

2026 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR EXHIBITORS

Saturday, July 11

9:00-11:30 a.m. Still Exhibit Judging – Covered Arena
9:00-11:30 a.m. Still Exhibit Auction Registration, Covered Arena
12:00 p.m. Held back still exhibit pick-up, Covered Arena
12:00-12:30 p.m. Crop Winner Photos – Photo Backdrop
1:30-2:00 p.m. Check-in for dog show, record books due –
Covered Arena
2:00 p.m. Dog Show – Covered Arena
5:00 p.m. Archery Competition – Barn C

Sunday, July 12

7:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. All animals may arrive
10:30 a.m. Check-in for Cats & Pocket Pets, Record Books Due
11:00 a.m. Cat Show & Pocket Pet Show – Covered Arena
3:00 p.m. Opening Ceremonies – Covered Arena
3:30 p.m. Still Exhibit Auction – Covered Arena

Monday, July 13

6:00-9:00 a.m. All animals must arrive on fairgrounds.
8:00-11:00 a.m. Goat, Poultry, Cavy & Rabbit Check-In &
Record Books/Educational Poster Due
9:00 a.m. Dairy Showmanship & Judging - Covered Arena
10:00-11:00 a.m. Market Goat Weigh-In, record books due by 11:30
a.m. (½ hr. after check-in)
10:00 a.m.- 2 p.m. Horse Check-in – Horse Announcers Booth
9:00-11:00 a.m. Market Sheep Weigh-In, record books due by 11:30
a.m. (½ hr. after check-in)
9:00-11:00 a.m. Market Feeder Weigh-In, record books due by 11:30
a.m. (½ hr. after check-in)
11:00 a.m.-1 p.m. Market Swine Weigh-In, record books due by 1:30
p.m. (½ hr. after check-in)
11:00 a.m.-12 p.m. Market Beef Weigh-In, record books due by 12:30
p.m. (½ hr. after check-in)
1:00-3:00 p.m. Tractor Operators Contest — East of Covered Arena
1:00-3:00 p.m. Crop & Weed ID Contest – East of Covered Arena
5:00 p.m. Archery Competition – Barn C
5:00 p.m. Leadership Interviews
6:00 p.m. Horse Fun Show – Horse Arena
6:00-7:00 p.m. Rabbit Skills Test – Small Animal Barn
7:00-8:00 p.m. Goat Skills Test – Small Animal Barn

Tuesday, July 14

8:00 a.m. Goat Showmanship and Judging (market pictures
following class) – Covered Arena
9:00 a.m. Poultry Judging - Small Animal Barn
9:00 a.m. Horse Skills Test/Lab – Pioneer Pavilion
11:00 a.m. Cavy & Rabbit Showmanship and Judging –
Covered Arena
11:00 a.m. Poultry Showmanship – Covered Arena
12:00 p.m. Rabbit Pictures - Photo Backdrop
12:30 – 2:30 p.m. Dog Skills Test – Covered Arena
12:30 – 2:30 p.m. Poultry Skills Test – Covered Arena
1:00 p.m. Poultry & Egg Pictures – Photo Backdrop
4:00 p.m. Livestock Judging Contest – Red
Barn Photo Backdrop
6:00 p.m. Sheep Showmanship and Judging (market
pictures following class) – Covered Arena

8:00 a.m.

2:00 p.m.

6:00 p.m.

8:00 a.m.

10:00 a.m.-12 p.m. Kids Day Activities – Covered Arena

12:30 p.m. Beef, Feeder, Swine & Sheep Skills Test/Lab –
Pioneer Pavilion

2:00 p.m. Ag Olympics – Covered Arena
5:00 p.m. Animal Costume Contest Class – Covered Arena
Archery Competition – Barn C
Horse Speed Show – Horse Arena
Peewee Parade – Covered Arena
Peewee Dance – Covered Arena

Friday, July 17

Horse Program (Trail) – Horse Arena
Royal Court Pictures – location TBD
Cavy/Rabbit Agility Course & Costume Class – Small
Animal Barn
Youth Livestock Sale (Rabbit, Poultry, Goat, Swine,
Crops, Beef, Sheep, Dairy Feeder Beef & Dairy Milk) –
Covered Arena
Alma-St. Louis Rotary Steak Fry – Pioneer Pavilion
Exhibitors' Dance & Pizza Party – Covered Arena

Saturday, July 18

Still Exhibit Release
Small Animal Showmanship Sweepstakes –
Covered Arena
Large Animal Showmanship Sweepstakes –
Covered Arena
1:00 p.m. Awards Ceremony – Covered Arena
3:00 p.m. Swine Release
3:00-4:00 p.m. Breeding stock, Peewee & Buyer take home
livestock released (Large & Small Animals)
3:00-6:00 p.m. Horse Release
5:00 p.m. UPI Release
5:30 p.m. Donkey Bash – Horse Arena
7:00-10:00 p.m. Barn Clean Up (Check barn bulletins.)

Check barn bulletin board for shipping schedule and barn clean-up for ALL SPECIES

7 a.m.-12 p.m.

Sunday, July 19

Fairground cleanup/assigned tasks