FRIDAY, AUGUST 16, 2024

IOWA CORN DAY

You might think Iowa grows corn, but the truth is corn grows Iowa! Corn grows Iowa by producing more than 4,000 products – from feed for our livestock to clean-burning ethanol fuel to fireworks, makeup, bioplastics and more. You can support Iowa corn farmers by buying corn-fed meat, dairy & eggs, filling your cup from the tap with water and fueling up with Unleaded 88. What better way to celebrate all things corn than a day at the Iowa State Fair! Meet the farmers who raise your food and enter to win great prizes by participating in a scavenger hunt!

GATE ADMISSION

Adult (ages 12 and up): \$16

Child (ages 6-11): \$10

Under 5: FREE

No on-site ticket sales and no entry-re-entry allowed after 10 p.m.

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 kiosk 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 fee is charged.

ENTERTAINMENT

Iowa State Fair Grandstand presented by Iowa Lottery - Krause Group Stage

The Fair's largest stage with 11 nights of top performers; buy Grandstand tickets at iowastatefair.org 8 p.m. The Avett Brothers with G. Love & Special Sauce (\$35, 40, 45, 55, 70)

10:30 p.m. Fireworks Spectacular presented by Coca-Cola to follow Grandstand show

Anne and Bill Riley Stage

sponsored by Pepsi with media sponsor iHeart Radio

Local and national touring entertainment; Talent Search

10 a.m. Decorated Diaper Contest and Diaper Derby (registration begins at 9:30 a.m.)

11 a.m. Iowa State Patrol K9 Demonstration

11:45 a.m. Way We Live Award Presentation – Dutchland Dairy

Noon Iowan of the Day Presentation

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

4 p.m. The Lew and Brad Band

7 p.m. Ron Diamond, Hypnotist

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Elwell Family Park

presented by Titan Tire, Maker of Goodyear Farm Tires with media partner WHO-The Big Show

West outdoor arena with covered bleachers; action dirt events

11 a.m. Garden Tractor Pulls (Free; gates open at 10 a.m.)

Expo Hill

Free entertainment, MidAmerican Energy Wind Turbine and Education Center

10 a.m. Chainsaw Carvers Gary Keenan, TJ Jenkins and Clint Henik

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

Noon Chainsaw Carvers Gary Keenan, TJ Jenkins and Clint Henik

3:30 p.m. Chainsaw Carvers Gary Keenan, TJ Jenkins and Clint Henik

5:30 p.m. Chainsaw Carvers Gary Keenan, TJ Jenkins and Clint Henik

Hy-Vee Fun Forest

Playground, stage with kid programming, Blue Ribbon Kids' Club

Fun Forest Stage

sponsored by Community Choice Credit Union

10 a.m. Blue Ribbon Kids' Club: Dairy Scavenger Hunt Day

11:30 a.m. The Dollipops

12:30 p.m. The Chipper Experience

1:30 p.m. The Dollipops

2:30 p.m. The Chipper Experience

3:30 p.m. The Dollipops

4:30 p.m. The Chipper Experience

MidAmerican Energy Stage

with Iowa Realty and media sponsor KCCI 8

Local and national touring entertainment; KCCI 8 live news

9 a.m. Steppin Out Dance Studio

11 a.m. Mike Hartney, Elvis Tribute, Clinton

12:30 p.m. Faith's Road, Clarion

1:30 p.m. Wright Ukelele Society

2:30 p.m. Day's Live Music

4:30 p.m. KCCI 8 News

8 p.m. Not Quite Brothers

Richard O. Jacobson Exhibition Center West Lawn

Outdoor entertainment, concessions

11 a.m. Flying Fools Dive Show

Noon iFlip trampoline show

2 p.m. Flying Fools Dive Show

3 p.m. iFlip trampoline show

5 p.m. Flying Fools Dive Show

6 p.m. iFlip trampoline show

Strolling Acts

Around the Fairgrounds

11 a.m. Bandaloni, one man band

11:30 a.m. The Ice Cream Show

1 p.m. Bandaloni, one man band

2 p.m. The Ice Cream Show

3 p.m. Bandaloni, one man band

3:30 p.m. The Illuminator

4:30 p.m. The Ice Cream Show

5:30 p.m. The Illuminator

7:30 p.m. The Illuminator

Susan Knapp Amphitheater

sponsored by Prairie Meadows with media sponsor WHO 13

Local and national touring entertainment; WHO 13 Hello Iowa show

9 a.m. Day's Live Music

11 a.m. Hello Iowa - WHO 13

1 p.m. Lani, Vocal, Urbandale

2 p.m. Jeff Stagg

8 p.m. Blake Guyre (Tribute to Elton John/Billy Joel)

BAR AND RESTAURANT ENTERTAINMENT

Bubbly Bar & Bistro

Located west of Grandfather's Barn

12:30 p.m. Felix & Fingers Dueling Pianos

7 p.m. Mark Joseph & American Soul

Bud Tent

Located east of Ye Old Mill

2 p.m. Eli Alger and The Faster Horses

6 p.m. Jason Nix

9 p.m. Josh Melton

Craft Beer Tent

Located west of Jacobson Exhibition Center

7 p.m. Royce Johns

Jalapeno Pete's

Located southwest of Thrill Ville

1 p.m. Tony Bohnenkamp

4 p.m. Jake Schrodt and the Goats

8 p.m. Toaster

JR's SouthPork Ranch

Located west of the Livestock Pavilion, on Rock Island Avenue

Noon Paris Springer

2 p.m. Emma Butterworth

4:30 p.m. River City Opry

7:30 p.m. Tyler Richton & The High Bank Boys

LIVESTOCK AWARDS, JUDGING AND SHOWS

Bob and Deb Pulver Outdoor Arena

Livestock competitions; special events

9 a.m. Beef Cattle Show: Gelbvieh, Junior Red Angus

1 p.m. Beef Cattle Show: Miniature Hereford

6 p.m. Llama Love: Hooves on Adventure (\$: pre-registration required)

Livestock Pavilion

Livestock competitions; special events

1 p.m. Barnyard Yoga: Boer Goat Yoga (\$; pre-registration required)

3 p.m. Beef Cattle Show: Simmental Bulls

Poultry and Rabbit Building

Poultry and rabbit shows and exhibits

6 p.m. Largest Rabbit Contest

Richard O. Jacobson Exhibition Center

Horse shows

8:30 a.m. Horse Show: Percheron Line, Clydesdale Line

2 p.m. Horse Show: Clydesdale, Percheron

5 p.m. Horse Show: Clydesdale, Percheron, Draft Pony

Sheep Barn

Sheep, Big Ram, Sheep Stop

9 a.m. Sheep Stop

9 a.m. Sheep Show: Wether Sire/Dam

5 p.m. Sheep Sale: Wether Sire/Dam

Swine Barn

sponsored by Corteva Agriscience

Swine, Big Boar, Pig Place, goats

8:30 a.m. Dairy Goat Show: Junior Doe

8:30 a.m. Swine Show: Open Class Breeds

9 a.m. Pig Place

11 a.m. Have You Herd? Live Animal Demonstration, Outside, Northwest corner

3 p.m. Have You Herd? Live Animal Demonstration, Outside, Northwest corner

4 p.m. Swine Sale: All Breeds

5 p.m. Have You Herd? Live Animal Demonstration, Outside, Northwest corner

FAIR DAY EVENTS

Administration Building

9 a.m. Youth Checkers Tournament (registration 8-9 a.m.), Porch

Avenue of Breeds (9 a.m. to 8 p.m.)

presented by Iowa Bankers Association, west of the 4-H Exhibits Building

70 breeds of unique Iowa livestock; managed by North Polk FFA

Bruce L. Rastetter 4-H Exhibits Building (9 a.m. to 8 p.m.)

sponsored by Touchstone Energy® Cooperatives of Iowa

4-H exhibits, displays and presentations

9 a.m. Educational Presentations and Working Exhibits

9 a.m. Hands-On Activities Corner: Protect the Plate

Noon Share the Fun

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

5 p.m. Share the Fun

Department of Natural Resources Building (9 a.m. to 8 p.m.)

Outdoor courtyard presentations, pop-up programs, aquariums

1 p.m. Fly Fishing with Hawkeye Fly Fishers, Courtyard Stage

5 p.m. Tree - via - DNR Daily Trivia, Courtyard Stage

Elwell Family Food Center (9 a.m. to 8 p.m.)

Competitive food judging and displays; Blue Ribbon Foundation Merchandise Store

9:30 a.m. Cooking with Cookies' Sauces & Seasonings, Room 4

10 a.m. Foods Made with Honey Judging, Room 1

10 a.m. Snack Time with Live Healthy Iowa Judging, Room 2

10 a.m. Brewer Family Beef & Pork Casseroles, Room 3

11 a.m. Snack Time for Kids with Live Healthy Iowa Judging, Room 2

11 a.m. Gold(ie's) Quick Breads, Room 3

Noon Purnell Old Folks' Sausage Cook Off Judging, Room 2

1 p.m. Mrs. Bonser's Beef & Noodles Judging, Room 1

1 p.m. Inventive Rhubarb Judging, Room 2

2 p.m. Kid Sponsored Cinnamon Roll Championship, Room 3

2:30 p.m. Homemade Ice Cream Freeze-Off Championship Judging, Room 1

2:30 p.m. Spud Studs Judging, Room 2

FFA Display Building and Headquarters (9 a.m to 8 p.m.)

Chapter exhibits; agricultural demonstrations and working displays

The Garden (9 a.m. to 8 p.m.)

sponsored by Corteva Agriscience

Display of crops, plants, vegetables and special events; managed by Bondurant FFA 10 a.m. "I Picked" at The Garden

Grand Concourse

Main east-west road on the Iowa State Fairgrounds
Iowa Corn Day of Fair Display, In Front of Service Center

8 a.m. Life Serve Blood Drive, In Front of Crystal Studios

9 a.m. Local 5 Weather Lab Experience & Broadcast Booth, In Front of Administration Building

9 a.m. Adaptive Sports on the Grand Concourse, South Side

10 a.m. National Anthem, In Front of Administration Building

11 a.m. Local 5 Live Broadcast, In Front of Administration Building

5 p.m. Local 5 Live Broadcast, In Front of Administration Building

5:30 p.m. Budweiser Clydesdales parade

6 p.m. Local 5 Live Broadcast, In Front of Administration Building

Grandstand Shoppers' Mart (9 a.m. to 8 p.m.)

Shopping

Heritage Village

Celebrate Iowa's past on the Iowa State Fairgrounds

Country School (9 a.m to 4 p.m.)

Old time school, coloring activities

Fair View Farmers Market (9 a.m. to 7 p.m.)

Iowa local products and produce, outside of Grandfather's Barn

Farm Bureau Pioneer Hall (9 a.m to 8 p.m.)

Heritage competitive exhibits and contests; working exhibits and displays; gas engine display; vintage vehicle display (between Fair museum and country school); country antique market; blacksmith shop, Ron Koske, Altoona, and Randy Mills, Des Moines; Coon River Mercantile, manufacturers of 1860-1880 period clothing, Gerald Durbin, Des Moines; 1920s Newspaper and Printing, Friends of Pioneer Hall; Wheel Thrown Pottery, Leslie Nelson of Lotus Moon Ceramics, Urbandale; Spinning Wool on a Wheel, Janice Cook, Monroe; The Art of 1900s Gold Leaf & Traditional Hand Lettering plus Glue Chipping, John Parker, Carlisle; Antique Vehicle and Memorabilia Restoration, Higgy's Restoration, Leon; Chair Caning and Rush Seat Weaving, Michelle Schanz, Amana (Aug. 8-11 and Aug. 15-17); Handmade Kitchen Utensils from Fallen Trees, Tim McGuire of Wild Cherry Spoon, Quad Cities; Rug Braiding, Molly Vriezelaar, Altoona (Aug. 8-10); Weaving on a Rigid Heddle Loom, Molly Vriezelaar, Altoona (Aug. 16-18); Tall Corn Contests - Iowa's Tall Corn Contest and America's Tallest Corn Contest entries on display (judging held Aug. 7; on display Aug. 8-18).

9 a.m. "The King Incognito" Elvis Presley Tribute and Impersonation by James David Brown, New Virginia

10 a.m. Husband Calling Contest

11 a.m. Mom Calling Contest (ages 5-9)

11:30 a.m. Mom Calling Contest (ages 10-15)

1 p.m. Children's Joke Telling (ages 5-9)

2 p.m. Youth Hog Calling Contest (ages 5-16)

2:30 p.m. Adult Hog Calling Contest (ages 17 and over)

4 p.m. The West Connection, Bluegrass Country and Gospel, Des Moines

5:30 p.m. The Girls Next Door, Country/Bluegrass, Central Iowa

7 p.m. The Big Joe Kinser Band, Western Swing, Des Moines

First Church

Replica of Iowa's first church

11:30 a.m. Old-Fashioned Hymn Sing

6:30 p.m. Old-Fashioned Hymn Sing

Next to First Church

10:30 a.m. Hot Glass Academy

11:30 a.m. Hot Glass Academy

12:30 p.m. Hot Glass Academy

1:30 p.m. Hot Glass Academy

2:30 p.m. Hot Glass Academy

3:30 p.m. Hot Glass Academy

Horseshoe Courts

Fair sporting competition located east of Pioneer Hall

9:30 a.m. Horseshoe Pitching: Two Player Pro-Am

Noon Horseshoe Pitching: Pitch and Win (ages 10 and over)

2:30 p.m. Horseshoe Pitching: Open Singles

Richard L. Easter Museum Complex (9 a.m. to 8 p.m.)

Ralph H. Deets Historical Museum and Richard O. Jacobson Hall (Ronald and Margaret Kenyon Gallery); Blue Ribbon Foundation Merchandise Store

Vermeer Grandfather's Barn (9 a.m to 8 p.m.)

Iowa Wine Growers Association with Iowa Wine tasting and sales

Horse Barn

Horse exhibitors, Horse Haven

9 a.m. Horse Haven

John & Emily Putney Family Cattle Barn

sponsored by Vermeer

Cattle, Super Bull, shopping, exhibits, Blue Ribbon Foundation Merchandise Store

9 a.m. Cattle Corner, North Annex

9 a.m. Boulevard of Dairy Breeds, North Annex

9 a.m. Demonstrations by the ISU Dairy Science Club, Boulevard of Dairy Breeds

1 p.m. Demonstrations by the ISU Dairy Science Club, Boulevard of Dairy Breeds

4 p.m. Demonstrations by the ISU Dairy Science Club, Boulevard of Dairy Breeds

John Deere Agriculture Building (9 a.m. to 8 p.m.)

sponsored by Alliant Energy

Floriculture, horticulture displays, world-famous Butter Cow, egg-on-a-stick, gingerbread building display, shopping, Blue Ribbon Foundation Merchandise Store

Noon Floriculture Department Special Classes: Iowa Flowers, Unusual Containers, Adel's Finest, Fairy Garden, Succulent Garden Judging

Noon Show Off Your Talent Flower Show

2 p.m. Honey and Bee Keeping, Iowa Honey Producers, Stage

Kids' Zone

For Fairgoers of all ages; Blue Ribbon Foundation Merchandise Store; north of Animal Learning Center 9 a.m. Little Hands on the Farm

10 a.m. Cowboy Boot Camp

Maytag Family Theater

The Kitchen sponsored by Warners' Stellian, Cambria Countertops and Iowa Farmers Union

Cooking demonstrations, tastings

10 a.m. Kids Can Cook, East Room

11 a.m. Healthy You for Back to School - Produce Hacks to Reach 5-a-Day Goal; Hy-Vee Dietitians, The Kitchen, West Room

1 p.m. Choose Iowa: Making Veggies for Kiddos!; Choose Iowa and Grant Gillon, MasterChef, with son, Grady, The Kitchen, West Room

2 p.m. Kids Can Cook, East Room

3 p.m. Wine and Cheese Pairing 101; Ackerman Winery, The Kitchen, West Room

4 p.m. Kids Can Cook, East Room

5 p.m. Cooking/Using Honey; The Holton Homestead, The Kitchen, West Room

7 p.m. Talk and Taste Series: Dairy Delight - Chocolate-Dipped Strawberry Smoothie; Midwest Dairy, The Kitchen, West Room

Mobile Marketing (9 a.m. to 8 p.m.)

Organization and company displays

9 a.m. Starry, East 31st St. Corridor, Extending North from Grand Ave

9 a.m. Dr. Pepper, Gate 15

9 a.m. T-Mobile, Machinery Grounds

9 a.m. Verizon, Machinery Grounds

9 a.m. Budweiser Clydesdales; parade at 5 p.m., West of the DNR Building

9 a.m. Eli Lilly, West of the DNR Building

9 a.m. United States Navy, West of the DNR Building

9 a.m. AVEDA Institute, North of Elwell Family Food Center

9 a.m. Concept by Iowa Hearing Aid Centers, North of Elwell Family Food Center

9 a.m. Cookies Food Products, North of Elwell Family Food Center

Mountain Man Camp

1800s re-enactment camp, east of Susan Knapp Amphitheater

9 a.m. Mountain Man Camp

1 p.m. Mountain Man Skills Demonstration

Oman Family Youth Inn

Dormitories, special events competitions and tournaments

9 a.m. Ways and Means Committee Hearing, The Success of Pro-Growth, Pro-Worker Tax Policy in the American Midwest

2 p.m. Painting With A Twist (\$)

Patty & Jim Cownie Cultural Center (9 a.m. to 8 p.m.)

Atrium sponsored by Bankers Trust

Fine Arts juried exhibits, photography, creative arts, woodworking, dollhouses, art demonstrations, Art Fair, artWORKS

9 a.m. Face Painting, Miguel Flores (\$), 1st Floor

9 a.m. Hair Shimmer Demonstration, Liz Sweeney, 2nd Floor

9 a.m. Henna Tattoo Demonstration, Liz Sweeney, 2nd Floor

9 a.m. Make-and-Take: Candles, Mom's Candleworks (\$), 2nd Floor

9 a.m. Make-and-Take: Name Bracelets (\$), 2nd Floor

9 a.m. Wood Carving Demonstrations by the Mid Iowa Wood Carvers, 2nd Floor

9 a.m. Wood Turning Demonstrations by the Des Moines Wood Turners Inc., 2nd Floor

10 a.m. Contemporary Oil Painting Demonstration, Robin Hesselgess, 1st Floor

10 a.m. Natural Stone Jewelry Demonstration, J & K On The Rocks, 1st Floor

10 a.m. Origami Demonstration, Sue Hansen, 1st Floor

10 a.m. Rug Weaving Demonstration, Rugs & Tugs, 1st Floor

10 a.m. Wheel Thrown and Hand Sculpted Pottery Demo, Blue House Pottery, 1st Floor

10 a.m. Wood Craft Demonstration, Caden Farms, 1st Floor

10 a.m. 3D Printing Demonstration, Bottom Floor Prints, 1st Floor

10 a.m. Tie-Dye Demonstration, Shawn Reeves, Tri-Dyes, 2nd Floor

10 a.m. artWORKS ARTival, 3rd Floor

10 a.m. artWORKS: Balloon Sculptures by Twizted Things, 3rd Floor

10 a.m. Lego Activity: Brick Mazes, Creative Arts, 2nd Floor

- 10:30 a.m. Metal Jewelry Demonstration, Robert and Brooks Lyall, 1st Floor
- 11 a.m. ArtWorks: Dance a Story, 3rd Floor
- 11 a.m. Coin Jewelry Demonstration, Ken Sims, 1st Floor
- 11 a.m. Digital Transfer Tumblers and T-shirts Demonstration, Joy's Gifts and Memories, 1st Floor
- 11 a.m. Wood Craft Demonstration, Caden Farms, 1st Floor
- Noon Hand Stamped Stainless Steel Ring Demonstration, Kris Jones, 1st Floor
- Noon Wheel Thrown and Hand Sculpted Pottery Demo, Blue House Pottery, 1st Floor
- Noon Wood Craft Demonstration, Caden Farms, 1st Floor
- 12:30 p.m. Metal Jewelry Demonstration, Robert and Brooks Lyall, 1st Floor
- 1 p.m. ArtWorks: Found Sound, 3rd Floor
- 1 p.m. Acrylic Painting Demonstration, Kaitlin Flury, 1st Floor
- 1 p.m. Natural Stone Jewelry Demonstration, J & K On The Rocks, 1st Floor
- 1 p.m. Rug Weaving Demonstration, Rugs & Tugs, 1st Floor
- 1 p.m. Airbrush Demonstration, The Paleks, 2nd Floor
- 1 p.m. Art Attack, Courtyard
- 1 p.m. Art Fair Demonstration: Kristy Niemeyer, Ink and Watercolor, Courtyard
- 1:30 p.m. Polymer Clay Jewelry Demonstration, Lydia Miller, 2nd Floor
- 2 p.m. Contemporary Oil Painting Demonstration, Robin Hesselgess, 1st Floor
- 2 p.m. Digital Transfer Tumblers and T-shirts Demonstration, Joy's Gifts and Memories, 1st Floor
- 2 p.m. Hand Stamped Stainless Steel Ring Demonstration, Kris Jones, 1st Floor
- 2 p.m. Wheel Thrown and Hand Sculpted Pottery Demo, Blue House Pottery, 1st Floor
- 2 p.m. 3D Printing Demonstration, Bottom Floor Prints, 1st Floor
- 2 p.m. Tie-Dye Demonstration, Shawn Reeves, Tri-Dyes, 2nd Floor
- 2:30 p.m. Metal Jewelry Demonstration, Robert and Brooks Lyall, 1st Floor
- 3, 5 and 7 p.m. ArtWorks Entertainment, 3rd Floor
- 3 p.m. Coin Jewelry Demonstration, Ken Sims, 1st Floor
- 3 p.m. Crocheted Wire Jewelry, Barb Vaske, 1st Floor
- 4 p.m. Natural Stone Jewelry Demonstration, J & K On The Rocks, 1st Floor
- 4 p.m. Rug Weaving Demonstration, Rugs & Tugs, 1st Floor
- 4 p.m. Wheel Thrown and Hand Sculpted Pottery Demo, Blue House Pottery, 1st Floor

4 p.m. 3D Printing Demonstration, Bottom Floor Prints, 1st Floor

4 p.m. Airbrush Demonstration, The Paleks, 2nd Floor

4 p.m. Art Fair Demonstration: Marcia Jannenga, Quilling, Courtyard

4:30 p.m. Metal Jewelry Demonstration, Robert and Brooks Lyall, 1st Floor

5 p.m. Hand Stamped Stainless Steel Ring Demonstration, Kris Jones, 1st Floor

5 p.m. Polymer Clay Jewelry Demonstration, Lydia Miller, 2nd Floor

5 p.m. artWORKS café, 3rd Floor

6 p.m. Coin Jewelry Demonstration, Ken Sims, 1st Floor

6 p.m. Digital Transfer Tumblers and T-shirts Demonstration, Joy's Gifts and Memories, 1st Floor

6 p.m. Origami Demonstration, Sue Hansen, 1st Floor

7 p.m. Hand Stamped Stainless Steel Ring Demonstration, Kris Jones, 1st Floor

Paul R. Knapp Animal Learning Center (9 a.m to 8 p.m.)

sponsored by Christensen Farms

Birthing center, baby animals, ag-based children's educational center, Ag Art Contest display, Way We Live award winners display; managed by Southeast Polk FFA

1 p.m. 2024 Farmers Series Trading Card Signing

3 p.m. 2024 Farmers Series Trading Card Signing

Robert G. Horner and Sheri Avis Horner Service Center (9 a.m. to 8 p.m.)

sponsored by Mattress Firm

First aid, ATMs, telephones, Blue Ribbon Foundation Merchandise Store, calming room

Ruan Plaza

Vendors and concessions

9 a.m. Straw Sculpture Selfie Park by Brian Sobaski, Behind Reichardt Family Giant Slide

9 a.m. Farm Bureau Free Games and Prizes

11 a.m. Walking Rover Straw Sculpture by Brian Sobaski, Near Reichardt Family Giant Slide

1 p.m. Walking Rover Straw Sculpture by Brian Sobaski, Near Reichardt Family Giant Slide

4 p.m. Walking Rover Straw Sculpture by Brian Sobaski, Near Reichardt Family Giant Slide

Thrill Town (10 a.m. to 10 p.m.)

For little Fairgoers and their families; located east of Gate 10 and north of the Richard O. Jacobson Exhibition Center lawn

Thrill Ville (10 a.m. to 11 p.m.)

presented by Travel Iowa

Family-friendly atmosphere with jaw-dropping rides; located between the Grandstand and Ye Old Mill

Thrill Zone (10 a.m. to 11 p.m.)

Intense amusement rides near Gate 11 on the Grand Concourse

Walnut Center (9 a.m. to 8 p.m.)

Iowa crafters and merchandise

9:30 a.m. Pottery Demonstration, Val Newman

1 p.m. Trimming Pottery, Val Newman

William C. Knapp Varied Industries Building (9 a.m. to 8 p.m.)

sponsored by Principal®

Exhibits, competitive fabric and threads exhibits and classes, Iowa Food and Family Project, shopping, Blue Ribbon Foundation Merchandise Store

9 a.m. Daily Q & A Chat with the Iowa DOT

9 a.m. Blocks of the Fair Sewing Class (\$), 1st Floor, Room A

10:30 a.m. Kitchen Scarf Sewing Class with Off the Rails Quilting (\$), 2nd Floor

2 p.m. Counted Threads Sampler Sewing Class (\$), 1st Floor, Room A

2 p.m. Jelly Roll Race Quilt Top Sewing Class with Off the Rails Quilting (\$), 2nd Floor

Grounds Hours

• 8 a.m. to midnight

No entry/re-entry or on-site ticket sales allowed after 10 p.m.

Ticket Office/Will-Call

Located on the Administration Building Porch or Grandstand box office located at the west end of Grandstand; open until 9 p.m.

9 a.m. Ticket Window at Administration Building

4 p.m. Grandstand box office

Building Hours

9 a.m. to 8 p.m. (Some building and exhibit hours may vary.)