



**SOUTH DAKOTA STATE
UNIVERSITY EXTENSION**

2025 4-H State Horse Show Schedule



Tuesday July 8, 2025, Nordby

10:00 a.m. – Public Presentation and Demonstrations – Nordby Hall
10:00 - 12:30 p.m. – Hippology Stations – Nordby Hall
1:00 p.m. – Horse judging and Hippology Registration and Check-in
6:00 p.m. – Quiz Bowl Check in – Nordby Hall
6:30 p.m. – Quiz Bowl Begins – Nordby Hall

Tuesday July 8, 2025, South Arena

10:00 a.m. – Senior Draft Showmanship
To follow – Junior Draft Showmanship
Reinsmanship practice
To follow – Senior Reinsmanship
To follow – Junior Reinsmanship
30-minute break – Draft driving practice
To follow – Senior Team Hitch
To follow – Junior Team Hitch
To follow – Senior Draft Driving single hitch
To follow – Junior Draft Driving single hitch
1:30 p.m. – Horse Judging begins (2 judges) – DEX
To follow Horse Judging - Open Arena
4:30 pm – Junior Pony Poles
To follow – Junior Poles
To follow – Senior Poles
15-minute break
To follow – Senior Open End Figure 8

Tuesday July 8, 2025, North Arena

3:00 - 4:00 p.m. – Arena Open
4:00 p.m. – Pony measuring at gate
4:30 p.m. – Senior Barrels
To follow – Junior Pony Barrels
To follow – Junior Barrels
15-minute break
To follow – Junior Pony Open End Figure 8
To follow – Junior Open End Figure 8

Wednesday, July 9, 2025, Hippodrome

11:00 a.m. – Senior Trail Walk through
11:15 a.m. – Senior Trail
(Must be checked in by 12:30 p.m.)
15-minute Break
1:00 p.m. – Junior Trail Walk through
1:15 p.m. – Junior Trail
(Must be checked in by 2:30 p.m.)
15-minute Break
3:00 p.m. – Beginner Trail walk through
3:15 p.m. – Beginner Trail
(Must be checked in by 4:30 p.m.)

****Times are approximate****

Wednesday, July 9, 2025, North Arena

7:00 a.m. – Arena Open
8:00 a.m. – Arena Closed
8:30 a.m. – Senior Western Showmanship
To follow – Junior Western Showmanship
30-minute break
To follow – Beginner Western Horsemanship
15-minute break
To follow – Senior Ranch Riding
To follow – Junior Ranch Riding

Wednesday, July 9, 2025, South Arena

7:00 a.m. – Arena Open
8:00 a.m. – Arena Closed
8:30 a.m. – Beginner Showmanship
30-minute break
To follow – Senior Horsemanship
To follow – Junior Horsemanship
15-minute break
To follow – Junior Reining
To follow – Senior Reining
To follow – Senior Equitation over fences practice
To follow – Junior Equitation over fences practice

Thursday, July 10, 2025, North Arena

7:00 a.m. – Arena Open
8:00 a.m. – Arena Closed
8:30 a.m. – Senior English Showmanship
To follow – Junior English Showmanship
30-minute break
To follow – Beginner Hunt Seat Equitation
To follow – Junior Hunt Seat Equitation

Thursday, July 10, 2025, South Arena

7:00 a.m. – Arena Open
8:00 a.m. – Arena Closed
8:30 a.m. – Beginner English Showmanship
30-minute Break
To follow – Senior Hunt Seat Equitation
To follow – Senior Equitation over fences
To follow – Junior Equitation over fences

****Once classes are finished on Thursday, we will need help stacking the arena panels.****

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