

ELBERT COUNTY FAIR 2022 SCHEDULE

Subject to Change

Saturday, July 30th thru Sunday, August 7th

SATURDAY, JULY 30

8:00 a.m. 4-H Dog Show; Exhibit Building
10:00 a.m. Mountain States Highland Cattle Show, Horse Pavilion
3:00 p.m. Check-in & Enter Kiddie Style Show, Fellowship Hall
3:30 p.m. Kiddie Style Show, Fellowship Hall
4:00 p.m. 4-H Fashion Revue and Judging, Fellowship Hall
4 - 7:00 p.m. 4-H FIRST General Project Drop-Off, Ag Building

SUNDAY, JULY 31

Parade entries due. Enter on-line. Entries available at <https://www.elbertcountyfair.com/>
7:00 a.m. 4-H Rocketry Fly Day; Far East Fair Grounds pasture
8:00 a.m. 4-H Horse Showmanship, Halter, Performance, and Trail Classes in both arenas all day (Small Fry Pony)
9-5 p.m. *Optional Tack check-in for Sheep (sheep only)*
10:00 a.m. 4-H Swine Breeding and 4-H Sheep Breeding Shows, Open Pavilion
4 - 7:00 p.m. 4-H LAST General Project Drop-Off, Ag Building

ALL 4-H GENERAL PROJECTS MUST BE DROPPED OFF AND PRE-CHECKED BEFORE 7 P.M., JULY 31.

MONDAY, AUGUST 1

10:30 a.m. 4-H General Project INTERVIEW JUDGING, Ag Building at appointed times
10:30 a.m. - 12 p.m. 4-H Cloverbud Exhibit Interviews, Ag Building, first come, first seen
1 - 7 p.m. *Optional Tack check-in for Beef, Swine, & Goat Barns (no security provided)*
4 p.m. - 6 p.m. **Sheep Check-in and Weigh-in ALL MARKET LAMBS MUST BE IN BY 6:00 p.m.**

***SHEEP EXHIBITORS PLEASE TAKE NOTE, THIS IS NEW AND A CHANGE FROM YEARS PAST, SHEEP WILL COME IN ON MONDAY EVENING, PLAN ACCORDINGLY. NO SHEEP ACCEPTED ON TUESDAY!**

6:30 p.m. 4-H Horse Gymkhana, Main Arena

TUESDAY, AUGUST 2

7:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. MANDATORY Check-in and Health Check for 4-H Beef, Dairy, Market Swine, & Market Goats

***ALL 4-H MARKET BEEF, MARKET SWINE, MARKET GOATS AND DAIRY IN BY 11:00 a.m.**

Health Check available for 4-H Horses if needed

7:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Weigh-in for 4-H Market Swine (during check-in process)

9:00 a.m. 4-H Rabbit Show, Exhibit Building

11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Weigh-in for 4-H Market Goats

1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. Weigh-in for 4-H Market Beef

2:00 p.m. *Open Class Exhibit set up with volunteers and fair board members*

2:30 p.m. 4-H Livestock Exhibitor Meeting, Mandatory for all exhibitors-Grandstands

Immediately following Exhibitor Meeting: –

Premiere Market Exhibitor test for Beef, Lambs, Swine, Goats and Rabbits, Main Arena Grandstands

*****Please designate Market Sale Animals as soon as possible*****

6:00 p.m. 4-H Sheep Showmanship, 4-H Market Lamb Show, (Small Fry Lamb Class), Open Pavilion

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 3

- 8:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Check-in & enter for Open Class General Exhibits, Ag Building, South
Doors 8:00a.m. – 6:00p.m. 4-H General Project Exhibits open for viewing, Ag Building
- 8:00 a.m. 4-H Ranch Horse Show, Main Arena and Warm-up Arena
- 12:00 Noon- 3:00 p.m.- Check-in for 4-H Poultry (All birds submit to health check and in by 3:00 p.m.)
- *POULTRY EXHIBITORS PLEASE NOTE CHANGE IN CHECK IN TIME, ALL BIRDS MUST SUBMIT TO COMPLETE HEALTH CHECK AND BE IN PLACE BY 3 PM, NO EXCEPTIONS.**
- 1:00 p.m. Judging of Open Class General Exhibits, Ag Building (silent observation of judging allowed) Master Gardeners set up meeting room
- 2:00 p.m.(tentative) Farm Olympics, Warm-Up Arena
- 4:00 p.m. 4-H Beef Fitting Contest, west side of Cattle Barn
Followed by Adult Beef Showmanship Contest, west side of Cattle Barn
- 6:00 p.m. 4-H Market Swine Show, Open Pavilion

THURSDAY, AUGUST 4

- 8:00 a.m. 4-H Poultry Show, East of Poultry Barn
- 4-H Senior and Intermediate Poultry Showmanship (Junior Showmanship is on Friday at 8:00 a.m.) Small Fry Poultry Class, Poultry Barn
- 8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. 4- H and Open Class General Exhibits open for viewing, Ag Building
Master Gardeners Education and Silent Auction, Ag Building Meeting Room
- 8:30 a.m.– 12:30 p.m. **4-H Market Sale species pictures taken, Small Pavilion for Swine, Lambs, Goats, and Poultry.**
All species (except market beef), if you are selling in the market sale get photographed during this time
Swine have preference, ALL swine pictures must be taken by 11a.m.
- 10:30 a.m. Master Gardeners Education Presentation – Gardening Issues, Ag Building Meeting Room
- 10:30 a.m. Senior Citizens'/Veterans' Events, Fellowship Hall
- 1:00 p.m. **Deadline for Market Sale pictures (except market beef)**
- 4:00 p.m. 4-H Market Goat Showmanship, and 4-H Market Goat Show, Open Pavilion
- 5:00 p.m. Open Gymkhana sponsored by Elbert County Fair Royalty
- 6:00 p.m. **DESIGNATION OF SALE ANIMAL DUE TO OFFICE (unless exhibitor has a market beef project)**
Lambs, Goats, Swine, Poultry, and Rabbits must designate before this time.
Bulls, Broncs, & Buckaroos phone-in entries due only for Bulls and Broncs.
Buckaroos Mutton Bustin' entries taken on event day only, no preregistration required.
- 7:00 p.m. 4-H Swine Showmanship, Open Pavilion

FRIDAY, AUGUST 5

- 8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Save the Cowboy Pancake Breakfast; behind Main Arena grandstands – Free, donations taken
- 8:00 a.m. 4-H Junior Poultry Showmanship
- 8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. 4- H and Open Class General Exhibits open for viewing, Ag Building
Master Gardeners Education and Silent Auction, Ag Building Meeting Room
- 9:00 a.m. Designation for 4-H Round Robin Showmanship Contest due, Fair
- Office 9:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. Trade Show, Exhibit Building
- 10:00 a.m. 4-H Breeding Beef Show, Horse Pavilion
- 10:30 a.m. "Bee-Engaged" Free Seminar with honey give-a-ways, Ag Building
- 11:30 a.m. 4-H Dairy Showmanship and 4-H Dairy Show, Horse Pavilion (following the Breeding Beef show) 12 Noon
Bee Observation Hive – "Find the Queen Activity", Ag Building
- 12:00 Noon Check-in all 4-H Breeding and Utility Goats (No stalling for Breeding & Utility goats, released after show)
- 1:00 p.m. 4-H Breeding & Utility Goat Show, Open Pavilion (Breeding and Utility Goat Showmanship, Breeding, Dairy, Fiber, and Utility and Small Fry Goat)
- 3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. 4-H Market Sale Beef pictures taken, Beef Barn
- 4:00 p.m. 4-H Beef Showmanship, Small Fry Bottle Calf, then 4-H Market Beef Show, Horse Pavilion
½ hour after Selection of Grand Champion Market Beef is the FINAL DESIGNATION OF MARKET BEEF DUE TO OFFICE
(ALL other Market Species should have designated by 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, August 4)
- 6:00 p.m. Registration for Horseshoe Tournament, Main Arena
- 7:00 p.m. Horseshoe Tournament, Main Arena
- 8:30 p.m. - 11:30 p.m. Fair Dance, Open Pavilion – \$5 per person. Sponsored by the 4-H Youth Council.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 6

7:30 a.m.	Check-in for 4-H Round Robin Showmanship Contest; Main Arena
8:00 a.m.	4-H Round Robin Showmanship Contest; Main Arena
8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.	4- H and Open Class General Exhibits pen for viewing, Ag Building
9:00 a.m.	Road Grader Rodeo, Warm-Up Arena
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Touch a Truck for Kids, East of Warm-Up Arena
9:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.	Trade Show, Exhibit Building
10:00 a.m.	Enter Backseat Drivers' Contest, Fair Office
	Cash entries taken for Ranch Rodeo, Main Arena
10:30 a.m.	Master Gardner's Special Presentation - Walking Tour, Ag Building
	Backseat Drivers' Contest, Outdoor Stage Area
	Enter Crowing Contest, Poultry Barn
11:00 a.m.	EDCLA Barbecue, Horse Pavilion TENT area
11:00 a.m.	Ranch Rodeo, Main Arena
11:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.	Kiddie Corral Open with rides, train, slides, corn pit etc.
Noon	Crowing Contest, Poultry Barn
1:00 p.m.	JUNIOR MARKET SALE, Horse Pavilion
4:00 p.m.	Master Gardeners Silent Auction Closes – pick up and pay in Ag Building Meeting Room
5:00p.m.	Horse Pull, Warm-up Arena
5:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m.	Cash entries take for Saturday Mutton Bustin', Main Arena (all riders receive a trophy)
6:00 p.m.	Bulls, Broncs, & Buckaroos cash entries due only for Bulls and Broncs
6:00 p.m.	4-H Fair Awards Night, Horse Pavilion
7:00 p.m.	Bulls, Broncs, & Buckaroos, Main Arena (no charge)
9:00 pm.	Fair Concert "Twenty Hands High" Horse Pavilion (no charge)

NO CHECK OUT or REMOVAL of exhibits or animals until 3PM SUNDAY. - NO EXCEPTIONS given without express, written consent from Extension or Fair Board. MARKET ANIMALS SOLD will be loaded out by Market Sale Committee – Make sure you get your sales information sheet from the fair office in preparation for Sunday check-out.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 7

8:00 a.m.	Cowboy Church, Horse Pavilion
9:00 a.m.	Registration High Plains Fiddle Fest, Open Pavilion
8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.	4- H and Open Class General Exhibits pen for viewing, Ag Building 9:00
a.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Trade Show, Exhibit Building
9:00 a.m.	Royalty Breakfast, Fellowship Hall
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Open stage for High Plains Fiddle Fest, Open Pavilion
10:00 a.m.	Garden Tractor Pull, Warm-Up Arena
10:00 a.m.	Check-in & Line-up for Parade, Elbert County Courthouse
10:30 a.m.	Judges and contestants meeting for High Plains Fiddle Fest
11:00 a.m.	High Plains Fiddle Fest, Open Pavilion
11:00 a.m.	Parade - Parade will begin downtown and finish at the fairgrounds. (Or immediately following the parade)
11:30 a.m.	Cash entries take for Sunday Mutton Bustin', Main Arena
12 Noon p.m.	(Or immediately following parade presentation and Queen's Barrel Race)
12 Noon p.m.	Mutton Bustin, Kid's Races & Other Family Fun
12 Noon p.m.-3:00 p.m.-	Kiddie Corral Open with rides, train, slides, corn pit etc
12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Cash Team Roping entries taken Roping, Main Arena
12:30 p.m.-	Parker Cruisers Car Show, Fellowship Hall parking lot
1:00 p.m.	Enter & Check-in Pet Animal Costume Contest, Horse Pavilion
1:30 p.m.	Pet Animal Costume Contest, Horse Pavilion
2:00 p.m.	Fair Rodeo (Roping), Main Arena - Free Admission
	Ice Cream Eating Contest, Booth next to Exhibit Building at Roses Creamery Truck

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3:00 p.m.	RELEASE ALL EXHIBITS AND CLEAN UP
3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Premium pay out, Fair Office
4:00 p.m.	Trade Show closes: vendors clean up and check-out
5:30 p.m.	BUILDINGS LOCKED. Any exhibits not picked up are NOT the responsibility of the Fair Board or Extension Office.

ELBERT COUNTY 4-H POST-FAIR DATES:

MONDAY, AUGUST 8

8AM Clean-up and tear-down day – Entire Fairgrounds - ALL HELP WELCOME!

SUNDAY, AUGUST 14 - DUE

Thank you notes to Market Sale Buyers

MONDAY, AUGUST 15 – DUE – ALL State Fair Bound general projects INCLUDING CAKES & FOODS must be at the Extension office by close of business 5PM - All projects will be loaded by 5PM.

COLORADO STATE FAIR

AUGUST 26 - SEPTEMBER 5, 2022

<https://coloradostatefair.com/>

SEPTEMBER 1 - DUE

4-H Completed Livestock Record Books to Main Leaders

4-H Achievement Form Due to the Extension Office

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

General Projects back from State Fair – Please arrange to pick up your projects between 8am-4:30pm, Sept. 6-8. Projects not picked up by Thursday, September 8th by 5pm may be dispersed to club leaders or disposed.

SEPTEMBER 15 - DUE

4-H Lembke Scholarship Applications Due to Extension office

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1

4-H Annual Achievement Awards, Exhibit Hall

Elbert County 4-H Enrollment Opens Mid-October <https://v2.4honline.com/>