

SPECIAL ATTRACTIONS PROGRAMS

2025 EFFINGHAM COUNTY FAIR

Saturday, July 26th

7:30 a.m.	5K Run/Walk
9:00 a.m.	Car Show
	Sponsored by Heartland Towing
Noon – 10 p.m.	Cdubs Inflatables
Noon – 8 p.m.	Victory Lane Car Racing
6:00 p.m.	Pro Pulling League Champions Tour
	Sponsored by Beck's and Nelson Trucking

Sunday, July 27th

8:00 a.m.	Church in 4-H Arena
Noon – 8 p.m.	Victory Lane Car Racing
Noon – 10 p.m.	Cdubs Inflatables
Noon	Jeffers Memorial Stakes
	Sponsored by Leisure Times And Peoples Bank & Trust
2:00 p.m.	Community Showcase in Schuetzenfest Bldg
2:00 p.m.	Free Stage – Cole Burrell
4:30 p.m.	Parade in front of Grandstand
6:00 p.m.	Master Showmanship (4H Arena)
6:30 p.m.	Talent Show
7:30 p.m.	Jr. Miss Pageant and “Little Mister”

Monday, July 28th

Noon – 10 p.m.	Cdubs Inflatables
Noon	Illinois Standard Bred Racing
3:30, 5:30 p.m.	Community Showcase in Schuetzenfest Bldg
4:00 p.m.	Free Stage – Elaina Grace
6:30 p.m.	I.T.P.A. Truck, Tractor, and Garden Tractor Pull

Sponsored by Dust & Son and Wix Filters

Tuesday, July 29th

Noon	Illinois Standard Bred Racing
3:30, 5:30 p.m.	Community Showcase in Schuetzenfest Bldg
5:00 p.m.	Free Stage-Max Heuerman
6:00 p.m.	Luehrs Carnival
	Open Wrist Band Night
7:00 p.m.	Miss Effingham County Fair Queen Pageant & “Little Miss” Pageant

3 - \$100 Drawings-- -- Saturday Thru Friday After the Evening Event. **Must be present to win!**

***Free Stage Entertainment, next to Society Horse Barn, will perform sometime between 4 p.m. and 8 p.m.**

Wednesday, July 30th

Noon	Topline Harness Racing
Noon- 8:00 p.m.	Live Cartoon Show
3:30, 5:30 p.m.	Community Showcase in Schuetzenfest Bldg
5:00 p.m.	Free Stage – Balloons by Kimberly
5:00 p.m.	Luehrs Carnival Opens
	Family Bargain Night
5:00 p.m.	4-H Livestock Auction at 4-H Show Arena
7:00 p.m.	Pro Pulling League Champion Seed Western Series & Local Tractors/Semis
	Sponsored by Dust & Son and Wix Filters

Thursday, July 31st

Noon	Harness Racing
Noon- 8:00 p.m.	Live Cartoon Show
3:30, 5:30 p.m.	Community Showcase in Schuetzenfest Bldg
5:00 p.m.	Free Stage – Jacob Kuhns
6:00 p.m.	Luehrs Carnival Opens
	Wrist Band Night
7:30 p.m.	Rodeo

Sponsored by Rural King

Friday, August 1st

Noon	Harness Racing/Kids Racing
3:30, 5:30 p.m.	Community Showcase in Schuetzenfest Bldg
3:30 p.m.	Kid's Pedal Pull and Safety Day in 4-H Arena
5:00 p.m.	Free Stage – Evan Williamson
6:00 p.m.	Luehrs Carnival Opens
	“2 for 1 Night”
7:30 p.m.	Dylan Scott Concert with Jake & Mikayla

Sponsored by A-1 Emergency Medical Service and Land of Lincoln Credit Union & Nick Patton Country Financial

Saturday, August 2nd

9:30 – Noon	C.O.P.S.- Kids & Teens Day
	Effingham Co. School Resource Officers
2:00 – 7:00 p.m.	Luehrs Carnival Opens
	“Last Blast” Wrist Band
5:00 p.m.	Free Stage – The Multineers
6:30 p.m.	Demolition Derby

Sponsored by Tri-Power Towing

***See page 12 for Livestock Schedule**

***See page 44 for Community Showcase Information**

***See page 136 for more Carnival Information**

Glen Mathias Memorial Scholarship Program

1. After the evening event, we draw three \$100 winners. Winners must be present to win.
2. The three winners will nominate a school to qualify for the Fair Scholarship.
3. On the night of the fair board annual meeting, we will have a drawing of the schools represented.
4. Two schools are then drawn to receive a \$500 scholarship.
5. Kirby Foods, McDonalds, Luehrs Ideal Rides, and Fair Board presents scholarship to winning schools.
6. In March or April of 2026, students from winning schools will submit applications for this scholarship.
7. Application will include writing a 200-word essay on “Why is Agriculture Important to Effingham County”. Judging will also be based on school activities and fair involvement.
8. Scholarship is then awarded to selected student at a time selected by the school.