



The Minnesota State Fair is proud to announce the new attractions, exhibits and other elements for the 2019 Great Minnesota Get-Together. The following is a list of State Fair experiences debuting this year.

### **North End**

Venture to the North End to experience the fairgrounds' newest destination neighborhood. The expanded redevelopment features these newly added attractions:

- The North End Event Center, the area's stunning brand-new centerpiece, houses a 12,000-square-foot state-of-the-art exhibit hall that will be the fair-time home to annually changing museum-quality exhibits that fair guests can enjoy free with fair admission. The inaugural exhibit is ANGRY BIRDS UNIVERSE: THE EXHIBITION. During non-fair time, the event center is available to rent for special events. Construction cost for the North End Event Center was \$16 million.
- Minnesota Corn Fairstalk is a 24-foot-tall art installation celebrating Minnesota agriculture.
- Minnesota Marquees, three shade structures on the plaza, feature exhibit panels showcasing iconic, innovative and influential people, inventions and events from our state's history.
- Pose for photos next to 6-foot-tall figures created by prominent Minnesota artist Adam Turman: State Fair mascot Fairchild; Paul Bunyan; Babe the Blue Ox; and Hotdish Girl, made famous in Turman's artwork.
- Minnesota-based specialty merchants make their State Fair debut at the North End: Brim featuring the Grilled Sota Sandwich, Friends of the Boundary Waters Wilderness, GoodThings, Handsome Cycles, Homespun Gifts & Décor, Minnesota Distillers Guild, and Summer Lakes Beverage.
- The North End neighborhood is also home to: several rotating touring promotional exhibits; Arts A'Fair pop-up performances; activities for Governor's Fire Prevention Day (Aug. 23) and Minnesota State Patrol Day (Aug. 26); Pet Pavilions and Outdoor Demonstration Area; The Hangar food and beverage establishment; guest services such as wheelchair and electric scooter rental, an information booth, State FairWear Gift Shop, Minnesota State Fair Foundation booth, the North End gate, and drop-off/pick-up locations for app-based ride services and Metro Mobility.

*9 a.m. to 9 p.m. daily (some vendors and attractions are open earlier or later). Located north of Murphy Avenue at the north end of the fairgrounds.*

### **ANGRY BIRDS UNIVERSE: THE EXHIBITION in the North End Event Center**

Based on the famous game and characters that took the world by storm, ANGRY BIRDS UNIVERSE: THE EXHIBITION gives fair fans of all ages the chance to explore art and science concepts through unique, hands-on interactives.

ANGRY BIRDS UNIVERSE: THE EXHIBITION, making its Midwest debut, is the inaugural exhibit in the North End Event Center and is only at the 2019 State Fair. "Be the bird" and explore science, technology, engineering, art and math: Build and race handheld vehicles; launch larger-than-life Angry Birds with massive slingshots; try your hand in a high-tech design studio; learn about egg sizes, wing span and flight dynamics; and propel down a zip line to knock over enormous foam structures – these are just some of

the exhibit's unique activities. Physics, animation, gravity, magnetics, geometry and more have never been so fun! Free with fair admission

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To see more ANGRY BIRDS, don't miss their new movie, "The Angry Birds Movie 2," in theaters Aug. 14.

*Free with fair admission! 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. daily. Located in the North End Event Center, north of Murphy Avenue.*

### **Minnesota Corn Fairstalk**

Greeting guests as they meander through the North End, this 24-foot-tall one-of-a-kind art installation celebrates Minnesota agriculture. Giant LED screens, displaying fun facts about corn and farming, food and the fair, are integrated into the design of what is sure to become an iconic photo stop for fair visitors. Fair guests are invited to contribute to the video content shown on the Minnesota Corn Fairstalk. Use #mnstatefair in your social media posts showing the best parts of your fair day, and your post may be shown on the Minnesota Corn Fairstalk LED screens.

*Located at the North End, north of Murphy Avenue, west of the North End Event Center*

### **The Sioux Chef® Presents the Indigenous Food Lab at Dan Patch Park**

Celebrate the richness, beauty and diversity of Minnesota's indigenous foods and culture in a special daylong program on Sunday, Sept. 1, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., at Dan Patch Park. Throughout the day, indigenous chefs will demonstrate native foods from North America and share the history, cultural significance, culinary and medicinal uses, and preservation techniques of an array of ingredients and dishes. Winner of a prestigious James Beard Award, Chef Sean Sherman will present a cooking demonstration and discuss the foundations of the Indigenous Food Systems. Also taking center stage are traditional drumming, singing and dancing that showcase the cultural artistry of Minnesota tribes. The program will also feature NATIFS (North American Traditional Indigenous Food Systems), a non-profit organization focused on education and access to Native foods, and introduce the Indigenous Food Lab, a culinary training center coming to the Twin Cities in 2020.

Check the daily schedules for a list of programs that are a part of The Sioux Chef® Presents the Indigenous Food Lab at Dan Patch Park.

Presented with the support of the Minnesota State Fair Foundation.

*Free with fair admission! Sunday, Sept. 1, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Located at Dan Patch Park.*

### **Goat Booth**

Goats, one of the fastest-growing livestock exhibitions at the State Fair (more than 1,400 goats came to the fair last year!), will now have their own education station. Stop by and learn more about the many goat breeds through activities and displays. Get answers to fascinating questions about the tassels that hang from a goat's neck (they're called wattles), how much milk goats produce, why some goat breeds have such different-looking ears, and more. Plus, see a goat anatomy model. The Goat Booth is open Aug. 30-Sept. 2.

*Friday, Aug. 30, 1-9 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 31 and Sept. 1, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Monday, Sept. 2, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Located inside the south entrance of the Sheep & Poultry Barn, north of Judson Avenue between Liggett and Clough streets.*

### Three New Rides

Two new high-flying rides debut at Mighty Midway, and a new merry-go-round comes to Kidway.

New at Mighty Midway:

- **Sea Ray:** Ahoy, mate! Hop on board a giant pirate ship for a wild ride that swings from side to side – as if you’re on a high-seas adventure.
- **Zero Gravity:** Supersonic spins and centrifugal force combine for an adrenaline-rushing ride.

New at Kidway (*sponsored by DISH*):

- **Merry-Go-Round:** Colorful horses take tots for a spin on this classic carnival ride.

*Located at Mighty Midway and Kidway.*

### Agriculture Horticulture Building – New Features

One of the most iconic buildings at the State Fairgrounds is home to a variety of new competitions, demonstrations and displays – from flowers and food to craft beer and ag education. Here’s a sampling of what’s new this fair in the building we affectionately call Ag-Hort:

- Brewing demonstrations highlight the different ingredients and the subtle yet significant keys to brewing a variety of beers. Daily at the Minnesota Craft Brewers Guild “Land of 10,000 Beers” exhibit.
- “Floralpalooza” in the Rotunda features large-scale handcrafted and personalized designs created by local florists to celebrate the lives of iconic “Minnesota Grown” hometown legends such as Judy Garland, Charles Schulz, Prince and others.
- Always insightful and informational, The DIRT demonstration stage features eight presentations daily. Among the intriguing new topics to be presented by experts this year: Tasty Tomatoes Growing the Rainbow, Grow Gourmet and Medicinal Mushrooms in Your Home and Garden, How to Grow Your Hobby Into a Small Business, Retain Soil Moisture & Conserve Water Using Soil Polymers, Making Room for Monarchs, Edibles and Decoratives from the Woods or Backyard, Urban Insects We Like, Build a Spring Greenhouse for Less Than \$100 and Heat It With Your Straw Bale Garden, and more.
- The blooms are always beautiful in the flower competitions held throughout the fair, and this year “Minnesota Explores the Arts” is the theme of the Minnesota State Fair Flower Show for amateur floral arrangers (Aug. 26-27). Competitors choose which category to enter depending on their design – “Art-A-Whirl” is for wreaths; “Swan Lake by Tchaikovsky” incorporates a water element; “Jackson Pollock” entries emphasize colors; and “Dancers by Degas” arrangements imply motion – just a few of the dozens of artful categories.
- The College of Food, Agricultural and Natural Resource Sciences (CFANS) celebrates 150 years of providing food and agriculture education at the University of Minnesota. Learn about turf research that will help you save water and increase pollinators; how new crops such as Kernza®, now used in beer and bread, impact clean water and commercial chemical use; ask questions of a master gardener; and explore pop-up learning stations on entomology, food science and nutrition, and more.
- Common Table: *Minnesota Eats* inspires Minnesotans to get connected to the food we eat through a variety of displays and presentations. Spotlights this year feature partners who are changing the way we grow, buy and eat food. Topics include farming with fish; solar sites for bees, berries and beer; lazy, feel-good recipes; creative food innovations in the Rondo community; insect predator, prey and pollinators; straw bale gardening; pheasant-friendly solar farms; and more

Check the daily schedules for more information. The Agriculture Horticulture Building is sponsored by Bremer Bank.

*The Agriculture Horticulture Building is open 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. daily (8 p.m. on Labor Day). Located between Carnes and Judson avenues and Underwood and Cooper streets.*

### **Giant Slide Turns 50**

The iconic five-story Giant Slide celebrates its 50th anniversary at the 2019 Minnesota State Fair. An estimated 9 million fair guests have ridden this landmark attraction, which is owned and operated by three generations of the Pittroffs, the family that first brought the slide to the fair in 1969.

Stop by for a selfie and buy a limited-edition commemorative T-shirt and hat (available only at the 2019 State Fair and while supplies last). Rides on the Giant Slide are \$2.50 per person.

Riders must be 45” or taller to ride unaccompanied; anyone under 45” must ride with a parent or guardian.

*8 a.m. to 11:30 p.m. daily. Located on the east side of Nelson Street, north of Carnes Avenue.*

### **Minnesota State Fair Healing Garden**

Applying aloe vera to burns is a centuries-old practice. Lavender helps with sleep disorders and treats anxiety, stress and headaches. But did you know fennel can be used to treat nausea, colic and digestive issues and increases milk production for nursing mothers? Have you discovered ashwagandha, used for more than 3,000 years to relieve stress, and it increases energy, improves concentration, lowers blood sugar and treats insomnia?

Dozens of plants known for their healing and therapeutic properties fill the beautifully designed State Fair Healing Garden. In 2019, Phase 1 of the garden will include educational signage amidst the waterfalls and gazebo pointing out each plant and explaining its medicinal uses. Get inspired to integrate the healing power of plants into your health regimen.

*Located on the east side of Cosgrove Street on the south side of the 4-H Building.*

### **Creative Activities – New Highlights**

Insider tips from award-winning local chefs and dazzling displays of crafting and kitchen creativity by Minnesotans are highlighted in the Creative Activities Building. Here’s an overview of what’s new at the 2019 State Fair:

- Premier, award-winning chefs present demonstrations in the Cambria Kitchen on Aug. 22: Diane Moua, executive pastry chef at Bellecour, 10 a.m.; Wyatt Evans, chef de cuisine at P.S. Steak, 2 p.m.; Nick Vasquez, chef de cuisine at Monello, 4 p.m.
- The talent of your fellow Minnesotans will amaze you in these this year’s themed competitions: “Have you ever seen a dairy cow dance?” quilt on-a-stick; “Minnesota Gardens” cookie decorating; and “My Favorite Exhibits at the Minnesota State Fair” cake decorating.
- The intricate beauty of glass arts takes over the center display case in “Minnesota Master part Deux,” an exhibition of work created by artists with Foci Minnesota Center for Glass Arts.
- An always-fascinating schedule in the Cambria Kitchen features these new presentations in 2019: 3 Cricketeers “Cooking with the Super Protein” (yes, crickets!); Popol Vuh – Centro Restaurant, cooking tips for “elevated Mexican cuisine”; and Surly Brewery chefs on beer-flavored meat, savory flavors, and pastry and beer making.
- Hand-picked blue-ribbon-winning recipes from the 2018 State Fair are featured on limited-run Recipe Card Round-Up cards available on select days: Black Raspberry Jam; Carrot Cake with

Vanilla Bean Buttercream; Dill Pickles; Beer Bread Using a Minnesota Craft-Brewed Beer (Castle Danger Cream Ale); Apple Fritter Monkey Bread; and Chocolate Pistachio Cookies.

*Located on the northeast corner of Dan Patch Avenue and Cosgrove Street.*

### **Park & Ride Lot Updates**

Make your first fair ride a free one! Offered at 33 locations near the fairgrounds, our park free, ride free service is adding two new locations for the 2019 fair:

- 2955 Centre Pointe Drive, between 35W and Cleveland Avenue, north of the Courtyard by Marriott, Roseville, 55113 (open 8 a.m. to midnight all 12 days of the fair; drop-off/pick-up at Transit Hub)
- Grace Lutheran Church, 1730 Old Hudson Rd., St. Paul, 55106 (open 8 a.m. to midnight Monday through Saturday; 1 p.m. to midnight Sunday; drop-off/pick-up at Transit Hub)

Please note that parking at Roseville Area High School is not available this year.

For more information about getting to the fair, visit <https://www.mnstatefair.org/transportation/>

### **Eco Experience – New Highlights**

At this award-winning exhibit, an array of new highlights features the latest in: easy, everyday reduce-reuse-recycle how-tos that impact our air and water; healthy cooking tips to reduce food waste; innovations in green technology; and other compelling topics on environmentally focused living. Here's a sampling of the questions you'll find answers to at this year's Eco Experience (all free with fair admission):

- An 18,000-pound block of ice in the center of the Eco Experience exhibit will melt away during the fair, raising awareness of how climate change is shortening Minnesota's lake ice season and the implications for our economy and ecology. Sign up to be a citizen volunteer and help collect lake ice data.
- See a battery-powered lawn mower, snow blower and other equipment on display in the "Green Garage."
- Interest in local foods has focused on vegetables, milk, meats and more. One food group that is found at most every meal and could make the biggest impact on our landscape is grains. Learn about the quality, flavor and nutrition of locally grown artisan grains, and the environmental benefits provided by regenerative, artisan grain production. Local chefs and foodmakers offer tips on how artisan grains can elevate your cooking.
- See a community solar garden array, a Nissan Leaf battery storage demonstration and more in the "Let's Cool It! Connect to the Sun" exhibit.
- Learn easy ways to combine walking, biking and riding public transit to improve access to jobs, contribute to healthier lifestyles, reduce personal and household transportation costs, and increase transportation choice.

Eco Experience is a partnership of the State Fair, the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency and more than 150 organizations and businesses across the state. It is the largest environmental education event of its kind in the country.

Check daily schedules for a complete list of activities in Eco Experience.

*Free with fair admission! 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. daily. Located in the Progress Center, on the north side of Randall Avenue at Cosgrove Street.*

## Special Promotional Exhibits

A photographic mosaic created with fair fan snapshots, a colorful Berry Mobile, and popular playable video games are all part of this year's State Fair on select dates.

- On the fair's opening day, with the help of guests who post fair photos on social media, watch as a surprise giant photo mosaic is revealed in real-time as more and more photos are added to the artwork. Watch the creation in progress Aug. 22, outside the east entrance to the Grandstand building. The final mosaic will be on display throughout the fair, so stop by anytime to snap a photo of the photo! Brought to you by Sleep Number, sponsor of the Grandstand building and Grandstand Concert Series.
- The Nintendo Switch Road Trip makes a stop at the State Fair, bringing playable demos of some of the hottest Nintendo Switch games, fun photo opportunities, Nintendo-themed challenges and more. (Aug. 30-Sept. 2)
- Free berry treats, cool prizes, photo ops and family fun will be served up in the colorful Driscoll's #BerryTogether Berry Mobile promotional exhibit. (Aug. 30-Sept. 1)

*9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Located throughout the fairgrounds. Check the Fair Finder for specific locations.*

## New Features of Popular Exhibits & Experiences

We introduce reading stories to dogs, performing trapeze art, creating with magnetic poetry, and digging into dirt at popular State Fair exhibits and experiences. Always fun, always insightful and always free, these popular State Fair experiences are adding new features for the 2019 State Fair:

- **Pet Pavilions:** "Read to a Breed" joins Read & Ride Day at the fair, giving children the opportunity to read to attentive dogs, cats, rabbits and other breeds of North Star Therapy Animals on Wednesday, Aug. 28, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.
- **Arts A'Fair:** Four local performing groups debut at the fair as part of the Arts A'Fair series of pop-up showcases: Bucket Brigade Theater (Aug. 22-24), James Sewell Ballet (Aug. 25-27), Captain Willy DeWitt – Comedy Stunt Show (Aug. 28-30), and Twin Cities Trapeze Center (Aug. 25-27, 31-Sept. 2).
- **Alphabet Forest:** This popular word-discovery wonderland celebrates its 10th year at the fair with the debut of a magnetic poetry word-play creation station.
- **Kemps Little Farm Hands:** The littlest fair fans will get the scoop on soil and discover more about the ground we walk on

Check daily schedules for more information, exact days and times.

*Free with fair admission! Located throughout the fairgrounds.*

## History Highlights of the Early Fairs and the Sheep & Poultry Barn

The History Walking Tour, a two-mile self-guided exploration of some of the State Fair's most historically significant spots, introduces two new additions to the tour: The Early Fairs and the Sheep & Poultry Barn.

Quick tip: This self-guided History Walking Tour is an easy stroll with coffee in hand if you arrive early in the morning to the fair. But you can learn more about some of the State Fair's most historically significant spots anytime during your visit. Here are two additions to the 2019 tour:

- Agricultural fairs in the Minnesota Territory began in 1854, flaunting the lush crops, healthy livestock and bustling society of the region to entice fair visitors to put down roots in Minnesota. Find out how many people attended the first fair after statehood in 1859 and other fun trivia to impress your friends.

- The Sheep & Poultry Barn was built in 1937 by members of the Works Progress Administration, an employment program during the Great Depression. The work of artists hired by the WPA can still be seen today on the outside of the barn.

Pick up a tour brochure at any tour stop on the fairgrounds or the Minnesota Historical Society booth in the Education Building. Visit at least eight of the 12 stops and collect a prize! (See brochure for details.)

The History Walking Tour is supported by the Minnesota State Fair Foundation and the Minnesota Historical Society.

*Free with fair admission! Located on the southwest corner of Lee Avenue and Cooper Street and at the Sheep & Poultry Barn.*

### **New Locations – 3<sup>rd</sup> Lair SkatePark and Crazy Maze**

Two popular attractions have new locations for the 2019 State Fair:

- **3<sup>rd</sup> Lair SkatePark**, presenting flips, tricks and daredevil skateboard and BMX bike demonstrations, is now at Adventure Park, on the southwest corner of West Dan Patch Avenue and Chambers Street. Seven shows daily – at 10:30 a.m., noon, 1:30, 3, 4:30, 6 and 7:30 p.m. *Located at Adventure Park on the southwest corner of West Dan Patch Avenue and Chambers Street.*
- **Krazy Maze**, a super-sized race against the clock to find the hidden letters – and the way out, is now located on the north side of Randall Avenue between Cooper and Cosgrove streets near Eco Experience. 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. \$5 per person. *Located on the north side of Randall Avenue between Cooper and Cosgrove streets.*

### **Unique Gifts & Home Décor: 15 New Vendors**

- **Chalk Couture with Sojo:** Crafting supplies to create personalized, professional-looking décor and gift items
- **Creative Outdoor Distributors:** Folding wagons, neon clocks, barstools, canopies, folding chairs and tables, pub tables and more
- **GoodThings:** Minnesota-related décor, lefse chips, kitchenware, clothing, soaps, blankets, custom State Fair socks and more
- **Grace Gear:** Faith-related, custom-designed and embellished Bibles, journals, crosses and jewelry
- **Homespun Gifts & Décor:** Minnesota-made and themed wall art, magnets, clothing, ornaments, jewelry, kitchenware and more
- **Jen's Friends:** Original handmade soft sculpture hockey monsters, Minnesota hedgehogs, Northwoods gnomes, Paul and Babe, and more
- **Kristi Abbott Original Art:** Prints, mugs, glassware, T-shirts and more printed with original artwork designs
- **The Market at Fox Run:** Featuring natural and environmentally friendly candles, soaps, jewelry, décor and soft goods by 12 featured Minnesota artists
- **Patrick Reid O'Brien's My Town Art:** Original art on paper, canvas, glass, wood and apparel, illustrated on-site and personalized with names hidden in the art
- **PCR Stone Imports:** Onyx stone lamps, bowls, wine racks, mirror frames, table tops, décor and more
- **Root'd:** Trendy, nature-inspired décor, garden accessories, artwork, textiles, furniture and gifts
- **Socially Handcrafted:** Decorative wood signs, pillows and marbled-design cut-outs of Minnesota and Wisconsin state shapes
- **Spiral Light Candles:** Unique made-in-Minnesota candles in a variety of scents with spiral wicks that burn in a circle

- **StevenBe:** Designer StevenBe-inspired and hand-curated yarns, knitting tools, bags and other fiber art gifts, plus a selection of items by designer Christopher Straub
- **Ten Thousand Villages:** Home décor, gifts and jewelry from 30 countries, made from recycled materials

### **Hobbies, Toys and the Outdoors: 11 New Vendors**

- **Asmodee North America:** Tabletop and board games for all ages, including Catan, Ticket to Ride, Spot It!, Rory's Story Cubes and more
- **B-Driven Sports:** Sports and medical compression sleeves for arms and legs, sun sleeves and compression socks
- **Edge Bowfishing:** Information about guided bowfishing trips and bowfishing instruction
- **Euro Scooter:** Three-wheeled, ADA-compliant, battery-powered electric scooters with numerous features to increase safety, comfort, ease-of-use and durability
- **Firebuggz:** Campfire roasters, s'more builders, camping accessories, fire pit inserts and more
- **Handsome Cycles:** Minnesota-built bikes, branded apparel, bike accessories and bike maintenance demonstrations
- **Have 2 Have It:** Super-soft plush bunnies and puppies for children, custom embroidery on-site
- **PhotoBallGuy:** Personalized photo sports ball gifts, awards, plaques and trophies made with digital photos
- **PuzzleTwist:** Jigsaw puzzles with designs by Minnesota artists that differ slightly from the images on the box, including the 2007 Michael Birawer State Fair art
- **Topperezlift:** TopperLift kits to transform a pickup truck and topper into a pop-up camper and Nomad camper packages to extend the truck bed
- **Total Sports Enterprises:** Signed and unsigned memorabilia, including jerseys, footballs, helmets, pucks and photographs

### **Foodie Fun: 5 New Vendors**

- **Caramel Kitchen:** Handmade, artisan, all-natural caramel sauces in a variety of flavors
- **DiamondKingSmoker:** Smokers-cookers, smoking woods, fire starters, cutting boards, BBQ meat thermometers, basting brushes and more
- **Doughmakers Kitchen:** Doughmakers brand bakeware and kitchen gadgets
- **Minnesota Distillers Guild:** Informational displays on Minnesota distilleries and cocktail rooms, grains and the distillation process, and a Minnesota Distillers passport
- **Summer Lakes Beverage:** BOOTLEG-branded cocktail mix, glassware, shirts and hats

### **Threads, Accessories & Beauty Care: 9 New Vendors**

- **Asian Invasion:** T-shirts and hats with humorous puns, panda banks, pop-up greeting cards and more
- **The Bell Collection:** Handcrafted heirloom sterling silver bell pendants and charms in sentimental designs meaningful to giver and receiver
- **Bows By Lisa Luann:** Flexi-8 one-piece beaded barrette with attached hair pin and the EZ Bun hair accessory to create a variety of hair styles
- **Cowgirls Don't Cry:** Texas artist-designed cowboy hats with Swarovski crystals (custom orders accepted) and a variety of non-embellished brand-name hats
- **The Glitter Glamper:** Temporary body bling, including 3D fantasy faces, unicorn horns, décolletage designs, glitter tattoos, glitter beards and more
- **Here's to Ears:** Handmade clip-on animal ears, tails and unicorn horns made with faux fur, faux suede and sequined fabric

- **Laura Kae Designs:** One-of-a-kind handmade boutique girls' clothing in a vintage look using modern designer fabrics and original children's artwork, plus hair accessories, bonnets, bloomers and doll clothes
- **Mineral Hot Springs Therapy:** All-natural Medicine Springs Mineral Therapy bath salt packets to turn a bathtub or hot tub into a mineral hot spring
- **Salt Soothers:** Mix-your-own handcrafted organic sea spa salts in a variety of colors and scents, plus Dead Sea salt scrubs and bath bombs

#### **Home & Work Solutions: 6 New Vendors**

- **Kensington Garden Rooms:** Handcrafted luxury cedar gazebos for outdoor residential and commercial use
- **Kohler Company:** Kohler® Walk-in Bath and LuxStone Showers
- **RetroGreen Energy:** How-to videos on performing home energy retrofits using high-performance products such as injection foam, spray foam and cellulose insulation
- **Scrubbie Sponges:** Long-lasting sponges for household cleaning with no odor or bacteria build-up
- **Sunspace:** Sunspace porch windows, screen products and deck railings
- **Ziegler CAT:** Ziegler CAT equipment, including CAT UTVs, skid steer loaders, loaders and excavators

#### **Out & About: 7 New Vendors**

- **Big Ideas Inc.:** Opportunities to learn more about skilled trades such as carpentry, welding, plumbing, electrical, mechatronics, masonry, HVAC/sheet metal, commercial cooking, commercial sewing and more.
- **Red Cape CPR Training:** Mobile CPR training service offering CPR, first aid and AED courses focusing on adults, children and pets; and information on Naloxone (Narcan), a medication to reverse the effects of opioid overdose
- **Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis (FRBM):** Education materials on the roles and responsibilities of the FRBM and the local tour program
- **Friends of the Boundary Waters Wilderness:** Raising awareness about efforts to protect, preserve and restore the wilderness character of the Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness and the Quetico-Superior Ecosystem
- **GoServ Global:** Information on how to be involved or be a provider of Safe T Homes®, highly modified grain bin structures used as long-term homes, hospitals and schools in tropical regions and disaster-relief areas of the world.
- **St. Paul Pioneer Press:** Promoting newspaper, home-delivery and online subscriptions
- **Teachers On Call:** Providing career placement services for short- and long-term substitute teachers and teachers' aides

*For more information and a complete list of vendors at the 2019 State Fair, use the Fair Finder at [mnstatefair.org/fair-finder/shops/](http://mnstatefair.org/fair-finder/shops/) beginning in August. This tool will also be part of the free State Fair app for iPhones and Androids.*

Visit [mnstatefair.org](http://mnstatefair.org) for more information and photos of the 2019 New Attractions.