIG TOP ADVENTURES

Step right up! Step right up! You won't believe your eyes, as Happy Hollow is transformed into an 800-seat big top circus! A spectacular showcase awaits with acts from jugglers, clowns, trapeze artists and so much more.

**FREE PERFORMANCES DAILY IN HAPPY HOLLOW.**



## HIGH DIVE SHOW

Divers from the world-renowned Watershow Productions Dive Team will be WOW'ing fairgoers right in the middle of the fairgrounds on Main St. & Central Avenue. It is a high-performance show consisting of many dynamic dives.

**FREE PERFORMANCES DAILY NEXT TO THE AG TENT ON CENTRAL AVENUE.**



## EXTREME DOGS STUNT DOG SHOW

These high flying, extreme sport, wickedly talented Canine athletic super star animals will capture your hearts!

**FREE PERFORMANCES DAILY IN THRILLVILLE.**



## OFF AXIS STUNT SHOW

This adrenaline-pumping spectacle combines extreme sports and circus acrobats with non-stop excitement from start to finish. It is an experience you won't want to miss!

**FREE PERFORMANCES DAILY IN THRILLVILLE**



## ZOO LADY FACE PAINTING

Come see the Zoo Crew to get your face painted!

**FREE PERFORMANCES DAILY ON**  
 **meridian ADVENTURE VILLAGE STAGE.**

*For details and updates on all the various activities at the 2025 Illinois State Fair visit*



# ENTERTAINMENT



## BOOM! LED MOBILE HYPE CREW

Prepare yourselves for a Pulse Pounding, Primarily Percussive Production of Prodigious Proportions. An intense, uncontrollable, EXPLOSION of bright, loud, fun, and excitement! Prepare to dance and sing along as they rove the fairgrounds with their custom mobile sound system tricycle.

**FREE PERFORMANCES DAILY THROUGHOUT THE FAIRGROUNDS.**



## SKY HIGH BALLOON GUY

Sky High Balloon Guy is a professional balloon artist who pairs witty humor and charisma to entertain crowds and make an impact you will never forget. Sky High Balloon Guy can create just about anything you can imagine out of balloons.

**FREE PERFORMANCES DAILY ON**  
 **meridian ADVENTURE VILLAGE STAGE.**



## THE STROLLING PIANO

A traveling treasure trove of melodies, ready to serenade you with tunes from every corner of the musical spectrum. This mobile piano has something for everyone.

**FREE PERFORMANCES DAILY THROUGHOUT THE FAIRGROUNDS.**



## NATHAN'S SPRAY MONAY

How fast can you paint a picture? Nathan Bassett is known as the "Spray Monay - Rattle Can Ninja of the Midwest." In just five minutes he will entertain and wow you with his live performance art. Art + Music = Amazing!

**PERFORMANCES DAILY**



## KARDENNI

Come witness mind-expanding miracles and sophisticated fun with Kardenni the Magician. Check out his unique style of magic that is exceptionally amazing, funny, effective and original. Prepare to be amazed!

**FREE STAGE PERFORMANCES ON THE LINCOLN STAGE.**



Circus	1 pm	Happy Hollow
Kardenni - Magician	1 pm	Roving
Artisan Market (10a-5p)	1 pm	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Jan's Dance Studio	1 pm	Illinois Building
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay	1:30 pm	Central Avenue
Fishing Clinics at the Pond	1:30 pm	Conservation World
Voyageur Canoe	1:30 pm	Conservation World
Wayward Mountaineers	2 pm	Apex Stage
Marquise Knox	2 pm	Grand Central Stage
Jason Zhang Group	2 pm	Village of Cultures
Bruce L Moon	2 pm	Expo Bldg Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p)	2 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Extreme Dogs Stunt Show	2 pm	Thrillville
Free Hearing & Vision Screenings by Lions of IL Foundation (8a-4p)	2 pm	Illinois Building
Artisan Market (10a-5p)	2 pm	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Marshall-Putnam-Stark Show Choir	2 pm	Illinois Building
Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show	2 pm	Conservation World
The Strolling Piano	2:30 pm	Roving
Sky High Balloon Guy	2:30 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Boom! LED Hype Crew	2:30 pm	Roving
Ponytail Contest	2:30 pm	Lincoln Stage
Chris Camp "The Whip Guy"	2:45 pm	Conservation World
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p)	3 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Off Axis Stunt Show	3 pm	Thrillville
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay	3 pm	Central Avenue
Kardenni - Magician	3 pm	Roving
Free Hearing & Vision Screenings by Lions of IL Foundation (8a-4p)	3 pm	Illinois Building
Artisan Market (10a-5p)	3 pm	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Kid's Crafts	3 pm	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Fishing Clinics at the Pond	3 pm	Conservation World
High Dive Show	3:30 pm	Central & Main
Decorated Diaper Contest	3:30 pm	Lincoln Stage
Central IL Irish Dance	3:30 pm	Illinois Building
St Andrews Dancers	4 pm	Village of Cultures
Mandy Rose	4 pm	Expo Bldg Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p)	4 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Circus	4 pm	Happy Hollow
Extreme Dogs Stunt Show	4 pm	Thrillville
Diaper Derby Contest	4 pm	Lincoln Stage
Dan Hubbard	4 pm	Artisans Building
Artisan Market (10a-5p)	4 pm	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show	4 pm	Conservation World
Sky High Balloon Guy	4:30 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Boom! LED Hype Crew	4:30 pm	Roving
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay	4:30 pm	Central Avenue
Catholic Church Service	4:30 pm	Illinois Building
Fishing Clinics at the Pond	4:30 pm	Conservation World
Voyageur Canoe	4:30 pm	Conservation World
Chris Camp "The Whip Guy"	4:45 pm	Conservation World
The 45	5 pm	Apex Stage
Hugo's Elvis Tribute	5 pm	Lincoln Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p)	5 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Off Axis Stunt Show	5 pm	Thrillville
Kardenni - Magician	5 pm	Roving
High Dive Show	5:30 pm	Central & Main
The Strolling Piano	5:30 pm	Roving
Jr Livestock Champion Selection	5:30 pm	Coliseum
144th Army Band	6 pm	Village of Cultures
Land of Lincoln Chorus	6 pm	Expo Bldg Stage
Extreme Dogs Stunt Show	6 pm	Thrillville
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay	6 pm	Central Avenue
Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show	6 pm	Conservation World

Sky High Balloon Guy	6:30 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Boom! LED Hype Crew	6:30 pm	Roving
Zydeco Voodoo Band	7 pm	Village of Cultures
Circus	7 pm	Happy Hollow
Off Axis Stunt Show	7 pm	Thrillville
The Strolling Piano	7 pm	Roving
Kardenni - Magician	7 pm	Lincoln Stage
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay	7:30 pm	Central Avenue
Rodeo	7:30 pm	Multi-Purpose Arena
Pecos & The Rooftops	7:30 pm	Grand Central Stage
The Black Crows	8 pm	Grandstand
High Dive Show	8 pm	Central & Main
Boom! LED Hype Crew	8:30 pm	Roving

## Sunday, Aug. 10, 2025

Draft Horses	8 am	Coliseum
Open Sheep	8 am	Sheep Barn
Open Swine	8 am	Swine Barn
Free Hearing & Vision Screenings by Lions of IL Foundation (8a-4p)	8 am	Illinois Building
Open Beef Cattle	9 am	Jr Livestock Building
Jr Goats	9 am	Goat Barn
Lutheran Church Services	9 am	Illinois Building
Open Rabbits	9:30 am	Sale Barn 26
Open Beef Cattle	10 am	Livestock Center
JROTC Competition	10 am	Lincoln Stage
Free Hearing & Vision Screenings by Lions of IL Foundation (8a-4p)	10 am	Illinois Building
Artisan Market (10a-5p)	10 am	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Churches of Christ	10:30 am	Illinois Building
Fishing Clinics at the Pond	10:30 am	Conservation World
Artisan Market (10a-5p)	11 am	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Kid's Crafts	11 am	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Bingo sponsored by Tina Montgomery	11 am	Illinois Building
Veteran's Day Ceremonies	11:30 am	Lincoln Stage
144th Army Band	Noon	Apex Stage
Springfield International Folk Dancers	Noon	Village of Cultures
Ryan Leggott	Noon	Expo Bldg Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p)	Noon	Adventure Village Stage
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay	Noon	Central Avenue
Free Hearing & Vision Screenings by Lions of IL Foundation (8a-4p)	Noon	Illinois Building
Artisan Market (10a-5p)	Noon	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Marshall-Putnam-Stark Show Choir	Noon	Illinois Building
Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show	Noon	Conservation World
High Dive Show	12:30 pm	Central & Main
Sky High Balloon Guy	12:30 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Chris Camp "The Whip Guy"	12:45 pm	Conservation World
Catfish Willie Band	1 pm	Apex Stage
Ballet Folklorico de Chicago	1 pm	Village of Cultures
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p)	1 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Circus	1 pm	Happy Hollow
Kardenni - Magician	1 pm	Roving
Open Beef Cattle	1 pm	Livestock Center
Artisan Market (10a-5p)	1 pm	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay	1:30 pm	Central Avenue
Fishing Clinics at the Pond	1:30 pm	Conservation World
Voyageur Canoe	1:30 pm	Conservation World
Crosstown Classics Band	2 pm	Grand Central Stage
John Wahl Acoustic	2 pm	Expo Bldg Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p)	2 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Extreme Dogs Stunt Show	2 pm	Thrillville



# COME EXPLORE **THE** **EXPO** **BUILDING**

**9AM – 9PM DAILY**

*Step inside one of the Illinois State Fair's best-kept secrets!*

This bustling indoor marketplace is a treasure trove of local charm, featuring dozens of unique vendors offering everything from handmade crafts and specialty goods to must-see demonstrations and one-of-a-kind finds. Whether you're looking to shop, explore, or simply escape the sun, the Expo Building has something for everyone.

Don't miss the largest candy maze on the fairgrounds - an irresistible adventure for kids and kids-at-heart that promises sweet surprises around every corner. Discover, indulge, and experience the Expo!







**SHADED TIMES = WEEKDAYS ONLY**  
**UNSHADED TIMES = WEEKDAYS + SATURDAYS**

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FARES

Ages 5 & over: \$1.25  
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801 State Fair Shuttle

August 8<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup>

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## Free Hearing &amp; Vision Screenings by Lions

of IL Foundation (8a-4p).....	2 pm	Illinois Building
Artisan Market (10a-5p).....	2 pm	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Troupe Zahava Belly Dance.....	2 pm	Illinois Building
Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show...2 pm.....		Conservation World
The Strolling Piano.....	2:30 pm	Roving
Sky High Balloon Guy.....	2:30 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Boom! LED Hype Crew.....	2:30 pm	Roving
Chris Camp "The Whip Guy".....	2:45 pm	Conservation World
Emily How.....	3 pm	Apex Stage
Ayodele Drum and Dance.....	3 pm	Village of Cultures
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p).....	3 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Off Axis Stunt Show.....	3 pm	Thrillville
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay.....	3 pm	Central Avenue
Kardenni - Magician.....	3 pm	Roving
JROTC Awards Ceremony.....	3 pm	Lincoln Stage
Free Hearing & Vision Screenings by Lions		
of IL Foundation (8a-4p).....	3 pm	Illinois Building
Artisan Market (10a-5p).....	3 pm	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Kid's Crafts.....	3 pm	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Springfield Dance.....	3 pm	Illinois Building
Fishing Clinics at the Pond.....	3 pm	Conservation World
High Dive Show.....	3:30 pm	Central & Main
The Tangents (duo).....	4 pm	Expo Bldg Stage
Subseed.....	4 pm	Lincoln Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p).....	4 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Circus.....	4 pm	Happy Hollow
Extreme Dogs Stunt Show.....	4 pm	Thrillville
Ben Bedford.....	4 pm	Artisans Building
Veteran's Day Parade.....	4 pm	Grandstand Ave
Artisan Market (10a-5p).....	4 pm	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Dance Creation Dance Studio.....	4 pm	Illinois Building
Paul Bunyan Lumber		
Jack Show.....	4 pm	Conservation World
Sky High Balloon Guy.....	4:30 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Boom! LED Hype Crew.....	4:30 pm	Roving
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay 4:30 pm.....		Central Avenue
Open Sheep Pee Wee.....	4:30 pm	Sheep Barn
Fishing Clinics at the Pond.....	4:30 pm	Conservation World
Voyageur Canoe.....	4:30 pm	Conservation World
Chris Camp "The Whip Guy".....	4:45 pm	Conservation World
DirtWater Fox.....	5 pm	Apex Stage
Heidelberg German Band.....	5 pm	Village of Cultures
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Off Axis Stunt Show.....	5 pm	Thrillville
Kardenni - Magician.....	5 pm	Lincoln Stage
High Dive Show.....	5:30 pm	Central & Main
The Strolling Piano.....	5:30 pm	Roving
Harmonie Breeze.....	6 pm	Expo Bldg Stage
Peaches and Bacon.....	6 pm	Lincoln Stage
Extreme Dogs Stunt Show.....	6 pm	Thrillville
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay.....	6 pm	Central Avenue
Draft Horses.....	6 pm	Coliseum
Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show.....	6 pm	Conservation World
Sky High Balloon Guy.....	6:30 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Boom! LED Hype Crew.....	6:30 pm	Roving
Prairie State of Mind.....	7 pm	Village of Cultures
Circus.....	7 pm	Happy Hollow
Off Axis Stunt Show.....	7 pm	Thrillville
The Strolling Piano.....	7 pm	Roving
Kardenni - Magician.....	7 pm	Lincoln Stage
Nathan Bassett - Spray		
Monay.....	7:30 pm	Central Avenue
Kashus Culppepper.....	7:30 pm	Grand Central Stage
Megan Moroney w/ Kameron		
Marlowe.....	8 pm	Grandstand
High Dive Show.....	8 pm	Central & Main
Boom! LED Hype Crew.....	8:30 pm	Roving

## Monday, Aug. 11, 2025

Open Beef Cattle.....	8 am	Livestock Center
Jr Sheep.....	8 am	Sheep Barn
Free Hearing & Vision Screenings by Lions		
of IL Foundation (8a-4p).....	8 am	Illinois Building
Open Goats.....	8:30 am	Goat Barn
Draft Horses.....	9 am	Coliseum
Live Cooking Contests.....	9 am	Hobbies Arts & Crafts Building
Open Beef Cattle.....	10 am	Livestock Center
Free Hearing & Vision Screenings by Lions		
of IL Foundation (8a-4p).....	10 am	Illinois Building
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p).....	10 am	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Entertainment.....	10:30 am	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Senior Day Ribbon Cutting.....	10:30 am	Illinois Building
Fishing Clinics at the Pond.....	10:30 am	Conservation World
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p).....	11 am	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Kid's Crafts.....	11 am	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Adult Protective Services Advocate		
of the Year Awards.....	11 am	Illinois Building
Bingo sponsored by		
Tina Montgomery.....	11 am	Illinois Building
Outpatience.....	Noon	Apex Stage
FOURsquared Multiple		
Woodwind Quartet.....	Noon	Village of Cultures
Doug Brant.....	Noon	Expo Bldg Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p).....	Noon	Adventure Village Stage
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay.....	Noon	Central Avenue
Free Hearing & Vision Screenings by Lions		
of IL Foundation (8a-4p).....	Noon	Illinois Building
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p).....	Noon	IL Dept of Ag Tent
The Not So Newlywed Game.....	Noon	Illinois Building
Paul Bunyan Lumber		
Jack Show.....	Noon	Conservation World
High Dive Show.....	12:30 pm	Central & Main
Sky High Balloon Guy.....	12:30 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Live Cooking Contests.....	12:30 pm	Hobbies Arts & Crafts Building
Silverstrings.....	1 pm	Lincoln Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p).....	1 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Circus.....	1 pm	Happy Hollow
Kardenni - Magician.....	1 pm	Roving
Draft Horses.....	1 pm	Coliseum
Open Beef Cattle.....	1 pm	Livestock Center
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p).....	1 pm	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Nathan Bassett - Spray		
Monay.....	1:30 pm	Central Avenue
Family Beekeepers.....	1:30 pm	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Fishing Clinics at the Pond.....	1:30 pm	Conservation World
The Blues Deacons.....	2 pm	Apex Stage
The Downhillers.....	2 pm	Grand Central Stage
Julie Jules & Co.....	2 pm	Village of Cultures
Curt Smith.....	2 pm	Expo Bldg Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p).....	2 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Extreme Dogs Stunt Show.....	2 pm	Thrillville
Free Hearing & Vision Screenings by Lions		
of IL Foundation (8a-4p).....	2 pm	Illinois Building
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p).....	2 pm	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Jeopardy Medicare Contest.....	2 pm	Illinois Building
The Strolling Piano.....	2:30 pm	Roving
Sky High Balloon Guy.....	2:30 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Boom! LED Hype Crew.....	2:30 pm	Roving
Cactus Ranch.....	3 pm	Lincoln Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p).....	3 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Off Axis Stunt Show.....	3 pm	Thrillville
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay.....	3 pm	Central Avenue
Kardenni - Magician.....	3 pm	Roving



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# DOLLY DAYS

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2-3PM

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## 2025 LEGO CONTEST

AT THE 2025 IL STATE FAIR!

Please join the Springfield Area Home  
Builders Association and the Illinois  
State Fair and compete in the  
Annual Lego Contest

### DETAILS

SUNDAY, AUG. 17TH

#### CONTEST 1:

REGISTRATION: 10:00 AM  
LEGO BUILDING: 10:30 AM  
JUDGING: 11:00 AM

#### CONTEST 2:

REGISTRATION: 11:30 AM  
LEGO BUILDING: 12 PM  
JUDGING: 12:30 PM

#### CHAMPIONSHIP ROUND

REGISTRATION: 1 PM  
LEGO BUILDING: 1:30 PM  
JUDGING: 2 PM



#### LOCATION

Exposition Building  
at the IL State  
Fairgrounds



#### AGE CATEGORIES

Group 1: 5-8 Group 2: 9-12  
Group 3: 13 - 17



LEGO Kits will be  
Provided for the  
Contest



Prizes will be  
Awarded!



#### Free to Participate

Children under 12 can enter  
the Fairgrounds for free.  
Adult admission (13 - 59: \$5  
& 60+: \$3) is required.

Register at: [BuilderEvents.com](http://BuilderEvents.com)

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## Free Hearing &amp; Vision Screenings by Lions

of IL Foundation (8a-4p).....	3 pm.....	Illinois Building
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)....	3 pm.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Kid's Crafts.....	3 pm.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
BB Ross & The Happy Accidents.....	3 pm.....	Illinois Building
Fishing Clinics at the Pond.....	3 pm.....	Conservation World
Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show.....	3 pm.....	Conservation World
High Dive Show.....	3:30 pm.....	Central & Main
Kevin Lucas Experience.....	4 pm.....	Village of Cultures
Now And Zen.....	4 pm.....	Expo Bldg Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p).....	4 pm.....	Adventure Village Stage
Circus.....	4 pm.....	Happy Hollow
Extreme Dogs Stunt Show.....	4 pm.....	Thrillville
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p).....	4 pm.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Sky High Balloon Guy.....	4:30 pm.....	Adventure Village Stage
Boom! LED Hype Crew.....	4:30 pm.....	Roving
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay.....	4:30 pm.....	Central Avenue
Fishing Clinics at the Pond.....	4:30 pm.....	Conservation World
Midwest Avenue.....	5 pm.....	Apex Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p).....	5 pm.....	Adventure Village Stage
Off Axis Stunt Show.....	5 pm.....	Thrillville
Kardenni - Magician.....	5 pm.....	Lincoln Stage
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p).....	5 pm.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
High Dive Show.....	5:30 pm.....	Central & Main
The Strolling Piano.....	5:30 pm.....	Roving
Ava Easter.....	6 pm.....	Expo Bldg Stage
Kasey Burton.....	6 pm.....	Lincoln Stage
Extreme Dogs Stunt Show.....	6 pm.....	Thrillville
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay.....	6 pm.....	Central Avenue
Draft Horses.....	6 pm.....	Coliseum
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p).....	6 pm.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show.....	6 pm.....	Conservation World
Sky High Balloon Guy.....	6:30 pm.....	Adventure Village Stage
Boom! LED Hype Crew.....	6:30 pm.....	Roving
The Rusty Pickups.....	7 pm.....	Village of Cultures
Circus.....	7 pm.....	Happy Hollow
Off Axis Stunt Show.....	7 pm.....	Thrillville
The Strolling Piano.....	7 pm.....	Roving
Kardenni - Magician.....	7 pm.....	Lincoln Stage
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p).....	7 pm.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay.....	7:30 pm.....	Central Avenue
ITPA Truck & Tractor Pulls.....	7:30 pm.....	Multi-Purpose Arena
Shake Rattle 'N Roll - A Tribute to Classic Doo Wop & Pioneers of Soul.....	7:30 pm.....	Grand Central Stage
High Dive Show.....	8 pm.....	Central & Main
Boom! LED Hype Crew.....	8:30 pm.....	Roving

**Tuesday, Aug. 12, 2025**

Open Goats.....	8:30 am.....	Goat Barn
Live Cooking Contests.....	9 am.....	Hobbies Arts & Crafts Building
Open Sheep.....	9 am.....	Sheep Barn
Open Swine.....	9 am.....	Swine Barn
Open Swine.....	10 am.....	Swine Barn
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p).....	10 am.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Georgia Allison's Senior Fox Fitness Group.....	10 am.....	Illinois Building
Entertainment.....	10:30 am.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Fishing Clinics at the Pond.....	10:30 am.....	Conservation World
Draft Horses.....	11 am.....	Coliseum
Open Swine.....	11 am.....	Swine Barn
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p).....	11 am.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Kid's Crafts.....	11 am.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Bingo sponsored by Tina Montgomery.....	11 am.....	Illinois Building
Merry Travelers.....	Noon.....	Apex Stage
Kasey Burton.....	Noon.....	Village of Cultures

John Drake.....	Noon.....	Expo Bldg Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p).....	Noon.....	Adventure Village Stage
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay.....	Noon.....	Central Avenue
Open Swine.....	Noon.....	Swine Barn
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p).....	Noon.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show.....	Noon.....	Conservation World
High Dive Show.....	12:30 pm.....	Central & Main
Sky High Balloon Guy.....	12:30 pm.....	Adventure Village Stage
Live Cooking Contests.....	12:30 pm.....	Hobbies Arts & Crafts Building
Yacht Club.....	1 pm.....	Village of Cultures
Lee Haw.....	1 pm.....	Lincoln Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p).....	1 pm.....	Adventure Village Stage
Circus.....	1 pm.....	Happy Hollow
Kardenni - Magician.....	1 pm.....	Roving
Open Sheep.....	1 pm.....	Sheep Barn
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p).....	1 pm.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay.....	1:30 pm.....	Central Avenue
Family Beekeepers.....	1:30 pm.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Fishing Clinics at the Pond.....	1:30 pm.....	Conservation World
Lucky Pickers.....	2 pm.....	Apex Stage
Folsom Prison Five.....	2 pm.....	Grand Central Stage
Evia Rodenbaugh.....	2 pm.....	Expo Bldg Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p).....	2 pm.....	Adventure Village Stage
Extreme Dogs Stunt Show.....	2 pm.....	Thrillville
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p).....	2 pm.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
The Strolling Piano.....	2:30 pm.....	Roving
Sky High Balloon Guy.....	2:30 pm.....	Adventure Village Stage
Boom! LED Hype Crew.....	2:30 pm.....	Roving
Waterloo German Band.....	3 pm.....	Village of Cultures
Sweetwater.....	3 pm.....	Lincoln Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p).....	3 pm.....	Adventure Village Stage
Off Axis Stunt Show.....	3 pm.....	Thrillville
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay.....	3 pm.....	Central Avenue
Kardenni - Magician.....	3 pm.....	Roving
Open Sheep.....	3 pm.....	Sheep Barn
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p).....	3 pm.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Kid's Crafts.....	3 pm.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Fishing Clinics at the Pond.....	3 pm.....	Conservation World
Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show.....	3 pm.....	Conservation World
High Dive Show.....	3:30 pm.....	Central & Main
Micah Walk.....	4 pm.....	Expo Bldg Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p).....	4 pm.....	Adventure Village Stage
Circus.....	4 pm.....	Happy Hollow
Extreme Dogs Stunt Show.....	4 pm.....	Thrillville
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p).....	4 pm.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Sky High Balloon Guy.....	4:30 pm.....	Adventure Village Stage
Boom! LED Hype Crew.....	4:30 pm.....	Roving
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay.....	4:30 pm.....	Central Avenue
Fishing Clinics at the Pond.....	4:30 pm.....	Conservation World
The Whiskey Trust.....	5 pm.....	Apex Stage
Def Leprechaun.....	5 pm.....	Village of Cultures
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p).....	5 pm.....	Adventure Village Stage
Off Axis Stunt Show.....	5 pm.....	Thrillville
Kardenni - Magician.....	5 pm.....	Lincoln Stage
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p).....	5 pm.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
High Dive Show.....	5:30 pm.....	Central & Main
The Strolling Piano.....	5:30 pm.....	Roving
Kam Bugger.....	6 pm.....	Expo Bldg Stage
Avery Kern (solo).....	6 pm.....	Lincoln Stage
Extreme Dogs Stunt Show.....	6 pm.....	Thrillville
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay.....	6 pm.....	Central Avenue
Draft Horses.....	6 pm.....	Coliseum
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p).....	6 pm.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show.....	6 pm.....	Conservation World
Sky High Balloon Guy.....	6:30 pm.....	Adventure Village Stage



Boom! LED Hype Crew	6:30 pm	Roving
Character Fleadh	7 pm	Village of Cultures
Circus	7 pm	Happy Hollow
Off Axis Stunt Show	7 pm	Thrillville
The Strolling Piano	7 pm	Roving
Kardenni - Magician	7 pm	Lincoln Stage
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)	7 pm	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay	7:30 pm	Central Avenue
ITPA Truck & Tractor Pulls	7:30 pm	Multi-Purpose Arena
Stephen Wilson Jr	7:30 pm	Grand Central Stage
Sheryl Crow w/Passion Pit	8 pm	Grandstand
High Dive Show	8 pm	Central & Main
Boom! LED Hype Crew	8:30 pm	Roving

### Wednesday, Aug. 13, 2025

Open Swine	8 am	Swine Barn
Jr Dairy Cattle	8 am	Jr Livestock Building
Live Cooking Contests	9 am	Hobbies Arts & Crafts Building
Open Sheep	9 am	Sheep Barn
Governor's Hometown Awards (9a-5p)	9 am	Illinois Building
Open Swine	10 am	Swine Barn
Illinois State Auctioneer Championship	10 am	Lincoln Stage
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)	10 am	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Governor's Hometown Awards (9a-5p)	10 am	Illinois Building
Entertainment	10:30 am	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Fishing Clinics at the Pond	10:30 am	Conservation World
Harness Racing	11 am	Grandstand
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)	11 am	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Kid's Crafts	11 am	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Governor's Hometown Awards (9a-5p)	11 am	Illinois Building
Bingo sponsored by Devoted Health	11 am	Illinois Building
Naturalization Ceremony	11 am	Orr Building
Jr Dairy Cattle	11:30 am	Jr Livestock Building
The Tangents Band	Noon	Apex Stage
Julie Jules & Co	Noon	Village of Cultures
AP Acoustics	Noon	Expo Bldg Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p)	Noon	Adventure Village Stage
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay	Noon	Central Avenue
Open Swine	Noon	Swine Barn
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)	Noon	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Governor's Hometown Awards (9a-5p)	Noon	Illinois Building
Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show	Noon	Conservation World
High Dive Show	12:30 pm	Central & Main
Sky High Balloon Guy	12:30 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Live Cooking Contests	12:30 pm	Hobbies Arts & Crafts Building
2Flights Down	1 pm	Lincoln Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p)	1 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Circus	1 pm	Happy Hollow
Kardenni - Magician	1 pm	Roving
Open Sheep	1 pm	Sheep Barn
Jr Dairy Cattle	1 pm	Jr Livestock Building
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)	1 pm	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Governor's Hometown Awards (9a-5p)	1 pm	Illinois Building
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay	1:30 pm	Central Avenue
Family Beekeepers	1:30 pm	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Fishing Clinics at the Pond	1:30 pm	Conservation World

Brother Jefferson Band	2 pm	Grand Central Stage
Kasey Burton	2 pm	Expo Bldg Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p)	2 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Extreme Dogs Stunt Show	2 pm	Thrillville
Open Swine	2 pm	Swine Barn
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)	2 pm	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Governor's Hometown Awards (9a-5p)	2 pm	Illinois Building
The Strolling Piano	2:30 pm	Roving
Sky High Balloon Guy	2:30 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Boom! LED Hype Crew	2:30 pm	Roving
Black Velvet	3 pm	Apex Stage
Def Leprechaun	3 pm	Village of Cultures
High Cotton	3 pm	Lincoln Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p)	3 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Off Axis Stunt Show	3 pm	Thrillville
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay	3 pm	Central Avenue
Kardenni - Magician	3 pm	Roving
Open Sheep	3 pm	Sheep Barn
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)	3 pm	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Kid's Crafts	3 pm	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Governor's Hometown Awards (9a-5p)	3 pm	Illinois Building
Fishing Clinics at the Pond	3 pm	Conservation World
Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show	3 pm	Conservation World
High Dive Show	3:30 pm	Central & Main
Aaron Newsome	4 pm	Expo Bldg Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p)	4 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Circus	4 pm	Happy Hollow
Extreme Dogs Stunt Show	4 pm	Thrillville
Commodity Auction	4 pm	Coliseum
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)	4 pm	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Sky High Balloon Guy	4:30 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Boom! LED Hype Crew	4:30 pm	Roving
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay	4:30 pm	Central Avenue
Sale of Champions	4:30 pm	Coliseum
Fishing Clinics at the Pond	4:30 pm	Conservation World
John Stevens	5 pm	Apex Stage
Waterloo German Band	5 pm	Village of Cultures
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p)	5 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Off Axis Stunt Show	5 pm	Thrillville
Kardenni - Magician	5 pm	Lincoln Stage
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)	5 pm	IL Dept of Ag Tent
High Dive Show	5:30 pm	Central & Main
The Strolling Piano	5:30 pm	Roving
Hollow Creek	6 pm	Expo Bldg Stage
Prairie Winds Flute Ensemble	6 pm	Lincoln Stage
Extreme Dogs Stunt Show	6 pm	Thrillville
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay	6 pm	Central Avenue
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)	6 pm	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show	6 pm	Conservation World
Sky High Balloon Guy	6:30 pm	Adventure Village Stage
Boom! LED Hype Crew	6:30 pm	Roving
The Nevery Brothers	7 pm	Village of Cultures
Circus	7 pm	Happy Hollow
Off Axis Stunt Show	7 pm	Thrillville
The Strolling Piano	7 pm	Roving
Kardenni - Magician	7 pm	Lincoln Stage
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)	7 pm	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay	7:30 pm	Central Avenue
ITPA Truck & Tractor Pulls	7:30 pm	Multi-Purpose Arena
Hunter Flynn	7:30 pm	Grand Central Stage
Snoop Dogg w/Christone "Kingfish" Ingram	8 pm	Grandstand
High Dive Show	8 pm	Central & Main





# SANGAMON COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL

## *Cheer & Dance Showcase*

**SUNDAY, AUG 17<sup>TH</sup>**  
**2PM - ILLINOIS BUILDING**



***Best in Show*** will be awarded in each Division Cheer & Dance, based on audience participation, so make sure to bring your friends and families to cheer you on!







# DILL-INOIS STATE FAIR

*Pickleball Showdown*

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 16**

**ORR BUILDING**

***Discover the fastest-growing sport in America***

Join us on **Saturday, August 16** for an exciting day of competition and community as the Illinois State Fair presents the **Dill-inois State Fair Pickleball Showdown**, a **round-robin doubles tournament** featuring both **youth** and **adult** divisions:



## *Tournament Divisions:*

- **3.0 Rating:** Men's & Women's Doubles
- **3.5 Rating:** Men's & Women's Doubles
- **Youth 14 & Under**
- **Youth 15 & Up:** Boys' & Girls' Divisions
- **No equipment necessary** — just bring athletic shoes and a **great attitude!**



## **REGISTER ONLINE:**

[\*\*springfieldpickleballclub.org/events\*\*](http://springfieldpickleballclub.org/events)



## *Bonus Activity:*

Try your hand on the **Instructional and Challenge Courts** — test your skills against members of the Springfield Pickleball Club or learn how to play from the ground up.

Try **Adult Red Ball Tennis**, a fun introduction to tennis for beginners!



**THIS IS A REALLY BIG DILL!**  
**Thanks to the Springfield Pickleball Club & Springfield Park District**



## Boom! LED Hype Crew ..... 8:30 pm ..... Roving

### Thursday, Aug. 14, 2025

Open Dairy Cattle .....	8 am .....	Livestock Center
Live Cooking Contests .....	9 am .....	Hobbies Arts & Crafts Building
Open Sheep .....	9 am .....	Sheep Barn
Society Horse .....	9 am .....	Coliseum
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p) ...	10 am .....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Entertainment .....	10:30 am .....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Fishing Clinics at the Pond .....	10:30 am .....	Conservation World
Harness Racing .....	11 am .....	Grandstand
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p) ...	11 am .....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Kid's Crafts .....	11 am .....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Bingo sponsored by SIU		
Medical/Sen. Doris Turner .....	11 am .....	Illinois Building
The Nevery Brothers .....	Noon .....	Apex Stage
Def Leprechaun .....	Noon .....	Village of Cultures
Lydia Cunningham .....	Noon .....	Expo Bldg Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p) ...	Noon ...	Adventure Village Stage
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay ...	Noon .....	Central Avenue
Society Horse .....	Noon .....	Coliseum
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p) ...	Noon .....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show .....	Noon .....	Conservation World
High Dive Show .....	12:30 pm .....	Central & Main
Sky High Balloon Guy .....	12:30 pm ...	Adventure Village Stage
Live Cooking Contests .....	12:30 pm .....	Hobbies Arts & Crafts Building
Cats and Dragons .....	1 pm .....	Lincoln Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p) ..	1 pm ...	Adventure Village Stage
Circus .....	1 pm .....	Happy Hollow
Kardenni - Magician .....	1 pm .....	Roving
Open Sheep .....	1 pm .....	Sheep Barn
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p) ....	1 pm .....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay .....	1:30 pm .....	Central Avenue
Family Beekeepers .....	1:30 pm .....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Fishing Clinics at the Pond .....	1:30 pm .....	Conservation World
Whiskey Road .....	2 pm .....	Grand Central Stage
Brian Cee .....	2 pm .....	Village of Cultures
Chris Krause .....	2 pm .....	Expo Bldg Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p) ..	2 pm ...	Adventure Village Stage
Extreme Dogs Stunt Show .....	2 pm .....	Thrillville
Open Dairy Cattle .....	2 pm .....	Livestock Center
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p) ....	2 pm .....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
The Strolling Piano .....	2:30 pm .....	Roving
Sky High Balloon Guy .....	2:30 pm ...	Adventure Village Stage
Boom! LED Hype Crew .....	2:30 pm .....	Roving
Not Petty .....	3 pm .....	Apex Stage
Voodoo Exiles .....	3 pm .....	Lincoln Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p) ..	3 pm ...	Adventure Village Stage
Off Axis Stunt Show .....	3 pm .....	Thrillville
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay .....	3 pm .....	Central Avenue
Kardenni - Magician .....	3 pm .....	Roving
Open Sheep .....	3 pm .....	Sheep Barn
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p) ....	3 pm .....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Kid's Crafts .....	3 pm .....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Fishing Clinics at the Pond .....	3 pm .....	Conservation World
Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show .....	3 pm .....	Conservation World
High Dive Show .....	3:30 pm .....	Central & Main
Waterloo German Band .....	4 pm .....	Village of Cultures
Avery Kern (solo) .....	4 pm .....	Expo Bldg Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p) ..	4 pm ...	Adventure Village Stage
Circus .....	4 pm .....	Happy Hollow
Extreme Dogs Stunt Show .....	4 pm .....	Thrillville
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p) ....	4 pm .....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Sky High Balloon Guy .....	4:30 pm ...	Adventure Village Stage

Boom! LED Hype Crew .....	4:30 pm .....	Roving
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay .....	4:30 pm .....	Central Avenue
Fishing Clinics at the Pond .....	4:30 pm .....	Conservation World
Brandon Maddox .....	5 pm .....	Apex Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p) ..	5 pm ...	Adventure Village Stage
Off Axis Stunt Show .....	5 pm .....	Thrillville
Kardenni - Magician .....	5 pm .....	Lincoln Stage
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p) ...	5 pm .....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
High Dive Show .....	5:30 pm .....	Central & Main
The Strolling Piano .....	5:30 pm .....	Roving
Central Illinois Irish Dance .....	6 pm .....	Village of Cultures
Stuart Smith .....	6 pm .....	Expo Bldg Stage
Trever Wood .....	6 pm .....	Lincoln Stage
Extreme Dogs Stunt Show .....	6 pm .....	Thrillville
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay .....	6 pm .....	Central Avenue
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p) ...	6 pm .....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show .....	6 pm .....	Conservation World
Sky High Balloon Guy .....	6:30 pm ...	Adventure Village Stage
Boom! LED Hype Crew .....	6:30 pm .....	Roving
Society Horse .....	6:30 pm .....	Coliseum
Jutta & The Hi-Dukes .....	7 pm .....	Village of Cultures
Circus .....	7 pm .....	Happy Hollow
Off Axis Stunt Show .....	7 pm .....	Thrillville
The Strolling Piano .....	7 pm .....	Roving
Kardenni - Magician .....	7 pm .....	Lincoln Stage
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p) ....	7 pm .....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay .....	7:30 pm .....	Central Avenue
Head East .....	7:30 pm .....	Grand Central Stage
Brad Paisely w/ Tucker Wetmore ..	8 pm .....	Grandstand
High Dive Show .....	8 pm .....	Central & Main
Boom! LED Hype Crew .....	8:30 pm .....	Roving

### Friday, Aug. 15, 2025

Open Dairy Cattle .....	8 am .....	Livestock Center
Open Swine .....	8 am .....	Swine Barn
Live Cooking Contests .....	9 am .....	Hobbies Arts & Crafts Building
Open Sheep .....	9 am .....	Sheep Barn
Society Horse .....	9 am .....	Coliseum
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p) ..	10 am .....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
The Mary Bryant Singers .....	10 am .....	Illinois Building
Entertainment .....	10:30 am .....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Fishing Clinics at the Pond .....	10:30 am .....	Conservation World
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p) ...	11 am .....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Kid's Crafts .....	11 am .....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Bingo .....	11 am .....	Illinois Building
Little Know Fact Band .....	Noon .....	Apex Stage
Terran's Greek Band .....	Noon .....	Village of Cultures
Hippies of the Heartland .....	Noon .....	Expo Bldg Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p) ..	Noon ...	Adventure Village Stage
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay .....	Noon .....	Central Avenue
Society Horse .....	Noon .....	Coliseum
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p) ...	Noon .....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Young Person's Entrepreneurship Shark Tank		
Pitch Competition (12p-5p) .....	Noon .....	Illinois Building
Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show .....	Noon .....	Conservation World
High Dive Show .....	12:30 pm .....	Central & Main
Sky High Balloon Guy .....	12:30 pm ...	Adventure Village Stage
Live Cooking Contests .....	12:30 pm .....	Hobbies Arts & Crafts Building
Chris Camp "The Whip Guy" ...	12:45 pm .....	Conservation World
Dallas Da Drummer .....	1 pm .....	Lincoln Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p) ..	1 pm ...	Adventure Village Stage
Circus .....	1 pm .....	Happy Hollow
Kardenni - Magician .....	1 pm .....	Roving
Open Sheep .....	1 pm .....	Sheep Barn



Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)....	1 pm.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Young Person's Entrepreneurship Shark Tank		
Pitch Competition (12p-5p).....	1 pm.....	Illinois Building
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay	1:30 pm.....	Central Avenue
Family Beekeepers.....	1:30 pm.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Fishing Clinics at the Pond.....	1:30 pm.....	Conservation World
Voyageur Canoe.....	1:30 pm.....	Conservation World
Owen Knap Music.....	2 pm.....	Apex Stage
Muddy Creek & Co.....	2 pm.....	Grand Central Stage
Kelli Bonomo.....	2 pm.....	Lincoln Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p) ..	2 pm....	Adventure Village Stage
Extreme Dogs Stunt Show.....	2 pm.....	Thrillville
Open Dairy Cattle.....	2 pm.....	Livestock Center
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)....	2 pm.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Young Person's Entrepreneurship Shark Tank		
Pitch Competition (12p-5p).....	2 pm.....	Illinois Building
Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show....	2 pm.....	Conservation World
The Strolling Piano.....	2:30 pm.....	Roving
Sky High Balloon Guy.....	2:30 pm....	Adventure Village Stage
Boom! LED Hype Crew.....	2:30 pm.....	Roving
Open Goats.....	2:30 pm.....	Goat Barn
Chris Camp "The Whip Guy".....	2:45 pm.....	Conservation World
Claudey Blue.....	3 pm.....	Village of Cultures
Knott Us Band.....	3 pm.....	Lincoln Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p) ..	3 pm....	Adventure Village Stage
Off Axis Stunt Show.....	3 pm.....	Thrillville
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay.....	3 pm.....	Central Avenue
Kardenni - Magician.....	3 pm.....	Roving
Open Sheep.....	3 pm.....	Sheep Barn
Golden Abe Peoples		
Choice Awards.....	3 pm.....	Expo Bldg Stage
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)....	3 pm.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Kid's Crafts.....	3 pm.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Young Person's Entrepreneurship Shark Tank		
Pitch Competition (12p-5p).....	3 pm.....	Illinois Building
Fishing Clinics at the Pond.....	3 pm.....	Conservation World
High Dive Show.....	3:30 pm.....	Central & Main
Tyler Weaver.....	4 pm.....	Expo Bldg Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p) ..	4 pm....	Adventure Village Stage
Circus.....	4 pm.....	Happy Hollow
Extreme Dogs Stunt Show.....	4 pm.....	Thrillville
Open Sheep.....	4 pm.....	Sheep Barn
Ivan John.....	4 pm.....	Artisans Building
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)....	4 pm.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Paul Bunyan Lumber		
Jack Show.....	4 pm.....	Conservation World
Budweiser Clydesdales		
Full Hitch Parade.....	4 pm.....	Sky High Balloon
Guy.....	4:30 pm....	Adventure Village Stage
Boom! LED Hype Crew.....	4:30 pm.....	Roving
Nathan Bassett - Spray		
Monay.....	4:30 pm.....	Central Avenue
Fishing Clinics at the Pond.....	4:30 pm.....	Conservation World
Voyageur Canoe.....	4:30 pm.....	Conservation World
Chris Camp "The Whip Guy".....	4:45 pm.....	Conservation World
Astrofix.....	5 pm.....	Apex Stage
Skibbereen.....	5 pm.....	Village of Cultures
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p) ..	5 pm....	Adventure Village Stage
Off Axis Stunt Show.....	5 pm.....	Thrillville
Kardenni - Magician.....	5 pm.....	Lincoln Stage
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)....	5 pm.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
High Dive Show.....	5:30 pm.....	Central & Main
The Strolling Piano.....	5:30 pm.....	Roving
Morgan Joyce Hart.....	6 pm.....	Expo Bldg Stage
Tyson Schulte.....	6 pm.....	Lincoln Stage
Extreme Dogs Stunt Show.....	6 pm.....	Thrillville
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay.....	6 pm.....	Central Avenue
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)....	6 pm.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent

Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show....	6 pm.....	Conservation World
Sky High Balloon Guy.....	6:30 pm....	Adventure Village Stage
Boom! LED Hype Crew.....	6:30 pm.....	Roving
Society Horse.....	6:30 pm.....	Coliseum
Kamokunani Hula Hulau.....	7 pm.....	Village of Cultures
Circus.....	7 pm.....	Happy Hollow
Off Axis Stunt Show.....	7 pm.....	Thrillville
The Strolling Piano.....	7 pm.....	Roving
Kardenni - Magician.....	7 pm.....	Lincoln Stage
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)....	7 pm.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Nathan Bassett - Spray		
Monay.....	7:30 pm.....	Central Avenue
The Frontmen.....	7:30 pm.....	Grand Central Stage
The Chainsmokers.....	8 pm.....	Grandstand
High Dive Show.....	8 pm.....	Central & Main
Boom! LED Hype Crew.....	8:30 pm.....	Roving

## Saturday, Aug. 16, 2025

Open Swine.....	8 am.....	Swine Barn
Jr Goats.....	8:30 am.....	Goat Barn
Live Cooking Contests.....	9 am.....	Hobbies Arts & Crafts Building
Open Sheep.....	9 am.....	Sheep Barn
Society Horse.....	9 am.....	Coliseum
Baton Twirling Contest.....	9 am.....	Sale Barn 26
State Treasurer's Auction		
(Public Viewing).....	9 am.....	Lincoln Stage
Pee Wee Dairy Cattle.....	9:30 am.....	Jr Livestock Building
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)....	10 am.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Pickleball Tournament (10a-5p)....	10 am.....	Orr Building
Entertainment.....	10:30 am.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Fishing Clinics at the Pond.....	10:30 am.....	Conservation World
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p) ..	11 am.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Kid's Crafts.....	11 am.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Bingo sponsored by		
Meridian Healthcare.....	11 am.....	Illinois Building
State Treasurer's Auction.....	11 am.....	Lincoln Stage
Park Pentathlon and Recreation		
Relay.....	11:45 am.....	Livestock Center
Woodridge Park District Dancers.	Noon.....	Village of Cultures
Chloe Mae.....	Noon.....	Expo Bldg Stage
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p) ..	Noon....	Adventure Village Stage
Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay.....	Noon.....	Central Avenue
Champion Open Dairy Cattle.....	Noon.....	Livestock Center
Society Horse.....	Noon.....	Coliseum
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)....	Noon.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Robbins Park District		
Dance/Cheer Team.....	Noon.....	Illinois Building
Pickleball Tournament (10a-5p) ..	Noon.....	Orr Building
Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show..	Noon.....	Conservation World
High Dive Show.....	12:30 pm.....	Central & Main
Sky High Balloon Guy.....	12:30 pm....	Adventure Village Stage
Live Cooking Contests.....	12:30 pm.....	Hobbies Arts & Crafts Building
Chris Camp "The Whip Guy" ...	12:45 pm.....	Conservation World
Robbins Park District		
Dance/Cheer Team.....	1 pm.....	Village of Cultures
Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p) ..	1 pm....	Adventure Village Stage
Circus.....	1 pm.....	Happy Hollow
Kardenni - Magician.....	1 pm.....	Roving
Open Goats.....	1 pm.....	Goat Barn
Open Sheep.....	1 pm.....	Sheep Barn
Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)....	1 pm.....	IL Dept of Ag Tent
Rockford Park District Young		
Eagles Success "YES" Club.....	1 pm.....	Illinois Building
Tremont Park Districts' Nitsch		
Theatre Arts.....	1:30 pm.....	Village of Cultures





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Amateur Talent Contest .....

Cutest Little Farmer Contest .....

Fiddle & Banjo Contest .....

Ponytail Contest .....

Decorated Diaper Contest .....

Diaper Derby Contest .....

Auctioneer's Bid Calling Contest .....

Baton Twirling Contest .....

Abe's Amble 10K/5K Race .....

International Chili Society .....

Sanctioned Chili Cook-Off





# 2025 SPECIAL SCHEDULE

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
... Thu, 8/7	5:30pm	Sangamon Avenue
... displayed throughout Fair		outside Emerson Building
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... Thu, 8/7	3:00pm	Lincoln Stage
... Fri, 8/8	12:00pm	Agriculture Tent
... Sat, 8/9	11:00am	Lincoln Stage
... Sat, 8/9	2:30pm	Lincoln Stage
... Sat, 8/9	3:30pm	Lincoln Stage
... Sat, 8/9	4:00pm	Lincoln Stage
... Wed, 8/13	10:00am	Lincoln Stage
... Sat, 8/16	9:00am	Barn 26
... Sun, 8/17	7:30am	begins at Grandstand
... Sun, 8/17	9:00am	The Shed





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- 7 AG TENT STAGE
- 8 APEX STAGE
- 9 BUSCH LIGHT TENT
- 10 GRANDSTAND
- 11 COORS LIGHT TENT
- 12 ILLINOIS THEATER STAGE
- 13 HOBBIES, ARTS & CRAFTS

- A AFL/CIO PAVILION
- B COMMODITIES PAVILION
- C FEED & BEDDING BARN
- D GOVERNOR'S TENT
- E FIRST LADY'S TENT
- F LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR'S TENT
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- H IL DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE TENT
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- J ADVENTURE VILLAGE
- K ILLINOIS STATE POLICE/FOID OFFICE
- L HALL OF CHAMPIONS/25Q CATTLE BARN
- M ILLINOIS FIRE MUSEUM





- W ILLINOIS BUILDING**  
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- X THE SHED SPORTS BAR**
- Y THRILLVILLE**
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Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay 1:30 pm ..... Central Avenue  
 Family Beekeepers..... 1:30 pm ..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Fishing Clinics at the Pond..... 1:30 pm ..... Conservation World  
 Voyageur Canoe..... 1:30 pm ..... Conservation World  
 R and B Live Ladies Edition..... 2 pm ..... Grand Central Stage  
 Jake Vaughn ..... 2 pm ..... Expo Bldg Stage  
 Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p)..... 2 pm ..... Adventure Village Stage  
 Extreme Dogs Stunt Show..... 2 pm ..... Thrillville  
 USAC Auto Races..... 2 pm ..... Grandstand  
 Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)..... 2 pm ..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Park District Conservation  
 Day Entertainment..... 2 pm ..... Illinois Building  
 Pickleball Tournament (10a-5p)..... 2 pm ..... Orr Building  
 Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show..... 2 pm ..... Conservation World  
 Park District Conservation  
 Day Entertainment..... 2:30 pm ..... Village of Cultures  
 The Strolling Piano ..... 2:30 pm ..... Roving  
 Sky High Balloon Guy ..... 2:30 pm ..... Adventure Village Stage  
 Boom! LED Hype Crew ..... 2:30 pm ..... Roving  
 Chris Camp "The Whip Guy"..... 2:45 pm ..... Conservation World  
 Rockford Park District Young  
 Eagles Success "YES" Club..... 3 pm ..... Village of Cultures  
 Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p)..... 3 pm ..... Adventure Village Stage  
 Off Axis Stunt Show ..... 3 pm ..... Thrillville  
 Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay ..... 3 pm ..... Central Avenue  
 Kardenni - Magician ..... 3 pm ..... Roving  
 Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)..... 3 pm ..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Kid's Crafts ..... 3 pm ..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Park District Conservation Day's  
 Capital City Dance ..... 3 pm ..... Illinois Building  
 Fishing Clinics at the Pond..... 3 pm ..... Conservation World  
 High Dive Show ..... 3:30 pm ..... Central & Main  
 Park District Conservation  
 Day Entertainment..... 3:30 pm ..... Illinois Building  
 Positively 4th St ..... 4 pm ..... Apex Stage  
 Park District Conservation Day's  
 Capital City Dance ..... 4 pm ..... Village of Cultures  
 Tylon Charlie..... 4 pm ..... Expo Bldg Stage  
 BB Ross & The Happy Accidents..... 4 pm ..... Lincoln Stage  
 Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p)..... 4 pm ..... Adventure Village Stage  
 Circus ..... 4 pm ..... Happy Hollow  
 Extreme Dogs Stunt Show..... 4 pm ..... Thrillville  
 Thornhill ..... 4 pm ..... Artisans Building  
 Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)..... 4 pm ..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Pickleball Tournament (10a-5p)..... 4 pm ..... Orr Building  
 Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show..... 4 pm ..... Conservation World  
 Budweiser Clydesdales  
 Full Hitch Parade ..... 4 pm ..... Park District Conservation  
 Day Entertainment..... 4:15 pm ..... Village of Cultures  
 Sky High Balloon Guy ..... 4:30 pm ..... Adventure Village Stage  
 Boom! LED Hype Crew ..... 4:30 pm ..... Roving  
 Nathan Bassett - Spray  
 Monay ..... 4:30 pm ..... Central Avenue  
 Fishing Clinics at the Pond..... 4:30 pm ..... Conservation World  
 Voyageur Canoe..... 4:30 pm ..... Conservation World  
 Chris Camp "The Whip Guy"..... 4:45 pm ..... Conservation World  
 Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p)..... 5 pm ..... Adventure Village Stage  
 Off Axis Stunt Show ..... 5 pm ..... Thrillville  
 Kardenni - Magician ..... 5 pm ..... Roving  
 Demolition Derby - Power  
 Wheels ..... 5 pm ..... Multi-Purpose Arena  
 Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)..... 5 pm ..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 High Dive Show ..... 5:30 pm ..... Central & Main  
 The Strolling Piano ..... 5:30 pm ..... Roving  
 Boxcar Graffiti..... 6 pm ..... Apex Stage  
 Ballet Folklorico Tonantzin..... 6 pm ..... Village of Cultures  
 Jack Daniel..... 6 pm ..... Expo Bldg Stage  
 Dallas Da Drummer ..... 6 pm ..... Lincoln Stage

Extreme Dogs Stunt Show..... 6 pm ..... Thrillville  
 Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay ..... 6 pm ..... Central Avenue  
 Demolition Derby ..... 6 pm ..... Multi-Purpose Arena  
 Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)..... 6 pm ..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show..... 6 pm ..... Conservation World  
 Sky High Balloon Guy ..... 6:30 pm ..... Adventure Village Stage  
 Boom! LED Hype Crew ..... 6:30 pm ..... Roving  
 Society Horse..... 6:30 pm ..... Coliseum  
 Circus ..... 7 pm ..... Happy Hollow  
 Off Axis Stunt Show ..... 7 pm ..... Thrillville  
 The Strolling Piano ..... 7 pm ..... Roving  
 Kardenni - Magician ..... 7 pm ..... Lincoln Stage  
 Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)..... 7 pm ..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Nathan Bassett - Spray  
 Monay ..... 7:30 pm ..... Central Avenue  
 Simply Spice  
 (Spice Girls Tribute) ..... 7:30 pm ..... Grand Central Stage  
 Le Travallant - Cajun  
 Zydeco Band..... 8 pm ..... Village of Cultures  
 Def Leppard w/ Phil X &  
 The Drills..... 8 pm ..... Grandstand  
 High Dive Show ..... 8 pm ..... Central & Main  
 Boom! LED Hype Crew ..... 8:30 pm ..... Roving  
 Brokeback ..... 9:30 pm ..... Grand Central Stage

## Sunday, Aug. 17, 2025

Abe's Amble 10k/5k Race ..... 7:30 am .....  
 Miniature Horses ..... 9 am ..... Livestock Center  
 Int'l Chili Society Chili Cookoff ..... 9 am ..... The Shed  
 Lutheran Church Services..... 9 am ..... Illinois Building  
 Lego Contest ..... 10 am ..... Expo Bldg Stage  
 Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)..... 10 am ..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Entertainment..... 10:30 am ..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Churches of Christ  
 church services ..... 10:30 am ..... Illinois Building  
 Fishing Clinics at the Pond..... 10:30 am ..... Conservation World  
 Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)..... 11 am ..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Kid's Crafts ..... 11 am ..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Illinois Prairie Clogging  
 Association..... Noon ..... Village of Cultures  
 Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p)..... Noon ..... Adventure Village Stage  
 Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay..... Noon ..... Central Avenue  
 Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)..... Noon ..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show..... Noon ..... Conservation World  
 High Dive Show ..... 12:30 pm ..... Central & Main  
 Sky High Balloon Guy ..... 12:30 pm ..... Adventure Village Stage  
 Chris Camp "The Whip Guy"..... 12:45 pm ..... Conservation World  
 Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p)..... 1 pm ..... Adventure Village Stage  
 Circus ..... 1 pm ..... Happy Hollow  
 Kardenni - Magician ..... 1 pm ..... Roving  
 Open Swine Pee Wee..... 1 pm ..... Swine Barn  
 ARCA Auto Races ..... 1 pm ..... Grandstand  
 Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)..... 1 pm ..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Nathan Bassett - Spray  
 Monay ..... 1:30 pm ..... Central Avenue  
 Draft Horse Pull ..... 1:30 pm ..... Coliseum  
 Family Beekeepers..... 1:30 pm ..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Fishing Clinics at the Pond..... 1:30 pm ..... Conservation World  
 Voyageur Canoe..... 1:30 pm ..... Conservation World  
 Southside Soul Kings..... 2 pm ..... Grand Central Stage  
 Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p)..... 2 pm ..... Adventure Village Stage  
 Extreme Dogs Stunt Show..... 2 pm ..... Thrillville  
 Powerlight Fest - Hope Church  
 Praise/Worship..... 2 pm ..... Lincoln Stage  
 Sangamon County High School Cheer  
 & Dance Showcase..... 2 pm ..... Illinois Building  
 Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)..... 2 pm ..... IL Dept of Ag Tent



# HARNESSE RACING

**THURSDAY, AUG 7**

**FRIDAY, AUG 8**

**SATURDAY, AUG 9**

**WEDNESDAY, AUG 13**

**THURSDAY, AUG 14**

*Post Time - 11AM*  
**GRANDSTAND**





Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show...2 pm..... Conservation World  
 Fleming Academy of Performing Arts.....2:30 pm..... Village of Cultures  
 The Strolling Piano.....2:30 pm..... Roving  
 Sky High Balloon Guy.....2:30 pm..... Adventure Village Stage  
 Boom! LED Hype Crew.....2:30 pm..... Roving  
 Chris Camp "The Whip Guy".....2:45 pm..... Conservation World  
 Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p)...3 pm..... Adventure Village Stage  
 Off Axis Stunt Show.....3 pm..... Thrillville  
 Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay.....3 pm..... Central Avenue  
 Kardenni - Magician.....3 pm..... Roving  
 Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)...3 pm..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Kid's Crafts.....3 pm..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Fishing Clinics at the Pond.....3 pm..... Conservation World  
 Kristi Lecocq & Micah Walk.....3:30 pm..... Expo Bldg Stage  
 High Dive Show.....3:30 pm..... Central & Main  
 Powerlight Fest - One God, One Church (BYO Church).....3:30 pm..... Lincoln Stage  
 Avery Kern Band.....4 pm..... Apex Stage  
 Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p)...4 pm..... Adventure Village Stage  
 Circus.....4 pm..... Happy Hollow  
 Extreme Dogs Stunt Show.....4 pm..... Thrillville  
 OAT (Owen Irwin, Amy Battles & Tom Irwin).....4 pm..... Artisans Building  
 Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)...4 pm..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show...4 pm..... Conservation World  
 Central Illinois Irish Dance.....4:30 pm..... Village of Cultures  
 Sky High Balloon Guy.....4:30 pm..... Adventure Village Stage  
 Boom! LED Hype Crew.....4:30 pm..... Roving  
 Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay.....4:30 pm..... Central Avenue  
 Fishing Clinics at the Pond.....4:30 pm..... Conservation World  
 Voyageur Canoe.....4:30 pm..... Conservation World  
 Chris Camp "The Whip Guy".....4:45 pm..... Conservation World

Zoo Lady Face Painting (12p-6p)..5 pm..... Adventure Village Stage  
 Off Axis Stunt Show.....5 pm..... Thrillville  
 Kardenni - Magician.....5 pm..... Roving  
 Powerlight Fest - Rare of Breed...5 pm..... Lincoln Stage  
 Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)...5 pm..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Prairie Land Dance Club.....5:30 pm..... Village of Cultures  
 High Dive Show.....5:30 pm..... Central & Main  
 The Strolling Piano.....5:30 pm..... Roving  
 RS Band.....6 pm..... Apex Stage  
 Extreme Dogs Stunt Show.....6 pm..... Thrillville  
 Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay.....6 pm..... Central Avenue  
 Draft Horse Pull.....6 pm..... Coliseum  
 Illinois Products Store (10a-8p)...6 pm..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Paul Bunyan Lumber Jack Show.....6 pm..... Conservation World  
 Troupe Zahava.....6:30 pm..... Village of Cultures  
 Sky High Balloon Guy.....6:30 pm..... Adventure Village Stage  
 Boom! LED Hype Crew.....6:30 pm..... Roving  
 Powerlight Fest - Emerson Day.....6:30 pm..... Lincoln Stage  
 Circus.....7 pm..... Happy Hollow  
 Off Axis Stunt Show.....7 pm..... Thrillville  
 The Strolling Piano.....7 pm..... Roving  
 Kardenni - Magician.....7 pm..... Roving  
 Illinois Products Store (10a-8p).....7 pm..... IL Dept of Ag Tent  
 Nathan Bassett - Spray Monay.....7:30 pm..... Central Avenue  
 Twista.....7:30 pm..... Grand Central Stage  
 The Turnpike Troubadours w/ Whitney Morgan.....8 pm..... Grandstand  
 High Dive Show.....8 pm..... Central & Main  
 Powerlight Fest - Colton Dixon.....8 pm..... Lincoln Stage  
 Boom! LED Hype Crew.....8:30 pm..... Roving

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## **PARADE of CHAMPIONS**

**SAT, AUG 9, 2025 | 4PM**  
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Grand Champions and Reserve Grand Champions from the Junior Division and Land of Lincoln will be selected, including Steers, Barrows, Wethers and Meat Goats.

## **GOVERNOR'S SALE OF CHAMPIONS AUCTION**

**WED, AUG 13, 2025 | 4:30PM**  
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# VETERANS & GOLD STAR Families Day

**SUNDAY, AUG 10, 2025**  
**LINCOLN STAGE AREA**

*Please join the State of Illinois and the State Fair on this special day honoring the men and women who have courageously served our Nations' Armed Forces.*



## *Schedule of Events*

- 10AM – 11:30AM** ..... Musical Entertainment
- 11:30AM – 12:30PM** ..... Veterans Day Program
- 1PM – 3PM** ..... 250 Years of Military History Presentation
- 3PM** ..... JROTC Drill Competition Awards Ceremony  
 LINCOLN STAGE
- 4PM** ..... Veterans Day Parade  
 GRANDSTAND AVENUE



## *Activities*

- 10AM – 3PM** ..... Benefits Expo  
 THE SHED
- 10AM – 3PM** ..... AMVETS Kids Corner  
 LINCOLN STAGE AREA
- 10AM – 2PM** ..... JROTC Drill Team Competition  
 CENTRAL AVENUE







# 2025 JUNIOR

## livestock schedule

### show date & time

#### BEEF CATTLE

Performance Cow/Calf	8/7 at 7:30 am
Heifers: Red Angus	8/7 at 7:30 am
AOB	8/7 after Red Angus
Maine Anjou, Mainetainer	8/7 after AOB
Charolais	8/7 after Mainetainer
Hereford/Polled Hereford	8/7 after Charolais
Chianina	8/7 after Hereford
Limousin	8/7 after Chianina
Shorthorn, Shorthorn Plus	8/7 after Limousin
Angus	8/8 at 8:00 am
Simmental/Low % Simmental	8/8 after Angus
Steers	8/9 at 8:30 am
Showmanship	8/6 at 1:00 pm

#### DAIRY CATTLE

Jersey	8/13 at 8:00 am
Ayshire & Guernsey	8/13 at 8:00 am
Holstein	8/13 at 11:30 am
B. Swiss & M. Shorthorn	8/13 at 11:30 am
Showmanship	8/13 after Breed Shows

#### GOATS

Meat Goat: Breeding	8/8 at 8:00 am
Meat Goat: Wethers	8/8 after Breeding
Meat Goat: Market Does	8/8 after Wethers
Dairy	8/10 at 9:00 am
Pygmy	8/16 at 8:30 am

#### SHEEP

Market Lambs	8/9 at 8:00 am
Breeding Sheep	8/11 at 8:00 am

#### SWINE

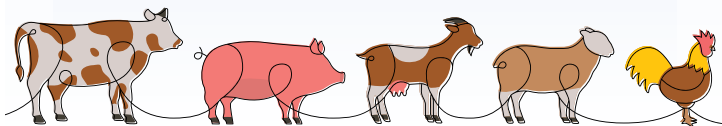
Showmanship	8/7 at 5:00 pm
Gilts	8/8 at 7:30 am
Barrows	8/9 at 7:30 am

#### POULTRY

	8/8 at 9:30 am
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#### RABBITS

	8/9 at 9:30 am
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# 2025 EQUINE EVENTS SCHEDULE

## **SHOW DATE & TIME**

### **WESTERN HORSE SHOW**

Cowboy Mounted Shooting. . . . . Sat. 6/28, 10am  
 Sun. 6/29, 8am  
 AQHA & All Breed Show. . . . . Thur. 7/3, 8am  
 Fri. 7/4, 8am  
 Sat. 7/5, 8am  
 Sun. 7/6, 8am

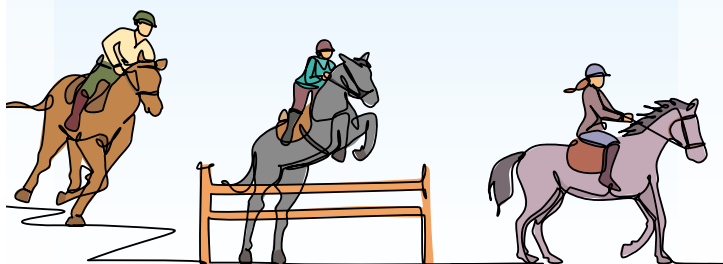
**JUNIOR HORSE SHOW** . . . . . Tue. 7/22, 9am  
 Wed. 7/23, 8am  
 Thu. 7/24, 8am  
 Fri. 7/25, 8am  
 Sat. 7/26, 8am

### **DRAFT HORSE & PONY**

For those in halter classes only . . . . . Sun. 8/10, 8am  
 For those in additional classes . . . . . Sun. 8/10, 6pm  
 Mon. 8/11,  
 9am & 1pm & 6pm  
 Tue. 8/12, 11am & 6pm

**DRAFT HORSE PULL** . . . . . Sun. 8/17, 2pm & 4pm

**MINIATURE HORSE** . . . . . Sun. 8/17, 9am





**SHOW DATE & TIME****BEEF CATTLE**

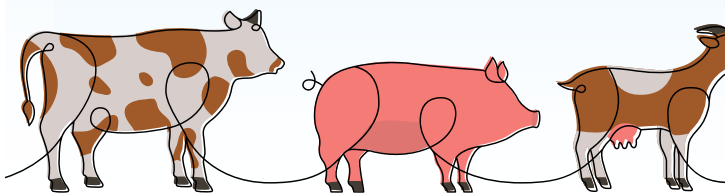
Maine Anjou & Mainetainer . . . . .	8/8 at 8:30 am
Charolais . . . . .	8/8 at 11:00 am
Steers . . . . .	8/10 at 9:00 am
Hereford . . . . .	8/9 at 8:00 am
Polled Hereford . . . . .	8/9 at 8:00 am
Limousin/Limousin Flex . . . . .	8/10 at 8:00 am
Simmental . . . . .	8/10 after Limousin
Low % Simmental . . . . .	8/10 after Simmental
Shorthorn/Polled Shorthorn . . . . .	8/11 at 8:00 am
Shorthorn Plus . . . . .	8/11 after Shorthorn
Angus . . . . .	8/11 after Short+

**DAIRY CATTLE**

Jersey . . . . .	8/14 at 8:00 am
Ayrshire/ Guernsey . . . . .	8/14 at 2:00 pm
Holstein . . . . .	8/15 at 8:00 am
Brown Swiss/ Milking Shorthorn . . . . .	8/15 at 2:00 pm
Pee Wee Show . . . . .	8/16 at 9:30 am

**GOATS**

Meat Goat: Breeding . . . . .	8/7 at 1:00 pm
Meat Goat: Wethers Dams . . . . .	8/9 at 9:00 am
Meat Goat Wethers . . . . .	8/9 after Wethers Dams
Dairy Goats: Jr./Dry . . . . .	8/11 at 8:30 am
Dairy Goats: Sr./Milking . . . . .	8/12 at 8:30 am
Pygmy Goats . . . . .	8/16 at 1:00 pm
Pygmy Goats: Heartland . . . . .	8/15 at 2:30 pm

**POULTRY** . . . . . 8/7 at 9:30 am**RABBITS** . . . . . 8/10 at 9:30 am



# 2025 **OPEN** LIVESTOCK SCHEDULE

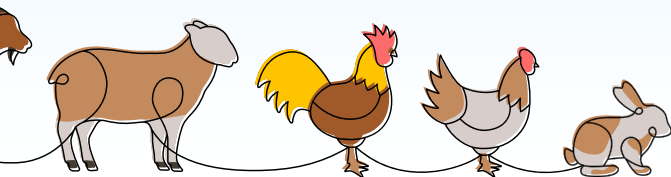
## SHOW DATE & TIME

### SHEEP

Pee Wee Show	8/10 at 4:30 pm
Market Lambs	8/10 at 8:00 am
Southdown	8/12 at 9:00 am
Suffolk	8/12 at 1:00 pm
AOB Meat (Slicked)	8/12 after Suffolks
Dorset	8/13 at 9:00 am
Hampshire	8/13 at 1:00 pm
Oxford	8/13 after Hampshires
Montadale	8/14 at 9:00 am
Natural Color	8/14 at 1:00 pm
AOB Meat (Fitted)	8/16 after Natural Color
AOB Wool	8/15 at 9:00 am
Border Leicester	8/15 at 1:00 pm
Cotswold	8/15 after Borders
Lincoln	8/15 after Cotswolds
Tunis	8/16 at 9:00 am
Dorper	8/16 at 1:00 pm

### SWINE

Barrows	8/10 at 8:00 am
Duroc	8/12 after Durocs
Hampshire	8/12 after Hamps
Yorkshire	8/12 after Yorks
Crossbred	8/12 at 8:00 am
Poland China	8/13 after Polands
Chester White	8/13 after Chesters
Spotted Swine	8/13 after Spotted
Herefords	8/13 at 8:00 am
Tamworth	8/15 at 8:00 am
Berkshire	8/16 at 8:00 am
Pee Wee Show	8/17 at 1:00 pm





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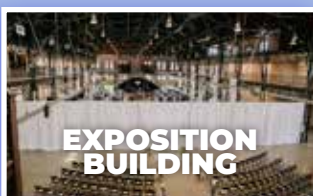
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