

See these EVERY DAY! Check map inside for locations.

AGRICULTURE IS THE ♥ OF OUR FAIR!

The Fairgrounds is administered by the Sussex County Farm & Horse show Association, a 501 (c) (3) organization. The Fairgrounds receives no direct funding from federal, state or local government to operate this year round facility.

The mission of the New Jersey State Fair/Sussex County Farm & Horse Show is to showcase NJ agriculture; provide safe, family-friendly entertainment & engaging educational activities; promote youth development; provide support to charitable non-profit agencies.

**Animals Animals**

5 pole barns of livestock, 2 ring horse show, check daily schedule for livestock shows, horse shows, Small Animal Building

**Greenhouse**

Vegetable Show, Scarecrow Contest, Forage show [hay, straw, corn]

**Jersey Fresh Farmers Market**

Local produce from local farmers

**North Jersey Antique Engine Club**

Located adjacent to the Snook Museum, see engines, buy peanuts, Tractor Parade 2 p.m. daily

**AG Area**

Roger Abrahamson- wooden bowl turner, Reggie Britton-potter, Heartfelt Creations –felter and rope maker, Barn 6-Farm Fun children's activities, Oscar the Robot *sponsored by Lakeland Bank*; Storywalk® *Rooster's Day at the Fair*, Milking done daily, check schedule, bleacher seating, *sponsored by Fulton Bank*

**Robotics Row**

STEM barn with high school robotics team *sponsored by ThorLabs, Mira Plastics*

**Founders Park**

Located on Main Street-benches, shade trees, Blue Star Memorial Garden

**Snook Memorial Museum**

40th Anniversary of the Agricultural Museum- farm implements and machines, country store, farmhouse kitchen, "Christmas on the Farm", *Rooster's Day at the Fair* - children's book illustrated by local artists on sale

**The Conservatory**

Flower & Garden Expo, "Flowers & Fashion" *sponsored by Richard Kelsky*

**The Marketplace**

Local Artisan and Baker Market, go shopping adjacent to the Conservatory

**Farm Fun Activities**

Down on the Farm interactive stations for children in Barn 6

**Richards Building**

Creative Arts for Home & Hobby- baking, canning, handicrafts, Quilts of Valor, demos; Sussex County Beekeepers Honey Show-honey products, information, demos in a cage of bees daily, weather permitting; Art in Sussex County; Photography in Sussex County; Sussex County Grange exhibits; Fair History Exhibit, Bike Exhibition

**Rescue Rest Stop**

Discover the next member of your family- Local animal rescue tent on Park Road! Father John's Animal House, Eleventh Hour Rescue, Oscar and more...

**Ernest Kosa Sussex County Building**

Information about the municipalities and services in Sussex County

**Shotwell 4-H Exhibit Building**

Sussex County 4-H Club Booths, exhibits; 4-H Dairy Bar run by Teen Council across from Livestock Pavilion

**People MOOvers**

*sponsored by Jefferson Recycle, Franklin Mutual Insurance, Franklin Sussex Automall*

**Information Booths & ATMS**

Inside gates 1, 2, & 3 and Main Street

**Godshall's Simply Better Bacon Entertainment Area**

K9s in Flight *sponsored by Horizon Blue Cross Blue Shield of NJ, Circus Incredible, sponsored by Holiday Inn Express & Suites, Join the Circus sponsored by JCP&L, Commerford Petting Zoo sponsored by Newton, Sparta Pediatric Dentistry, Hot Dog Pig Races sponsored by Superior Sleep Experience, Cowtown USA, Freehand Custom Carving; Roaming acts- Oscar the Robot sponsored by Lakeland Bank, and Nate the Great*

**Red Rooster Winegarden**

Enjoy a glass of wine, a craft beer, some snacks, and occasional evening music, *sponsored by George's Wines & Spirits, Gallo Wine, Jersey Girl Beer, Stocker Bus Company, Loeffel's Waste Oil Service*



DAILY EVENTS SCHEDULE

CELEBRATE AMERICA DAY

NON PROFIT SPOTLIGHT:  
The Weekend Bag Program  
Winter4Kids

Wednesday, August 9, 2023

NOON - 10:00 pm

The Fair is smoke-free.

C=Carnival OEA=Franklin Sussex Automall Outdoor Entertainment Area FEA= Godshall's Simply Better Bacon Family Entertainment Area AG=Agricultural Area HS=Horse Show Area RB=Richards Building PAT=Planet Networks Performing Arts Tent SB=Shotwell Building CB= Kosa County Building RR- Red Rooster Wine Garden BBQ= Barbecue Pavilion GH=Greenhouse CS=Conservatory SM=Snook Agricultural Museum PR= Park Road

**ALL DAY- Free with admission**

- AG:** 6 barns of animals, livestock shows in pavilion, milking parlor *sponsored by Fulton Bank*, Snook Agricultural Museum [Christmas on the Farm], antique engines, rare heritage breed animals, farmers market, Farm Fun activities for kids [Barn 6], Roger the Giant Bowl Turner, Reggie the Potter and Heartfelt Creations –felter and rope maker, Bike Exhibition, 2 p.m. Tractor Parade, Storywalk®-*Rooster's Day at the Fair*
- SB:** 4-H Exhibits, Club Displays, Rabbits
- FEA:** K9s in Flight *sponsored by Horizon Blue Cross Blue Shield of NJ, Circus Incredible, sponsored by Holiday Inn Express & Suites, Join the Circus sponsored by JCP&L, Commerford Petting Zoo sponsored by Newton, Sparta Pediatric Dentistry, Hot Dog Pig Races sponsored by Superior Sleep Experience, Cowtown USA, Freehand Custom Carving; Roaming acts- Oscar the Robot sponsored by Lakeland Bank, and Nate the Great*
- CS:** Flower and Garden Show *sponsored by Richard Kelsky*, Forage Show, Marketplace adjacent
- HS:** Horse Show Area- horse classes [visit [sussexcountyhorseshow.org](http://sussexcountyhorseshow.org) for complete list of daily classes]
- RB:** Art, Photography, Honey, Creative Arts for Home and Hobby, Fair History, outside- bike exhibition

*Schedule Subject to change*

- Noon-5:00 p.m.** AG Continuation of 4-H Dairy Show
- Noon-closing** C rides and games
- Noon** HS Continuation of Sussex County Horse Show classes, Non-pro Hunter Derby [[sussexcountyhorseshow.com](http://sussexcountyhorseshow.com) lists class schedule]
- Noon- closing** C rides and games
- Noon** SB 4-H Food Judging
- Noon-2 p.m. S** B Shotwell Spotlight- Kids Corner Face Painter
- Noon-6:00 p.m.** C Ride bracelets \$25 [individual tickets also available]
- Noon-1:00 p.m.** PAT Tribute to the Troops *sponsored by Visions Federal Credit Union*, Quilts of Valor Presentation
- Noon-3:00 p.m.** OEA Annex Touch a Vehicle-Military Vehicle Day
- Noon-6 p.m.** BBQ Aim to Survive Shooting Sports Demos
- Noon-7:00 p.m.** Gate 3 Donate blood & get free admission [that day or another day] *sponsored by Kittatinny Masonic Lodge #164*
- 12:30 p.m.** FEA Hot Dog Pig Races *sponsored by Superior Sleep Experience*
- 1:00 p.m.** FEA Join the Circus *sponsored by JCP&L*
- 1:00-3:00 p.m.** SM "Christmas on the Farm" Make & Take ornaments
- 1:00 p.m.** AG Milking Parlor *sponsored by Fulton Bank*-Dairy Goat Milking
- 1:30 p.m.** FEA Cowtown USA
- 2:00 p.m.** RB Bee Demonstration [weather permitting]
- 2:00 p.m.** AG Milking Parlor *sponsored by Fulton Bank* - Milking Dairy Cows
- 2:00-4:00 p.m.** SB Shotwell Author Spotlight- Elizabeth Rodger
- 2:05 p.m.** FEA Hot Dog Pig Races *sponsored by Superior Sleep Experience*
- 2:30 p.m.** FEA K-9s in Flight *sponsored by Horizon Blue Cross Blue Shield of NJ*
- 3:30 p.m.** FEA Freehand Custom Carving
- 3:30-4:30 p.m.** PAT Brian St. John
- 3:35 p.m.** FEA Hot Dog Pig Races *sponsored by Superior Sleep Experience*
- 4:00 p.m.** RB Bee Demonstration [weather permitting]
- 4:00 p.m.** FEA Cowtown USA
- 4:30 p.m.** FEA K-9s in Flight *sponsored by Horizon Blue Cross Blue Shield of NJ*
- 4:00-6:00 p.m.** SB Shotwell Author Spotlight- Eleanor Wagner
- 5:00-6:00 p.m.** PAT Mike Federowski Jr. Band
- 5:00 p.m.** FEA Join the Circus *sponsored by JCP&L*
- 5:00 p.m.-evening** RR live music- Mike Lawlor- rock
- 5:35 p.m.** FEA Hot Dog Pig Races *sponsored by Superior Sleep Experience*
- 6:00 p.m.** RB Bee Demonstration [weather permitting]
- 6:00 p.m.** FEA Cowtown USA
- 6:00-8:00 p.m.** SB Shotwell Author Spotlight- Jared Auchter
- 6:00-8:00 p.m.** AG Farm Follies: Skillet Toss/ Bale Toss [open to public]
- 6:30-7:30 p.m.** PAT JJ Savage Band
- 6:45 p.m.** FEA Circus Incredible *sponsored by Holiday Inn Express & Suites*
- 7:00 p.m.** AG Milking Parlor *sponsored by Fulton Bank* - Milking Dairy Cows
- 7:15 p.m.** FEA Join the Circus *sponsored by JCP&L*
- 7:30 p.m.** FEA Freehand Custom Carving
- 7:30 p.m.** OEA Monster Truck Show \$ \$16/\$11 [6-12] reserve, \$10 general + required Fair admission
- 8:00-9:00 p.m.** PAT Whiskey Crossing
- 8:00 p.m.** FEA K-9s in Flight *sponsored by Horizon Blue Cross Blue Shield of NJ*
- 8:35 p.m.** FEA Hot Dog Pig Races *sponsored by Superior Sleep Experience*
- 9:15 p.m.** FEA Circus Incredible *sponsored by Holiday Inn Express & Suites*

The parking staff is composed of volunteer groups who receive a donation from the Fair Association.

For Fair and all season events: [www.njstatefair.org](http://www.njstatefair.org), (973) 948-5500