Berrien County Youth Fair August 11 – 16, 2025



FIESTA AT THE FAIR



YOUTH FAIR GATE ADMISSION:
ADULTS, DAY PASS ~ \$8.00
CHILDREN (5-I2), DAY PASS ~ \$5.00
65 & OVER, DAY PASS ~ \$5.00
MILITARY DAY PASS ~ \$5.00
ADULT SEASON PASS ~ \$23.00
CHILD SEASON PASS ~ \$12.00
65 & OVER SEASON PASS ~ \$14.00
MILITARY SEASON PASS - \$14.00
GATES CLOSE AT 10:00 PM DAILY

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Gate 1 -9122 M-139 Gate 2 - 9056 M-139 Gate 3 - 4273 F. Shawnee Rd.

Gate 3 - 4273 E. Shawnee Rd.

Utilize Gate 3's Pass Only Gate for quicker entry. Open Daily until 8:30 pm.
P.O. Box 7

Berrien Springs, MI 49103

FAIR OFFICE - 269-473-4251 TICKET HOTLINE - 269-473-1500 FAX - 269-473-4203 EMAIL - BCYF@BCYF.ORG

~FOR YOUR HEALTH AND SAFETY~
PLEASE...NO FOOD OR DRINK,
PACIFIERS OR TOYS ALLOWED IN
ANIMAL AREAS. WASH YOUR HANDS WHEN
YOU LEAVE AN ANIMAL BARN.

DATES AND TIMES IN BROCHURE ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

*CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS ARE SUBJECT TO MERCHANT

SERVICE AND ADDITIONAL FEES*

FRIDAY, AUGUST 8

7:00 pm ~ Royalty Contest (Grandstand)

SUNDAY, AUGUST 10

3:00 pm ~ Equine Versatility 4-H Contest (Equine Complex)

5:00 pm ~ Street Legal Pickup Truck and Tractor Pull (Grandstand) Presented by: Dale Seyfred

- Pioneer Seed & Twin Maple Farm Market -Galien, MI

\$15.00 G/A Seating

MONDAY, AUGUST II

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6:30 - 8:15 am ~ Weigh-in & Registration of Garden/Farm, Farmstock Tractors 8:00 am ~ Judging of Equine; All Halter Classes, Driving (Equine Complex) 8:30 am ~ Judging of Goats: Showmanship, Special Needs, Myotonics, Boer Goats, Market Classes (Show Arena) 9:00 am ~ Garden/Farm Tractor Pulling Contests (Grandstand)

9:00 am ~ Judging of Rabbits; Showmanship, Market, Pens of Two, Doe & Litter,

Crossbreeds and Pets (Rabbit Tent)

1:00 pm ~ Judging of Llamas/Alpacas; Showmanship, Performance, Special Needs

Showmanship, Performance, Special Needs (Show Arena)
3:00 pm ~ Judging of Cats; All Classes

3:00 pm ~ Judging of Cats; All Classes (Bldg. #34) 4:00 pm ~ Judging of Sheep; All Classes

4:00 pm ~ Judging of Sheep; All Classes (Show Arena)

In the Grandstand......7:00 pm NTPA Regional Truck & Tractor Pull featuring 4WD Trucks, Super Farm, Hot Farm & Limited Superstock Tractors



Ticket Price: \$17, \$15, \$10

Reserved or General Admission Seating

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TUESDAY, AUGUST 12

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Today is KIOS DAY! All children thru high school get in the gates FREE!

8:00 am ~ Judging of Equine; Fitting/Showmanship, Open Ranchmanship & Open Ranch Trail (Equine Complex)

8:30 am ~ Judging of Beef; All Classes (Show Arena)

9:00 am ~ Judging of Rabbits; Show Rabbits (Rabbit Tent)

9:00 am ~ Judging of Poultry; Showmanship & Market Classes (Poultry Tent)

9:00 am ~ Judging of Dogs; Rally (Inclusive) Classes (Bldg. #34)

12:00 pm ~ Home Ec. Food Awards (Mall Stage)

All Champion & Reserve Champion Winners

12:00 - 4:00 pm ~ Law Day (Around Bldg. #38)

1:30 pm ~ Power in Motion (Mall Stage)

2:15 pm ~ Judging of Dogs; TR/NTR

Costume (Bldg. #34)

2:45 pm ~ Fusion Center for Dance (Mall Stage)

4:00 pm ~ Dance Revolution (Mall Stage)

4:00 pm ~ Judging of Dogs; NTR Obedience & Agility (Bldg. #34)

4:30 pm ~ Judging of Goats; Dairy, Cart,

Obstacle, Costume (Show Arena)

5:00 pm ~ READY Taekwondo (Mall Stage)

6:00 pm ~ Horticulture Contest

(Youth Memorial Building)

7:00 pm ~ Vickie Page Band (Mall Stage)

In the Grandstand.... 1:00, 4:00 and 7:00 pm Circus Continental Ticket Price: FREE!!!





WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 13

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8:00 am ~ Judging of Equine; Saddle Seat, Hunt Seat, Discipline Rail - Eng/Western, Hunter/Jumper, Crossrails, Mini/Pony in Hand Jumping - Open Mini/Pony (Equine Complex)

8:30 am ~ Judging of Dairy; All Classes (Show Arena)

9:00 am ~ Judging of Poultry; Show Classes (Poultry Tent)

9:00 am ~ Judging of Rabbits; Costume (Rabbit Tent)

10:00 am ~ Judging of Dogs; Jr. Handling (Inclusive) (Bldg. #34)

12:00 pm ~ Home Ec. Clothing Awards (Mall Stage)

All Champion & Reserve Champion Winners

12:30 pm ~ Judging of Goats; Other Breeds

Classes, Pygmy Classes, Pet Wethers

(Show Arena)

1:00 pm ~ Judging of Llamas/Alpacas; Costume, Jackpot, Leaping, Limbo and Paper Chain (Show Arena)

1:30 pm ~ Style Show (Mall Stage)

2:00 pm ~ Judging of Dogs TR; Obedience (Bldg. #34)

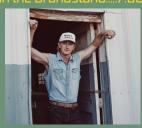
3:30 pm ~ Flower Awards (Mall Stage)

All Champion & Reserve Champion Winners
5:00 pm ~ Judging of Equine; Flags and Cloverleaf
(Equine Complex)

5:00 pm ~ Joy Bringers Bell Choir (Mall Stage) 6:00 - 7:00 pm ~ Dog Meet & Greet (Bldg. #34) 6:00 pm ~ Guest Speaker Chuck Jager, Executive Director from Morton House Museum (Bldg. #13)

In the Grandstand....7:00 pm

7:00 pm ~ Larry Johnson (Mall Stage)



Presented by:



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Ticket Price:
\$45, \$35, \$25
Reserved Seating

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 14

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8:00 am ~ Judging of Equine; Horsemanship, Pleasure & Western Riding (Equine Complex) 8:30 am ~ Judging of Swine; Showmanship, Market Classes (Breed classes run first) (Show Arena)

9:00 am ~ Judging of Dogs; Scent Work Classes (Inclusive) (Bldg. #34) 9:30 am ~ Small Animal Auction

Rabbits followed by Chicken Eggs, Turkeys and Chickens (Rabbit Tent) 12:00 pm ~ Horticulture Awards (Mall Stage)

All Champion & Reserve Champion Winners

1:30 pm ~ Dance Arts (Mall Stage) 2:00 pm ~ Judging of Dogs; TR Agility (Bldg. #34)

2:30 pm ~ Green Dance Academy (Mall Stage) 3:00 pm ~ Pedal Pull Contest (South End of Commercial Buildings)

3:30 pm ~ Sunset Coast Country Dancers (Mall Stage)

Today's Pedal Pull is open to boys or girls based on the child's weight. Entry forms are available 1 hour prior to the contest at the South end of the commercial buildings.

Weight groups are as follows: Class 1: 35 lbs. - 45 lbs. Class 2: 46 lbs. - 55 lbs. Class 3: 56 lbs. - 65 lbs. Class 4: 66 lbs. - 75 lbs.

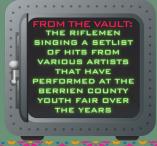
5:00 pm ~ 99.9 Y-Country Youth Talent Show Winners (Mall Stage) 6:00 pm ~ Guest Speaker Dr. Brian Carroll from the

Israelite House of David discussing Resorts of Berrien County (Bldg. #13) 7:00 pm ~ Fresh Cut Grass (Mall Stage)

7 200 7 In the Grandstand.....7:00

Ticket Price: \$5 Chair Seating







FRIDAY, AUGUST 15

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8:00 am ~ Judging of Equine; In Hand Trail, Jr. & Sr. Trail, Dressage (Equine Complex) 9:00 am ~ Large Animal Auction; Sheep, Quart of Goat Milk, Goats (Show Arena) 9:00 am ~ Judging of Pocket Pets (Rabbit Tent) 10:30 am ~ Overall Small Animal Showmanship Sweepstakes (Bldg. #34) 12:00 pm (Noon) ~ Large Animal Auction; Grand Champion Dairy Gallon of Milk followed by Beef (Show Arena) 12:00 pm (Noon) ~ Crafts Awards (Mall Stage) All Champion & Reserve Champion Winners 1:30 pm ~ "Cooking from the Garden, Part IV" with the Clear Family (Home Ec. Building) 2:00 pm ~ Large Animal Auction; Swine (Show Arena)

2:30 pm ~ Back Pocket (Mall Stage)

4:00 pm ~ "Scrappy Quilts" with The Hinchman

Stitchers (Home Ec. Building)

5:00 pm ~ Yesterday's Children (Mall Stage)

6:00 pm ~ Guest Speaker Nick Bogart Discussing The Warrens of Three Oaks (Bldg. #13)

8:00 pm ~ Van Dyke Revue (Mall Stage)

Demolition Derby Ticket Price: \$15 Reserved Seating









SATURDAY, AUGUST 16

Sponsored By



8:00 am ~ Judging of Equine; Gymkhana except Flags and Cloverleaf Classes (Equine Complex)

9:00 am ~ Judging of Communications Classes - Awards Following Last Class

(Youth Memorial Building)

9:00 am ~ Judging of Youth Tractor

Operators Contest (Show Arena)

9:00 am ~ Still Exhibit Auction

(Rabbit Tent)

11:00 am ~ Citadel Center for Dance (Mall Stage)

12:00 pm (Noon) ~ Elvis (Mall Stage)

12:00 pm (Noon) ~ Overall Large Animal

Showmanship Śweepstakes (Show Arena)

2:00 pm ~ Flash Back (Mall Stage)

2:30 pm ~ Ag-Olympics (Show Arena)

4:00 pm ~ Judging of Equine; PEP Exhibitors,

Riding and Showmanship Classes

(Equine Complex)

5:00 pm ~ Blue Shoes Jazz (Mall Stage)

5:45 pm ~ Parade of Champions

(Ends in Show Arena)

8:00 pm ~ Harbor Town (Mall Stage)



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MALL ENTERTAINMENT

is performed on our Al Barbott Memorial Stage located in the mall area.

Check the schedule for daily events.

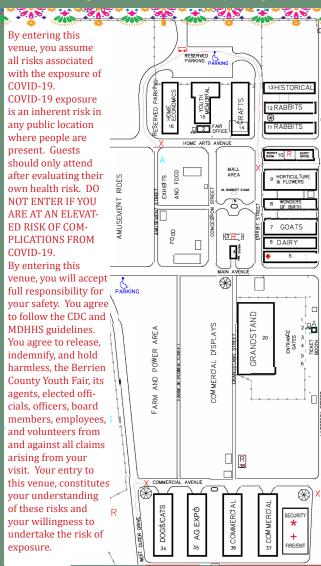


Check our Facebook events pages for times and locations of robotics demonstrations!

SOMEWHERE IN TIME (BLDG. #I3)

Join us as we dive into part 2 of a 3 part series learning about the history of recreation in Berrien County. This year we learn about resorts of Berrien County. Check the daily schedule and join us as we will be hosting speakers on this topic on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday

at 6:00 pm.



RIDES WRISTBAND DAYS TUESDAY - SATURDAY!



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Discounted wristband vouchers for \$27 from July 7 - August 8 at designated Honor Credit Union locations. Find the one closest to you at www.honorcu.com

Wristband Fair Week Price: \$32



HOT GLASS ACADEMY

Learn about the art of glassblowing and watch as glassblowing artists create one of a kind pieces. Free Shows daily between Noon and 8:00 pm at the South end of the Farm & Power area.







COURTESY SHUTTLES & TRAM SERVICE

Shuttle Hours: 11:00 am to 10:00 pm

There will be special golf carts providing a shuttle service from various points throughout the fairgrounds to assist fair visitors who need a little extra assistance getting from one location to another. Shuttles will stop at designated locations, which will be marked with a sign. Free Tram Service will be provided daily from 6:00 pm to 10:00 pm from the Yellow and Red parking lots.

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Fair Week Hours

Rides Area: 11 am to Closing (Tues. - Sat.)
Youth Exhibit Buildings: 10 am - 10 pm
Fair Office: 8 am - 11 pm (Mon.-Sat.)
Food Vendors: 11 am - 11 pm (Mon. - Sat.)
a few open for breakfast
Commercial Exhibits: 11 am - 10 pm

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9 am - 1 pm (Sun. August 17)



THE BERRIEN COUNTY YOUTH FAIR ENFORCES A
NO SMOKING POLICY. THERE IS NO SMOKING
ALLOWED ON THE FAIRGROUNDS EXCEPT IN
DESIGNATED PARKING LOTS. IN ADDITION, USE OF
OR POSSESSION OF CANNABIS (MARIJUANA) OR
RELATED PRODUCTS AND PARAPHERNAILIA IS
FORBIDDEN ON THE FAIRGROUNDS.

AG-EXPO (BUILDING #35)

"Grow a Taco" at the a-MAZE-ing Ag-Expo exhibit! In addition to the straw maze, visitors are encouraged to participate in an Agri-fact Scavenger Hunt! To participate, visit building #35, pick up a game card and rules and start searching! Daily prizes and an overall grand prize for the week will be awarded.

Building Hours: 11:00 am - 9:00 pm daily Straw Maze Open 11:00 am - 5:00 pm <u>daily</u>

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BERRIEN COUNTY FARM BUREAU

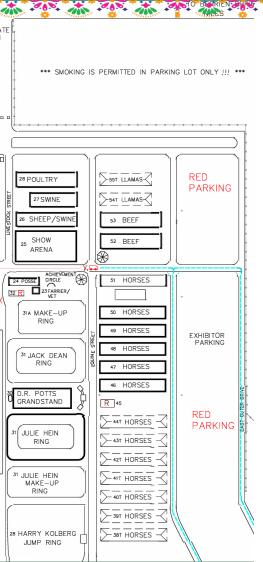
WONDERS OF BIRTH (BUILDING #8)

Visit the many species of mother and baby animals, species facts, action birthing photos and videos!

Building Hours: 11:00 am - 10:00 pm



Building Spons



IN THE GRANDSTAND

Sunday ~ Street Legal Pickup Truck and Tractor Pull 5:00 pm

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Dale Seyfred - Pioneer Seed and Twin Maple Farm Market - Galien, MI

Monday ~ NTPA Regional Truck & Tractor
Pull featuring 4WD Trucks, Super Farm, Hot
Farm and Limited Superstock
Tractors 7:00 pm

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Tuesday ~ Circus Continental 1:00, 4:00 & 7:00 pm

Wednesday ~ Cooper Alan 7:00 pm

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Thursday ~ From the Vault: The Riflemen singing a set list of hits from various artists that have performed at the BCYF over the years.

7:00 pm

Friday ~ Demolition Derby



8:00 pm Presented by





Saturday ~ Bullmania 7:00 pm Prouced by:

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2026 FAIR DATÉS: <u>AUGUST 17</u>-22, 2026