

2023 CHEYENNE COUNTY FAIR SCHEDULE

4-H SHOWTIMES & EVENTS - ARE APPROXIMATE

Monday, July 10 ALL 4-H Projects for fair must be pre-entered. Entry sheets due to County Extension Office.

Thursday, July 20

9:00 a.m. 4-H Fashion Show Judging
9:00 a.m. 4-H Clothing Construction Judging, Table Setting & Life Challenges Judging

Friday, July 21

5:00 a.m. Swine Carcass Contest Pigs will be weighed, loaded, and transported to Ovid Meats, Ovid, CO.
1:00 p.m. Swine Carcass Contest – Youth are encouraged to attend the measuring and judging of the swine carcasses at Ovid Meats, Ovid, CO
5:00 p.m. Livestock/4-H Building Cleanup & Set up – Fairgrounds; Pre-Fair Exhibitor and Family Meeting – Livestock Pavilion

Saturday, July 22

10:00 a.m. Rowdy's Roundup Cheer & Dance Competition
5:00 p.m. NBHA Barrel Race Exhibitions
7:00 p.m. NBHA Barrel Races Start
6:00 – 10:00 p.m. Fairground Street Dance

Sunday, July 23

10:00 - 11:30 a.m. Open Class Horse Registration - Grandstands
12:00 p.m. Open Class Horse Show
Family Fun Night

Monday, July 24

9:00 am Working Ranch Horse, Dummy Roping & Trail - Arena
8:00 – 11:00 a.m. Enter Open Class Exhibits – 4-H Building
Noon – 4:00 p.m. Enter & judging of 4-H Static & General Exhibits – Exhibit Building

Tuesday, July 25

9:00 a.m. 4-H Horse Show - Arena
5:00 – 9:00 p.m. 4-H & Open Class Exhibits Open to the Public
7:00 p.m. PRCA Rodeo & WPRA Barrel Race (Slack to follow the Rodeo)

Wednesday, July 26

All times are approximate, the shows will immediately follow each other so please plan accordingly.

7:30 a.m. Weigh 4-H Swine - Scale in Swine Barn
8:30 a.m. Weigh 4-H Sheep & Meat Goat - Scale in Sheep Barn; Check in Breeding Ewes
9:00 - 10:30 a.m. Enter 4-H Rabbits & Poultry - Livestock Pavilion
9:30 a.m. Weigh 4-H Beef - Scale in Sheep Barn
9:30 a.m. Ultrasound, Market Beef – Livestock Pavilion
11:00 a.m. Check in 4-H Stocker/Feeder, Bucket Calves, and Breeding Heifers - Livestock Pavilion
Noon – 9:00 p.m. 4-H & Open Class Exhibits Open to the Public
1:00 p.m. Ultrasound Review – Livestock Pavilion
2:00 p.m. 4-H Livestock Judging Contest - Livestock Pavilion
4:45 p.m. Meet the Judge - Livestock Pavilion
5:00 p.m. 4-H Swine Show - Livestock Pavilion
Military, Veteran & First Responders Appreciation Day

Thursday, July 27

All times are approximate, the shows will immediately follow each other so please plan accordingly.

8:30 a.m. Check in Open Class Rabbits and Poultry - Livestock Pavilion
9:00 a.m. Open Class and 4-H Rabbit Shows - Livestock Pavilion
Open Class and 4-H Poultry Shows - Livestock Pavilion (will follow the Rabbit Show)
Noon - 9 p.m. 4-H & Open Class Exhibits Open to the Public
12:45 p.m. Meet the Judge for 4-H Sheep and Goats – Livestock Pavilion
1:00 p.m. 4-H Sheep Show, 4-H Meat Goat & Dairy Goat Show - Livestock Pavilion (Shows will begin immediately after each other)
Open Class Sheep, Meat Goat & Dairy Goat Show - Livestock Pavilion
4:30 p.m. 4-H Group Picture Taken - Livestock Pavilion
6:00 p.m. 4-H Fashion Show & Award Presentation – Exhibit Building
6:30 p.m. Truck and Tractor Pull
Carnival

Friday, July 28

All times are approximate, the shows will immediately follow each other so please plan accordingly.

7:45 a.m. Meet the Judge - Livestock Pavilion
9:00 a.m. All 4-H Horses must be in barn
9:00 a.m. 4-H Beef Showmanship – Senior, Intermediate, & Junior – Livestock Pavilion
FFA Beef Showmanship will follow immediately after the 4-H Showmanship
4-H Breeding Heifer Show – Livestock Pavilion
4-H Bucket Calf Show - Livestock Pavilion
4-H Stocker/Feeder Show - Livestock Pavilion
Open Class Beef Show including Bucket Calf, Stocker/Feeder, and Market & Breeding Show – Livestock Pavilion
1:00 p.m. 4-H/FFA Market Beef/Bred & Fed Shows - Livestock Pavilion
Round Robin Showmanship, (This will immediately follow the Beef Show.) - Livestock Pavilion
Noon - 9:00 p.m. 4-H & Open Class Exhibits Open to the Public
8:00 p.m. Ned LeDoux Concert
Carnival

Saturday, July 29

9:00 a.m. 4-H Livestock Sale – Livestock Pavilion
Noon 4-H Appreciation Lunch – 4-H Building
Noon – 9:00 p.m. 4-H & Open Class Exhibits Open to the Public
3:30 p.m. Lawnmower Races
6:30 p.m. "Rumble on the Rails" Demolition Derby
Carnival

Sunday, July 30

11:00 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. Release 4-H and Open Class Exhibits
Clean up Fairgrounds

OPEN CLASS RULES AND REGULATIONS

The Cheyenne County Fair is conducted under the direction of the Cheyenne County Fair Board. While the greatest possible care will be exercised by the management to protect the patrons of the fair, each will be held personally responsible for his or her own actions and the management will not be accountable or responsible for injuries or accidents that occur.

The Fair Board reserves the final and absolute right to interpret these Rules and Regulations, and arbitrarily settle and determine all matters, questions, and differences regarding them, or otherwise arising out of connection, or incident to the fair.

All possible diligence and care will be used to prevent extortion in any form practiced on patrons, to prevent loss or injury of articles or animals on exhibition but it is hereby expressly stipulated that the management of the fair will in no way be responsible should loss occur.

ENTRIES FOR EXHIBIT

Entry day is Monday, July 24 from 8:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m. for all open class exhibits except livestock, (see schedule of events). ***All exhibits will be released Sunday, July 30 from 11:00 am to 1:30.*** If you are planning to exhibit Open Class livestock at the Cheyenne County Fair, please notify the Cheyenne County Extension Office, 254-4455 to reserve livestock stall space.

SUPERINTENDENTS

The superintendents will have direction of all exhibits in their respective departments and see that all animals have appropriate stalls and pens; those articles are conveniently arranged for examination by the judges; also furnish information, relative to their departments.

All superintendents at the close of the fair should file their recommendation for improvements of their respective departments at the Cheyenne County Extension Office. The judge's decision is final.

RIBBONS AND AWARDS

All open class exhibits will receive a ribbon and a premium:

Purple - \$1.00 Blue - \$.75 Red - \$.50 White - \$.25

INFORMATION FOR OPEN CLASS EXHIBITORS

1. All exhibits must be the property of the exhibitor.
2. Articles must be homemade (No purchased items can be brought to the fair) and have been completed during the period from August 2022 to July 2023. Articles may be exhibited for only one year and may not have been previously exhibited at another fair, except for livestock.
3. Each exhibit must have an entry tag. These will be available on entry day at the Exhibit Hall.
4. An exhibitor can enter more than one exhibit per class; however, the exhibit **MUST** be a different entry, (i.e., 2 loaves white bread will not be accepted, 1 loaf white and 1 loaf wheat accepted; 2 afghans accepted but must be different patterns; 2 Double Petunias will not be accepted, 1 double and 1 ruffled accepted) Classes will be made according to exhibits. Open horse show will be one entry per class. Livestock: an animal may be entered in only one class. Any animal that is entered in 4-H may not be entered in open class and vice versa.
5. An exhibitor who is called three times for an event and does not respond will be disqualified.
6. Where only one entry is made, and there is no competition, awards will be made strictly on merit basis, at the discretion of the judge.
7. If it is ascertained that any exhibitor has made any false statement regarding any animal or articles exhibited or if any exhibitor shall attempt to interfere with the judges in the performance of their duties, by letter or otherwise, they shall be excluded from competition and exhibition for such period as the Fair Board may determine.
8. For all livestock classes, animals shall be the property of the exhibitors for at least thirty (30) days.
9. An exhibitor making an entry of purebred livestock shall furnish the department superintendent, when called upon to do so, registration certificates of the animal concerned.
10. Stalls and space for entries will be furnished insofar as possible.
11. Only purple ribbon winners may compete for Grand Champion.
12. All food exhibits shall be in disposable containers.
13. All clothing exhibits must be brought in on hangers with a clear plastic cover.

14. Open Class Divisions are as follows: A = Adult Y = Youth - Age 14 and under
15. Complaints must be in writing, signed and submitted to the Open Class Superintendent. Complaints will be reviewed, and a decision will be made within one week of the completion of the event.

OPEN CLASS ANIMALS

All market animals must be able to be led and fitted for the show. Grouping of beef animals will be based on the number entered at fair time. Bulls will not be exhibited. All intact market livestock will have to leave the fairgrounds. ***The bucket calf class is for youth ages 4 to 10 as of January 1, of the current year.*** Select or purchase a calf born between January 1 and May 1 of the current year within two weeks of birth. The calf must be at least 90 days old on entry day. A bucket calf can be an orphan or newborn calf; male or female; dairy, beef or cross; hand fed on bucket or bottle. Bucket calf exhibitors are expected to follow the same herdsmanship requirements as other livestock exhibitors. Calves must be exercised daily, kept clean and fed properly. Stalls and tack areas must be clean and neat. Calves will be shown on a halter during Beef Show.

OPEN CLASS BEEF

All Market Beef must be de-horned.

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| 0001001 | Market Beef |
| 0001002 | Breeding Beef |
| 0001003 | Stocker Feeder |
| 0001004 | Bucket Calf |

OPEN CLASS SWINE

All swine exhibit rules are subject to change as state law requires. No boars will be shown. There will be no breeding swine show.

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| 0003001 | Market Swine |
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OPEN CLASS SHEEP

All breeds will compete in one class. No rams will be shown at the fair. All market lambs must be shorn.

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| 0004001 | Sheep (Market & Breeding) |
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OPEN CLASS GOATS

All breeds will be shown together. All goats must be dehorned. No buck goats can be shown.

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| 0005001 | Goats (Market, Dairy, Breeding) |
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OPEN CLASS HORSE SHOW

The show is open to any breed of horse. \$4.00 entry fee per event. A portion of the fees will be paid back to the top 3 places. Any premiums not picked up at the close of show will be forfeited. Stallions cannot be shown in the open class show. For more information, contact Elena Rowlett at (201) 310-9138

Registration will be from 10:00 a.m. until 11:30 a.m., Sunday, July 23, 2023, Show begins at 12:00 p.m.

Ages (as of Jan. 1 of current year)

- Pee Wee - Age 1 to 7
- Junior - Age 8 to 12
- Senior - Age 13 to 18
- Adult - Age 19 and over

Halter Class

1. Yearling Gelding - Weanling
2. Gelding - 2 - 3 years old
3. Gelding - Aged

4. Yearling Mare - Weanling
5. Mare - 2 to 3 years old
6. Mare - Aged
7. Pony

Performance Class

8. Adult Western Pleasure
9. Senior Western Pleasure
10. Junior Western Pleasure
11. Pee Wee Western Pleasure
12. Adult Reining
13. Senior Reining
14. Junior Reining
15. Adult Pole Bending
16. Senior Pole Bending
17. Junior Pole Bending
18. Pee Wee Pole Bending
19. Adult Barrel Race
20. Senior Barrel Race
21. Junior Barrel Race
22. Pee Wee Barrel Race

OPEN CLASS POULTRY

HEALTH REQUIREMENTS - All poultry exhibits with Nebraska origin will not require Veterinarian Inspection. Poultry outside of Nebraska must be from an accredited U.S. Pullorum-Typhoid Clean Flock or accompanied by a negative pullorum-typhoid test within 90 days of the fair. Contact Nebraska Poultry Industries (308) 284-4889, if you need testing services. *Open Class Poultry Show check in will be on Thursday, July 27 at 8:30 a.m. The Show will begin immediately after the Rabbit Show.*

Each class is limited to 2 entries per person.

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| 0007001 | Poultry |
| 0007002 | Ducks |
| 0007003 | Geese |
| 0007004 | Trio |
| 0007005 | Other |

OPEN CLASS SMALL ANIMALS

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| 0008001 | Rabbits |
| 0008002 | Pets (Cats, Dogs, Etc.) |

Exhibits entered in rabbit 4-H may not be entered in open class. No injured or diseased animals will be permitted to enter. Open class rabbits will go home after the show. *The Open Class Rabbit, Poultry & Pet Show check in will be on Thursday, July 27 at 8:30 a.m. Each Class is limited to 2 entries per person.*

OPEN CLASS HOME ECONOMICS

Grand and Reserve Champion exhibits will be chosen in the following areas:

Adults: Celebrate Nebraska, Needlework, Quilts, Clothing Construction, Crafts, Foods, Canning & Preserving, Flower, Horticulture, Photography, Art
 Youth: Art, Photography, Crafts, Foods

OPEN CLASS TROPHY SPONSORS

Needlework – Sue Spiller
 Sewing Construction & Textiles – Wanda Gwinn
 Quilts – More Than Quilts, Mary Barnett
 Adult Crafts – Challburg Family
 Youth Crafts – Goal Gainer FCE

Adult Foods – Stateliners – “In Memory of Linda Lenzen”
Youth Foods – Glenda Condon
Canning & Preserving – Lynn McKinney
Flowers – Deloris Steffens
Horticulture – Goal Gainers FCE
Adult Photography – Goal Gainers FCE
Youth Photography – Trina Stitt Insurance Services, Trina Stitt
Adult Art – Chuck Borchert
Youth Art – Wanda Gwinn

NEEDLEWORK – Sue Spiller, Superintendents

P001001 Knitting
P001002 Crocheting
P001003 Hand Embroidery
P001004 Miscellaneous Needle Work - Crewel, Counted Cross Stitch, Tatting, and Rugs, Etc.

QUILTS – Sue Spiller, Superintendent

Q001001 Hand Pieced/Hand Quilted-Self
Q001002 Hand Pieced/Hand Quilted - Other
Q001003 Hand Pieced/Machine Quilted-Self
Q001004 Hand Pieced/Machine Quilted-Commercial
Q001005 Machine Pieced/Hand Quilted-Self
Q001006 Machine Pieced/Machine Quilted-Self
Q001007 Machine Pieced/Machine Quilted-Commercial
Q001008 Miscellaneous Small Quilted Items (Wall Hanging, Wearable Article, Etc.)
Q001009 Tied Quilt

SEWING CONSTRUCTION & TEXTILES - Sue Spiller, Superintendent

R001001 Sewing Construction - Clothing, Placemats, Tablecloths, Curtains, Wall Hangings, Accessories
R001002 Purchased or Constructed Embellished Wearable Art – Decorated T-shirt, Dress, Shoes, Etc.
R001003 Miscellaneous Sewn Articles

CRAFTS – Wanda Gwinn & Margie Surber, Superintendent

Examples: Painting, Centerpieces, Wreaths, Candles, Paper Crafts (Cards, Photos, Quilling, Scrapbooking, Stamped Articles), Upcycled/Recycled Projects, Jewelry, Metals, Dolls, Macramé, Weaving, Ceramics, Wood Working, Leather. If a special technique has been used to create the exhibit, please write it on the entry card.

More than two identical items will be judged as a group. (Examples: Potholders)

S001001 Crafts – Adult 15 & Older
S001002 Crafts – Youth 14 & Younger
S001003 Plastic Crafts – Youth 14 & Younger (Legos, Models, Etc.) -
***Legos must be brought in on a solid tray or attached to cardboard for transport and display.*
S001004 Celebrate Nebraska

FOODS – Glenda Condon, Superintendents

Put all exhibits in plastic bags or on paper plates except pies. Pies should be in a disposable aluminum foil pie pan. There is no limit on entries in each class if different recipes are used. Please indicate if you will be picking up your food items at time of entry, otherwise ALL foods will be donated to the 4-H Bake Sale.

T001001 Breads - Yeast or Quick (1 Loaf)
T001002 Rolls, Muffins, Biscuits (4)
T001003 Cakes - Whole Cake
T001004 Decorated Cake (1) /Cookies (2)/Cupcakes (2)
T001005 Pie - Whole Pie (No Cream Pies)
T001006 Cookies, Cupcakes or Candies (4)
T001007 Treats or Snack Mixes (1/2 Cup)
T001008 Miscellaneous

FOOD PRESERVATION – Glenda Condon, Superintendents

Please enter one jar, pint, or quart (Kerr or Ball jars) fruit, vegetables & meat will not be opened. All canned goods must have the name of product, date canned, and method of canning and processing time on the bottom of the jar. (i.e., Beans, pressure canner - 25 minutes at 15#) Paraffin is no longer recommended.

T001009 Canning & Preserving

FLOWERS/HORTICULTURE – Janice Borgmann, Superintendents

All horticulture classes must be grown by the exhibitor and should be named if possible. Horticulture entries must be in clear containers or bottles. The size of container should be in proportion to the size of the horticulture specimen. No artificial flowers or leaves can be used. Leaves attached to stem should be left on if possible. No leaves should be in the water. The flowers will last longer if they are picked the night before the show and immediately plunged into a pail of lukewarm water to harden overnight. Groom specimens by removing all dirt, spray residue, etc. on the foliage, stem, and flower. You may remove or trim damaged foliage and trimming petals is allowed if it does not affect the appearance of the specimen. If the schedule calls for 1 COLOR for a certain flower, pick 3 of the same size, color and at same stage of development. Wedging (such as clear Saran Wrap or a small section of stem) may be used to hold the flower in an upright position in the glass container.

Please print the name of flower/houseplant on entry tag. (Example: Marigold)

FLOWERS

Annuals and biennials - 3 stems of a single variety (cultivar) unless otherwise noted in parenthesis.

ANNUALS/BIENNIALS

Aster, Bachelor Buttons, Bells of Ireland, Browallia, Calendula, Celosia (crested or plume), Cosmos, Dahlia, Dianthus, Foxglove, Gladiolus, Gomphrena, Hollyhock, Marigold, Pansy, Petunia, Salvia, Snapdragon, Statice, Sunflower, Vinca, Zinnia

U003001 Annual/Biennial Flowers

PERENNIALS

Achillea/Yarrow, Chrysanthemum, Coreopsis, Daisy, Gaillardia, Helianthus, Liatris, Lilies, Platycodon, Purple cone flower, Rose, Rudbeckia/Black-eyed Susan, Sedum, Statice

U003002 Perennial Flowers

MISCELLANEOUS FLOWERS AND PLANTS

U003003 Houseplant

U003004 Fresh Flower Arrangement

U003005 Miscellaneous - Fairy Gardens, Terrariums, Hanging Baskets, Desert Gardens

HORTICULTURE

The following rules will govern exhibits:

- Uniformity, trueness in type of variety, free from injury or disease, quality.
- Exhibits must be grown by exhibitor.
- All exhibits must be true to entry, as to variety and classification.
- Seeds and plants maturing later than fair time may be from last year's crop.
- Stems need to be attached.
- Kale & Leafy Vegetables should be displayed in water
- Please designate variety on entry card. (Danvers Carrots)

VEGETABLES

V001001 Vegetables

V001002 Miscellaneous Vegetables – Herbs, Decorated Zucchini, Ugliest Vegetable, Mr. Potato Head, Etc.

Beans – Lima, String less, Wax - 12

Beets - 3
Broccoli - 1 bunch
Cabbage - flat white, round white, red-1
Carrots - 5 tops trimmed to 1"
Cauliflower - 1 head
Celery - 1 bunch
Cucumbers - 3
Corn – husks (3 ears)
Dill - 1 bunch - seed head (10" to 12" stem)
Eggplant - 2
Garlic - 3 bulbs
Kohlrabi - 3
Lettuce - 1 head
Onions - red, yellow or white - 3
Okra - 3
Parsnips - 3
Pea pods - 12
Peppers - red or sweet green, chili, jalapeno - 3
Popcorn - white, red, yellow, pearl, or Japanese in husk - 3
Potatoes - red or white - 5
Pumpkin - 1 large; Miniature Pumpkins - 3
Radishes - red or white - 5
Rhubarb - 5 stalks
Rutabagas - 2
Sage - 1 bunch
Squash - Hubbard, scallop, straight or crookneck, acorn, other - 2
Swiss chard - 1 Bunch
Sunflower - 1 Head
Tomatoes - red and yellow - 3
Turnips - large round white or large flat white - 3
Zucchini - Large - 1; Medium/Small - 2
Other Vegetables - 3
Herbs (Basil, Thyme, Rosemary, etc.) – 1 bunch
Gourds - 3

FRUIT

V002003 Fruit

Apples, Pears, Peaches – 5
Grapes – 2 bunches
Plums – 6
Strawberries, Gooseberries – 1 pint
Raspberries, Blueberries – 1 cup
Melon – 1

PHOTOGRAPHY AND ART – Doris Jensen & Nancy Eddy, Superintendent

All work must have the name, address and telephone number of exhibitors fastened to the back. All work must have been completed after the 2022 fair. All work is received at the artist's own risk.

Entries are to be original. Copies will not be judged. No material accepted that has been previously shown at the County Fair. **Artwork and photography need to have hangars, preferably screw eyes and wire.** All photography and artwork must be able to hang unless artwork is a sculpture or other 3-D item. Exhibitors must furnish the easel or stand for such entries. **Please put the title of your work on the printed entry card.**

PHOTOGRAPHY

Photos may be framed or non-framed. **Both must be ready to hang**, please follow the guidelines above.

W001001 Black & White Photo
W001002 Group of 3 to 5 Photos

W001003 **Phone, Tablet or Drone Captured Photos**
W001004 **Digital Camera Photo**
W001005 **Miscellaneous Photography** - Multiple Exposure, Distorted Digital, Etc.

FINE ARTS

W002001 **Oil Painting**
W002002 **Acrylic Painting**
W002003 **Pastels, Crayon, Tempera**
W002004 **Drawings** - pencil, colored pencil, ink, etc.
W002005 **Watercolor & Acrylic Watercolor**
W002006 **Miscellaneous Fine Arts** - Mixed Media, Sculptures, Glass Ware, Litho, Linoleum, Woodcut Prints, Etc.

YOUTH ART & PHOTOGRAPHY - 14 & Under

W003001 **Paintings** - Water Color, Paint by Number, Tempera, Etc.
W003002 **Drawings, Sketches** - Color Pencil, Crayon, Pastels, Etc.
W003003 **Photography**
W003004 **Miscellaneous** - Posters, Sculptures, Etc.

CHEYENNE COUNTY FAIR OPEN CLASS ENTRY FORM

Please return this entry form to the Extension Office, 920 Jackson St., Sidney by Friday, July 21, or bring completed form with you on entry day, July 24.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Telephone: _____ Age: _____

***Example: Look at the Open Class Crafts Department in the fair book: Crafts - Plastic Crafts
Please enter the title of your work for the Photography & Art Exhibits***

	Exhibit Number	Description
Example	S001006	Plastic Crafts – Logos
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