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State Fair Meadowlands to Showcase Tri-State Area's Best New Bands This Summer
Fifteen Bands to Perform; Shows are Free with Entry Ticket to Fair

East Rutherford, NJ – May 25, 2011 – State Fair Meadowlands, the largest fair in the New York metro area, will host some of the area's trendiest new bands during its 17-day run this summer. The fair runs June 24 thru July 10 at the New Meadowlands Fairgrounds, next to the New Meadowlands Stadium, formerly Giants Stadium.

“State Fair Meadowlands is a great venue for new music – with food, rides and loads of fun. We are thrilled to be showcasing some of the area's best new talent in our brand-new covered event area. Best of all, the shows are free with entry to the fair – a great value that music lovers won't find anywhere else,” says Al Dorso Jr., events coordinator, State Fair Meadowlands.

This year's featured bands will include:

- Human Wheels – Sunday, July 3rd - <http://www.myspace.com/humanwheelsmusic>
- Danielle Ashley – Saturday, June 25th - <http://danielleashleymusic.com/>
- Escape Directors – Friday, June 24th, Saturday, July 2nd, Friday, July 8th - <http://escapedirectors.com/>
- Jack Skuller – Saturday, July 2nd- http://www.jackskuller.com/JACK_SKULLER_OFFICIAL_WEBSITE/JACK_SKULLER.html
- I AM FIGHTING – Sunday, June 26th and Wednesday, July 6th http://www.facebook.com/iamfighting?v=app_178091127385#!/iamfighting?sk=info
- April Baton – Friday, July 1st-
- Austin Taylor – Saturday, June 25th and Thursday, June 30th-
- Scott DeCarlo Six – Friday, June 24th and Monday, July 4th- <http://www.scottdecarlo.com/>
- Slewfoot Project – Saturday, June 25th-<http://www.theslewfootproject.com/>
- Keeping Riley – Sunday, June 26th and July 10th -<http://www.keepingriley.com/>
- The Tonight Life – Tuesday, June 28th-
- Shelly Lynn – Friday, June 24th and Friday, July 1st-
- Goodbye Friday – Friday, July 1st, Saturday, July 2nd, Monday, July 4th, Saturday, July 9th and Sunday July 10th - <http://www.facebook.com/goodbye fridaynj>
- Danny Nova – Wednesday, June 29th, Thursday, July 7th and Saturday, July 9th- <http://www.facebook.com/pages/Danny-Nova/233398824147>
- Kings Highway – Sunday, July 3rd and Tuesday, July 5th-
- Diamonds in Jupiter – Monday, July 4th and Friday, July 8th- <http://www.gigmasters.com/rb-band/Diamonds-in-Jupiter/>
- Girls night out – Monday, June 27th and Saturday, July 9th-<http://girlsnightoutshow.com/>
- Payton Taylor – Sunday, July 3rd- <http://www.facebook.com/paytontaylormusic>
- 3 West – Sunday, June 26th and Friday, July 8th-<http://www.3westlive.com/>

For more information, visit the Concert section of the fair's web site: <http://njfair.com/concerts.php>.

About State Fair Meadowlands

State Fair Meadowlands will celebrate its 25th anniversary this summer, running daily from June 24 thru July 10. The fair will be held in new, larger fairgrounds next to the New Meadowlands Stadium, formerly Giants Stadium. It features 150 rides and attractions, thrilling rides and over 50 food vendors. In addition to live music, the fair will offer exciting new entertainment that is free with entry ticket—The Big Cat Show, Kachunga and The Alligator Show, Circus Maximus and the Human Slinky—as well as old favorites, including Racing Pigs, Magic Shows, and Master Hypnotist Steve Bayner. Also back this year is the Batcopter, the Skyride and the fabulous Fourth of July fireworks. Visit www.njfair.com for info about tickets, special discounts, promotions and hours.

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