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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**  
**Friday, June 22, 2012**



*As fun as it is messy, the pie-eating contest is held on Sunday, July 29.*

FREEHOLD - On your mark, get set, eat! A splendidly messy pie-eating contest will take place on the last day of the Monmouth County Fair, Sunday, July 29. Children ages 12 and under will compete at 1pm and ages 13 and up at 1:15pm. Registration for both contests is at 11am in the Home and Garden Tent. Pies will be donated by Wemrock Orchards of Freehold. Afterwards, be sure to check out the rest of the Fair. Sunday highlights include one price wristbands (\$18, weather-permitting) for the rides, the Antique Auto Show and performances by the Latin sensation *3-D Rimto de Vida* and the always popular *1910 Fruit Gum Company*.

Fair hours are 5-11pm on Wednesday, July 25, Thursday, July 26, and Friday, July 27; 11am-11pm on Saturday, July 28; and 11am-6pm on Sunday, July 29. Admission is \$7

per person; children 12 and under are free. For more information about the Fair, visit [www.monmouthcountyfair.com](http://www.monmouthcountyfair.com), or call (732) 842-4000.

The Monmouth County Fair is organized and presented by the Monmouth County Park System in cooperation with the Monmouth County 4-H Association. The Monmouth County Park System, created in 1960 by the Monmouth County Board of Chosen Freeholders, is Monmouth County's Open Space, Parks and Recreation agency.

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