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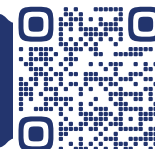
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ADMISSION

Adults (weekdays, Mon-Fri) • \$15

Adults (weekends, Sat & Sun) • \$20

Kids (5-12) • \$7

Children under 5 • free

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HOURS

WEEKDAYS:

Fairgrounds: 12PM - closing

Buildings & Displays: 12PM - 10PM

Midway: 2PM - closing

WEEKENDS:

Fairgrounds: 10AM - closing

Buildings & Displays: 10AM - 10PM

Midway: 12PM - closing



INFORMATION

- **Wheelchairs and strollers** are available for rent in the booth adjacent to Red Gate near Expo Plaza.
- **Handicapped accessible restrooms** are available at the rear of the State Building, the Men's restroom on the Adsit Mall, the Women's restroom between the Ware and Old McDonalds Farm buildings, the restrooms on the Midway and restrooms in the Robert E. Miller Expo Centre complex.
- **A free Baby and Toddler Comfort Station** is located in the Vermont State Building.
- **No outside alcohol allowed.**
- **No coolers, please.**
- **No pets are allowed** on the Fairgrounds except guide & service dogs. Please do not leave pets in your car.
- **GMT bus service** to and from the Fair. Call 864-2282 for schedule and route information.
- **Bike racks** are located outside Gate A. No bicycles are allowed on Exposition grounds.
- **ATMs** are located throughout the grounds and the Midway.
- **Share your thoughts on the Fair** - Pick up a Guest Survey at the Guest Services Booth.
- **Church Services** are held at the fair on both Sundays, Catholic Mass, 2nd Floor Expo North at 10:30 AM.
- **RideShare** - RideShare drop off on Route 15. Between Yellow Gate and Mac's  

ON-SITE CAMPING AVAILABLE

Call 802-355-4572 or camping@cvexpo.org

COMING TO A CONCERT?

- Come early to avoid traffic delays and enjoy the attractions at the Fair.
- Professional cameras, video cameras, and laser pointers are not allowed.
- No umbrellas; come prepared for late-summer outdoor conditions.

NEED HELP?

- **Guest Services:** Information booths are located at the Ware Building, just inside the Red Gate by Miller Expo North, and in Vermont State Building.
- **Lost Children Center:** Located at First Response Blue and White Trailer located near Ware Building.
- **CVE First Response/ First Aid:** blue and white trailer located near Ware Building and in the hallway between Expo North and Expo South. (802) 879-3412
- **Lost and Found:** Located at the Fair office. (802) 878-5545
- **Fair Office Phone:** (802) 878-5545
- **Website Information:** www.champlainvalleyfair.org

We make every effort to ensure this program is accurate, but occasionally things change. We are not responsible for typographical errors or changes in schedule.

THE FAIR IS SMOKE-FREE

The Champlain Valley Fair is a "designated smoking area only" Fair. That means that smoking is not permitted in open areas at any time. Smoking is only allowed in one designated tent.

See the map for the location.



DISCOUNT DAYS

FRI | AUG. 22 - OPENING DAY

KID'S DAY!

Kids get a \$1 off admission at the gate on this day.

MON | AUG. 25

MILITARY APPRECIATION DAY VA Health Care

Presented by VA Healthcare Systems
As a small token of thanks to all our brave soldiers, Military members receive free admission to the Fair! *(Military ID required)*

TUE | AUG. 26

SENIOR DAY AGE WELL

Elder statesmen of the community (55 and over) save \$3.00 off gate admission.

WED | AUG. 27

CARLOAD SPECIAL

Your entire car full of people gets admission, parking and a ride bracelet! All for just \$99 with a coupon from Simons Stores. *(Legal load limit only - everyone must have their own seat belt)*

THU | AUG. 28

COLLEGE DAY AT THE FAIR

Students gain free admission all day
(Valid college ID required)

THU | AUG. 28

FEED A FAMILY DAY

Come to the Fair before 2:00 and bring two cans of food and receive free admission. Bring two more cans and save \$10.00 off a ride bracelet!



ADMISSION

\$10

AFTER 5:00 PM

Come for dinner and stay for the fun at the Fair, Monday - Friday. Save \$5 off the regular adult admission when you arrive after 5 PM.

(Discount programs cannot be combined with other discount admission programs)

FOOD SPECIAL

\$4

DEAL

Save big with \$4 deals at participating food vendors on Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday! Look for the Midweek Madness Logo on participating stands.

MIDWEEK MADNESS



COME INSIDE & SHOP

**GREAT CHOICES,
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Find great deals on a huge selection of products and services when you shop at the Fair! Between the outdoor markets and the Robert E. Miller Expo Centre (offering air-conditioned comfort), you can browse the offerings of more than 200 vendors, all with special fair pricing. Whatever you're shopping for - clothes, home products, machinery, food products of every type - even pools, spas and home improvements - the variety of products is incredible. You'll find something new to add to your shopping list every day. Get a jump on your holiday shopping while you browse the bargains! If you're in the market for something out-of-the-ordinary, our vendors have gifts you'll never find anywhere else. What better way to top off your visit to the Fair than with a cruise through our shopping venues. In addition to the rides, the food, the animals, and the shows - be sure to include shopping on your Fair to-do list this year!



Check out our weekly HIRING EVENTS!

- ✓ Speak with a Howard Center Recruiter
- ✓ Full-time/Part-time/SUB positions available

Coffee & Talk Tuesday

Walk-in Wednesday

Bagel Breakfast Thursday

Leaning into Leadership Thursday



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FUN THINGS TO SEE EVERY DAY!

BUILDINGS AND EXHIBITS ARE OPEN:

Weekdays: 12PM-10PM • Weekends: 10AM-10PM

Fine Art Gallery
Blue Ribbon Pavilion

Culinary
Ware Building Annex

Bonsai Display
Miller Expo North

Ice Cream
Milking Parlor & Dairy Bar

Dixieland Band
Strolling the Grounds

The Fiber Loft

4-H Exhibits
Miller Expo North

Giant Vegetables
Miller Expo North

Glass Blowing
Red Gate

Home Crafts
Blue Ribbon Pavilion

Maple Tasting
Maple Sugar House

Vermont Grange
Ware Building Annex

Antique Tractor Exhibit
Vermont State Building

Giant Sand Sculpture
Miller Expo North

Baby Comfort Station
Vermont State Building

Fruits, Vegetables & Flowers
Miller Expo North

VT Agriculture Hall of Fame
Miller Expo South

Model Train Display
Miller Expo North

Patience the Milking Cow
Old McDonald's Farm

Bees/ Honey
Miller Expo South

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BUTTERFLY KINGDOM

Shows Ongoing All Day in the Expo South Building

Our educational exhibit shows a video of the life cycle of a butterfly from the egg to the adult butterfly and how to fix a broken wing. Feeding Sticks are provided so fairgoers can feed and inter act with the butterflies.



LIVE SHARK ENCOUNTER

The only educational, traveling shark show in United States featuring a diver who swims with Live Sharks doing natural activity never before seen by the public.



MODEL TRAINS

Open all day in the Expo North Building

Northwest Vermont Model Railroad Association's (NWV) travelling HO scale layout will be on display in Expo North. See 28 modules connected together to form a HO scale double track mainline loop with a branch extending to the town of Bellows Falls, VT. Most of the modules are owned, designed and built by member of the NWV. The Bellows Falls modules are owned by the Green Mountain Division of the National Model RR Association. Visit www.nwvrailroad.org for more information



GIANT SAND SCULPTURE

Open all day in the Expo North Building

Be amazed as these talented sculptors transform tons of sand into a work of art right before your eyes.



DIXIELAND STROLLERS

Roaming the Grounds All Day

These roving musicians will stroll the grounds and stop just about anywhere to entertain fairgoers.



OLD MCDONALD'S FARM

Bring the kids to visit our Farm. They'll see baby chicks hatching, the miniature horses, piglets, and have a chance to milk Patience the Milking Cow.



ART DEPARTMENT

Featured adult artist: Abigail Brown.

Featured youth artist: Sullivan Campbell

Essex Art League will have artists available to talk about their art, and the Essex Art League. All three groups will be present on Wednesday evening at 6pm for our artists reception which is open to the fair attendees.



CHAMPLAIN VALLEY FAIR HISTORY EXHIBIT

Open all day in the Vermont State Building

The Champlain Valley Exposition has a rich history going back 100 years! Check out our redesigned history exhibit!



MOBILE GLASS STUDIO

The mobile glassblowing experience brings the artistry and education of glass making beyond the studio walls to your location. Viewers will experience a multitude of information surrounding the lost art of glassblowing.

FAMILY FUN EVERY DAY

(See Page 14 for Show Times)



MCKENZIE RACING PIGS

Come cheer on Rosarie's racing pigs as they squeal around the track for treats.



HYPNOTIST CATHERINE HICKLAND

Be amazed and experience Celebrity Hypnotist Catherine Hickland as you watch your friends and family doing things you never imagined possible! Great for all ages!



MAGICIAN, JUGGLER, FUNNY GUY ROBERT CLARKE

Expo Plaza

Robert Clarke is known as Boston's magician but not just a magician, a comedy mind-reader and juggler who has been performing in and around Boston Massachusetts and beyond. Robert has the uncanny ability to create modern day miracles with everyday objects.



THE FLYING CORTES

Originally from Colombia, South America, the Cortes have been entertaining audiences around the world for 5 generations with their twisting, spinning, and somersaulting capabilities.



READY GO DOG SHOW

These dogs will amaze. Watch as they fly through the air, leap for Frisbees, and dive into the pool. This group of rescue dogs is great fun for the whole family.

MEET THE ANIMALS GAME

Kids ages 2-11 can learn about the farm animals at the fair and win a cool treat! Just stop by Old McDonald's Farm and get your 'Meet the Animals' card - then visit the animals and redeem your card for a yummy snack. Also, check out the new Hatch Cam screen - celebrate the chicks' birthdays (and learn about other animals giving birth) on the video screen!



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ANIMALS AT THE FAIR

OLD MCDONALD'S FARM

The whole family will enjoy seeing chicks hatching, baby animals, miniature horses and more. Visit Patience the Cow and try your hand at milking a cow or come to the Milking Center to see the real thing.

THE AG MOUND

Have a question about your favorite farm animals or what life on a farm is really like? Come learn more about all the animals of the Fair at the Ag Mound. Cows, horses, oxen, pigs and life on the farm are all described in detail daily (see schedule).

CHAMPLAIN VALLEY FAIR HORSE TENT

The horse tent is the place to learn about horses and see various breeds up close. The horses change frequently and you are likely to see everything from draft horses to racers. Staffed by avid equestrian fans, there is always someone to answer your questions.

RABBIT EXHIBIT

See a variety of rabbit breeds and learn more about these animals in the agricultural area.

SHEEP EXHIBIT

Dozens of sheep of all different varieties for you to see. Wool breeds, meat breeds, ram, ewe, and lamb are all on display. Horse Shows and Pulling Events English, Western, Draft and more all compete for top honors. Come see the competitions up close. The shows happen on the northern end of the grounds near the Horse Barns. Use the walkway from the Red Gate to get there.

AGRICULTURE EXHIBIT AREA

Check out the poultry, rabbits, and horses in the Ag Exhibit Area.

MEET THE ANIMALS

A great kid's game and a way for them to learn about the variety of animals featured at the Fair and earn a prize at the same time! To get started, stop by Old McDonald's Farm or see the details on page 10.

HORSE DEMO RING

Daily demonstrations highlighting the partnership between horse and human.



HORSE EVENTS

CHAMPLAIN VALLEY FAIR HORSE TENT - Ag Mall

A variety of show horses are on display, with riders and owners on site.

DRAFT HORSES - Pulling Ring

SAT | AUG. 23 | 10AM

SUN | AUG. 24 | 12PM

Beautiful and elegant Draft Horses are displayed individually and in combinations, in both Halter and Driving Classes. Enjoy the gentle giants of the horse world as they compete for prizes.

HORSE PULLING - Pulling Ring

TUE | AUG. 26 | 12PM | 2:30PM | 5:30PM

WED | AUG. 27 | 12PM | 4PM

One of New England's most traditional events, pulling has been a part of Fairs and Agriculture Field Days since they were first held. There are multiple classes of horse pulls over various distances, and don't miss the free-for-alls.

BARREL RACING - Horse Show Ring

THU | AUG. 28 | 6PM

GYMKHANA - Horse Show Ring

FRI | AUG. 29 | 12PM

Gymkhana, a.k.a. "gaming" a horse, is a fast paced western riding event. The most well known game is probably "Barrel Racing." There is never a dull moment as speed, agility, and accuracy are a must to compete successfully and take home top prize money.

4-H SHOW - Horse Show Ring

SAT | AUG. 30 | 9AM | 1PM

The 4-H Horse Show features 4-H members and their horses from Franklin, Chittenden, and Addison counties. Members compete in 4-H Fitting and Showmanship, which showcases their abilities; Equitation, 4-H Horse Project, and a Judging contest.

OPEN HORSE SHOW - Horse Show Ring

SUN | AUG. 31 | 8:30 AM

Vermont's premier horse showcase event displays some of the best horses in the area. Come watch the best riders from across New York & New England compete in Traditional English and Western style riding and driving. Classes for all ages, abilities, and breeds.



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10 DAYS OF FREE EVENTS

Weekday Schedule:

12:00	12:45	Sharks..... Yellow Gate
	1:00	Magician, Juggler, Funny Guy Robert Clarke..... Expo Plaza
	1:00	Show Horse Demo Ag Area
1:00	1:00	Hypnotist, Catherine Hickland Adsit Mall
	1:45	McKenzie Racing Pigs..... Behind Ware Building
	1:45	Cooking Demo Ware Building
2:00	2:15	VT Music Showcase..... Adsit Mall
	2:15	Flying Cortes..... Midway
	2:30	Ready Go Dog Show Ag Mall
	2:30	Sharks..... Yellow Gate
3:00	3:00	Parade..... Throughout Grounds
	3:30	Magician, Juggler, Funny Guy Robert Clarke..... Expo Plaza
	3:30	Ag Education Presentation Ag Area
	3:30	VT Music Showcase..... State Building Lawn
	3:30	Cooking Demo Ware Building
	3:45	McKenzie Racing Pigs..... Behind Ware Building
	3:45	Hypnotist, Catherine Hickland Adsit Mall
4:00	4:00	Sheep Shearing Demo..... Livestock Barn
	4:15	Ready Go Dog Show Ag Mall
	4:30	Flying Cortes..... Midway
5:00	5:00	Horse Demo Ag Area
	5:00	VT Music Showcase..... Adsit Mall
	5:30	Magician, Juggler, Funny Guy Robert Clarke..... Expo Plaza
	5:30	Cooking Demo Ware Building
	5:45	VT Music Showcase..... State Building Lawn
6:00	6:00	McKenzie Racing Pigs..... Behind Ware Building
	6:30	Ag Education Presentation Ag Area
	6:30	Hypnotist, Catherine Hickland Adsit Mall
7:00	7:00	Sharks..... Yellow Gate
	7:00	Flying Cortes..... Midway
	7:30	Ready Go Dog Show Ag Mall

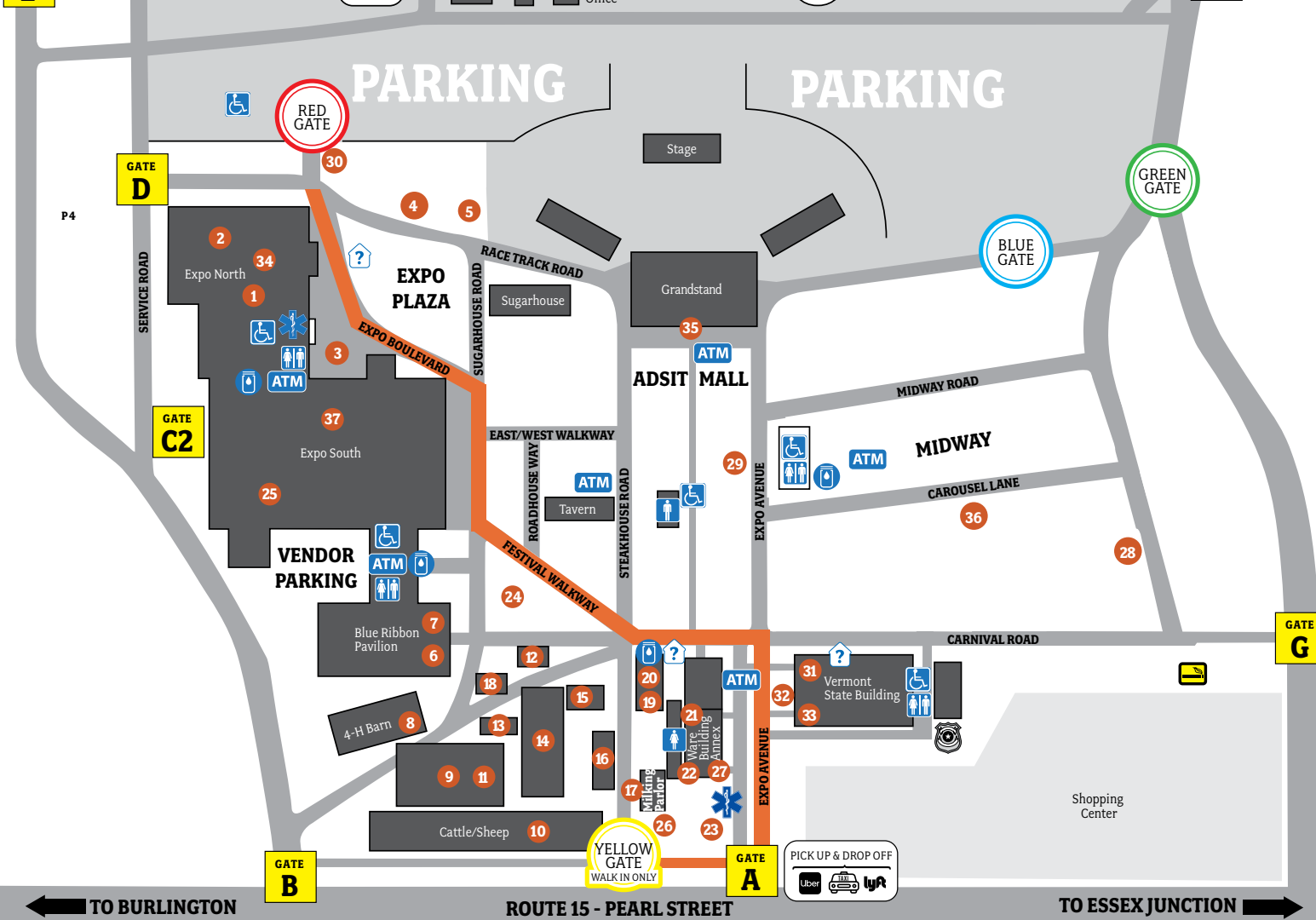
Weekend Schedule:

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	11:00	Horse Demo Ag Area
	11:30	McKenzie Racing Pigs..... Behind Ware Building
	11:45	VT Music Showcase..... Adsit Mall
12:00	12:00	Ready Go Dog Show Ag Mall
	12:30	Sharks..... Yellow Gate
	12:30	VT Music Showcase..... State Building Lawn
	12:30	Flying Cortes..... Midway
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- 1 - 4-H Display
- 2 - Garden Center & Sandcastle
- 3 - Magician Robert Clark
- 4 - Glassblowing
- 5 - Beer Tent
- 6 - Art Gallery
- 7 - Homecrafts Gallery
- 8 - Poultry Display/Duck Pond
- 9 - Horse Demo Ring
- 10 - Cattle/ Sheep
- 11 - Ag Mound
- 12 - Rabbits
- 13 - Oxen
- 14 - CVF Cattle Tent
- 15 - Fiber Loft
- 16 - Draft Horse Hitch
- 17 - Milking Parlor & Dairy Bar
- 18 - Show Horse Center
- 19 - Patience The Milking Cow
- 20 - Old McDonalds Farm
- 21 - Cooking Demonstrations
- 22 - Culinary Department
- 23 - McKenzie Racing Pigs
- 24 - Ready Go Dog Show
- 25 - Butterfly Kingdom
- 26 - Live Shark Encounter
- 27 - Grange Display
- 28 - The Flying Cortes
- 29 - Kinney Drugs Stage
- 30 - Wheelchair/Stroller Rental
- 31 - Fair Historical Exhibit
- 32 - SeaComm Pavilion
- 33 - Baby & Toddler Station
- 34 - Model Railroad
- 35 - Box Office
- 36 - Midway Office
- 37 - Bees/Honey
- ? - Guest Services
- Water Bottle Refill
- Parade Route

RESTROOMS: Located behind the State building, between the Blue Ribbon Pavilion and Expo Center; in Expo North, in the Grandstand and on the Midway.

LOST CHILDREN CENTER: Located at First Response Blue and White Trailer located near Ware Building.

LOST AND FOUND: Check with Guest Services.



FIRST AID AND FIRST RESPONSE:

Call (802) 879-3412. Do not call 911 on the grounds.



SMOKING AREA:

Smoking is permitted in this area only.

GRANDSTAND SHOWS

NIGHT OF FIRE & DESTRUCTION

SUN | AUG. 24 | 4PM

Hair raising fire stunts & monster crushing action combine for an incredible night of thrills.



FIGURE EIGHT RACE

WED | AUG. 27 | 7PM

Daring drivers try to navigate their way around a car crushing figure eight track.



DEMOLITION DERBY

THU | AUG. 28 | 6:30PM

Door to door, bumper to bumper to quarter panel action!



CONTOIS BAND: ELTON JOHN

MON | AUG. 25 | 7PM

FREE with paid admission to the Fair.



HONKY TONK HOEDOWN:

TUES | AUG. 26 | 7PM

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BRANTLEY GILBERT WITH CHASE MCDANIEL

SAT | AUG. 23 | 7PM



GABRIEL "FLUFFY" IGLESIAS

FRI | AUG. 29 | 8PM



DUSTIN LYNCH WITH DILLON CARMICHAEL

SAT | AUG. 30 | 7PM



LIL JON

WITH ANGIE VEE

SUN | AUG. 31 | 7PM



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**FRI | AUG 22. | 2:15PM, 5:00PM****Jesse Taylor**

Highly introspective, Jesse Taylor pours her heart out into her lyrics and music. Fearless indie rock.

**SAT | AUG 23. | 11:45AM, 2:15PM, 5:00PM****Danny & The Parts**

With an original Honky-Tonk rhythm and feel while sweeping vocals and twangy tele-caster guitar magic create a wildly new atmospheric sound.

**SUN | AUG 24. | 11:45AM, 2:15PM, 5:00PM****Andriana Chobot**

Her indie-pop and heart-rock sounds ruminate in jazz. She delivers renditions ranging in upbeat originals, fun covers and cool, ethereal ballads.

**MON | AUG 25. | 2:15PM, 5:00PM****Military Band**

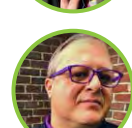
On Military Appreciation Day, we welcome the 40th Army Band "Iron Sights" to the Champlain Valley Fair!

**TUES | AUG 26. | 2:15PM, 5:00PM****The Loonz**

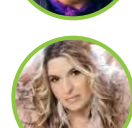
Formed at open mics and club gigs all over VT - with versatile sound, offering a growing list of soulful originals with a unique spin on familiar songs.

**WED | AUG 27. | 2:15PM, 5:00PM****Sonic Steve Orchestra**

Rock n' roll, bluegrass, folk, and blues. Known for fingerpickin', flatpickin', slide, and frenetic shreds, pocket grooves, and intergalactic jams.

**THURS | AUG 28. | 2:15PM, 5:00PM****Tod Pronto**

A singer/songwriter born and raised in Newport Vermont. Funny, insightful, authentic, & energetic. The perfect mix of modern and traditional folk.

**FRI | AUG 29. | 2:15PM, 5:00PM****AJ Jansen**

AJ has rock-n-roll in her veins, but she mixes that well with the country in her soul.

**SAT | AUG 30. | 11:45AM, 2:15PM, 5:00PM****Steve Hartmann**

A singer-songwriter from Jericho VT, Steve's dynamic vocal range, lyrically driven tunes, and captivating stage presence sets him apart.

**SUN | AUG 31. | 11:45AM, 2:15PM, 5:00PM****Troy Millette & The Fire Below**

A folk-pop band from Burlington, VT that has shared stages with the likes of Counting Crows, Grace Potter, Bowling for Soup, MT. Joy, Steven Page of Barenaked Ladies, and more!

**FRI | AUG 22. | 3:30PM, 5:45PM****Kiel Love**

From the Adirondack Mountains of Northern New York, the Singer/Songwriter writes songs that ponder questions about humankind, love and the universe.

**SAT | AUG. 23 | 12:30 PM, 3:30PM, 5:45PM****Chris & Erica**

An acoustic Country/Rock duo with a mix of timeless covers and original music. Erica's powerful yet smooth, soulful voice, mixed with Chris's big country/rock vocal, delivers a show you don't want to miss!

**SUN | AUG. 24 | 12:30 PM, 3:30PM, 5:45PM****Bethany Conner**

A Vermont singer/songwriter whose music captures some of the timeless concepts surrounding love and loss through the eyes of a young adult. Known for her soulful, fluttering melodies, often been compared to Joni Mitchell.

**MON | AUG. 25 | 3:30PM, 5:45PM****Ryan Sweezey**

Infectious, emotional, and meaningful pop/rock and folk - for fans of Matt Nathanson, Matchbox Twenty, and Gin Blossoms.

**TUES | AUG. 26 | 3:30PM, 5:45PM****George Murtie**

His music is energetic, family oriented, and fun. Music you'll remember!

**WED | AUG. 27 | 3:30PM, 5:45PM****David Karl Roberts**

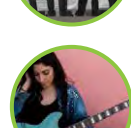
A true Troubadour creating a blend of folk, blues, and Americana with soulful melodies, weaving stories and songs of life on the road, loves lost, tales of the American experience.

**THURS | AUG. 28 | 3:30PM, 5:45PM****Alice Grace**

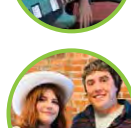
Playing gentle, powerful songs with vivid visual lyrics and crystal clear vocals. Drawing from jazz, folk, and indie rock, her music is mellow with a fierce edge.

**FRI | AUG. 29 | 3:30PM, 5:45PM****Chordination**

An award winning a Capella Barbershop Quartet, singing four part harmony arrangements of songs spanning many generations and genres.

**SAT | AUG. 30 | 12:30 PM, 3:30PM, 5:45PM****Ali T**

An indie-pop singer-songwriter influenced by pop-rock anthems of the 2000s. Seven Days named Ali T "Best Pop Artist" in 2023 and nominated by the New England Music Awards for "Rising Star - Vermont" in 2022.

**SUN | AUG. 31 | 12:30 PM, 3:30PM, 5:45PM****The Delta Sweet Duo**

Inspired by the rich musical traditions of the South with a repertoire that pays homage to blues legends and country pioneers, and heartfelt originals.

FAIR COMPETITIONS & DEMONSTRATIONS

FRI | AUG. 22

- 9:00** Fruits, Vegetables & Heavyweight Vegetables & First Flower Judging • *Expo North*
- 10:00** Bonsai Judging • *Expo North*
- 11:00** Maple Judging
- 12:00** Grange Judging • *Ware Building Annex*
- 12:00** Gates open for the Fair
- 3:00** Fair Parade

SAT | AUG. 23

- All Day** Fiber Arts Demonstrations • *Fiber Loft*
- 10:00** 4-H Dairy Show • *Cattle Show Tent*
- 11:00** Veggie Snack Demonstration • *Expo North*
- 11:00** Christmas Tree Judging • *Expo North*
- 11:00** Homebrew Competition Judging • *Ware Building Annex*
- 1:00** Youth Gardener Vegetable Judging • *Expo North*
- 1:00** Bee Exhibit – Honey extractions – • *Expo South*
- 2:00** Chopstick Knitting Contest • *Fiber Loft*
- 3:00** Fair Parade
- 3:30** Homebrew “Best in Show” • *Ware Building Annex*
- 5:30** Extreme Milkshake Contest • *Expo North*

SUN | AUG. 24 (4-H Day)

(NorthCountry Federal Credit Union Members Day)

- All Day** Fiber Arts Demonstrations • *Fiber Loft*
- 11:00** 4-H Poultry Classes • *Cattle Show Tent*
- 1:00** Canning and Preserving Judging • *Expo North*
- 1:00** Bee Exhibit – Honey extractions – • *Expo South*
- 2:00** 4-H Costume Class • *Cattle Show Tent*
- 3:00** Fair Parade
- 4:15** 4-H Judging Jamboree • *Cattle Show Tent*

MON | AUG. 25

(Kid's Day)/(Military Appreciation Day)

- All Day** Fiber Arts Demonstrations • *Fiber Loft*

- 12:00** Children's Activity, ends at 3:00 • *Expo North Garden Center*
- 12:30** Fitting & Showmanship followed by All Breed Open Dairy Show & Ayrshire Futurity • *Cattle Show Tent*
- 1:00** Professional Pumpkin Carving Demonstration • *Expo North*
- 1:30** Sheep Dog Demo • *Pulling Ring*
- 3:00** Fair Parade
- 3:30** Sheep Dog Demo • *Pulling Ring*
- 6:00** Carved & Painted Pumpkins Judging • *Expo North Garden Center*

TUE | AUG. 26 (Senior Day)

- All Day** Fiber Arts Demonstrations • *Fiber Loft*
- 12:00** Cut Flowers, Flower Arrangements & Vegetables accepted for judging
- 3:00** Fair Parade

WED | AUG. 27

(Carload Special Day)

- All Day** Fiber Arts Demonstrations • *Fiber Loft*
- 9:00** 2nd Flower & Vegetable Judging • *Expo North*
- 6:00** Arts Reception • *Blue Ribbon Pavilion*

THU | AUG. 28

(Food Bank Day/College Day)

- All Day** Fiber Arts Demonstrations • *Fiber Loft*
- 3:00** Fair Parade

FRI | AUG. 29

- All Day** Fiber Arts Demonstrations • *Fiber Loft*
- 3:00** Fair Parade

SAT | AUG. 30

- All Day** Fiber Arts Demonstrations • *Fiber Loft*
- 1:00** Bee Exhibit – Honey extractions – • *Expo South*
- 3:00** Fair Parade

SUN | AUG. 31

- All Day** Fiber Arts Demonstrations • *Fiber Loft*
- 3:00** Fair Parade
- 1:00** Bee Exhibit – Honey extractions – • *Expo South*



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CULINARY COMPETITIONS

EVERY DAY • Ware Building Annex
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SAT | AUG. 23 | 4:30

Judging of first Culinary show.
Come see all the competitors in the
classic baked goods categories.

SUN | AUG. 24 | 4:30

Best Salsa Contest

MON | AUG. 25 | 4:30

King Arthur Youth Brownie Contest
– Juniors only

TUE | AUG. 26 | 4:30

King Arthur Whoopie Pie Contest

WED | AUG. 27 | 4:00

Judging for the 13th Annual
Tim Shea Apple Pie Contest

THUR | AUG. 28 | 4:30

Annual Chili Cook Off

FRI | AUG. 29 | 4:30

Mac & Cheese Contest

SAT | AUG. 30 | 4:30

Judging of second show. Come
see all the competitors in the classic baked
goods categories.

SUN | AUG. 31 | 2:30

Chocolate Chip Cookie Contest

DAILY COOKING DEMOS

All cooking demos are currently TBA.

1:45 | 3:30 | 5:30 • Ware Building

Individual daily demonstration schedule
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