



ECONOMIC INFORMATION
ON BEHALF OF THE VERMONT FAIRS AND FIELD DAYS
2019

Total Attendees in 2019:	Up 28000 from 2018
Percent from out of state:	26%
Yearly employee compensation :	down \$706,000
Total volunteers:	down by 24
Total volunteer hours:	up by 5,000
Gross Midway Income:	up by \$446,443**
\$\$ spent in community:	up \$348,000 from 2018
Total # children:	5,094
\$\$ spent/marketing:	Up \$1,000 from 2018
Total Yearly Op Budget:	down by \$184,000
Non fair events:	204

**6% sales tax on Gross Midway \$115,359.00 (estimated)

CAPTIAL GRANTS PROJECTS

Addison County Fair & Field Days implemented new electrical upgrades to reduce costs.

Caledonia County Fair put in a new underground water system that serves 80% of the fairgrounds, improving pressure and volume.

Champlain Valley Fairgrounds replaced electric hookups in the campgrounds for more efficiency and have converted most of the lighting on campus to LEDs.

Lamoille Field Days extended power to a new area of the grounds and are working on repairing of oldest buildings.

Orleans County Fair continued a 3 year project on grandstand upgrades and improvements to water lines.

Tunbridge Fair put in a manure pit and demolished an old building (part of a 3 year project in their Strategic Plan).

Vermont State Fair completed a total rehab of their First Aid building.

2020 FAIR DATES

Vermont Maple Festival	April 24-26	St. Albans
Connecticut Valley Fair	July 16-19	Bradford
Lamoille County Field Days	July 24-26	Johnson
Franklin County Field Days	August 6-9	Highgate
Deerfield Valley Farmer's Day	August 6-9	Wilmington
Addison County Fair & Field Days	August 11-15	New Haven
Vermont State Fair	August 11-15	Rutland
Orleans County Fair	August 19-23	Barton
Caledonia County Fair	August 26-30	Lyndonville
Bondville Fair	August 28-30	Bondville
Champlain Valley Exposition	Aug 28-Sept 6	Essex Junction
Guilford Fair	Sept 6-7	Guilford
Tunbridge World's Fair	Sept 17-20	Tunbridge
Vermont Farm Show	Jan 26-28, 2021	Essex Junction