

The Capital Fair Times

**2021 Dates Announced
AUGUST 13th to 22nd, 2021**

Capital Fair Cancels 2020

“Expansion Will Have to Wait”

OTTAWA, May 10, 2020 (GAS) - And then the world stopped...

Given the Provincial guidelines for the reopening of Ontario and the categorization of large outdoor events that place the Fair firmly into the third cohort of businesses that can open, we realize that there is no chance that the Fair can proceed this August.

Coupled with the priority to retain personal protection equipment for our front-line workers, Fair President Julie Lamothe lamented, “It looks like our grand plans for expansion will have to wait. Once we're confident that Ottawa will have the all clear to come out and celebrate, we will continue to work on establishing a permanent setup at the future Hard Rock Casino and Racetrack site.

We will now have the ability to bring all kinds of spectacular events like a major lumberjack show, a full size roller coaster and a newly expanded two day Highland Games, all of which will only add to the excitement that this is going to make in the Ottawa region.” “We've been steadily working on this for the last 8 years and are eager to welcome the estimated 100,000 visitors we believe will flock to the fairgrounds.”

The fair hopes to celebrate the end of the pandemic and to welcome everyone back safely in 2021.

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2020 ATTRACTIONS

National Capital Highland Games
featuring Highland Dancers, Heavy
Athletics and Mass Band Competition

Laughing Logger Lumberjacks
featuring Log Rolling, Pole climbing,
chainsaw showdown and axe throwing

World's Finest Shows Midway
Capital Fair Demolition Derby

Rise 2 Fame Talent Search

Antique Farm Display

Monalea Petting Zoo

Chainsaw Carver

Agricultural Pavilion

Ag & Food Museum Presentations

Fair food and itinerant vendors

Live! Stage daily entertainment

Senior's Bridge Tournament

MOOV Street Dance Battle

Princesses & Super Heroes

Sheep Shearing demos

Blacksmith demos

Rare Breed Farm animal display

Armwrestling Championship

Ultimutt Stunt Dog Show

Pony Ride

Birds of Prey Show

Draft Horse Pull

Strongman Competition

REFUND POLICY AND COVID-19

The Fair has been monitoring the recommendations of local health officials on a daily basis. Our regular refund policy will remain in effect unless a governmental body requires the Fair to not proceed, in which case we will issue a 75% refund of all deposits or a 100% credit to be retained and applied to next year's rent.

VENDOR APPLICATIONS

Vendors are invited to apply for space, effective immediately at <http://www.capitalfair.ca/vendor-app-2020.html>

Questions? Call Harley @ 613-741-FAIR (613-741-3247)

WEEKEND VENDOR CONTRACTS

Already committed for a weekend elsewhere?

We've heard you and will provide a few weekend packages, available on a first to come, first to be contracted basis.

Special conditions apply and preference will be given to those who can move in and out with little disruption to the main line. [Click here to inquire.](#)

This opportunity is best suited for itinerant vendors selling clothing, jewelry, services, etc.

Frontage prices will start at \$1,600 for either 3-day weekend. A waiting list is now open for interested vendors. Please email "I'm interested" to concessions@capitalfair.ca

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