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Oakland County Fair returns to Springfield Oaks County Park July 11-20

With animals, shows, rides, attractions and entertainment, event offers something for everyone

DAVISBURG, MI – June 11, 2025 – Make plans to attend one of summer's most anticipated events – the Oakland County Fair. The fairgrounds return to Springfield Oaks County Park in Davisburg July 11-20 with amazing shows, thrilling rides and family-friendly attractions. Oakland County Parks is the Presenting Sponsor of the fair.

New this year is the Wheels of Agriculture game show. Test your knowledge of local agriculture, animals, plants, farms and barnyards, music and more during three shows presented daily.

"This activity promises to be a lot of fun," Oakland County Fair Association Assistant General Manager Sara Ressler said. "Oakland County is usually considered very populous and urban in nature, but it's important to remember that we have a rich agricultural tradition here, too."

Other fair highlights not to be missed include a variety of attractions such as:

- Sea Lions Splash - Returning for its second year, this educational show is sure to have fairgoers smiling as the sea lions entertain with their fun skills and silly antics. There will be three shows presented daily
- Racing Pigs – Three species of pigs will run separate races during each show, which will be presented five times each day
- Show-Me-Safari Petting Zoo – A free petting zoo where children of all ages can enjoy meeting a variety of animals. Pellets and cups of carrots are available for purchase to feed the animals. The zoo is open from 10 a.m.-10 p.m. daily

The fair will also feature tasty food selections, Big Rock Amusements carnival and themed days like Senior Day on July 14 and Individuals with Disabilities Day on July 17. Many fairgoers enjoy connecting with farm animals like sheep, goats and cows, while watching horse competitions and visiting with animals such as dogs, cats, rabbits, alpacas and poultry.

"The Oakland County Fair not only recognizes the hard work young people pour into caring for farm animals throughout the year, it also celebrates it with those who live in more urban communities throughout the county. This creates rich, genuine interactions between farmers and residents, who benefit by gaining a valuable glimpse into the agricultural lifestyle and what it takes to feed a community," Oakland County Parks Director Chris Ward said.

Project exhibitions presented by Oakland County youth for competition are a staple of the fair. Children and teens are able to explore their creativity and develop new skills as they

prepare crafts, recipes, photography, creative writing, wood and metal working projects, plant science projects and more for judging. The ribbons they receive acknowledge all the energy and hard work that went into their efforts.

Main arena events in the evening always draw a crowd. This year's lineup includes an Off-road Demolition Derby, Microwrestling, Figure 8 Races, SuperKicker Rodeo, Night of Destruction and Monster Trucks. Tickets for these events may be purchased at OakFair.org.

Fair admission is \$15/vehicle and \$10/motorcycle or walk-in. Presenting sponsor Oakland County Parks will offer free admission on Friday, July 11 to the first 250 people who register and all military personnel who present a valid military ID. The registration link is www.oakfair.org/events/2025/opening-dayarmed-forces-day. Approximately a week before the event, those receiving free admission will have an electronic ticket emailed to them. Free admission will also be provided for individuals with disabilities who register for the July 17 adaptive recreation Day at the Fair program before July 10 using the [online registration form](#).

Springfield Oaks County Park is located at 12451 Andersonville Road in Davisburg. With construction on I-75 from M-15 (Ortonville Road) to the Oakland/Genesee county line, visitors should plan their routes accordingly to avoid potential frustration. Southbound I-75 will be milled and resurfaced, with two lanes of northbound and southbound traffic sharing the northbound side of the freeway.

For a complete fair schedule, visit OakFair.org.

For more information about Oakland County Parks, visit OaklandCountyParks.com. Join the conversation on [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#).