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NEWSLETTER

JUNE

2025

"Courage is being scared to death and saddling up anyway." —John Wayne

Hello Summertime! It's that time of year where everyone is starting to study and get ready for county contest. The days are getting longer and families are spending more time together in the show barn; getting their animals ready for Jackpots and the Fair. I don't know about Y'all, but I do know it's our favorite time of year in the office! We have a lot going on in the month of June, so be sure to mark your calendars with any dates that might pertain to you and your projects. The County Council meeting is Thursday, June 5th at 5:30 in the Extension Office meeting room.

TAG-IN: Des Moines- June 10th @ Des Moines Schools from 4-7pm. Clayton: June 12th at the Fair Grounds from 4-7pm. Please bring all appropriate papers and money to pay for the tags and inspections. If you are needing your animals weighed please contact Kylie, we will have scales at the office. An email was sent out regarding scale checkout procedures.

County Contest will be June 4th & 5th, and District Contest will be in Taos on June 24th-25th. District Shoot will be June 10th in Raton at the NRA Whittington Center. We would like to take the time to say Thank You to Paiton, Dawna & Addie Owensby for coaching Livestock Judging and Bethany Posey for coaching Horse Judging, Kylie for coaching Horse Bowl, Eric and Jaid Maestas, Bruce Scott, Chris Moehring and Jammye Forrest for helping with Shooting Sports. We appreciate all you do for the Union County 4-H youth! Again, we would like to give Recognition to Monty Crisp, Hadley Crisp, Cotton Dunavan, Josey Dunavan, and Wes Hittson for a job well done at State Shoot! THANK YOU to our coaches and parents for helping the kids at State Shoot! Another BIG Shout Out to all our Novice and Juniors who just competed at County Shoot as well! Good Luck to those who are headed to District Shoot in Raton.

If you are running short on meetings we have listed the June Meetings for all clubs later in the newsletter, You may go to any of their meetings to get caught up. Please get with your Club Leaders first.

YOUTH QUALITY MEAT ASSURANCE FORM MUST BE FILLED OUT BY EVERY LIVESTOCK EXHIBITOR AND TURNED IN TO THE EXTENSION OFFICE ASAP! CAN BE FOUND ON OUR WEBSITE!!!!!

CLICK HERE!



UPCOMING Dates

6/4-5 - County Contest

6/5 - County Council Mtg

6/9 - State Conference

Registration Due

6/10 - District Shooting

Sports Contest

6/10- Swine, Sheep, Goat

Tag In Des Moines

6/12 - Swine, Sheep, Goat

Tag In Clayton

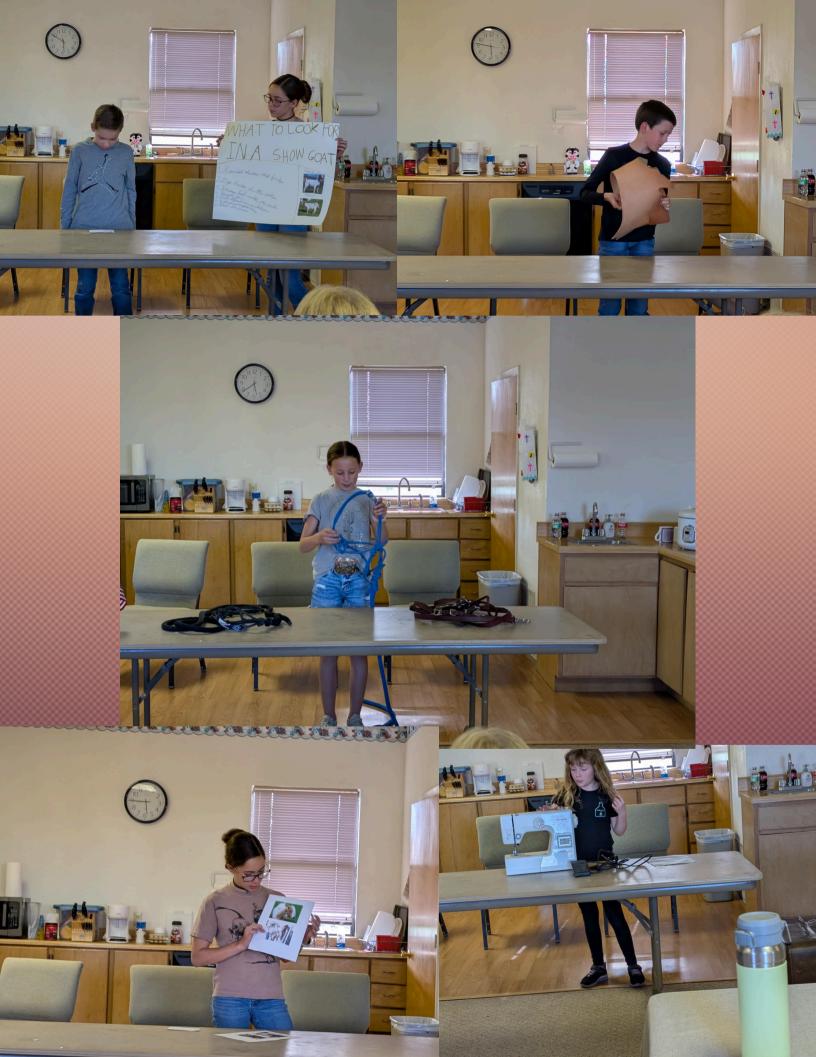
6/24-25 - Northern 4-H

District Contest

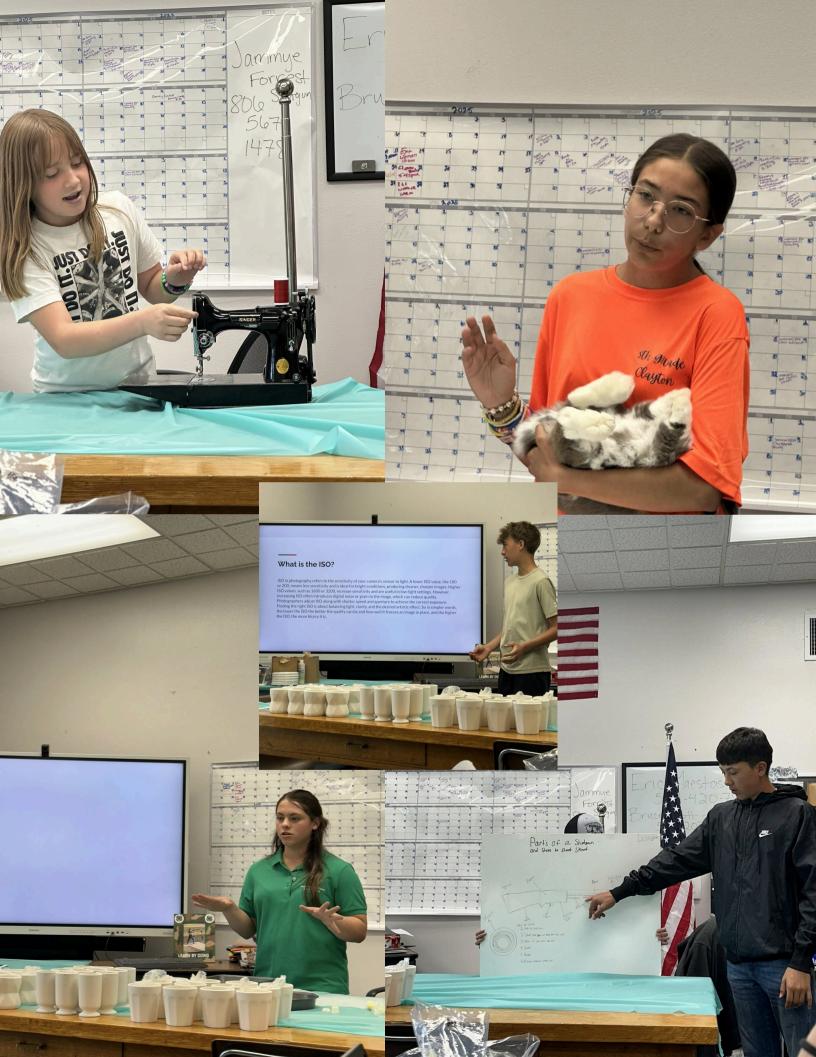
6/8 - Dally Forrest

Bighay

6/14 - Jaiden Scott











MT. DORA

The meeting was called to order on 5/4/25 at 2:15 at the Union County Extension Office. Pledges were led. Roll call was answered with "What are you most excited for this summer?" Those present were Dameon McDade, Zoev McDade, Riata Valdez, Raley Valdez, Layla Maestas, Liam Maestas, Jaiden Scott, Adlali Ballesteros, Rylee Gallagher, Deagan Maez and Aysa Maez. We Watched seniors give their demonstrations. Riata did her demonstration on cake decorating and different piping techniques, Dameon did his presentation on different camera settings in basic photography, Zoey did her presentation on how to thread a sewing machine, Deagan did his presentation on the parts of a .22 long rifle, and Jaiden did her demonstration on how to carefor a show rabbit. We painted ceramics, discussed Dino Days, and the junior demonstrations for next meeting. The meeting was adjourned at 2:22. Everyone stayed for a snack, drink, and to paint ceramics.

> Mt. Dora 4-H Club Reporter Layla Maestas

FOLSOM

Our meeting was held on May 12th. The clover buds made Soda Cars which were very cool. We decided that for our fundraiser this year would be selling Little Ceasars and Cutlery. We also had some people Rada demonstrations. First up was Katy, her demo was on "The parts of a sewing machine." Next up was me, my demonstration was on "The Different Halters to use on a Horse." After me was Lexi, Witch told us "How to get a goat ready for show". After that John Luke showed us "what to look for in a good goat". Last but not least was John David. His demo was on "the different kinds of leather." Our next meeting will be the 16th of June at the Baptist church.



ROCK N RIDE

Rock n Ride 4-H club had their meeting on May 19th, 2025 at 5:49. Our club is buying our club t-shirts from Two Arrows Art for \$17 per shirt. Our meeting didn't last long, and we ended our meeting at 5:54. The Seniors did their demonstrations after the meeting. Thomas demonstrated on his heifer. Steelee did hers on her rabbit. Keelan did hers on body parts of a goat. Creed did his on how he takes care of his pigs. Alyssa did hers on ceramics. We also did our 50/50 raffle. Jerra Riley won the raffle.

Rock N Ride 4-H Club Reporter Cerra Rye

HAPPY ROCK

2886.86 in account
June 8th- Voting on going to Clayton lake around
2pm
Tag in for Clayton for livestock is June 10th
Adjourn 4:09

Kate's demonstration on Goats and feed quality
Cash demonstration on the pets of a rifle.
Wesley's presentation on her products she uses to
clean her pigs
Emmy's presentation on four chambers of a goats
stomach
Chloe's demonstration is on crochet

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Katy's demonstration was on different things horses
are used for
My demonstration was on what horses are used for

Happy Rock 4-H Club Reporter Monty Crisp



2025 SENIOR STATE SHOOTING SPORTS !!!Congratulation to all our Senior Shooting Sports Participants!!!

Rifle

Monty Crisp Wes Hittson

Pistol

Cotton Dunavan

Shotgun

Hadley Crisp **Monty Crisp** Wes Hittson

Archery

Hadley Crisp **Cotton Dunavan** Josey Dunavan





















2025 NOVICE & JUNIOR COUNTY SHOOTING SPORTS

!!!Congratulation to all our Novice and Junior County Shooting Sports Participants!!!

Novice:

Layla Maestas - 1st Liam Maestas – 2nd

Mason Beagle - 3rd

Hunter Moehring - 4th

Rylee Gallagher - 5th

Dally Forrest - 6th

Josie Hale - 7th Junior:

Kaiden Gonzales - 1st Tucker Moehring - 2nd

Shotgun

Novice:

Liam Maestas - 1st Dally Forrest - 2nd

Junior:

Tucker Moehring - 1st

Archery

Mason Beagle - 1st

Cole Dunavan - 2nd

Hunter Moehring - 3rd

Lacey Cruz - Compound 4th

Lacey Cruz - Recurve 1st

Junior:

Liliana Kiesling - 1st

Tucker Moehring - 2nd

Cheyenne Forrest - 3rd



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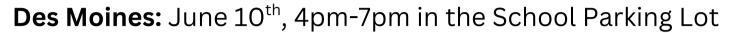




Important Info

SAVE THE DATE

Swine, Sheep, Goat Tag-In



Clayton: June 12th, 4pm-7pm at the Fair Grounds

Tags: \$5/each. Please bring tag money and inspection money.

Fair Board Meeting

June 4th
6PM
Union County
Extension Office
All are welcome to attend.

SAVE THE DATE

State 4-H Conference July 7-10, 2025 Las Cruces, NM

Registration Due June 11.

CLUB MEETING TIMES & DATES

<u>Folsom</u>

June 16th, 2025 Time: 5:00pm Baptist Church Des Moines

Happy Rock

June 8th, 2025 Time: 2pm Annex Room

Cloverbuds

June 17th, 2025 Time: 5:45pm Annex Room

<u>Folsom</u> Cloverbuds

June 16th, 2025 Time: 4:30pm Baptist Church Des Moines

Mt. Dora June 1st, 2025

Time: 2:30pm Annex Room

Rock 'N' Ride

June 9th, 2025 Time: 5:30pm Annex Room

Times and Dates are subject to change.
Please check with your leaders to confirm.





August 6-9, 2025

Important Info





Torrance County Fairgroun

Estancia, NM

Register by June 5th at https://fs28.formsite.com/kalander/14nkilzqlx/index



SAVE THE DATE

District Contest June 24-25, 2025 Taos, NM

Novice & Junior Members ONLY.

MUST COMPETE AT COUNTY CONTEST.

SAVE THE DATE

County Contest June 4th & 5th

Schedule on page 12

Council Meeting: June 5th at 5:30pm Extension Office

County Contest Schedule

June 4th and 5th, 2025

Open Contest — Wednesday and Thursday

(Choose one day to participate) @ 1pm to 3pm at the Extension Office

*FCS Skill *Entomology *Meats

Wednesday

Livestock Judging — 7:30am meet @ Extension Office.

Public speaking - Prepared, Impromptu, Poetry, Talent and Presentations— 2pm @ Extension Office

Favorite Foods- 2:30pm @ the Extension Office

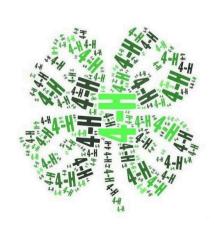
(Have Food Prepared, bring your own table and set up.)

Fashion Review – 3pm @Extension Office

Thursday

Horse Judging — Meet at the fairgrounds @ 8am

If you are in Horse or Livestock Please bring \$10.00 each day so we can get lunch from pizza hut or subway.





JUNE 10, 2025 Whittington Center Raton, NM

RIFLE PRACTICE SCHEDULE

Bush Memorial Range (Clayton)

May 18: 1:00PM 2:30PM (Novice)

May 18: 3:00PM-4:30PM (Junior)

May 25: 1:00PM-2:30PM (Novice)

May 25: 3:00PM 4:30PM (Junior)

June 8: 1:00PM-2:30PM (Novice)

June 8: 3:00PM-4:30PM (Junior)

I must have the Union County shooting Sports Code of Conduct(which is attached) turned into my office or Eric BEFORE you SHOOT!

Cutter Davis Cattle Hoof Trimming

CUTTER DAVIS (575) 921-6216

HOOF TRIMMING
\$65 PER HEAD
10 HEAD MINIMUM







ROOSEVELT COUNTY 11th ANNUAL

ALL-AMERICAN CLASSIC

GOAT & LAMB JACKPOT

Saturday, July 5, 2025



Roosevelt County Fairgrounds
Cost \$30.00 a Head per Ring
\$5.00 per head clean-up fee!
There will be Two Shows for both Goats and Lambs
There will also be two Wether Doe Shows and
two Wether Dam Shows!!!

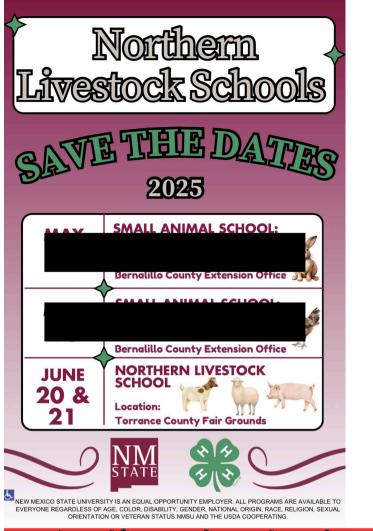
Weigh in Starts at 6:30 AM (MST). Scales will Close at 8:30 AM(MST)

The show starts at 9:30 AM (MST)

100% Cash Payback and T-shirts for all exhibitors For more information, contact: Wes Weems (575) 512-5832 (Goats) Shawn Burrow (806) 683-9502 (Sheep)









June 10th from 4-7pm **Des Moines School Parking Lot**

June 12th from 4-7pm Clayton **Union County Fair Grounds**

Need Tagged for Jackpots call Talisha to set up time 575-760-8685

Please contact the office or email Talisha and let us know what tag in you will be attending! talisfra@nmsu.edu or 575-374-9361



FAIRGROUNDS IN ESTANCIA, NM

TRACK SELECTIONS: LAWBS, WEATGOATS, & SWINE REGISTRATION OPENS MAY (STAND CLOSES JUNE 6TH

REGISTER ONLINE:

<u> HTTPS://FS28.FORMSITE.COM/KALANDER/14NKILZQLX/INDEX</u>

REGISTRATION FEE: \$75.00

LUNCH PROVIDED ON SATURDAY FOR REGISTERED PARTICIPANTS (ADDITIONAL MEALS CAN BE ADDED SEE REGISTRATION LINK FOR DETAILS)

DRY CAMPING AVAILABLE



10:00 A.M. INSTRUCTION BEGINS: 1:00 P.M. **ONCE REGISTERED YOU WILL** RECEIVE

CHECK IN BEGINS:

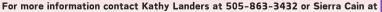
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505-565-3002



NORTHERN NEW MEXICO 4-H

DISTRIC CONTESTS

JUNE 24-25, 2025 TAOS, NM REGISTRATION AVAILABLE SOON

> **Consumer Decision** Making **Entomology** FCS Skill-a-Thon **Fashion Review Favorite Foods Horse Bowl Horse Judging**

Livestock Judging Livestock Skill-a-Thon Public Speaking Talent **Wildlife Habitat Evaluation** Hippology **Meats ID**

Horticulture

OFF THE RAILS Ring A/Showmanship PIGJACKPOT

Judges: Garrett Cox Ring B

Jarrett Davis

JUNE GTH AND 7TH CLOVIS, NIM

Online registration ONLY.

Also open to out of state

JUNE 6TH: SHOWMANSHIP Starts at 6:00 \$20 to enter Novice 8-11 Junior 12-14

Barn opens at 2:00 p.m. on the 6th

Contact Walon Jones at 575-799-0107 for more info or any question

JUNE 7TH:

RING A AND B Ring A starts at 9:30

Ring B will start 30 minutes after ring A ends

6 Breeds, Gilts and Barrows will show together

Senior 15-18

\$30 per pen Two pigs per pen

Prizes: Buckles Banners Cash

\$100 per spot for trailers

\$35 per ring Must show in ring A to show in ring B.

> Follow OFF The Rails Pig Jackpot on Facebook for more infol



Sheep, Goat & Swine **JACKPOT**

TWO RINGS ~ ONE DAY **JUNE 21, 2025**

Doña Ana County Fairgrounds Las Cruces, NM

\$35/Head/Ring - \$10 Showmanship

ONLINE ENTRIES ONLY!

Entries open June 8th and will close June 19th at 7:00 pm. Enter at : http://nmjackpotshows.fairentry.com

Pre-pay with Venmo @Lisa-Boulware-4

- Have appropriate hauling papers.
- Overnight pens available after 5:00 pm on Friday.
- Showmanship ages will be based on 4-H Age Cloverbud, Novice, Jr. Sr.
- Food options will be available on grounds.
- · Please clean up any bedding and trash prior to

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Teresa Dean 575-835-8043 Lisa Boulware 505-414-7895

Swine Showmanship will start at 8 am, followed by the Swine shows in Ring A & B. Immediately following the Swine show, Sheep will start in Ring A and Goats will start in Ring B.

Declare weights and breeds. Livestock must have the correct phenotypic look of the breed they are entered in.

Class Placings Payouts with banners for the Top 5 and Buckles to the showmanship winners!



Sponsored By:



RV SPOTS

Go to ezstall.com. On the search bar, type Dona Ana County Fairgrounds, then hit Book Now, type in your Check-in & Check Out dates, then select RV Hookups and select a spot. You'll then pay with a credit card and then you'll receive a receipt. That receipts will have a code to get in the gate in case it's locked.

Buckles

TUCUMCARI, NM LAMBS & GOATS - JUNE

RING A:

PRIZE RING

RING B:

MONEY (MUST ENTER A TO SHOW IN B!)

RAWHIDEDAYS ACKPOT!

PIG. LAMB & GOAT

FRIDAY 6/20

5:00 Weights Due

SAT. 6/21

a 3:30 MST Move In

- 6:00 Show Starts Roll from Ring A to B
- 7:00 AM Move In

9:00 Weights Due 🦫

SHOWN BY: PIGS: BREED/WEIGHT

LAMBS: BREED/WEIGHT **GOATS: WEIGHT** (3 TO MAKE A BREED)



a generator Minimal pens available!



\$35 Pre-Entry

\$40 Day Of

\$15/Pen

Concession Ran By: Info Coming Soon!



1004 Camino Del Coronado

GHIL MA Banners

AUGUST 2-3, 2025 August 2nd - Pigs & Cattle

August 3rd - Sheep & Goats BARNS OPENS FRIDAY, AUGUST 1@ 1 PM

Early Entry:

\$35/Head-Sheep, Goats, Pigs \$45/Head-Steers & Heifers

Day Of:

\$45/Head-Sheep, Goats, Pigs \$55/Head-Steers & Heifers

Showmanship* \$15 - 100% Payout

Novice: 9:11 Seniors: 14-19

RV Spots Available

For More Information Contact: Jessica Swapp-Massengill @ 575-649-3598 Mikey Lopez @ 575-654-5025 or email: yekimscl@gmail.com



2025 New Mexico State 4-H Buckles will be available for order!

Next order will be placed on July 1, 2025!

See details and order form on the website home page.

| Order Form | |
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| Name | |
| Address | |
| City | _ State Zip |
| Phone | |
| Number of Buckles | |
| Buckles are \$80 a each | x\$80 |
| Total | \$ |
| Please send order form and pa Box 30003, MSC 3AE, Las Cruc production and shipping. Profits will benefit the NM | *************** Form State Zip State Zip * |
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| Orders will be placed | d with Rowdy Silver |
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2025

UNION COUNTY FAIR AUGUST 6TH-9TH

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 6TH

6:00 AM FAIR BARN OPEN

8:00 AM ALL LIVESTOCK AND HORSE IN PLACE

8:15 AM WEIGH & CLASSIFY LIVESTOCK

CATTLE WILL START FOLLOWED BY SWINE/SHEEP

WEIGH & SCAN PRODUCTION STEERS IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING WEIGH IN OF ALL OTHER LIVESTOCK

8 AM-10 AM CHECK IN - INDOOR EXHIBITS (TIN BARN)

10:00 AM ALL RABBIT/POULTRY/WATERFOWL IN PLACE 10 AM-5 PM TIN BARN CLOSED FOR JUDGING AND DISPLAY SET UP

4:00 PM HORSE SHOW

5:00 PM Doors <u>Open</u> to Exhibition – Tin Barn 9:00 PM Fair Barn Closes – Everyone must exit

THURSDAY AUGUST 7TH

6:00 AM FAIR BARN OPEN

8:00 AM TIN BARN OPEN FOR PEDDLERS MARKET- SET UP
9:00 AM JUDGING MEAT PEN RABBIT, INDIVIDUAL TO FOLLOW

10:00 AM JUDGING MEAT PEN POULTRY, INDIVIDUAL TO FOLLOW

10:00 AM TIN BARN PEDDLERS MARKET OPEN

1:30 PM BARNYARD OLYMPICS 6:00 PM <u>JUDGING MARKET SWINE</u>

9:00 PM FAIR BARN CLOSES - EVERYONE MUST EXIT

FRIDAY AUGUST 8TH

6:00 AM FAIR BARN OPEN

9:00 AM JUDGING BREEDING & MARKET SHEEP

9:00 AM TIN BARN PEDDLERS MARKET OPEN

11:00 AM JUDGING MEAT GOATS (OR 1 HOUR FOLLOWING SHEEP SHOW)

1:00 PM NSWCD RANCH MANAGEMENT CONTEST

3:00 PM PRODUCTION STEER TEST
4:00 PM BUCKET CALF CONTEST

5:30 PM JUDGING BREEDING CATTLE & DAIRY

6:00 PM JUDGING MARKET BEEF

8:00 PM FAIR BARN CLOSES - EVERYONE MUST EXIT

8:30 PM DANCE (DANCE WILL TAKE PLACE ON CONCRETE PAD, NORTH SIDE OF FAIR BARN)

SATURDAY AUGUST 9TH

6:00 AM FAIR BARN OPEN

9:00 AM TIN BARN PEDDLERS MARKET OPEN

9:00 AM QUEEN CONTEST
1:00 PM JUNIOR PET SHOW

2:00 PM PEDDLERS MARKET MUST BE CLEARED OUT

3:00 PM PRODUCTION STEER RESULTS MEETING AT SHOW RING

3:00 PM OPEN INDOOR CHECKOUT ONLY

3:00 PM BUYERS MEAL SET- UP

4:00 PM BUYERS MEAL

5:45 PM 4-H INDOOR EXHIBIT AWARDS PROGRAM

6:00 PM JUNIOR LIVESTOCK SALE

9:00 PM FAIR BARN CLOSES - EVERYONE MUST EXIT





SUNDAY AUGUST 10TH

9:00 AM TEAR DOWN/ CLEAN UP & 4-H & FFA INDOOR EXHIBIT CHECK OUT



CALENDAR



June 4, 2025 - Fair Board Meeting

June 4-5, 2025 - County Contest

June 5, 2025 - County Council Meeting

June 9, 2025 - State 4-H Conference Registration DUE

June 10, 2025 - District Shoot - Whittington Center - Raton, NM

June 10, 2025 - Tag In for Swine, Sheep, & Goats - Des Moines

June 12, 2025 - Tag In for Swine, Sheep, & Goats - Clayton

June 13, 2025 - State Conference Registration DUE

June 24-25. 2025 - Northern 4-H District Contest - Taos

July 7-10, 2025 - State 4-H Conference - Las Cruces, NM

August 6-9, 2025 - Union County Fair

August 22, 2025 - NMSF Indoor Exhibit Entries DUE

September 6-14, 2025 - New Mexico State Fair

October 31 - Record Books DUE

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