CIVIC CENTER NEWS



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35,000 Square Foot



The Board of Directors of the Ashland County Agricultural Society, Inc. dba Ashland County Fair is pleased to announce plans for a new Civic Center on the property of the Ashland County Fairgrounds. The new 35,000 square foot building will replace the current buildings known as Mozelle Hall, the Hobby Building, and the Restroom/Shower House on the west end of Mozelle Hall.

The new Civic Center has been designed to replace the current facilities, and enhance the Fairground's ability to offer updated and modern exhibition areas, meeting spaces, a commercial kitchen and other amenities that will improve the services and events at the Fairground. The new Civic Center will also provide opportunities for the residents and businesses throughout Ashland County and surrounding areas.

Ashland County Fair

2042 Claremont Avenue, Ashland, Ohio 44805 Phone: 419-289-0466

BUILDINGS BEING REPLACED



Mozelle Hall

Mozelle Hall, built in 1955, served the Community as a Roller Rink, in its earlier years, and has been the Fair's primary exhibition area since the 1980s. It is a cement block structure with wooden flooring that holds moisture and causes the floor to swell, distort and emit a musty smell in the summer. In the winter, the four large overhead heaters are noisy and inadequate. In short, it lacks ventilation, insulation, air conditioning and heating.

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The main exhibition area (capacity 800) is 19,340 square foot that has capability to be divided by a retractable wall making two 9,670 square foot areas (capacity 400 each side); a complete kitchen able to service both spaces; a smaller meeting room; restrooms and designated shower area, as well as an indoor/outdoor concession area.



Hobby Building

The Hobby Building began as a grandstand for the Ashland Racetrack, then moved twice and ended up in its current location in the 1970's. It has reached its limit with photography and many hobby displays. The Hobby Building does not have heating, air conditioning, or insulation.



Restroom w/Showers

The Restroom/Shower house lacks adequate heating and has to be shut down and drained when the temperature drops below freezing.

WE NEED YOUR HELP TO BUILD! PLEASE CONSIDER A PLEDGE TODAY

Many Giving Options:

We are excited to invite you to be a part of the Civic Center building project. Many of you and your families have been active exhibitors and supporters for generations at the Ashland County Fair. Ashland County Fair is a 501c3 non profit organization and is funded by monies from the fair attendees, merchants, sponsorships, rentals, and shows/events throughout the year. Contributions are deductible as charitable contributions for federal income tax purposes to the extent provided by law.



FAIR FRIEND \$500-\$4,999 Love the Fair? Have your name put on a tree leaf

or stepping stone in Civic Center



Memorials-\$1.000

Add your loved ones name to the Memorial Tree in Civic Center



FAIR FAMILY \$5,000-\$15,000

Celebrate your family history at the Ashland County Fair.

Name put on family tree leaf in Civic Center



FAIR SUPPORTER \$15,001-\$49,999

The fair appreciates all supporters whether a business or individual.

A plaque with giving levels will be displayed in Civic Center.

Beginning at \$25,000, a 4x8 banner will be hung on Fair fence along Claremont Avenue or Baney Road until Civic Center is built and your name is displayed on plaque in Civic Center.



Fireplace - \$100,000

Kitchen - \$100,000

Kitchen-Appliances/Equip.-\$100,000

Patio Area - \$75,000

Concession 1 & 2 - \$50,000 each

Main Entrance Vestibule - \$50,000

Storage Room - \$50,000

Landscaping - \$25,000



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Meet our Steering Committee



We are pleased that Natalie Wesner Goschinski serves as Campaign Chair for the Civic Center.

Sandy Burkholder
Steve Englet
Kristin Flickinger
Barb Hendrix
Jake Jones
Jeff Jones
Cathy Rice
Dan Stone
Maxine Swaisgood
Marty Wesner
Gene Haberman-Consultant
Shirley Bonfiglio-Secretary



Feel free to contact any steering committee member for further information or questions

ASHLAND COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY, INC. MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Ashland County Fair is to promote agriculture and business by providing a clean, safe, affordable, fun, and educational facility for fair and non-fair activities. We will support the Junior Fair, youth and adults of our county through exhibits, demonstrations, competitions, and sales. We will maintain the facility at the highest standards so it is viewed as a community asset and will be available for future generations.

Visit our website for more information and virtual tour of Civic Center www.ashlandcountyfair.com



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