

## 4-H/FFA FAIR SCHEDULE

### Monday, July 1

5 pm Deadline for all 4-H/FFA fair entry

### Tuesday, July 9

6 pm Horse Project Interviews Extension Office

### Thursday, July 11

7 pm Fair Rally during Livestock Committee meeting – Missoula Fairgrounds

### Sunday, July 14

6 pm Archery / Air Rifle set up

### Monday, July 15

4 pm Shooting Sports Project Fair Interviews (Archery, Air Rifle, Muzzleloader, Western Heritage)

5 pm Archery / Air Rifle Shoot Missoula Fairgrounds

### Saturday, July 20

8 am Check in for 4-H Dog Show

9 am Dog judging begins

9 am **Fair Setup 4-H/FFA** in/around Livestock Barns (*this is our primary set-up day*)

### Sunday, July 21

10 am Fair Ranch Horse Judging, Arthur Arena

### Tuesday, July 23

6 pm Fair Shotgun interviews & competition at Missoula Trap & Skeet

### Thursday, July 25

5:30 pm Rabbit Barn Set Up

### Saturday, July 27

9 am–5 pm **Fair Set up 4-H/FFA area** in and around Livestock Barns at the Fairgrounds as needed

### Saturday, July 27 at Big Sky Horse Park

8 am Registration for 4-H Horse Show

9 am Horse Judging begins at Big Sky Horse Park for the following horse

### Saturday, July 27 (*continued*)

projects: Horsemanship, Colt-to-Maturity, Green Horse, Horse Showing, Jumping

### Sunday, July 28 at Big Sky Horse Park

8 am Registration for 4-H Horse Show

9 am Horse Judging begins at Big Sky Horse Park for the following horse projects: Miniature Horse Showmanship & all Miniature Horse Classes, Packing, and Driving Western Games (Games will not start before 10:30 am)

### Saturday, August 3

9 am **4-H project interviews for all projects except Horse, Dog and Shooting Sports** Bring 4-H record sheets appropriate for your project(s) . . . green, yellow, blue forms.

12 pm Additional set up in and around 4-H/FFA livestock barns

1 pm No Pen Decorations / Unloading before 1pm. Unload tack at your own risk. No security until Monday.

### Sunday, August 4

10am–7pm *Llama & Alpaca check-in [not in 2024]*

5 – 7 pm 4-H Rabbit check-in (optional)

<b>** NO beef, hog, or sheep are permitted on the fairgrounds on Monday before 5 p.m. **</b>
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### Monday, August 5

8 am Open Class Goats arrive

9 am Open Class Goat Show begins in small show ring

8–9 am Open Class Rabbit check in (South end of Main Arena)

9 am Open Class Rabbit Breed judging (South end of Main Arena)

10 am 4-H Rabbit check-in (South end of Main Arena)

11 am 4-H Rabbit Show (*try to end by 2p*)

10am-1pm All 4-H Goats arrive on fairgrounds

10am-1pm Poultry must be cooped in barn

**Monday, August 5 (continued)**

11 am 4-H/FFA Llama & Alpaca show followed by Open Class [not in 2024]

**5 - 8 pm ALL 4-H/FFA beef, dairy, sheep, hogs, are required to arrive on the fairgrounds and be weighed + Hog Ultrasound**

7-8 pm 4-H/FFA Dairy Goat milk out

8pm Weigh Market Lambs & Goats

**Tuesday, August 6**

7:30 am Meeting for 4-H/FFA Livestock Exhibitors and Parents

8 am 4-H/FFA Dairy Goat judging followed by showmanship in the large show ring

9 am 4-H/FFA Rabbit Showmanship (South end of Main Arena)

9 am Open Class poultry judging in barn

11 am 4-H Exhibit Building opens

11 am 4-H/FFA Breeding Meat Goat judging, followed by 4-H/FFA Market Goat judging, followed by 4-H/FFA Meat Goat Showmanship.

1 pm 4-H/FFA Poultry showmanship, followed by 4-H cage judging

10 pm 4-H Building and Livestock Barns Close

**Wednesday, August 7**

8 am-2pm Open Class beef arrive

8 am 4-H/FFA Breeding Sheep judging

10 am 4-H/FFA Dairy Cattle judging + Showmanship

11 am Open Class Sheep judging (“show and go” is an option)

11 am 4-H Exhibit Building opens

1 pm 4-H/FFA Breeding Beef judging (Bulls 2+ years old may show and must go home after the show) w/ Open Class Beef judging to follow

10 pm 4-H Building and Livestock Barns Close

**Thursday, August 8**

7:30 am 4-H/FFA Market Hog judging

11 am 4-H Exhibit Building opens

2 pm 4-H/FFA Market Lamb judging

5 pm 4-H/FFA Market Beef judging

10 pm 4-H Building and Livestock Barns Close

**Friday, August 9**

7:30 am 4-H/FFA Hog Showmanship, followed by 4-H/FFA Breeding Hog judging.

11 am 4-H Exhibit Building opens

12 pm Submit your championship photo to [fairgrounds@missoulacounty.us](mailto:fairgrounds@missoulacounty.us) for the Parade of Champions

1 pm 4-H/FFA Sheep showmanship

4 pm 4-H/FFA Beef showmanship

10 pm 4-H Building and Livestock Barns Close

**Saturday, August 10**

8 am 4-H/FFA Market Livestock Sale

11 am 4-H Exhibit Building opens

4 pm 4-H/FFA Round Robin Showmanship judging

8-11 pm 4-H/FFA Dance

10 pm 4-H Building and Livestock Barns Close

**Sunday, August 11**

10 am Market lamb and goat ultrasound for carcass judging contest

11 am 4-H Exhibit Building opens

1 pm-4 pm **Premium money pick up at the Fair Office**

2 pm 4-H/FFA Awards Ceremony

6 pm 4-H/FFA Market animals leave the fairgrounds

6 pm 4-H Exhibit Building Exhibits may be checked out and leave the building

9 pm Breeding animals & other animals leave the fairgrounds

**Monday, August 12**

8 am- Noon Livestock Barn Area Clean Up

10 am-7 pm Premium money pick up at the Fairgrounds office

11 am-8 pm 4-H Exhibit Building open to pick up entries

**Tuesday – Wednesday, August 13-14**

10 am-7 pm Pickup premium money from the Fair Office

**Thursday, August 15**

10 am-7 pm LAST DAY TO PICK UP PREMIUM \$

**Friday, August 16:** Fair Office closed