

# **4-H Showcase Schedule**

## **4-H MALL & BARN CLEAN UP DECORATE DAY**

July 26<sup>th</sup> 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

Come help clean up and prepare for the 4-H showcase. Special incentive for all 4-H youth who come to help during this time.

## **MANDATORY 4-H EXHIBITOR MEETING**

Thursday, July 31, 2025.

A pre-Fair mandatory exhibitor meeting will be held in the evening. Times will be posted in the July 4-H newsletter.

Attendance is mandatory for all 4-H horse and livestock exhibitors.

## **Still Exhibits Entry**

Saturday, August 2, 2025: Still exhibits will be entered and judged between 9:00 am-12:00 pm

## **4-H Animal Arrival**

Livestock are to arrive at the fairgrounds on Sunday, August 3, 2025, between 4:00 pm and 7:00 pm or Monday morning between 8:00 am and 12:00 pm. Swine will be vet checked upon arrival.

Swine and poultry will be weighed as they are unloaded. All other market livestock will be weighed Monday between 8:00 am and 2:00 pm.

Horses are to arrive Sunday, August 3, 2025, between 12:00 pm-3:00 pm and will be vet checked upon arrival.

Pictures of animal(s) and 4-H'er in show clothes are **due no later than noon on Tuesday, August 5th, 2025**. Two 4x6" pictures are needed per animal/pen.

## **Fun Games and Activities for 4-H'ers**

Monday through Friday from 1:00-7:00 pm various games and activities will be available for play. The location is TBD at this time.

Craft activities for cloverbuds will be held from 2:00-3:00 pm. Location is to be determined at this time.

## **Still Exhibits Release**

Still Exhibits may not be removed from display until the completion of the 4-H Master Showmanship Competition. The still project barn will be closed during the competition and will reopen at 4:00 pm and will remain open until 5:30 pm. Removal of exhibits prior to established times could result in an exhibitor's ability to show in the future. **MSU Extension staff will not be responsible for articles left after release time.**

## 4-H Animal Show and Sale Schedule

### Monday, July 28, 2025

6:00pm	Carcass Program Live Animal Evaluation (Animals must arrive before 5:30pm)	Pease Packing – Scotts, MI
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### Wednesday, July 30, 2025

10:00am	Carcass Program Test and Results Announcements	Pease Packing
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### Friday, August 1, 2025

7:00pm	Dairy Show	Vlietstra Dairy Farm – Kalamazoo, MI
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### Saturday, August 2, 2025

9:00am-12:00pm	Still project judging and display set up	Livestock Mall/4-H Still Barn
1:00pm	Cat show	TBD

### Monday, August 4, 2025

9:00am	Horse Showmanship & English Performance Classes	Horse Arenas
2:00pm	Rabbit Show	TBD
2:00–3:00pm	Kindness Rock Crafts	TBD
	Cavies and Critters Show (following Rabbit Show)	TBD
	Rabbit Showmanship	TBD
6:00pm	Sheep Show	Livestock Show Arena

### Tuesday, August 5, 2025

9:00am	Horse Western Performance & Trail Classes	Horse Arenas
9:00am	Swine Show	Livestock Show Arena
2:00pm	Feeder Calf Show	Livestock Show Arena
2:00–3:00pm	Horseshoe Wind Chimes Craft	TBD
5:00pm	Rabbit Agility	TBD
6:00pm	Beef Show	Livestock Show Arena

### Wednesday, August 6, 2025

9:00am	Horse Dressage & Jumping Classes	Horse Arenas
9:00am	Poultry Show	Livestock Show Arena
10:00pm	Miniature Horse show	Grass area near Food Booth
2:00pm	Goat Show	Livestock Show Arena
2:00-3:00pm	Bee-happy Pollinator Craft & Display	TBD
6:00pm	Auction Set Up	Livestock Show Arena

### Thursday, August 7, 2025

9:00am	Horse Versatility & Gymkhana Classes	Horse Arenas
10:00am	Livestock Sale (Small Animals)	Livestock Show Arena
1:00 pm	Livestock Sale (Large Animals)	Livestock Show Arena
2:00–3:00pm	Tye Dye, bring your own shirt	TBD
6:00pm	Fashion Review, Demonstration and Performances	TBD

### Friday, August 8, 2025

10:00am	Horse Costume Class	Horse Arenas
12:00pm	Horse Drill Team Demonstration	Horse Arenas
1:00pm	Horse fun and games	Horse Arenas
1:00pm	Livestock Enduro	Livestock Show Arena
2:00–3:00pm	Bubble wand craft	TBD
TBD	Horse Awards program	Horse Arenas
5:00pm	Milk drinking contest	Livestock Show Arena
6:00-8:00pm	Corn hole tournament	TBD
7-10pm	4-H Dance	Livestock Show Arena

### Saturday, August 9, 2025

9:00am	Dog Show	Main Expo
12:00pm	Thank you notes turned in deadline	Project Superintendents

1:00pm	Livestock Judging	Livestock Show Arena
3:00pm	Master Showmanship	Livestock Show Arena
4:00pm	Still projects released to 4-H members	4-H Still Project Barn