

## **2019 Dawson County Fair Schedule – July 13 – July 21**

### **FRIDAY, JULY 12**

- 9:30 am 4-H Superintendents meeting for 4-H Family & Consumer Science related and other misc. Static exhibits, 4-H Exhibit Building
- 9:30 am Livestock Superintendents meeting, 4-H Building
- 10:30 - 11:00 am State 4-H Horse Show Bound exhibitors may enter static exhibits, 4-H Exhibit Building
- 1:00 pm Set up shooting sports equipment

### **SATURDAY, JULY 13**

- 8:00 am - 2:00 pm 4-H Café Open
- 8:00 - 8:30 am Check-in shooting sports
- 9:00 am 4-H Shooting Sports Competition – Stevens Arena
- 1:00 pm Take down shooting sports equipment
- Bottled Water/Courtesy Flatwater Bank, available all week

### **MONDAY, JULY 15**

- 1:00 pm Livestock Area set up

### **TUESDAY, JULY 16**

- Evening Set up for Dog Show
- 8:00 am – 4:00 pm Commercial Vendors set up
- 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm Enter Open Class Exhibits

### **WEDNESDAY, JULY 17**

- 8:00 am –5:00 pm Setup Commercial Displays at Commercial Building
- 8:00 am – 1:00 pm Enter Open Class Exhibits at Open Class Building (judging of Open Class Exhibits at 1:00 pm)
- 8:00 am - 7:30 pm 4-H Café Open
- 9:00 am - 1:00 pm Enter all 4-H Food, Misc. Ag, & Home Environment static exhibits (except livestock & small animals).
- 1:00 pm Judge all 4-H static exhibits and display 4-H static exhibits
- 5:00 pm Enter 4-H Dogs
- 6:00 pm – 10:00 pm Open Class Building Open
- 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm Commercial Vendors and School Artwork Exhibits – Commercial Building
- 6:00 pm 4-H Dog Show

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7:00 pm – 10:30 pm	Carnival – Opening Night – FAMILY NIGHT - Bring 2 cans of Food and receive <b>\$5.00 OFF an Armband</b>
8:00 pm - 9:00 pm	4-H exhibits open to public after completion of judging
10:30 pm	5 Bicycle give away at the Carnival

### **THURSDAY, JULY 18**

8:00 am - 7:30 pm	4-H Cafe open
9:00 am - 9:00 pm	All 4-H Buildings open
8:00 am - 10:00 am	Check in Bucket Calves & Feeder Calves
8:00 am - 12:00 pm	Enter Beef, Dairy, Meat Goats, Sheep, Swine, Poultry and Rabbits
12:30 pm	Bucket Calf Show – Stevens Arena
1:00 pm	Feeder Calf Show – Stevens Arena
3:00 - 4:30 pm	Root Beer Floats Courtesy of Homestead Bank
4:00 – Midnight	Beer Garden by Grandstands
4:30 pm	Dairy Show – Stevens Arena
	Use northeast gate only to bring in livestock – park trailers in North Parking lot
6:00 pm – 10:00 pm	Open Class Building Open
6:00 pm – 9:00 pm	Commercial Vendors and School Artwork Exhibits – Commercial Building
7:00 pm – 9:00 pm	Beer Garden – Nebraska Beef and Beer Sampling 5 -5oz samples \$10.00 Featuring: Canyon Lakes, Johnson Lake; Mac's Creek Winery & Brewery, Lexington; Kinkaider Brewery, Broken Bow
7:00 pm – 11:00 pm	Beer Garden – Formerly Three – Spencer Hansen & Luke Oswald <b>FREE Entertainment</b>
7:00 pm – 10:00 pm	Carnival – Armbands \$25.00

### **FRIDAY, JULY 19**

6:30-8:00 am	Exhibitor Breakfast/Courtesy Eastside Animal Center
8:00 am - 7:30 pm	4-H Cafe open
8:00 am	Beef Show - Stevens Arena
9:00 am - 9:00 pm	All 4-H Buildings open
1:00 pm	Sheep Show, beginning with PeeWee Lamb and Goat Lead
3:00 - 4:30 pm	FREE watermelon feed/Courtesy Plum Creek Market Place
4:00 pm – midnight	Beer Garden – Dawson County Arena

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6:00 pm	4-H Sheep Lead Show (Wool Garment & Lamb) - Stevens Arena - west bleachers
6:00 pm – 10:00 pm	Open Class Building Open
6:00 pm – 9:00 pm	Commercial Vendors and School Artwork Exhibits – Commercial Building
6:30 pm	Fair Person of the Year – Nebraska Pioneer Farm Family Awards Betty Rieker Family, Farnam; Brooks Valley Farms, Gothenburg; Ron Stear Family, Cozad
7:00 pm	Rodeo – Dawson County Arena – Phillips Rodeo Company \$10.00/adults      \$5.00/6-12 years      5 and under FREE
7:00 pm	“Smokin’ behind the Barn” Competitors Arrive – North Parking Area
7:00 pm – 10:00 pm	Carnival – Armbands \$25.00
9:00 pm – 1:00 am	FREE ENTERTAINMENT - The James Lee Band performing, Dawson County Arena Beer Garden

### **SATURDAY, JULY 20**

7:00 am	Smelling Good “BBQ Competition Cookers” Cooking away – North Parking Area
8:00 am - 7:30 pm	4-H Cafe Open
8:00 am	4-H Swine Show - Stevens Arena
9:00 am - 9:00 pm	4-H Buildings open
9:00 am	BBQ Competition Cook’s Meeting
9:00 am - ?	Rodeo Slack – Dawson County Arena
9:00 am – midnight	Beer Garden – Dawson County Arena
10:30 - 11:30 am	Enter small animals, pets and cats (released after show)
12:00 noon	Interview & judge 4-H Small Animals & Pets – FFA Barn Following Small Animals, 4-H Cat Show, then 4-H Rabbit Show and Poultry Show – FFA Barn
1:00 pm – 8:00 pm	Open Class Building Open
3:00 pm – 5:00 pm	BBQ Competition judges arrive and judging goes until 5:00 p.m.
4:00 pm – 8:00 pm	Commercial Vendors and School Artwork Exhibits – Commercial Building
4:00 pm	Elite Showmanship test at Extension Office
5:00 pm	Elite Showmanship Contest – Stevens Arena
5:00 pm	Release time for horse exhibitors only of livestock and small animals
5:00 pm – 7:00 pm	Beer Garden at BBQ Competition Food Area
5:00 pm – 7:00 pm	BBQ Feed - \$10.00/adults      \$5.00/6-12 year      5 and under FREE
7:00 pm	Rodeo – Dawson County Arena – Phillips Rodeo Company \$10.00/adults      \$5.00/6-12 years      5 and under FREE

7:00 pm – 10:00 pm Carnival – Armbands \$25.00

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8:00 pm – 10:00 pm Open Class released at Open Class Building

8:00 pm – 10:00 pm Tear Down Commercial Booths  
(remaining booth teardown on Monday, July 22 – 8:00 am – 3:00 pm)

9:00 pm – 1:00 am Beer Garden- Dawson County Arena – Borderline

**SUNDAY, JULY 21**

8:00 am – 3:00 pm 4-H Café Open

7:00 am – 12:00 noon Release Livestock, 4-H static Exhibits, and FFA.

8:30 am Enter 4-H Horses

9:00 am – 10:00 am Release Open Class Exhibits – Open Class Building

9:00 am 4-H Horse Show - Stevens Arena

6:00 pm – 10:00 pm Carnival – Armbands \$25.00

**This Schedule made be subject to change. Please check back often.**

**All livestock must be off the grounds by 12:00 noon. 4-H'ers will forfeit premium money if exhibits leave early. No exceptions unless approved by Dawson County Ag Society.**