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BREAKOUT COUNTRY STAR PRISCILLA BLOCK JOINS GREAT NEW YORK STATE FAIR CHEVROLET MUSIC SERIES

One of country music’s boldest and most unapologetic breakout voices — **Priscilla Block** — will take the stage at the Great New York State Fair on Women’s Day, **Wednesday, September 2**, at **6 p.m.** at **Chevy Court**.

Block has achieved widespread success with her Platinum-certified track “Just About Over You,” which topped the iTunes All-Genre and Country charts, and she scored her first number one hit with her duet with Justin Moore, “You, Me, And Whiskey,” in 2023. With over 700 million global streams, she’s made appearances on The Kelly Clarkson Show, The Tamron Hall Show, The Ellen DeGeneres Show, and more. Her debut album, *Welcome to the Block Party*, garnered critical acclaim, earning a spot on The New York Times’ “Best Albums of 2022,” winning CMT’s “Breakthrough Video of the Year,” and earning her a nomination for the Academy of Country Music’s “New Female Artist of the Year.” She’s opened for major artists like Shania Twain, Jon Pardi, Old Dominion, and Cole Swindell.

“The authenticity Priscilla Block brings to the stage make her a must-see artist for country fans,” said **Fair Director Julie LaFave**. “Her performance promises to be a high-energy experience filled with infectious music and bold, genuine talent. We’re excited to welcome her to our Women’s Day lineup and look forward to sharing this special night with our fans!”

The Fair starts Wednesday, August 26, and runs through Labor Day, Monday, September 7. All concerts are included in the price of admission, which will go on sale later this summer. The Great New York State Fair is the most affordable state fair in the country. Tickets are \$8 for adults while admission is free for children under 12 and senior citizens aged 65 and older.

In total, The Fair’s 2026 Chevrolet Music Series will feature 41 national recording acts. There will be a daily 1 p.m. and 6 p.m. concert at **Chevy Court** (located near Gate 1), and an 8 p.m. concert each evening at **Suburban Park** (located on the western end of the Fairgrounds, beyond the Midway). The Fair will also host two special shows at 9 p.m. on Friday, August 28 and September 4 at **Chevy Court**.

All concerts announced thus far are provided in the charts below. Fair staff will continue to update schedules on The Fair’s website at pages dedicated to [Chevy Court](#) and [Suburban Park](#).

Suburban Park:

Thursday, August 27	8:00 p.m.	Sean Paul
Thursday, September 3	8:00 p.m.	ZZ Top
Saturday, September 5	8:00 p.m.	Trace Adkins

Chevy Court:

Wednesday, August 26	1:00 p.m.	The Commodores
Wednesday, August 26	6:00 p.m.	Quiet Riot
Friday, August 28	9:00 p.m.	DJ Pretty Mess
Wednesday, September 2	6:00 p.m.	Priscilla Block

Founded in 1841, The Great New York State Fair showcases the best of New York agriculture, provides top-quality entertainment, and is a key piece of the state’s [CNY Rising](#) strategy of growing the Central New York economy through tourism. It is the oldest fair in the United States and is consistently recognized as being among the top five state fairs in the nation.

The New York State Fairgrounds is a 375-acre exhibit and entertainment complex that operates all year. Audiences are encouraged to learn more about The Great New York State Fair online, browse photos on [Flickr](#), and follow the fun on [Facebook](#), [TikTok](#), and [Instagram](#).

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