

Final Schedule
2025 State Fair of VA
Youth Livestock Weekend

Monday, September 29, 2025

Virtual Exhibitor Meeting via Zoom

7:00 PM – <https://virginiatech.zoom.us/j/88494374141>

Wednesday, October 1, 2025

Daily Events

3:00 PM – 7:00 PM

Youth Livestock May Begin Arriving

***Trailers will not be allowed to arrive before 3:00 PM

Anyone arriving prior to 3:00 pm will remain outside the Gate Scales available

3:00 PM – 7:00 PM

Thursday, October 2, 2025

7:00 AM

Barns Open

8:00 AM to 7:00 PM

Scales available

10:00 AM to 1:00 PM

Registered Breeding Doe and Breeding Sheep Check-in

12:00 noon

All Goats Must Be on Site

10:00 am – 4:00 pm

Skillathons Available – **Exhibitor's Only**

1:00 pm

GOAT Weigh Cards are Due

2:00 pm

Goat Showmanship

Registered Breeding Does, followed by Commercial Does

**30 minutes after Goat Showmanship Concludes

4:00 – 7:00 pm

Cattle Check-in/Weigh-in

7:00 pm

All Hogs, Sheep, and Cattle Must Be on Site

12:00 Midnight

Barns Close

Friday, October 3, 2025

5:00 AM

Barns Open

8:00 AM – 10:00 AM

Cattle Check-in/Weigh-in

8:00 AM – 7:00 PM

Scales Available for Sheep, Goats, and Hogs

8:00 AM

Final Breeding Sheep Check-In

9:00 AM

Sheep Showmanship

Market Goat Show

**30 minutes after Sheep Showmanship Concludes

9:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Skillathons Available – Exhibitors and Non-exhibitors

11:00 AM

ALL SHEEP WEIGH CARDS DUE

12:00 – 1:00 PM

Classification of Non-black face sheep

2:00 PM

HOG WEIGH CARDS DUE

2:00 PM

Beef Showmanship

4:00 PM

Registered Breeding Sheep Show

6:30 PM

Market Beef Show (or 30 minutes after the conclusion of Beef Showmanship – whichever is later)

7:30 PM

VSC End of Year Awards (Hog Ring)

12:00 Midnight

Barns Close

Saturday, October 4, 2025

5:00 AM	Barns Open
7:30 AM	Exhibitor Breakfast – Virginia Pork Council - TBD
9:00 AM	Market Hog Show Swine Showmanship **30 minutes after the Conclusion of the Market Hog Show
10:00 AM	Market Lamb Show
12:00 Noon	Prospect Steers, Prospect Heifers, Commercial Heifers, AOB Registered Heifers Leadline and Costume (BEEF Showring) *** 30 minutes after the conclusion of the AOB Heifers
4:30 PM	Animals in Place for Supreme Showmanship
5:00 PM	Supreme Showman Competition (Sheep Show Ring)
5:30 PM	Sale of Champions Animals in Place
6:00 PM	Sale of Champions Exhibitors Reception – Swine Show Ring
7:00 PM	Sale of Champions – Swine Show Ring Announcement of Supreme Showman Results – Swine Show Ring
Conclusion of SOC	Early release for anyone who has completed showing and does not Animals to show on Sunday. Everyone MUST remain on the Premises until the conclusion of the Sale of Champions. ***All early Release must be completed by 7:00 am on Sunday, October 6 th ***
12:00 Midnight	Barns Close

Sunday, October 5, 2025

5:00 AM	Barns Open
9:00 AM	Commercial Ewe Show
10:00 AM	Registered Breeding Cattle Show – Angus, Simmental, Hereford, Percentage Simmental
11:00 AM	Breeding Gilt Show
2:00 PM	All remaining livestock released – all livestock on the Fairgrounds at 7:00 am on Sunday morning MUST remain until the 2:00 pm Release time.

Monday, October 13th, 2025

7:00 pm	SFVA Youth Livestock Awards Ceremony via Zoom https://virginiatech.zoom.us/j/88577465832 Skillathon, Premier Exhibitor, Champion Review, and Carcass Contest Results will be announced
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