

Something For Every Age At Ephrata Fair

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Whether it's chasing a pig, watching the parade, showing a sheep, dressing a calf or riding a tractor, kids of all ages found plenty to do at the Ephrata Fair last week.

Tuesday through Saturday was packed with special events, but kids don't need planned activities to enjoy the sights and sounds of the fair.

Here are some pictures that offer a glimpse of life at Ephrata Fair.

There are still a few fairs across the state that will be held in the next few weeks. Here is a listing of the several remaining fairs that you might want to attend. Manheim Farm Show and Hollidaysburg Community Fair will be held October 3 to 7. Unionville Community Fair will be held the following week. The fair season ends with Dillsburg Fair on October 18.

Kid's Korner



Ben Wise is only one year old, but he already knows where the best seats at the Fair are to be found. "We can't get him off the tractors," his mother LuAnn Wise of Manheim said. *Photo by Lou Ann Good*



No matter what the age, equipment displays at Tent City, Ephrata, are always a big attraction. Here, Matthew Gingrich, 10, son of Earl and Rhoda Gingrich of Ephrata, dreams of owning this one. *Photo by Lou Ann Good.*



Bob Lauffer gets some help announcing sheep placings from his daughters, 5-year-old Joann-Marle, seated, and 8-year-old Alex. Lauffer is an ag teacher at Garden Spot High School. *Photo by Lou Ann Good.*



The Fair is always better when friends gather together. Kathy Roser, left, and her three sons, Steven, Matthew, and Tim (foreground) recently moved from New Zealand to Stevens. Other friends shown include Janice Brenneman, right, Bill Rash with children, Rebecca and Anthony, and Brandon Wolfson. *Photo by Lou Ann Good.*



It's off to the races on these motorcycles at Kiddles' Day, Thursday afternoon. *Photo by Preston Whitcraft.*



Rusty Bucher makes his move on the pig. *Photo by Preston Whitcraft.*