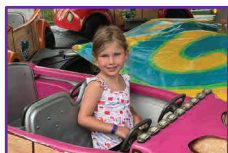


NICOLLET COUNTY FAIR

August 12-16, 2026

ONLY \$5.00
Parking on
Fairgrounds



FREE RIDES TO THE FAIR ON FRIDAY!

Get a free ride to the Nicollet County Fair on Friday, August 14, between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. Nicollet County Public Transportation System, TRUE Transit, is offering free rides to the fair from anywhere in Nicollet County (excluding St. Peter) to the fairgrounds and home.

Reservations must be made by August 12 online at truetransit.org or by calling (507) 388-8783.



Wednesday, August 12

Entry Day

- 11 am - 6 pm Open Class Registration - Johnson Hall
- 3 - 9 pm Commercial Building Opens
- 3 - 8 pm 4-H Food Stand Opens
- 5 pm Crescent City Amusements Opens
- 5:30 - 7:30 pm **FREE** beer tasting event with Tow Dist. in the beer garden (must be 21 yrs. of age)
- 6:30 pm Pfeffer Tournament - Thompson Hall
- 6:30 pm Barn Donor Recognition Event - Hog Barn
- 7 pm Sohmer Karaoke - Beer Garden

Grandstand Event

- 1 pm **Harness Racing** - \$5.00 (6 and up) tax incl. **FREE** admission for ages 5 & under

Thursday, August 13

- 8 am 4-H Sheep Show - Show Ring
- 9 am - 9 pm Hasse Petting Zoo - Annexstad Bldg.
- 10 am - 8 pm 4-H Food Stand Opens
- 12 - 8:45 pm Mechanical Bull-Extreme Gyro - Thompson Bldg.
- 12 - 9 pm Commercial Building opens
- 1 pm 4-H Beef Show - Show Ring
- 2 - 10 pm Knights of Columbus Bingo
- 5 pm 4-H Rabbit Show - Annexstad Building
- 5 pm Crescent City Amusements Opens
- 7-11 Up South - Beer Garden Stage

Grandstand Event

- 6:30 pm **Truck & Tractor Pull** - \$10.00 Adult tax incl. \$5.00 Ages 6-12. **FREE** for ages 5 & under. Tickets on sale 3 pm.

Friday, August 14

Senior Citizens' Day - FREE Parking for Seniors 55 & older

- 7:30 am 4-H Horse Show - Horse Arena
- 8:30 am 4-H Dairy Show - Show Ring
- 9 am - 9 pm Hasse Petting Zoo - Annexstad Bldg.
- 9:00 am Daycare Day (pre-registration required)
- 10 am - 8 pm 4-H Food Stand Opens
- 10 am Fire Demonstration
- 11 am 4-H Pet Show - Big Top Tent
- 12 - 8:45 pm Mechanical Bull-Extreme Gyro - Thompson Bldg.
- 12 - 9 pm Commercial Building opens
- 12 - 10 pm Knights of Columbus Bingo
- 1 - 3 pm Horse Wagon Rides - \$2
- 1 pm Senior Citizen & Farm Awards - Johnson Hall
- 1 pm Crescent City Amusements Opens
- 2 pm Wendinger Band - Big Top Tent
- 2 pm Chainsaw Artist Curt Ingvaldstad* by Beer Garden
- 12 - 10 pm Knights of Columbus Bingo
- 3 pm Goat Show - Show Ring
- 3 pm Grady Kucen - Beer Garden Stage
- 4 pm - 6 pm Horse Wagon Rides - \$2
- 5 pm Chainsaw Artist Curt Ingvaldstad* by Beer Garden
- 4-H Arts In Performance
- 6 pm Chainsaw Artist Curt Ingvaldstad* by Beer Garden
- 7:30 pm - 11 pm Red Dirt Road - Stage by the Beer Garden

Grandstand Event

- 7 pm **Demolition Derby w/ Kids Power Wheels Demo** at 6:30pm - \$15.00 Adult, tax incl. - \$8.00 Ages 6-12. **FREE** for ages 5 & under. Tickets on sale 12 pm

Saturday, August 15

Kids' Day

- 8:30 am 4-H Swine Show - Show Ring
- 9 am - 9 pm Hasse Petting Zoo - Annexstad Bldg.
- 10 am - 8 pm 4-H Food Stand Opens
- 11 am 4-H General Demonstrations - Johnson Hall
- 12 am Kids Pedal Pull
- 12 pm Fire Department Demonstration
- 12 pm Crescent City Amusements Opens
- 12 - 3 pm Robotics Demonstration - Thompson Building
- 12 - 8:45 pm Mechanical Bull-Extreme Gyro - Thompson Bldg.
- 12 - 9 pm Commercial Building opens
- 12 - 10 pm Knights of Columbus Bingo
- 1 pm Kid's Magic Class & Giveaway - Big Top Tent
- 1 pm 4-H Livestock Demonstrations - Annexstad Bldg.

- 1 pm 4-H Poultry Show - Show Ring
- 1 pm - 3 pm Horse Wagon Rides - \$2
- 2 pm Deputy Bryan & K9 Maverick - Sheriff's Camper
- 2 pm Chainsaw Artist Curt Ingvaldstad by Beer Garden
- 2 pm - 5 pm Jared Graff - Beer Garden Stage
- 2 pm - 10 pm Knights of Columbus Bingo
- 3 pm Talent Show - Johnson Hall
- 4 pm Musical Comedy - Gary Tyson - Big Top Tent
- 4 pm - 6 pm Horse Wagon Rides - \$2
- 4 pm Chainsaw Artist Curt Ingvaldstad by Beer Garden

Grandstand Event

- 5:30 pm **Demolition Derby w/ Kids Power Wheels Demo** at 5:00pm - \$15.00 Adult, tax incl. - \$6.00 Ages 6-12. **FREE** for ages 5 & under. Tickets on sale 12 pm.
- 6 pm Bike Drawing for 2 Kid's Bikes - Fair Board Office
- 6 pm Chainsaw Artist Curt Ingvaldstad by Beer Garden
- 7 pm - 9 pm Original Shaw Band - Beer Garden Stage
- 9 pm - 11 pm Shaw Brothers Band - Beer Garden Stage

Sunday, August 16

- 9 am Service by Scandian Grove Lutheran Church with rolls & coffee after - Johnson Hall
- 10 am 4-H Premier Senior Showmanship - Followed by 4-H Stuffed Animal Show - Show Ring

Grandstand Event

- 12 pm **Auto Racing - Kids Power Wheel First** \$10.00 Ages 13 & up tax incl. \$5.00 kids ages 6-12. **FREE** for kids ages 5 & under. Tickets on sale @ 10am
- 12 pm - 3 pm Crescent City Amusements Opens
- 1 pm 4-H Silent Auction closes, Johnson Hall
- 1 - 3 pm Knights of Columbus Bingo
- 3 pm **ALL EXHIBITS RELEASED & MUST BE PICKED UP**

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FRIENDS OF THE FAIR

AH Hermel Company | Annexstad Dairy Farms | First National Bank MN
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City of St. Peter & Public Works | Nicollet County & Sheriff's Dept.

GRANTS

Carl & Verna Schmidt Foundation | MN Dept of Agriculture
City of St. Peter Tourism Bureau

DISCOUNTED TICKETS

Buy at Chamber of Commerce, Family Fresh, Kwik Trip (North & South side), Schmidt's Meat Market (Nicollet)

Crescent City Amusements Wristband Session

\$20 until August 11, 2026 & then \$25.

All Event Grandstand Pass:

\$55 per adult | \$25 ages 6-12 (tax included)

Includes: Harness Races • Truck & Tractor Pull

Friday & Saturday Demo Derbies • Auto Races

Plus you can get in 30 minutes earlier than the general gate!

For more information, please visit: www.nicolletcountyfair.com