

Saturday, August 20, 2022

Christensen Farms Day

Come celebrate pork with Christensen Farms! Meet local pig farmers to learn about our commitment to sustainability through people, pigs and planet. Come help us feed people across Iowa communities simply by asking us a question about pigs or pork! For every question we get, Christensen Farms will donate a pound of pork to the Food Bank of Iowa! Drop by our booth for activities and the chance to be entered to win some fantastic pork prizes!

Gate Admission

Adult (ages 12 and up): \$14

Child (ages 6-11): \$8

Under 5: FREE

Thrill Pass

Good during Fair time only on any ride or game in Thrill Town and Thrill Ville. Tickets and credits can be purchased and reloaded onto the Thrill Pass at any Thrill Parks booth in Thrill Town or Thrill Ville.

\$1 for 1 credit*

*Thrill Park Passes are not valid in Thrill Zone.

*Upon initial purchase of a Thrill Pass, a one-time \$1.00 fee is charged

Grandstand Entertainment PRESENTED BY HOMEMAKERS FURNITURE - Kum & Go Stage

8 p.m. Keith Urban with special guest Ingrid Andress (\$45/60/70/80/90)

Fireworks Spectacular, sponsored by Meta, to follow Grandstand show

Today's Activities

8 a.m. Cuddles and Snuggles Chore Time (pre-registration required), Paul R. Knapp Animal Learning Center

8:30 a.m. Iowa State Fair Tumbling Competition (pre-registration required), Oman Family Youth Inn

9 a.m. Farm Bureau Free Games and Prizes, Farm Bureau Park

9 a.m. Paul R. Knapp Animal Learning Center

9 a.m. Sandscapes Sand Sculpting, Thrill Ville

9 a.m. Straw Sculpture by Brian Sobaski, near Giant Slide

9 a.m. Horse Haven, Horse Barn

9 a.m. Sheep Stop, Sheep Barn

9 a.m. Pig Place, Swine Barn

9 a.m. The Garden, Kids' Zone

9 a.m. Cattle Corner, John and Emily Putney Family Cattle Barn , North Annex

9 a.m. Boulevard of Dairy Breeds, John and Emily Putney Family Cattle Barn, North Annex

9 a.m. Habitat for Humanity Open House, East 31st Street Corridor - near Elwell Family Park

9 a.m. Little Hands on the Farm, Kids' Zone

9 a.m. Thrill Town opens, east of Gate 10

9 a.m. MidAmerican Energy Company Display, Safety Day, Wind Turbine and Education Center

9 a.m. I Milked a Cow presented by ISU Dairy Science Club (\$), John and Emily Putney Family Cattle Barn,
North Annex

9 a.m. Pioneer Hall Working Exhibits and Displays, Farm Bureau Pioneer Hall

9 a.m. Gas Engine Display, Farm Bureau Pioneer Hall

9 a.m. Titan Tire – WHO Radio, East 31st St Corridor – extending north from Grand Ave

9 a.m. Wiley Wallaby Licorice, North Gate Exhibit Area west of the DNR

9 a.m. Cookies Food Products, West Grand Exhibit Area

9 a.m. Concept by Iowa Hearing Aid Centers, West Grand Exhibit Area

9 a.m. MercyOne, West Grand Exhibit Area

9 a.m. Avenue of Breeds, west of Bruce L. Rastetter 4-H Exhibits Building

9 a.m. Adult Checkers Tournament (\$) (18 and older) (registration 8 a.m. – 9 a.m.), Administration
Building Porch, east side

10 a.m. "I Picked" at The Garden, Kids' Zone

10 a.m. National Anthem, Administration Building

10 a.m. Thrill Ville opens, between the Grandstand and Ye Old Mill

10 a.m. Thrill Zone opens, north of Gate 11

10 a.m. Louie the Lightning Bug/Sniffy the Sniffasaurus Sighting, Wind Turbine and Education Center

10 a.m. Art Works Carnival, Hy-Vee Fun Forest Stage

10 a.m. Largest Cornhole Tournament attempt, (check-in 9 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.), (pre-registration required),
Grand Concourse

11 a.m. Bandaloni, Strolling

11 a.m. Milking Demonstration, John and Emily Putney Family Cattle Barn, Dairy Parlor

11 a.m. Have You Herd? Live Animal Demonstration, Sheep Barn

11 a.m. Wheels of Agriculture, near Gate 15 and Little Hands on the Farm

11 a.m. The Mondeau Dukes, Stockman's Inn

11:30 a.m. Robocars, Strolling

Noon Disc-Connected K-9's, west of Richard O. Jacobson Exhibition Center, Lawn

Noon The Red Trouser Show, Expo Hill

Noon Owen Justice, JR's SouthPork Ranch

11 a.m. Demolition Derby (\$) (Gates open at 10 a.m.), Elwell Family Park

1 p.m. I Milked a Cow presented by ISU Dairy Science Club (\$), John and Emily Putney Family Cattle Barn,
North Annex

1 p.m. Robert Deitch (solo), Jalapeno Pete's

1 p.m. Bandaloni, Strolling

1:30 p.m. Wheels of Agriculture, near Gate 15 and Little Hands on the Farm

2 p.m. The Baberhood Bluegrass Band, JR's SouthPork Ranch

2 p.m. . Robocars, Strolling

3 p.m. Have You Herd? Live Animal Demonstration, Sheep Barn

3 p.m. Bandaloni, Strolling

3 p.m. The Red Trouser Show, Expo Hill

3 p.m. Milking Demonstration, John and Emily Putney Family Cattle Barn, Dairy Parlor

3 p.m. Disc-Connected K-9's, west of Richard O. Jacobson Exhibition Center, Lawn

4 p.m. Wheels of Agriculture, near Gate 15 and Little Hands on the Farm

4 p.m. Strolling Piano, Strolling

4 p.m. I Milked a Cow presented by ISU Dairy Science Club (\$), John and Emily Putney Family Cattle Barn,
North Annex

4:15 p.m. ISU Marching Band, Grand Concourse

4:30 p.m. The Brad Morgan Band, Jalapeno Pete's

4:30 p.m. Robocars, Strolling

5 p.m. Have You Herd? Live Animal Demonstration, Sheep Barn

5 p.m. Strolling Piano, Strolling

5 p.m. Red Dirt Renegade, JR's SouthPork Ranch

6 p.m. Strolling Piano, Strolling

6 p.m. Disc-Connected K-9's, west of Richard O. Jacobson Exhibition Center, Lawn

6 p.m. The Red Trouser Show, Expo Hill

7 p.m. Milking Demonstration, John and Emily Putney Family Cattle Barn, Dairy Parlor

7 p.m. Royce Johns, Craft Beer Tent

7 p.m. Randy Burk & the Prisoners, Stockman's Inn

7 p.m. Strolling Piano, Strolling

8 p.m. Toaster, Steer N Stein

8:30 p.m. The Sons of Gladys Kravitz, Jalapeno Pete's

Bruce L. Rastetter 4-H Exhibits Building sponsored by Touchstone Energy Cooperatives of Iowa

9 a.m. Invent STEM Challenge

9 a.m. International Science Fair Finalists

9 a.m. Hands-On Activities Corner: AmeriCorps

9 a.m. Educational Presentations and Working Exhibits

Noon Share The Fun

1:30 p.m. Educational Presentations and Working Exhibits

5 p.m. Share the Fun

John Deere Agriculture Building sponsored by Alliant Energy

9 a.m. Butter Cow

9 p.m. Gingerbread Building

10 a.m. Dahlia Show

10 a.m. Showing and Judging Dahlias, Stage

Noon Kids and Bees Expo: Something Special for Kids, Iowa Honey Producers Association, Stage

2 p.m. Kids and Bees Expo: Something Special for Kids, Iowa Honey Producers Association, Stage

Elwell Family Food Center sponsored by Urban Air Adventure Park

Room 1

10:30 a.m. Macarons or Macaroons

Noon Iowa State Chili Cook-Off Championship

Room 2

10 a.m. Fresh Vegetable Creations

Noon Iowa State Chili Cook-Off Championship

Room 3

10:30 a.m. Souper Soups

11:30 a.m. Candy Chemistry

12:30 p.m. Ulrich Pella Bologna Side Dish

2 p.m. Junior Chef Baking Championship

Heritage Village

9 a.m. Flag Raising, Country School

9 a.m. School Activities, Country School

9 a.m. Mountain Man Camp opens, east of Susan Knapp Amphitheater

9 a.m. Iowa Wine Experience: Best of Show Tasting & Iowa State Fair Red and White Wine Tasting,
Grandfather's Barn

9:30 a.m. Horseshoe Pitching: Iowa State Elder's Championship, Horseshoe Courts

10 a.m. Wine Sampling (\$), Grandfather's Barn

10 a.m. Chainsaw Carvers Gary Keenan and TJ Jenkins, Country School

11 a.m. Country School Spelling Bee (Grades K-6), Country School

11 a.m. Art Fair: Jeremy Jannenga, Watercolor and Color Pencil, Grandfather's Barn

11:30 a.m. Old-Fashioned Hymn Sing, First Church

Noon Chainsaw Carvers Gary Keenan and TJ Jenkins, Country School

1 p.m. Mountain Man Skills Demonstration, Mountain Man Camp, east of Susan Knapp Amphitheater

1:30 p.m. Children's Moment, First Church

1:30 p.m. Horseshoe Pitching: Iowa State Men's Championships 1st Rouns, Horseshoe Courts

2 p.m. Art Fair: Sara Letsch, Jewelry – Wire, Grandfather's Barn

3:30 p.m. Chainsaw Carvers Gary Keenan and TJ Jenkins, Country School

4 p.m. Art Fair: Debbie Simpson, Watercolor, Grandfather's Barn

5:30 p.m. Chainsaw Carvers Gary Keenan and TJ Jenkins, Country School

6:30 p.m. Old-Fashioned Hymn Sing, First Church

William C. Knapp Varied Industries Building sponsored by Principal®

9 a.m. Iowa Food and Family Project, South Atrium

10 a.m. Sewing Classes with Jean Nolte and Patrick Lose, Fabric & Threads, 2nd Floor

2 p.m. Sewing Classes with Jean Nolte and Patrick Lose, Fabric & Threads, 2nd Floor

Stages

Hy-Vee Fun Forest Stage sponsored by Community Choice Credit Union

10 a.m. Blue Ribbon Kids' Club Meet-and-Greet: Nothing Butter

11:30 a.m. The Rubber Chicken Show

12:30 p.m. Fantastick Patrick

1:30 p.m. The Rubber Chicken Show

2:30 p.m. Fantastick Patrick

3:30 p.m. The Rubber Chicken Show

4:30 p.m. Fantastick Patrick

Anne and Bill Riley Stage sponsored by Pepsi with media sponsor iHeart Radio

9 a.m. Steppin' Out Dance Studio, Newton

11 a.m. Lincoln Highway, Vocal, Altoona

Noon Iowan of the Day Presentation

12:15 p.m. Bill Riley Talent Search Semi-Finals (to follow Iowan of the Day)

3:30 p.m. Home Before Dark, Vocal, Urbandale

4:30 p.m. Darian Taylor, Vocal, North Port, FL

7 p.m. Hypnotist Ron Diamond

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MidAmerican Energy Stage with Iowa Realty and media sponsor KCCI

9:30 a.m. Stomper Pull (sign up at 9 a.m.)

1 p.m. Dry Run Creek, Band, Cedar Falls

3 p.m. The Jeff Arrandale Band, Norwalk

7 p.m. Bob Dorr's Iowa Music Revue

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Susan Knapp Amphitheater sponsored by Prairie Meadows with media sponsor WHO TV 13

8:30 a.m. Bench Press Contest (weigh-in at 8 a.m.)

8 p.m. Slaughter

Livestock Awards, Judging and Shows

8:30 a.m. Dairy Goat Show, Swine Barn

8:30 a.m. Horse Show: Clydesdale, Percheron, Draft Pony, Richard O. Jacobson Exhibition Center
8:30 a.m. Llama Show, Bob and Deb Pulver Outdoor Arena
9 a.m. Rabbit Show, Poultry/Rabbit Building
9 a.m. Sheep Show: Suffolk, Sheep Barn
9 a.m. Beef Cattle Show: Red Angus, Simmental Females, Pioneer Livestock Pavilion
9 a.m. Beef Cattle Show: Shorthorn, Bob and Deb Pulver Outdoor Arena
2 p.m. Sheep Show: Oxford Down, Sheep Barn
2 p.m. Sale of Champions, Penningroth Media Center, John and Emily Putney Cattle Barn
2:30 p.m. Beef Cattle Show: Charolais, Pioneer Livestock Pavilion
5:30 p.m. Meat Goat Show, Swine Barn
6 p.m. Llama Limbo Contest, Bob and Deb Pulver Outdoor Arena
6 p.m. Horse Show: Clydesdale, Percheron, Draft Pony (\$), Richard O. Jacobson Exhibition Center
6:30 p.m. Horse Pulling, Pioneer Livestock Pavilion

Patty and Jim Cownie Cultural Center

9 a.m. Make-and-Take: Candles, Mom's Candle Works, Jan Robinson (\$), 2nd Floor
9 a.m. Face Painting (\$), 1st Floor
9 a.m. Watercolor and Oil Painting, Walter Creech, 1st Floor
9 a.m. Henna Tattoo Demonstration, Liz Sweeney, 2nd Floor
9 a.m. Wood Carving Demonstration by the Mid Iowa Wood Carvers, 2nd Floor
9 a.m. Wood Turning Demonstrations by the Des Moines Wood Turners Inc., 2nd Floor
9 a.m. Make-and-Take: Name Bracelets and Personalized Magnet, Janie Ferneau (\$), 2nd Floor
9 a.m. Giant Lego Map and Lego Butter Cow, 2nd Floor
9 a.m. Origami - Sue Hansen, 1st Floor
9 a.m. String Art & Silicone Bead Keychain Make-and-Take: Knotty Nail (\$), 1st Floor
9 a.m. China Painting Demo, Iowa Chapter of the World Organization of China Painters, 2nd Floor
10 a.m. Tie-Dye Demonstration, Shawn Reeves, Tri-dyes, 2nd Floor
10 a.m. Contemporary Oil Painting Demonstration, Robin Hesselgess, 1st Floor
10 a.m. Coin Jewelry Demonstration, Ken Sims, 1st Floor
10 a.m. Wheel Thrown and Hand Sculpted Pottery Demo, Blue House Pottery, 1st Floor
10:30 a.m. Metal Jewelry Demonstration, Robert and Brooks Lyall, 1st Floor
11 a.m. Hand Stamped Stainless Steel Ring Demonstration, 1st Floor
11 a.m. Decoupage Demonstration, Mindy Kruse, 1st Floor

11 a.m. Natural Stone Jewelry Demonstration, Kathy Winternburn, 1st Floor
Noon Wheel Thrown and Hand Sculpted Pottery Demo, Blue House Pottery, 1st Floor
12:30 p.m. Metal Jewelry Demonstration, Robert and Brooks Lyall, 1st Floor
1 p.m. Airbrush Demonstration, The Paleks, 2nd Floor
1 p.m. Acrylic Painting Demonstration, Kaitlin Flury, 1st Floor
1 p.m. Art Attack, Courtyard
2 p.m. Tie-Dye Demonstration, Shawn Reeves, Tri-dyes, 2nd Floor
2 p.m. Contemporary Oil Painting Demonstration, Robin Hesselgess, 1st Floor
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2 p.m. Hand Stamped Stainless Steel Ring Demonstration, 1st Floor
2:30 p.m. Metal Jewelry Demonstration, Robert and Brooks Lyall, 1st Floor
3 p.m. Crocheted Wire Jewelry, Barb Vaske, 1st Floor
3 p.m. Wood Craft Demonstration, Caden Farms, 1st Floor
4 p.m. Wheel Thrown and Hand Sculpted Pottery Demo, Blue House Pottery, 1st Floor
4 p.m. Hand Stamped Stainless Steel Ring Demonstration, 1st Floor
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5 p.m. Coin Jewelry Demonstration, Ken Sims, 1st Floor

Farm Bureau Pioneer Hall

9 a.m. Elvis Presley's Country Gospel Tribute & Impersonation by James David Brown, New Virginia
10:30 a.m. Ladies' Nail Driving Contest
Noon The West Connection, Bluegrass Country and Gospel, Des Moines
1:30 p.m. Too Many Strings Band, Grinnell
3 p.m. Heart of Iowa Cloggers, Central Iowa
4:30 p.m. OnCue, 70s Soft Rock, Des Moines
6 p.m. Jim Dandy and the Kountry Rebels, Old Country and Old Rock & Roll, Grand River

DNR Building Courtyard

11 a.m. Gray Fox Research in Iowa: How You Can Help

1 p.m. Animal Signs: Furs, Tracks and Scat

3 p.m. Iowa's Wild Animals: Bear, Bobcats and Mountain Lions - Oh My!

Maytag Family Theater

11 a.m. get On board dsm: Charcuterie Instruction, The Kitchen, West Room

1 p.m. ChopLocal: Cooking with Local Cuts from ChopLocal, The Kitchen, West Room

3 p.m. Beth Romer: Making French Macarons, The Kitchen, West Room

5 p.m. Lexi Marek Beeler: Cooking wih other White Meat, The Kitchen, West Room

7 p.m. Iowa Honey Producers Association: Cooking with Honey, The Kitchen, West Room

