



2023 Douglas County Fair & Rodeo Schedule

General Admission Hours

Friday, July 28	4:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.
Saturday, July 29	10:00 a.m. – 11:00 p.m.
Sunday, July 30	11:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Wednesday, August 2	3:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Thursday, August 3	2:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Friday, August 4	12:00 p.m. – 11:30 p.m.
Saturday, August 5	9:00 a.m. – 11:30 p.m.
Sunday, August 6	9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Friday, July 28 – Free Grounds Admission

4:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.	Carnival
4:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Kodiak Ranch Petting Zoo (Midway)
4:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Safari Sam and Oscar the Awesome Ostrich (Walk Around)
5:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	The Reflector (Walk Around)
4:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Big Bubble Bonanza (Kirk Hall)
7:00 p.m.	Randy Houser with Chase Bryant (Outdoor Arena)

Saturday, July 29 - Free Grounds Admission

6:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.	BBQ Event (Left of Event Center & Event Center Conference Rooms)
9:30 a.m.	Douglas County Fair & Rodeo Parade (Chamber Event Downtown Castle Rock)
10:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Kodiak Ranch Petting Zoo (Midway)
10:30 a.m.	Llama Show followed by Afternoon with a Llama (Pavilion)
11:00 a.m. – 11:00 p.m.	Carnival
12:00 p.m.	Stick Horse Rodeo (Warm Up Arena)
10:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Big Bubble Bonanza (Kirk Hall)
11:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Nature's Educators – Raptor Educational and Talon Talks (Kirk Hall)
12:00 p.m.	Junior Division Dog Showmanship (Indoor Arena)
	Junior Division Dog Rally – following Showmanship (Indoor Arena)
	Junior Division Dog Obedience – following Showmanship (Indoor Arena)
10:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Safari Sam and Oscar the Awesome Ostrich (Walk Around)
12:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Wild West Wagon - Photobooth
12:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Top Hogs (Midway Stage)
5:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	The Reflector (Walk Around)
1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	BBQ Judging (Event Center Conference Rooms & Lobby)
1:00 p.m.	Mutton Bustin' Registration (Indoor Arena Ticket Office)
2:00 p.m.	Mutton Bustin' (Outdoor Arena)
2:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	BBQ Awards (Event Center Lobby/Entrance)
3:00 p.m.	Hometown Rodeo Final Order Posted (Outdoor Arena)
4:00 p.m.	Hometown Rodeo Starting with the Crowning of Fair & Rodeo Royalty (Outdoor Arena)

Sunday, July 30 - Free Grounds Admission

8:00 a.m.	Junior Division Horse Show (Indoor Arena) – Western concurrent with Trail (Warm-up Arena)
10:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Kodiak Ranch Petting Zoo (Midway)
11:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Big Bubble Bonanza (Kirk Hall)
11:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Carnival
11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Farm to Table (Field Right of Event Center) <i>Ticketed Event</i>
12:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Junior Division Horse Show English (Indoor Arena)



11:00 a.m.	Junior Division Cat Show (Small Animal Barn South)
11:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Safari Sam and Oscar the Awesome Ostrich (Walk Around)
12:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Creative Arts Open Division Fine Arts, Home Ec., Home Arts, Quilts & Senior Citizen
12:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	The Vintage Car Club of Castle Rock Car Show
12:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Wild West Wagon - Photobooth
12:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Top Hogs (Midway Stage)
2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Exceptional Rodeo (Outdoor Arena)
3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	WireWood Station (Midway Stage)
4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	The Reflector (Walk Around)

Monday, July 31- Free Grounds Admission

8:00 a.m.	Junior Division Horse Show - Working Ranch (Outdoor Arena) followed by Gymkhana (Indoor Arena)
9:00 a.m.	Open Division Creative Arts Bake Sale (Events Center)
9:00 a.m.	Creative Arts Open Division Quilt Judging - Open to Public (Events Center)

Tuesday, August 1- Free Grounds Admission

4:00 p.m.	Junior Division Non-Market Goat Showmanship, followed by the Dairy, Fiber, and Utility Goat Show (Pavilion)
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Wednesday, August 2- Free Grounds Admission

8:00 a.m.	Junior Division Swine Showmanship (Pavilion)
9:00 a.m.	Junior Division Rabbit Show (Small Animal Barn South)
9:00 a.m.	Junior Division Poultry Showmanship (Indoor Arena)
10:30 a.m.	Junior Division Market Beef Show (Pavilion) or 15 minutes following Swine Showmanship if Swine Show runs late
1:00 p.m.	Junior Division Sheep Showmanship - Followed by Breeding Sheep - or 15 minutes following the Market Beef Show if Market Beef Show runs late (Pavilion)
3:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Carnival
3:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Kodiak Ranch Petting Zoo (Midway)
3:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Safari Sam and Oscar the Awesome Ostrich (Walk Around)
4:00 p.m.	Junior Division Breeding Beef Show (Pavilion) or 15 minutes following Sheep Showmanship if Sheep Showmanship runs late
5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	Open Division Ag & Floriculture Exhibit Entry Receiving (Events Center)
6:00 p.m.	Junior Division Market Swine Show (Pavilion) or 15 minutes following Breeding Beef Show if Breeding Beef Show runs late

Thursday, August 3- Free Grounds Admission

7:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Open Division Ag & Floriculture Exhibit Entry Receiving (Events Center)
9:00 a.m.	Junior Division Market Lamb Show (Pavilion)
9:00 a.m.	Junior Division Poultry Show – Breed, Market (Poultry Barn)
1:00 p.m.	Junior Division Market Goat Show followed by Meat Breeding and Market Goat Showmanship (Pavilion)
1:00 p.m.	Mutton Bustin' Registration (Indoor Arena Ticket Office)
2:00 p.m.	Open Division Ag & Floriculture Judging (Events Center)
2:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Kodiak Ranch Petting Zoo (Midway)
2:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	Axe Box/Blacksmith/Trapper/Douglas County Library (Old West Town)
2:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	Marketplace (Events Center)
2:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	Creative Arts, Ag & Floriculture Open Division Exhibits on Display (Events Center)



2:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	Junior Division General Exhibits on Display (Events Center)
2:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	Discovery Ranch (Events Center)
2:00 p.m.	Mutton Bustin' (Outdoor Arena)
3:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Carnival
3:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Safari Sam and Oscar the Awesome Ostrich (Walk Around)
5:00 p.m.	Junior Division Beef Showmanship (Pavilion)
7:00 p.m.	PRCA Rough Stock Event (Outdoor Arena) <i>Ticketed Event</i>

Friday, August 4- Ticketed Grounds Admission

9:00 a.m.	Junior Division Master Showmanship (Pavilion / Indoor Arena)
9:00 a.m.	PRCA Slack (Outdoor Arena)
11:30 a.m.	Royalty Luncheon (Hospitality) <i>Ticketed Event</i>
12:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Axe Box/Blacksmith/Trapper/Douglas County Library (Old West Town)
12:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	Marketplace (Events Center)
12:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	Creative Arts, Ag & Floriculture Open Division Exhibits on Display (Events Center)
12:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	Junior Division General Exhibits on Display (Events Center)
12:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	Discovery Ranch (Events Center)
12:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Kodiak Ranch Petting Zoo (Midway)
12:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	Wild West Wagon - Photobooth
12:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Safari Sam and Oscar the Awesome Ostrich (Walk Around)
1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Fashion Revue Fashion Show (Midway Stage)
1:00 p.m.	Mutton Bustin' Registration (Indoor Arena Ticket Office)
2:00 p.m.	Mutton Bustin' (Outdoor Arena)
3:00 p.m. – 11:30 p.m.	Carnival
3:00 p.m.	Queens Barrel Race (Outdoor Arena)
4:00 p.m. – 6:00pm	Entertainment TBD (Midway Stage)
5:30 p.m.	Junior Livestock Sale – Buyer Appreciation BBQ (Pavilion) <i>Ticketed Event</i>
6:00 p.m.	4-H Scholarship Awards and Commissioner's Cookie Jar Presentations (Pavilion)
6:30 p.m.	Junior Livestock Sale (Pavilion)
7:00 p.m.	PRCA Rodeo (Outdoor Arena) <i>Ticketed Event</i>

Saturday, August 5- Ticketed Grounds Admission

8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Junior Division Dog Agility (Indoor Arena)
9:00 a.m.	Mutton Bustin' Registration (Indoor Arena Ticket Office)
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Kodiak Ranch Petting Zoo (Midway)
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Safari Sam and Oscar the Awesome Ostrich (Walk Around)
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Axe Box/Blacksmith/Trapper/Douglas County Library (Old West Town)
10:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.	Marketplace (Events Center)
10:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.	Creative Arts, Ag & Floriculture Open Division Exhibits on Display (Events Center)
10:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.	Junior Division General Exhibits on Display (Events Center)
10:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.	Discovery Ranch (Events Center)
10:00 a.m.	Mutton Bustin' (Outdoor Arena)
10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.	PRCA Rodeo Youth Camp Check-In (Outdoor Arena) Pre-registration required
11:00 a.m. – 11:30 p.m.	Carnival
2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Colorado Keys Dueling Pianos (Midway Stage)
12:00 p.m.	Blindman Tractor Drive (Outdoor Arena Warm-Up)
12:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	Wild West Wagon - Photobooth
12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	PRCA Rodeo Youth Camp (Outdoor Arena)
1:00 p.m.	Junior Division Beef Relay Contest (Beef Barn)



1:30 p.m.	Junior Division Goat Quick Draw Milkout and Goat Costume Contest (Midway Stage)
3:00 p.m.	Sheep Lead Competition (Pavilion)
6:00 p.m.	Creative Arts Open Division Viewer's Choice Ballots Due (Events Center)
7:00 p.m.	PRCA Rodeo (Outdoor Arena) <i>Ticketed Event</i>
9:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.	Barn Dance Featuring TBD (Indoor Arena)

Sunday, August 6- Free Grounds Admission Sponsored by TBD

7:30 a.m.	Church Service (Outdoor Arena)
8:00 a.m.	Pancake Breakfast
9:00 a.m.	Junior Division Small Animal Round Robin (Pavilion)
9:00 a.m.	Fair Foundation 2023 Wall of Honor Induction Ceremony (Midway Stage)
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Axe Box/Blacksmith/Trapper/Douglas County Library (Old West Town)
9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Marketplace (Events Center)
9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Creative Arts, Ag & Floriculture Open Division Exhibits on Display (Events Center)
9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Junior Division General Exhibits on Display (Events Center)
9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Discovery Ranch (Events Center)
9:00 a.m.	Mutton Bustin' Registration (Indoor Arena Ticket Office)
10:00 a.m.	Pie Eating Contest (Midway)
10:00 a.m.	Mutton Bustin' (Outdoor Arena)
9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Kodiak Ranch Petting Zoo (Midway)
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	Colorado Keys Dueling Pianos (Midway Stage)
11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Carnival
12:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Wild West Wagon - Photobooth
1:00 p.m.	PRCA Rodeo (Outdoor Arena) <i>Ticketed Event</i>
2:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.	Entertainment TBD (Midway Stage)
3:30 p.m.	Barns Close
4:00 p.m.	Fair Closes
5:00 p.m.	Release of Creative Arts, Ag & Floriculture Open Divisions Projects and Payouts
