
Mathewson Exhibition Center



Rental Fee \$1,700

The Mathewson Exhibition Center is the fairgrounds' second largest venue, seating more than 5,300 people, including 3,200 permanent seats. Built in 1988, its brick exterior and concrete interior create a durable, year-round facility ideal for horse shows, rodeos, bull riding, wrestling competitions, concerts, and more. In 1994, it was named for James L. Mathewson, who served in the Missouri Senate and House and was instrumental in garnering legislative support for the Missouri State Fair.

Building Features

Facility Description: Arena and exhibition hall

Electrical: 110v/208, three-phase

Square Footage: 20,000

Length (ft): 191'

Width (ft): 108'

Restrooms: Yes

Air Conditioning: Yes

Heat: Yes

Storage Room: Yes

Overhead Doors: Two, freight with dock

Seating Capacity: 3,200 permanent; 5,300 concert capacity

Night Lighting: Yes

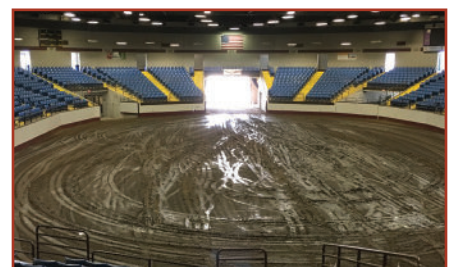
Concession Stand: Yes, food and beverages are offered through the MSF onsite and exclusive concession contractor

Floor Type: Concrete; dirt can be added for an additional fee

Other: Elevator, showers/locker rooms

Sound System: Yes

Prices are subject to change without notice. For accessibility details, visit <https://mostatefairgrounds.com/plan-event/accessibility/>.



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