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MONMOUTH COUNTY FAIR OFFERS THRILLS



FREEHOLD --- Think you can handle ***Zero Gravity?*** Ride the ***Rip Tide?*** Soar on the ***Sky Flyer?*** Find out by heading to the ***50th Annual Monmouth County Fair*** and checking out rides provided by Reithoffer Shows! Held Wednesday-Sunday, July 23-27, at East Freehold Showgrounds, Kozloski Road, Freehold, this annual tradition is presented by the Monmouth County Board of County Commissioners in cooperation with the Monmouth County Park System and the Monmouth County 4-H Association.

Other thrilling rides include the Super Himalaya, Pharaoh's Fury, and Rock Star. There will also be plenty of timeless favorites – the Tilt-a-Whirl, Ferris Wheel and Carousel – as well as a separate Kiddie Area. Highlights there include the Fun Slide, Wiggle Worm, and Mini Wave Swinger. In total, the Fair will feature 25 rides. Rides require wristbands. Riders can purchase one-day unlimited rides wristbands for \$30 on

Wednesday, Thursday and Sunday; and \$35 on Friday and Saturday. Rides are weather permitting. Please note that rides may have height requirements.

Besides the rides, the Fair also features live music, 4-H shows & exhibits, opening night fireworks (weather permitting), the Firefighters Competition, a pie-eating contest, and more. Highlights include acts such as ***DAWG Pro Wrestling presents DAWG Days of Summer, Andrew's Big Show, Bwana Jim Wildlife Show, Hilby the Skinny German Juggle Boy, Mutts Gone Nuts, Robinson's Racing Pigs, and Tommie Turvey's Stunt Horses & Dogs*** as well as strolling entertainment, the Home & Garden Competition, food and games.

The Fair is open 4-11 p.m. on Wednesday-Friday, July 23-25; 11 a.m.-11 p.m. on Saturday, July 26; and 11 a.m.-6 p.m. on Sunday, July 27. General admission to the Monmouth County Fair is \$10 per adult; children 12 and under are admitted free. Half price admission will be offered during the first two hours of each day; 4-6 p.m. Wednesday-Friday; and 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturday & Sunday. Veterans and active military with ID enter for free. On Sunday, seniors 65 and older and students with ID are free.

Be sure to follow the Monmouth County Park System on social media. Upcoming Fair contests will be announced on its Facebook, Twitter and Instagram pages, offering an opportunity to win admission tickets and more.

For the most current information about the Monmouth County Fair, visit www.MonmouthCountyFair.com or call 732-842-4000. For persons with hearing impairment, the TTY/TDD number is 711.

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