

*Proud of our Past and Looking
Forward to the Future*



*Clark County Fairgrounds
1980*



*Clark County Fair -
The Midway Circa 1930s*



*1938 Clark County Calf Club
Members in front of the 4-H Hall*

Ready to Help?

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CLARK COUNTY

FAIRGROUNDS & EVENT CENTER

Revitalization Project



People, Products & Events

Now...and into the Future

The Clark County Fair is steeped in tradition and rich with history. It is this tradition, passed down from generation to generation, that grows the number of animals exhibited at the fair each year.

What condition are the Buildings in today?

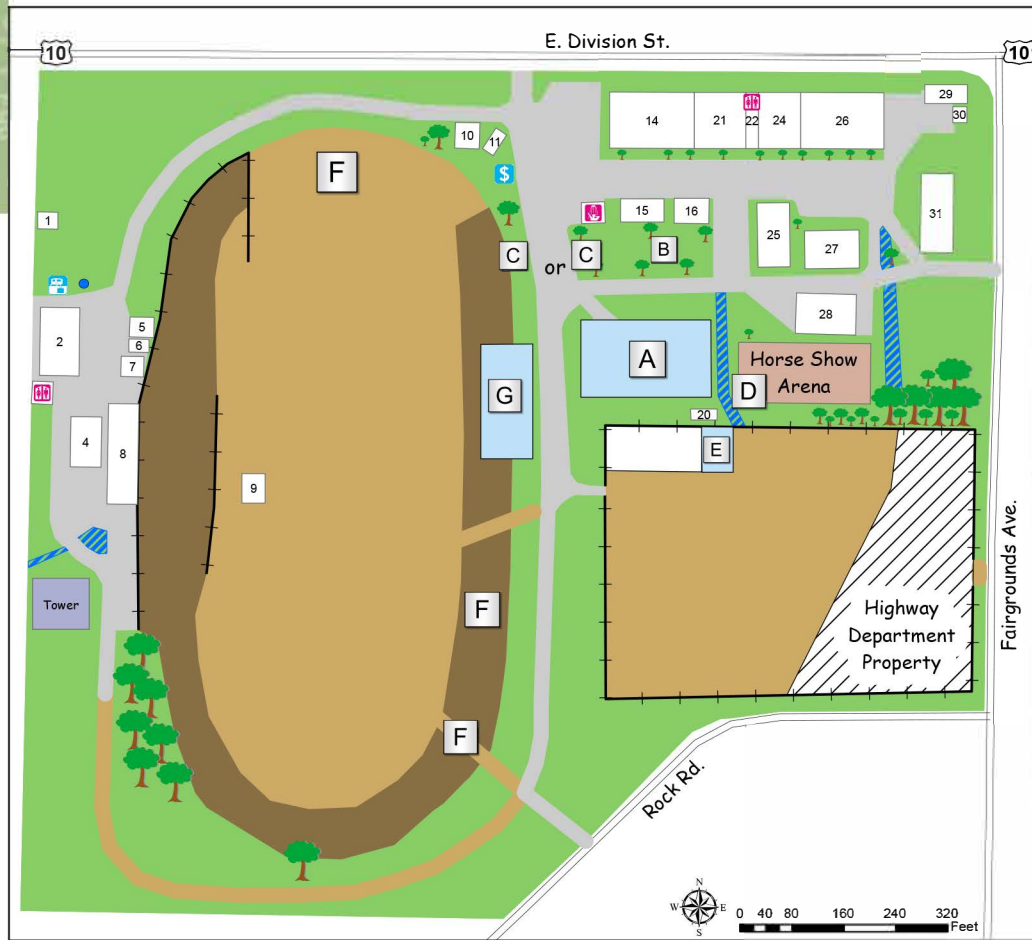
Many of the animal barns are now at or have exceeded capacity. And while increasing animal numbers are a sign of a vibrant and growing fair this creates many challenges.

Most of the fairgrounds facilities are aging, and in many cases, lack modern amenities. Certain structures need repair while others are considered to be beyond that point. As we look to the future and the best plan of action to take, many opportunities are now available for consideration.

What upgrades are being planned?

The Fairground Revitalization Project calls for items "A - G" listed at right. The first step is to acquire the land currently owned by the Clark County Highway Department. Having this additional space, which is adjacent to the current Fairgrounds, opens up several options for construction, relocation of facilities or better use of space.

The two largest portions of the project call for: (1) the building of a new Multi-purpose Livestock Building (including additional show arenas), and (2) the construction of a new Multi-purpose Event Center at a cost of approximately \$750,000 and \$900,000, respectively.



- 1 Restroom
 - 2 Quonset Hut
 - 3 Restrooms
 - 4 Entertainment Center
 - 5 Neillsville High School VICA
 - 6 Kenny Schultz
 - 7 Optimist Club
 - 8 Grandstand
 - 9 Men's Club Food Stand
 - 10 DNR Building/Log Cabin
 - 11 Kiwanis Club/Lil Red Barn
 - 14 Fine Arts Building
 - 15 Plants & Soils/Fair Board Office
 - 16 4H Food Stand
 - 19 Horse Wash Rack
 - 21 Dining Hall
 - 22 Bathrooms, Kitchen & Office
 - 24 Show Arena
 - 25 Goat or Open Class Dairy Barn
 - 26 Jr. Dairy Barn
 - 27 Rabbit Barn
 - 28 Pleasure Horses
 - 29 Dairy Barn Wash Rack
 - 30 Manure Bunker
 - 31 Open Class Dairy
- A** Multi Purpose Livestock Building W/Arena (Beef/Pig/Sheep Building during fair) 130' x 200'
- B** Remove certain deteriorated buildings and create new family friendly green space.
- C** Relocated and construct new Listeman Bandshell.
- D** Expand Horse Show Arena and seating area.
- E** Construct Draft Horse addition.
- F** Improved traffic, parking and camping area options are now possible.
- G** Construct new Multi Purpose Event Center for year-round use. 80' x 180'
- Gravel Surface
 - Paved Surface
 - Water
 - Self-Registration Station
 - Showers & Flush Toilets
 - Flush Toilets
 - Sanitary Dump Station
 - Fencing

Fairgrounds Revitalization Project

How will these upgrades benefit Clark County?

These planned additions or upgrades address the current issues and needs of the Fairground and its users and should help attract new events and opportunities to Clark County. Our goal is to provide a viable and functional Fairgrounds and Event Center property that meets the needs of the next generation of Clark County residents, and beyond.



c.1920 - Stock Show of Animals after all Judging was complete -Clark County Fairground(old Grandstand)

- A:** Construct new Multi-purpose Livestock Building with Arena.
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- E:** Construct Draft Horse Addition.
- F:** Improved traffic, lighting, parking & camping area options are now possible.
- G:** Construct new Multi-purpose Event Center for year-round use.