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Haha Hutch: Comedy Night Featuring Brett Riley — The Hutch Comedian Cracking Up Hollywood!

An Unforgettable Night of Laughs Comes to Hutchinson — March 27, 2026

HUTCHINSON, KS — Get ready to laugh until it hurts — *Haha Hutch: Comedy Night Featuring Brett Riley* is coming to the 1861 Club as the second show in the highly anticipated *Liquid Aloha Series* — and it's one you won't want to miss! Presented by the Kansas Fairgrounds Foundation in partnership with Kona Brewing, this *Liquid Aloha Series* show takes place Friday, March 27, 2026, with doors opening at 6:30 PM and the show kicking off at 8:00 PM.

Anyone looking for a great night out is invited to an evening filled with original stand-up, delightful surprises, and unmistakable hometown pride as Hutchinson-born and Los Angeles-based comedian Brett Riley returns to his roots. Riley has become a standout performer in the Hollywood club scene, bringing his unique blend of sharp observations, storytelling, clever characters — and even song — to audiences coast-to-coast.



"Brett is the kind of performer who dismantles expectations, throws in a surprising song or two, and makes everyday experiences feel *hilarious*," said event organizers. From legendary venues such as the Laugh Factory — where he recently filmed a half-hour comedy special — to the Hollywood Improv and Ice House Comedy Club, Riley has proven time and again that laughter transcends coastlines.

EVENT DETAILS

When: *Friday, March 27, 2026*

Where: *1861 Club* (212 Cottonwood Ave, Kansas State Fairgrounds)

Schedule: *6:30 PM Doors Open | 8:00 PM Show Starts | DJ until 11:30 PM*

Ticket Info — On Sale Friday, February 6 at 12PM

VIP Tables: 10 Seats — \$675

Premium reserved *tables* (only 11 Tables available) are designed for groups and celebrations. All-in pricing includes 10 reserved seats per table. Enjoy seating at the first few rows of tables and exclusive access to QR ordering and runner service for food & beverages.

Reserved Seating — \$45 per seat

Perfect for fans who want the best available seats in the house (behind the VIP Tables) — just choose a seat at your desired table and get ready to laugh! Plan to arrive early to choose the best seats at your table.


Tickets go on sale *Friday, February 6 at 12:00 PM*. Plan ahead — this one-night-only comedy event is expected to sell out!

For ticketing questions or special requests, call the Kansas Fairgrounds Foundation at 620-615-7388.

About Brett Riley

Originally from Kansas and now a mainstay on the Los Angeles comedy scene, Brett Riley combines stand-up with storytelling, character work, and even music — reflecting his background in performance and his unforgettable stage presence. Named “Best of Fest” at the San Luis Obispo Comedy Festival and a crowd favorite at top comedy clubs, Riley delivers comedy that feels personal, unexpected, and laugh-out-loud funny.

Whether he’s riffing about life, relationships, or just the quirks of growing up Midwestern, Riley’s relatable yet original voice makes him one of today’s most entertaining stand-up talents.

 Brett’s shows are tailored for adult audiences. All are welcome, bring your friends, bring your neighbors — but most of all, bring your sense of humor.

March 27 is the night Hutchinson laughs together!

About the Hosts

Kansas Fairgrounds Foundation

The Kansas Fairgrounds Foundation (KFF) is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization. Founded in 2003, KFF’s mission is to further the Renovation, Construction, Preservation and Beautification of the Kansas State Fairgrounds with a vision of inspiring excellence and understanding of all things Kansas. The Foundation exists to enrich the unforgettable memories and traditions people experience only at the Kansas State Fair and at the 500+ events on the Fairgrounds year-round.

1861 Club

The 1861 Club is an event venue located on the Kansas State Fairgrounds and operated by the Kansas Fairgrounds Foundation. For most of the year it operates as a high-end venue for weddings, special and corporate events and activities. During the Kansas State Fair, it is transformed into a climate-controlled food, beverage and entertainment venue. Funds raised at the 1861 Club are put back into projects which improve the Kansas State Fairgrounds.

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