

## 2018 Fair Schedule

### Weekly Deals:

All day carnival wristband \$30. Mega Pass Wristband: unlimited rides Monday-Friday (*expires Friday 9pm*). Super Pass Wristband: ride the whole run of Fair!

\$3 Gate Admission, FREE before 3pm ONLY (Mon.-Fri.).

*Coors Tent Happy Hour - \$1 off domestic beers from 5pm-7pm.*

German Tent: \$5 cover charge after 6pm, FREE with Grandstand Pass.

Things to See: Lanky the Clown, Freshman Impact-Soule Grass, Messy Mania-Fine Arts Grass, Robo Cars, D-Kardist Magician, Journey Into Space-all day or special shows 2:30pm 4:30pm & 6pm, Chicken Poop Bingo 6pm (Poultry Barn), 4-H 50/50 Raffle

### Thursday, Aug 16

#### 4 pm

Open Class Entries accepted until 7 pm (exceptions: Rabbits and Poultry) - Fine Arts, Creative Arts, Creative Hobbies, Leather Shop and Horticulture Bldg

### Friday, Aug. 17:

Fair Hours: 3 pm - Midnight

Boy Scouts Food Drive: [Bring a non-perishable food item and receive FREE gate admission to the fair.](#)

*Things to see: Bunny's Heros*

#### 9 am

Open Class Entries accepted until 12:45 pm (exception: Rabbits and Poultry) - Fine Arts, Creative Arts, Creative Hobbies, Leather Shop and Horticulture Bldgs.

#### 10 am

4-H Fashion Revue Judging-- Walter Taylor 4-H Bldg.

#### 12:30 pm

4-H Special Foods Contest-- Walter Taylor 4-H Bldg.

#### 1 pm

Open Class Judging (all Bldgs. closed to outside public)- Fine Arts, Creative Arts, Creative Hobbies, Leather Shop and Horticulture Bldgs.

#### 3 pm

**Central States Fair Ribbon Cutting, Official Opening of the 73<sup>rd</sup> Fair- McDonald's Stage**

#### 3:30 pm

Kevin Phillips, music of the Rat Pack - McDonald's Stage

#### 4 pm

On Your Toes Dance Studio, dance group- Soule Family Stage

#### 5 pm

Jacob Johnson, music- Coors Tent

On Your Toes Dance Studio, dance group- McDonald's Stage

#### 5:30 pm

Charlie Martin, comedian – Soule Family Stage

#### 6:30 pm

Charlie Martin, comedian – McDonald's Stage

**7 pm**

**Supercross Race- WW Grandstand Arena**

7 pm

Rick Borger & the Average German Band- German Tent

Keg Tapping Ceremony- German Tent

7:30 pm

Live music- Coors Tents

9 pm

Tyzen, Hypnotist- McDonald's Stage

Layla with Twenty One 20, music- Coors Tent

11 pm

Tyzen, Hypnotist- McDonald's Stage

**Saturday, Aug. 18:**

**Kids' Day!**

**Fair Open Noon–Midnight**

*Things to see: Bunny's Heros*

8 am

AQHA Horse Show- Bray Arena & James Kjerstad Event Center

9am

Open Class Rabbit Show, judging- Rabbits Bldg.

12 pm

Open Class, 4-H and Soule Vendors Open (closes at 7 pm daily)

Culinary Showdown: German Chocolate Cake (*Youth & Adult Divisions*)- Creative Arts

Culinary Bake Sale- Creative Arts

4-H Robotics Challenge- Walter Taylor 4-H Bldg.

Longhorn Livestock Display- Beef Barn

12:30 pm

SD Queens Talent Show – Soule Family Stage

1 pm

Hot Shot Dance Camp, dance- McDonald's Stage

South Dakota Brewery Beer Tasting (ends at 4 pm), Bob Grimm Band- German Tent

2 pm

Kids Cash Scramble (6 & Under), *sponsored by BankWest*- Fine Arts Kiddie Land

Demonstration: Quilting Top Techniques- Fine Arts North

Dexter Cattle Show – Livestock Show Ring, Soule Grass

Cirque Zuma Zuma, acrobats – Soule Family Stage

2:30 pm

Indigenous People: Fashion Show- McDonald's Stage

4-H Rabbit Show and Rabbit Skillathon– Rabbit Bldg.

3:30 pm

Kids Karaoke/Open Mic – Soule Family Stage

Indigenous People: Flute Session- McDonald's Stage; Storytelling at Tipi's

4 pm

Indigenous People: Dance Demonstration- McDonald's Stage

4:30 pm

Kids Karaoke/Open Mic – Soule Family Stage

5 pm

Indigenous People: Sequoia Crosswhite, music- McDonald's Stage

Live music- Coors Tent

4-H Style Show– Walter Taylor 4-H Bldg.

6 pm

Indigenous People: Brandon Sprague - McDonald's Stage

Rabbit Show & Rabbit Skillathon-Walter Taylor 4-H Bldg.

6:30 pm

Cirque Zuma Zuma, acrobats – Soule Family Stage

**7 pm**

**Mountain States Ford Demolition Derby- WW Grandstand Arena**

7 pm

Rick Borger & the Average German Band- German Tent

7:15 pm

Indigenous People: Brandis Knutson – McDonald's Stage

7:30 pm

Live Entertainment, music - Coors Tent

8 pm

Cirque Zuma Zuma, acrobats – McDonald's Stage

9 pm

Tyzen, Hypnotist- McDonald's Stage

Layla with Twenty One 20, music- Coors Tent

11 pm

Tyzen, Hypnotist- McDonald's Stage

**Sunday, Aug. 19: Kids Day!**

**Fair Open Noon–Midnight**

*Things to see: Bunny's Heros*

8 am

AQHA Horse Show –Bray Arena & James Kjerstad Event Center

9 am

Poultry, Waterfowl & Rare Bird Entries (Accepted until 7:30 pm)- Poultry Bldg.

World Qualifying Longhorn Show- Livestock Show Ring, Soule Grass

12 pm

Open Class, 4-H and Soule Vendors Open (closes at 7 pm daily)

4-H Consumer Decision Making Contest (until 5:00 pm) – Walter Taylor 4-H Bldg.

4-H Public Presentations Contest (until 5:00 pm) – Walter Taylor 4-H Bldg.  
Corn Hole Tournament Registration, Tournament starts at 1 pm – German Tent

12:30 pm

The Magic of Keith Raymond, magician- Soule Family Stage

1 pm

Wilt Brothers, music (until 5 p.m)- German Tent

1:30 pm

On your Toes Dance Studio- McDonald's Stage

2 pm

Kids Cash Scramble (6 & Under), *sponsored by BankWest*- Fine Arts Kiddie Land

Demonstration: Quilting Top Techniques- Fine Arts North

Cirque Zuma Zuma, acrobats – Soule Family Stage

3 pm

Cirque Zuma Zuma, acrobats – McDonald's Stage

3:30 pm

Kids Karaoke/Open Mic – Soule Family Stage

4 pm

Anneliese the Magnificent with Master Benjamin, magician- McDonald's Stage

5 pm

The Magic of Keith Raymond, magician- Soule Family Stage

Nick Rottum, music- Coors Tent

5:30 pm

Cirque Zuma Zuma, acrobats – McDonald's Stage

6:30 pm

Cirque Zuma Zuma, acrobats – McDonald's Stage

**7 pm**

**Black Hills Energy Concert Series: Brothers Osborne with Ned LeDoux- WW Grandstand Arena**

7 pm

Beer Olympics, Night #1- German Tent

Rick Borger & The Average German Band - German Tent

Nick Rottum, music- Coors Tent

8 pm

Tyzen, Hypnotist- McDonald's Stage

9 pm

Layla Twenty One 20, music – Coors Tent

10 pm

Tyzen, Hypnotist- McDonald's Stage

**Monday, Aug. 20:**

[Fair Open Noon–Midnight](#)

8 am  
Black Hills Cattle Dog Challenge-James Kjerstad Event Center

9 am  
Poultry, Waterfowl & Rare Bird Show- Poultry Bldg

12 pm  
Open Class, 4-H and Soule Vendors Open (closes at 7 pm daily)  
Demonstration: Weaving- Fine Arts North  
Beer Olympics, Giant Jenga – German Tent

12:30 pm  
The Magic of Keith Raymond, magician- Soule Family Stage

1:30 pm  
Rock Bottom Boys, music – McDonald's Stage

2 pm  
Kids Cash Scramble (6 & Under), *sponsored by BankWest*- Fine Arts Kiddie Land  
Demonstration: Quilting Top Techniques - Fine Arts North  
Cirque Zuma Zuma, acrobats – Soule Family Stage

3 pm  
Rock Bottom Boys, music- Soule Family Stage

3:30 pm  
Cirque Zuma Zuma, acrobats – McDonald's Stage

4 pm  
4-H Dog Skillathon (Until 8:00 pm) – Walter Taylor 4-H Bldg

4:30 pm  
South Dakota State Mutton Bustin' Championship, Qualifier- Livestock Show Ring, Soule Grass  
Tiffany Johnson, music – McDonald's Stage

5 pm  
The Magic of Keith Raymond, magician- Soule Family Stage  
Rock Bottom Boys, music - Coors Tent

6 pm  
Team Pig Wrestling, Qualifying, Win money for your nonprofit organization - South of Soule Bldg.  
Black Hills in Motion, cloggers – McDonald's Stage

**7 pm**  
**Black Hills Energy Concert Series, Dwight Yoakam with Frankie Ballard- WW Grandstand Arena**

7 pm  
Rick Borger and the Average German Band- German Tent  
Rock Bottom Boys, music - Coors Tent

8 pm  
Tyzen, Hypnotist- McDonald's Stage

9 pm  
The Rude Band, music - Coors Tent

10 pm

Tyzen, Hypnotist- McDonald's Stage

**Tuesday, Aug. 21: Senior Citizen Day, Sponsored by Great Western Bank**  
**Fair Open Noon–Midnight**

8 am

Black Hills Cattle Dog Challenge – James Kjerstad Event Center

12 pm

Open Class, 4-H and Soule Vendors Open (closes at 7 pm daily)  
Beer Olympics, Stein Carry, Senior Night at the Fair – German Tent

12:30pm

The Magic of Keith Raymond, Magician- Soule Family Stage

1:30 pm

Kevin Phillips, music of the Rat Pack- McDonald's Stage

2 pm

Kids Cash Scramble (6 & Under), *sponsored by BankWest*- Fine Arts Kiddie Land  
Demonstration: Papercraft Techniques: Quick & Easy Cards, Peg Ireland - Creative Arts  
Demonstration: Quilting Top Techniques- Fine Arts North  
Cirque Zuma Zuma, acrobats – Soule Family Stage

3 p.m.

Senior Night at the Fair- German Tent  
Demonstration: Papercraft Techniques: Different Folds, Peg Ireland - Creative Arts  
Rock Bottom Boys, music – Soule Family Stage  
Cirque Zuma Zuma, acrobats – McDonald's Stage

4pm

The Lonely Rangers, music – McDonald's Stage

4:30 pm

South Dakota State Mutton Bustin' Championship, Qualifier- Livestock Show Ring, Soule Grass

5 pm

The Magic of Keith Raymond, Magician- Soule Family Stage  
Rock Bottom Boys, music- Coors Tent

6 pm

Team Pig Wrestling, Qualifying, Win money for your nonprofit organization - South of Soule Bldg  
4-H Companion Animal Show – Walter Taylor 4-H Bldg

6:30 pm

Cirque Zuma Zuma, acrobats – McDonald's Stage

**7 pm**

**Black Hills Power Concert Series: Midland with David Nail- WW Grandstand Arena**

7 pm

Rick Borger & the Average German Band- German Tent

7:30 pm

Live Music - Coors Tent

8 pm  
Tyzen, Hypnotist- McDonald's Stage

9 pm  
The Rude Band, music- Coors Tent

10 pm  
Tyzen, Hypnotist- McDonald's Stage

**Wednesday, Aug. 22: Agriculture Day**

Fair Open Noon–Midnight

Daily Deals: GermanTent- College Night: \$5 cover charge after 6pm, FREE with Grandstand Pass or college ID.

Buddy Day: Two wristbands for \$40 with coupon from Burger King.

11 am  
Boehringer Ingelheim Pen of Three Show – Livestock Show Ring, Soule Grass

12 pm  
Open Class, 4-H and Soule Vendors Open (closes at 7 pm daily)  
“Look What Grew In My Garden” Horticulture Contest Entries (closes at 3 pm)- Horticulture Bldg.

12:30 pm  
The Magic of Keith Raymond, magician – Soule Family Stage

1pm  
Demonstration: Needlework, free demo with 1 free kit per person (until 3pm)

1:30 pm  
Cirque Zuma Zuma, acrobats – McDonald's Stage

2 pm  
Kids Cash Scramble (6 & Under), *sponsored by BankWest*- Fine Arts Kiddie Land  
Demonstration: Quilting Top Techniques - Fine Arts North

2:15 pm  
Cirque Zuma Zuma, acrobats – Soule Family Stage

2:30 pm  
Rock Bottom Boys, music – McDonald's Stage

3 pm  
The Magic of Keith Raymond, magician – Soule Family Stage

4 pm  
4-H Horticulture Skillathon (Until 8:00 pm) – Walter Taylor 4-H Bldg

4:30 pm  
South Dakota State Mutton' Bustin Championship, Qualifier- Livestock Show Ring, Soule Grass  
Cirque Zuma Zuma, acrobats – Soule Family Stage

5 pm  
Nick Rottom, music- Coors Tent  
Horticulture Pick-up (until 7 pm)- Horticulture Bldg

5:30 pm  
The Magic of Keith Raymond, magician – Soule Family Stage

6 pm

Team Pig Wrestling, Qualifying, Win money for your nonprofit organization - South of Soule Bldg  
Ranch Rodeo Calcutta- McDonald's Stage

6:30

Rock Bottom Boys, music – McDonald Stage

**7 pm**

**Ranch Rodeo Finals, featuring the “Pony Express Ride”- WW Grandstand Arena**

7 pm

Rick Borger & the Average German Band & College Night - German Tent

7:30 pm

Rock Bottom Boys, music - Coors Tent

8 pm

Tyzen, Hypnotist- McDonald's Stage

9 pm

The Rude Band, music- Coors Tent

10 pm

Tyzen, Hypnotist- McDonald's Stage

Thursday, Aug. 23: Military Appreciation Day

[Fair Open Noon–Midnight](#)

**Daily Deals: German Tent: \$5 cover charge after 6pm, FREE with Grandstand Pass or military ID, Kid's Day in Fine Arts Open Class area!**

**All military, family members and DOD card holders will receive free admission to fair, grandstand entertainment and German Tent with ID.**

12 pm

Open Class, 4-H and Soule Vendors Open (closes at 7 pm daily)

Mobile Veterans Center- San Francisco St. Gate

Demonstration: Spin-In, join us with your wheel & spindle- Fine Arts North

12:30 pm

The Magic of Keith Raymond, magician – Soule Family Stage

1 pm

Garden Talk: Beekeeping, Tom Allen will discuss keeping of back yard bees-Horticulture Bldg

1:30 pm

Rock Bottom Boys, music- McDonalds Stage

2 pm

Kids Cash Scramble (6 & Under), *sponsored by BankWest*- Fine Arts Kiddie Land

Garden Talk: Conserving Water in the Garden - Horticulture Bldg.

Demonstration: Quilting Top Techniques- Fine Arts North

Tiffany Johnson, music - Soule Family Stage

Rapid City Police Department K9 Unit – Soule Grass

3 pm



Garden Talk: Making a Rain Barrel - Horticulture Bldg.

3:30 pm

Anneliese the Magnificent with Master Benjamin, magician- Soule Family Stage  
Tiffany Johnson, music - McDonald's Stage

4 pm

Garden Talk: Perennials for Color All Season Long - Horticulture Bldg.

4:30 pm

South Dakota State Mutton' Bustin Championship, Qualifier- Livestock Show Ring, Soule Grass

5 pm

The Magic of Keith Raymond, magician – Soule Family Stage  
Rock Bottom Boys, music- McDonald's Stage  
Karaoke Contest – Coors Tent

6 pm

Team Pig Wrestling, Qualifying, Win money for your nonprofit organization - South of Soule Bldg  
4-H Poultry Show- Poultry Barn

6:30 pm

Black Hills in Motion, cloggers – McDonald's Stage

**7 pm**

**Range Days PRCA Rodeo, Military Appreciation Night – WW Grandstand Arena - Special Parachute Flag Presentation by SGT 1<sup>st</sup> Class Dana Bowman**

7 pm

Rick Borger and the Average German Band- German Tent

7:30 pm

Rock Bottom Boys, music - Coors Tent

8 pm

Tyzen, Hypnotist- McDonald's Stage

9 pm

Brandon Jones, music - Coors Tent

10 pm

Tyzen, Hypnotist- McDonald's Stage

Friday, Aug. 24: Moonlight Madness

[Fair Open Noon–1am](#)

[Daily Deals: Moonlight Madness Carnival: Ride from 9pm- 1am for \\$15 with coupon from Arbys. Fine Arts in Open Class- Halloween in August!](#)

9 am

Range Days PRCA Rodeo Slack- WW Grandstand Arena  
Central States Fair Team Roping Jackpot – Bray Arena -immediately following PRCA Rodeo Slack

9:30 am

Youth Swine Show- James Kjerstad Event Center

11:00 am

Youth Goat Show- James Kjerstad Event Center

12 pm

Open Class, 4-H and Soule Vendors Open (closes at 7 pm daily)

12:30 pm

Garden Talk: Ask a Master Gardener-Horticulture Bldg

The Magic of Keith Raymond, magician – Soule Family Stage

1pm

Youth Sheep Show- James Kjerstad Event Center

Garden Talk: Planting a Tree-Horticulture Bldg

Demonstration: String Ink Card, Black Ice Technique, Basic Scrapbooking hints & tips with Nancy Von Eye-Creative Arts

1:30 pm

The Magic of Keith Raymond, magician – McDonald's Stage

2 pm

Rock Bottom Boys, music - Soule Family Stage

Kids Cash Scramble (6 & Under), *sponsored by BankWest*- Fine Arts Kiddie Land

Garden Talk: Fairy Gardens- Horticulture Bldg.

Demonstration: Quilting Top Techniques -Fine Arts North

3 pm

Kevin Philips, music of the Rat Pack- McDonald's Stage

Garden Talk: Making Art Objects for the Garden - Horticulture Bldg

3:30 pm

Kids Karaoke/Open Mic – Soule Family Stage

4 pm

Garden Talk: Making Wine from Backyard Fruit - Horticulture Bldg.

4-H Veterinary Science Skillathon (Until 8:00 pm) – Walter Taylor 4-H Bldg.

5 pm

Rock Bottom Boys, music- McDonald's Stage

Karaoke Contest - Coors Tent

Garden Talk: Ask a Master Gardener - Horticulture Bldg.

SD State Championship Mutton Bustin' Finals-Livestock Show Ring, Soule Grass

5:30 pm

The Magic of Keith Raymond, magician – Soule Family Stage

6 pm

Team Pig Wrestling, Qualifying, Win money for your nonprofit organization - South of Soule Bldg

7 pm

**Range Days PRCA Rodeo, Casey Tibbs Night - WW Grandstand Arena - Special Parachute Flag Presentation by SGT 1<sup>st</sup> Class Dana Bowman & Presentation of Mutton Bustin' Champion Buckle**

7 pm

Rick Borger and the Average German Band- German Tent

7:30 pm

Nick Rottom- Coors Tent

Rock Bottom Boys, music- McDonald's Stage

9 pm

Tyzen, hypnotist- McDonald's Stage

Brandon Jones, music- Coors Tent

11 pm

Tyzen, hypnotist- McDonald's Stage

Saturday, Aug 25: 1<sup>st</sup> Responders Day

Fair Open Noon–Midnight

*Things to see: Bunny's Heros*

7:30 am

Sergeant Colton Levi Derr Foundation, PTSD Awareness 5K Run/Walk Registration- McDonald's Stage

8 am

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8:30 am

Youth Beef Show- James Kjerstad Event Center

9 am

PRCA Steer Roping-WW Grandstand Arena

12 pm

Open Class, 4-H and Soule Vendors Open (closes at 7 pm daily)

Demonstration: Basket Weaving- Fine Arts North

Black Hills Gold Youth Futurity Show- James Kjerstad Event Center

12:30 pm

Rock Bottom Boys, music – Soule Family Stage

1 pm

Black Hills Angus Futurity Show- James Kjerstad Event Center

Bob Grimm Band (ends at 4 pm), music- German Tent

1:30 pm

SD State Arm Wrestling Championship – McDonald's Stage

2 pm

Central States Fair Angus Show followed by All Other Breeds Show- James Kjerstad Event Center

Kids Cash Scramble (6 & Under), *sponsored by BankWest*- Fine Arts Kiddie Land

Demonstration: Quilting Top Techniques - Fine Arts North

The Magic of Keith Raymond, magician – Soule Family Stage

3:30 pm

Rock Bottom Boys, music – Soule Family Stage

4 pm

Pie Eating Contest (register prior to 2 pm)– Walter Taylor 4-H Bldg

5 pm

Karaoke Finals - Coors Tent

Rabbits, Poultry, Waterfowl & Rare Birds Release (until 7 pm)- Poultry Bldg.

The Magic of Keith Raymond, magician – Soule Family Stage

**7 pm**

**Range Days PRCA Rodeo- 1<sup>st</sup> Responders Night- WW Grandstand Arena - Special Parachute Flag Presentation by SGT 1<sup>st</sup> Class Dana Bowman**

7pm

Rick Borger and the Average German Band- German Tent  
Closing Ceremony & Keg Tapping – German Tent

7:30 pm

Black Hills in Motion, cloggers- McDonald's Stage  
Jacob Johnson, music - Coors Tent

9 pm

Tyzen, hypnotist- McDonald's Stage  
Brandon Jones, music- Coors Tent

10pm

Rock Bottom Boys, music – McDonald's Stage

11 pm

Tyzen, hypnotist- McDonald's Stage

Sunday, Aug. 26

Fair Open Noon–5 pm

Daily Deals: Free Gate Admission. Carnival Open from noon- 5 pm

8 am

Boots and Saddles Playday- Rounds Arena

9am- 12 pm

Rabbit, Poultry, Waterfowl & Rare Birds Release Pick-up- Poultry Bldg.

11 am- 1 pm

Open Class & 4-H Exhibit release- Fine Arts, Creative Arts, Creative Hobbies, Leather Shop & Walter Taylor

Save the Date  
74<sup>th</sup> Central States Fair  
August 16-25, 2019