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Fair Begins Tomorrow

There is lots to see of the 128th Oswego County Fair and it will take more than one day.

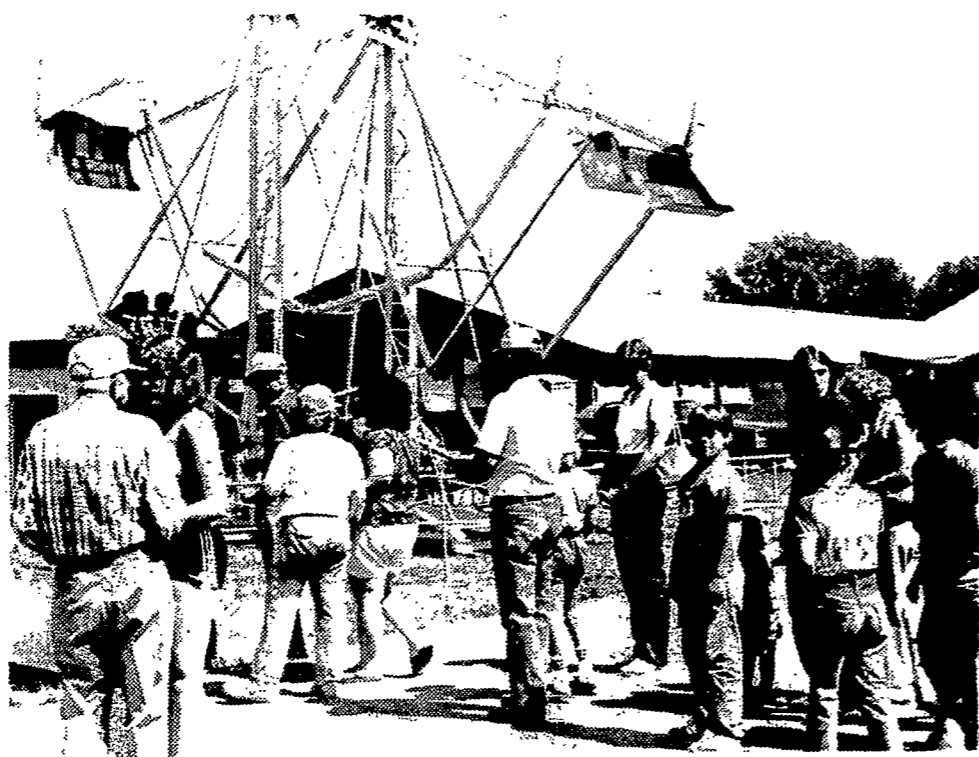
Tuesday, August 20, is opening day. A Black and White Cattle Show and a Little League Ball Game will begin at 10 a.m. The Talent Elimination Contest starts at 11 a.m. Harness Racing begins at 2 p.m.; the drawing for the free bike, donated by C&M Restaurant (Bob and Marilyn Howe) will be at 5 p.m. After the Greased Pig Contest at 5:30 p.m., the Oswego County Fair Parade will begin at 7 p.m. Fireworks and Talent Showcase take place at 8 p.m., as does music by "Overflow" in the Entertainment Tent.

On Wednesday, August 21, which is Grange Day and Children's Day, start the day off with the Junior Cattle Show and then the Baby Show. There is a little league game and then you will be ready for barbecued chicken. While you are at the Harness Races, the children can ride all afternoon for \$4. Be sure the kids save their stubs for the free bike drawing given by the Holstein-Friesian World. The Three-Wheeler competition is at 7 p.m. on the grandstand and there is music by the Mac Brothers in the tent.

On Thursday, August 22, the first event is the Open Class Dairy Show. Besides the Balgame at 10 a.m., there is also a Pet Show. As Thursday is Senior Citizens Day, be sure and catch their show with "The Entertainers" and "The Black River Valley Fiddlers" at 1:30 p.m. in the big tent. Seniors are admitted free. At 5 p.m., there is another free bike given by Rod's Big M. At 7 p.m., don't miss the Woodsmen's Show and later catch the free show, "The Country Strangers" featuring Mike White.

Friday, August 23, is Agriculture Day. See the Beef Cattle, Dairy Goats, Sheep and swine being judged. Watch the feathers fly at the chicken stampede and catch the horseshoe pitchoff qualifying rounds. Pepsi will award a free bike at 5 p.m. and at 7 p.m. there is the big Demolition Derby. The free entertainment is the Jessie Derringer Show.

Saturday, August 24 features the Horse Show at 9 a.m. as well as more horseshoe pitching and the baking contest is at noon. The out of field tractor pull is 1 p.m. and as it is Children's Day and Legislators' Day, the kiddies can ride all afternoon from 1 to 5 p.m. for \$4. The free bike at 5 p.m. is awarded by the Oswego County Sheriff's Silver Star Association. At 7 p.m., the grandstand show



The Oswego County Fair starts this week. Located at the Sandy Creek Fairgrounds, it will begin August 20 and run through August 25. Again this year, the fair has much to offer, such as the clean rides of the Ontario Amusement Company of Oswego.

features Mud Wrestling with local teams and the free band is "Overflow".

Sunday, August 25 is "America on Wheels Day" - The last day starts out with a church service at 9 a.m., for the whole Community. 10 a.m. starts the sign up for the all vehicle Old Car Show. 1 p.m. is the N.Y. State Sanctioned Super Modified Tractor Pull. The free bike is again donated by Pepsi. At 7 p.m. there is more Super Modified Tractor Pulling.

All week, you won't want to miss the many things in the buildings. See the Youth Building with their super displays; this is the Fair of tomorrow. The lower half of this building is the Domestic Arts building. It features beautiful handwork, knits, sewing, hobbies, antiques and beautiful quilts.

The flea market is full of all kinds of goodies - antiques and collectables.

The "Ag" building has many nice booths, demonstrations and the Dairy Princess.

The Floral Hall will be filled with flowers and gardens. Don't miss the Craft building which is a very popular spot.

The big building is the Oswego County building. Be sure and see all of that. It is your county in action.

The Commercial Building contains big and little business from all over our area.

The Old Engine show will be going all week. There will be a display from Camp Drum. Miller brewing will have their big balloon here on Tuesday. The N.Y. Power Authority will have their trailer display on the grounds and Niagara Mohawk will feature a booth for the first time this year in the Commercial Building. The Grange will have booths in the County Building. The Sandy Creek Grange "Chicken Shack" every day. Stop by the Oswego County Fair Booth in the County Building and sign up for free meals every day at area restaurants, 200 will be given away. Besides all this the Liebel Family Circus is back with three free shows a day. Paul LaCross, "Mr. Winchester", also does three free shows every day featuring knife throwing, axe and tomahawk throwing and fancy gun slinging.

The 128th Oswego County Fair admission is \$1.50, \$1 for students and parking is free. It will be open from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. every day but Saturday, when the Horse Show starts at 9 a.m. and Sunday, when the day starts with a Church Service at 9 a.m. Buildings will close at 7 p.m. on Sunday.

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Office Closed

The Sandy Creek Village Office will be closed Monday, August 19, through Friday, August 23.

SCCS Board Organizes

At the organizational meeting of the Sandy Creek Central School Board of Education, held July 11, 1985, Joel P. Hastings was re-elected president and James Fahnestock vice-president of the board.

District Officers appointed for the 1985-86 school year included: District Treasurer Georgia A. Gola, Deputy Treasurer Josephine Nemier, Clerk of the Board Beryle Greenfield, Deputy Clerk Richard Gilbert, Tax Collector Nancy Pratt.

Other appointments approved were: School Physician Dr. Hugh McChesney, School Attorney John

Camann, Central Treasurer Josephine Nemier (extra-classroom activity accounts); Attendance Officer George O'Sullivan, District Auditor King & Jessmore, CPA Firm; Purchasing Agent Beryle Greenfield, Administrator of Federal Grants Jerald K. Quimby.

Merchants National Bank and Trust Company was designated as the official bank depository; the official newspapers are the Salmon River News and the Banner Times; and, the Public School System Employees Blanket Bond is to be supplied by Smith-Truax Craig Agency.

Salmon-tario Derby Set

Pulaski, N.Y., the "Salmon Capital of New York State", is the site for the "Salmon-tario Derby". The eleventh annual event, formerly known as the Oswego County Salmon Derby, is slated for Sept. 13, 14 and 15, on Eastern Lake Ontario and its tributaries.

Tim Sacher, president of the Greater Pulaski Chamber of Commerce, noted that the new derby name was chosen to "better symbolize" the popular annual event, and focus on the "great salmon fishing in our Eastern Lake Ontario area."

The "Salmon-tario Derby" is being sponsored by Genesee Beer and Ale, in cooperation with the Greater Pulaski Chamber of Commerce. Over \$30,000 in prizes are available this year, including a 1985 21-ft. Prowler Travel Trailer, going to the angler with the biggest fish caught (not snatched). Berkley Trilene is the official line for the derby and supplies merchandise prizes.

"Genesee Beer is again proud to be the major sponsor of the derby," commented Kevin Boutwell, president of Mohawk Beverage Distributing Co., distributors of Genesee beer and ale in Oswego County. "Genesee has long been associated with fishing and this is a prime example of our commitment to the sport."

Last year, over 2,000 salmon fishing aficionados from all over the Northeastern United States participated in the event, including derby winner Robert Murphy, of Millville, Pennsylvania. Murphy

won the grand prize by hooking a 35-pound, 12-ounce chinook with a sponge lure in the Salmon River.

Derby coordinators are expecting as many entries this year, drawn by the excellent fishing in the growing Lake Ontario salmonoid fishery, and the hundreds of merchant and cash prizes being offered.

Mail entries are being accepted until September 9, and walk-ins will be handled until midnight on Thursday, Sept. 12.

Entrants must complete and file an official form, along with the \$12 registration fee, no later than the deadlines. All checks or money orders can be made payable to: Oswego County Salmon-tario Derby, care of Greater Oswego Chamber of Commerce, Inc., 156 West Second Street, Oswego, N.Y. 13126.

Children 12 and under are also welcome to compete in the event. They must, however, be registered, and have a signed entry form. Children can enter free when accompanied by a parent or guardian who is a registered participant.

This year's weigh-in stations for the derby are, the John S. Haldane Building in Pulaski; Greene Point Marina at Sandy Pond; Flat Rock Campsite, near Mexico; and the U.S. Coast Guard Station in Oswego. Cannon has been named the official downrigger of the derby; Lowrance is the official chart recorder, as in past years, and is also offering three prizes for the event.

See You At The County Fair!