



Hartford Fair Camping Rules and Regulations

1. Permit Acquisition
 - a. Permits must be in place prior to entering fairgrounds. Camper packets will be available in the fair office May 15th. A 15.00 fee will be charged to replace any permits.
 - b. **Only the person/spouse whose name is on the camping permit will be allowed to pick up the permit. The address you have provided to the fair office must match your photo ID, which is required to pick up the permit. THIS WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED!**
 - c. Only one vehicle per campsite is permitted. This vehicle MUST display your parking permit. Additional permits can be purchased for preferred parking, located behind the hog barn.
 - d. It is the permit holder's responsibility to inform the Hartford fair of any change address, phone number or email.
 - e. You must be 21 years of age to register for a campsite.
 - f. You are responsible for all occupants and guests.
2. Arrival and departure from campgrounds
 - a. Campers will not be allowed entry before 12 noon on Tuesday before the fair. (North Lot only) Official lot move in day is Wednesday at 8:00 am.
 - b. All campers must access the grounds through designated gates. Beginning Saturday before the fair, the only gate accessible will be A4.
 - c. All occupants must exit the grounds by 8:00 am following the final day of the fair.
 - d. Permits may be picked up upon arrival, all above rules will still be enforced.
3. Campground rules and regulations
 - a. All units must have their camping permits displayed in their window.
 - b. No electrical cords are allowed across roadways, and ONE electric outlet per unit.
 - c. No alcoholic beverages are allowed to be brought into the fairgrounds.
 - d. Quiet time is 11:00pm to 7:00 am. Fires and outside lights are to be out by midnight.
 - e. Absolutely no generators are permitted to run during quiet time.
 - f. No pets are permitted on the fairgrounds, including campgrounds.
 - g. All trash is to be placed in dumpsters before 11:00 am
 - h. Any dumping of gray or black water is strictly forbidden. A gray and black water service is available daily, in the established location. Anyone abusing this rule will forfeit their camping privileges.
 - i. Camper is responsible for keeping campground site and all fixtures in a clear and safe condition. Camper must remove all fire rings, trash and any other rubbish. Camper will use all appliances and electrical facilities in a reasonable manner. Camper will not destroy or damage any part of the campground.
 - j. **ABSOLUTLY NO CUTTING OR PRUNING OF TREES, LIMBS OR SHRUBS WITHOUT PERMISSION OF THE SENIOR FAIRBOARD. Doing so will void this agreement and camper will be required to leave the campsite for the remainder of the fair.**



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- k. Golf carts, bikes, ATV'S or any other recreational vehicles are prohibited. No exceptions. Power chair are available at the front gate for anyone physically challenged.
 - l. The Hartford fair reserves the right to ask camper to remove any personal property brought onto lot, including, but not limited to any refrigerator or freezer plugged in outside camper if it is causing electrical issues.
 - m. **Absolutely no sub-leasing or switching lots is permitted. Lot swap forms are available in the fair office. The office will accept swap forms only from September to February.** No transfers of sites are allowed except a spousal transfer upon death. In the event there is no living spouse, the lot will be relinquished to the camping lottery. **ONLY ONE CAMPSITE PER HOUSEHOLD, NAME AND/OR ADDRESS.**
 - n. If camper is found in violation of any afore mentioned rules and regulations, the senior fairboard or any other authorized person by the Hartford fair may give warning. If the violation is not corrected, a fine of \$ 25.00 for each violation per day may be issued. In the alternative, the senior fairboard, or any other authorized person may expel the camper from the lot for the remainder of the Hartford Fair, and the camper will NOT be entitled to refunds.
4. Disclaimer/Release of Liability
- a. The Hartford Fair disclaims any representation, warranty, or guarantee as to the safety of all property brought to the premise by camper. The Hartford Fair assumes no responsibility for damage of any camping vehicle for any reason, including but not limited to: vandalism, natural causes, or acts of God. Additionally, the Hartford Fair assumes no responsibility for proper or necessary maintenance of camping vehicle during the term of this agreement.
 - b. Camper, his/her heirs, designees, assignees, agents do forever release, acquit and discharge the Hartford Independent Agricultural Society (DBA The Hartford Fair) and each of its respected subsidiaries, affiliates, divisions, officers, directors, employees, agents, successors and assigns, both in official and personal capacities, whichever may be applicable, from any and all claims, demands. Judgements, actions, causes of actions, unknown, vested or contingent in law, equity or otherwise arising under or from any claims asserted or that could have been asserted, or otherwise from the contract.
5. Payment
- a. Only cash or credit/debit card will be accepted after the May deadline for registration. **NO CHECKS AFTER MAY DEADLINE.** A \$ 50.00 late fee will also be added after the April 30th 2026 deadline. Any reserved lot not paid for by May 29th, 2026 will be lost. A 3% processing fee is applied to all credit and debit transactions.