

Kids Korner



This was the scene on opening day of Ephrata Fair. Fortunately, the water receded within hours, and activities progressed as planned.

Photo by Preston Whitcraft, Ephrata Review photographer

Flooding Doesn't Stop Fairs At Ephrata, West Lampeter



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EPHRATA (Lancaster Co.) — Torrential downpours on the opening day of Ephrata and the West Lampeter Fairs last week created mud and some consternation for the organizers, especially at Ephrata Fair. There Tent City, which houses the agricultural aspect of the fair had water that rose halfway up the tractor tires. But within hours, the water receded, and things progressed as planned.

The weather turned out to be quite sunny and pleasant for most of fair week. From the looks of the kids who attended the two different fairs, the events were a great success.

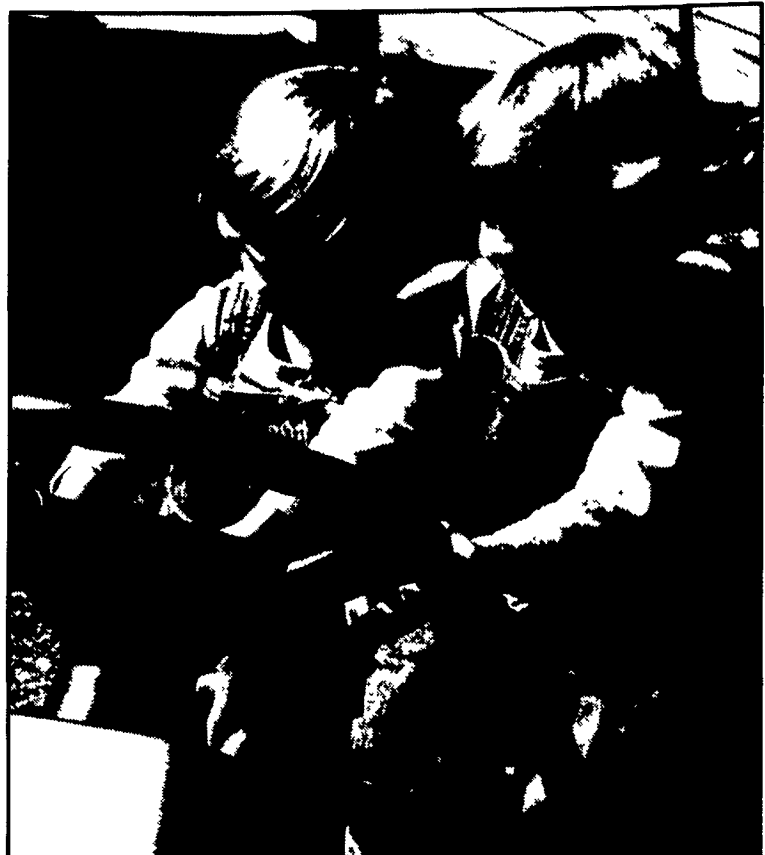
At left, Katie, 5, and Rein, 3, explore the West Lampeter Fair with their grandparents, Mel and Janette Wenger, East Lampeter.

Bottom left, grade school students take a class trip to the Ephrata Fair.

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FFA students explained the care of pigs to kids who visited the Ephrata Fair on Wednesday afternoon.



Seeing double? Two-year-old twins Hannah, left, and Lena, children of Ed and Jen Graybill, Lancaster, climbed on tractors at the West Lampeter Fair.



Pygmy goats are the right size for petting at Ephrata Fair.



Sometimes the most fun can be found in unexpected places. Here an FFA'er leads children in a game of "Tex Says," a version of Simon Says, during a waiting period at Ephrata Fair's Tent City.