SANTA BARBARA COUNTY FAIR
NEWSLETTER

SANTA BARBARA County Fair
THE 5 BEST DAYS OF SUMMER

Important Dates

Livestock Meeting & Camping Meeting
July 2nd
6:30PM
Auction Barn

Livestock Barns Available for Pen, Tack & Display Set Up
July 5th
8AM-4PM

Showorks Auction Photo Upload Deadline
July 7th 11:59PM

Ladies Lead Commentary Due to Livestock Office
July 8th 5:00PM

Breeding Animal Bill of Sale or Registration Papers Due to Livestock Office
July 8th
6AM-5PM

Check out our Website
A full list of the schedule, drop off dates and times can be found at the SantaMariaFairpark.com

Our Livestock/Entries Office is Moving!

We are very excited to share that the Livestock Office and the Entries office are now located in one location in a mobile office between the swine barns. This new convenient location will allow our office to better serve its exhibitors, leaders, advisors, and parents!

Supreme Drive Update

Our Supreme Drive is getting an upgrade at the SBCF. We are thrilled to be moving the Supreme Drive into the Beef Arena! The Drive will be limited to 4-H Champion, Reserve 4-H Champion, FFA Champion and Reserve FFA Champion and Showmanship Champions. We are excited to welcome fog, music and new excitement to our beloved Supreme Drive!

PeeWee Showmanship

Open to anyone! Peewee showmanship is not associated to any organization such as 4h or FFA. This is a great time to get young future exhibitors into the showring. Sign ups via showorks are still open and will not end until the day before PeeWee Showmanship!

We are still looking for Award Sponsors!

Interested in sponsoring?

Contact Marissa at awards@santamariafairpark.com

Drop off Dates

Homemade Wine
June 22nd 2024
8AM
Foundation Pavilion

Still Exhibit for Livestock Exhibitors & Photography
June 26th 2024
9AM-5PM
Convention Center

Non-Perishable Home Arts & Fine Arts
June 27th 2024
9AM-5PM
Convention Center

Non-Perishable Ag Hort, Floral Dept & Ag Mechanics
July 2nd 2024
9AM-5PM
Convention Center

Perishable Home Arts
July 9th 2024
8AM-NOON
Convention Center

New 37th District Buyers Coalition

The 37th District Buyer's Coalition mission is to bring together community members, businesses and organizations to support youth livestock projects, cultivate future community leaders, and serve others. This group is honored to carry on the work begun through the James W. Brabeck Youth Legacy Fund. More info can be found online: https://www.37thbuyerscoalition.com.

To be considered for this program, youth livestock exhibitors apply and send buyer's letters to the community. The student application process is open to all students in 4-H, FFA, and Grange exhibitors in San Luis Obispo County and Santa Barbara County that are officially registered for the Santa Barbara County Fair livestock show. The livestock projects purchased by the 37th District Buyer's Coalition provide locally produced protein for neighbors in need at food banks, churches and shelters.

Donors wanting to join efforts with the 37th Buyer's Coalition are encouraged to send a physical check to: 37th Buyer's Coalition at PO Box 335, Nipomo, CA 93444. Venmo is also available.

Still Exhibit Drop Off for 4-H, FFA Grange and Independent Livestock Exhibitors

Livestock Exhibitors should be dropping off their required livestock still exhibit entries on June 26th

The only exception to this is Ag Mechanics being dropped off on July 2nd

Scholarship Opportunity

The Santa Maria Fairpark Foundation invites all active 4-H, FFA, Grange and Independent participants to apply for the 2024 Agricultural Mechanics and Industrial Arts Scholarship. If you're enrolled in a high school that is following the California State Plan for Vocational Agriculture, or in a 4-H, FFA, Grange or Independent project, please apply! For more details visit www.smffoundation.org

BENEFITS
- $1,500 Scholarship
- $500 Cash Prize
- (4) Tickets to Ag Awards Dinner
- (4) Tickets to Carnival Pre-Party
- (4) Tickets to Fair on Saturday, July 13, 2024
- (1) Foundation Heritage Club jacket

For more details visit www.smffoundation.org

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