

Wood County Fair—Senior Day

Tuesday, July 30, 2024

9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Wood County Fairgrounds "Free Tent"

13800 West Poe Road, Bowling Green

Entertainment sponsors:

*Hanneman Family Funeral Homes, Paramount Elite, State Bank,
Wood County Hospital, Wood Haven Health Care*

9 to 9:50 a.m. Coffee & Donuts

First come, first served. Sponsored by Brookdale of Bowling Green

9 to 9:50 a.m. James Adkins Trio

Award-winning guitarist and singer/songwriter James Adkins was born in Fredericksburg, Virginia and quickly developed a love for music. James learned to sing and play guitar from his father and various performers he met while growing up on military bases all over the U.S. and abroad. While studying Jazz Performance at the University of West Florida, James was cutting his teeth as a club musician around Pensacola learning how to perform and make it in the music business. This musical path led James from coast to coast ending up in Virginia where he became the primary songwriter and lead singer of the award winning Americana band Big Virginia Sky. Though still on the road for his solo show, band, and as a freelance musician, these days James is based out of Northwest Ohio and he's back to his roots performing a mix of Bluegrass, Folk, Americana, and his own original music.



10 to 11:00 a.m. Night Session Big Band

Night Session Big Band is composed of 18 musicians, including two vocalists from the Toledo area. Their upbeat repertoire spans generations from yesterday to today. Night Session Big Band has a long history in the Toledo area and was revised in 2004. Since that time, Night Session Big Band has played venues in the area bringing the sounds of big band music back for all to enjoy. Enjoy the exciting sounds of a Northwest Ohio's Big Band!



11 a.m. Door Prize Drawing 11:10 a.m. Bliss

Bliss is a quintet of women who have "stepped outside the box" in the Northwest Ohio music scene.

With an extraordinary blend of striking harmonies and self accompaniment of violin, flute, acoustic guitars, keyboard, bass & light percussion instruments, this group offers their audience an audible delight that is refreshingly unique.

The set list is also a treat to the weary listener of the "usual," as they have incorporated songs from all genres and transformed them into their own noteworthy style.



Band members: M'Lissa Prottengeier - guitar/vocals; Lorilee Ash Green - guitar/keyboard/vocals; Cindy McFarland - bass/percussion/vocals; Brenda Holdridge - violin/vocals; Special appearance by: Chrissy Borer - flute/percussion

12:10 p.m. Lunch & Presentation

**Presentation by Denise Niese, WCCOA Executive Director
& Wood County Dignitaries**

Lunch sponsored by:

*Bridge Home Health and Hospice, Waterford at Levis Commons,
Provisions Living at Findlay, Medical Mutual, Heritage Corner Health Care Campus*

Lunch will be served by Wood County dignitaries and event sponsors

Menu: Stacked turkey OR ham, cold beans, heritage coleslaw, melon salad, Rice Krispies treat, and water.

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12:45 to 1:45 p.m. Jymi Dill

Jymi Dill started his career in the production of Langston Hughes, "Soul Gone Home" and the production of "La Cage Aux Folles." Soon after, Jymi started focusing on the music and performed for many people along the West coast.

He became known for singing "tribute shows" where he sang songs from Billy Eckstein and more. He became a student in the Jazz Heritage Workshop where he was mentored by Harold Mckinney.

Jymi can now be found performing lively and emotional concerts all over Michigan.



1:45 to 2:45 p.m. East of Cheyenne

East of Cheyenne is a three-piece band that plays live Classic Country and Classic Rock music. The band is made up of veteran musicians from the northwest and north-central Ohio area. The band has been together for 13 years. East of Cheyenne combines smooth playing with deep rich vocals and harmonies to present a family friendly show. They will get your toes tapping as you recall those great jukebox hits they play.

The band is Dan Long—vocals and bass guitar;
Benton Cooksey—Vocals, and lead guitar;
Tom Davis drum kit, vocals and percussion.



2:45 p.m. Door Prize Drawing

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Hosted by the Wood County Committee on Aging

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9:00 - 9:50 a.m.

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First Come First Served

9:50 - 10 a.m.

Welcome & Opening Address
National Anthem

10 - 11 a.m.

Night Session Big Band
Northwest, Ohio & Southeast, Michigan

11 - 11:10 a.m.

Door Prize Drawing *(Must be present to win)*

11:10 a.m. - 12:10 p.m.

Bliss
*Quintet of Women playing songs of all Genres
Northwest, Ohio*

12:10 - 12:30 p.m.

Lunch Address

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Corner Health Care Campus*

Menu: *Stacked turkey or ham, cold beans, heritage coleslaw, melon salad
Rice Krispy Treat, & water sponsored by Heritage Corner Health Care Campus*

12:45 - 1:45 p.m.

Jymi Dill
*Jazz Singer
Flint, Michigan*

1:45 - 2:45 p.m.

East of Cheyenne
*Classic Country Band
Northwest, Ohio*

All events are held under the tent. Be sure to enter through **Gate B or C off of Poe Road**. Lunch reservations are required by Friday, July 19, 2024, and can be made by calling the Wood County Committee on Aging at **419.353.5661** or **800.367.4935** or by emailing programs@wccoa.net

A free shuttle from the parking lot on Poe road to the Fairgrounds is provided via golf carts from the Wood County Sheriff's Office. When in the parking lot, call **419.352.8257** for your free ride into the fairgrounds on Senior Day.