

LIVESTOCK SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

FRIDAY, MARCH 8, 2024

5:00 p.m. Turkey order Deadline

MONDAY, MARCH 18, 2024

6:30 p.m. Bucket Calf Meeting #1 at Austin County Fairgrounds

SUNDAY, APRIL 7, 2024

6:00 p.m. Mandatory Colt Project Meeting at Lequerica Ranch

MONDAY, APRIL 15, 2024

6:30 p.m. Bucket Calf Meeting #2 at Austin County Fairgrounds

SUNDAY, MAY 5, 2024

6:00 p.m. Colt Project Meeting at Lequerica Ranch

FRIDAY, MAY 10, 2024

5:00 p.m. Broiler order Deadline

5:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m. Commercial Pen of Heifers

Tag-In at Four County Auction Barn in Industry

SATURDAY, MAY 11, 2024

7:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m. Market Steer, Halter Heifer & Scramble Heifer Tag-In at Four County Auction Barn in Industry.

MONDAY, MAY 20, 2024

6:30 p.m. Bucket Calf Meeting #3 at Austin County Fairgrounds

SUNDAY, JUNE 2, 2024

6:00 p.m. Colt Project Weigh-In and Meeting at Lequerica Ranch

MONDAY, JUNE 3, 2024

5:00 PM Deadline for Rabbit Validation Forms

SATURDAY, JUNE 29, 2024

6:00-8:00 a.m. Market Swine Tag-In at Austin County Fairgrounds.

7:00-8:30 a.m. Market Lamb Tag-In at Austin County Fairgrounds.

Market Goat Tag-In at Austin County Fairgrounds.

MONDAY, JUNE 17, 2024

6:30 p.m. **Bucket Calf Meeting #4** at Austin County Fairgrounds

THURSDAY, JULY 11, 2024

6:00-7:30 p.m. Market **Lamb** Tag-In at Austin County Fairgrounds.
Market **Goat** Tag-In at Austin County Fairgrounds

SATURDAY, JULY 13, 2024

6:00-8:00 a.m. Market **Swine** Tag-In at Austin County Fairgrounds.

MONDAY, JULY 15, 2024

6:30 p.m. **Bucket Calf Meeting #5** at Austin County Fairgrounds

SUNDAY, AUGUST 4, 2024

6:00 p.m. **Mandatory Colt** Project Meeting and Showmanship Practice at Lequerica Ranch

SATURDAY, AUGUST 10, 2024

7:30-8:15 a.m. Mandatory **Lamb** and **Goat** Evaluation

8:15 a.m. Mandatory **Lamb** and **Goat** meeting

8:00 a.m. Showmanship Contest sponsored by the 4-H Livestock Project Group and Mandatory Progress Show for **Halter Heifers, Steers and Scramble Heifers** at the Austin County Fairgrounds.

8:30 a.m. Showmanship Contest sponsored by the 4-H Livestock Project Group and Mandatory Progress Show for Market **Lambs** and Market **Goats**.

9:00 a.m. Showmanship Contest sponsored by the 4-H Livestock Project Group and Mandatory Progress Show for **Colts** and **Rabbits** at the Austin County Fairgrounds.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 11, 2024

10:00 a.m. **Bucket Calf** Progress Show at Austin County Fairgrounds

FRIDAY, AUGUST 30, 2024

5:00 p.m. Deadline for Entries into the Fair Office

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2024

Rabbit Meat Pens Tattooed

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 2024

6:00 p.m. Commercial **Pen of Heifers** Mandatory Meeting

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2024

6:00 p.m. **Mandatory Colt** Project Meeting and Showmanship Practice at Lequerica Ranch

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2024

5:00 p.m. 2024 **Calf Scramble** Application Due.
2023-2024 Ending Essays and Scrapbooks Due

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2024

Close-out Commercial **Pen of Heifer** Record Books

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 2024

6:30 p.m. **Bucket Calf** Meeting #6 at Austin County Fairgrounds

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2024

5:00 p.m. Commercial **Pen of Heifer** Record Book, Information Sheets & Video Due

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

5:00 p.m. Early Registration for **Lamb & Goat, Swine & Beef Skillathons**

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2024

8:00 a.m. Youth **Forage and Hay Judging** Contest
10:00 a.m. **Champion Drive Livestock Show**

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2024

8:00 a.m. **Pen of Heifer Pre-Evaluation** (if needed) at 4 County Auction
Beef Skillathon at 4 County Auction
8:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m. **Horse Project** Move In Show Box & Tack through Gate 3
Lambs & Goats Show Box Move In/Tent Set-Up through Gate 2
1:00 – 3:00 p.m. **Commercial Pen of Heifer** Show Box & Tack Move In through Gate 3

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2024

8:00 a.m. **Bucket Calf** move in
9:00 a.m. **Bucket Calf** Show
8:00-9:00 a.m. Market **Turkeys** move in and sifted
9:00 -11:00 a.m. Market **Turkeys** Show
3:00 – 5:00 p.m. **Steer and Heifer** Show Box & Tack Move In through Gate 3
5:00 – 6:00 p.m. **Scramble Heifer** Show Box & Tack Move In through Gate 3
Swine Show Box & Tack Move In through Gate 3
5:00 p.m. Market **Broilers** move in and sifted
6:00 – 9:00 p.m. Market **Broilers** Show
6:00 p.m. **Mandatory Colt** Soundness Exam/Vet Check at Lequerica Ranch

MONDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2024

6:00 – 8:00 a.m. Market **Swine** will be unloaded, weighed & sifted at scales. SIFTED MARKET SWINE MUST MOVE OUT
8:00 a.m. Market **Rabbits** move in and sifted. Judging immediately following
Noon **Ag Mech** Registration Entertainment Center
1:00 p.m. **Ag Mech** Show Entertainment Center
3:00-4:30 p.m. Market **Lambs** move in and officially weighed & sifted at scales. SIFTED LAMBS MUST MOVE OUT

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2024

6:00 – 8:00 a.m. Commercial **Pen of Heifers** move in
8:00 – 9:30 a.m. Market Steers move in and officially weighed & sifted at scales. SIFTED STEERS MUST MOVE OUT.
9:00 a.m. **MANDATORY Lambs** Meeting with Judging immediately following in Harold Luhn Barn
2:00-3:30 p.m. Market **Goats** move in and officially weighed & sifted at scales. SIFTED GOATS MUST MOVE OUT.
5:00 p.m. Judging of Market **Swine** in Livestock Barn Arena.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9, 2024

7:00 – 8:30 a.m. **Horses** move in
7:00-9:00 a.m. **Halter Heifers** and **Scramble Heifers** move in barn & officially weighed and sifted at scales.
8:00 a.m. Commercial **Pen of Heifers** – Heifer Evaluation, Test and Interviews.
9:00 a.m. **MANDATORY Goat** Meeting with Judging immediately following in Harold Luhn Barn
5:00 p.m. Judging of Market **Steer** in Livestock Barn Arena

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2024

9:00 a.m. Judging of **Halter Heifers** in Livestock Barn Arena
Followed by Judging of **Scramble Heifers** in Livestock Barn Arena
11:00 a.m. Judging of **Horses** in Rodeo Arena
1:00 p.m. **Lamb** and **Goat** Skillathon check-in American Legion
6:00 p.m. **Swine** Skillathon

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2024 YOUTH AUCTION SALE

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2024

8:00 – 8:45 a.m. Registration for **Livestock Judging** Contest
8:45 – 9:00 a.m. **Livestock Judging** Orientation
9:00 a.m. **Livestock Judging** Begins

12:30 p.m. **Livestock Judging** Contest Results
Following Herdsman Awards

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2024

8:00 a.m. **Poultry and Rabbits** move out

9:00 a.m. Volume Buyers Load Out

Calf Scramble Awards

11:00 a.m. **Cattle, Swine, Lambs, Goats & Colts** move out **following the volume buyer's loadout**

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2024

Deadline for Calf Scramble Sponsor Thank You Notes to be Turned In To Fair Office

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 8, 2025

5:00 p.m. Deadline to Turn In **Calf Scramble** Certificate to Fair Office