

Carnival Ride Specials

THURSDAY- Family Night- rides for \$!

3:00 pm - 10:00 pm

FRIDAY - Pay \$20.00 and ride from

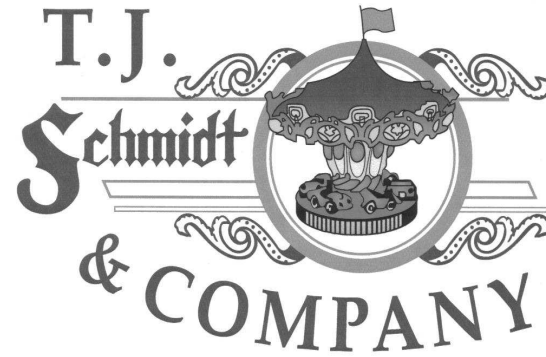
12:00 noon - 10:00 pm

SATURDAY - Pay \$20.00 and ride from

12:00 noon - 10:00 pm

SUNDAY - Pay \$15.00 and ride from

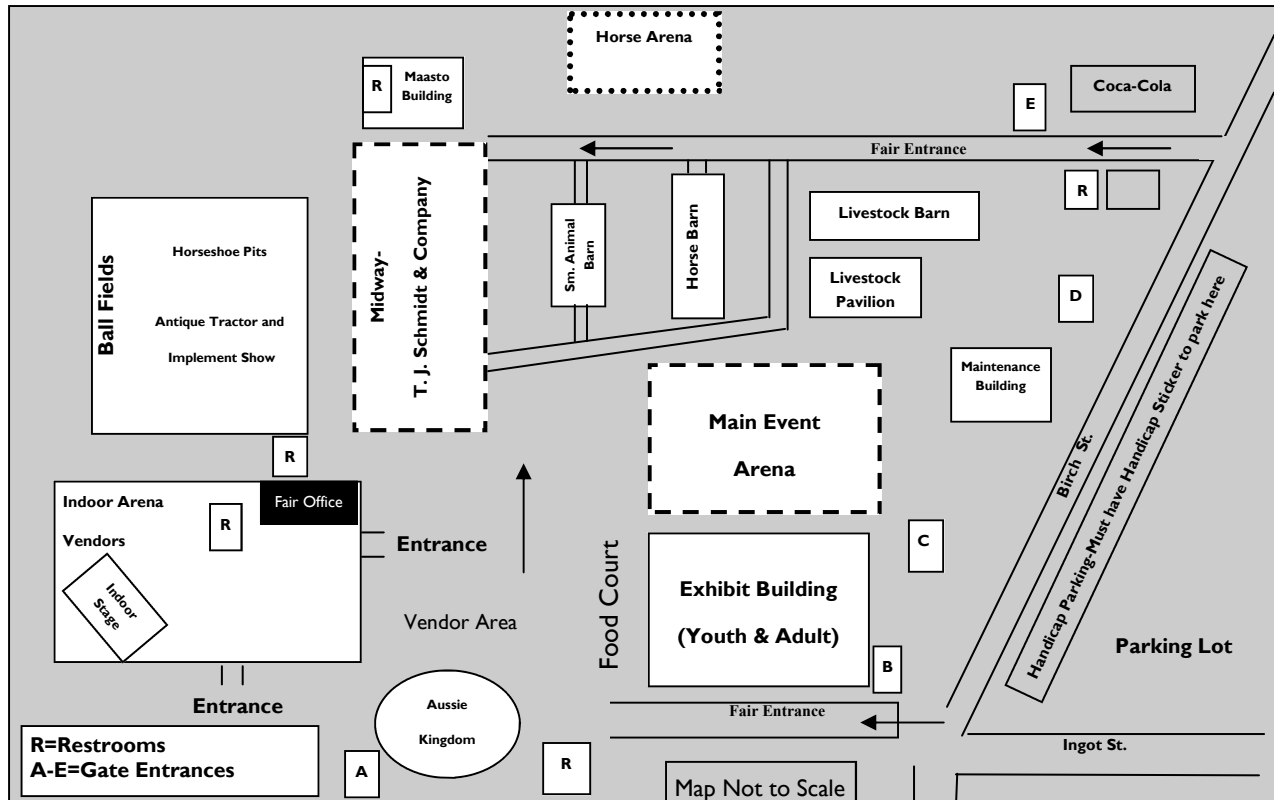
12:00 noon - 5:00 pm



Entertainment included with Admission, except Carnival Rides
(see Carnival Ride Specials)

Only seeing eye dogs and service dogs allowed on the fairgrounds.

To get to the fairgrounds take US Hwy 41, north on Ethel, and west on Ingot
OR M203 west to Birch, and proceed north on Birch.



General Admission Fees

4-DAY PASS AT THE GATE

Adult (16 and over) \$15
Youth (8-15): \$10

DAILY GATE FEE:

Thursday, Friday, Sunday \$5
Saturday (adults) \$7
Youth (8-15) \$5
Under the age of 8: Free

One Day Family Pass \$20
(2 adults & 4 children, 15 and under)

Passes can be purchased in advance 1 month before
the fair starts at:

Fair Office, Northwood's Sporting Goods,
or Superior National Bank Branches
(Pre-Fair Prices)

Adult 4-day Pass \$13.00
Child 4-Day Pass \$8.00



COUPON

Clip out to enter a daily drawing for prizes at the Houghton County fair. Original coupon only.

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Deposit in special drawing box located at different locations throughout the fair.

**"Hometown Pride
shared County Wide"**

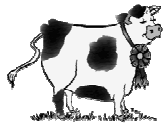
**58th Annual
Houghton
County Fair
August 27-30, 2009**



**Miss Houghton County Fair
Queen 2008
Amber Harris**

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Houghton County Fair

Thank You to our
Major Show Sponsors

Portage Health System and Superior National Bank and Trust—Aussie Kingdom

Great Lakes Mutual Insurance Co.— Miss Teen Houghton County Pageant

Dan's Polaris, DP Construction, M&M Power Sports, Monte Carlo, Superior Sand and Gravel— Motocross

Chassell VFW Men's Auxiliary 6507—Senior Citizens' Day Program

Copper Range Abstract and Title—Farm Tractor Pull& Draft Horse Show

Toucan Auto, Keweenaw Petroleum Services and Auto Pro Glass and Tire—Off Road Derby

Houghton Keweenaw 4-H Council—Livestock Skill-a-thon

Stony Acres Hog Farm and Fred & Bonnie Jones—Kid's Fun Day

Knight's of Columbus Hancock Council 692—Youth Talent Show

Matt's Auto Glass and Body Repair—Draft Horse Pull

CD's Maple Acres & Wonderland Ranch—Parade of Horses

B. Patient Auctioneer Service—Livestock Auction

Superior Sand and Gravel, Superior Rent-All and Sales, Domino's Pizza—Monster Truck

Trail Creek Motors and Outdoors and Tony's Towing, Range Bank, RC Mechanical, Keweenaw Gas Cooperative—Demolition Derby

Frank's True Value Hardware—Local music on the Indoor Stage

UPPCO —General Sponsors

2009 Schedule of Events

Antique Tractor/Implement Show (Ball field)
Display on all days.

Thursday, August 27

- 10:00 am Youth Horse Show
- 3:00 pm TJ Schmidt & Co. Midway Opens
NEW - MONSTER TRUCK RIDES during carnival hours
- 4:00 pm Aussie Kingdom on the midway
- 5:00 pm Bob-Jason-Ben Juggling Show—Roving
- 6:00 pm Bob-Jason-Ben Juggling Show (Exhibit Building)
- 6:00 pm Exhibit Buildings Open
- 6:00 pm Poultry/Rabbit Show (Small Animal Barn)
- 6:30 pm Miss Teen Houghton County Pageant (Indoor Stage)
- 7:00 pm Aussie Kingdom on the midway
- 7:00 pm Motocross (Main Event Arena)
- 8:30 pm Vocalist Courtney Clisch (Indoor Stage)
- 9:00 pm Aussie Kingdom on the midway
- 10:00 pm Exhibit Buildings Close, TJ Schmidt & Co.
Midway Remains Open

Friday, August 28

- 9:00 am Swine Show (Livestock Pavilion)
- 11:00 am Market Steer Show (Livestock Pavilion)
- 11:00 am Bob-Jason-Ben Juggling Show—Roving
- 12 Noon TJ Schmidt & Co. Midway Opens
NEW - MONSTER TRUCK RIDES during carnival hours
- Noon-4 Senior Citizens' Day Program (Age 55 and over)
lunch, entertainment, prize drawings (Indoor Arena)
- 12 Noon Dairy and Beef Show (Livestock Pavilion)
- 12 Noon Ruth E. Best Homemaker of the Year (FCE) and Open Class Exhibits Awards
- 12:30 pm Chicago Honey Bear Dancers (Indoor Stage)
- 1:00 pm Bob-Jason-Ben Juggling Show (Exhibit Building)
- 1:00 pm Equine Freestyle Demonstration (Horse Arena).
- 1:30 pm Local Country Music (Indoor Stage)
- 2:00 pm Aussie Kingdom on the midway
- 3:00 pm Sheep and Goat Show (Livestock Pavilion)
- 3:00 pm Bob-Jason-Ben Juggling Show (Indoor Stage)
- 4:30 pm Aussie Kingdom on the midway
- 5:00 pm Horse Jumping Show (Horse Arena)

- 5:00 pm Chicago Honey Bear Dancers (Indoor Stage)
- 5:00 pm Bob-Jason-Ben Juggling Show (Exhibit Building)
- 6:00 pm Farm Tractor Pull (Main Event Arena)
- 7:00 pm Bret & Frisk (Variety Music from the 60's and 70's)
Indoor Stage
- 7:30 pm Aussie Kingdom on the Midway
- 8:30 pm Off Road Derby (Main Event Arena)
- 9:00 pm Chicago Honey Bear Dancers (Indoor Stage)
- 10:00 pm Exhibit Buildings Close, TJ Schmidt and Co.
Midway Remains Open

Saturday, August 29

- 9:00 am Livestock Skill-a-thon (Livestock Barn)
- 10:00 am Draft Horse Halter/Driving Show (Horse Arena)
- 10:30 am Indoor Arena Opens for Honey Bear Workshop
- 11:00 am Honey Bear Dancers workshop (Indoor Stage)
FREE with Admission to fair
- 11:00 am Celebrity Horseshoe Pitching Contest; Hancock vs. Houghton (Horseshoe Pit in Ballfield)
- 11:30 am Exhibit Buildings Open
- 12 Noon Kid's Fun Day (Exhibit Building)
- 12 Noon TJ Schmidt & Co. Midway Opens
NEW - MONSTER TRUCK RIDES during carnival hours
- 12 Noon Horse Shoe Pitching Tournament (singles)
registration 11 am (Horseshoe Pit in Ballfield)
- 12:20 pm Bob-Jason-Ben Juggling Show (Indoor Stage)
- 12:30 pm Aussie Kingdom on the midway
- 1:00 pm Youth Talent Show (Indoor Stage)
- 1:30 pm Parade of Horses (from Horse Barn to Main Event Arena)
- 2:30 pm Chicago Honey Bear Dancers
- 3:00 pm Bob-Jason-Ben Juggling Show (Exhibit Building)
- 3:00 pm Open Horse Show - Games (Horse Arena)
- 3:00 pm Draft Horse Pull (Main Arena)
- 3:30 pm Aussie Kingdom on the Midway
- 4:00 pm Bob-Jason-Ben Juggling Show (Roving)
- 4:30 pm Livestock Auction (Livestock Pavilion)
- 5:00 pm Music By: Tom Katalin (Indoor Stage)
- 6:30 pm South Range VFW Veteran's Program (Main Event Arena)
- 7:00 pm Bob-Jason-Ben Juggling Show (Indoor Stage)
- 7:30 pm Aussie Kingdom on the midway
- 8:00 pm Monster Truck's (Main Event Arena)

- 9:00 pm Chicago Honey Bear Dancers (Indoor Stage) – Last Performance
- 10:00 pm Exhibit Buildings Close, TJ Schmidt & Co.
Midway Remains Open

Sunday, August 30

- 9:00 am Open Horse Show (Horse Arena) **NEW TIME**
- 11:30 am Exhibit Buildings Open
- 12 Noon Horseshoe Pitching Tournament
(doubles) register 11 am (Horseshoe Pit in Ballfield)
- 12 Noon TJ Schmidt & Co. Midway Opens
- 12 Noon Aussie Kingdom on the midway
- 12 Noon Danny Becia (Indoor Stage)
- 12:30 pm Bob-Jason-Ben Juggling Show (Indoor Stage)
- 1:00 pm Panhandlers Old Country Music (Indoor Stage)
- 1:30 pm Aussie Kingdom on the midway
- 2:00 pm Demolition Derby Car/Minivans (Main Event Arena)
- 3:00 pm Bob-Jason-Ben Juggling Show (Indoor Stage)
- 3:30 pm Aussie Kingdom on the midway
- 5:00 pm Exhibit Buildings Close, TJ Schmidt & Co. Midway Remains Open
Exhibits Released 5–6:30 pm

Ride the People Mover

Sponsored by Lakeside Auto
from the parking lot to the gates

Pets, alcohol, personal motorized vehicles, bicycles, scooters, or rollerblades are not permitted on the fairgrounds during fair hours.

