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### Classic Concert & Competing Cadets

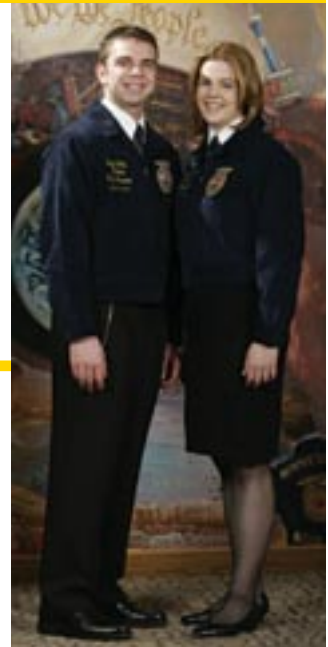
The **Veterans Memorial Coliseum** will transform into a wrestling center **June 15–17** as the **2006 USAW Northern Plains Kids and Cadets Regional Championships** take the floor. This wrestling competition brings the best from Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota and Wisconsin in Freestyle and Greco wrestling. Youth wrestlers, ages 9–16, will compete for top honors and over 200 youth from Wisconsin are expected to compete. This program has yielded many successful Collegiate and Olympic wrestlers. [www.wiwrestling.com/WWF/np.htm](http://www.wiwrestling.com/WWF/np.htm).

**Michael Bublé's** melodies fill the **Veterans Memorial Coliseum June 22** for a can't miss concert. Bublé is known as the kid who can really swing, while his amazing voice puts emotion and desire into his songs. Hits like "The Way you look Tonight," "Save the Last Dance for Me," and "Home" are what sets Bublé apart. A winner of four Juno awards this year, including Best Artist and Best Singer, Bublé is sure to make you swoon. Tickets are available at the Coliseum Ticket office, all Ticketmaster outlets, Ticketmaster.com, or charge by phone at 608-255-4646. [www.michaelbuble.com](http://www.michaelbuble.com)

### Blue Jackets & Colorful Art

The 77<sup>th</sup> Annual **Wisconsin State FFA Convention** fills **Exhibition Hall** with a sea of national blue and corn gold **June 12–15**. Over 3,000 students from around the state attend seminars, break-out sessions, banquets and social events. Award-winners will be recognized in public speaking, job interviews, career development events and the agri-science fair. The *Believe it, Achieve it* convention focus is on building and strengthening leadership and skills needed to assure their future success. [www.wisconsinffa.org](http://www.wisconsinffa.org)

**Summer Scamp Camp** is a three days of stamping and scrap booking fun in the **Exhibition Hall June 22–24**. With over 30 classes taught by local and national instructors, free demonstrations, how-to videos and Scrampers Mall there will be plenty to do. You can also enjoy Create-N-Keep events on Friday and Saturday and even work on your scrapbooks at Camp Crop held Thursday night. Register in advance online at [www.StampScrapMadison.com](http://www.StampScrapMadison.com)



### Summer Fun In the Sun

The cows are on the move this June with **CowParade 2006**. The **CowParade 2006 Kick-Off Party June 1** prepares the herd as they graze on the lush grass of **Willow Island** and leave the Alliant Energy Center Mooternity Ward. The Wisconsin Milk Marketing Board launches over 100 cows into Madison and the surrounding areas **June 3–October 13**. Join the herd and partying till the cows come home. Checkout <http://wisconsin.cowparade.com> for the latest moos.

The **2006 Prairie State Classic** will be **June 2–4** in the Arena Building. The show is open to the American Saddlebred as well as the classic American breed of Morgan horse. Classes in Western, English and Harness will bring out the best in these breeds. [www.midstatesmorgan.org/prairiestate.htm](http://www.midstatesmorgan.org/prairiestate.htm)

On **June 3** the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual **Susan G. Komen Madison Race for the Cure** starts and finishes on **Willow Island**. More than 8,000 runners, walkers and strollers are expected to participate in the 5K run, 5K walk and 1-mile fun course. The funds raised through this event will be used to provide awareness, education and early detection of breast cancer for women throughout Dane County, and also help fund the national grant program. Visit [www.madisonraceforthecure.com](http://www.madisonraceforthecure.com) to register and learn more.

As the Komen Race for the Cure finishes up on **Willow Island, Kid's Fishing Day** gears up. Willow Island's ponds and natural space will host this family-friendly event **June 3**. Sponsored by the Yahara Fishing Club, Willow Island ponds will be stocked with pan fish and a few bass. More information is available at [www.yaharafishingclub.org](http://www.yaharafishingclub.org).

Dogs and their owners celebrate "Hawaii Fi-Do—A Dog's Day In Paradise" at **Mounds Dog Fest 2006**. Thousands of dogs bring their owners **June 11** to **Willow Island** for Mounds Pet Food Warehouse's annual outdoor pet festival. There will be vendors, contests, games and demonstrations from 10am–3pm. [www.moundspet.com/events.html](http://www.moundspet.com/events.html)



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>World's Largest Bratfest</b> <b>May 28</b> <hr/> <b>Madison Drum &amp; Bugle Corps</b> <hr/> <b>Madison Marathon Finish Line</b>	<b>World's Largest Bratfest</b> <b>May 29</b> <hr/> <b>Madison Drum &amp; Bugle Corps</b> <hr/> <b>Memorial Day</b>	<b>4-H Dog Training</b> <b>May 30</b> <hr/> <b>Madison Drum &amp; Bugle Corps</b>	<b>4-H Horse &amp; Pony Clinic</b> <b>May 31</b> <hr/> <b>Madison Drum &amp; Bugle Corps</b>	<b>Prairie States Classic Horse Show</b> <b>1</b> <hr/> <b>Madison Drum &amp; Bugle Corps</b> <hr/> <b>CowParade Opening Ceremonies</b>	<b>Prairie States Classic Horse Show</b> <b>2</b> <hr/> <b>Ortho-Bionomy</b>	<b>Prairie States Classic Horse Show</b> <b>3</b> <hr/> <b>Ortho-Bionomy</b> <hr/> <b>Kids Fishing Day</b> <hr/> <b>Komen Race for the Cure</b>
<b>Prairie States Classic Horse Show</b> <b>4</b> <hr/> <b>Ortho-Bionomy</b>	<b>WI Auto &amp; Truck Dealers Assn</b> <b>5</b> <hr/> <b>Dane Co Retirement Workshop</b>	<b>4-H Horse &amp; Pony Clinic</b> <b>6</b> <hr/> <b>Ortho-Bionomy</b>	<b>4-H Dog Training</b> <b>7</b> <hr/> <b>Ortho-Bionomy</b>	<b>Landmark Education Forum</b> <b>8</b>	<b>Landmark Education Forum</b> <b>9</b> <hr/> <b>Ortho-Bionomy</b>	<b>Landmark Education Forum</b> <b>10</b> <hr/> <b>Ortho-Bionomy</b> <hr/> <b>4-H Horse &amp; Pony Clinic</b>
<b>Landmark Education Forum</b> <b>11</b> <hr/> <b>Ortho-Bionomy</b> <hr/> <b>4-H Horse &amp; Pony Clinic</b> <hr/> <b>Mounds Dog Festival</b>	<b>WI FFA Convention</b> <b>12</b> <hr/> <b>4-H Horse &amp; Pony Clinic</b>	<b>WI FFA Convention</b> <b>13</b>	<b>WI FFA Convention</b> <b>14</b> <hr/> <b>4-H Dog Training</b>	<b>WI FFA Convention</b> <b>15</b> <hr/> <b>Kids/Cadets Regional Wrestling Championships</b>	<b>Hot Tub Blowout Sale</b> <b>16</b> <hr/> <b>Kids/Cadets Regional Wrestling Championships</b>	<b>Hot Tub Blowout Sale</b> <b>17</b> <hr/> <b>Kids/Cadets Regional Wrestling Championships</b>
<b>Hot Tub Blowout Sale</b> <b>18</b>	<b>Downtown Kiwanis Luncheon</b> <b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>4-H Dog Training</b> <b>21</b> <hr/> <b>American Transmission Meeting</b>	<b>One of a Kind Summer Scramp Camp</b> <b>22</b> <hr/> <b>Michael Bublé Concert 8 pm</b>	<b>One of a Kind Summer Scramp Camp</b> <b>23</b> <hr/> <b>Herzing College Graduation</b> <hr/> <b>Enterprise Car Sale</b> <hr/> <b>Hot Tub Blowout Sale</b>	<b>One of a Kind Summer Scramp Camp</b> <b>24</b> <hr/> <b>Moscow State Circus—2 pm and 7 pm</b> <hr/> <b>Enterprise Car Sale</b> <hr/> <b>Hot Tub Blowout Sale</b>
<b>Market Square</b> <b>25</b> <hr/> <b>Hot Tub Blowout Sale</b>	<b>Market Square</b> <b>26</b> <hr/> <b>4-H Clothing Revue</b>	<b>Market Square</b> <b>27</b> <hr/> <b>Harbor Senior Concepts Meeting</b>	<b>4-H Dog Training</b> <b>28</b> <hr/> <b>Smith &amp; Gesteland Attorney Tax Seminar</b> <hr/> <b>Downtown Rotary Luncheon</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	

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