



General Program

July 26 - 30, 2023

Fairgrounds open from 7:00 a.m. to 12:00 a.m.

Sunday, July 23

4:00 pm	Fair Set-up
4:00 pm - 5:00 pm	4-H/FFA Reduced Price Passes Sold – Fair Office Window
6:00 pm	Beef Exhibitor Meeting – Livestock Arena

Monday, July 24

1:00 pm	Livestock Stall Assignments Posted – Livestock Barns
1:00 pm - 5:30 pm	4-H/FFA Reduced Price Passes Sold – Fair Office Window
2:00 pm - 6:00 pm	Enter 4-H Static Exhibits – 4-H Exhibit Building

Tuesday, July 25

8:00 am - Completion	4-H Static Exhibit Judging – Century Hall
9:30 am	Le Mars Chamber Coffee, Hosted by Chamber Ag Committee – Round Barn
9:00 am - 12:00 pm	4-H/FFA Reduced Price Passes Sold – Fair Office Window
11:30 am - 2:00 pm	Clover Kid Project Judging – Open Class Building; South End; Project Display: 4-H Exhibit Building; South End
1:00 pm - 4:00 pm	4-H/FFA Reduced Price Passes Sold – Fair Office Window
5:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Stall 4-H/FFA Livestock – Livestock Buildings
6:00 pm	Rabbit & Poultry Exhibitor Meeting – Rabbit & Poultry Barn
6:00 pm - 8:00 pm	Check-in Open Class Entries: Photography, Horticulture, Food & Preservation, Arts & Creative Hobbies, Antiques & Collectibles – Open Class Building

Golf carts will provide transportation for open class exhibitors from the south parking lot (Gate 1) to the Open Class Building. Exhibitors will be allowed to pull through Gate 1 near the stage to unload on Tuesday only.

Wednesday, July 26

7:00 am	Passes Required – Tickets on Sale at Gates
7:00 am - 9:00 am	Golf carts will provide transportation for open class exhibitors from the south parking lot (Gate 1) to the Open Class Building.
7:00 am - 9:00 am	Stall 4-H/FFA Livestock
7:00 am - 10:00 am	Check-in Open Class Entries: Photography, Horticulture, Food & Preservation, Arts & Creative Hobbies, Antiques & Collectibles – Open Class Building

7:30 am - 8:30 am	Rabbit Check-in – North End of Rabbit & Poultry Barn
8:00 am	Beef & Sheep Check-in – Livestock Barns
9:00 am	Poultry Check-in – Rabbit and Poultry Barn
10:00 am	Swine, Goat, & Dairy Check-in – Livestock Barns
10:00 am	4-H Exhibit Building Open
11:00 am	Clover Buddies Rabbit Show – Livestock Arena
11:00 am	4-H/FFA Rabbit Show – Livestock Arena
12:00 pm	4-H Clothing Review – Century Hall
12:00 pm	Round Barn Opens
12:00 pm - 3:30 pm	Motocross Registration – Grandstand
1:30 pm - 10:00 pm	Commercial Exhibits Open – Hall of 15, Becker Hall, & Commercial Building
3:00 pm	Royal Readings for Kids -- Schoolhouse
3:00 pm	4-H/FFA & Adult Livestock Judging Contest Check-in – Livestock Arena
3:00 pm	Central Dance Academy Dance Performance – Century Hall
3:30 pm	4-H/FFA & Adult Livestock Judging Contest – Livestock Arena
3:30 pm	4-H Static Exhibit Grand Champion Photos – Open Class Building; South End
4:00 pm	Motocross Practice – Grandstand
4:00 pm	Kenny Ahern Family Variety Show – Kids' Stage
5:00 pm	Mc Dermott Family Midway Opens
5:00 pm	Holy Rocka Rollaz – Pioneer Village (50's Rock n Roll)
6:00 pm	Kenny Ahern Family Variety Show – Kids' Stage
6:15 pm	4-H Award Ceremony – Pioneer Village
6:30 pm	Motocross – Grandstand
6:40 pm	Opening Ceremony – Pioneer Village
7:00 pm	King & Queen Crowning – Pioneer Village
7:00 pm	Clover Buddies Bucket Calf Check-in – Livestock Pavilion; West Side
7:30 pm	Clover Buddies Bucket Calf Show – Livestock Arena
8:00 pm	Holy Rocka Rollaz – Pioneer Village (50's Rock n Roll)
8:00 pm	Kenny Ahern Family Variety Show – Kids' Stage
10:00 pm	Commercial, 4-H Exhibit & Open Class Buildings & Round Barn Close

Thursday, July 27

7:00 am	4-H/FFA Horse Check-in – Horse Arena
8:00 am	4-H/FFA Horse Show – Horse Arena
8:00 am	Clover Buddies Bottle Lamb Check-in – Sheep Barn
8:30 am	Clover Buddies Bottle Lamb Show – Livestock Arena
8:30 am	4-H/FFA Sheep Show – Livestock Arena
10:00 am	Open Class & 4-H Exhibit Buildings Open
12:00 pm	4-H/FFA Meat Goat Show – Livestock Arena
12:00 pm	Round Barn Opens
12:00 pm - 7:30 pm	B&R Chainsaw Sculptures by Blair Smith & Scotty Toben – SW Corner of the Grounds

1:00 pm	Mc Dermott Family Midway Opens
1:00 pm	4-H Educational Presentations – Century Hall
1:30 pm	Commercial Exhibit Buildings Open – Hall of 15, Becker Hall, & Commercial Building
3:00 pm	Royal Readings for Kids – Schoolhouse
3:30 pm	Clover Buddies Bottle Goat Check-in – Livestock Pavilion; West Side
4:00 pm	Clover Buddies Bottle Goat Show – Livestock Arena
4:00 pm	4-H/FFA Dairy Cattle & Dairy Goat Show – Livestock Arena
4:00 pm	Kenny Ahern Family Variety Show – Kids' Stage
5:00 pm	Minor Mischief – Pioneer Village
6:00 pm	Kenny Ahern Family Variety Show – Kids' Stage
6:15 pm	Surf City Allstars – Pioneer Village (Beach Boys Tribute)
6:30 pm	Tuff Truck – Grandstand
7:00 pm	Bacon Buddies® Show – Livestock Arena
7:30 pm	Minor Mischief – Pioneer Village
8:00 pm	Kenny Ahern Family Variety Show – Kids' Stage
8:45 pm	Surf City Allstars – Pioneer Village (Beach Boys Tribute)
10:00 pm	Commercial, 4-H Exhibit & Open Class Buildings & Round Barn Close

Friday, July 28

8:30 am	4-H/FFA Dog Show – Open Class Building; South End
8:00 am	4-H/FFA Breeding & Market Beef Show – Livestock Arena
10:00 am	Open Class & 4-H Exhibit Buildings Open
12:00 pm	Round Barn Opens
12:00 pm - 7:30 pm	B&R Chainsaw Sculptures by Blair Smith & Scotty Toben – SW Corner of the Grounds
1:00 pm	Mc Dermott Family Midway Opens
12:00 pm	Clover Buddies Poultry Check-in – Rabbit & Poultry Barn
1:30 pm	Clover Buddies Poultry Show – Livestock Arena
1:30 pm	4-H/FFA Poultry Show – Livestock Arena
1:30 pm	Commercial Exhibit Buildings Open – Hall of 15, Becker Hall, & Commercial Building
2:30 pm	4-H Working Exhibits – Open Class Building; South End
3:00 pm	Royal Readings for Kids -- Schoolhouse
4:00 pm	Lizzy The Dream Girl – Pioneer Village (Hypnotist)
4:00 pm	Kenny Ahern Family Variety Show – Kids' Stage
5:30 pm	The Sidekicks – Pioneer Village (Songs from the 80's & 90's)
6:00 pm	Kenny Ahern Family Variety Show – Kids' Stage
7:00 pm	Cooking School – Century Hall
7:15 pm	Lizzy The Dream Girl – Pioneer Village (Hypnotist)
7:00 pm	Mutton Bustin' Registration – Livestock Arena
7:30 pm	Demo Derby – Grandstand
7:30 pm	Mutton Bustin' – Livestock Arena

8:00 pm	Kenny Ahern Family Variety Show – Kids’ Stage
8:30 pm	Luke Mills – Pioneer Village (Country)
10:00 pm	Commercial, 4-H Exhibit & Open Class Buildings & Round Barn Close

Saturday, July 29

8:00 am	4-H/FFA Swine Show – Livestock Arena
9:00 am	Open Draft Horse & Mule Show – Horse Arena
9:30 am - 12:30 am	Kids’ Day Activities – Century Hall
10:00 am	Round Barn Opens
10:00 am	Open Class & 4-H Exhibit Buildings Open
11:00 am	Pedal Tractor Pull – Century Hall
11:00 am	Commercial Exhibit Buildings Open – Hall of 15, Becker Hall, & Commercial Building
11:00 am	BYOP Cornhole Tournament Registration – Open Class Building; South End
12:00 pm	BYOP Cornhole Tournament – Open Class Building; South End
12:00 pm - 7:30 pm	B&R Chainsaw Sculptures by Blair Smith & Scotty Toben – SW Corner of the Grounds
1:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Reduced Midway Rides
2:00 pm	Life Skills’ Quilt Auction – Century Hall
2:00 pm	Kenny Ahern Family Variety Show – Kids’ Stage
3:00 pm	Royal Readings for Kids -- Schoolhouse
3:00 pm	Deadline for Livestock Ribbon Auction Sign Up – Fair Office
4:00 pm	Kenny Ahern Family Variety Show – Kids’ Stage
4:00 pm	4-H/FFA Rabbit & Poultry Grand Champion Photos – Rabbit & Poultry Barn
5:00 pm	Rockland Road – Pioneer Village (Country, Pop, Gospel, R&B, Americana)
6:00 pm	4-H/FFA Share the Fun – Century Hall
6:00 pm	Presentation of Colors by Joint Forces Honor Guard – Grandstand
6:00 pm	First Responders & Military Recognition – Grandstand
6:00 pm	Thunder by the Round Barn: Featuring the Outlaw Truck & Tractor Pulling Association – Grandstand
7:00 pm	Impact Pro Wrestling – Covered Arena
7:00 pm - 10:00 pm	Xpedition Band – Pioneer Village (Journey, Foreigner, Kansas, STYX)
8:00 pm	Kenny Ahern Family Variety Show – Kids’ Stage
10:00 pm	Commercial, 4-H Exhibit & Open Class Buildings & Round Barn Close

Sunday, July 30

7:30 am - 9:30 am	4-H/FFA Feeder Calf & Cow/Calf & Highway 3 Cattle Battle Check-in – Scale House
10:00 am	Open Fun Day Horse Show – Horse Arena
10:00 am	Traditional Non-Denominational Church Service – Century Hall
11:00 am	Le Mars Church of Christ Service -- Pioneer Village
11:00 am	4-H/FFA Cow/Calf & Feeder Calf Show – Livestock Arena
11:30 am	Bill Riley Talent Search Check-in – Century Hall

12:00 pm	Bill Riley Talent Search – Century Hall
12:00 pm	Open Class, 4-H Exhibit Building, & Round Barn Open
12:00 pm	4-H/FFA Cat Show – Open Class Building; South End
12:00 pm	Open Pet Show Check-in – Open Class Building; South End
12:30 pm	Highway 3 Cattle Battle – Livestock Arena
12:30 pm	4-H/FFA Pet Show – Open Class Building; South End
12:30 pm	Clover Buddies Open Pet Show – Open Class Building; South End
12:00 pm - 3:00 pm	B&R Chainsaw Sculptures by Blair Smith & Scotty Toben – SW Corner of the Grounds
1:00 pm	Commercial Exhibit Buildings Open – Hall of 15, Becker Hall, & Commercial Building
1:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Reduced Midway Rides
2:00 pm	Life Skills Cow Chip Bingo – West of the Grandstand
2:00 pm	Kenny Ahern Family Variety Show – Kids' Stage
3:00 pm	Royal Readings for Kids -- Schoolhouse
3:00 pm	Duelly Noted -- Pioneer Village (Dueling Pianos)
3:15 pm	4-H Pride of Iowa Judging – Century Hall
4:00 pm	Quilts of Valor – Pioneer Village
4:00 pm	Kenny Ahern Family Variety Show – Kids' Stage
4:00 pm - 4:30 pm	4-H Pride of Iowa – Century Hall
4:30 pm	Fair Auction: Featuring Quilts, Toy Tractors, Chainsaw Wood Carvings & Pork Producers Grilling Event – Pioneer Village
6:00 pm	Kenny Ahern Family Variety Show – Kids' Stage
6:00 pm	The Browns Family Music – Pioneer Village
6:00 pm	Release Bottle Goats & Bottle Lambs
6:00 pm	Figure 8 Hot Laps -- Grandstand
6:30 pm	4-H/FFA Farm Olympics -- Livestock Arena
6:30 pm	Figure 8 Racing -- Grandstand
7:00 pm	Duelly Noted -- Pioneer Village (Dueling Pianos)
7:00 pm	Commercial Exhibit Buildings Close
7:00 pm - 8:00 pm	Open Class Exhibits Released – Open Class Building
8:00 pm	The Browns Family Music – Pioneer Village
9:00 pm	4-H Exhibit Building & Round Barn Close

Monday, July 31

8:00 am	Livestock Released
8:00 am - 11:00 am	Release 4-H Exhibit Building Static Exhibits – 4-H Exhibit Building
9:00 am	Livestock Ribbon Auction – Livestock Arena
4:30 pm - 6:00 pm	Release 4-H Exhibit Building Exhibits – 4-H Exhibit Building

Wednesday, August 2

5:30 pm	Fairground Clean-up Night
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