



**WHAT:** The 123<sup>rd</sup> Annual Cuyahoga County Fair

**WHEN:** Tuesday, August 6<sup>th</sup> thru Sunday, August 11<sup>th</sup>, 2019

**WHERE:** Cuyahoga County Fairgrounds, 19201 East Bagley Road in Berea.  
 Take I-71 to the Berea/Bagley Rd. Exit. Go West on Bagley 1 mile to the Fairgrounds entrance.

**OPEN TIMES OF THE FAIR:** Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday Noon – 11PM  
 Saturday 10AM – 11PM  
 Sunday Noon – 10PM

**MORE INFO:** [cuyfair.com](http://cuyfair.com) or follow fair at [facebook.com/cuyfair](https://facebook.com/cuyfair) or [instagram.com/cuyfair](https://instagram.com/cuyfair) or [twitter.com/cuyfair](https://twitter.com/cuyfair) or by dialing 440.243.0090

FREE PARKING EVERY DAY, ALL DAY at the Fairgrounds with nightly grandstand action! Just \$7 General Fair Gate Admission Tuesday thru Thursday and \$8 General Fair Gate Admission Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Seniors & Children under 12 just \$6. Active Military (or in uniform) with Valid ID Card & Children 3 and Under FREE all week long. Check [cuyfair.com](http://cuyfair.com) for special discounted days.

Fair Gate Admission Prices do not include midway rides or admission to most Grandstand Events. For Open Times of Fair, performance & attraction times along with Fair Gate Admission and Grandstand Pricing – visit [www.cuyfair.com](http://www.cuyfair.com). Scheduled Attractions and Performance Times subject to change without notice or beyond our control.

**MIDWAY RIDE TICKETS:**

- Individual Ride Tickets Available – \$1.25 Single Ticket, Sheet of 20 for \$25, Sheet of 56 for \$50
- Most Kid Rides 3-5 Tickets Each, Major Rides 4 Tickets Each & Spectacular Rides 5 Tickets Each.
- All-Day Ride Stamps \$22
- All-Day Discounted Ride Stamps – See Themed Days & All Ride Stamp Discounted Days at [cuyfair.com](http://cuyfair.com).



## WHAT'S NEW IN 2019:

With nearly 210,000 in attendance at the Cuyahoga County Fair in 2018, the Cuyahoga County Agricultural Society is proud to continue bringing back this annual event now in its 123<sup>rd</sup> year.

This County Fair Board does not take lightly that the popularity of fairs and festivals is undiminished. They work year-round in utilizing all resources to bring a fun and safe family event for many generations to come.

So, whether it's an annual tradition or your first time at the Cuyahoga County Fair - WELCOME!

### Swiftly Swine Pig Races

Zach Johnson ("Swine Master", and owner of "Swiftly Swine Racing and Swimming Pigs") has been all over the United States, bringing his racing pigs to fans of all ages. The ultimate showman, he gives people what they want and need - true family entertainment. When you see a race at the "Pork Chop International Speedway" arena, you experience something you can't get anywhere else.

If you've never been to a pig race, you're in for a real treat! Swiftly and his friends don't do it for the money, what they really want is that Oreo cookie, waiting on a silver platter at the finish line!

They run as fast as their little legs can take 'em, and then it's back to nap time to be ready for the next race!

Swiftly Swine travels all over the United States, bringing this unique form of family entertainment to their fans.

### Jason D'Vaude Variety Show & Art of Fire Show

Dangerous objects! Perilous stunts! Feats of strength and balance! Jason D'Vaude, self-taught one-man multiple-adjectived circus sensation, brings his comedic juggling, fire, and clowning shows to audiences around the world, delighting them with his charming humor and distinct but refined awkwardness. After seeing Jason juggle sharp objects, climb up precariously-balanced objects, ride an extra-tall unicycle, or manipulate fire like a master, audiences are left speechless except to say "that was AWESOME!"



## WHAT'S NEW IN 2019 (continued):

### Hypnotist David Anthony

Imagine the person that was sitting next to you just a few minutes ago is now up on stage and can't remember their own name! Or better yet one of your friends is up on the stage claiming that their belly button was stolen. Then with a snap of David's fingers they enter back into a hypnotic trance. Sounds entertaining huh? This is just the beginning of what to expect in the show.

No one is forced to volunteer. David will invite anyone who wants to get hypnotized to join him and fill the 15-20 chairs that are on stage. In just a few moments your friends and the rest of the volunteers fall into a hypnotic trance. Then the fun begins!

It is comedy like no other. Mainly because YOU and YOUR FRIENDS are the stars of the show!

### Bubble Wonders with Geoff Akins-Hannah

Geoff Akins-Hannah has been entertaining, educating, and empowering children and adults alike worldwide for over 30 years with his gentle spirit, sense of humor and gift of rapport. Inspired by his life-altering experiences as a teacher in Waldorf and Special Education he created The Bubble Wonders Show to convey the message that "Anything is Possible!"

This interactive performance is full of fun bubble tricks and positive messages about following your dreams. Bubble Wonders is fun, inspiring, and educational, and captivates both young and old alike. Enjoy lots of amazing bubble tricks, including the bubble caterpillar, bubble volcano, the dancing bubble, bubbles inside of bubbles, the bubble cube, kid inside a bubble, and more!



## WHAT'S NEW IN 2019 (continued):

### A Little Bit of Rock & Roll and A Little Bit of Country

The Cuyahoga County Fair invites you to take a walk down Memory Lane on Friday, August 9th with **Frank Amato's "Cleveland All-Stars"** in a tribute to Cleveland Music. Covers from The Raspberries, the James Gang, The Pretenders, and much, much more.

Cuyahoga County Fair proudly welcomes Country Music Night to the Cuyahoga County Fair featuring ACM's Best New Female Vocalist, **Ashley McBryde on Saturday, August 10<sup>th</sup> as part of "The Girl Going Nowhere" Tour.**

Presented by 99.5 WGAR & Conrad's Tire Express & Total Car Care.

## WHAT'S BACK IN 2019 (continued):

Cuyahoga County Fair in conjunction with **Amusements of America** will offer more kids, major & spectacular rides than ever before.

In addition, Amusements of America is this year's sponsor of the **"Family Morning Dance Party" on Saturday Morning, August 10<sup>th</sup> from 10am-12Noon.** Fair Gate Admission is just \$2 per person provided you have purchased by 12Noon. Plan early so your family won't be left out.

**Cleveland Indians "Slider"** is in the house for the **Saturday Morning "Family Dance Party"** from 10:30am-12:30pm. Slider will assist in judging those who dare to show us their "dance skills," and we'll have great prizes available, including: All-Day Ride Stamps, Otterbacher's Dippin' Dots, and Dave & Buster's Power Cards! Also, enjoy the FREE Photo Booth compliments of Amusements of America.

**Harness Horse Race Action** is back with a new race day (Tuesday, Opening Day) & a new race time (4PM). Come enjoy an afternoon of Horse Racing with a grand number of races & purses along with parimutuel wagering.

**Fireworks! Fireworks! And more Fireworks!** Enjoy dazzling fireworks displays on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of Fair Week.



## **DISCOUNT DAYS AT 2019 CUYAHOGA COUNTY FAIR**

### **TUESDAY, AUGUST 6<sup>TH</sup> IS OPENING DAY OF THE COUNTY FAIR!**

Tuesday, August 6<sup>th</sup> – ALL AGE GROUPS can enjoy a Buy One Fair Gate Admission/Get One Fair Gate Admission FREE – ALL DAY! Fair Gates Open at 12Noon with Rides opening at 3PM. Ride Stamps Available till 11PM closing for just \$10.

### **OLD-FASHIONED DOLLAR DAYS – WED, AUG 7<sup>TH</sup> & THURS, AUG 8<sup>TH</sup> TILL 3PM!**

Wednesday & Thursday ONLY! – Just \$1 till 3PM! Show up before 3pm and gain admission to fair for just \$1 Buck with ALL AGE GROUPS welcome! Once inside, All-Day Discounted Ride Stamps available for just \$15 if purchased by 3PM on Wednesday & Thursday ONLY! After 3PM till 11PM closing – Ride Stamps \$20.

### **FRI, AUG 9<sup>TH</sup> IS SENIOR AND VETERAN'S DAY AT THE COUNTY FAIR!**

Seniors 60 and older along with Veteran's (DD-214, American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, or Armed Forces) showing proper ID, Membership Cards or Armed Forces Symbol on Driver's License gain fair gate admission for just \$2 from 12Noon opening thru 5PM ONLY!

Also, on Friday, bring a friend to the fair and buy one (1) All-Day Ride Stamp and Friend rides for FREE until 6PM.

### **AMUSEMENTS OF AMERICA "FAMILY MORNING DANCE PARTY" SAT, AUG 10<sup>TH</sup> 10AM-NOON!**

Just \$2 per person fair gate admission from 10am-Noon ONLY! Also from 10am -Noon, all kiddie rides will be just one (1) ticket (\$1.25 each). All-Day Ride Stamps will be available for \$22. At 10:30am, we're expecting a special guest to drop in on our dance party: the Cleveland Indians "Slider"! Enjoy the Amusements of America FREE Photo Booth along with the chance to win some valuable prizes including FREE All-Day Ride Stamps, Dippin' Dots and Dave & Buster's Power Cards.

**Outside of special promotional days and times, the purchase of an All-Day Ride Stamp is \$22!**

**For all Discount Days - we would suggest you wrangle the herd and plan your visit - we just don't want anyone to be left out...but rules are rules, partner.**



## **GRANDSTAND ATTRACTIONS 2019**

### **Features Fireworks Shows Wednesday, Thursday & Friday**

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#### **TUESDAY GRANDSTAND ACTION**

Harness Horse Racing with pari-mutuel wagering starting at 4PM.  
Admission: **FREE** Grandstand Seating with paid fair gate admission of \$7.  
Event Description: Come Bet on the Trotters and Win Big

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#### **WEDNESDAY GRANDSTAND ACTION**

Draft Horse Pull sponsored by The Cuyahoga County Farm Bureau & Cuyahoga County Agricultural Society Horse Barn Management – Show Time: 7:30PM  
Admission: **FREE** Grandstand Seating with paid fair gate admission of \$7  
Event Description: Come see for yourself the Amazing Power of these animals!

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#### **THURSDAY GRANDSTAND ENTERTAINMENT**

**TUFF TRUCK RACING & POWER WHEELS DEMO DERBY** – Show Time 8PM  
Admission: \$8.00  
Tickets may be purchased online or at the Grandstand Box Office. Box Office Hours 6-8-30PM.  
Regular Fair Gate Admission Applies of \$7.  
Event Description: Watch stock and modified pro trucks race in a series of events, including an obstacle course, mud bog, and free style.

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#### **SUNDAY GRANDSTAND ENTERTAINMENT**

**Demolition Derby Qualifier** - 3PM.  
Tickets may be purchased online or at the Grandstand Box Office. Box Office Hours Noon-3PM.  
Admission: 3PM Qualifier \$8 (Does Not Include Regular Fair Gate Admission of \$8)

**Demolition Derby Championship Finals** - 7PM.  
Tickets may be purchased online or at the Grandstand Box Office. Grandstand Box Office Hours 6PM-7:30PM  
Admission: 7PM Championship Final \$10 (Does Not Include Regular Fair Gate Admission of \$8)



**Event Information ALERT!!!** Cars & Drivers still needed for competition. – visit [cuyfair.com](http://cuyfair.com) for more details including how you can find a car, participate, be eligible for prize monies & trophies.

## **GRANDSTAND ATTRACTIONS 2019 (continued)** **Features Fireworks Show Wednesday, Thursday & Friday**

### **FRIDAY GRANDSTAND ENTERTAINMENT**

Frank Amato's Cleveland "All-Stars" Concert with openers Sage (7:10pm), and Tricia & Art (7:30pm)

**Event Description:** Showcasing a tribute to Cleveland Music with variety of your favorite covers and more.

**Show Time: 8PM (Doors: 7PM)**

**Grandstand Box Office Hours 6-8:30PM**

**ADVANCED GA: \$20 (+ service fees) includes Fair Admission**

**ADVANCED VIP Track Seating: \$25 (+ service fees) includes Fair Admission**

Presale tickets include Fair Admission. If you purchase day of show, you'll have to pay the \$8 Fair Admission at the gate, then pay for concert tickets at the Grandstand Box Office.

**Admission: Advance tickets may be purchased online at [cuyfair.com](http://cuyfair.com)**

### **SATURDAY GRANDSTAND ENTERTAINMENT**

The Grandstand Concert Series proudly features Ashley McBryde – "The Girl Going Nowhere" Tour.

Enjoy Cleveland's Own Kurt Freeman opening for Ashley

**Show Time: 8PM (Doors: 6:30PM)**

**Grandstand Box Office Hours 5:30-8:30PM**

**ADVANCED GA: \$37.50 (+ service fees). Advance online purchases receive FREE Fair Admission.**

**ADVANCED VIP Track Seating: \$42.50 (+ service fees). Advance online purchases receive FREE Fair Admission.**

Presale tickets include FREE Fair Admission. If you purchase day of show, you'll have to pay the \$8 Fair Admission at the gate, then purchase concert tickets at the above listed prices at the Grandstand Box Office.

**Admission: Advance tickets may be purchased online at [cuyfair.com](http://cuyfair.com)**



## ANNUAL FAMILY TRADITIONS & OTHER FEATURED ATTRACTIONS THROUGHOUT FAIR WEEK

- Arts & Crafts (Home & Hobby/Culinary Exhibits) with Craft Demonstrations
- Beer & Wine Gardens
- Bee Keeping Exhibits including Honey Extractions
- Bubble Wonders with Geoff Akins-Hannah
- Cleveland Blues Society
- Demolition Derbies
- Dog Agility Demonstrations (4H Clubs)
- Draft Horse & Pony Hitch Classes + Draft Horse Pull with Lightweight & Heavyweight Competitions
- Drew Murray Magic Show
- Elvis is Back in the Building with Brian Brenner
- Farm Animals
- Fireworks Wednesday, Thursday and Friday
- Floral, Herb & Garden Produce Displays
- Hoopernova – Local Hula Hooping Troupe will perform throughout weekend
- Horse Expo Educational Demonstrations (4-H Clubs)
- Hypnotist David Anthony
- Jason D’Vaude Variety Show & Art of Fire Show
- Jungle Bob
- Junior Fair Bake-Off Auction & Junior Fair with Youth Exhibits including Various Animal Showcases
- Live-Stock Auction (4-H Clubs)
- Milking Cow
- National Model Railroad Association Train Display
- Sand Sculptor Carl Jara in the Floral Building
- Senior Citizen Shuttles Available
- Square Dancing
- Swifty Swine Pig Races
- Traditional Fair Food with large variety of other Culinary Delights





.....and so much more to do, to see and to experience...visit [cuyfair.com](http://cuyfair.com)

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## MEDIA DAY – “OPENING DAY” – Tuesday, August 6<sup>th</sup> – ALL DAY!

Cleveland Media Partners are invited to join us on “Opening Day” – Show your Station Identification and you along with up to 3 other Family Members will be admitted for FREE at Fair Gate Entrance #2 (Off Eastland Road ONLY) from 12Noon Opening thru 11PM.

Media Release & More 2019 Cuyahoga County Fair  
“Attraction” Details at [cuyfair.com](http://cuyfair.com)

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