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Plenty of fun in store at this year's FRANKLIN COUNTY FAIR

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The Franklin County Fair in Malone began in 1852 and remains one of the most popular events of the summer as residents and visitors flock to the fairgrounds for entertainment and food. This year's fair runs from Sunday, August 7 to 14 and attendees will be treated to a variety of attractions geared for the entire family.

The festivities kick off on August 7 but there will be two "free gate admissions" on Friday, August 5 and Saturday, August 6 and vendors will be open and rides offered by Amusements of America will be operating. When the fair officially gets underway on Sunday, admission will cost \$7 each day.

On August 7, the daytime schedule will feature Holstein and red and white cattle, horses and a poultry judging. There will be a demolition derby at 4:30 p.m. and grandstand admission costs \$8 with children 8 years old and younger admitted free.



The demolition derby is always a popular attraction at the Franklin County Fair.

August 8 is Children's Day and prices for Midway will be reduced. The 4-H will hold a horse show at 8 a.m. And a youth dairy show at 10 a.m. At 6 p.m. there will be a corn hole tournament at

the grandstand and admission is free.

On August 9, the highlight at the fair will be at 3:30 p.m. with the Miss Franklin County Fair Pageant and at 6:30 p.m. with the Small Town Famous

Talent Show, both are free at the grandstand area.

August 10 is Canadian Day and money will be on par with the dollar. There will be goat and horse shows in the morning. The big event of the evening will be at 6:30 p.m. for the Vaters Motorsports Monster Truck Show. Admission costs \$20 for those 13 years of age and up and \$10 for ages 4-12 with those younger admitted for free. There will also be a \$35 adult combo admission that includes admission to the gate, grandstand and pit area.

August 11 is Senior Citizens Day with admission costing \$2 for those 62 years of age and older \$2. There is also a reduce \$3 admission for the disabled community for counselors and Guardians Sensory Perception Day.

On August 12, there will be pony and horse shows all day. The main feature will be a concert by Rodney Atkins and Tracy Byrd starting at 7 p.m. Admission

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4-H exhibits a big part of the county fair

4-H and county fairs are as much a part of America as country songs and denim jeans. 4-H youth work on a host of hands-on projects, gardens, community service programs, public speaking, raising, and training animals of all sorts, and a slew of science discovery programs throughout the year - all with the hope of exhibiting their masterpieces and menagerie at the Franklin County Fair.

Thousands of families will walk by exhibits in the Youth Building of photography, foods, woodworking, artwork, and educational exhibits created by local 4-H members who get judged face to face by volunteers with expertise in many areas.

Horses both miniature and draft, dairy and beef cattle, several breeds of goats and sheep, rabbits and critters of all sorts are trained, handled, groomed, and are wearing their finest show gear in hopes that there will be ribbons above doors and on cages. 4-H youth can be found with their exhibits answering questions and proudly telling the public about their special projects.

But more important than

the ribbons and accolades, the county fair is about friendships, learning from judges, fair foods, wheelbarrow races, kickball games and the lifetime of memories made. There are several 4-H families every year at the fair that are generational with grandparents, parents, and children all exhibiting and working together.

Visit the 4-H Youth Building at the Franklin County Fair with your children. Sensory Tables with kinetic sand, building bricks and a new Tower Building Pit this year will give parents a nice break while they can relax and watch from the benches. Enjoy a delicious Walking Taco, the meal in a bag, made from all local Tucker's Black Angus beef with sour cream and cheese from Cabot. Milkshakes are delicious and made from Stewart's Ice Cream and local milk! Popcorn with real Cabot butter! Watch daily interactive presentations on everything from butter making, goat yoga, to cold felting raw wool on our 4-H stage. Come meet 4-H! Visit our website at <http://franklin.cce.cornell.edu/> for updates on shows and activities!



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Walker Hayes takes the stage at the Franklin County Fair

Walker Hayes will be performing at this year's Franklin County Fair. Tickets for Hayes' Aug. 13 concert are currently available for sale.

Tickets may be purchased at the fair office in Malone and online at frcfair.com.

More information is available on the fair's website and on the fair's Facebook page, Franklin County Fair, Malone NY.

Hayes' hit, "Fancy Like," has topped country music stream-

ing and sales charts since its release, and has sat atop Billboard's Hot Country songs for eight weeks. He has released three studio albums, Reason to Rhyme in 2011 on Capitol Records Nashville, and Boom and Country Stuff the Album in 2017 and 2022 on Monument Records.

Also performing at this year's fair will be country music singers Rodney Atkins and Tracy Byrd, who will be on stage Friday, Aug. 12.



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cost is \$25 for the grandstand, \$30 for the center grandstand and \$40 track. Ticket cost includes admission to the fairgrounds.

On August 13, the truck pull event will be held at noon. The highlight of the day will be at 8 p.m. with a concert by Walker Hayes and special guest Tigirlily. Admission cost is \$25 for the grandstand, \$40 for the

center grandstand and \$50 track. Ticket cost includes admission to the fairgrounds.

August 14 is the last day of the fair and is Agriculture Day. The main event is the tractor pull with a \$20 cost for the grandstand for the entire day. At 6 p.m. there will be a cattle release.

As a reminder, alcohol, pets, bicycles, skateboards and roller blades are not allowed on the fairgrounds.

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Tigirlily to perform at fair

The country music-duo named Tigirlily (pronounced Tie-Girl-Lilly, are sisters Kendra and Krista Slaubaugh born two-and- half years apart. The two sisters grew up in a home where singing was encouraged and learned early how to harmonize with each other. Taking a cue from a few of their musical influences – The Chicks, Sugarland, Rascal Flatts – Kendra and Krista effortlessly blend their voices to create rich and robust harmonies.

In 2013, at the ages of 16 (Kendra) and 14 (Krista), made the decision to pursue singing, songwriting and performing full time. With that Tigirlily, the band taking its name from the 'Tiger Lily' flower that grew in the garden of the girls' childhood home, was now born.

While Tigirlily was touring the Midwest throughout the mid-2010s, they were also embracing online platforms like YouTube, performing and posting their songs, showcasing their talent, and

connecting with their ever-growing fanbase in a different way. After three years crisscrossing the Dakota's, Montana, and Minnesota, in 2017 Tigirlily relocated from North Dakota to their new home of Nashville, TN. The band quickly landed a weekly residence performing at Dierks Bentley's Whiskey Row where they would see their fans, who were not residents of Nashville, showing up to see the duo perform live.

Tigirlily continued to tour and perform live, both in Nashville and throughout the Midwest, Northwest and Southeast. By the end of 2019 Tigirlily had played over 130 shows to close out the year alone. The duo have opened up for acts including Kane Brown, Lee Brice, Walker Hayes, LeAnn Rimes, and Big and Rich.

Tigirlily spent the spring of 2020 much like the rest of the world, at home. In May 2020 both Tigirlily closed out 2020 by being included in a global

campaign with Keds shoes for their fall/winter 2020 campaign titled "Progress: Whatever That Means." The campaign features women entrepreneurs from all over the world, including Tigirlily as trailblazers in the music industry.

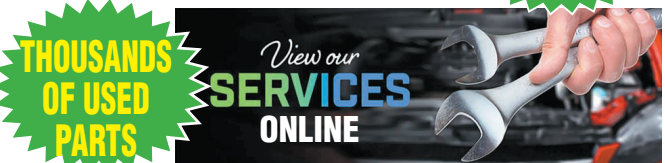
In Feb. 2021, Tigirlily went viral teasing a new song, "Somebody Does" on their socials. Upon its release, "Somebody Does" debuted at #1 on the iTunes all-genre charts, and has since been streamed over 4 million times and has been featured on the Bobby Bones Show and Rolling Stone Country. Shortly after this release, Tigirlily signed with Monument Records and secured publishing with SMACK Songs & Kobalt Music. Tigirlily released their self-titled debut EP in July 2021 produced by multi-Grammy Award Winner Shane McAnally along with making their TV debut on "The Young & The Restless" on CBS.



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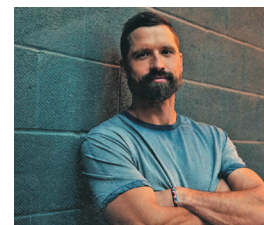
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