

ELBERT COUNTY FAIR COMPLETE SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY, July 1

Camper Reservations due
All 4-H/FFA entries due (including Shooting Sports, Rabbit/Cavy, & Poultry)
Royalty Contest Entry Request due
4-H Member in Good Standing forms due
Catch-A-Calf applications due

SATURDAY, July 11

8:30 a.m. Check in 4-H Shooting Sports, High Power Rifle, Ben Lomond Gun Club, Ramah
9:00 a.m. 4-H Shooting Sports, High Power Rifle, Ben Lomond Gun Club, Ramah

SUNDAY, July 12

½ hour before your scheduled shoot Check-in 4-H Shooting Sports, Shotgun (Trap), Greenhouse Range
Your scheduled shoot 4-H Shooting Sports, Shotgun (Trap), Greenhouse Range

MONDAY, July 13

Elbert County Fair Royalty entries due

TUESDAY, July 15

All 4-H Scholarship applications due
Sheep Lead entries due
4-H Fashion Revue commentaries due
Rabbit Royalty entries due

FRIDAY, July 17

8:00 a.m. Elbert County Fair Royalty Contest
Dutch Oven Cook-Off entries due

SATURDAY, July 18

8:30 a.m. Check-in, 4-H Shooting Sports, .22 Rifle, Greenhouse Range
9:00 a.m. 4-H Shooting Sports, .22 Rifle, Greenhouse Range
2:30 p.m. Check-in 4-H Shooting Sports, Muzzle Loader, Greenhouse Range
3:00 p.m. 4-H Shooting Sports, Muzzle Loader, Greenhouse Range

SUNDAY, July 19

½ hour before your scheduled shoot Check-in 4-H Shooting Sports, Advanced Shotgun (Sporting Clays & Skeet), Quail Run
Your scheduled shoot 4-H Shooting Sports, Advanced Shotgun (Sporting Clays & Skeet), Quail Run
3:00 p.m. (After Advanced Shotgun)
Check-in 4-H Shooting Sports, Air Rifle, Exhibit Building, Elbert County Fairgrounds
3:30 p.m. 4-H Shooting Sports Air Rifle, Exhibit Building, Elbert County Fairgrounds

MONDAY, July 20

4-H Livestock Record Books m be up to date
6:00 p.m. Check-in 4-H Shooting Sports, Air Pistol, Exhibit Building, Elbert County Fairgrounds
6:30 p.m. 4-H Shooting Sports, Air Pistol, Exhibit Building, Elbert County Fairgrounds
6:30 p.m. Superintendents Meeting – Dessert Served (Clerks welcome to attend), Exhibit Building

WEDNESDAY- July 22

Fair Rodeo entries due if paid by check
Mailed & E-Mailed Youth & Open Rabbit entries due (see rules for late entries)

FRIDAY, July 24

Mailed Parade entries due
10:00 a.m. Clean-Up Day (4-H, FCE, and other volunteers)

SATURDAY, July 25 - KICK-OFF DAY

8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.
Check in for 4-H Dogs (Obedience, Showmanship, & Rally)
Check in for 4-H Clothing Construction, Artistic Clothing, and Heritage Arts, Fellowship Hall
8:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
Judging 4-H Clothing Construction, Artistic Clothing, and Heritage Arts; (Interviews on a first-come, first-serve basis), Fellowship Hall
8:30 a.m. Check-in 4-H Shooting Sports, Archery, Elbert County Fairgrounds
9:00 a.m. Judging of 4-H Dog Obedience and Showmanship, Ag Building
4-H Dog Rally will begin after the Obedience and Showmanship Classes
Small Fry Dog Classes
4-H Shooting Sports, Archery, Elbert County Fairgrounds
1:00 p.m. Check-in & Enter Kiddie Style Show, Fellowship Hall
2:00 p.m. Kiddie Style Show, Fellowship Hall
4-H Fashion Revue and Judging, Fellowship Hall
3:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.
Elbert County 4-H Leaders Silent Auction, Exhibit Building
5:00 p.m. Cowboy Up Stick Horse Rodeo, Track
6:00 p.m. Entries due for Mutton Bustin, West of Ticket Office North of North Arena Grandstands
6:30 p.m. Lottery Draw for Mutton Bustin
7:00 p.m. Cowboy Bull Riding, Arena
8:00 p.m. (approximately) Cowboy Up Mutton Bustin, Arena

SUNDAY, July 26

7:00 a.m. Set-up for Open Rabbit Show, Ag Building
7:30 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.
Check-in for Open/Youth Rabbits, Ag Building
Open/Youth Rabbit entries due (Late charge)
8:15 a.m. Check-in for 4-H Breeding Swine & 4-H Breeding Sheep, Pavilion
Check-in for 4-H Breeding Beef, Beef Barn
9:00 a.m. 4-H Breeding Swine Show, Pavilion
4-H Breeding Sheep Show, Pavilion (30 minutes after 4-H Breeding Swine Show)
4-H Breeding Beef Show, Beef Barn (30 minutes after 4-H Breeding Sheep Show)
Judging Open Class Rabbit Show, Ag Building
Noon - 5:00 p.m.
Entries open for Elbert County Open Wool & Fiber Show; Wool Exhibit Building
2:00 p.m. Entries open for Open Gymkhana, Exhibit Building across from Arena Office
4:30 p.m. Elbert County Fair Gymkhana (Open)

MONDAY, July 27 - 4-H DAY

Sheep Lead commentaries due (Typed)
8:00 a.m. 4-H Interview Judging of all General projects (except those that were judged on Saturday, July 26), Exhibit Building. Must be checked in by 11:00 a.m. Mini and Cloverbud projects will be judged on Friday, July 31.
8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.
Check-in for 4-H Working Ranch Horse Classes
8:30 a.m. 4-H Working Ranch Horse Classes, Arena
9:00 a.m. Judging of the Elbert County Open Wool and Fiber Show, Wool Exhibit Building
1:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.
Optional Tack check in for Beef, Sheep, Swine, & Goat Barns (**no security provided**)
1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Open Class Agricultural and Educational Booth Set-up (can also set up Tuesday morning)

2:00 p.m. 4-H Breeding Goat Show, Pavilion
3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Check-in for 4-H Roping and Cattle Events
4:00 p.m. 4-H Roping and Cattle Events, Arena

TUESDAY, July 28 - FCE & VOLUNTEER DAY

7:30 a.m. - 7:55 a.m.
Check-in for 4-H Lamas
7:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Check-in and Health Check for 4-H Beef, EDCLA Bred Heifer, Catch-A-Calves, 4-H Market Swine, 4-H Market Lambs, & 4-H Goats
Check-in, Health Check, & Weigh-in for 4-H Swine
Health Check available for 4-H Horses
8:00 a.m. Lama Show Exhibitor Meeting
8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Open Class Agricultural and Educational Booth Set-up (can also set up Monday afternoon)
8:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Check-in for Open Class General Exhibits.
8:05 a.m. 4-H & Open Lama Show, Warm-Up Arena
Small Fry Lama Class, Warm-up Arena
11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Weigh-in for 4-H Market Goats
12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Weigh-in for 4-H Market Lambs
1:00 p.m. Judging of Open Class General Exhibits. Judging will remain open to the public so long as it does not become a deterrent to the judging process.
2:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Weigh-in 4-H Market Beef
6:30 p.m. 4-H Swine Showmanship, Pavilion

WEDNESDAY, July 29 - EXHIBIT DAY

Phone-in, Hand-carry, or E-mail Parade entries (2 copies of typed commentary must accompany entry)
7:00 a.m. Lamb Ultrasound entries due
7:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.
Check in and Health Check 4-H Horses
8:00 a.m. 4-H Market Lamb Show, Pavilion
Small Fry Lamb Class, Pavilion
9:00 a.m. Exhibit Halls and Fellowship Hall open
10:00 a.m. Until Sold out
FCE Bake Sale, Fellowship Hall
1:00 p.m. (after the 4-H Market Lamb show) - 4-H Goat Showmanship & 4-H Market Goat Show, Pavilion
Small Fry Goat Class, Pavilion
2:30 p.m. Swine Pen of Three entries due
Swine Ultrasound entries due
3:30 p.m. 4-H Market Swine Show, Pavilion
5:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Check-in for 4-H Poultry & 4-H Rabbits/Cavies
6:00 p.m. Exhibit Halls and Fellowship Hall closed

THURSDAY, July 30 - SENIOR CITIZEN'S DAY

7:00 - 10:00 a.m.
Check-in for 4-H Dairy
7:00 a.m. Beef Ultrasound entries due
8:00 a.m. 4-H Market Beef Show
EDCLA Catch-A-Calf Projects
4-H Poultry Show, Poultry Barn
Small Fry Bottle Calf Class
Small Fry Poultry Class, Poultry Barn
Set-up for 4-H Rabbit Show, Rabbit Barn
9:00 a.m. 4-H Rabbit/Cavy Classes, Rabbit Barn
Exhibit Halls and Fellowship Hall open
10:00 a.m. thru the day
FREE Carriage Rides, Collier Carriage Booth
10:00 a.m. 4-H Rabbit/Cavy Showmanship Classes, Rabbit Barn
Small Fry Rabbit/Cavy Class, Rabbit Barn
10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Elbert County Office of Emergency Management Class "Questions & Answers & General Information", Bijou Meeting Room, Public Health Building, North End of Fairgrounds

10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Cash Rodeo entries taken, Fair Office
10:30 a.m. Senior Citizens Events, Fellowship Hall
11:00 a.m. 4-H Dairy Show, Track
Small Fry Bottle Calf Class, Track
1:00 p.m. EDCLA Bred Heifer Project
12:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Elbert County Office of Emergency Management Class, "Baby Sitting Ages 12 -15"; Bijou Meeting Room, Public Health Building, North End of Fairgrounds
3:00 p.m. 4-H Horse Halter & Showmanship Classes, Arena
Small Fry Pony Class, Warm-up Arena
4:00 p.m. 4-H Horse English Performance Classes, Arena
4-H Beef Fitting Contest entries due
4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
4-H Utility Goat Obstacle Course, Track
5:00 p.m. **DESIGNATION OF SALE ANIMAL DUE TO OFFICE**
6:00 p.m. Sheep Lead Contest, Ag Building
Deadline for Market Sale pictures
Exhibit Halls and Fellowship Hall closed

FRIDAY, July 31 - CLOVERBUD DAY

Ultrasound of Beef, Swine, and Sheep for Ultrasound Contest
8:00 a.m. 4-H Horse Western Performance Classes, Arena
Dutch Oven Cook-off Registration and Cook-Off start, Near Pavilion
8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
4-H Horse Trail Classes, Warm-up Arena
9:00 a.m. Exhibit Halls and Fellowship Hall open
9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.
Register for Farm Olympics, Fair Office
9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Judging of 4-H Mini and Cloverbud, Exhibit Building
9:00 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.
Elbert County Office of Emergency Management Class, "CODE RED - Reverse Emergency Notification & Weather Warning"; Bijou Meeting Room, Public Health Building, North End of Fairgrounds
10:00 a.m. thru the day
FREE Carriage Rides, Collier Carriage Booth
10:00 a.m. Farm Olympics, Track
10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Cash Rodeo entries taken, Fair Office
10:00 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.
Elbert County Office of Emergency Management Class, "Wildfire Mitigation Strategies"; Bijou Meeting Room, Public Health Building, North End of Fairgrounds
11:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.
Elbert County Office of Emergency Management Class, "HAM Radio Operators"; Bijou Meeting Room, Public Health Building, North End of Fairgrounds
12:00 Noon (Following Performance Classes) 4-H Horse Gymkhana, Arena
Designation for Round Robin Showmanship Contest due, Fair Office
12:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Elbert County Office of Emergency Management Class, "American Heart CPR Class - Ages 12 & up"; Bijou Meeting Room, Public Health Building, North End of Fairgrounds
1:30 p.m. Dutch Oven Cook-Off Judging, Near Pavilion
10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Slides, Jumpers & More, East Side Exhibit Building
3:30 p.m. Small Fry Swine Showmanship, Track
Adult Swine Showmanship entries due
4:30 p.m. Adult Jackpot Swine Showmanship, Track
5:00 p.m. Beef Fitting Contest, Track (Weather permitting, Ag Building if inclement weather)
5:30 p.m. (Immediately after 4-H Beef Fitting Contest)
Adult Beef Fitting Contest, Track
6:00 p.m. Dog Agility Contest, Warm-up arena
Exhibit Halls and Fellowship Hall closed
7:00 p.m. Bad Boys of Bull Riding, Arena
9:00 p.m. Concert and Dance, Track

SATURDAY, August 1 - FAMILY DAY

8:00 a.m. Check-in for Round Robin Showmanship Contest; Arena
 8:30 a.m. Round Robin Showmanship Contest; Arena
 Road Grader Contest, Warm-Up Arena
 9:00 a.m. Check-in Backseat Driver's Contest, Fair Office
 9:30 a.m. Backseat Driver's Contest, Track
 Check-in Crowing Contest
 Check-in Goatkhana
 Exhibit Halls and Fellowship Hall open
 10:00 a.m. Judging of Goatkhana, Track
 10:00 a.m. thru the day
 FREE Carriage Rides, Collier Carriage Booth
 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
 Slides, Jumpers & More, East Side Exhibit Building
 11:00 a.m. EDCLA Barbecue, Pavilion
 11:15 a.m. Bijou Hunt Club Hunt/Hound Demonstration, Arena
 12:00 Noon Crowing Contest, Poultry Barn
 1:00 p.m. **JUNIOR MARKET SALE**, Ag Building
 5:30 p.m. (or 1/2 hour after Junior Market Sale)
 Horse Pull, Track
 6:00 p.m. Exhibit Halls and Fellowship Hall closed
 6:30 p.m. 4-H Awards Night
 9:00 p.m. - 12:30 a.m.
 Elbert County Fair Dance, Ag Building

SUNDAY, August 2 - RODEO & PARADE DAY

7:00 a.m. - Noon
 Pancake Breakfast, Kiowa Lion's Hall
 8:00 a.m. Cowboy Church, Ag Building
 9:00 a.m. Fair Rodeo, Arena - Free Admission
 Stock Dog Trials, Warm-Up Arena
 Exhibit Halls and Fellowship Hall open
 Registration High Plains Fiddlin' & Pickin' Fest, Pavilion
 9:30 a.m. Royalty Brunch, Kiowa School
 10:00 a.m. thru the day

11:00 a.m. FREE Carriage Rides, Collier Carriage Booth
 Check-in & Line-up for Parade, Elbert County
 Courthouse
 High Plains Fiddlin' & Pickin' Fest, Pavilion
 12:00 Noon Parade - Parade will begin downtown and finish by
 going in front of Loren Green Grandstands. Grand
 Entry and Queens Barrel Race will follow Parade.
 12:30 p.m. Check-in Costume Pet Animal Classes, Track
 1:00 p.m. EDCLA Catch-A-Calf Contest, Arena
 Ranch Rodeo, Arena
 Judging of Costume Pet Animal Classes, Track
 1:30 p.m. Kids Races and Track Events, Track
 2:00 p.m. Ice Cream Eating Contest, Ice Cream Booth next to
 Exhibit Building
 3:00 p.m. or later (listen for announcement)
 Releasing of all exhibits
 3:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
 Premium pay out
 5:00 p.m. Buildings locked. Any exhibits not picked up are not the
 responsibility of the Fair Board or Extension Office.

MONDAY, August 3

10:00 a.m. Clean-Up Day (4-H, FCE, and other volunteers)

FRIDAY, August 7

Thank you notes for Market Sale buyers due to Main Leaders

THURSDAY, August 13

7:00 p.m. Supreme, Ultrasound, & Rate-of-Gain Awards, Ag
 Building, Kiowa

MONDAY, September 7

Livestock Record Books due

SUMMARY OF ENTRY DEADLINES

(If mailed, must be postmarked by date designated below)

WEDNESDAY, July 1

Camper Reservations due
All 4-H/FFA projects No late entries accepted
Royalty Contest Entry Request due
Catch-A-Calf applications due
4-H Member in Good Standing Requirements to be fulfilled

MONDAY, July 13

Elbert County Fair Royalty Contest entries due

WEDNESDAY, July 15

All 4-H Scholarship applications due
Sheep Lead entries due
4-H Fashion Revue commentaries due
Rabbit Royalty Contest entries due

FRIDAY, July 17

Dutch Oven Cook-Off entries due

SUNDAY, July 19

Mailed Open Rabbit entries due

MONDAY, July 20

All 4-H Livestock Record Books should be up to date and signed by a leader

WEDNESDAY, July 22

Rodeo entries due if paid by check
E-Mailed Open Rabbit entries due

FRIDAY, July 24

Mailed Parade entries due (2 copies of typed commentary MUST accompany entry)

SATURDAY, July 25

Kiddie Style Show entries taken at registration at 1:00 p.m.
Mutton Bustin entries taken at 6:00 p.m.

SUNDAY, July 26

Open Rabbit entries due 8:00 a.m. (late charge)
Gymkhana entries taken at 2:00 p.m. at Exhibit Building
Open Wool and Fiber Show entries taken from Noon to 5:00 p.m.

MONDAY, July 27

Sheep Lead commentaries due (Typed)

TUESDAY, July 28

Open Class General Exhibits (bring filled in entry form to Fellowship Hall); Enter & Check-in from 8:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

WEDNESDAY, July 29

Lamb Ultrasound entries due at 7:00 a.m.
Swine Pen of Three and Ultrasound entries due at 2:30 p.m.
Phone-in or Hand-carry Parade entries (2 copies of typed commentary MUST be given to parade director)

THURSDAY, July 30

Beef Ultrasound entries due at 7:00 a.m.
Cash Rodeo entries taken from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Entries due for Beef Fitting Contest at 4:00 p.m.
Designation of Market Sale animals due by 5:00 p.m.
Market Sale pictures must be taken by 6:00 p.m.

FRIDAY, July 31

Cash Rodeo entries taken from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Pre-registration due for High Plains Fiddle Contest
4-H Round Robin designation due by Noon
Entries due for Adult Swine Showmanship Contest at 3:30 p.m.

ENTRY FORMS ARE IN THE BACK OF THE BOOK. NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED, UNLESS NOTED.

Additional Entry Forms are available at elbertcountyfair.com or elbert.colostate.edu

HIGHLIGHTS OF NEW EVENTS AND CHANGES

1. Due to budgetary constraints, premiums will be awarded to first, second, and third places only in the 4-H Division and the Open Class General Division. There have also been reductions to premiums.
2. There will be no premiums awarded for the Parade
3. Certificate of Origin Label (COOL) Form is required for Market Beef, Market Lambs, Market Swine, Market Goats, and Market Chickens.
4. The 4-H Dog Rally has been changed to Saturday, July 25th.
5. There is no longer an Open Class Lama Show.
6. Please check the Fair Book and web site for other changes.
7. Cash premiums will be paid during the fair on Sunday at the Fair Office from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m. Premiums will be paid as listed in the fair book schedule. The Fair Board and Elbert County reserve the right to change the method and date of payment if the need should arise. Any premiums not picked up by that date shall be forfeited unless prior written arrangements have been made with the Extension Office.

PLEASE NOTE: The Fair Book no longer has premium and class information for Open Class and 4-H entries. This information is available on line at elbertcountyfair.com or elbert.colostate.edu. Hard copies will also be available at the CSU Extension Office in Kiowa and Simla. If you are unable to obtain a copy or if you have questions, please call the CSU Extension office at either 303-621-3162 or 719-541-2361.