



SPECIAL KIDS DAY AT THE EX
Monday June 18, 2012



Once again, we are fortunate to have received passes for children to attend the Special Kids Day at the Ex. The purpose of this day is to give children who are not able to attend the Exhibition at the regular public time the opportunity to attend. For some of our families, this works out very well because the regular midway is not open, the crowd is much smaller and the wait time for rides is minimal compared to the regular exhibition hours.

The rules and regulations set forth by the Red River Exhibition Association are as follows:

AS THIS IS AN EVENT SET ASIDE FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS 10 YEARS OF AGE AND UNDER, WE WOULD ASK THAT ONLY PRESCHOOL MEMBERS OF THE IMMEDIATE FAMILY ACCOMPANY THE CHILD.

Please note: There is no transit bus service to or from the park at the time of this event.

The Exhibition office has recognized that many of our children over the age of 10 would benefit from this low key event. **The special consideration for older children is specifically for those who cannot attend the EX during regular hours due to sensory issues.** They will allow children with special needs over the age of 10. Please contact us for more information. Preschool sibling rule will still apply. If your child is over the age of 10, please be advised that they may not be able to go on all rides due to their height and weight. These rides are designed for smaller children but some will accommodate bigger kids.

North American Midway Entertainment will once again provide **free Kidsworld rides** and a hotdog lunch is provided.

The event is from 11:00am to 1:00pm and ONLY THOSE WHO HAVE REGISTERED WITH THE RED RIVER EXHIBITION OFFICE WILL BE ALLOWED ENTRY. Tickets will be mailed to you for this day.

If your child would benefit from this special day and meets the criteria set forth above, please send your name, child or children's ages to our office via email at <mailto:programs@autismmanitoba.com> or regular post on or before **May 16th**. You can also call our office at 783-9563 if this is more convenient. We will send you a letter with information on how to obtain your tickets.

If you have any questions about the event, please let us know and we will do our best to answer them.