

## ***Mission Statement***

It is the mission of the Grays Harbor County Fairgrounds to educate and involve our guests by providing a world-class County Fair and Interim Events that are innovative, entertaining and fun.

We strive to:

- Provide outstanding customer service
- Offer exceptional value
- Showcase the agriculture, art and industry of the entire Grays Harbor County community
- Present forums for knowledge and ideas
- Create unique experiences
- Provide a safe, clean environment that is accessible to all

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## ***Aims and Purposes***

*The following is a list of goals that the Grays Harbor County Fair will strive to meet, at all times, for the education and welfare of the people of Grays Harbor County.*

1. Provide a well-balanced variety of exhibits: Commercial and Educational, 4H and FFA, Youth and Adult Open Class.
2. Provide a central theme of promoting agriculture and the agriculture products from our area.
3. Furnish educational and training opportunities for youth in such areas as demonstrations, contests, and judging.
4. Actively promote fair by encouraging all citizens of the area to attend and participate.
5. Encourage our senior citizens to participate in fair activities and to provide them a medium in which to exhibit in multiple departments.
6. Provide a variety of quality entertainment options for the entire family.
7. Encourage local manufacturers and businesses to display their products and services at the fair.
8. Give youth and adult citizens an opportunity to enter their projects in the spirit of friendly competition, whether it be 4H, FFA or Open Class.
9. Promote farm life by including exhibits which demonstrate rural living and rural organizations.
10. Provide a medium by which rural organizations, such as Granges and special interest groups can exhibit in the spirit of friendly competition.
11. Make the County fairgrounds and buildings available to the general public for event rentals, at reasonable rates.
12. Generate revenue for fair operations and to fund future improvements of the grounds.
13. Develop sound, short and long range plans for the future growth of the fair.
14. Encourage safe and responsible use of the facilities and exhibit areas, as well as provide for the safety of exhibitors and general public.
15. Provide a place where people from all walks of life can gather in a spirit of joy to be inspired by the exhibits and activities of their neighbors.