



MAP KEY

- 1 - SHERIFF - FIRE
- 2 - DAIRY & BEEF - MILK PARLOR
- 3 - JUNIOR FAIR HORSE - DAIRY & BEEF
- 4 - SHOW BARN/COW PALACE
- 5 - JUNIOR FAIR MARKET BEEF
- 6 - JUNIOR FAIR MARKET BEEF
- 7 - JUNIOR FAIR GOATS
- 8 - JUNIOR FAIR SHEEP
- 9 - JUNIOR FAIR SWINE - SHOW/SALE RING
- 10 - JUNIOR FAIR RABBITS
- 11 - FFA & JUNIOR FAIR STILL PROJECTS
- 12 - SHOWERS & RESTROOMS
- 13 - SHOWERS & RESTROOMS
- 14 - JUNIOR FAIR OFFICE - HOME EC EXHIBITS
- 15 - JUNIOR FAIR HORSES - POULTRY
- 16 - PAVILION - PICNIC AREA
- 17 - FLORAL HALL - COMMERCIAL EXHIBITS
- 18 - REPUBLIC SERVICES

- 19 - FAIR HALL - COMMERCIAL EXHIBITS
- 20 - WELLINGTON BAND DONUTS
- 21 - LIBRARY
- 22 - LORAIN-MEDINA RURAL ELECTRIC
- 23 - EXHIBITION HALL - COMMERCIAL EXHIBITS
- 24 - RESTROOMS
- 25 - ARTS & CRAFTS - FLOWERS - PHOTOGRAPHY
- 26 - ANTIQUES - CULINARY ARTS - NEEDLEWORK
- 27 - BEES - HOBBIES & COLLECTIBLES
- 28 - AGRICULTURE - SOIL CONSERVATION
- 29 - CLEAN-UP - STORAGE
- 30 - BLACKSMITH SHOP
- 31 - 36 - RACEHORSE BARN
- 37 - HERITAGE BARN
- 38 - POULTRY
- 39 - RABBITS
- 40 - GOATS
- 41 - SHEEP

- 42 - PONIES
- 43 - DRAFT HORSES
- 44 - PAVILION 1
- 45 - SHOW TICKET BOOTH
- 46 - PARI-MUTUELS
- 47 - BEER GARDEN
- 48 - SECRETARY'S OFFICE
- 49 - PAVILION 2
- 50 - EMT - FIRST AID - VETERANS HALL



- INFANT NURSING
- BABY CHANGING TABLE
- OPEN CLASS
- JUNIOR FAIR
- GREAT LAKES TIMBER SHOW



Save the Dates

2024
 Aug 18-25

2025
 Aug 17-24

2026
 Aug 23-30

MIDWAY RIDES

by McGinnis Amusements:

Tickets: 24 for \$20

Required tickets posted on each ride

\$20 Unlimited Ride Stamp:

DAILY: Noon – 10pm

\$10 Kids' Day Special:

Wednesday: Noon – 5pm

Membership Pass \$40

(available through August 20)

must be at least 21 years old
and Lorain County resident to purchase

Season Pass \$40

(available through August 20)

Both provide seven admissions to the fair - the difference is a Membership Pass includes voting privileges for Lorain County Agricultural Society Directors and Constitutional changes.

177TH ANNUAL



loraincountyfair.com

Gates Open 8 am - 11 pm Daily

**Admission \$8
8 & under - FREE
Free Parking**

**credit/debit cards accepted at Gates 1, 3, 4, and 6*

All service animals are permitted. Pets, comfort, and emotional support animals are prohibited.

Phone: 440.647.2781

**PLEASE CONTINUE TO CHECK OUR WEBSITE
FOR POSSIBLE CHANGES TO THIS SCHEDULE**

SUNDAY, AUGUST 20, 2023 - FREE DAY

- 3:00 pm HTCS Harness Racing
5:00 pm Flag Raising Ceremony – Pavilion 1 Stage
Official Opening with 4-H Band
Crowning of Junior Fair King and Queen
4-H Special Awards
- 5:30 pm Judging of Paintings & Drawings
6:00 pm Judging of Antiques
6:00 pm Judging of Arts & Crafts
6:00 pm Judging of Ceramics
6:00 pm Judging of Culinary Arts - Books 701-704
and 710-716
6:00 pm Judging of Lapidary Art

MONDAY, AUGUST 21, 2023

- 8:00 am Gates Open
8:00 am Junior Fair Dog Show - Show Barn 4
8:30 am Junior Fair Fowl Show - Barn 15
9:00 am Judging of Culinary Arts - Books 705-709
and 717-718
9:00 am Judging of Needlework
9:00 am Honey Judging
9:00 am Open Class Judging - Hobbies & Collectibles
9:00 am Open Class Judging - Spinning
9:00 am Open Class Judging - Vegetables & Fruits
and Bees
9:00 am Open Class Judging - Boer Goats - Pavilion 2
10:00 am Open Class Judging - Registered Haflingers,
Draft Horses & Draft Ponies - Pony Ring
11:00 am Open Class Judging - Photography
11:00 am HTCS Harness Racing
12 noon Junior Fair Boer Goat Show - Show Barn 4
12 noon Junior Fair Draft Horse Halter Show - Pony Ring
12:30 pm Open Class Judging - Draft Horses - Pony Ring
1:00 pm
- 7:00 pm Voting for Directors of Lorain County
Agricultural Society - Senior Fair Office
2:15 pm FFA Special Awards - Barn 14
5:00 pm Culinary Arts Bake Sale - Pavilion 2
5:30 pm Junior Fair Sheep Show - Show Barn 4
8:00 pm **THE GUESS WHO**

TUESDAY, AUGUST 22, 2023

- 8:00 am Gates Open
8:00 am Open Class Judging - Rabbit & Cavy - Barn 39
8:30 am Junior Fair Swine Show - Barn 9
9:00 am Junior Fair Miniature Horse Show - Ring A
9:00 am Open Class Judging - Dairy Cattle - Show Barn 4
9:00 am Open Class Judging - Sheep - Pavilion 2
9:00 am Open Class Judging - Silage & Hay Show,
Grain Show
10:00 am Open Class Judging - Poultry - Barn 38
12:30 pm Open Class Judging - Department 1,
Books 4-7 - Pony Ring
2:30 pm Junior Fair Cavy Judging - Barn 15
4:30 pm Fowl Costume and Poultry Judging Contest
- Show Ring - Barn 15
5:30 pm Junior Fair Pack, Harness, Pygmy Goat Show
- Show Barn 4
8:00 pm **ROOTS AND BOOTS - SAMMY KERSHAW,
COLLIN RAYE, AARON TIPPIN**

LORAIN-MEDINA RURAL ELECTRIC DAY WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 23, 2023

- KIDS' DAY *see our website for details*

- 8:00 am Gates Open - KIDS' DAY - special activities
throughout fairgrounds!
9:00 am Junior Fair Dairy Goat/Market Dairy Goat
- Barn 9
9:00 am Junior Fair Draft Horse Cart Show - Pony Ring
9:00 am Junior Fair Saddle Horse Judging - Ring A
9:00 am Open Class Ponies and Stalled Hitch Classes
- Grandstand
12 noon Junior Fair Beef Breeding Show - Show Barn 4
12 noon Open Class Judging - Flowers
1:00 pm Junior Fair Judging - Rabbit Breed - Barn 15
1:00 pm Miniature Horse Pull - Pony Ring
2:00 pm Junior Fair Market Beef Show - Show Barn 4
7:00 pm **OSTPA TRUCK PULL**

Please use this QR code to
check for any updates or
changes to this schedule



NORTHCOAST WIRELESS DAY

THURSDAY, AUGUST 24, 2023

SENIOR CITIZENS / VETERANS DAY

- 8:00 am Gates Open - Senior Citizens (65 and older)
and Veterans & Military Personnel with
ID – **FREE ALL DAY**
8:30 am Junior Fair - Rabbit Showmanship - Barn 15
8:30 am Junior Fair Judging - Beef Showmanship, BBR
Market Steer - Show Barn 4
8:30 am Pony Pull - Grandstand
9:00 am Open Class Judging - Dairy Goats - Pavilion 2
9:00 am 4-H Open Mini Horse Fun Show - Ring A
8:30 am -
11:00 am County Fair Kids Fun Show - Barn 9
12 noon Horse Pull - Grandstand
1:00 pm Junior Fair Auction - Meat Chickens, Market
Ducks, Market Goats, Market Lambs, Meat
Rabbits, Turkeys - **REFER TO JUNIOR FAIR
BOOK FOR SALE ORDER**
4:00 pm Pigeon Rolling and Homing Pigeon
Demonstration - Barn 38
5:30 pm Junior Fair Small Animal Sweepstakes
Showmanship - Barn 9
6:00 pm Junior Fair Dog Agility Show
6:00 pm **COUNTY TRACTOR PULL**

FRIDAY, AUGUST 25, 2023

- 8:00 am Gates Open
9:00 am Junior Fair Dairy Judging - Show Barn 4
9:00 am Open Class Judging - Miniature Horses - Ring A
12 noon Junior Fair Dairy Auction - Show Barn 4
12 noon Rooster Crowing, Turkey Calling, and Fowl
Race - Barn 15
4:00 pm Draft Horse/Draft Pony Fun Pull (stabled
entries only) - Pony Ring
4:00 pm Adult Poultry Showmanship - Barn 38
4:30 pm Junior Fair Large Animal Sweepstakes
Showmanship - Barn 4
6:30 pm **NTPA GRAND NATIONAL PULL**

M&J BUILDING & EXCAVATING DAY

SATURDAY, AUGUST 26, 2023

- 8:00 am Gates Open
8:30 am Junior Fair Livestock Auction - Market Beef
and Market Hogs - Barn 9 - **REFER TO JUNIOR
FAIR BOOK FOR SALE ORDER**
9:00 am 4-H Open Saddle Horse Fun Show - Ring A
9:00 am Open Class Judging - Beef Cattle - Show Barn 4
10:00 am Open to the World Draft Horse & Pony Hitch -
Grandstand
1:30 pm Kiddie Pedal Pull - Pavilion 2
4:00 pm Pigeon Rolling and Homing Pigeon
Demonstration - Barn 38
7:00 pm **COMBINE DERBY AND PICK-UP TRUCK DERBY**

SUNDAY, AUGUST 27, 2023

- 8:00 am Gates Open
9:00 am Interdenominational Worship Service -
Show Barn 4 ****If a Catholic mass is
desired, please visit St. Patrick Church's
website for worship times****
9:30 am 4-H Saddle Horse Versatility Show - Ring A
10:00 am Pony Fun Show - Pony Ring
10:00 am -
3:00 pm Spinners & Weavers - Pavilion 2
1:00 pm Power Wheel Derby
4:00 pm **DEMOLITION DERBY - GRANDSTAND
GATES OPEN AT 3:00 PM**
5:30 pm -
7:30 pm Premium Check Distribution for Depts. 8-10
- between Buildings 25 & 26
6:00 pm Dismiss Entries
7:00 pm Release Commercial Exhibits

MISSION STATEMENT

To enhance Lorain County through an annual celebration
promoting agriculture, education, entertainment, and
encouraging positive youth development and leadership skills