

GATE FEE \$3 Person Per Day
\$9 4-Day Pass
 Children Under 5 **FREE**
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Midwest Outlaw Truck & Tractor Pull • Compact Car Race • Lawn Mower Races

Thurs.-Sun. 12:00-close
Mechanical Bull Rides
 (Ent. Center)

Celebrate the best four days of summer at the Blue Earth County Fair

July 28th thru July 31st

The Board of Directors would like to invite everyone to come and join the fun as the fair marks its 152nd Anniversary with a line up of new and exciting attractions. Along with the new activities and returning favorites, there will be plenty of food, fun, entertainment, and special activities to enjoy and participate in.

TUESDAY, JULY 26TH

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 4:00-7:00pm Livestock Interviews in Judging Arena (exception of Beef Interviews)
 6:00-7:00pm Sheep & Goat Weigh-In and Verification
 7:00pm Sheep, Goats, and Poultry and must be in place

THURSDAY, JULY 28TH SAFETY DAY

8:30am Open Class Judging Begins ~ Master Gardeners available in Open Class Exhibits Open/Craft Building Opens
 10:00am J & K Amusements
 12:00-10:00pm Mechanical Bull Rides ~ Ent. Building
 12:00-close ATV training class ~ Anyone born after 7-1-87 must have course to operate an ATV. Must take CD ROM course first. Call 800-366-8917 for the CD. Preregister for driving course at the fairgrounds by calling 507-304-4814. There will be ATV's available. No grandstand fee will be charged for this event. Sponsored by Blue Earth County Sheriffs Dept
 1:00pm Finger Printing for kids available ~ BE Co. Sheriffs Dept. Command Center
 4:00-6:00pm Texting/Driving Drunk Demo TRY IT ~ Grandstand
 5:00pm Entertainment Center Open
 6:30pm Rhapsody Music Jr Band Program ~ Free Stage

FRIDAY, JULY 29TH ENVIRONMENTAL DAY & SENIOR DAY

8:30am Master Gardeners available in Open Class
 9:00-12:15pm Senior Citizens ~ Registration, Exhibits, Coffee, Rolls ~ Ent. Building

Grandstand:
\$10/Adults
\$5/Children 12 & under
5 & under Free

9:30-10:00pm Wellness Speaker ~ Ent. Building
 10:00 am Exhibits Open/Commercial Building Opens
 10:15-10:45am Stompers ~ Ent. Building
 10:45-11:15am Bean Bag Demo ~ Ent. Building
 11:00 am Bird House const SWCD ~ Farm Bureau Building
 11:00 am Scavenger Hunt SWDC ~ Comm Building drawings for participants at 2:00 pm and 6:00pm
 11:15-12:15pm Music ~ Ent. Building
 11:30am Senior Citizens ~ Free BE County
 Pork Producers Lunch ~ Ent. Building
 J & K Amusements
 Mechanical Bull Rides ~ Ent. Building
 Senior awards & door prizes ~ Ent. Building
 Bob Bohm Magician ~ Free Stage
 Pickle Ball Demo ~ Ent. Building
 Blue Ox Jazz Babies ~ Free Stage
 Bird House const SWCD ~ Farm Bureau Building
 Michele Wignern Urban Conservationist - Rain garden/storm water runoff/rain barrels demo ~ Farm Bureau Building
 Amazing Hoopsters ~ Free stage
 Mysteries of the MN River - Straubs ~ Farm Bureau Building
 Bob Bohm Magician ~ Free Stage
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 Bob Bohm Magician ~ Free Stage
 USLMRA Sanctioned Lawn Mower Races Registration ~ "Rain or Shine" ~ Grandstand
 Hot Laps ~ Grandstand
 Lawn Mower Races with speeds reaching over 60 mph ~ Grandstand
 Neil Diamond Impersonator ~ Free stage
 Beer Garden ~ "69 Cents"

SATURDAY, JULY 30TH

Tractorcade This event must be preregistered. Line Up begins at 8 ~ leaving at 8:30 am from fairgrounds returning at 5:00 pm
 Please sign up by July 15th - Blue Earth County Corn & Soybean Growers are sponsoring the ride.
RUN FOR RECOVERY 5K Run/Walk Registration Flyer is on the forms page.
 Carp Classic - Watonwan River Prizes!, Prizes!, Prizes!
 Bob Bohm Magician ~ Free Stage
 Registration for Bean Bag tournament Beer Garden
 Bean bag tournament ~ Prizes! Prizes! Prizes!
 See form on the forms page

10:00am Exhibits Open/Commercial Building Opens
 10:00am MIDWEST OUTLAW TRUCK & TRACTOR PULL Come see modified & stock trucks semis, pro farm hot farm, stock & hobby stock tractors battle it out for the top prize. Sponsored by Arnolds of Mankato Imp, Smiths Mill Imp, & Snell Motors & Zeigler Cat. Announcing done by J.O. KWIK Trip Donut eating contest ~ Free stage
 Bob Bohm Magician ~ Free Stage
 J & K Amusements
 Mechanical Bull Rides ~ Entertainment Building
 Jonathan Brice Escape Artist ~ Free Stage
 Blue Star/Armed Forces Recognition ~ Free Stage
 Pet Adoption Day ~ If someone adopts an animal and wants to stay at the fair the Human Society will take the animal back to the shelter to be picked up on Monday. Some Shelters will only be bringing photos.
 Kids Pedal Pull ~ Judging Arena
 Bob Bohm Magician ~ Free Stage
 Beer Garden ~ "Tombstone Trio"
 Flower Arrangements ~ Farm Bureau Building
 Old Fashioned Base Ball Game ~ Wellcome Manor
 Jonathan Brice Escape Artist ~ Free Stage
 KWIK Trip Milk Drinking contest ~ Free stage
 Jonathan Brice Escape Artist ~ Free Stage
 Bob Bohm Magician ~ Free Stage
 Demo Derby is back ~ Grandstand
 ~ Trophies sponsored by B&R Auto Salvage
 Beer Garden ~ Iron Horse

SUNDAY, JULY 31ST

Joint Church Services by 5 Lutheran Churches, music provided by Lutheran Chapel Band ~ Free Stage
 Exhibits & Craft Buildings Open
 Free will pancake breakfast ~ Ent. Stage
 J & K Amusements
 Mechanical Bull Rides ~ Ent. Building
 Compact Car Race ~ Grandstand
 Bob Bohm Magician ~ Free Stage
 Gospel Singers ~ Free Stage
 Bob Bohm Magician ~ Free Stage

Ride Ticket prices:
 Most rides are 1 or 2 tickets with possible 1 or 2 of the bigger rides at 3 tickets
 Presale: sheets of 5 for \$10.00 or 12 for \$20.00. Presale ends on opening day of fair.
 Ticket Prices at the fair are:
 Sheet of 10 for \$25.00, Single tickets for \$3.00

J & K Amusements
 opens at noon
 Th-Sat till 10
 Sun closes at 6

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THANK YOU! to the businesses and individuals that support the Blue Earth County Fair through sponsorship, participation, and publicity.

2011 4-H Schedule

July 28th thru July 31st

TUESDAY, JULY 26TH

12:00-6:00 pm General Exhibit Judging @ 4-H Building - Judges Break 4:00pm-4:45pm. (NO judging during this time) *Prior to judging, exhibitors should check in at the North End of the 4-H Building to pick up their exhibit cards.
 6:00 pm 4-H Building will be closed for the night.

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7:30-11:00 pm 4-H Livestock entry continued
 8:00 pm Poultry Show ~ Judging Arena
 9:00-11:00 pm Beef Weigh-In and Verification and Beef Interviews
 9:00-11:00 pm Swine Weigh-In and Gilt verification ~ Swine Barn
 9:00-11:00 pm Swine, Beef Interviews ~ By respective specie barn
 12:00 pm Lamb Lead Interviews begin ~ 4-H Building
 12:00 pm Demonstrations for Fun ~ 4-H Building
 1:30 pm Lamb Lead Show ~ Judging Arena
 2:30 pm Goat Show followed by Sheep Show ~ Judging Arena
 4:00-5:00 pm Youth Activity by 4-H Building (open to all youth) ~ Outside 4-H Building

FRIDAY, JULY 29TH

8:30 pm Beef Show ~ Judging Arena
 11:00 pm Rabbit Show ~ Rabbit Barn
 12:00 pm Livestock Demonstrations ~ Outside 4-H Building
 3:00 pm Swine Show ~ Judging Arena
 3:00-4:00 pm Youth Activity by 4-H Building (open to all youth) ~ Outside 4-H Building
 5:00 pm Pet & Cat Show - Outside 4-H Building

SATURDAY, JULY 30TH

8:00 pm Horse member check-in ~ Horse Arena
 8:30 pm Horse Show ~ followed immediately by State Horse Show Meeting ~ Horse Arena
 10:00 pm 4-H Llama Show - Judging Arena
 12:00 pm State Fair Trip Deadline. Trips not committed will go to alternates, no exceptions. All forms due.
 1:00 pm State Fair Meeting for State Fair Livestock & Non-Livestock Trip winners (4-H Building)
 3:00-4:00 pm Cloverbud Day at the Fair
 6:00-10:00 pm 4-H Dance sponsored by the 4-H Ambassadors

SUNDAY, JULY 31ST

12:30 pm Share-the-Fun Performances ~ followed by Fashion Revue ~ Free Stage
 1:30 pm 4-H Champion Recognition Event open to exhibitors receiving Champions & their families (Livestock Arena)
 *All champions should attend for refreshments, to receive their plaques, and have their photos taken.
 3:00 pm Pet Show / Cat Show ~ Activity Center
 4:00 pm Tri-County Fair and AKSARBEN entries due in the 4-H Office
 4:00 pm Premier Showmanship Contest ~ Livestock Arena
 6:00 pm 4-H & Open Class Exhibits released. Buildings, pens, barns cleaned by 4-Her's. superintendents will be checking this work. 4-Her's who do not clean their pens/stalls will not receive their premium checks until it is cleaned. *Any exhibits leaving before 6:00 p.m. will forfeit their premium check.

Immanuel Lutheran School

All Day Kindergarten K-8, 9-12

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