

HAY BALE DECORATING CONTEST



VOTED BEST FESTIVAL AND BEST FAMILY AMUSEMENT

2021 WINNER

SEPT 23- OCT 3, 2021

OPEN FOR FUN

DISCOUNT TICKETS ON SALE ONLINE THRU SEPT. 23

ADMISSION \$7
21 AND UP TICKETS \$11
10 & UNDER ALWAYS FREE
ALWAYS FREE!

JIM R. MILLER PARK
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carriage **KM** 2021 CONCERT SERIES

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| FRIDAY, SEPT. 24 WE ARE MESSENGERS | THURSDAY, SEPT. 30 JON LANGSTON |
| SATURDAY, SEPT. 25 CHRIS LANE | FRIDAY, OCT. 1 CHASE RICE |
| WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 29 GABBY BARNETT | SATURDAY, OCT. 2 MARK WILLS |

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PRIZES!
1ST PLACE - \$1,000, 2ND PLACE - \$500, 3RD PLACE - \$250
ALL GROUPS THAT PARTICIPATE WILL RECEIVE 15 ADMISSION PASSES TO THE FAIR!

Who Can Participate?

Contest is open to Georgia School Systems, including Cobb 4-H schools, clubs, and partners. Decorating time is open Sun., Sept. 19 (12pm-6pm) and Mon. - Wed., Sept. 20-22, 9am-9pm. Judging will take place the morning of September 23. Entries will be judged on creativity, use of materials, construction, and eye appeal.

Registration Information

There is no fee to register for this contest. The registration form and sketch of hay bale design must be delivered to UGA Cobb County Extension Office, c/o Kathleen McElroy, 678 South Cobb Drive, Marietta, GA, 30060 or emailed to Kathleen.McElroy@cobbcounty.org by Tues., Sept. 7, 4:30pm. Type "Hay Bale Contest" in the subject line. No late submissions will be accepted. Only 25 spots are available. First come, first served.

Hay Bale and Decoration Information

The theme is "Fun at the Fair". One round hay bale per group is provided by the North Georgia State Fair. Groups may bring up to 4 additional small rectangular bales. This should be indicated on the sketch. Do not stack other hay bales on the large round one. Upon arrival, one group member goes to the Fair Office at Jim R. Miller Park Event Center. Fair Staff will assist with directions to the hay bales. A maximum of 8 people from each group are allowed to decorate at one time. Hay bales must be decorated so that they are family appropriate and abide by the Georgia 4-H Code of Conduct: <http://secure.georgia4h.org/documents/CodeOfConduct.pdf>. Do not promote religious, commercial or political themes. Items attached to the bale must be able to withstand 2 weeks of outdoor treatment (weather and wind proof). Paper products should be laminated ahead of time. The North Georgia State Fair & the University of Georgia Extension - Cobb County will not be held responsible for any personal items removed or damaged. Decorations can extend up to 2 feet on each side and 3 feet in front. Paint should only be applied to the hay bale and not the surrounding ground. Decorations must remain on the hay bale during the fair. Decorations must be picked up on Mon., October 4, 9am-12pm and 5pm-8pm.

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Registration Form for Hay Bale Decorating Contest

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Contact Person: _____ Email Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____ Phone Number: _____