



**WHAT:** The 119<sup>th</sup> Annual Cuyahoga County Fair “We’re Going to the Fair”

**WHEN:** August 10<sup>th</sup> thru August 16<sup>th</sup>, 2015

**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:**

- Monday 5-11PM
- Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday Noon-11PM
- Saturday 10AM – 11PM
- Sunday Noon-10PM

**MORE INFO:** [www.cuyfair.com](http://www.cuyfair.com) or follow the fair at [www.facebook.com/cuyfair](https://www.facebook.com/cuyfair) or [www.twitter.com/cuyfair](https://www.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 Gate Admission with Seniors & Children under 12 just \$6. Active Military with Valid ID Card & Children 3 and Under FREE all week long.

Purchase Five (5) General Fair Gate Admission Tickets in advance (on or before Monday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>) at Fair Board Office for just \$25/Savings of \$10.

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.*

### **MIDWAY RIDE TICKETS:**

- Individual Tickets Available – \$2 Per Ticket with each ride costing 1 ticket
- All-Day Ride Bands \$16
- All-Day Half-Price Ride Bands - **\$8 Available on Wednesday & Thursday ONLY if purchased by 3PM.**



## **NEW IN 2015:**

- **More Rides and Attractions than ever before with the newly expanded South Midway**
- **There will be a little bit of Country and a Whole Lot of Rock & Roll with the Grandstand Concert Series. Thursday kicks off the Musical Performances with Country Music's Parmalee bringing their hits "Musta Had a Good Time" and "Carolina" to the Grandstand Stage. Then on Friday Night come with your rock attitude and your face painted and pay tribute to Rock Legend Kiss with Tribute Band "Mr. Speed" in the Grandstand. Then returning on Saturday Night with their 20<sup>th</sup> Year Anniversary Tour "Wish You Were Here" returns by popular demand to the Cuyahoga County Fair Stage bringing you the Sight and Sound of Pink Floyd**
- **Ohio Flags of Honor – Traveling Display of Flags to help facilitate fellowship for families, friends and communities who want to pay tribute to Ohio's fallen soldiers and raise public awareness and support for Ohio's returning veterans**
- **Professor Bubblemaker – [bubbles-and-fleas.com](http://bubbles-and-fleas.com)**
- **Skin & Bones Animal Comedy Circus – [skinandbonesentertainment.com](http://skinandbonesentertainment.com)**
- **Globe of Death featuring the Fearless Flores Family – [ffthrill.com](http://ffthrill.com)**
- **Over 100 Food Vendors with Traditional Fair Food and Other Culinary Delights**
- **Over 175 Merchant Booths with a Variety of your Favorite Crafts, Housewares, Jewelry, along with community and governmental agencies.**
- **Cleveland Metroparks Presents "Ohio's Comeback Stories"**
- **When you were a kid, did you ever have matchbox cars and crash them into each other? This is your chance to do that in real life. It's exciting! It's exhilarating! It's mayhem! Be a part of the still kicking piece of Americana and take part in the Cuyahoga County Fair Demolition Derby. Still the fair's largest drawing grandstand event each year - there are cash prizes (over \$3,000), trophies and bragging rights to be had. The Fair and Demolition Derby Production Team have teamed up with Sugar Ridge Auto Recycling this year to make it possible for you to compete and be named 2015 Cuyahoga County Fair Demolition Derby Champion. Details available at [cuyfair.com](http://cuyfair.com)**



## **“SPECIAL RATE DAYS” at the Fair this Year Includes:**

**\*MONDAY** “\$2 BUCK DAY” – Bring a non-perishable/unexpired food item to help local food banks and get in fair gate for just \$2.

**MONDAY GRANDSTAND ACTION:** Demolition Derby Qualifier – Show Time 8PM!

Admission: \$8

**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.

## **MEDIA DAY – “OPENING DAY” – Monday, August 10<sup>th</sup> from 5PM till Close:**

Cleveland Media Personnel are invited on “Opening Day” – Show your Station Identification and you along with up to 3 other Family Members will be admitted for FREE! Media Personnel encouraged to bring a non-perishable/unexpired food item for donation to local food banks as part of \$2 Buck Day at the County Fair.

**\*TUESDAY** “2 FOR TUESDAY’S” – Buy One Fair Gate Admission and receive a 2<sup>nd</sup> Fair Gate Admission FREE.

**TUESDAY GRANDSTAND ACTION:** Harness Horse Racing with sanctioned pari-mutuel betting starting at 1PM

Admission: FREE

**\*WEDNESDAY** “FREE BEFORE 3” – Arrive and be in Gate by 3PM for FREE Admittance with all ages welcome.

**WEDNESDAY GRANDSTAND ACTION:** Draft Horse Pull sponsored by The Cuyahoga County Farm Bureau –

Show Time: 7PM

Admission: FREE

**\*THURSDAY** “FREE BEFORE 3” – Arrive and be in Gate by 3PM for FREE Admittance with all ages welcome.

Grandstand Concert Series Thursday featuring Parmalee - Show Time 8PM

Visit [cuyfair.com](http://cuyfair.com) for advanced discount tickets

Admission: VIP Track Seating \$15 Advance/\$18 Day of Show and

\$5 GA Advance/\$8 Day of Show

**\*FRIDAY, SATURDAY & SUNDAY** Regular Fair Gate Admissions Apply.

## **Friday GRANDSTAND ENTERTAINMENT:**

Grandstand Concert Series Friday featuring The Kiss Tribute Band “Mr Speed”

Show Time: 8PM

Visit [cuyfair.com](http://cuyfair.com) for advance VIP tickets

Admission: VIP Track Seating \$5/General Admission: FREE



**SATURDAY GRANDSTAND ENTERTAINMENT:**

Classic Concert Series The Pink Floyd Tribute Band “Wish You Were Here” presented by 98.5 WNCX  
Show Time: 8PM

Visit [wncx.com](http://wncx.com) for advance tickets

Admission: VIP Track Seating \$20 Advance/\$24 Day of Show and  
\$9.85 GA Advance/\$12 Day of Show

**SUNDAY GRANDSTAND ACTION:** - Demolition Derby Qualifier at 3PM and 7PM Championship Finals on Sunday.

Admission: 3PM Qualifier \$8/7PM Championship Final \$10

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**ANNUAL FAMILY TRADITIONS & OTHER FEATURED**  
**ATTRACTIONS Throughout Fair Week:**

- Alpaca Display
- Antique Tractor Demonstrations
- Arts & Crafts (Home & Hobby/Culinary Exhibits) with Craft Demonstrations
- Beer & Wine Gardens
- Bee Keeping Exhibits including Honey Extractions
- Belly of The Beast – A Sight to behold!
- Blend – 50’s Acapella Doo Wop Group
- Cleveland Blues Society with “Blue Lunch” featured on Wednesday
- Cleveland Metroparks Presents “Ohio’s Comeback Stories”
- Concerts in the Grandstand
- Cuyahoga County Board of Health Chef Demonstrations along with food safety, menu planning & smart shopping, hand washing & healthy living, sustainability (local growers, using leftovers, conserving energy) and home safety topics including fire prevention
- Demolition Derby
- Dog Agility Demonstrations (4H Clubs)
- Draft Horse & Pony Hitch Classes
- Draft Horse Pull with Lightweight & Heavyweight Competitions
- Elvis is Back in the Building with Brian Brenner – See him perform Tuesday thru Sunday
- Farm Animals
- Fireworks Tuesday Evening



- Floral, Herb & Garden Produce Displays
- Geauga County Fair Band Performs Saturday
- Globe of Death
- Harness Horse Racing with Sanctioned Pari-mutuel Betting
- OPEN Horse Show
- Horse Expo Educational Demonstrations (4-H Clubs)
- Jam Dance Academy
- Jasmine Dragons – Silk Aerialists
- Jungle Bob
- Junior Fair Bake-Off Auction & Junior Fair with Youth Exhibits
- Live-Stock Auction (4-H Clubs)
- Magic & Illusions of John Steven Bloom
- Merchant Buildings with over 175 Merchants selling their Wares and Services
- More Midway Games & Rides in our Newly Expanded South Midway
- Milking Cow
- Modern-Western Square Dancing
- Ohio Flags of Honor – Traveling Display of Flags to help facilitate fellowship for families, friends and communities who want to pay tribute to Ohio's fallen soldiers and raise public awareness and support for Ohio's returning veterans
- Professor Bubble-Maker
- Senior Citizen Shuttles Available
- Singing Angels
- Skin & Bones Animal Comedy Circus
- SPAM Recipe Contest
- Sustainability Center
- Traditional Fair Food with large variety of other Culinary Delights (Over 100 Food Vendors)
- Unicyclist Wade Henry
- WBNX "The CW Lounge" onsite with Contests and Exciting Details on Fall Season
- Wind Turbine – Walk & Talk Turbine Tours
- Woodcarving Featuring Chainsaw Carvers

**Media Release & More 2015 Cuyahoga County Fair "Attraction" Details & Fun Facts available after June 15, 2015 at [cuyfair.com](http://cuyfair.com) or by contacting:**

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