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Welcome to the Gibson County Fair



On behalf of the Gibson County Fair Board, our stockholders, and all our amazing volunteers, it is my pleasure to welcome you to the 169th Gibson County Fair.

Despite facing challenges, such as the retirement of our long-time carnival operator and the search for a new rodeo promoter, the Fair Board and our

dedicated volunteers have put in countless hours to ensure that we can once again offer quality, family-friendly entertainment this year.

I invite you to arrive early before the shows begin, grab a seat in our open-air concession area, and savor the diverse food offerings available at the fair. You will also have the chance to listen to local bands performing on the free stage next to the concessions.

As you explore the schedule, you will find some of your favorite events, including the Pro Pulling League, Pro Rodeo, Big Foot Monster Trucks, Concert, Demo Derbies, Motocross, and a wide variety of 4-H events, projects and competitions.

We have something for everyone, young and old! I encourage you to take a shuttle bus to the north side of the grounds, where you can watch 4-H members prepare their animals for competition in the Pavilion. Then, visit the 4-H Exhibit Hall to see the impressive projects submitted by talented youth from Gibson County. Don't forget to check out the Antique Machinery area and admire the display of vintage tractors.

I would like to extend my heartfelt thanks to all our sponsors and volunteers; we couldn't do this without their support. Thank you, and enjoy this year's Fair!

Charles L. Woodruff

President, Gibson County Fair Board

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2024 Miss Gibson County



Hello Everyone,

I am Reagan Cochren, your 2024 Miss Gibson County! I am the proud daughter of Mike & Celana Cochren of Princeton.

This past year has been an amazing year and a dream come true! As a 10-year 4-H member, the Gibson

County Fair was my favorite time of the year. I always looked up to Miss Gibson County and only to hope to be her one day! This time I have cherished and will forever hold dear to my heart!

So much work goes into the county fair preparing it for this one week of the year-- "Fair Week"!!! Thank you to each of those individuals who put their time and energy into making our fair one of the BEST around! And with the BEST fair board around!

I invite you to the 169th Gibson County Fair, where you can enjoy grandstand events, animal shows, lots of great food, and much more fun things to do! The fair is where memories are made to last a lifetime.

I hope to see you all at the 169th Gibson County Fair!!!

Sincerely yours,

2024 Miss Gibson County

Reagan Cochren



Community Partners Helping Non-Profits

Toyota Motor Manufacturing Indiana Inc. and the Gibson County Fairgrounds Pavilion Inc. have partnered together to help non-profits. The Community

Partner Grant Program is designed to help area non-profits use the fairground facilities at a reduced cost. Each year, over 30 non-profits receive a grant from the Community Partner Grant to assist numerous events each year.



Daily Fair Schedule

TIME EVENTS Location

Saturday, June 28th
7:00 PM Miss Gibson County Queen Contest PCHS

At Dusk Saturday, July 5th FIREWORKS Display
\$2 per carload - Walk-ins are Free - Food Booths Open

Sunday, July 6th Fair Opens

FREE ADMISSION FOR LUNCH TILL 2:00pm
6:00am Breakfast served Mt. Olympus 4-H Stand Pavilion
11am-1pm Some Food Booths open for Lunch Midway
Noon 4-H Poultry Show Pavilion
Noon FREE Bear Hollow Wood Carving Show Midway
Noon-9pm Homemakers Open Class Exhibits Event Center
2pm-10pm 4-H Exhibit Building Open Exhibit Hall
2:00pm Antique Machinery Tractor Display Antique Area
2:00pm Rabbit Showmanship — 4-H Rabbit Show Pavilion
3:00pm Food Booths open Midway
4:00pm Merchants Display Open Midway
4:00pm Bear Hollow Wood Carving Show Midway
5:00pm Great American Carnival Opens Midway
5:00pm Antique Machinery Demonstrations Antique Area
6:00pm 4-H Poultry Show Pavilion
6:00pm Mini, Little, Junior, & Princess Pageants Event Center
6:00pm Bear Hollow Wood Carving Show Midway
6:00pm Southern Indiana Farm Stock Grandstands
6:30pm Farmers Pull Track # 2 Grandstands
7:00pm Folk Songs That Built America (Pat Coslett) Free Stage
Pat Coslett's Simplicity Furniture Store is Giving Away a Recliner



7:00pm Pro Pulling Truck & Tractor Pulls Grandstands
8:00pm Bear Hollow Wood Carving Show Midway

Monday, July 7th

FREE ADMISSION FOR LUNCH TILL 2:00pm
6:00am Breakfast served Mt. Olympus 4-H Stand Pavilion
9:00am 4-H Beef, Sheep, Swine Showmanship Pavilion
11am-1pm Some Food Booths open for Lunch Midway
Noon FREE Bear Hollow Wood Carving Show Midway
Noon-9pm Homemakers Open Class Exhibits Event Center
12:30pm 4-H Barnyard Olympics Pavilion
1:00pm Food is Medicine Demonstration Event Center
2pm-10pm 4-H Exhibit Building Open Exhibit Hall
2:00pm Antique Machinery Tractor Display Ag Area
3:00pm Food Booths open Midway
4:00pm 4-H Meat Goat Show Pavilion
4:00pm Merchants Display Open Midway
4:00pm Bear Hollow Wood Carving Show Midway



4-6:00pm Free Monster Truck Pit Party Grandstands
5:00pm Great American Carnival Opens Midway
5:00pm Antique Machinery Demonstrations Antique Area
5:00pm 4-H Fashion Revue Event Center
6:00pm 4-H Sheep Show Pavilion
6:00pm Bear Hollow Wood Carving Show Midway
7:00pm Adult Pedal Tractor Pull Midway
7:00pm Jimmy Detalente and Kevin Minnis Free Stage
7:00pm Monster Truck Show Grandstands
8:00pm Bear Hollow Wood Carving Show Midway

Tuesday, July 8th

6:00am Breakfast served Mt. Olympus 4-H Stand Pavilion
9:00am 4-H Dairy & Pygmy Goat Show Pavilion
11am-1pm Some Food Booths open for Lunch Midway

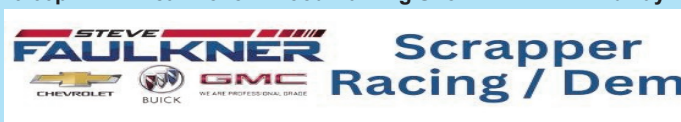


11:00am Kiddie Day Free Registration Midway
11:30am 4-H Horse & Pony Speed Classes Horse Arena
Noon Bear Hollow Wood Carving Show Midway
Noon-9pm Homemakers Open Class Exhibits Event Center
Noon-1pm Mini 4-H Barn Tours Pavilion
Noon Shuttle Bus Starts running
Noon Free Games, Prizes, & much more Midway
1:00pm Great American Carnival Opens Midway
Kiddie Rides only
Special Arm Band \$10 from 1-4pm
1:00pm First Book For Kids Demonstration Event Center
2pm-10pm 4-H Exhibit Building Opens Exhibit Hall
2:00pm Antique Machinery Tractor Display Ag Area



Admission 2 For 1 — Ride Arm Bands 2 For 1 Military & Veterans and Companion FREE
All concessions have a Special Deal

3:00pm Bear Hollow Wood Carving Show Midway
3:00pm Food Booths open Midway
4:00pm Merchants Display Open Midway
4:00pm Great American Carnival Closes Midway
5:00pm Antique Machinery Demonstrations Antique Area
5:00pm Great American Carnival Opens Midway
6:00pm 4-H Swine Show Pavilion
6:00pm Bear Hollow Wood Carving Show Midway



7:00pm Scrapper Racing - MWFA Demo - Mowers Grandstands
7:00pm Scott Mason and Rickie Byrne Free Stage
8:00pm Bear Hollow Wood Carving Show Midway

Wednesday, July 9th

Senior Day 60 & Over Admission \$4.00

FREE ADMISSION FOR LUNCH TILL 2:00pm
6:00am Breakfast served Mt. Olympus 4-H Stand Pavilion
9:30am 4-H Horse Show Horse Arena
10:00am 4-H & Open Class Dairy Show Pavilion
11am-1pm Some Food Booths open for Lunch Midway
Noon-9pm Homemakers Open Class Exhibits Event Center
2:00pm Antique Machinery Tractor Display Ag Area

Wednesday Continued
1:00pm Water Bath Canning Demonstration Event Center
2pm-10pm 4-H Exhibit Building Open Exhibit Hall
3:00pm Food Booths open Midway
4:00pm Merchants Display Open Midway
5:00pm Antique Machinery Demonstrations Antique Area
5:00pm 4-H Fashion Revue Event Center
5:00pm Great American Carnival Opens Midway
6:00pm Antique Tractor Pull Ag Track
6:00pm 4-H Beef Show Pavilion
7:00pm Hometown Gold (Loveless Brothers) Free Stage



7:00pm DD Pro Rodeo Championship Rodeo Grandstands

Thursday, July 10th

FREE ADMISSION FOR LUNCH TILL 2:00pm
6:00am Breakfast served Mt. Olympus 4H Stand Pavilion
9:00am F.F.A. Judging Contest Pavilion
11:00am Supreme Showmanship Contest Pavilion
11am-1pm Some Food Booths open for Lunch Midway
Noon-9pm Homemakers Open Class Exhibits Event Center
1:00 pm Homemakers Quilting 101 Demonstration Event Center
1:00pm 4-H Horse & Pony Fun Class Horse Arena
2pm-10pm 4-H Exhibit Building Open Exhibit Hall
2:00pm Antique Machinery Tractor Display Ag Area
3:00pm Motocross Pits Open Grandstands
3:00pm Food Booths open Midway
4pm-5pm Motocross Sign-ups Pit Area
4:00pm Merchants Display Open Midway



5:00pm Motocross Practice Grandstands
5:00pm Antique Machinery Demonstrations Antique Area
5:00pm Great American Carnival Opens Midway
6:00pm 4-H Awards Pavilion
6:45pm 4-H Livestock Premium Auction Pavilion
7:00pm Live Music with Still Company Free Stage
7:30pm Motocross Finals Grandstands

Friday, July 11th

FREE ADMISSION FOR LUNCH TILL 2:00pm
4H Pavilion & Exhibit Hall Closed
11am-1pm Some Food Booths open for Lunch Midway
Noon-9pm Homemakers Open Class Exhibits Event Center
1:00pm Redecorate, Refresh, & Restyle Event Center
2:00pm Antique Machinery Tractor Display Ag Area
4:00pm Merchants Display Open Midway
3:00pm Food Booths open Midway
5:00pm Antique Machinery Demonstrations Antique Area
5:00pm Great American Carnival Opens Midway
6:00pm Beer Garden Opens Grandstands
6:00pm Music with the Blackstone Band Beer Garden
6:30pm 4-H Robotics Demonstration Stage Area
7:00pm Coslett's Tone Deaf Troubadours Free Stage
Featuring Ben Dahlquist

Pat Coslett's Simplicity Furniture Store is Giving Away a Recliner



8:00pm Colt Ford Live Grandstands

Saturday, July 12th

FREE ADMISSION FOR LUNCH TILL 2:00pm
4H Pavilion & Exhibit Hall Closed
11am-1pm Some Food Booths open for Lunch Midway
2:00pm Antique Machinery Tractor Display Ag Area
4:00pm Merchants Display Open Midway
3:00pm Food Booths Open Midway
3:00pm Demo Derby pits open for registration Pit Area
5:00pm Antique Machinery Demonstrations Antique Area
4pm-6pm Demo Car Inspections Pit Area
5:00pm Great American Carnival Opens Midway
6:00pm 1/4 Scale Tractor Pull Ag Track
6:00pm AUCTION for Bear Hollow Wood Carvings Midway



6:30pm Demo Derby Drivers Meeting Pit Area
6:45pm Power Wheels Demo for kids Grandstands
7:00pm Starbound Band Free Stage
7:00pm Demo Derby 5 classes Grandstands

BOOK YOUR NEXT EVENT

Fairgrounds offers multiple venues accommodating from 50 to over 700 guests. Whether your taste is simple or elegant, the Fairgrounds has a venue you can transform to suit your needs. From birthday parties, wedding receptions, or corporate events, we have the venue for your needs at a price you can afford. Call the Fairgrounds office Monday - Friday 8:00am till Noon for more information. Call 812-385-3445 or visit Connie at the fair office, 709 N. Embree, Princeton, IN 47670.



Support the Gibson County Horticultural & Agricultural Society by purchasing a raffle ticket today. Tickets on sale at the fair office or announced locations before and during the Fair. A winner will be drawn Saturday, July 12, at 8:00pm at the fairgrounds arena. You do not need to be present to win. Proceeds will help fund future improvements of the fairgrounds. Must be 18 to purchase. Indiana Gaming License Number 017898.

Raffle Tickets		
1	for	\$ 5
3	for	\$ 10
20	for	\$ 20
50	for	\$ 40
150	for	\$ 100

FAIR ADMISSION

Daily Admission \$8.00 - Age 9 and under FREE
Admission to all Grandstand Events is FREE with your admission to the grounds

SEASON PASS \$35

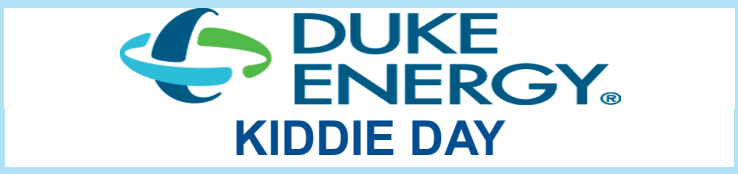
SAVE MONEY with a Season Pass for all 7 days plus the Queen Pageant on Saturday, June 28th \$35
Passes may be purchased at the Fair Office anytime.

Each season pass to the fair includes one admission to the fairgrounds each day and a coupon from Dick Clark's Family Restaurant to be used after the fair.

Coupon good for buy any sandwich and get one sandwich of the same or lesser value FREE. Offer good from July 13th through Oct 16th, 2025. Dick Clark's Family Restaurant is located at 702 North Prince Street, Princeton, IN.



Ride Tickets:
Each Ride Requires 2-4 Tickets
Single ticket \$ 1.50 each
Special 30 tickets for \$30.00
Family Special 60 Tickets for \$60.00
TICKETS ARE GOOD ALL WEEK
Nightly Unlimited Ride Arm Band \$25.00 each



Tuesday Noon - 4:00pm
Registration Starts at 11:00am

Registration for FREE games and prizes start at 11:00am. Also at noon are Bear Hollow Wood Carving Show, New Generation Dairy Display, Princeton Fire Territory Interactive Display, Mini Barn Tours at the 4-H Pavilion, and Shuttle Bus rides begin.

Noon FREE Games Begin
Money Hunt, Tractor Pull, Hula Hoop contest
Carnival opens Kiddie Rides at 1:00 pm
Special \$10 Arm Band good from 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Prize drawings for a girl's and a boy's bike at 2:30 pm



Admission to the Fair Two For The Price of One
Use your Fair Pass and Bring A Friend
ALL CONCESSIONS HAVE A SPECIAL DEAL
Buy One Arm Band Get One FREE
2For1 Arm Band Good From 5:00pm till close
Compliments of Great American Carnival

Tuesday Military & Veterans Day
Current Military & Veterans & Companion admitted free with ID

Wednesday Senior Day
\$4.00 Admission for Seniors 60 & Over

Special Needs Day

Thanks to Great American Carnival a session for special needs guests will be held on Monday July 7th from 10am till noon. The session is intended for guest the that otherwise could not attend the fair because of the large crowds and noise. Our special guest and one caretaker will receive a free ride band for the rides from 10am to noon. Not all rides will be available during this session. Admission is FREE. Caretaker must but at least 16 years old.

Upcoming Events
Collectors Carnival Flea Markets
August 9, October 25, 2025 & April 25, 2026

Central Indiana Gun & Knife Shows
September 6-7, October 10-11 2025 & 2026 TBA



You don't have to live on a farm to join 4-H. All youth are welcome. 4-H is a hands-on learning program for youth in grades 3-12. Youth in grades K-2 can join Mini 4-H.

Young people who are a part of 4-H have the opportunity to explore all types of science, health, and citizenship programming delivered through 4-H clubs and camps. 4-H helps youth learn life skills through informal, hands-on activities. These programs and activities help youth develop their leadership skills and explore future career options.

You can join by contacting the Extension Educator, 4-H Youth Development to find out what projects and activities are available for youth. You may call Purdue Extension at (812) 385-3491 or visit us at 203 South Prince Street in Princeton. Online registration available. www.extension.purdue.edu/gibson/