

2023 WHEELER COUNTY FAIR

"STARS, STRIPES AND WARM SUMMER NIGHTS"

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 9TH

8:00 am – 10:00 am 4-H Static Exhibits Entered – Isobel Edwards Hall
10:00 am 4-H Static Exhibits Judged – Isobel Edwards Hall
1:00 pm 4-H Presentations – Haven House
1:00 pm – 7:00 pm Open Class Exhibits Entered
5:00 pm – 7:00 pm 4-H Market Animals Weighed and in place
7:00 pm All 4-H/Open Class Livestock & Small Animals Entered and on grounds
7:00 pm 4-H Welcome Dinner and Fair Kick Off Fun – Pavilion



THURSDAY, AUGUST 10TH

7:30 am 4-H Exhibitor (Small Animal & Livestock) Meeting – Pavilion
8:00 am 4-H Rabbit & Poultry Show – Pavilion
Immediately following - Open class rabbit and poultry – Small Animal Barn
9:00 am All Open Class Static Exhibits Judged
Note: Baked Good Sale will follow judging. Proceeds go towards fair improvements.
9:00 am 4-H Livestock Market classes begin
Order: Swine, Sheep, Meat Goat, Beef
9:30 am Mandatory Auction Photos for all auction animals – in front of Pavilion
10:00 am Poultry Health Check (Exhibitors to hold birds) – Small Animal Barn
1:00 pm Open Class Pee Wee Showmanship - Pavilion
Open Class Livestock Show
2:30 pm Livestock Judging Contest (4-H & Open Class) – meet at 4-H Office
6:00 pm Play Night – Arena (pre-entry required at Fair Office)



FRIDAY, AUGUST 11TH

8:00 am 4-H Livestock Exhibitor Meeting – Pavilion
8:00 am Horse Show Registration – Behind bucking chutes
8:30 am 4-H Livestock Showmanship Classes begin
Order: Swine, Sheep, Meat Goat, Beef, Dairy Goat
After each showmanship class – Photos for all Grand & Reserve Grand Champion 4-H Showmanship winners
9:00 am Open Class Horse Show begins - Arena
1:00 pm 4-H Breeding Livestock Classes
Order: Swine, Sheep, Meat Goat, Beef, Dairy Goat
1:30 pm All Around Showmanship Contest – Pavilion
5:00 pm 4-H Livestock Auction – Pavilion
6:00 pm Exhibit Buildings will be locked and closed
6:00 pm Stick Horse Race (no entry required)
6:30 pm Mutton Bustin (pre-registration required)
6:45 pm Grand Entry (Grand Marshals, Rodeo Queen/Courts)
7:00 pm Bulls, Bucks & Barrels
Immediately following rodeo – Live Music – outside Beer Garden



SATURDAY, AUGUST 12TH

8:00 am 4-H Exhibitors Meeting – Pavilion
10:00 am Parade line-up & Judging – Courthouse
11:00 am Parade
11:30 am Water troughs races by Baptist Church
12:30 pm 4-H Shooting Sports Contest – Pavilion
1:00 pm Rodeo Slack
1:00 pm Kid's Games – Baseball Field
3:30 pm 4-H Awards - Pavilion
4:30 pm 4-H Thank You Note writing – Pavilion
5:00 pm Stick Horse Race (no entry required) & Mutton Bustin (pre-registration required)
6:00 pm Exhibit Building will be closed and locked
6:00 pm Ranch Rodeo
Immediately following rodeo – Live Music – outside Beer Garden



SUNDAY, AUGUST 13TH

8:00 am 4-H Exhibitor Meeting - Pavilion
All 4-H Exhibits Released – immediately following exhibitor meeting
8:00 am – 10:00 am ALL Livestock, Small Animal & Horse Pens Cleaned and Inspected (4-H and Open)
9:00 am All OPEN class exhibits released*
ALL EXHIBITS (4-H and OPEN class) Must Be Picked up by Noon
Noon Exhibit Buildings will be closed and locked



EXHIBITORS WILL NOT RECEIVE PREMIUM MONIES IF STALLS ARE NOT CLEANED

*(For Open Class) All premium money/prize money will be paid in cash when entries are picked up between the hours of 9:00 AM and Noon on Sunday, August 13th, at the Fair Office. NO checks will be issued.