

FINALISTS

Cast your vote for the top 3 New Food Finalist of 2023!
Voting will take place on the Iowa State Fair website and on the official Iowa State Fair App.
Voting closes at 11:59 p.m. on Monday, August 14.

1 **Grinder Ball**
The Bacon Box (1)
\$6.50

The Grinder Ball is a Bacon Box's grinder blend bacon ball stuffed with mozzarella cheese wrapped in bacon, rotisserie smoked and dipped in warm marinara sauce. The Grinder Ball is the Bacon Box's new signature gluten-free take on the traditional State Fair Grinder.



2 **Iowa Twinkie**
Whatcha Smokin' BBQ (2)
\$8.00

"A Texas staple with an Iowa twist." A smoked bacon-wrapped jalapeno stuffed with pulled pork, sweet corn, cream cheese and ranch seasoning. It is then glazed with Whatcha Smokin' BBQ & Brew house-made Sweet + Sticky BBQ sauce and drizzled with house-made ranch dressing.



3 **Deep-Fried Bacon Brisket Mac-n-Cheese Grilled Cheese**
What's Your Cheez (3)
\$12.00

The Rib Shack's signature Bacon Brisket Mac-n-Cheese is slathered between layers of American cheese and two slices of What's Your Cheez Bacon Cheddar Bread. It is then deep-fried until golden brown and served with a signature raspberry chipotle BBQ sauce.



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4 **Iowa Sweet Corn Sundae**
Over The Top (4)
\$9.00

Iowa Sweet Corn Ice Cream served over a green candy 'husk,' sprinkled with fresh sweet corn kernels and coated with a drizzle of butterscotch topping.



5 **Deep-Fried Strawberry Shortcake on a Stick**
Smith's (5)
\$8.00

The Deep-Fried Strawberry Shortcake is the perfect on-the-go sweet treat with a strawberry and cream-filled cake rolled onto a stick. It is hand-dipped in a sweet batter, deep-fried and then covered with a delicious strawberry glaze and decadent whipped topping.



6 **Dill Pickle Flavored Cheese Curd**
Brad and Harry's Cheese Curds (6)
\$9.00

The Dill Pickle Flavored Cheese Curds are a new twist on the traditional State Fair cheese curds.



7 **Dough Crazy Sweet Stick**
Dough Crazy (7)
\$12.00

Eight delicious different flavored cookie dough balls on a stick drizzled with or without chocolate! Flavors include chocolate chip, cake batter, brownie batter, brookie, chocolate chip dough, monster, cherry chocolate chip and cookie and cream.



8 **A-Hootenanny**
Iowa Specialty Crop Growers Association (8)
\$10.00

A-Hootenanny starts with a generous scoop of creamy hand-dipped vanilla ice cream nestled on a freshly baked chewy and crispy oatmeal cookie. A dollop of Hootenanny jam comprised of strawberries, raspberries, blackberries, blueberries, peaches, rhubarb and cherries is generously spread on top of the ice cream. The dessert is then crowned with a fluffy cloud of whipped topping.



9 **Crunchy Cool Ranch Pickle on a Stick**
Grater Tater (9)
\$6.00

A pickle cut into a spiral on a stick, dipped in batter and rolled in cool ranch chips then fried in a crunchy coating drizzled with more ranch. With a mix of cold and hot pickle peppers already on the menu, this Crunchy Cool Ranch Pickle is the perfect addition.



10 **Shrimp Poké Bowl**
At Shrimp Shack (10)
\$12.00

A 12 oz. bowl filled with white rice topped with cooked shrimp, edamame, green onion, pineapple, carrots, jalapenos, crunch and spicy aioli. *Toppings can be easily customized.*



2023 New Food Vendors

- Steer N Stein
- Coney Corner
- Dough Crazy
- Shrimp Shack
- Taylor Concessions
- Dog Haus
- Mini Doughnuts
- Walleye on a Stick LLC
- What's Your Cheez
- Whatcha Smokin BBQ
- Peachey's Baking Co.
- Over The Top Ice Creamv
- Hagar's Foods
- Big Acai Bowls
- Gpop's Candy Shop
- The Snack Box
- Hot Turkey Legs
- \$5 Diner
- Miller Ice Cream
- Miller Cotton Candy

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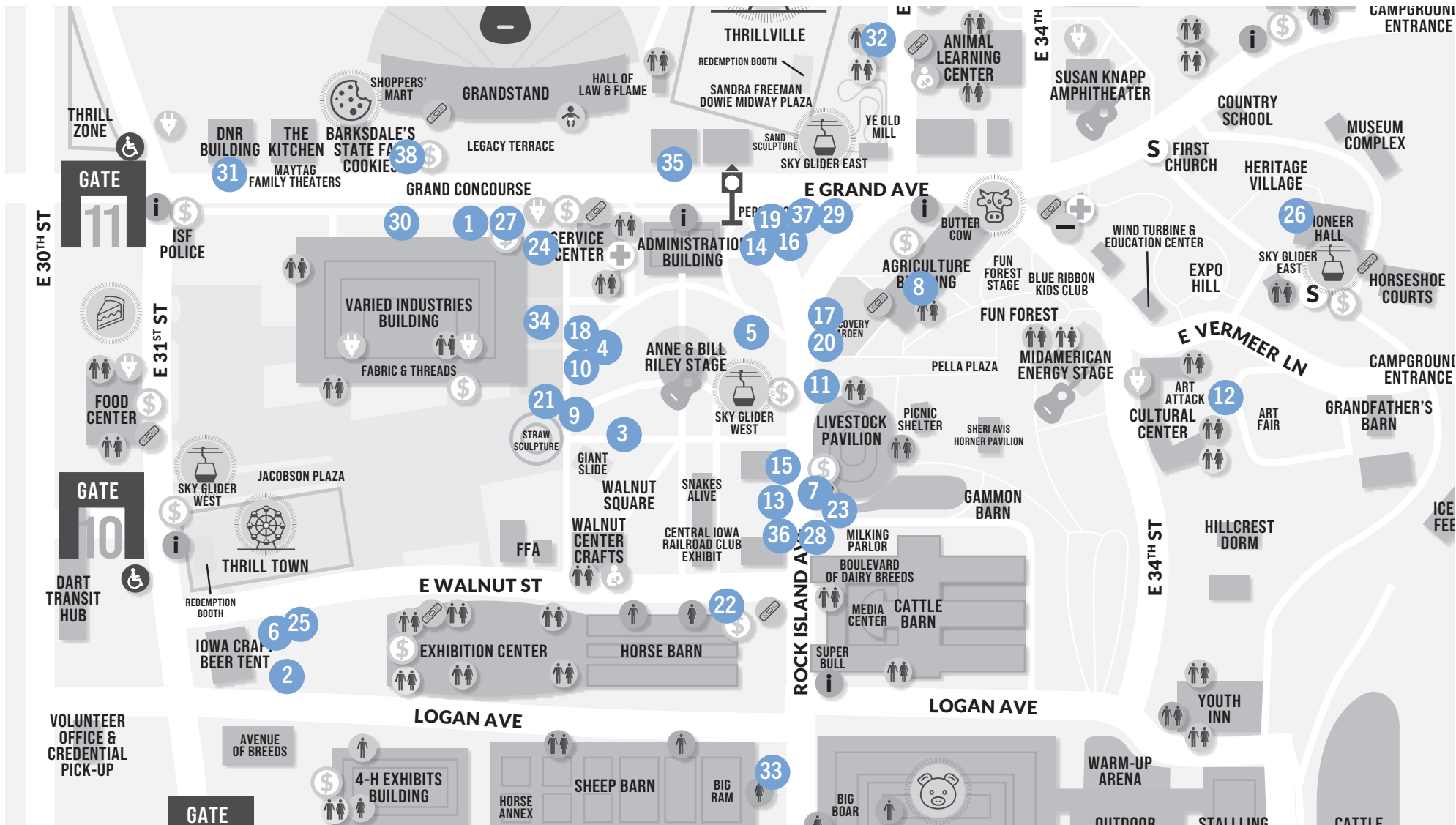
2023

NEW FOODS

Try all 64 New Foods!



New Food Locations



New Foods

Stand location noted

The Bacon Box (1)

- Grinder Ball

Whatcha Smokin' BBQ (2)

- Burrito Bowl
- Craft Link on a Stick
- Chopped Brisket Sandwich
- Iowa Twinkie

What's Your Cheez (3)

- Deep-Fried Bacon Brisket Mac-n-Cheese
- Hot Stuffed Grilled Cheese
- Raspberry Chipotle Grilled Cheese
- The Ooey Gooley All American Grilled Cheese

Over The Top (4)

- Iowa Sweet Corn Sundae

Smith's (5)

- Deep-Fried Strawberry Shortcake on a Stick
- Deep Fried Pretzel

Brad and Harry's Cheese Curds (6)

- Dill Pickle Flavored Cheese Curds

Dough Crazy (7)

- Bubble Tea
- Cookie Dough Sundae
- Dough Crazy Sweet Stick
- Soft Serve Chocolate Chip Cookie Dough

Iowa Specialty Crop Growers Association (8)

- A-Hootenany

Grater Tater (9)

- Crunchy Cool Ranch Pickle on a Stick

Shrimp Shack (10)

- Grilled Shrimp on a Stick
- Pop Corn Shrimp
- Shrimp Cheviche
- Shrimp Poké
- Shrimp Tacos

Saigonais Cuisine (11)

- (Bahn Mi) Vietnamese Sandwich
- (Cafe Muoi) Salted Coffee

Big Acai Bowls (12)

- Frozen Sorbet
- The Blue Ribbon
- The Grandstand
- The Stars and Stripes
- The Works

Peachey's Baking Co (13)

- Amish Donut
- Peanut Butter Creme Donuts

Thelma's (14)

- Apple Pie Cookie Ice Cream

JR's SouthPork Ranch (15)

- Bacon and Sweet Corn Lobster Rolls
- Made From Scratch Bacon Maple Monkey Bread

Dog Haus (16)

- Bacon Cheddar Pretzel Dog
- Pretzel Dog

Bauder's Ice Cream (17)

- Bauder's Cherry Dream Ice Cream

Walleye on a Stick LLC (18)

- Birch Beer Soda
- Catfish in a Boat
- Catfish on a Stick
- Walleye in a Boat
- Walleye on a Stick

Mini Doughnuts (19)

- Blueberry Mini Donuts

\$5 Diner (20)

- Bucket of Soda

McGrath's Chicken and Steak (21)

- Buffalo Chicken Bacon Ranch Fries

Coney Corner (22)

- Butterbeer Ice Cream

Smokey's Grill (23)

- Byrd Dawg Crispy Chicken Sandwich

Applishus (24)

- Caramel Apple Cake Pop

Hagar's Hoagies (25)

- Chopped Italian Chicken Hoagie
- Chopped Italian Ham Hoagie
- Chopped Italian Roast Beef Hoagie
- Chicken Salad Hoagie

The Snack Box (26)

- Citrus Boost Energy Drink

Carter's Cotton Candy and Sno Cones (27)

- Cotton Candy Art

Schuler's Popcorn and Cotton Candy (28)

- Cotton Candy Art

Well's Wonder Bar (29)

- Cotton Candy Cheese Cake

The Veggie Table (30)

- Deep Fried Sweet Corn Nugget

Waffle Chix (31)

- Oreo Brownie Blast

Iowa Egg Council (32)

- Korean Bacon Egg Dog
- Korean Egg Dog

Fresh American Lamb (33)

- Lamb Gyro Salad

Taylor Concessions (34)

- Orange (with Peppermint) Sipper
- Orange Frosty
- Orange Slush
- Walking Banana Dessert
- Walking Smores Dessert

Steer N Stein (35)

- Pork Belly Pinwheel

Zag's Po-Boys (36)

- Southern Fried Corn on the Cob

The Best Around (37)

- Ube Funnel Cake

Pioneer Wagon (38)

- Fried Caramel Apple Cow Tail