

**Where the
Town and
Country Meet!**

Come join us at the 163rd LISTOWEL FAIR!

**Farming by the Seeds
of our Plants!**

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President's Message



We're Farming by the Seeds of our Plants! The directors and volunteers of the Listowel Agricultural Society would like to welcome you to the 163rd Listowel Agricultural Fair as we highlight the crops grown in this area, the technology involved in producing these crops and the stress that farming can create given the many challenges facing agriculture.

New this year, our Garden Tractor Pull will be taking place before the Fair on Sunday, July 7th with action starting at 10am. The event also features a Swap Meet.

At the Fair, join us on Thursday evening for our annual parade, opening ceremonies and Ambassador program. To top the night off, a Fireworks Show sponsored by Royal LePage Don Hamilton Realty will take place immediately following the crowning of the 2019-20 Listowel Fair Ambassador.

The Listowel Fair Truck Pull is moving to Friday night! Due to the popularity of this show, it now has its own night starting at 6:30pm. In addition, bring your truck for the Dyno Test on site at the fairgrounds. Friday also features Senior's Day with Naomi Bristow, the Beef and Sheep Shows and the band, 8 Second Ride, in the Beverage Tent at night.

Saturday is Kid's Day at the Fair! Bring your family to the tent in the infield for numerous free activities including the baby show, pedal tractor pull, inflatable obstacle course, face painting & shows by Shore Bird Control. Be sure to check out the Vintage Farm Show as well. The antique tractors will kick off a day of tractor pulling, with the Open Tractor pull wrapping up the day.

Sunday brings horses to the fairgrounds with the Heavy & Western Horse shows as well as the Goat Show, Church Service, Youth Talent Competition and the Horseshoe Tournament. The Tim Burr Circus Lumberjack Show is coming to Listowel, courtesy of ReMax Realty with three performances during the day. We are excited to once again be working with the Comancheros to run the Demolition Derby on Sunday night.

While at the fair, be sure to visit the Agricultural Hall and check out the many homecraft and school work exhibits that are on display for the duration of the fair.

Thank you to all of the directors and volunteers that work tirelessly to make the Listowel Fair happen. It takes months of work and planning to bring this event to the community of North Perth and beyond. Thank you to the many sponsors for their financial and in-kind contributions so that the many competitions and events can be a part of the fair. And mostly, thank you to the community for your on-going support of the Listowel Agricultural Society both for the fair and during the rest of the year.

We are very fortunate to be in such a great community. We hope to see you at the fair!

Elizabeth Johnston

Homecraft judging will begin at 12 noon Wednesday, July 17th. All exhibits can be brought to the Ag. Hall from 7pm to 9pm Tuesday, July 16th or 8am to 11am Wednesday, July 17th. Exhibits will be on display until Sunday, July 21st at 3:30pm!