

FAMILY FUN ALL DAY LONG!



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 interact with the butterflies.



CHAINSAW CARVER

Watch chainsaw sculptor Chad Gainey transform ordinary logs into incredible works of art during high-energy live carving shows. Combining skill, speed, and audience interaction, he creates stunning sculptures in real time that captivate fairgoers of all ages.



MODEL TRAINS

Open all day in the Expo North Building

Experience the Northwest Vermont Model Railroad Association's impressive traveling HO scale layout in the Expo North Building. Explore 28 interconnected modules featuring a double-track mainline and a branch to Bellows Falls, Vermont, all handcrafted by club members and partners. A must-see attraction for railroad enthusiasts of all ages!



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: Lauren McCabe

Featured youth artist: TBD

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.



GARDEN CENTER

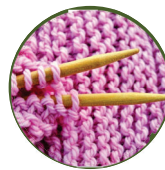
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Check out the award winning fruits, vegetables, and flowers including GIANT vegetables! The Garden Center is also home to the Bonsai display!



HOME CRAFTS

Come see the incredible quilts, ceramics, jewelry, and more. Treasures for appreciating and buying - find the perfect gift for anyone you know and something for yourself!



FIBER LOFT

Education, competition, and demonstration - rugs, wearables, hand spinning, knitting - every fiber art you can imagine on display!



VT AGRICULTURAL HALL OF FAME

For over 20 years, the Vermont Agricultural Hall of Fame has recognized and celebrated more than 100 people who have had a significant impact on an industry vital to the State of Vermont. Past inductees have come from all corners of the state and represent a variety of roles that reflect Vermont's agricultural economy.



VERMONT GRANGE

Open all day in the Ware Building

Beautiful displays, a raffle, and a chance to sew your own quilt square for charity!