

South Texas State Fair
Livestock & Poultry Show Schedule of Events
March 27 - April 6, 2025

Thursday, March 27

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| Exhibitors may begin moving into Barns (No early Move In) | 7:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. |
| Open Longhorn & Brahman Cattle Arrival | 7:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. |
| Junior Market Lamb - Check-in & Weigh-in | 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. |
| Junior Market Goat - Check-in & Weigh-in | 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. |
| Open Poultry Large Fowl & Bantam - Check-in | 12:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. |
| Open Longhorn & Brahman Cattle - Check-in | 2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. |
| Open Longhorn Substitution Deadline | 4:00 p.m. |
| Junior Market Lamb Show | 4:30 p.m. |
| Junior Market Goat Show | 30 minutes after Lamb Show |
| Lambs & Goats Not Making Sale Released | After Conclusion of Goat Show |
| Time for Premium Distribution for all Shows | TBA |
| Barns Open to the Public | 6:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. |

Friday, March 28

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| Junior Market Poultry - Sift & Check-in | 7:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. |
| Junior Commercial F-1 Heifer - Arrival | 7:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. |
| Open Brahman Cattle - Arrival | 7:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. |
| Remaining Open Longhorn - Check-in | 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. |
| Junior Market Poultry Show | TBA |
| Jr. Market Poultry Show Awards Ceremony Following Judging | At Conclusion of Each Show |
| TLBT Youth Texas Longhorn Show - Pee Wee Division | 10:00 a.m. |
| TLBT Youth Texas Longhorn Show | 10:30 a.m. |
| Open Poultry Large Fowl & Bantam - Check-in | 12:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. |
| Open Texas Longhorn Show | 1:00 p.m. |
| Open Brahman Substitution Deadline | 5:00 p.m. |
| Barns Open to the Public | 5:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. |
| Release Jr. Mkt. Poultry Except Grand & Reserve Champions | TBA |
| Final Remaining Brahman Cattle <u>Check-in</u> | 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. |
| Time for Premium Distributions for All Shows | TBA |

Saturday, March 29

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| Junior Market Swine - Check-in & Weigh-in | 6:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. |
| Open Poultry Large Fowl & Bantam - Check-in | 6:30 a.m. - 8:00 a.m. |
| Jr. Rabbit Meat Pen - Check-in (Small Barn) | 7:00 a.m. - 8:00 a.m. |
| Open Poultry Large Fowl & Bantam - Judging | 9:00 a.m. |
| Jr. Rabbit Meat Pen Show | 9:00 a.m. |
| Open Jr. Breeding Rabbit - Check-in (Small Barn) | 30 minutes after Jr. Rabbit Meat Pen Show |
| Open Jr. Breeding Rabbit Show | Immediately following check-in |
| Open Junior Brahman Heifer Show | 9:00 a.m. |
| Open Livestock Show Brahman Division / Split - Red & Grey | 30 minutes after Jr. Brahman Show |
| Barns Open to the Public | 12:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. |
| Junior Commercial F-1 Heifer - Check-in & Weigh-in | 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. |
| All Open Show Cattle Releasing | TBA |
| Open Show Cattle departing Saturday Must Be Out of Barn By | 11:00 p.m. |
| Time for Premiums Distribution for All Shows | TBA |

Jr Market and Open Poultry / Rabbits will be released at the conclusion of their Shows except the Grand and Reserve Champions.

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Sunday, March 30

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| Remaining Open Show Cattle Must Be Out of Barn By | 7:00 a.m. |
| Stall Preparation for YMBL Committee | 7:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. |
| Agricultural Mechanics Projects May Arrive | 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. |
| Release Remaining Open Poultry | 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. |
| Junior Market Swine - Show | 9:00 a.m. |
| Barns Open to the Public | 12:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. |
| Junior Commercial F-1 Heifer Show | 5:30 p.m. |
| Early Release for Swine <u>MUST HAVE RELEASE PAPERS</u> | TBA |
| Time for Premiums Distribution for All Shows | TBA |
| <i>No Early Release For F-1 Heifers.</i> | |

Monday, March 31

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| Agricultural Mechanics Projects May Arrive | 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. |
| Junior Market Steer Arrival | 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. |
| Junior Market Steer Classifying & Weigh-in | 4:00 p.m. |
| Barns Open to the Public | 5:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. |
| Time for Premium Distributions for All Shows | TBA |
| <i>Animals making the Auction along with their alternates are NOT ELIGIBLE for early release. This includes those animals participating in the Online Barn Sale.</i> | |

Tuesday, April 1

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| Agricultural Mechanics Projects Final Arrival | 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. |
| Barns Open to the Public | 5:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. |
| Junior Market Steer Show | 5:30 p.m. |
| Time for Premium Distributions for All Shows | TBA |
| <i>No Early Release For Steers.</i> | |

Wednesday, April 2

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| Junior Breeding Beef Arrival for Jefferson, Hardin, Orange & Chambers Counties | 7:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. |
| Junior Breeding Beef Check-in for Jefferson, Hardin, Orange & Chambers Counties | 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. |
| Barns Open to the Public | 5:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. |
| Time for Premium Distributions for All Shows | TBA |

Thursday, April 3

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| Junior Breeding Beef Arrival for Remaining Counties | 7:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. |
| Junior Breeding Beef Check-in for Remaining Counties | 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. |
| Barns Open to the Public | 5:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. |
| Junior Livestock Auction - 4-H & FFA Participant's Check-in | 5:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. |
| Junior Livestock Auction - Ford Arena | |
| Broilers, Roasters, Rabbits, Goats, Lambs, Steers, Commercial F-1 Heifers & Swine | 6:00 p.m. |
| Time for Premium Distributions for All Shows | TBA |
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Friday, April 4

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| Junior Breeding Beef Show | 9:00 a.m. |
| Agricultural Mechanics Show | 9:00 a.m. |
| Barns Open to the Public | 12:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. |
| Record Book Deadline Turn-in at Livestock Office | 6:00 p.m. |
| Time for Premium Distributions for All Shows | TBA |

Saturday, April 5

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| 4-H & FFA Livestock Judging Registration (Livestock Office) | 7:30 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. |
| Release Agricultural Mechanics Projects | 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. |
| 4-H & FFA Livestock Judging Contest | 9:00 a.m. |
| Release of Remaining Junior Poultry Show Birds | 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. |
| Barns Open to the Public | 12:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. |
| 4-H & FFA Livestock Judging Awards Presentation | TBA |
| Record Book Awards | Follows Above |
| Stall & Pen Awards | Follows Above |
| Supreme 4-H & FFA Award | Follows Above |
| Release Open Cattle & Jr. Market Show Cattle Not Making Sale | 3:00 p.m. |
| Time for Premium Distributions for All Shows | TBA |

Sunday, April 6

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| <i>*Release of All Livestock Will Cease Except for Packers</i> | 8:00 a.m. |
| Release of All Remaining Livestock Will Continue | After Packers |
| All Livestock Must be Off Fairgrounds by NOON | 12:00 p.m. |
| Time for Premium Distributions for All Shows | 12:00 p.m. |
| Barns NOT Open to the Public | N/A |