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# **UBS Arena at Belmont Park Monster Jam® Arena Championship Series Central Tickets On-Sale Now**

The most family-friendly, action-packed motorsport in the world races into the brand new **venue on the border of Queens and Nassau County** on February 4 – 6, 2022

**Belmont Park, NY** (September 21, 2021) – This. Is. Monster  $Jam^{TM}$ ! The most action-packed motorsports experience for families today debuts at the brand new UBS Arena at Belmont Park for an adrenaline-charged weekend, February 4 – 6, 2022. Monster  $Jam^{\mathbb{R}}$ , celebrating its 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary this year, features world-class athletes locked in intense competitions of speed and skill. Tickets are available on <a href="https://www.ticketmaster.com">www.ticketmaster.com</a> with Monster Jam Preferred Customers able to purchase advance tickets starting today, September 21, before tickets go on-sale to the general public on September 28. Fans can still sign up for free to become a <a href="Monster Jam Preferred Customer">Monster Jam Preferred Customer</a> and get exclusive access to the pre-sale offer code.

The Monster Jam Pit Party will be held on Saturday and Sunday. At the Monster Jam Pit Party, fans can see the massive trucks up close, meet their favorite drivers and crews, take pictures and enjoy other family-friendly fun. This unique experience is the only place that allows people to get up close access to the Monster Jam teams and get an insider's look at how these trucks are built to stand up to the competition.

Belmont Park fans will witness heated rivalries, high-flying stunts and fierce head-to-head battles for the Event Championship. Engineered to perfection, the 12,000-pound Monster Jam trucks push all limits in Freestyle, Skills, Donuts and Racing competitions. The Arena Series Central Champion will receive a highly coveted automatic bid to the prestigious Monster Jam World Finals® to compete for the title of World Champion. The 2022 Monster Jam World Finals will be held in Orlando on May 21 and 22.

The Arena Championship Series Central features eight skilled athletes fighting for the championship while putting on a spectacle, constantly innovating and always entertaining. Krysten Anderson gets behind the wheel of the black and green wrecking machine, the legendary Grave Digger<sup>®</sup>, which is celebrating its 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary this year. Fan-favorite and two-time GUINNESS WORLD RECORD™ title holder Bari Musawwir looks to lock in the championship in Zombie<sup>™</sup>, while Elvis Lainez gets back behind the wheel of El Toro Loco<sup>®</sup>. Soldier Fortune Black Ops<sup>™</sup> will be driven by United States Army veteran Tony Ochs.



Monster Jam drivers are trained, world-class male and female athletes who have mastered not only the physical strength and mental stamina needed to compete, but the vital dexterity to control 12,000-pound machines capable of doing backflips, vertical two-wheel skills and racing at speeds up to 70 miles-per-hour to produce jaw-dropping, live motorsports action seen around the world.

# WHEN:

Friday, February 4 at 7 PM

Saturday, February 5 at 1 PM & 7 PM *Pit Party 10:30 AM – Noon* 

Sunday, February 6 at 1 PM *Pit Party 10:30 AM – Noon* 

WHERE: UBS Arena at Belmont Park (Long Island, NY)

**TRUCK LINEUP:** *Grave Digger*<sup>®</sup> driven by Krysten Anderson; *Zombie*<sup>™</sup> driven by Bari Musawwir; *El Toro Loco*<sup>®</sup> driven by Elvis Lainez; *Soldier Fortune Black Ops* <sup>™</sup> driven by Tony Ochs List; *Wild Side* driven by Zack Garner; *Terminal Velocity* driven by Jon Zimmer Jr.; 2 trucks/drivers TBA

# TICKETS:

Tickets will be available for purchase online at www.ticketmaster.com

Visit MonsterJam.com for more detailed information on the event and wellness policies.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Truck and driver line-up subject to change

**PHOTO/VIDEO ASSETS:** Media can download truck/driver photos and other press materials directly **here.** 

For more info about a Monster Jam event near you, follow Monster Jam on our social media channels: <u>Facebook</u>, <u>Twitter</u>, <u>Instagram</u> and <u>TikTok</u>. Subscribe to the Monster Jam YouTube Channel at <a href="http://www.youtube.com/MonsterJam">http://www.youtube.com/MonsterJam</a>

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### About Feld Entertainment, Inc.

Feld Entertainment<sup>®</sup> is the worldwide leader in producing and presenting live family entertainment experiences that bring people together and uplift the human spirit. Properties include Monster Jam<sup>®</sup>, Monster Energy Supercross, *Disney On Ice, Disney Live!*, Marvel Universe LIVE!, *Sesame Street Live!*, *DreamWorks Trolls The Experience* and *Jurassic World Live Tour*. Across the brand portfolio, Feld Entertainment has entertained millions of families in more than 75 countries and on six continents. Visit feldentertainment.com for more information.

## **About Monster Jam**

Unexpected, unscripted and unforgettable, Monster Jam® features world-class athletes competing for championships on perfectly engineered dirt tracks that push these ever-evolving, state-of-the-art trucks to the limit. Beyond the 350 global live events each year, the Monster Jam brand extends off the track into the home through products, content and merchandise that keeps the fun alive year-round. For more information, visit <a href="Monster-Jam.com">Monster-Jam.com</a>.

### **About UBS Arena**

UBS Arena is New York's newest premier entertainment and sports venue and future home of the New York Islanders. Located at Belmont Park in Elmont, New York, the state of the art facility will open for the 2021-22 National Hockey League season and host more than 150 major events annually. The arena and surrounding development are expected to create 10,000 construction jobs and 3,000 permanent jobs, generating approximately \$25 billion in economic activity over the term of the lease.

Developed in partnership with Oak View Group, the New York Islanders, and Jeff Wilpon, UBS Arena is poised to be one of the area's – and the nation's – most prestigious and appealing venues for musical acts, events and performers of all genres, and will create a unique entertainment experience for artists and audiences alike. The arena is being constructed with a fan-first approach that leverages sophisticated engineering acoustics to amplify the audio experience, high-resolution LED displays and will include the largest scoreboard in New York.

UBS Arena will offer the highest-end amenities and customer service, through VIP suites and clubs that merge boutique hospitality with live entertainment. Clubs and suites will have a timeless design inspired by classic, well known New York establishments and will offer premier views of the bowl. Complementing UBS Arena, the surrounding campus will consist of 340,000 square feet of luxury retail and will include a 4 star boutique hotel.

UBS Arena is being built to achieve Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) standards for New Construction. In an effort to build a greener future and minimize environmental impact, UBS Arena intends on being carbon neutral for operations before 2024, which will make it the first arena to do so on the eastern seaboard.