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Navajo County Fair, Inc. will be celebrating the 92nd Anniversary of the Navajo County Fair & Rodeo. The first Navajo County Fair was held in Taylor in 1926. In 1931, the County Supervisors decided to move the County Fair to Holbrook due to it being the County Seat and its central location in the county. The Fairgrounds and other facilities were built as a permanent location for the County Fair and other events.

There have been a few changes over the years. The Navajo County Fair and Fairgrounds are now supported by the Navajo County Board of Supervisors, maintained by the Navajo County Buildings & Grounds Department, and controlled by the Navajo County Fair, Inc. It is the 18-member Board of Directors of Navajo County Fair, Inc. and a core of volunteers and sponsors who make the Navajo County Fair a success. Navajo County Fair, Inc., takes considerable pride in maintaining a traditional down-home County Fair.

Let the festivities begin Wednesday night immediately following the opening ceremonies. The Navajo County Fair proudly presents our first ever Red Dirt County Fair Music festival under the stars! The concert features Steven Denmark, Ronnie and the Redwoods and headliner Stateline Band. We welcome back Frazier Shows of America carnival with their amazing

rides. Frazier Shows is the largest State Fair quality carnival in Navajo County. This year's entertainment will include: The Demolition Derby on Thursday night followed by Noise Pollution, the ACDC tribute band. Friday and Saturday night will be the GCPRA Rodeo with Top PRCA Stock Contractor Honeycutt Rodeo Company, Pro Rodeo Barrel Man Austin Singley, America's Got Talent Battulga Battogtokh, PRCA Rodeo Announcer Jody Carper, and a live video scoreboard with instant replays will also make for a fantastic Rodeo! Kenny Feidler and the Cowboy Killers opened by Tim Lightyear will follow the Rodeo on Friday night, and the Saturday night Rodeo will be followed by The Last Train to Juarez Band. Other entertainment and events during the Fair include the Little Buckaroo Rodeo, Open Class Exhibits and Demonstrations, Jr. Livestock Show and Auction and 4-H Horse Show. We are excited to have Washboard Willie and the ever-popular Poppin Penelope balloon artist back at the Fair. You can also look forward to local talents during the Fair and the "Kids Zone" will feature Carters Farm petting zoo and pony rides, inflatables, and much more.

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Letter from the President



On behalf of the Navajo County Fair Board of Directors, I would like to invite you to the 92nd annual Navajo County Fair. The fair was moved from Taylor to Holbrook, which is the County Seat of Navajo County in 1931, and ever since then, we have been carrying out the traditions of what a county fair is all about, Country Life and Exciting Nights.

The great traditions we have are exhibiting your talents in the Open Class Exhibit Hall, such as sewing, baking, painting and all sorts of other great things. Exhibiting your animals in Open Class or the Small Stock Exhibit Hall and of course getting to watch and participate in our great award winning GCPRA Rodeo of The Year and the Lil-Buckaroo Rodeo. It is always fun to watch the amazing Demolition Derby and enjoy all the rides at the Carnival. Also, I always invite people to come and support our youth in their 4-H and FFA animal projects. They put a lot of hard work into raising those animals and getting them ready to show at the fair.

This year we are adding a new event to our fair on opening day, Wednesday the 13th, at 6:30 in the evening. We are having a great concert with three bands performing, starting off with Steven Denmark, then Ronnie and the Redwoods and closing with Stateline Band. Come and enjoy this great event.

Thank you to all our volunteers, sponsors and staff that help make the Navajo County Fair one of the best fairs around. We couldn't do it without your support.

We hope that you all come and carry on the great traditions that have been happening for 92 years here at the Navajo County Fair.

Thank you,
Michael Sample, President
Navajo County Fair Board of Directors



Michael Sample and his wife Ivah.

Submitted



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Navajo County Fair, Inc.

The County Fair is the result of many hours of volunteer efforts by the Navajo County Fair, Inc. Board of Directors. Their commitment and dedication are evident with the quantity of this year's exhibits and events.

We hope you will express your appreciation to those who make the event a success.

If you are interested in becoming part of Navajo County Fair, Inc. Board of Directors or volunteering at the fair, please contact the fair office at (928) 524-4757.

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MAIN EVENT TIMES:

Opening Ceremony	Wed 5:30pm
Stateline Band (with openers Steven Denmark/Ronnie & the Redwoods)	Wed 6:00pm
Demolition Derby	Thurs 7pm
Noise Pollution (ACDC Tribute Band)	Thurs 9pm
GCPRA Rodeo	Fri 6:30pm
Kenny Fiedler & the Cowboy	
Killers (opener Tim Lightyear)	Fri 9pm
Little Buckaroo Rodeo	Sat Noon
GCPRA Rodeo	Sat 6pm
Last Train to Juarez Band	Sat 9pm

FAIR HOURS:

Wednesday:	4pm – 11 pm
Thursday:	10am – Midnight
Friday:	10am – Midnight
Saturday:	10am – Midnight

CARNIVAL HOURS:

Wednesday	6pm - 10pm
Thursday	6pm – 10pm
Friday	6pm - 11pm
Saturday	2pm – 11pm
Sunday	1pm – 4pm

EVENT ADMISSION:

Wed Opening Ceremony	Free with Fair Admission
Wed Red Dirt Concert	Presale \$25.00 (includes Fair admission) \$30.00 at the gate (includes Fair admission)
Demolition Derby & Rodeo both nights	\$15.00 (includes Fair admission)
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Little Buckaroo Rodeo	\$11.00
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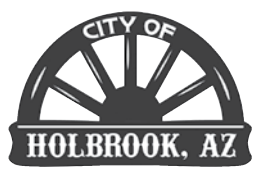
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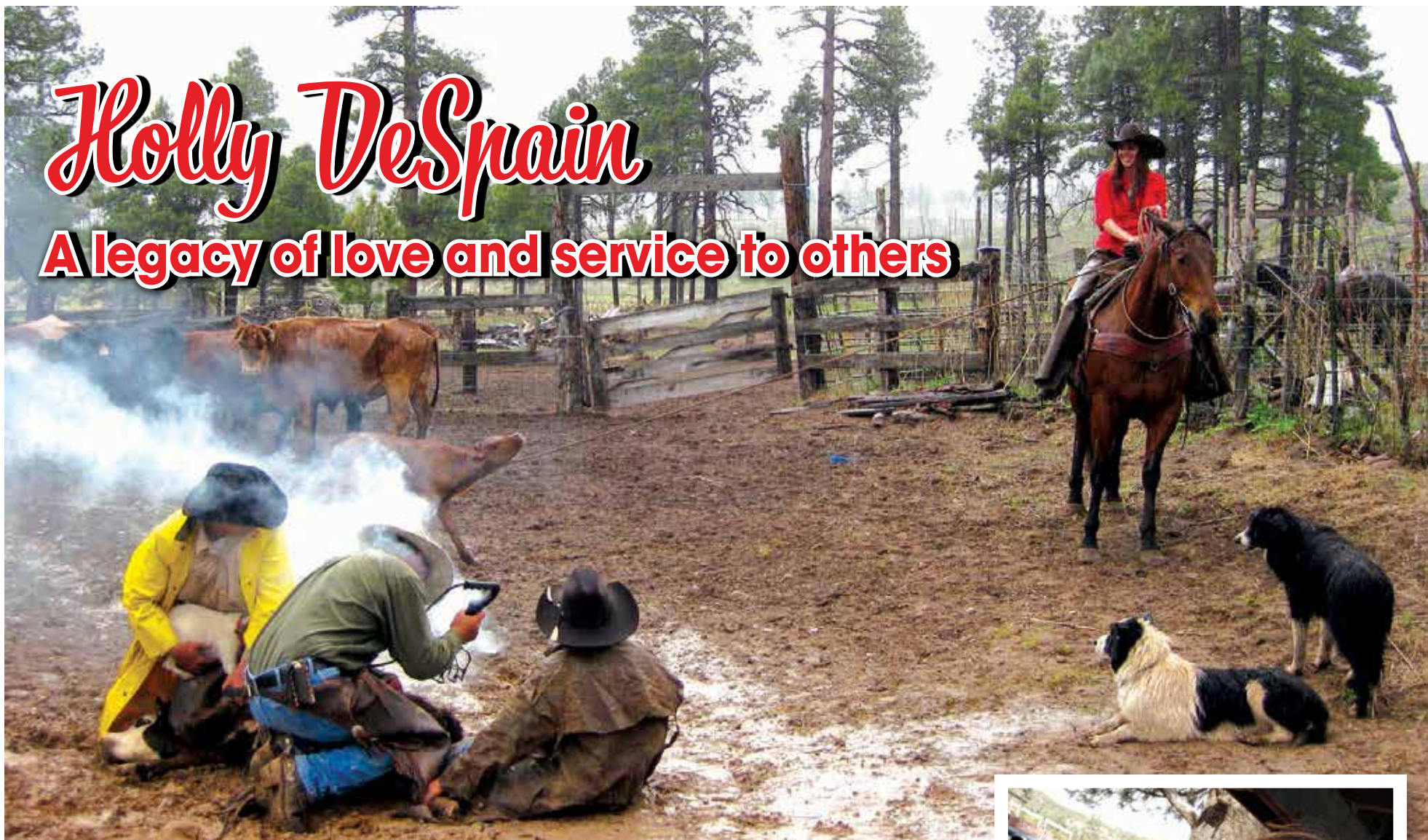
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Holly DeSpain

A legacy of love and service to others



By JENNIFER DRYDEN
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Holly DeSpain was known for her love of ranching and 4-H. Sadly, she passed away in March at the age of 34.

“Holly showed animals through the 4-H program herself as a young girl and most recently took over the 4-H club, Triple S, for the Heber 4-H kids. She had a great desire to learn and help the kids in her club learn. Her two oldest boys were old enough to show, and with a need for a new leader, she stepped up. Her two boys showed pigs, and this year, have two steers they will be showing,” said Amber Reidhead, a family friend.

DeSpain was born into a third-generation ranching family in Heber. Her parents are Larry and Janet Gibson. She grew up riding horses – and was on

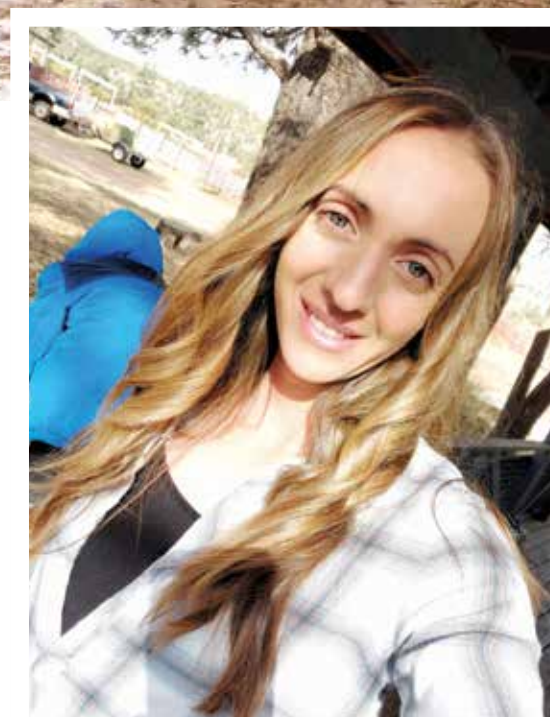
horseback by the age of 4. She loved getting to ride alongside her dad growing up.

She was known as a hard, dedicated worker.

“She worked as hard as the men and knew how to be a great cowgirl,” Reidhead said.

Holly married Frank DeSpain in 2010. They loved living a ranching lifestyle together. In fact, she often rode with Frank and her dad on the ranch. Her family was her whole world. Her greatest passion in life was being a wife and mom to her four children Trey, Clayton, Casey and Ashlyn.

She loved her ranching heritage and she taught her kids the value of hard work and loving people, Reidhead said.



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“She was a very kind, compassionate person,” Frank DeSpain said. “She put us first all the time. If she wasn’t working on the ranch, a lot of times she’d bring out lunch or something like that to everybody that was working.”

Her favorite part of ranching was doing cattle drives with the family or brandings when the whole family was there, he said. She was also an artist and loved quilting, photography, drawing and painting.

She often took lots of pictures during brandings and other ranch activities. Her favorite photography subjects were the animals on the ranch and her kids, Frank said.

He added that Holly didn’t turn down opportunities to serve including at her church. She was a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

“She loved the way our church teaches about family and how that relates to the gospel. She had such amazing faith in Jesus, and she lived that by trying to be Christlike and follow his example. She loved everyone and served everyone,” he said.





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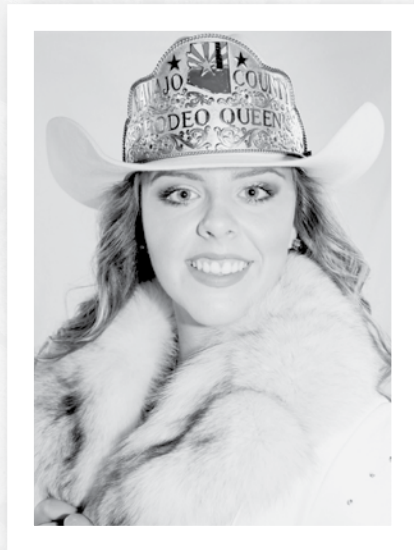
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McKenna Solomon

We would like to introduce you to our 2023 Navajo County Rodeo Queen McKenna Solomon

McKenna, is 16 years old and resides in Taylor, Arizona with her parents Jake and Kristin Solomon and her two younger sisters. She attends Snowflake High School where she is a sophomore. She is involved in 4-H, FFA and barrel racing events. When she graduates she would like to work in the horse industry whether it be training horses or in the vetrenarian field. She is excited to represent Navajo County this year and travel throughout Arizona.

2023 Navajo County Rodeo

Teen Queen



Brooklynn Willis

We would like to introduce you to our 2023 Navajo County Rodeo Teen Queen Brooklynn Willis

Brooklynn is in 7th grade she is 13 years old and she lives in Taylor, AZ. She loves riding with her cousins and going to barrel races and other than being a rodeo queen she is cheer captain for her junior high cheer team. Her dream is to be Miss Rodeo America and she is so excited to represent Navajo County for another year as your Teen Queen!

2023 Navajo County Rodeo

Little Buckaroo



Harper Carlson

Please say hello to Harper! Our 2023 Navajo County Rodeo Little Buckaroo

Hi there,

My name is Harper Carlson; I am your 2023 Navajo County Little Buckaroo. I am 8 years old and I am in 3rd Grade at Taylor Elementary School. I have a older sister Ellie, and a little brother Roan. You can find me competing at Jr. Rodeos statewide, it's my favorite thing to do. Especially Goat tying and Barrel Racing! I'm excited to represent Navajo County this year, as your Little Buckaroo!

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Joni Gillespie — A LEGACY OF SERVICE

BY JENNIFER DRYDEN
SPECIAL FEATURE
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Joni Gillespie, of Holbrook, has dedicated her life to serving others in her community. The Navajo County Fair has been one of her favorite events to help with over the years. She started helping with the fair about 45 years ago.

“She has always filled whatever need that the fair board has asked of her,” said Shelley Moore, daughter of Gillespie.

Gillespie and her late husband, Marlin, enjoyed working at the fair entry gates for many years.

“It gave them an opportunity to meet and greet old acquaintances and meet new county residents,” Moore said.

On top of that, Gillespie worked exhibit halls, often serving as a judge for fair entries such as art, fruits and vegetables and handmade items.

“The last few years, she has worked with the board in the planning and organizing stages, starting as early as May, as she has already this year. She so enjoys the fair and events and enjoys being a part of it,” Moore said.

Gillespie’s service extends to more than the fair. She has been involved in a number of other community events.

“She is a founding board member of the First Step Workshop,” Moore said. First Step Workshop is a thrift and consignment store located at 210 N. 3rd Ave. in Holbrook. “She has procured many grants and raised funds to keep this vital organization going for the benefit of Holbrook and several surrounding communities.”

Gillespie has also been involved with the food bank, Bread of Life Mission, Elks Lodge, American Legion, the Beta Sigma Phi group and making sure the American flag is displayed throughout the community on holidays.

Moore added that Gillespie “has always been one of the first to jump in and help. She loves serving her community and those who live there.

“Both of my parents felt very motivated to give to the community that they raised their family in as well as worked in for their entire adult lives. My mother has continued their legacy of service since my father passed away. Always proud to be from Holbrook and living in Navajo County all but seven years of her almost 85 years,” Moore said.

“(She) never wanted or asked for recognition, because it is truly time and donations, from the heart,” she said.

Gillespie was born in Parsons, Kansas. When she was 7 years old, her dad took a job working for the railroad and that took them to Winslow.

At 19 years old, Gillespie moved to Holbrook to work for the phone company, and that’s where she met Marlin.



Photos courtesy of Shelley Moore.

When Joni Gillespie worked at the phone company, she transferred from a switchboard operator, to the repair office... the guys made her a “tiara of phone wire”



Left: Joni Gillespie’s four children. (1967)

Right: Joni Gillespie as a young girl, about 7 years old, with her daddy on their farm in Kansas.

“She has always felt that you get tenfold in return for what you give, and she truly loves and takes pride in her community and surrounding areas,” Moore said.

Gillespie has ridden motorcycles for years, and she still enjoys riding regularly.

“I admire my Mother for her passion for life and never taking a single day for granted. She has lived a full life, doing things that make her happy. She worked so hard while raising four kids and my parents made many sacrifices for us when we were young. She truly gives from her



Joni Gillespie recent photo at the Woodruff Falls (April, 2023).



Marlin and Joni Gillespie. (March 2014)

heart and loves deep within her soul. She is honest and has the utmost respect for others. She’s always worked hard, and plays harder,” she said.

Gillespie has seen heartbreak over the years. Two of her children passed away, and after 57 years of marriage, she lost the love of her life.

“She has honored them by staying positive, living life to the fullest and being realistic about what life has dealt her. She has truly lived her life fully, and continues to show her family and friends that a life is not lived if you don’t give it all you have to give,” Moore said.



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OPEN CLASS EXHIBIT A – L INFORMATION

All exhibits will be open to the public: September 13 – 16, 2023.

HOURS OF OPERATION:

WEDNESDAY 4:00pm to 10:00pm

THURSDAY 10:00am to 10:00pm

FRIDAY 10:00am to 10:00pm

SATURDAY 10:00am to 10:00pm

ENTRY INFORMATION & RULES

1. Use the entry forms provided in this Fairbook at the end of Departments A-L to enter your exhibits.

2. The entry form must be in the fair office or postmarked on or before Friday, September 1, 2023, at 5:00 p.m.

3. Send entry forms to:

Navajo County Fair, Inc.

P.O. Box 309

Holbrook, Arizona

86025-0309

4. You may copy the entry form in the book or obtain additional copies from the fair office, your local Chamber of Commerce, your local library, website - navajocountyfair.net or facebook page – **Navajo County Fair & Rodeo.**

5. Entry fees are \$1.00 per entry/exhibit.

6. Some departments/divisions may have different fees so please review carefully.

7. After the September 1, 2023 deadline, **Late Entry Fees Will Apply - Late Entry Fees are \$5.00 per entry.**

8. Use the fairbook to find your entry category.

9. Please fill out your entry form using:

- Department letter
- Division number
- Class number
- Age group number

Age group numbers are as follows for departments A - L unless otherwise specified! Please check each department carefully.

1. Child, 5-11 years
2. Youth, 12-18 years
3. Adult, 19-59 years
4. Senior, 60+ years
5. People with disabilities

10. Exhibitors must describe their entries on the entry form.

11. Each exhibitor must complete a separate entry form.

12. No nicknames or multiple names are allowed on the entry form.

13. Group entries need only one name on the entry form.

14. Each exhibitor may enter as many different classes as desired. Some classes do allow multiple entries, but others do not.

Please check each class carefully for the requirements.

15. Exhibitors are responsible for correct information on the entry forms and entry tags. Incorrect information may result in disqualification. Entries with improper division or identification and incomplete entry forms will NOT be accepted nor judged and entry fees will be forfeited.

NO EXCEPTIONS.

16. **Entry is limited to Navajo County residents.**

17. Every effort will be made to protect and care for all exhibits but in no case will Navajo County Fair, Inc., including its' officers, volunteers, agents and/or employees, be responsible for any damage or loss which may occur. All eggs become the property of Navajo County Fair, Inc.

18. For more information or instructions on how to enter call the fair office at **(928) 524-4757** or go to our website navajocountyfair.net.



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EXHIBIT DROP OFF TIMES & LOCATIONS

1. Exhibitors will be responsible for transportation of exhibits to and from the fair.
2. Deliver exhibits to the Navajo County Fairgrounds located at 404 E. Hopi Drive, Holbrook, AZ, on Sunday, September 10, 2023, from 3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. or Monday, September 11, 2023, from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
3. The actual exhibit will be labeled and identified on forms furnished by Navajo County Fair, Inc. at the time of check-in.

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS FOR DROP OFF AT CHAMBER LOCATIONS ONLY:

1. If you cannot deliver your entries to Holbrook, you can drop them off at the following locations Monday, September 11th only. (Floriculture, baked goods, scarecrows, animals, group exhibits, and 4-H projects are not included.)
 - Show Low Chamber of Commerce
 - Snowflake/Taylor Chamber of Commerce
 - Winslow Chamber of Commerce
2. PLEASE CLEARLY LABEL EACH EXHIBIT ON THE BACK WITH NAME, AGE, ADDRESS AND PHONE NUMBER.
3. PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE YOUR ENTRY FORM WITH YOUR EXHIBITS. ENTRY FORMS AND FEES MUST BE MAILED OR DROPPED OFF AT THE FAIR OFFICE ON OR BEFORE THE DUE DATE. NO EXCEPTIONS!
4. Entries dropped off at Chamber locations WILL NOT be returned there. Exhibitors are responsible for picking up their entries at the Fairgrounds at the designated times.

EXHIBIT PICK UP TIMES & LOCATIONS

1. No exhibits will be removed from the Navajo County Fairgrounds prior to 7:00 a.m. on Sunday, September 17, 2023.
Those disregarding this rule will forfeit all ribbons and monies earned.
2. Open Class exhibits will be released Sunday, September 17, 2023, from 7:00am – 5:00pm.
3. All entries must be picked up during the designated times. Due to lack of storage, items not picked up by the deadline will be charged a \$25 handling fee and a \$1/day storage fee. Items not collected within 30 days will be donated or removed by the Fairgrounds.

PREMIUM AWARDS

1. All exhibits must be prepared to conform to the special regulations of the department, division, and class. See special rules for each.
2. Premiums are as follows, unless otherwise designated:
 - A. **1st Place..... \$5.00**
 - B. **2nd Place..... \$3.00**
 - C. **3rd Place..... \$2.00**
 - D. **Special Awards..... \$5.00**
 - ***Best of Class - one may be awarded per class**
 - ***Best of Show - one may be awarded per division**
 - ***Best of Fair..... \$10.00 - Outstanding/State Fair Quality**
3. Judges may award first, second or third place ribbons per class plus special placing.
4. Special awards available are Best of Class, Best of Show and Best of Fair. Only one (1) premium payment for special awards will be awarded.
5. Premiums *will not* be paid for classes with less than three (3) entries.
6. **Judge's decisions are final.**
7. The Navajo County Fair, Inc. Board will, in all cases, be the final authority in matters pertaining to commercial and non-competitive exhibits. No obscene entries will be allowed.
8. Premium checks will be mailed to each exhibitor. It is the responsibility of each exhibitor to furnish a correct mailing address. If the address is not legible or correct, the fair office is not responsible for those checks that are returned. Checks that are returned to the fair office will be destroyed after thirty (30) days. **No new checks will be issued.**
9. Only one premium will be mailed to the designated name on the entry form of a **group exhibit.**
10. The deadline for reporting any error(s) in premiums paid is thirty (30) days from the check date. After that time, no changes will be made. All checks must be cashed within ninety (90) days from the check date. **No new checks will be issued.**
11. If exhibitors find it hard to comply with the rules and regulations, it is advised not to enter.

See Departments A – L for Open Class Exhibit additional information.

DEPARTMENT A – AGRICULTURE

- Exhibits must be prepared to standard show specifications.
- All entries must be worthy of exhibit, clean, uniform, free of disease & bruises, packaged or prepared according to exhibit directions.
- Exhibitors must grow entries.
- **Exhibitors may enter more than one exhibit in each class, provided that each variety is named.**

Division 1001 – Field Crops

Class/Description

1. Dry Ear Corn, 5 ears shucked
2. Grain and Grass Seed, Standard pint or quart jar
3. Legume Seeds, Standard pint or quart jar
4. Sheaves, 1 sheaf
5. Stalks, 1 stalk
6. Bales, 1 bale

Division 1002 – Vegetables

Class/Description

1. Beans, 10 pods
2. Beets, 3 with tops
3. Cabbage, 1 head
4. Carrots, 3 without tops
5. Corn, shucks on, 3 roasting ears
6. Cucumbers, 1
7. Eggplant, 1
8. Greens, 1 bunch
9. Gourds, small, 3
10. Gourds, large, 1
11. Herbs, dry, 1 pint canning jar
12. Herbs, live, portable container
13. Lettuce, 1 head
14. Muskmelons, 1 melon
15. Onions, 3
16. Peas, 10 pods
17. Peppers, 3
18. Potatoes, 3
19. Pumpkins, 1 with stem
20. Radishes, 5 with tops
21. Summer Squash, 1
22. Winter Squash, 1
23. Tomatoes, 3
24. Turnips, 3 with tops
25. Watermelons, 1
26. Sunflower, 1 mature head
27. Any other vegetable, named

Division 1003 – Largest Grown Vegetables

Class/Description

1. Pumpkin, largest weight
2. Squash, largest weight
3. Watermelon, largest weight
4. Any other vegetable, named

Division 1004 – Hydroponic Vegetables

- Must be grown hydroponically

Class/Description

1. Cucumbers, 3
2. Peppers, 3
3. Tomatoes, 3
4. Any other vegetable, named, 3

Division 1005 – Organically Grown Vegetables

Class/Description

1. Beans, 10 pods
2. Beets, 3 with tops
3. Cabbage, 1 head
4. Carrots, 3 without tops
5. Corn, shucks on, 3 roasting ears
6. Cucumber, 3
7. Eggplant, 1
8. Gourds, 1
9. Lettuce, 1 head
10. Muskmelons, 1
11. Onions, 3
12. Peas, 10 pods
13. Peppers, 3
14. Potatoes, 3
15. Pumpkins, 1 with stem
16. Radishes, 3 with tops
17. Summer squash, 1
18. Winter squash, 1
19. Tomatoes, 3
20. Turnips, 3 with tops
21. Watermelon, 1
22. Any other vegetable, named, 3

Division 1006 – Fruits

Class/Description

1. Apples, 3
2. Pears, 3
3. Grapes, 3 bunches
4. Peaches, 3
5. Any other fruit, 3

DEPARTMENT B – FLORICULTURE

- Exhibits must be prepared to standard show specifications.
- The exhibitor must be the actual grower of the flowers entered.
- Uniform containers will be furnished for all flowers except arrangements.
- Arrangements must be sturdy enough to hold together while being moved.
- Flowers are to be placed in the containers by the exhibitor.
- **Exhibitor may enter more than one exhibit in each class, provided that each variety is named.**

Division 1101 – Garden Flowers

Class/Description

1. Asters, 5 blossoms
2. Calendulas, 3 stems
3. Carnations, 3 stems
4. Chrysanthemums, 3 stems
5. Cockscomb, 1 stem
6. Cosmos, 5 stems
7. Dahlias, formal, 1 blossom
8. Dahlias, informal, 1 blossom
9. Dahlias, ball type, 1 blossom
10. Dahlias, pompons, 2 blossoms
11. Daisies, 3 blossoms
12. Delphinium, 2 stems
13. Dianthus, 5 stems
14. Gaillardias, 1 stem
15. Gladiolus, 1 stem
16. Marigold, giant hybrid, 3 blossoms
17. Marigold, Chrysanthemum, 3 blossoms
18. Marigolds, dwarf, 5 stems
19. Nasturtiums, 5 blossoms
20. Petunias, 3 blossoms
21. Phlox, 3 stems
22. Roses, hybrid teas, 1 blossom
23. Roses, larger varieties, 1 stem or 3 blossoms
24. Zinnias, ruffled hybrid, 3 blossoms
25. Zinnias, large type, 3 blossoms
26. Zinnias, pompon type, 3 blossoms
27. Any other flower, named, 3 stems

Division 1102 –

Floral Arrangements

- Must be new or different from previous years.

Class/Description

1. Dried arrangement
2. Fresh arrangement
3. Mini arrangement
4. Centerpiece
5. Do your own thing
6. Fairy Garden

Division 1103 – House Plants

Class/Description

1. Aspidistra (Cast-Iron)
2. Begonia
3. Bonsai
4. Cactus
5. Bromeliads
6. Ceropegia (Rosary Vine/String of Hearts)
7. Chlorophytum (Spider or Airplane)
8. Coleus
9. Dieffenbachia (Dumb Cane)
10. Dracaena (Dragon Tree)
11. Fern
12. Ficus
13. Gynura (Purple Passion or Velvet)
14. Hoya (Wax Plant)
15. Hypoestes (Polka Dot or Freckle Face)
16. Ivy
17. Impatiens
18. Iresine (Beefstake or Blood Leaf)
19. Maranta (Prayer Plant)
20. Oxalis (Shamrock Plant)
21. Pelargonium (Geranium)
22. Peperomia
23. Philodendron
24. Pilea
25. Plectranthus (Swedish Ivy)
26. Rhoeo (Moses in the Cradle)
27. Saintpaulia (African violet)
28. Sansevieria (Mother-In-Law/Snake)
29. Sedum
30. Schefflera or Brassiaia (Umbrella Tree)
31. Succulent
32. Syngonium/Nephtytis
33. Tolmiea (Piggyback)
34. Tripogandra (Tahitian Bridal Veil)



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35. Zebrina (Purple Wandering Jew)
36. Terrarium or Dish Garden
37. Flowering Bulb, not listed
38. Flowering Shrub, not listed
39. Flowering Annual, not listed
40. Flowering Perennial, not listed
41. Exotic Plant (Carnivorous Plant)
42. Foliage Plant, not listed
43. Vine Plant, not listed
44. Fruited Plant, not listed
45. Orchids
46. Palms
47. Conifer

Division 1104 – Apiary

Class/Description

1. Extracted Honey, 3 jars
2. Comb Honey, in container
3. Framed Honeycomb
4. Beeswax

DEPARTMENT C – FINE ARTS

- Items must be ready to hang with wire, framed or matted.
- NO previous winning exhibits may be entered.
- **Only one entry per exhibitor is allowed in each class.**

Division 1201 - 1210

- 1201.** Oil Painting
- 1202.** Watercolor
- 1203.** Pencil or Pen and Ink
- 1204.** Pastel or Chalk
- 1205.** Poster Paints
- 1206.** Collage
- 1207.** Charcoal
- 1208.** Acrylics
- 1209.** Spray Paint
- 1210.** Any other

The following class numbers apply to Divisions 1201 through 1210.

Class/Description

1. Land
2. Seascape
3. Buildings
4. Trees
5. Portrait
6. Figure
7. Animals
8. Still Life
9. Abstract
10. Any other

Division 1211 – Sculpture

Class/Description

1. Wood
2. Plaster
3. Plastic
4. Metal
5. Mobile
6. Stone
7. Any other



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DEPARTMENT D – PHOTOGRAPHY

- All pictures, no larger than 16"x 20" must be mounted on mount board not to exceed 3" past the photo, **NO FRAMED PHOTOS.**
- Each entry should have the exhibitor's name and address on the back only.
- No previous winning exhibits may be entered.
- **Only one entry per exhibitor is allowed in each class.**

Division 1301 - 1304

1301. Film Black and White Photography

1302. Film Color Photography

1303. Digital Color Photography

1304. Digital Black & White Photography

The following class numbers apply to Divisions 1301 through 1304.

Class/Description

1. Still Life
2. Portrait
3. Architecture, buildings
4. Landscape, with water
5. Wildlife
6. Animals, domestic
7. Sports
8. Landscape, without water
9. Macro, close-up
10. Sunset
11. Any other, not listed.



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DEPARTMENT E – NATIVE AMERICAN CRAFTS

- Any article exhibited in this department must be made and exhibited by the maker.
- This department is not restricted to Native Americans.
- **Exhibitor may enter more than one exhibit in each class, provided that each item is different.**
- **Please include description on entry form.**

Division 1401 – Indian Arts and Crafts

Class/Description

1. Baskets
2. Pottery
3. Weaving, must use native wool, hand woven
4. Jewelry
5. Beads
6. Any other



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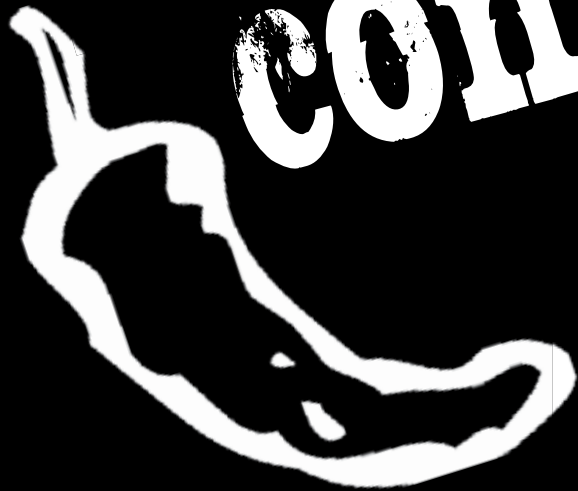


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SALSA contest



**Mild & Hot
Categories
Prizes!!**

1 quart of salsa per entry,
must include recipe.

**SATURDAY
SEPT 16**
Open Class Building

Contact the Fair Office for more information 928.524.4757

DEPARTMENT F – BAKED GOODS

- All entries must be the work of the exhibitor.
- All foods should be covered with a clean plastic wrap.
- Bring pies in the original baking pan.
- Bring cakes on firm cardboard.
- Breads and rolls may NOT be package mixes or commercially frozen.
- **Only one entry per exhibitor is allowed in each class.**

Division 1501 – Bread and Rolls

Class/Description

1. White yeast bread, ½ loaf
2. 100% Whole wheat bread, ½ loaf
3. ½ whole wheat and ½ other loaf
4. Mixed grain bread, ½ loaf
5. Sourdough bread, ½ loaf
6. Bread sticks, 3
7. Novelty yeast bread, ½ loaf
8. Zucchini bread, ½ loaf
9. Fancy yeast bread, coffee cake, tea ring
10. Dinner rolls, yeast, 3
11. Dinner rolls, yeast, whole wheat, 3
12. Cinnamon rolls, yeast, 3
13. Other sweet rolls, yeast, 3
14. Danish rolls, 3
15. Date nut bread, ½ loaf
16. Banana nut bread, ½ loaf
17. Quick bread, any other, ½ loaf
18. Baking powder biscuits, 3
19. Buttermilk biscuits, 3
20. Popovers, 3
21. Muffins, bran, 3
22. Muffins, corn or cornbread, 3
23. Muffins, any other, 3
24. Raised doughnuts, 3
25. Cake doughnuts, 3
26. Gingerbread, 3 pieces, 2"x2"
27. Coffee cake, not yeast, from scratch.
28. Waffles, 3

Division 1502 – Cake, Made from scratch, whole

Class/Description

1. Angel food, no frosting
2. Novelty angel food, no frosting
3. Sponge cake, no frosting
4. Chiffon cake, no frosting
5. Chocolate cake
6. Devil's food cake
7. German chocolate cake
8. White cake
9. Yellow cake
10. Spice cake
11. Burnt sugar cake
12. Applesauce cake
13. Jelly Roll
14. Fruit cake, dark
15. Fruit cake, light
16. Any other, not listed

Division 1503 – Cake, Made from mix, whole

Class/Description

1. Angel food, no frosting
2. Chiffon, no frosting
3. Chocolate cake
4. German chocolate cake
5. Devil's food cake
6. White cake
7. Yellow cake
8. Spice cake
9. Burnt sugar cake
10. Applesauce cake
11. Fruit cake, dark
12. Fruit cake, light
13. Any other, not listed



Division 1504 – Decorated Cakes & Cupcakes

Class/Description

1. Wedding or Anniversary
2. Birthday
3. Fair Theme
4. Holiday of your Choice
5. Any other, not listed cake
6. Wedding or Anniversary cupcakes (3)
7. Birthday cupcakes (3)
8. Fair Theme cupcakes (3)
9. Holiday of your Choice cupcakes (3)
10. Any other, not listed cupcakes

Division 1505 – Cookies and Bars, 5 pieces

Class/Description

1. Oatmeal cookies
2. Gingersnaps
3. Peanut butter
4. Chocolate chip
5. Sugar cookies
6. Refrigerator cookies
7. Fruit cookies
8. Fancy cookies, pressed
9. Fancy cookies, frosted
10. Fancy cookies, filled
11. Raisin nut cookies
12. Pumpkin cookies
13. Cookies, any other
14. Chocolate brownies
15. Brownies, any other
16. Lemon bars
17. Snickerdoodles
18. Bars, any other

DEPARTMENT F – BAKED GOODS, *continued*

Division 1506 – Pies, No Cream Pies

Class/Description

1. Apple
2. Cherry
3. Berry
4. Peach or Apricot
5. Rhubarb
6. Raisin
7. Pie, any other
8. Tarts, any fruit, 3

Division 1507 – Candy, No Packages, 5 pieces

Class/Description

1. Dipped
2. Divinity
3. Fondant
4. Fudge
5. Panache
6. Peanut brittle
7. Peanut butter
8. Peanut butter kisses
9. Taffy
10. Toffee
11. Buttermilk
12. Orange
13. Mint, not fondant
14. Hard tack
15. Any other, not listed

Division 1508 – Native Breads

Class/Description

1. Fry bread, 3
2. Blue bread, 3
3. Sopapillas, 3
4. Piki, without added color, 3
5. Piki, fresh corn, 3
6. Piki, chili, 3
7. Piki, dyed with herbs, 3
8. Kneel down bread, 3
9. Fresh corn rolls, 3
10. Adobe bread, baked in outdoor oven, ½ loaf
11. Tortillas, flour, 3
12. Tortillas, corn, 3
13. Tortillas, whole wheat, 3
14. Any other native bread, ½ loaves



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DEPARTMENT G – FOOD PRESERVATION

- Standard pint or quart jars must be used.
- Canned goods will be judged without opening.
- Judged on appearance, neatness, container color.
- No hand-marking on jars other than the label.
- Fancy packs are not considered in judging.
- Canning must have been done by the exhibitor during the past year.
- **Exhibitor may enter more than one exhibit in each class, provided that each variety is named.**

Division 1601 – Dehydrated Foods

Class/Description

1. Fruit
2. Vegetable
3. Fruit leather
4. Combination vegetable
5. Combination fruit
6. Any other not listed

Division 1602 – Vegetables

Class/Description

1. Asparagus
2. Beets
3. Carrots
4. Corn
5. Greens
6. Squash
7. String beans
8. Tomatoes
9. Tomato juice
10. Tomato sauce
11. Chili
12. Any other vegetable

Division 1603 – Fruits/Fruit Products

Class/Description

1. Apples
2. Applesauce
3. Apricots
4. Currants
5. Sweet cherries
6. Sour cherries
7. Peaches
8. Pears
9. Plums
10. Fruit cocktail
11. Potatoes
12. Pumpkin
13. Any other fruit

Division 1605 – Jams, Jellies, Preserves

Class/Description

1. Apple butter
2. Apple jelly
3. Blackberry jelly
4. Cherry jelly
5. Crabapple jelly
6. Grape jelly
7. Peach jelly
8. Plum jelly
9. Raspberry jelly
10. Strawberry jelly
11. Jelly, any other
12. Apricot jam



13. Blackberry jam
14. Peach jam
15. Strawberry jam
16. Plum jam
17. Raspberry jam
18. Zucchini jam
19. Jam, any other
20. Apricot preserves
21. Peach preserves
22. Preserves, any other

Division 1606 – Pickles, Relishes

Class/Description

1. Sweet pickles
2. Dill pickles
3. Mustard pickles
4. Bread and butter pickles
5. Mixed pickles
6. Beet pickles
7. Pickled peppers
8. Pickles, any other
9. Spiced peaches
10. Piccalilli
11. Chili sauce
12. Hot sauce
13. Chow Chow
14. Pickled relish
15. Relish, any other

34TH ANNUAL NAVAJO COUNTY FAIR

LITTLE BUCKAROO RODEO

Saturday, September 16, 2023

Gates Open at 9:00am • Mandatory Meeting is at 10:30am

Dummy Roping starts at 11:00am

Rodeo starts at Noon with Mutton Bustin

Adults \$11.00

(\$6.00 Event Gate plus \$5.00 Fair Admission)

Kids - 6 to 12 \$8.00

(\$3.00 Event Gate plus \$5.00 Fair Admission)

Children 5 & under Free

Age	Main Event	Entry Fee	Age	Main Event	Entry Fee
4-6	Mutton Bustin	\$30.00	7-9	Barrel Racing	\$30.00
4-6	Dummy Roping	\$30.00	10-12	Steer Riding	\$30.00
7-9	Calf Riding	\$30.00	10-12	Dummy Roping	\$30.00
7-9	Dummy Roping	\$30.00	10-12	Barrel Racing	\$30.00

All Mutton Bustin riders are required to ride "Aussie Style"
Helmets are MANDATORY and will be provided.
Top 3 Places will be Awarded in each main event.
Buckles to all main event 1st Place Winners

ONLY TAKING CALL IN ENTRIES (NO WALK IN ENTRIES)

Call in Entries: Wednesday, September 6, 2023 from 5:30pm to 8:00pm (928) 524-4757

Books Open 8:00 a.m. 9/16/2023 • Must be paid by 9:00 a.m.

Limited Entries: Barrels limited to 12 in each age group - Calves and Steers limited to 15 - Sheep Limited to 30.

AGE AS OF JANUARY 1ST, 2023 *PROOF OF AGE REQUIRED, BIRTH CERTIFICATE ONLY*

If you do not bring a birth certificate you will not be able to enter! No exceptions!

9/16/23 - Mandatory meeting for all Contestants at 10:30 a.m. in Grandstands

Navajo County Fairgrounds - Holbrook, AZ.

DEPARTMENT H – NEEDLEWORK & SEWING



- **Exhibitors are limited to one entry per class.**
- A 4-inch sleeve is preferred, but not required, on all hanging articles

Division 1701 – Women’s Clothing

Class/Description

1. Shirt, sport
2. Shirt, fancy
3. Shirt, western
4. Shirt, any other
5. Skirt
6. Jumper
7. Dress, short
8. Dress, long
9. Jacket, dress or suit
10. Formal
11. Pants
12. Robe
13. Sleepwear
14. Suit
15. Vest
16. Any other, not listed

Division 1702 – Men’s Clothing

Class/Description

1. Coat
2. Pants
3. Shirt, sport
4. Shirt, dress
5. Shirt, Western
6. Suit
7. Vest
8. Any other, not listed

Division 1703 – Children’s Clothing

Class/Description

1. Pajamas
2. Bathrobe
3. Nightgown
4. Bib overalls
5. Sports outfit
6. Sports shirts and blouse knit
7. Dress, fancy
8. Dress, sporty
9. Dress, fancy, 2 matching
10. Dress, sporty, 2 matching
11. Blouse or shirt
12. Jeans
13. Pants
14. Coat
15. Cape or poncho
16. Play outfit, dress
17. Play outfit, sporty
18. Garment made over
19. Any other, not listed

Division 1704 – Baby’s Clothing

Class/Description

1. Dresses
2. Christening sets
3. Sleepers or buntings
4. Coats
5. Sweater or hat
6. Any other, not listed

Division 1705 – Miscellaneous Clothing

Class/Description

1. Apron, practical
2. Apron, fancy
3. Doll clothes
4. Any other, not listed

Division 1706 – Quilts

Class/Description

1. My first quilt – combination hand and machine
2. My first quilt – hand quilted
3. My first quilt – machine quilted
4. My first quilt – other than classified
5. Child’s quilt - kit
6. Child’s quilt – no kit
7. Combination hand appliquéd & pieced
8. Combination machine appliquéd & pieced
9. Embroidered, hand
10. Embroidered, machine
11. Group quilt, quilted
12. Hand appliquéd – hand quilted
13. Hand appliquéd – machine quilted
14. Hand pieced – hand quilted
15. Hand pieced – machine quilted
16. Hand quilted
17. Household article
18. Kits – machine quilted
19. Machine appliquéd – hand quilted
20. Machine appliquéd – machine quilted
21. Machine pieced – repeat
22. Machine pieced – hand quilted – scrap
23. Machine pieced – hand quilted – any other
24. Machine pieced – Log Cabin
25. Machine pieced – machine quilted
26. Machine pieced – tied
27. Original Design
28. Pictorial
29. Quilted garment
30. Vintage quilt – started by one generation, finished by another
31. Whole cloth, machine quilted
32. Any other quilt, not listed

DEPARTMENT H – NEEDLEWORK & SEWING, *continued*



Division 1708 – Miniatures

Class/Description

1. Appliquéd
2. Combination
3. Hand quilted
4. Machine quilted
5. Original design
6. Pictorial
7. Ultra-miniatures – under 100 sq. inches
8. Any other, not listed

Division 1710 – Rugs

Class/Description

1. Braided
2. Crocheted
3. Hooked
4. Knitted
5. Needlepoint
6. Woven

Division 1711 – Appliquéd Designs

Class/Description

1. Pillowcases, pair
2. Chair set, 4 pieces
3. Towel set
4. Tablecloth
5. Luncheon cloth or scarf
6. Placemats
7. Wall hanging
8. Sweatshirt
9. T-Shirt
10. Any other, not listed

Division 1712 –

Needlepoint, Petit Point

Class/Description

1. Hand or tote bag, needlepoint
2. Chair or seat cover, needlepoint
3. Picture, needlepoint
4. Any other, needlepoint
5. Hand or tote bag, petit point
6. Picture, petit point
7. Any other, petit point

Division 1713 – Tatting

Class/Description

1. Small
2. Medium
3. Large
4. Edging
5. Towels
6. Table or luncheon cloth
7. Bookmarks
8. Novelty items
9. Holiday items
10. Garment
11. Any other, not listed

Division 1714 –

Embroidery/ Crewel Embroidery

Class/Description

1. Pillowcases, pair
2. Chair set, 4
3. Towel sets
4. Table or luncheon cloth
5. Scarf
6. Place mats
7. Picture
8. Pretty punch
9. Any other embroidery

Division 1715 –

Stamped Cross Stitch

Class/Description

1. Pillowcases, pair
2. Chair sets, 4
3. Towel sets
4. Table or luncheon cloth
5. Scarf
6. Placemats
7. Blanket
8. Any other, not listed

Division 1716 –

Counted Cross Stitch

Class/Description

1. Picture in frame
2. Picture in loop
3. Picture, 18 count and finer
4. Picture, 14 count and larger
5. Miniature picture, max 5"x7"
6. Miniature item
7. Sampler
8. Greeting cards
9. Bookmarks
10. Napkins
11. Broad linen
12. Pillow
13. Item on perforated paper
14. Towel
15. Item of clothing
16. Any other, not listed

DEPARTMENT H – NEEDLEWORK & SEWING, *continued*



**Division 1719 –
Knitted Articles or Garments**

Class/Description

1. Afghan
2. Afghan, child's
3. Bed jacket, shawl, stole, scarf
4. Socks
5. Slippers
6. Hat or cap
7. Coat or jacket
8. Suit
9. Dress
10. Dress, baby
11. Sweater
12. Sweater set, baby, 3 pieces
13. Skirt
14. Vest
15. Cape or poncho
16. Booties, pair
17. Baby outfit, 3 pieces
18. Mittens or gloves
19. Any other, not listed

**Division 1720 –
Crocheted Articles or Garments**

Class/Description

1. Afghan, afghan stitch
2. Afghan, single crochet
3. Afghan, double crochet
4. Afghan, block
5. Afghan, baby
6. Afghan, child
7. Hat or Cap
8. Dress, baby
9. Sweater
10. Sweater set, baby, 3 pieces
11. Cape or poncho
12. Booties, pair
13. Baby outfit, 3 pieces
14. Mittens or gloves
15. Doilies, fine thread, 10" and under

16. Doilies, other, 10" and under
17. Doilies, fine thread, over 10"
18. Doilies, other, over 10"
19. Doilies, chair and sofa set
20. Toy
21. Novelty item
22. Holiday item
23. Table runner, scarf luncheon set
24. Any other, clothing
25. Any other, household
26. Any other, not listed

**Division 1721 –
Hand Painted Articles
or Garments**

Class/Description

1. Pillowcases, pair
2. Tablecloth
3. Scarf
4. Place mats
5. Towel set
6. Wall hanging or picture
7. Blouse, skirt or dress
8. Article filled in and shadowed
9. Original design
10. Any other, not listed

**Division 1725 –
Sewn Household Items**

Class/Description

1. Tablecloth
2. Pillowcases, pair
3. Runner
4. Draperies
5. Curtains
6. Towel
7. Dish towel
8. Any other, not listed

Division 1726 – Plastic Canvas

Class/Description

1. Toy
2. Wall hanging
3. Picture frame
4. Christmas ornament
5. Boutique item
6. Box cover
7. Any other, not listed

Division 1727 – Swedish Weaving

Class/Description

1. Afghan
2. Bedspread
3. Table runner
4. Place mats
5. Bookmarks
6. Any other, not listed

Division 1728 – Spinning

Class/Description

1. Animal fibers
2. Cellulose fibers
3. Hand spun article
4. Luxury fiber
5. Any other, not listed

Division 1729 – Woven Articles

Class/Description

1. Garment
2. Quilt
3. Afghan
4. Tablecloth
5. Table runner
6. Placemats
7. Bookmark
8. Any item, not listed

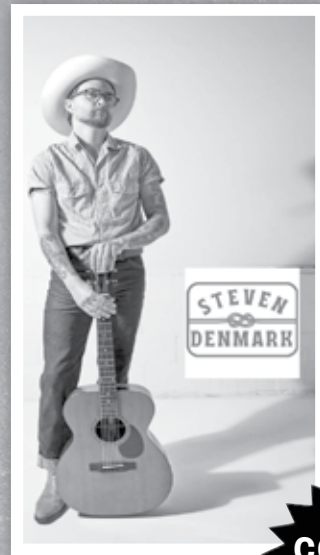
ENTERTAINMENT

Red Dirt Music Festival Concert

Wednesday 9/13 - 6:30pm to 11pm

Main Arena Grandstands

featuring Steven Denmark
Ronnie and the Redwoods
and the Stateline Band



LIVE
CONCERT
SEPT. 13



LIVE
BAND &
DANCE
SEPT. 14



Live Band & Dance

Thursday 9/14

8:30pm to Midnight - Main Stage

featuring Noise Pollution
AC/DC Tribute Band

LIVE
BAND &
RODEO
DANCE
SEPT. 15



Live Band & Rodeo Dance
Friday 9/15 - 9:30pm to Midnight
at the Main Stage

featuring
Kenny Feidler & the Cowboy Killers
opened by Tim Lightyear

Live Band & Rodeo Dance
Saturday 9/16 - 9:00pm to Midnight
at the Main Stage

featuring
Last Train to Juarez Band



LIVE
BAND &
RODEO
DANCE
SEPT. 16

DEPARTMENT I – HOBBIES

- No previous winning exhibits may be entered.
- **Exhibitors are limited to one entry per class.**



Division 1801 – Collections

Class/Description

1. Stamps, USA before 1900
2. Stamps, USA after 1900
3. 1st Day Covers
4. Mint Blocks
5. Sheet Stamps
6. Stamps, Foreign
7. Stamps, Any other
8. Coins & Currency, before 1500
9. Coins & Currency, USA before 1900
10. Coins & Currency, USA after 1900
11. Coins & Currency, Foreign
12. Coins & Currency, any other
13. Art glass, before 1950, 4-6 pieces
14. Carnival glass, before 1920, 4-6 pieces
15. Pressed glass, before 1925, 4-6 pieces
16. Hand painted China, before 1900, 4-6 pieces
17. Dolls, before 1935, 4-6 pieces
18. Primitives, keys, locks, misc. 8-12 pieces, mounted
19. Handwork, 4-6 pieces
20. Any other antique collectible, 8-12 pieces
21. Bottles, 6-12 pieces
22. Beverage cans, 6-12 pieces
23. Dolls, modern, 6-12 pieces
24. Match books, mounted
25. Post cards, mounted
26. Spoons, 6 or more
27. Thimbles, 6 or more
28. Insects, 6 or more
29. Minerals, mounted
30. Seashells, mounted
31. Novelty Items, 6 or more
32. Bells, 6 or more
33. Cups & Saucers, 4-6
34. Key Chains, 6 or more, mounted
35. Hair accessories, mounted
36. Baseball cards, mounted
37. Stuffed animals
38. Micro mounts minerals
39. Fossil collection
40. Any other modern collectible

Division 1802 – Ceramics

Class/Description

1. Glazes
2. Specialty Glazes
3. Stains
4. Specialty Stains
5. Luster
6. Gold
7. Silver
8. Decals
9. Hand painted
10. Hand molded
11. Any other ceramics

Division 1803 – Crafts

Class/Description

1. Lamps
2. Doll House, original design
3. Doll House, kit
4. Decoupage
5. Mod-podge
6. Beadwork, not jewelry
7. Macramé, jewelry
8. Macramé, pot slings
9. Macramé, belts
10. Macramé, wall hangings
11. Macramé, any other
12. Leatherwork, belts
13. Leatherwork, wallets and purses
14. Leatherwork, clothing
15. Leatherwork, hand tooled picture
16. Leatherwork, any other
17. Flower making
18. Tin cans art
19. Calligraphy
20. Mosaic
21. Woodwork
22. Wood burning, unpainted
23. Wood burning, painted
24. Bread dough

DEPARTMENT I – HOBBIES, *continued*

25. 3-D arts
26. Handmade soaps
27. Handmade lotion
28. Jewelry
29. Hair accessories
30. Stuffed toy
31. Stuffed animal
32. Latch hook
33. Yarn craft
34. Yarn animal
35. Picture framing, mat cutting
36. Picture framing, design mat cutting
37. Picture framing, barn wood framing
38. Jig saw puzzles
39. String Art
40. Any other craft, not listed

Division 1804 & 1805 - Models

1804. Models, kits

1805. Models, original design

The following class numbers apply to Divisions 1804 and 1805.

Class/Description

1. Aircraft, free flight, line control, non-flying
2. Automobiles, old time
3. Automobiles, custom
4. Automobiles, stock
5. Automobiles, racing
6. Vehicles, horse drawn
7. Vehicles, military
8. Vehicles, other
9. Ships and boats
10. Railroad, locomotive
11. Railroad, freight car
12. Railroad, passenger car
13. Railroad, structure
14. Rockets, scale
15. Rockets, propelled
16. Buildings
17. Lego
18. Any other, not listed

Division 1806 – Dolls and stuffed animals

Class/Description

1. Baby Toy
2. Crocheted Doll
3. Handmade Jointed bear
4. Handmade stuffed animal, any size
5. Handmade, constructed with purchased parts
6. Novelty
7. Porcelain, purchased head and limbs
8. Rag Doll, any size
9. Sock Doll or animal
10. Any other, not listed

Division 1807 – Stained Glass

Class/Description

1. Lead
2. Foiled
3. Any other, not listed
4. 3 Dimensional

Division 1808 – Glass Etching

Class/Description

1. Surface
2. Depth
3. Stencil
4. Fired or Fused
5. Any other, not listed

Division 1809 – Tole Painting

Class/Description

1. Wall hanging, framed
2. Wall hanging, unframed
3. Plaques
4. Furniture
5. Room accessories
6. Tin
7. Toys
8. Clothes, apron
9. Clothes, shirt
10. Clothes, coat



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11. Clothes, Skirt
12. Clothes, purse
13. Jewelry
14. Any other, not listed

Division 1810 – Silk Flower Arrangements

Class/Description

1. Vase
2. Wall hanging/Wreath
3. Basket
4. Any other, not listed

Division 1811 – Paper Crafts

Class/Description

1. Scrapbook 1 – 2 pg layout
2. Cardmaking
3. Papier mache'
4. Paper folding
5. Any other not listed
6. Any other, not listed

Division 1816 – Other Hobbies

Class/Description

1. Any other, not listed

DEPARTMENT J – GROUPS

- Open to any organization for display of produce, artwork, etc.
- Only total exhibit will receive premium.

Division 1850 – Group Exhibits

Class/Description

1. Civic
2. Church
3. Community
4. School
5. Other



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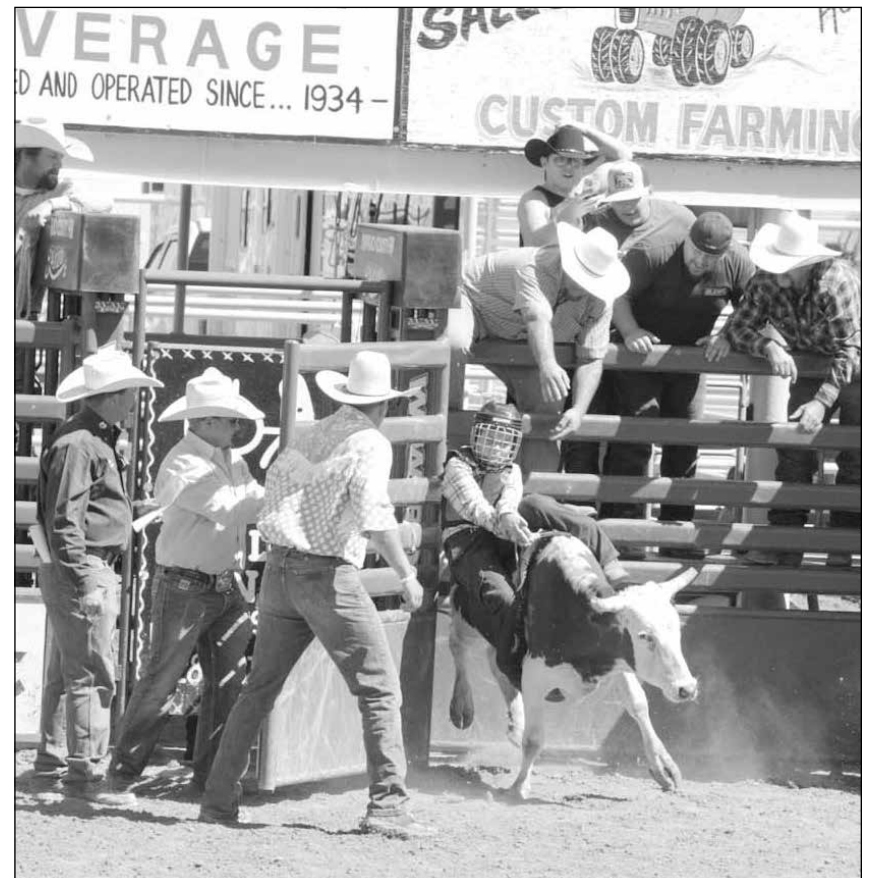
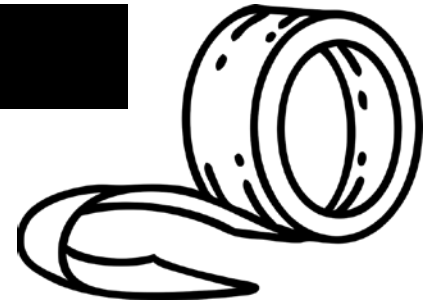


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DEPARTMENT K – FUN FOR EVERYONE



Age group numbers for Department K

1. Age 5 to 10
2. Age 11 to 18
3. Age 19 and over

Division 1903 – Scarecrow Contest

- Height is 4-5 feet, without the stake. Width is 2-4 feet.
- Buckets with sand will be provided. (Exhibitors may use their own weighted container)
- Scarecrows must be firmly attached to a stake.

Class/Description

1. Traditional
2. Non-Traditional
3. Characters
4. Era in time
5. Cartoon characters

Division 1904 – Most Creative Use of Duct Tape

- Entries must be made of 95% duct tape.
- Only one entry per exhibitor is allowed.

Class/Description

1. Any

Division 1905 – Trash to Treasure

- “Let’s Go Green” Handmade items made from recyclable items.
- Only one entry per exhibitor is allowed in each class.

Class/Description

1. Rubber
2. Plastic
3. Metal, aluminum
4. Glass
5. Wood
6. Paper, cardboard
7. Any other, not listed

Division 1906 – Booty full Boots

- Decorate a western boot.
- Only one entry per exhibitor is allowed.

Class/Description

1. Any

Division 1907 – Fair Theme Contest

- Entries must display an item that is a resemblance of the Navajo County Fair.
- Only one entry per exhibitor is allowed.

Class/Description

1. Any

Division 1908 Horseshoes

- Most creative use of horseshoes.
- Only one entry per exhibitor is allowed.

Class/Description

1. Any

Division 1909 – Ugliest Cake Contest

- All cakes must be UGLY! No pretty or average looking cakes.
- Cakes can be from your own recipe or package mix. Please no whipped cream frostings.
- The entire cake and decorations must be edible. Cakes with non-edible decorations will be DISQUALIFIED!
- Only one (1) entry allowed per person.
- Cakes must be on disposable containers, such as cardboard or cake round. Only whole cakes will be accepted.

Class/Description

1. Any

DEPARTMENT L – TINY TOTS (ARTS & CRAFTS ONLY)

Special Rules:

- The classes in this department were designed to include those entries commonly made by exhibitors 4 years of age and younger.
- DUE TO LACK OF SPACE **only ONE (1) entry per class with 3 entries overall per exhibitor.**
- **NO NAMES** may show on any artwork.
- Age must be given on entry form.
- Placement ribbons will be given, **with NO premiums paid in this department.**
- JUDGING CRITERIA: Creativity, overall design, workmanship, degree of difficulty.

Age group number for Department L

1. Age 1 - 2
2. Age 3 - 4

Division 1950 – Free Hand Colored

Class/Description

1. Acrylic paints
2. Colored pencil
3. Computer
4. Crayon
5. Lead Pencil
6. Mixed Media
7. Pastels (chalk w/ sealer)
8. Sand Painting
9. Watercolor
10. Finger painting
11. Markers
12. Ink pen

Division 1951 – Collage

Class/Description

1. Fabrics
2. Handmade design
3. Magazine cutouts
4. Natural materials
5. Recycled materials

Division 1952 – Crafts

Class/Description

1. Clay – natural drying
2. Clay - fired
3. Papier-mâché
4. Tissue paper craft
5. Sun catcher
6. Popsicle Stick Art
7. Lego construction
8. Tinker toy construction
9. Item made of construction paper
10. Plaster craft
11. String art
12. Deco T-shirt (must be on hanger)
13. Any other craft, not listed



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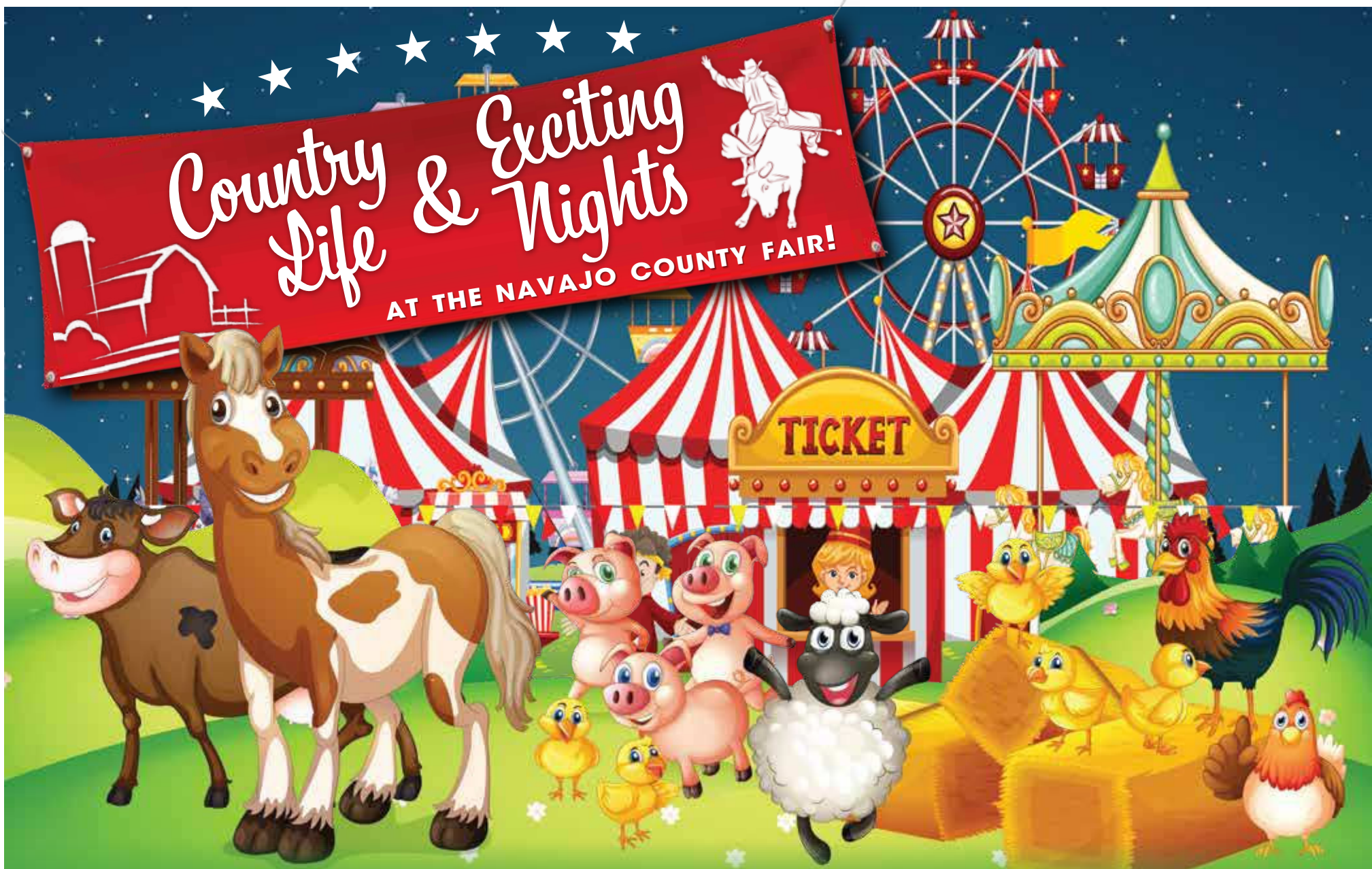
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 \$30* at the gate
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 \$8* kids 6 & up
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SEPTEMBER 13-16 2023

Visit NavajoCountyFair.net or contact the fair office
 (928) 524-4757 for Pre-Sale Tickets.



FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2023

5:00 p.m. Horse Achievement Pee Wee Western Horse Show

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2023

8:00 a.m. Horse Achievement Western Horse Show

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2023

3:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Open Class Exhibits Due

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2023

10 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Open Class Exhibits Due

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2023

5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. All Livestock Check-In
 5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. All Rabbit/Cavy/Poultry Check-In
 4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. All 4-H General/Home Economics Exhibits Due
 4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. 4-H Face to Face Judging

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2023

8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Horse Achievement Roping, Team Sorting and Speed Events
 1:00 p.m. 4-H/FFA Poultry Judging & Showmanship
 4-H/FFA Rabbit Judging & Showmanship to follow Poultry
 4-H/FFA Cavy Judging & Showmanship will follow Rabbit
 Small Stock Round Robin and Open Class Judging
 will follow completion of the Small Stock Youth Show
 Fair/Ticket Booth Opens
 4:00 p.m. Exhibit Halls Open
 4:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Opening Ceremonies on the stage
 6:00 p.m. Red Dirt Music Festival Concert - Main Arena Grandstands
 featuring Steven Denmark, Ronnie and the Redwoods and Stateline Bands
 6:30 p.m. - Close Frazier Shows Carnival (Open)
 6:00 p.m. - 10 p.m. Fair Closes
 11:00 p.m.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2023 - SENIOR and STUDENT DAY

\$3.00 Fair Admission for Seniors ages 65 and up
 FREE Fair Admission for students K-12 from 10:00am - 3:00pm (School field trip only)
 8:30 a.m. Gates open
 Jr. Livestock Market Goat Judging
 Market Goat Jr & Sr Showmanship will follow
 Open Class Meat Goat Judging & Showmanship
 Fair Opens
 10:00 a.m. Jr. Livestock Market Lamb Judging
 Market Lamb Jr & Sr Showmanship will follow
 Open Class Sheep Judging & Showmanship
 Exhibit Halls Open
 10:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Entertainment at Main Stage
 10:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Jr. Livestock Market Beef Judging
 Market Beef Jr & Sr Showmanship Will Follow
 Open Class Cattle (pen) Judging
 Open Class Halter Cattle Judging & Showmanship
 5:00 p.m. Jr. Livestock Market Swine Judging
 Market Swine Jr & Sr Showmanship Will Follow
 Open Class Swine Judging & Showmanship
 Box Office/Gates Open for Demo Derby
 6:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Frazier Shows Carnival (Open)
 7:00 p.m. Demolition Derby
 8:30 p.m. - Midnight Live Band & Dance - Main Stage
 featuring Noise Pollution the AC/DC Tribute Band
 Midnight Fair Closes



Red Dirt Music Festival Concert

**Wednesday - 6:30 pm
 Arena Grandstands**

featuring
 Steven Denmark, Ronnie and
 the Redwoods Stateline Band



FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2023 - MILITARY APPRECIATION DAY

Free General Admission to all Veterans/Active Duty (Sponsored by Holbrook Kiwanis)
 7:30 a.m. All Team Roping/Rodeo Slack
 8:00 a.m. Adult Swine Showmanship Fundraiser
 9:00 a.m. Jr. Livestock Round Robin (All Around Showmanship)
 Fair Opens
 10:00 a.m. Exhibit Halls Open
 10:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Entertainment at Main Stage
 10:00 a.m. - Midnight Jr. Livestock Sale - Buyers Luncheon
 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Jr. Livestock Auction
 1:00 p.m. Box Office/Gates Open for Rodeo
 4:30 p.m. Frazier Shows Carnival (Open)
 6:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m. Rodeo Pre-Show
 6:30 p.m. Rodeo
 7:00 p.m. Live Band & Rodeo Dance - Main Stage
 9:30 p.m. - Midnight featuring Kenny Feidler & the Cowboy Killers opened by Tim Lightyear
 Midnight Fair Closes

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 2023

7:00 a.m. Rodeo Slack
 8:00 a.m. 4-H & Open Goat/Dairy Goat Show
 Pet & Pack Goat Show to follow
 Fair Opens
 10:00 a.m. Box Office & Gates Open for Lil Buckaroo Rodeo
 10:00 a.m. Exhibit Halls Open
 10:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Entertainment at Main Stage
 10:00 a.m. - Midnight Salsa Contest in the Open Class Building
 11:00 a.m. Little Buckaroo Rodeo starts with Sheep Riding
 Noon Pie Eating Contest on the stage
 2:00 p.m. Frazier Shows Carnival (Open)
 2:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m. Box Office/Gates Open for Rodeo
 4:00 p.m. Rodeo Pre-Show
 6:00 p.m. Rodeo
 6:30 p.m. Live Band & Rodeo Dance - Main Stage
 9:00 p.m. - Midnight featuring Last Train to Juarez Band
 Midnight Fair Closes

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2023

7:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Check Out - Livestock, Small Stock, Open Stock
 7:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Check Out - Exhibits, Vendors
 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Frazier Shows Carnival (Open) - FREE ADMISSION

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2023 Navajo County Fair Departments "A through L" and Entry Form

P.O. Box 309 – Holbrook, Arizona 86025

For office
use only:
Exhibitor ID:

Entries MUST be made on Navajo County Fair Entry Form. Photocopies are acceptable. Entry Forms will not be accepted without proper fees and signatures. Please completely fill out the Form. PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY.

Step 1: Exhibitor Information

Name of Exhibitor (First)	(Last)	Telephone #
Mailing Address	City	State
Email Address	Date of Birth	Age (as of December 31, 2022)

Step 2: Exhibit Information

For office use only: Entry No.	Dept. Letter	Division No.	Class No.	Age Group No.*	Description of Entry (Details about item: variety, type, color, etc.)

*Sub-Class: (1) Child, 5-11; (2) Youth, 12-18; (3) Adult, 19-59; (4) Senior, 60+; (5) People with Disabilities

Step 3: Required Signatures

Please accept the entries listed on this form. I hereby agree to be governed by the rules and classification listed in the Navajo County Fair premium book. I hereby certify that I have read and understand this document in its entirety and all statements made in connection with these are true. I also hereby release the Navajo County Fair, Inc., its officers, and agents from all liabilities for loss, damage and/or injury to livestock and/or other property, while said property is on the Navajo County Fairgrounds.

Exhibitor Signature	Parent/Guardian Signature (if exhibitor is under 18 years of age)
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Step 4: Total Fees Due \$ _____ (\$1.00 per Exhibit) Entry Deadline: September 1, 2023
NOTE: Late Entry Fee will be \$5.00 per entry after Sept. 1, 2023, through Sept. 11, 2023.

DEPARTMENT O - OPEN LIVESTOCK

ENTRY INFORMATION

1. Use the entry forms provided at the end of this department to enter your exhibits.
2. The entry form must be in the fair office or postmarked on or before Friday, August 10, 2023, at 5:00 p.m.
3. Send entry forms to:

Navajo County Fair, Inc.
P.O. Box 309
Holbrook, Arizona
86025-0309

4. You may copy the entry form in the book or obtain additional copies from the fair office, your local Chamber of Commerce, your local library, website - www.navajocountyfair.net or facebook - Navajo County Fair & Rodeo.

1. Entry fees are \$5.00/entry. Entry fees for Showmanship are \$2.00.
2. After the August 10, 2023, deadline, **Late Entry Fees Will Apply - Late Entry Fees \$10.00 per entry/animal and \$4.00 for showmanship.**
3. Please see each division's specific rules on how many animals you may enter as this may vary.
4. Use the fairbook to find your entry category.
5. Please fill out your entry form using:
 - Department letter
 - Division number
 - Class number
 - Age group number

Age Group Numbers for Department O

1. Wee, 5-7 year
 2. Juniors, 8-13 years
 3. Seniors, 14-18 year
 4. Adult, 19+ years
1. Premiums: First \$10; Second \$5; Third \$3.
 2. Special placings will be prizes and may include Grand & Reserve Champion, Best of Breed or Best of Show.
 3. Premiums will not be paid for classes with less than three (3) entries.
 4. Exhibitors will only be eligible for two (2) premiums per class.
 5. Entry is limited to Navajo County residents.
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OPEN LIVESTOCK SHOW

Open Livestock Show will be held Thursday, September 14

will follow the JR Livestock classes which starts at 8:30am.

Show order is Meat Goat, Sheep, Beef Cattle and Swine.

Dairy Goat Show is Saturday, September 16, starting at 8:00am

Pet Goat and Pack Goat Show to follow.



DEPARTMENT O - OPEN LIVESTOCK, *continued*

RULES

1. ALL livestock is due on Tuesday, September 12, 2023, between 5:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m.
2. All animals MUST remain on the fairgrounds until check-out on Sunday, September 17, 2023. Check-out times are from 7:00am – 10:00am. Ribbons and premiums will be forfeited if animals are removed without approval by the superintendent.
3. All animals entered in this section are required to have the following: **Premise ID (beef cattle excluded) and Seasonal Pass from the Arizona Department of Agriculture and must present at the time of check-in/weigh-in.** Each pass/certificate must have the specific exhibitors name listed on the pass/certificate for the animal(s) they intend to show.
4. Transportation, care and feeding will be the responsibility of the exhibitor.
5. The exhibitor is responsible for providing bedding, feeders and water containers. Water and electricity are available. If the animals are in concrete floor stalls, they must be stalled on bedding.
6. Morning feeding and initial verified stall cleaning will be completed by 9:00 a.m. each day and maintained throughout the day. All stalls will be randomly inspected by the department superintendent. The superintendent will immediately notify exhibitors of improper care and will need to be rectified in a timely manner. After the initial warning, if the stall has not been rectified with the corresponding superintendent, exhibitor will be charged a fee of \$25.00 assessed to the exhibitor's animal per pen per day. Any exhibitor who is fined will also still be required to clean their pen.
7. All exhibitors are responsible for cleaning (raking/washing) out their pens when they check out. Any exhibitor who is not present or who has not made prior arrangements to have their stall cleaned, will be assessed a \$100.00 cleaning fee.
8. Animals showing evidence of disease and/or parasite infestation will be dismissed from the fairgrounds immediately.
9. No dangerous or uncontrollable animals will be shown in the halter classes. They will be dismissed.
10. No animals from Department Q – Junior Livestock will be allowed to enter this section except Pee Wee Showmanship and Pack Goats.
11. No animals will be allowed to be advertised for sale or sold while on the fairgrounds.
12. Every effort will be made to protect and care for all animals but in no case will Navajo County Fair, Inc., including its' officers, volunteers, agents and/or employees, be responsible for any damage or loss which may occur.
13. Dress code will be enforced. Long sleeve shirt, pants and closed toe shoes or boots. See Dairy goat division for specific dress details.
14. For specific rules see each division.

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DEPARTMENT O - OPEN LIVESTOCK, *continued*

CATTLE

- All breeds will be judged together.
- Animals may be entered in more than one class.
- Only divisions and classes listed in the premium book can be entered and judged.
- All beef cattle will be pen judged, except for halter cattle.

Division 2001 – Beef Cattle, pen judged

Class/Description

1. Bull calf – under 12 months on 9/1/23
2. Yearling bull – between 12 and 24 months on 9/1/23
3. Aged bull – over 24 months on 9/1/23
4. Heifer calf – under 12 months on 9/1/23
5. Yearling Heifer - between 12 and 24 months on 9/1/23
6. Cow – over 24 months on 9/1/23

Division 2002 – Beef Pairs

Class/Description

1. Cow-calf pair
2. Dam & get-of-dam (cow w/calf & last year's calf)

Division 2003 – Beef Halter Classes

Heifer, Prospect Steer, Showmanship

- All animals in this division must be tied in the show cattle stalls using a halter or neck rope.
- All animals in this division must be halter trained and safe for the exhibitor to handle.
- All breeds will be judged together.
- Breeding heifers will be divided by age.
- Prospect steers will be divided by weight.

Class/Description

1. Jr. heifer calves (1/1/23 to 9/1/23)
2. Sr. heifer calves (6/1/22 to 12/31/22)
3. Yearling heifer (9/1/21 to 9/1/22)
4. Heifer, 2+ years (as of 9/1/21)
5. Prospect Steers – divided by weight
6. Open Market Steers – divided by weight

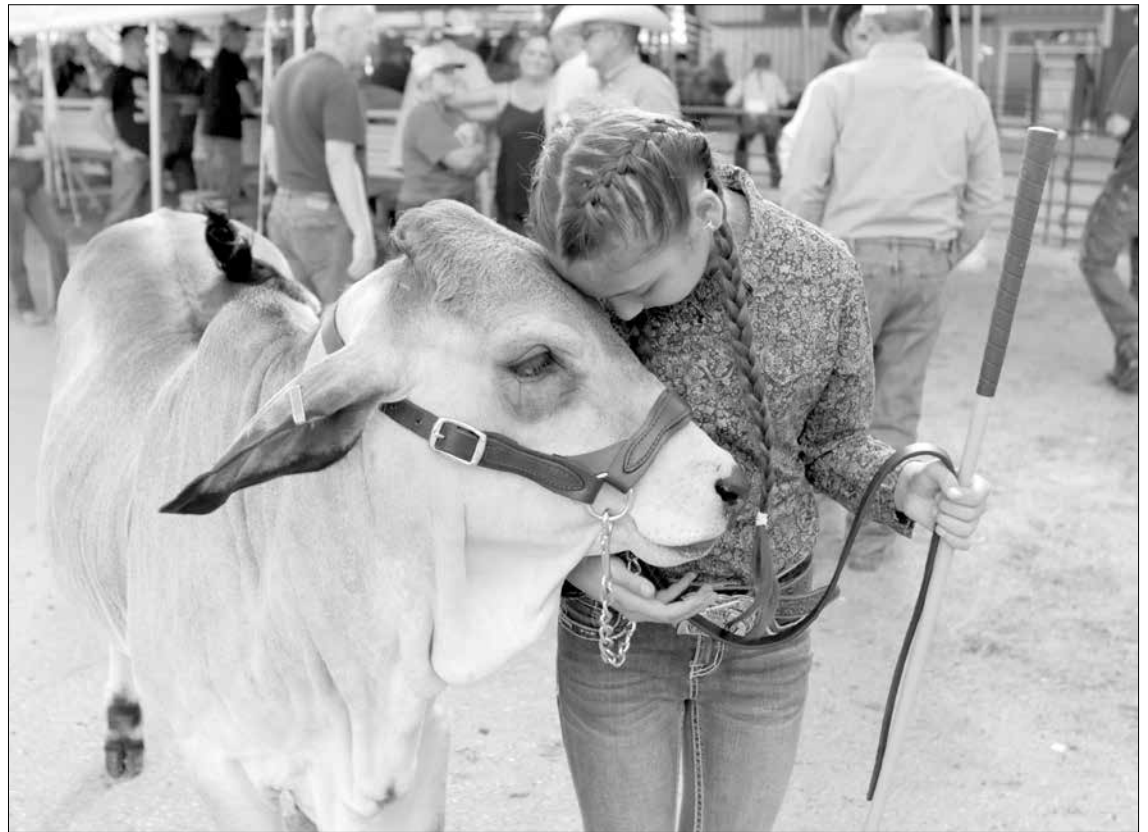


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DEPARTMENT O - OPEN LIVESTOCK, *continued*

SHEEP

- Exhibitors may enter up to two animals per class.
- Classes will be divided into two categories white face or black face, meat types.
- Exhibitors must show their own animals unless they have two entries in a class.
- All feeder and market lambs must have their milk teeth and be under 12 months of age.

Division 2004 – Sheep – White Face Breed or Breed Crosses

Class/Description

1. Jr. ewe lamb (3/1/23 to 9/1/23)
2. Sr. ewe lamb (9/1/22 to 2/28/23)
3. Yearling ewe (9/1/21 to 9/1/2022)
4. Ewe, 2+ years (as of 9/1/21)
5. Jr. ram lamb (3/1/23 to 9/1/23)
6. Sr. ram lamb (9/1/22 to 2/28/23)
7. Yearling ram (9/1/21 to 9/1/2022)
8. Ram, 2+ years (as of 9/1/21)
9. Feeder lamb – divided by weight, under 99lbs
10. Open market lamb – divided by weight, over 100lbs

Division 2005 – Sheep White Face or Breed Crosses Showmanship

Class/Description

1. Pee Wee Showmanship
2. Junior Showmanship
3. Senior Showmanship

Division 2006 – Sheep – Black Face Breed or Breed Crosses

Class/Description

1. Jr. ewe lamb (3/1/23 to 9/1/23)
2. Sr. ewe lamb (9/1/22 to 2/28/23)
3. Yearling ewe (9/1/21 to 9/1/2022)
4. Ewe, 2+ years (as of 9/1/21)
5. Jr. ram lamb (3/1/23 to 9/1/23)
6. Sr. ram lamb (9/1/22 to 2/28/23)
7. Yearling ram (9/1/21 to 9/1/2022)
8. Ram, 2+ years (as of 9/1/21)
9. Feeder lamb – divided by weight, under 99lbs
10. Open market lamb – divided by weight, over 100lbs

Division 2007 – Sheep – Black Face or Breed Crosses Showmanship

Class/Description

1. Pee Wee Showmanship
2. Junior Showmanship
3. Senior Showmanship



DEPARTMENT O - OPEN LIVESTOCK, *continued*

SWINE

- Exhibitors may enter up to two entries per class.
- All swine must be accompanied by Arizona State Inspection Papers and must be presented at check-in/weigh-in.
- All breeds will be judged together.

Division 2008 – Swine

Class/Description

1. Jr. Gilts (4/1/23 to 9/1/23)
2. Sr. Gilts (1/1/23 to 3/31/23)
3. Sows (before 12/31/22)
4. Feeder pigs, divided by weight, under 199lbs
5. Open market pigs, divided by weight, over 200lbs

Division 2009 – Swine Showmanship

Class/Description

1. Pee Wee Showmanship
2. Junior Showmanship
3. Senior Showmanship

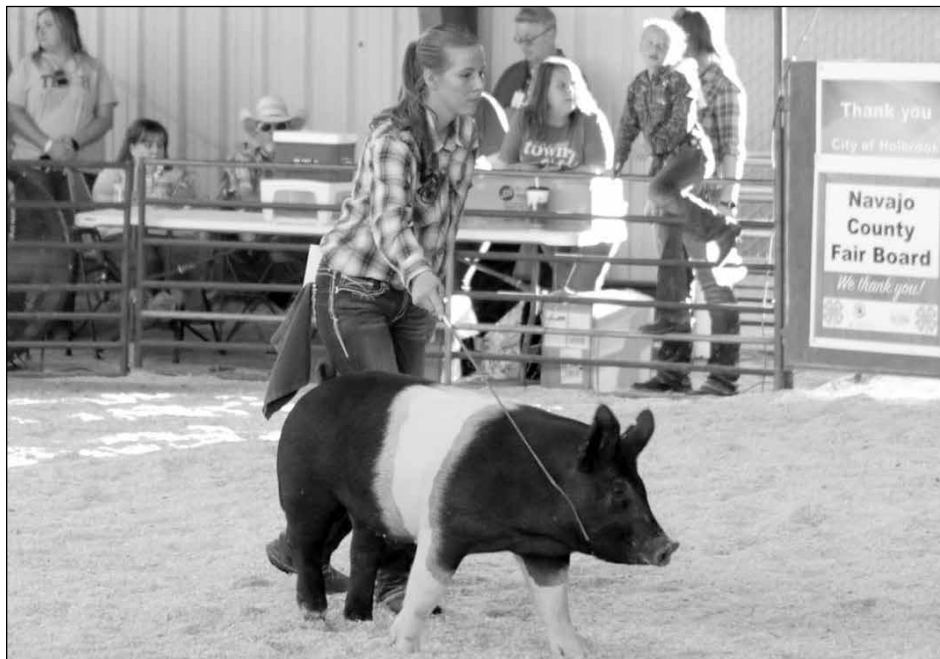


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DEPARTMENT O - OPEN LIVESTOCK, *continued*

GOATS

- Exhibitors may enter up to two entries per class.
- All breeds will be judged together.
- Crossbreeds are eligible.
- Exhibitors must show their own animals unless they have two animals in the same class.
- Dairy goat exhibitors must show in whites, white shirt and white pants. Closed toe shoes are mandatory.
- Pet goats will show in their own confirmation class and be eligible for showmanship.
- No Bucks allowed

Division 2010 – Dairy Goats

- Sr. Doe must have freshened at least one time.

Class/Description

1. Milking Doe - Yearling - less than 2 years
2. Milking Doe - Two years less than Three
3. Milking Doe - Three years less than Four
4. Milking Doe - Four years less than Five
5. Milking Doe - Five year and over
6. Jr. Doeling, under 6 months
7. Intermediate Doeling, 6-12 months
8. Sr. Doeling, 13 -24 months

Division 2011 – Dairy Goats Showmanship

Class/Description

1. Pee Wee Showmanship
2. Junior Showmanship
3. Senior Showmanship

Division 2012 – Meat Goats

Class/Description

1. Yearling - less than 2 years (Breeding doe)
2. Two years less than Three (Breeding doe)
3. Three years less than Four (Breeding doe)
4. Four years less than Five (Breeding doe)
5. Five year and over (Breeding doe)
6. Jr. Doeling, under 6 months (Breeding doe)
7. Intermediate Doeling, 6-12 months (Breeding doe)
8. Sr. Doeling, 13 -24 months (Breeding doe)
9. Feeder goat, under 50lbs
10. Market goat, over 50lbs

Division 2013 - 2014 –

Fiber & Pygmy Goats

2013. Fiber Goats

2014. Pygmy Goats

The following class numbers apply to Divisions 2013 through 2014.

Class/Description

1. Yearling - less than 2 years (Breeding doe)
2. Two years less than Three (Breeding doe)
3. Three years less than Four (Breeding doe)
4. Four years less than Five (Breeding doe)
5. Five year and over (Breeding doe)
6. Jr. Doeling, under 6 months (Breeding doe)
7. Intermediate Doeling, 6-12 months (Breeding doe)
8. Sr. Doeling, 13 -24 months (Breeding doe)

Division 2015 – Pet Goats

Class/Description

1. Pet goat, two years and older
2. Pet goat, one to two years
3. Pet goat under one year

Division 2016 – Goats Other Showmanship

Class/Description

1. Pee Wee Showmanship
2. Junior Showmanship
3. Senior Showmanship

Division 2017 – Pack Goats

- Open to all Pee Wee, Junior, Senior and Adult exhibitors who have goat projects, including Junior Livestock Market Goats.
- All goats must work on collars or halters and be controllable.
- Goats will execute a series of obstacles and are judged on how they navigate the obstacles, how well they behave and listen to their owners.
- Obstacles can consist of bridges, stairs, water obstacles, tunnels, logs and much more.

Class/Description

1. Any

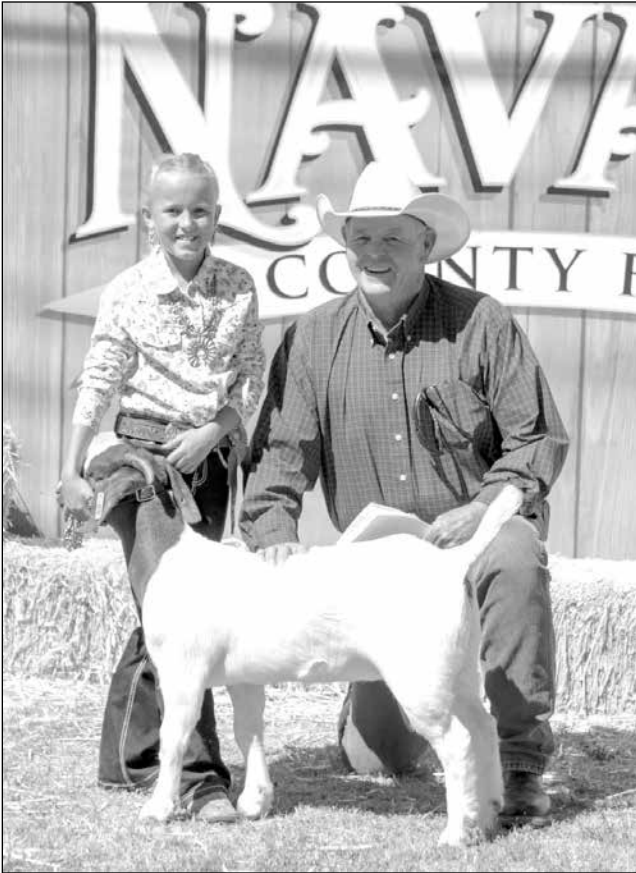


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2023 Navajo County Fair Department "O – Open Livestock" Entry Form

P.O. Box 309 – Holbrook, Arizona 86025

For office
use only:
Exhibitor ID:

Entries MUST be made on Navajo County Fair Entry Form. Photocopies are acceptable. Entry Forms will not be accepted without proper fees and signatures. Please completely fill out the Form. PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY.

Step 1: Exhibitor Information

Name of Exhibitor (First)	(Last)	Telephone #
Mailing Address	City	State
		Zip
Email Address	Date of Birth	Age (as of December 31, 2022)

Step 2: Exhibit Information

For office use only: Entry No.	Dept. Letter	Division No.	Class No.	Age group No.*	Animal Tag ID	Description of Entry (Details about animal: Breed, age, etc.)

*Age group #: (1) Pee Wee, 5 -7; (2) Junior, 8-13; (4) Senior, 14-18; (5) Adult, 19+

Step 3: Required Signatures

Please accept the entries listed on this form. I hereby agree to be governed by the rules and classification listed in the Navajo County Fair premium book. I hereby certify that I have read and understand this document in its entirety and all statements made in connection with these are true. I also hereby release the Navajo County Fair, Inc., its officers, and agents from all liabilities for loss, damage and/or injury to livestock and/or other property, while said property is on the Navajo County Fairgrounds.

Exhibitor Signature	Parent/Guardian Signature (if exhibitor is under 18 years of age)
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Step 4: Total Fees Due \$_____ (\$5.00 per animal/entry and \$2.00 for Showmanship)
Entry Deadline: September 1, 2023

NOTE: Late Entry Fee will be \$10.00 per animal/entry and \$4.00 for Showmanship after Sept. 1, 2023, through Sept.11, 2023.

DEPARTMENT P - OPEN SMALL STOCK

ENTRY INFORMATION

1. Use the entry forms provided at the end of this department to enter your exhibits.
 2. The entry form must be in the fair office or postmarked on or before Friday, August 10, 2023, at 5:00 p.m.
 3. Send entry forms to:
Navajo County Fair, Inc.
P.O. Box 309
Holbrook, Arizona 86025-0309
 4. You may copy the entry form in the book or obtain additional copies from the fair office, your local Chamber of Commerce, your local library, website - www.navajocountyfair.net or facebook - Navajo County Fair & Rodeo.
 5. Entry fees are \$5.00/entry. Entry fees for Showmanship are \$2.00.
 6. After the August 10, 2023, deadline, **Late Entry Fees Will Apply - Late Entry Fees per entry/animal and \$4.00 for showmanship.**
 7. Please see each division's specific rules on how many animals you may enter as this may vary.
 8. Use the fairbook to find your entry category.
 9. Please fill out your entry form using:
 - Department letter
 - Division number
 - Class number
 - Age group number
- Age Group Numbers for Department P**
1. Pee Wee, 5-7 year
 2. Youth, 8-10 years
 3. Intermediate 11-13
 4. Seniors 14-18
 5. Adult 19 +
10. Premiums: First \$5; Second \$3; Third \$2.
 11. **Special placings will be prizes and may include Grand & Reserve Champion, Best of Breed or Best of Show.**
 12. **Premiums will not be paid for classes with less than three (3) entries.**
 13. **Exhibitors will only be eligible for two (2) premiums per class.**
 14. Entry is limited to Navajo County residents.
 15. For more information or instructions on how to enter call the fair office at **(928) 524-4757** or go to our website **navajocountyfair.net**.



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DEPARTMENT P - OPEN SMALL STOCK, *continued*

RULES

1. All poultry, rabbit, and cavy livestock are due on Tuesday, September 12, 2023, between 5:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. Weigh-ins will take place at check-in no exceptions.
2. All animals MUST remain on the fairgrounds until check-out on Sunday, September 17, 2023. Check-out times are from 7:00am – 10:00am. Ribbons and premiums will be forfeited if animals are removed without approval by the superintendent.
3. All poultry must be banded with a numbered leg band, rabbits must have a permanent legible tattoo in the left ear, and cavy must have permanent cavy tag in left ear.
4. This show will be governed by the latest rules of the following national organizations. The American Rabbit Breeders Association (ARBA) for all rabbits and cavy exhibits. The American Poultry Association (APA) and The American Bantam Association (ABA) for all poultry exhibits. All prizes will be awarded strictly in accordance with the ARBA Standard of Perfection (SOP), the APA SOP as well as the ABA SOP. The judge's decision(s) will be final.
5. All animals must be bona fide property of the exhibitor.
6. Transportation will be the responsibility of the exhibitor.
7. The Fair will exercise very reasonable care in feeding and handling of your entries. Navajo County Fair will provide all feed, water, and bedding while animals are at the fair. If you choose to have your own feed, please bring it at check in and plan with the Superintendent for feeding instructions. If you choose to feed your own animals you will need to arrange feeding times with the Superintendent. If pens are not cleaned the exhibitor will be charged a fee of \$25.00 assessed to the exhibitor's animal pen. Any exhibitor who is fined will still be required to clean their pen.
8. Morning feeding and initial verified stall cleaning for turkeys will be completed by 9:00 a.m. each day and maintained throughout the day.
9. All exhibitors are responsible for cleaning out their cages when they check out. If exhibitors share cages, they need to coordinate for cleaning disposal pan.
10. Animals showing evidence of disease and/or parasite infestation will be dismissed from the fairgrounds immediately.
11. The Navajo County Fair and Navajo County Small Stock Committee reserve the right to limit the number of entries per exhibitor if cages are not available.
12. Every effort will be made to protect and care for all animals but in no case will Navajo County Fair, Inc., including its' officers, volunteers, agents and/or employees, be responsible for any damage or loss which may occur. All eggs become the property of Navajo County Fair, Inc.
13. Dress code will be enforced. Long sleeve shirt, pants and closed toe shoes or boots.
14. No animals will be allowed to be advertised for sale or sold while on the fairgrounds until after the auction.
15. For specific rules see each division.

DEPARTMENT P - OPEN SMALL STOCK, *continued*

POULTRY

- An exhibitor may enter more than one entry per class.

Division 2101 – 2106 –

Standard Chickens

- 2101. American Class
- 2102. Asiatic Class
- 2103. English Class
- 2104. Mediterranean Class
- 2105. Continental Class /
- 2106. All Other Standard Breeds

The following class numbers apply to Divisions 2101 through 2106

Class/Description

1. Old cock, over 1 year
2. Old hen, over 1 year
3. Young cock (cockerel), under 1 year
4. Young hen (pullet), under 1 year
5. Old trio, over 1 year
6. Young trio, under 1 year

Division 2110 - 2114 - Bantams

- 2110. Game Class
- 2111. Single Comb Clean Legged
- 2112. Rosecomb Clean Legged
- 2113. All Other Clean Legged
- 2114. Feather Legged

The following class numbers apply to Divisions 2110 through 2114

Class/Description

1. Old cock, over 1 year
2. Old hen, over 1 year
3. Young cock (cockerel), under 1 year
4. Young hen (pullet), under 1 year
5. Old trio, over 1 year
6. Young trio, under 1 year

Division 2120 – Turkey Heritage Breed

Class/Description

1. Old hen turkey, over 1 year
2. Old tom turkey, over 1 year
3. Young hen turkey, under 1 year
4. Young tom turkey, under 1 year

Division 2125 – 2129 - Ducks

- 2125. Heavy Weight
- 2126. Medium Weight
- 2127. Light Weight
- 2128. Runner
- 2129. Bantam

The following class numbers apply to Divisions 2125 - 2129

Class/Description

1. Old hen, over 1 year
2. Old drake, over 1 year
3. Young hen, under 1 year
4. Young drake, under 1 year

Division 2135 – 2137 - Geese

- 2135. Heavy Weight
- 2136. Medium Weight
- 2137. Light Weight

The following class numbers apply to Divisions 2135 - 2137

Class/Description

1. Old goose, over 1 year
2. Old gander, over 1 year
3. Young goose, less than 1 year
4. Young gander, under 1 year

DEPARTMENT P - OPEN SMALL STOCK, *continued*

Division 2138 – 2143 – Pigeons and All Other Fowl

- 2135. Guinea Fowl
- 2136. Pigeons, Fancy
- 2137. Pigeons Flying
- 2138. Pigeons, Utility
- 2139. Game Birds
- 2140. Any Other Fowl

The following class numbers apply to Division 2138 through 2143

Class/Description

1. Old Hen, over 1 year
2. Old Cock, over 1 year
3. Young hen, under 1 year
4. Young cock, under 1 year

Division 2144 – Pee Wee Showmanship

- Pee Wee Showmanship will follow 4-H/FFA Poultry Showmanship in the Small Stock Show beginning at 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 13, 2023

Class/Description

1. Any

Division 2145 – Meat Pens/Laying Hens

- Meat Pens - Raise three live chickens from pullets to no more than 10 weeks old.
- Meat pens should be uniform in appearance and size.
- Fryers should weigh 3 ½ to 4 ½ pounds each.
- Broilers should weigh a minimum of 4 ½ pounds each.
- If one of the three fryers/broilers are over or under weight, the entire pen will be disqualified.
- Turkeys - Must be Broad Breasted White or Broad Breasted Bronze varieties, minimum of 15 pounds and less than 9 months of age.
- Laying Hens - Raise three live chicks from pullets to a minimum of 20 weeks old.
- Laying Hen Pens should be reaching or at egg laying age and should be uniform in appearance and size.
- Maximum of two entries per class per exhibitor.

Class/Description

1. Fryers, Pen of 3
2. Broilers, Pen of 3
3. Turkeys
4. Laying Hens, Pen of 3

Division 2149 – Eggs

Class/Description

1. White, 6
2. Brown, 6
3. Any other, 6



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DEPARTMENT P - OPEN SMALL STOCK, *continued*

RABBIT

Division 2150 – 2200 – Rabbits

- An exhibitor may enter more than one entry in each class.

2150. American
2151. American Chinchilla
2152. American Fuzzy Lop
2153. American Sable
2154. Argente Brun
2155. Belgian Hare
2156. Beveren
2157. Blanc de Hotot
2158. Britannia Petite
2159. Californian
2160. Champagne d'Argent
2161. Checkered Giant
2162. Cinnamon
2163. Crème d'Argent
2164. Dutch
2165. Dwarf Hotot
2166. Dwarf Papillion
2167. English Angora
2168. English Lop
2169. English Spot
2170. Flemish Giant
2171. Florida White
2172. French Angora
2173. French Lop
2174. Giant Angora
2175. Giant Chinchilla
2176. Harlequin
2177. Havana
2178. Himalayan
2179. Holland Lop
2180. Jersey Wooley
2181. Lilac
2182. Lionhead
2183. Mini Lop
2184. Mini Rex
2185. Mini Satin

2186. Netherland Dwarf
2187. New Zealand
2188. Palomino
2189. Polish
2190. Rex
2191. Rhinelander
2192. Satin
2193. Satin Angora
2194. Silver
2195. Silver Fox
2196. Silver Marten
2197. Standard Chinchilla
2198. Tan
2199. Thrianta
2200. All Other

The following class numbers apply to

Divisions 2150 through 2200

Class/Description

1. Senior buck
2. Senior doe
3. Intermediate buck
4. Intermediate doe
5. Junior buck
6. Junior doe

Division 2201 – Pee Wee Showmanship

- Pee Wee Showmanship will follow 4-H/FFA Rabbit Showmanship in the Small Stock Show beginning at 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 13, 2023.

Class/Description

1. Any

DEPARTMENT P - OPEN SMALL STOCK, *continued*

CAVY

- An exhibitor may enter more than one entry in each class.

Division – 2202 – 2215 - Cavies

- 2202. Abyssinian
- 2203. Abyssinian Satin
- 2204. American
- 2205. American Satin
- 2206. Coronet
- 2207. Peruvian
- 2208. Peruvian Satin
- 2209. Silkie
- 2210. Silkie Satin
- 2211. Teddy
- 2212. Teddy Satin
- 2213. Texel
- 2214. White Crested
- 2215. Any other

The following class numbers apply to Divisions 2202 through 2215

Class/Description

- 1. Senior boar
- 2. Senior sow
- 3. Intermediate Boar
- 4. Intermediate Sow
- 5. Junior boar
- 6. Junior sow

Division 2216 – Pee Wee Showmanship

- Pee Wee Showmanship will follow 4-H/FFA Cavy Showmanship in the Small Stock Show beginning at 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 13, 2023.

Class/Description

- 1. Any



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Department "P – Open Small Stock" Entry Form**

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Step 1: Exhibitor Information

Name of Exhibitor (First) (Last) Telephone #

Mailing Address City State Zip

Email Address Date of Birth Age (as of December 31, 2022)

Step 2: Exhibit Information

For office use only: Entry No.	Dept. Letter	Division No.	Class No.	Age group No. *	Animal Tag ID	Description of Entry (Details about item/animal: Breed, age, etc.)

*Age group #: (1) Pee Wee, 5 -7; (2) Junior, 8-10; (3) Intermediate, 11-13; (4) Senior, 14-18; (5) Adult, 19+

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Exciting Nights of Rodeo!!!

A GUIDE FOR THOSE NEW TO RODEO

The Navajo County Fair & Rodeo is proud to present two exciting nights of rodeo on Friday & Saturday during the fair each year. The Navajo County Fair Rodeo has been voted #1 in the state for many years and is proudly sanctioned by GCPRA. This year's rodeo is guaranteed to be an evening of excitement and thrills. The following information will assist any new comer to rodeo in understanding the events, animals and what it takes to be a cowboy or cowgirl competing in the 92nd Navajo County Fair Rodeo.

ROUGHSTOCK EVENTS:

BAREBACK BRONC RIDING — The event is judged according to the performances of both the rider and the bucking horse. It is a single-handhold, eight-second ride which starts with the cowboy's feet held in a position over the break of the horse's shoulders until the horse's front feet touch the ground first jump out of the chute. The rider earns points maintaining upper body control while moving his feet in a toes-turned-out rhythmic motion in time with the horse's bucking action.

Most cowboys agree that bareback riding is the most physically demanding event in rodeo, taking an immense toll on the cowboy's body. Muscles are stretched to the limit, joints are pulled and pounded mercilessly, and ligaments are strained and frequently rearranged. The strength of bareback broncs is exceptional, and challenging them is often costly. Bareback riders endure more abuse, suffer more injuries and carry away more long-term damage than all other rodeo cowboys. To stay aboard the horse, a bareback rider uses a rigging made of leather and constructed to meet safety specifications. The rigging, which resembles a suitcase handle on a strap, is placed atop the horse's withers and secured with a cinch. A bareback rider is judged on his spurring technique, the degree to which his toes remain turned out while he is spurring and his willingness to take whatever might come during his ride.

SADDLE BRONC RIDING — Known as rodeo's classic event, saddle bronc riding is judged sim-

ilarly to bareback bronc riding but there are additional possibilities to being disqualified; that is, losing a stirrup or dropping the thickly braided rein that is attached to the horse's halter. The cowboy sits on the horse differently due to the saddle and rein, and the spurring motion covers a different area of the horse. Saddle broncs are usually several hundred pounds heavier than bareback horses and generally buck in a slower manner.

This event requires strength to be sure, but the event also demands style, grace and precise timing. Saddle bronc riding evolved from the task of breaking and training horses to work the cattle ranches of the Old West. Many cowboys claim riding saddle broncs is the toughest rodeo event to master because of the technical skills necessary for success. Every move the bronc rider makes must be synchronized with the movement of the horse. The cowboy's objective is a fluid ride, somewhat in contrast to the wilder and less-controlled rides of bareback riders. The saddle bronc rider has only a thick rein attached to his horse's halter. Using one hand, the cowboy tries to stay securely seated in his saddle. If he touches any part of the horse or his own body with his free hand, he is disqualified.

Judges score the horse's bucking action, the cowboy's control of the horse and the cowboy's spurring action. While striving to keep his toes turned outward, the rider spurs from the points of the horse's shoulders to the back of the saddle. To score well, the rider must maintain that action throughout the eight-second ride. While the bucking ability of the horse is quite naturally built into the scoring system, a smooth, rhythmic ride is sure to score better than a wild, uncontrolled effort.

BULL RIDING — Bull riders, who might not weigh more than 150 pounds, place a flat braided rope around a bull that weighs almost 2000 pounds. The bull rope is placed around the animal, just behind its shoulders. It is then looped and threaded through itself and the cowboy wraps it around his riding hand with only his grip holding him in place. The rider relies on balance and leg strength to make the eight-second buzzer. Look for bull riders to sit up close to their bull ropes and to turn their toes out because rides are judged on the riding style of the competitor and the bucking

ability of the bull. Bull riding, which is intentionally climbing on the back of a 2,000-pound bull, emerged from the fearless and possibly fool-hardy nature of the cowboy. The risks are obvious. Serious injury is always a possibility for those fearless enough to sit astride an animal that literally weighs a ton and is usually equipped with dangerous horns. Regardless, cowboys do it, fans love it and bull riding ranks as one of rodeo's most popular events. Bull riding is dangerous and predictably exciting, demanding intense physical prowess, supreme mental toughness and courage. Like bareback and saddle bronc riders, the bull rider may use only one hand to stay aboard during the eight-second ride. If he touches the bull or himself with his free hand, he receives no score. But unlike the other roughstock contestants, bull riders are not required to mark out their animals. While spurring a bull can add to the cowboy's score, riders are commonly judged solely on their ability to stay aboard the twisting, bucking mass of muscle. Balance, flexibility, coordination, quick reflexes and, perhaps above all, a strong mental attitude are the stuff of which good bull riders are made. Every bull is unique in its bucking habits. A bull may dart to the left, then to the right, then rear back. Some spin or continuously circle in one spot in the arena. Others add jumps or kicks to their spins, while others might jump and kick in a straight line or move side to side while bucking.

TIMED EVENTS:

STEER WRESTLING — This event was originally called "bull dogging" and requires the cowboy to lean from the running horse onto the back of a 600 pound steer, catch it behind the horns, stop the steer's forward momentum and wrestle it to the ground with all four of its legs and head pointing the same direction. The bulldogger is assisted by the hazer, who rides along the steer's right to keep the animal running straight. The objective



of the steer wrestler, who is also known as a "bulldogger," is to use strength and technique to wrestle a steer to the ground as quickly as possible. That sounds simple enough. Here's the catch: the steer generally weighs more than twice as much as the cowboy and, at the time the two come together, they're both often traveling at 30 miles per hour. Speed and precision, the two most important ingredients in steer wrestling, make bulldogging one of rodeo's most challenging events. The bulldogger starts on horseback in a box. A breakaway rope barrier is attached to the steer and stretched across the open end of the box. The steer gets a head start that is determined by the size of the arena. When the steer reaches the advantage point, the barrier is released and the bulldogger takes off in pursuit. If the bulldogger breaks the barrier before the steer reaches his head start, a 10-second penalty is assessed. When the cowboy reaches the steer, he slides down and off the right side of his galloping horse, hooks his right arm around the steer's right horn, grasps the left horn with his left hand and, using strength and leverage, slows the animal and wrestles it to the ground. His work isn't complete until the steer is on its side with all four feet pointing the same direction. That's still not all there is to it. To catch the sprinting steer, the cowboy uses a "hazer," who is another mounted cowboy who gallops his horse along the right side

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of the steer and keeps it from veering away from the bulldogger.

TEAM ROPING — Team roping is the only rodeo event that features two contestants. The team is made up of a header and a heeler. The header ropes the horns, then dallies or wraps his rope around his saddle horn and turns the steer to the left for the other cowboy who ropes the heels. The heeler must throw a loop with precision timing to catch both of the steer's hind legs. The time clock stops once both ropers have made a catch and brought the animals to a stop, facing each other. Team roping, the only true team event in Rodeo, requires close cooperation and timing between two highly skilled ropers — a header and a heeler — and their horses. The event originated on ranches when cowboys needed to treat or brand large steers and the task proved too difficult for one man. Similar to tie-down ropers and steer wrestlers, team ropers start from the boxes on each side of the chute from which the steer enters the arena. The steer gets a head start determined by the length of the arena. One end of a breakaway barrier is attached to the steer and stretched across the open end of the header's box. When the steer reaches his advantage point, the barrier is released, and the header takes off in pursuit, with the heeler trailing slightly further behind. The ropers are assessed a 10-second penalty if the header breaks the barrier before the steer completes his head start. Some rodeos use heeler barriers too. The header ropes first and must make one of three legal catches on the steer — around both horns, around one horn and the head or around the neck. Any other catch by the header is considered illegal and the team is disqualified. After the header makes his catch, he turns the steer to the left and exposes the steer's hind legs to the heeler. The heeler then attempts to rope both hind legs. If he catches only one foot, the team is assessed a five-second penalty. After the cowboys catch the steer, the clock is stopped when there is no slack in their ropes and their horses face one another. Another important aspect to the event is the type of horses used by the ropers. The American quarter horse is the most popular among all timed-event competitors, particularly team ropers. Heading horses generally are taller and heavier because they need the power to turn the steer after it is roped. Heeling horses are quick and agile, enabling them to better follow the steer and react to it moves.

TIE-DOWN ROPING OR CALF ROPING — Tie-Down Roping is an authentic ranch skill that originated from working cowboys. Once the calf has been roped, the cowboy dismounts and runs down the length of the rope to the calf. When the calf is on the ground, the cowboy ties three legs together with a six-foot pigging string. Calves are given a head start, and if the cowboy's horse leaves the box too soon, a barrier breaks and a 10-second penalty is added to the roper's time.

In all of the timed events, a fraction of a second makes the difference between winning and losing. As with saddle bronc riding and team roping, the roots of tie-down roping can be traced back to the working ranches of the Old West. When calves were sick or injured, cowboys had to rope and immobilize them quickly for veterinary treatment. Ranch hands prided themselves on the speed with which they could rope and tie calves, and they soon turned their work into informal contests. Today, the mounted cowboy starts from a box, a three-sided fenced area adjacent to the chute holding the calf. The fourth side of the box opens into the arena. The calf receives a head start that is determined by the length of the arena. One end of a breakaway rope barrier is looped around the calf's neck and stretched across the open end of the box. When the calf reaches its advantage point, the barrier is released. If the roper breaks the barrier before the calf reaches its head start, the cowboy is assessed a 10-second penalty. The horse is trained to come to a stop as soon as the cowboy throws his loop and catches the calf. The cowboy then dismounts, sprints to the calf and throws it by hand, a maneuver called flanking. If the calf is not standing when the cowboy reaches it, he must allow the calf to get back on its feet before flanking it. After the calf is flanked, the roper ties any three legs together with a pigging string — a short, looped rope he clenches in his teeth during the run. When the roper finishes tying the calf, he throws his hands in the air as a signal that the run is completed. The roper then remounts his horse, rides forward to create slack in the rope and waits six seconds to see if the calf remains tied. If the calf kicks free, the roper receives no time.

BREAKAWAY ROPING — Is a rodeo event that features a calf and one mounted cowgirl. The calves are moved through narrow pathways leading to a chute with spring-loaded doors. A 10-foot rope is fastened around the calf's neck which is used to ensure that the calf gets a head start. On one side of the chute will be the breakaway roper who will attempt to rope the calf. The breakaway roper is behind a barrier rope fastened with an easily broken string which is fastened to the rope on the calf. When the roper is ready she calls for the calf and the chute man trips a lever opening the doors. The suddenly freed calf breaks out running. When the calf reaches the end of his rope, it pops off and simultaneously releases the barrier for the roper. The roper must throw the rope in a loop around the calf's neck. Once the rope is around the calf's neck, the roper signals the horse to stop suddenly. The rope is tied to the saddle horn with a string. When the calf hits the end of the rope, the rope is pulled tight and the string breaks. The breaking of the string marks the end of the run. The fastest run wins; if the roper misses the calf then they will receive a no time.

BARREL RACING — This event is a horse race with turns. The cowgirl's time begins as she rides her horse across the starting line in the arena. She makes a run around three upright barrels, which

are in a cloverleaf pattern, and back to the starting line where the clock stops. Tipping a barrel is permitted, but if it is knocked to the ground, a five-second penalty is added to her time. Barrel racing has no judges, which means the event has no subjective points of view. Time is the determining factor. Barrel racing is graceful and simplistic — one woman, three barrels, a horse and the ever-present stopwatch. The horse is ridden as quickly as possible around a cloverleaf course of three barrels. At the end of the performance, after all of the racers have finished their runs, the clock is the one and only judge. Ride quickly and win. Hesitate and lose. Not only must the horse be swift, but it also must be intelligent enough to avoid tipping the barrels, an infraction that adds five penalty seconds to the time and kills any chance for victory. Because so many barrel racers have finely tuned their skill, the sport is timed to the hundredth of a second. When the racer enters the arena, an electronic eye starts the clock. The clock is stopped the instant the horse completes the pattern. Barrel racing at its core has changed little from the days when cowgirls raced for minimal, if any, prize money and support. And though the prizes and exposure are greater now than ever, the ultimate goal remains essentially the same as in the past: stop the clock as quickly as possible.

ANIMAL USE and CARE IN RODEO (FACTS)

Rodeo contests were developed by people who deliberately chose to plan their recreation around the same animals they spent long hours working with. The contests were designed with thorough knowledge and respect of the animals' capabilities and limitations, and are regarded as reasonable use of animals.

Animal welfare, which is caring for and meeting an animal's needs, is practiced in the sport of rodeo. Rodeo people respect, admire, and want to take care of the animals that are so important to their way of life.

It's obvious that rodeo is not taxing for the huge, powerful bulls that toss cowboys around like rag dolls, but some people may wonder if roping is hard on calves. A calf has more than tripled its weight when it is first roped, which is at 225-250 pounds, and is a strong animal. It takes the special roping and handling skills exhibited by the rodeo cowboy to manage the strength of a calf whose instinct is to flee or fight rather than cuddle.

The roping contest is an extension of the necessary skills developed by ranch cowboys to hold cattle for doctoring, etc., without benefit of pens and corrals. The muscular structure of a calf and its hairy, thick hide allows prudent roping without harm. As is observed, immediately upon removal of the rope, calves jog trot out of the arena in a most unconcerned manner. Calves, who soon outgrow weight limits for the event, then fulfill the same purpose they would have in the dairy or beef industry if they had not been in rodeo — or perhaps grow up to be a rodeo bucking bull.

Bull riding has become rodeo's most popular contest. It is not related to any ranch task, but looking at it from the standpoint of the animals, bull riding serves the bull population. More female cattle than male cattle are required in both dairy operations and the building of beef herds. More male cattle are born than are needed for breeding purposes. Rodeo adds years to the lives of some of these excess bulls.

Injury to animals is infrequent with rates documented at a small part of 1%. The use of horses and bulls in rodeo is so undemanding that they stay healthy and perform well for many years. It is not unusual for a bucking horse to be kicking up its heels in fine fashion over the age of 25 and many bulls are still active buckers at 15 years of age. Veterinarians attribute it to the good care they receive which includes quality feed and adequate exercise.

Rodeo associations throughout the country have rules that dictate how contests will be conducted and animals will be handled. The first rules for the humane care and treatment of rodeo animals were established by the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association (PRCA) in 1947, seven years prior to the founding of the Humane Society of the United States.

The average bucking horse or bull works less than five minutes per year in the arena.

Human skin is 1mm-2mm thick, horse hide is 5mm thick, and bull hide is 7mm thick.

The flank strap is fleece-lined in the flank area, which can be compared to the waist of a human. The straps do NOT cover genitalia or cause pain. If the strap were tightened too tightly, the animal would refuse to move, much less buck.

Spurs used by bareback and saddle bronc riders are dull and blunt with free-rolling rowels so that their showy style of leg movement is not harmful to the horse. The rowel, which is the star-shaped wheel on a spur, is loosely locked in bull riding to allow the cowboy a better hold on the loose-hided animals.

An important tool in a livestock operation is the cattle prod. Since large, untrained animals do not reliably respond to voice or hand signals, an effective device is needed for the safety of both people and animals. A veterinarian developed the electric prod powered by size "C" flashlight batteries as a safe alternative to instruments which can poke and bruise. The prod gives a minor surprise shock without any ill effects.

Each year, the cowboys and cowgirls of the various rodeo associations throughout the country honor the best performing horses and bulls in the rough stock events - bareback bronc riding, saddle bronc riding, and bull riding. The "heart" of these honest animals to consistently turn in a good performance is greatly admired, along with the beauty of their efforts. Awards are also given to the owners of the best trained horses ridden by the timed event competitors. The performance of rodeo animals is a matter of pride to the owners and riders. The reputations of the best ones live on in our memories and in legend long after the animals are retired.



NAVAJO COUNTY 4-H/FFA - DEPARTMENTS Q-V



NAVAJO COUNTY 4-H/FFA

• **In addition to the general rules of the Navajo County Fair, inc. the following specific rules shall apply to all 4-H/FFA entries in departments Q – V. Additional rules can be found in each department.**

• **Only members who are enrolled in the current 4-H/FFA year have signed the Navajo County 4-H Member Completion Requirements and who are in good standing may compete in the 4-H/FFA divisions.**

4-H Youth Development is part of the University of Arizona Cooperative Extension and the office for Navajo County is located at 748 N. 3rd Street, at the north end of the Navajo County Fairgrounds.

4-H is open to all youth between the ages 5 and 18, regardless of race, color, national origin, gender, religion, age, disability, sexual orientation, political beliefs, and marital or family status as determined by the following eligibility age criteria.

4-H age is determined by the age of a member at 11:59 p.m. on December 31 of the current 4-H year (October 1 through September 30).

Members ages 5-7 join Arizona Clover Kids 4-H program and members ages 8 – 18 join the regular 4-H club program. Youth cannot have passed their nineteenth birthday on December 31 of the current 4-H year.

Our Goals are to develop leadership and responsibility while learning to live and work with others. Through 4H you will acquire knowledge and skills to explore future careers, and you will achieve a great deal of satisfaction from your work and accomplishments. Most of all 4-H strives to help develop a positive self-image and good Citizenship. Our Motto is "To Make the Best Better." There are many ways to become involved in 4-H. One way to become involved is through membership in a club program. Many projects are available. A project is: 1) planned work in an area of interest to you, 2) guided by a volunteer who is your project leader, 3) aimed at planned objectives that you can attain and measure, and 4) summarized by some form of record keeping. Community Clubs have many exciting activities also. The clubs are led by parents and community volunteers who enjoy working with young people.

Contact the Navajo County Cooperative Extension Office at 928-524-6271 to find out how to join 4-H projects and community clubs.

FFA exhibitors must be a member of a recognized FFA Chapter located in Navajo County. The FFA mission is to make a positive difference in the lives of students by developing their potential for premier leadership, personal growth, and career success through agricultural education. Members of the FFA follow the motto "Learning to Do, Doing to Learn, Earning to Live, Living to Serve."

Contact a local high school Agricultural Department to find out how to join your local FFA Chapter.



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NAVAJO COUNTY 4-H/FFA - DEPARTMENTS Q-V



INFORMATION FOR DEPARTMENTS Q – V:

- *In addition to the general rules of the Navajo County Fair, inc. the following specific rules shall apply to all 4-H/FFA entries.*
- *Only members who are enrolled in the current 4-H/FFA year have signed the Navajo County 4-H Member Completion Requirements and who are in good standing may compete in the 4-H/FFA divisions.*

ENTRY INFORMATION:

1. Use the entry forms provided in this Fairbook at the end of each department to enter your exhibits/ animal/s.
2. All 4-H/FFA entry forms must be delivered to their 4-H leaders or FFA advisors for review. Leaders will need to deliver all entries to the Navajo County Fair Committee Chair for HAC, Jr Livestock and Small Stock. These Chairmen/women will need to deliver to Navajo County Extension Agent office by August 15, 2023.
3. Entry forms must have legal names. Entries with improper division or identification and incomplete entry forms will NOT be accepted nor judged and entry fees will be forfeited. NO EXCEPTIONS.
4. Entries must represent the project work the 4-H/FFA member is carrying out for this year and have not been previously exhibited at the fair. Exhibitors may enter only in the classes which correspond to the projects being carried.
5. All entries must be the bona fide property of the exhibitor.
6. Members wanting to enter record books for premiums must turn in completed record books along with their entry form on August 15, 2023. All completed record books and secretary books are due at the time of entry deadline. The record books, when entered, are to be entered into Department T, Division 3001.
7. **Please see each department for entry fees.**
8. **Please see each department's division for specific rules on the number of exhibits/animals you can enter.**
9. **If you are entering multiple Departments, please use the specific entry form at the end of each department.**
10. After the August 15, 2023, deadline, **Late Entry Fees Will Apply – see each department for fees.**
11. Use the fairbook to find your entry category.
12. Please fill out your entry form using:
 - Department letter
 - Division number
 - Class number
 - Age group number

Age Group Numbers

1. Clover Buds, 5-7 on 12/31/22
 2. Juniors, 8-10 on 12/31/22
 3. Intermediate 11 – 13 on 12/31/22
 4. Seniors, 14–18 on 12/31/22
1. Entry is limited to Navajo County residents.
 2. For more information or instructions on how to enter call the fair office at **(928) 524-4757** or go to our website **navajocountyfair.net**.



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NAVAJO COUNTY 4-H/FFA - DEPARTMENTS Q-V



EXHIBIT DROP OFF INFORMATION:

1. All 4-H/FFA exhibits/livestock are **DUE on Tuesday, September 12, 2023, from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.** Weigh ins will take place upon check in if applicable. **No animals will be allowed onto the Navajo County Fairgrounds after this time, including showmanship animals, except for Horse Achievement.**
2. All exhibits/animals **MUST** remain on the fairgrounds until check-out on Sunday, September 17, 2023. Check-out times are from 7:00am – 10:00am. Ribbons and premiums will be forfeited if animals are removed without approval by the Navajo County Fair Board representative committee chairperson.

JUDGING, PREMIUMS AND AWARDS:

1. All 4-H and FFA members must be present with their exhibits for judging in all areas. It is the responsibility of the member and his/her family to see that the exhibit is presented for judging at the scheduled time.
2. All exhibits/animals will be judged on the modified Danish system. Judges may award a blue, red, or white ribbon. Premium ribbons will indicate a money award. See each department for specific premium money and special awards.
3. **Premiums will not be paid for classes with less than three (3) entries (this excludes Horse achievement (HAC department R & S))**
4. **Premium checks will not be issued until all departments have been verified.**
5. The judge's decisions are final.

RULES:

1. YQCA Certification is required for all Jr. Livestock and Small Stock exhibitors that will participate in the auction at the Navajo County Fair. Exhibitors will be required to show YQCA certification at check-in on Tuesday, September 13, 2022.
2. Every effort will be made to protect and care for entries/livestock, but in no case will the Navajo County Fair, Inc., including its officers, volunteers, agents and/or employees, be responsible for any damage or loss which may occur.
3. If an animal dies during the Fair, then the animal will be disposed of immediately at the owner's expense.
4. Animals showing evidence of disease and/or parasite infestation will be dismissed from the fairgrounds immediately.
5. Transportation, care, and feeding of animals will be the responsibility of the exhibitor or Navajo County Fair Superintendent. Please see each department rule.
6. **ALL** exhibitors will be responsible for cleaning (raking/washing) out their pens when they check out. Any exhibitor who has not made prior arrangements to have their stall/pen cleaned will be assessed a fee. In the event of shared pans/or pens the exhibitors are to work together to assure cleaning is completed. (Please see each department)
7. If exhibitors find it hard to comply with the rules and regulations, it is advised not to enter.



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DEPARTMENT Q - JUNIOR LIVESTOCK



ENTRY INFORMATION AND RULES:

1. All exhibitors in this department must have signed the Terms and Agreement form by April 15th, 2023, and follow all General rules set forth by 4-H/FFA, Navajo County Fair, Inc., and the Navajo County Jr. Livestock Committee.
2. No individual entry form is required for this department. All Jr. Livestock exhibits will be entered by the Jr. Livestock Secretary and animal(s) are required to weigh-in and check-in on check-in day.
3. All animals being shown under Jr. Livestock must have tagged their exhibits by the tagging dates set forth by the Navajo County Jr. Livestock Committee. Beef – 150 days prior to fair check-in. Swine, lambs, and goats – 95 days prior to fair check-in.
4. Weigh-in and check-ins will be Tuesday, September 12, 2023, between 5:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m.
5. Steers, Lambs, Goats, and Swine will be divided into sub classes: light, medium, and heavy, depending on weights and numbers of animals at check-in. First, Second and Third place premiums will be paid for each sub-class.
6. **All pens MUST be cleaned and maintained throughout the day.** (Refer to Rule #51 in the Jr. Livestock terms and agreements.
7. Animals not going through the Navajo County Jr. Livestock sale will not be removed until Sunday, September 18, 2022, at 7:00 a.m.
8. Livestock Exhibits will be released on Sunday, September 17, 2023, from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. **Premiums will be forfeited if removed prior to 7:00 a.m. on Sunday, September 17, 2023.**
9. **Round Robin – Large Livestock** - A showmanship competition that is open to all Large Livestock and Junior and Senior Showmanship winners. The Round Robin will be held during the fair in the livestock arena and is open to Juniors and Seniors who have won in the Beef, Sheep, Swine and Market Goat Showmanship competitions.
10. Entry fee is \$25.00 per animal entered with \$100 Max per family except for Showmanship classes.
11. Premiums: First \$15; Second \$10; Third \$5; Grand Champion \$15; Reserve Champion \$10

Attention all Junior Livestock exhibitors: Navajo County Fair would like all Junior Livestock exhibitors to decorate their pens. Navajo County Fair will be awarding best decorated pen and cleanest pen in the Steer, Lamb, Goat and Swine categories.



NAVAJO COUNTY JR. LIVESTOCK & SMALL STOCK SALE Friday, September 13th, 2023 • 1:00 pm Navajo County Fairgrounds



Come and support our local Jr. Livestock exhibitors by attending the

2023 Navajo County Jr. Livestock Sale and Buyer's Luncheon Friday, September 15, 2023

Buyer's Luncheon
11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Jr. Livestock Sale
at 1:00 p.m.



DEPARTMENTS R & S - HORSE ACHIEVEMENT



- Contestants must have met all the requirements for this department to be able to participate. Only Navajo County 4H members in good standing, who have complied with the 2023 Navajo County Fair Horse Achievement Committee (HAC) rules will be eligible to participate in this department.
- The Navajo County Horse Show will be governed according to the (HAC) rules. These rules are available from their 4H club leader and are also available at the fair office.
- All exhibitors must enter the Fair with a 2023 Navajo County Fair Entry Form by the deadline of August 15, 2023. This must be turned into their 4H Club Leader who will turn the form in with the signed HAC General Show Rules (2022-2023), Participant/Parent Agreement Form and Waiver (**due April 15**). Note: 8yr old may show as a Pee wee with a HAC form signed by parent and 4-H Club leader (Due June 1st).
No late entries will be accepted. No exceptions.
- All entries must be at the appropriate age according to HAC rules.
- The Western Horse Show will be on Saturday, September 09, 2023, at 8:00 a.m. The Roping/Team Sorting, Ranch Horse and Speed Events will be on Wednesday, September 13, 2023, at 8:00am. See 4H leader for schedule.

Age Group Numbers

- Clover Buds, 5-7 on 12/31/22
- Juniors, 8-10 on 12/31/22
- Intermediate 11 – 13 on 12/31/22
- Seniors, 14–18 on 12/31/22

Premiums: First \$10; Second \$5; Third \$3





DEPARTMENTS R & S - HORSE ACHIEVEMENT



DEPARTMENT R – OPEN HORSE ACHIEVEMENT

Division 2401 – Roping/Team

Sorting Activities Junior

Class/Description

1. Breakaway Roping
2. Team Roping-Heading
3. Team Roping-Heeling
4. Team Sorting
5. Ranch Horse Trail

Division 2402 – Roping/Team

Sorting Activities Senior

Class/Description

1. Breakaway Roping
2. Team Roping-Heading
3. Team Roping-Heeling
4. Team Sorting
5. Ranch Horse Trail

Division 2403 – Speed Events Junior

Class/Description

1. Pole Bending
2. Barrel Racing
3. Goat Tying

Division 2404 – Speed Events Senior

Class/Description

1. Pole Bending
2. Barrel Racing
3. Goat Tying

Division 2405 – Showing Events Junior

Class/Description

1. Showmanship
2. Western Bareback
3. Western Pleasure

4. Western Horsemanship
5. Western Riding
6. Reining
7. Trail

Division 2406 – Showing Events Senior

Class/Description

1. Showmanship
2. Western Bareback
3. Western Pleasure
4. Western Horsemanship
5. Western Riding
6. Reining
7. Trail

DEPARTMENT S – OPEN PEE WEE HORSE ACHIEVEMENT

- Pee Wee Horse Show will start at 6:00 p.m. on Friday, September 08, 2023.

Division 2407 – Open Pee Wee

Showing Events

Class/Description

1. Western Showmanship, Halter
2. Western Pleasure
3. Horsemanship
4. Trail

Division 2408 – Open Pee Wee

Speed/Roping Events

Class/Description

1. Barrel Racing
2. Pole Bending
3. Goat Neck Tie
4. Breakaway Roping

**2023 Navajo County Fair
Department “R & S– Horse Achievement” Entry Form**

P.O. Box 309 – Holbrook, Arizona 86025

For office
use only:
Exhibitor ID

Entries MUST be made on Navajo County Fair Entry Form. Photocopies are acceptable. Entry Forms will not be accepted without proper fees and signatures. Please completely fill out the Form. PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY.

Step 1: Exhibitor Information

Name of Exhibitor (First)	(Last)	Telephone #
Mailing Address	City	State Zip
Email Address	Date of Birth	Age (as of December 31, 2022)

Step 2: Exhibit Information

For office use only: Entry No.	Dept. Letter	Division No.	Class No.	Age group No.*	Animal Tag ID	Description of Entry (Details of class description from book)

*Age group #: (1) Pee Wee, 5 -7 \$20 entry
(2) Junior, 8-10; (3) Intermediate, 11-13; (4) Senior, 14-18 \$25 entry

Step 3: Required Signatures

Please accept the entries listed on this form. I hereby agree to be governed by the rules and classification listed in the Navajo County Fair premium book. I hereby certify that I have read and understand this document in its entirety and all statements made in connection with these are true. I also hereby release the Navajo County Fair, Inc., its officers, and agents from all liabilities for loss, damage and/or injury to livestock and/or other property, while said property is on the Navajo County Fairgrounds.

Exhibitor Signature	Parent/Guardian Signature (if exhibitor is under 18 years of age)
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Step 4: Total Fees Due \$_____ (\$25.00/page for Jr, Int, Sr) _____ (\$20/page for Pee Wee)
Entry Deadline: August 15, 2023



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DEPARTMENT T - 4-H / FFA EXHIBITS



DEPARTMENT T – 4-H/FFA EXHIBITS

• All educational exhibits, posters and experiments must be judged at the Navajo County Fair Stage, Tuesday, September 12, 2023, from 4:00p.m. to 6:00 p.m. for the face-to-face judging. Exhibitors must be present for the judging.

ENTRY INFORMATION & RULES:

1. Please follow the instructions at the beginning of the 4-H/FFA information to fill out your entry form which is located at the end of this department.
2. Entry fees are \$1.00 per entry/exhibit.
3. Only one entry per class, per exhibitor, unless otherwise stated in the premium book. This rule will be enforced during the Navajo County Fair and subsequent fairs thereafter.
4. **If there are less than three (3) entries in a class, classes will be combined in "all other".**
5. **If there are less than three (3) entries in a class premiums will not be paid, but exhibitors will still receive awards.**
6. **Premiums for Department T are: First \$5; Second \$3; Third \$2.**
7. **Special awards may be given at the discretion of the judge.**

Division 3001 –Record Books

Class/Description

1. 1st year members
2. 2nd year members
3. 3rd year members
4. 4th year members & up

Division 3002 – Educational Exhibit

Class/Description

1. Educational Exhibit Poster
2. Vet Science Educational poster

Division 3003 - Sewing

- All exhibits should be clean and pressed.
- All exhibits should be plainly tagged with name, class, and age.
- Exhibitors may enter up to two (2) items.

Class/Description

1. 1st year members
2. 2nd year members
3. 3rd year members
4. 4th year members & up

FOODS

- Exhibitors must make all baked goods.
- All entries are to be on white paper plates, except for cakes, and inserted in a Ziploc plastic bag. Cakes are to be on cardboard mounts.
- No commercial mixes.
- Exhibitors may enter up to two (2) items.

Division 3004 – Baking/Breads

Class/Description

1. 1st year members
2. 2nd year members
3. 3rd year members
4. 4th year members & up

Division 3005 – Photography

- All photography entries must be completed, framed, or matted, wired for hanging and be in good taste.
- ☐ All exhibits must be the work of the exhibitor.

Class/Description

1. 1st year members
2. 2nd year members
3. 3rd year members
4. 4th year members & up

Division 3006 – STEM/STEAM

STEM/STEAM is an educational approach to learning that uses Science, Technology, Engineering, the Arts and Mathematics as access points for guiding student inquiry, dialogue, and critical thinking. The end results are students who take thoughtful risks, engage in experimental learning.

Requirements for judging at the fair:

- Project on Display
- Journal/Documentation on the process of the project

Class/Description

1. 1st year members
2. 2nd year members
3. 3rd year members
4. 4th year members & up

ARTS & CRAFTS

Division 3007 – Arts & Crafts



DEPARTMENT T - 4-H / FFA EXHIBITS



Class/Description

1. Ceramic
2. String art
3. Tissue paper craft
4. Beadwork/Jewelry
5. Papier-mâché/Plaster/Decoupage article
6. Metal craft
7. Wood craft
8. Natural craft
9. Fabric/Yarn craft
10. Any other

Division 3008 – Leather Craft

Class/Description

1. Belts
2. Knife holder
3. Billfolds
4. Coin purse
5. Keychain
6. Halter, bridle, etc.
7. Leather covered article
8. Braided/Laced article
9. Purse, briefcase, etc.
10. Any other

Division 3009 -

Metal Working & Welding

Class/Description

1. 1st year members
2. 2nd year members
3. 3rd year members
4. 4th year members & up

HORTICULTURE

• All plants must have been in a member's possession and growing in the container in which they are exhibited for at least 3 months prior to the fair.

Division 3010 – Plant Science

Class/Description

1. Vegetable
2. Fruit
3. Flowers
4. Any other

Division 3011 – Beekeeping

Class/Description

1. Extracted honey
2. Comb honey
3. Any other



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2023 Navajo County Fair Department “T – 4 – H & FFA Exhibits” Entry Form

P.O. Box 309 – Holbrook, Arizona 86025

For office use only:
Exhibitor ID:

Entries MUST be made on Navajo County Fair Entry Form. Photocopies are acceptable. Entry Forms will not be accepted without proper fees and signatures. Please completely fill out the Form. PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY.

Step 1: Exhibitor Information

Name of Exhibitor (First)	(Last)	Telephone #
Mailing Address	City	State Zip
Email Address	Date of Birth	Age (as of December 31, 2022)

Step 2: Exhibit Information

For office use only: Entry No.	Dept. Letter	Division No.	Class No.	Age Group No.*	Description of Entry (Details about item: class description from book)

*Age group #: (1) Pee Wee, 5 -7; (2) Junior, 8-10; (3) Intermediate, 11-13; (4) Senior, 14-18

Step 3: Required Signatures

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Exhibitor Signature Parent/Guardian Signature (if exhibitor is under 18 years of age)

Step 4: Total Fees Due \$ _____ (\$1.00 per Exhibit) Entry Deadline: August 15, 2023



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DEPARTMENT U - 4-H / FFA SMALL STOCK



DEPARTMENT U – 4-H/FFA SMALL STOCK

• Note: Clover Buds Can Not Show an Animal under 4-H Guidelines. They will enter in Department P.

POULTRY, RABBIT, CAVY

- All General Fair Rules, Navajo County Fair Small Stock Rules and the National Show Ring Code of Ethics will apply.
- All poultry, rabbit, and cavy entries are due on Tuesday, September 12, 2023, between 5:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. Weigh-ins will take place at check-in no exceptions.
- All entries will be officially checked in and inspected by the appropriate small stock superintendent. Exhibits will be accepted from 5:00pm to 8:00pm on Tuesday of Fair week. "Seasonal Pass" must accompany all animals to weigh-ins and check-ins. Any animal without proper papers and tag provided by the Navajo County Fair Small Stock Committee will not be accepted at the Fair.
- YQCA certification is required for all small stock exhibitors that will participate in the auction at the Navajo County Fair. Exhibitors will be required to show YQCA certification at check in on Tuesday, September 12, 2023.
- All exhibitors must show in Showmanship to have a market entry in the 4-H/FFA poultry, rabbit, or cavy departments.
- An exhibitor may enter more than one entry in each class. unless otherwise noted.
- Entry fees are \$5.00/entry. Entry fees for Showmanship are \$2.00
- Premiums are First \$5; Second \$3; Third \$2.
- Special placings will be prizes and may include Grand & Reserve Champion, Best of Breed or Best of Show.
- Premiums will not be paid for classes with less than three (3) entries.

• Exhibitors will only be eligible for two (2) premiums per class.

- The Fair will exercise very reasonable care in feeding and handling of your entries. Navajo County Fair will provide all feed, water, and bedding while animals are at the fair. If you choose to have your own feed, please bring it at check in and plan with the Superintendent for feeding instructions. If you choose to feed your own animals you will need to arrange feeding times with the Superintendent. Morning feeding and initial verified stall cleaning for turkeys will be completed by 9:00 a.m. each day and maintained throughout the day.
- All exhibitors are responsible for cleaning out their cages when they check out. If exhibitors share cages, they need to coordinate for cleaning disposal pan. If the stall has not been rectified with the corresponding superintendent, exhibitor will be charged a fee of \$25.00 assessed to the exhibitor's animal per pen per day. Any exhibitor who is fined will also still be required to clean their pen.
- No animals will be allowed to be advertised for sale or sold while on the fairgrounds until the auction is over.
- The Navajo County Fair and Navajo County Small Stock Committee reserve the right to limit the number of entries per exhibitor if cages are not available.
- All eggs become the property of Navajo County Fair, Inc.
- The Round Robin will be held during the fair in the livestock arena and is open to Junior, Intermediate and Seniors who have won in the Poultry, Rabbit and Cavies Showmanship competitions. If an exhibitor wins more than one showmanship contest, they must choose one species and defer the other to the second individual in that contest. All exhibitors are encouraged to learn the most information possible about the species they will be showing.





DEPARTMENT U - 4-H / FFA SMALL STOCK



POULTRY

• This show will be governed by the latest American Poultry Association (APA), and the American Bantam Association (ABA). All awards/prizes will be awarded strictly in accordance with the APA/ABA Standards of Perfection. The Judge's decision will be final.

• All poultry must be banded with a numbered leg band that matches ownership documentation as outlined in the Navajo County Fair Small Stock General Rules.

• An exhibitor may enter more than one entry in each class.

Division 3064 – 3069 – Standard Chickens

3064. American Class

3065. Asiatic Class

3066. English Class

3067. Mediterranean Class

3068. Continental Class

3069. All Other Standard Breeds

Division 3070 – 3074 – Bantams

3070. Game Class

3071. Single Comb Clean Legged

3072. Rose Comb Clean Legged

3073. All Other Clean Legged

3074. Feather Legged

The following class numbers apply to Divisions 3064 through 3074

Class/Description

1. Old cock, over 1 year

2. Old hen, over 1 year

3. Young cock (cockerel), under 1 year

4. Young hen (pullet), under 1 year

5. Old trio, over 1 year

6. Young trio, under 1 year

Division 3075 – Turkey Heritage Breed

1. Old hen turkey, over 1 year

2. Old tom turkey, over 1 year

3. Young hen turkey, under 1 year

4. Young tom turkey, under 1 year

Division 3076 – 3080 – Ducks

3076. Heavy Weight

3077. Medium Weight

3078. Light Weight

3079. Runner

3080. Bantam

The following class numbers apply to Divisions 3076 through 3080.

1. Old hen, over 1 year

2. Old drake, over 1 year

3. Young hen, under 1 year

4. Young drake, under 1 year

Division 3081 – 3083 – Geese

3081. Heavy Weight

3082. Medium Weight

3083. Light Weight

The following class numbers apply to Divisions 3081 through 3083.

Class/Description

1. Old goose, over 1 year

2. Old gander, over 1 year

3. Young goose, under 1 year

4. Young gander, under 1 year

PIGEONS AND ALL OTHER FOWL

Division 3085 – 3089

3084. Guinea Fowl

3085. Pigeons, Fancy

3086. Pigeons, Flying

3087. Pigeons, Utility

3088. Gamebirds

3089. Any Other Fowl

The following class numbers apply to Division 3084 through 3089

Class/Description

1. Hen, over 1 year

2. Cock, over 1 year

3. Young hen, under 1 year

4. Young cock, under 1 year

Division 3090 – Poultry Showmanship

Class/Description

1. Sr. Showmanship

2. Intermediate Showmanship

3. Jr. Showmanship

Meat Pens/Laying Hens

• Meat Pens - Raise three live chickens from pullets to no more than 10 weeks old.

• Meat pens should be uniform in appearance and size.

• Fryers should weigh 3 ½ to 4 ½ pounds each.

• Broilers should weigh a minimum of 4 ½ pounds each.

• If one of the three fryers/broilers are over or under weight, the entire pen will be disqualified.

• Turkeys - Must be Broad Breasted White or Broad Breasted Bronze varieties, minimum of 15 pounds and less than 9 months of age.

• Laying Hens - Raise three live chicks from pullets to a minimum of 20 weeks old.

• Laying Hen Pens should be reaching or at egg laying age and should be uniform in appearance and size.

• **Maximum of two entries per class per exhibitor.**

Division 3091 - Meat Pens/Laying Hens

Fryers, pen of 3

Broilers, pen of 3

Turkeys Laying hens, pen of 3



DEPARTMENT U - 4-H / FFA SMALL STOCK



The following class number applies to Divisions 3091 through 3094.

Class/Description

1. Any

Division 3095 – Eggs

Class/Description

1. White, 6
2. Brown, 6
3. Any other, 6

RABBITS

• This show will be governed by the latest rules of the American Rabbit Breeders Association. (ARBA). All awards/prizes will be awarded strictly in accordance with the ARBA Standard of Perfection. The judge's decision will be final.

• All rabbits must be tattooed in the left ear with a permanent marking that matches ownership documentation as outlined in the Navajo County Fair Small Stock General Rules.

• An exhibitor may enter more than one entry in each class.

Division 3096 - 3146

- 3096. American
- 3097. American Chinchilla
- 3098. American Fuzzy Lop
- 3099. American Sable
- 3100. Argent Brun
- 3101. Belgian Hare
- 3102. Beveren
- 3103. Blanc de Hotot
- 3104. Britannia Petite
- 3105. Californian
- 3106. Champagne d'Argent
- 3107. Checkered Giant
- 3108. Cinnamon
- 3109. Crème de Argent
- 3110. Dutch
- 3111. Dwarf Hotot
- 3112. Dwarf Papillion
- 3113. English Angora
- 3114. English Lop
- 3115. English Spot
- 3116. Flemish Giant
- 3117. Florida White
- 3118. French Angora
- 3119. French Lop
- 3120. Giant Angora
- 3121. Giant Chinchilla

- 3122. Harlequin
- 3123. Havana
- 3124. Himalayan
- 3125. Holland Lop
- 3126. Jersey Wooley
- 3127. Lilac
- 3128. Lionhead
- 3129. Mini Lop
- 3130. Mini Rex
- 3131. Mini Satin
- 3132. Netherland Dwarf
- 3133. New Zealand
- 3134. Palomino
- 3135. Polish
- 3136. Rex
- 3137. Rhinelander
- 3138. Satin
- 3139. Satin Angora
- 3140. Silver
- 3141. Silver Fox
- 3142. Silver Marten
- 3143. Standard Chinchilla
- 3144. Tan
- 3145. Thrianta
- 3146. All Other

The following class numbers apply to Division 3096 through 3146.

Class/Description

1. Sr. buck
2. Sr. doe
3. Intermediate buck
4. Intermediate doe
5. Jr. buck
6. Jr. doe

Division 3147 – Rabbit Showmanship

Class/Description

1. Sr. Showmanship
2. Intermediate Showmanship
3. Jr. Showmanship

Division 3148 – Meat Pens

• Meat pens shall consist of three rabbits, all the same breed and variety. Broken group meat pens must also be of the same variety. A meat pen does not necessarily have to come from the same litter. Age limit, ten weeks of age. Meat pens should weigh between 3 ½ pounds and 5 ½ pounds each. If one of the three rabbits are over or under weight, the entire pen will be disqualified.

• **Two entries, per class, per exhibitor.**

Class/Description

1. Any

CAVIES

• This show will be governed by the latest American Rabbit Breeders Association (ARBA). All awards/prizes will be awarded strictly in accordance with the ARBA Standard of Perfection. The judge's decision will be final.

• All Cavy must have a cavy tag in the left ear that matches ownership documentation as outlined in the Navajo County Fair Small Stock General Rules.

• An exhibitor may enter more than one entry in each class.

Division 3149 – 3162 - Cavy

- 3149. Abyssinian
- 3150. Abyssinian Satin
- 3151. American
- 3152. American Satin
- 3153. Coronet
- 3154. Peruvian
- 3155. Peruvian Satin
- 3156. Silkie
- 3157. Silkie Satin
- 3158. Teddy
- 3159. Teddy Satin
- 3160. Texel
- 3161. White Crested
- 3162. Any Other

The following class numbers apply to Division 3149 through 3162

Class/Description

1. Sr. boar
2. Sr. sow
3. Intermediate boar
4. Intermediate sow
5. Jr. boar
6. Jr. sow

Division 3163 – Cavy Showmanship

Class/Description

1. Sr. Showmanship
2. Intermediate Showmanship
3. Jr. Showmanship



DEPARTMENT V - 4-H / FFA GOATS



DEPARTMENT V – 4-H/FFA GOATS

• **Note: Clover Kids Can Not Show an Animal under 4-H Guidelines they will enter Department O.**

- Dress code needs to be white shirt and white pants for dairy goats only. FFA dress code needs to be Official Dress with the exception of wearing black pants instead of black dress slacks. All other a dress code will be enforced. Long sleeve shirt, pants and closed toe shoes or boots.
- All breeds will be judged together unless enough are exhibited outside of their pens in designated show area for the judges.
- Crossbreeds are eligible.
- All 4-H goats must arrive hornless except for the fiber breeds.
- Exhibitors must be on hand to show their animals.
- **No Bucks allowed.**
- Only one exhibitor/entry per class number shown.
- Entry fees are \$5.00/entry. Entry fees for Showmanship are \$2.00
- Premiums are First \$10; Second \$5; Third \$3.
- Awards will be given for special placings. Special placings are as follows: Best of Breed, Best of Show, Grand Champion, and Reserve Champion.
 - If there are less than three entries in a class no premiums will be paid.
 - Exhibitors will only be eligible for two (2) premiums per class.
 - The Round Robin will be held during the fair in the livestock arena and is open to Junior, Intermediate and Seniors who have won in the Dairy Goat Showmanship competitions. All exhibitors are encouraged to learn the most information possible about the species they will be showing.

Division 3058 – Dairy Goats

Class/Description

1. Sr. doe freshened
 - A. Milking Doe - Yearling
 - B. Milking Doe - Two and under three
 - C. Milking Doe - Three and under four
 - D. Milking Doe - Four and under five
 - E. Milking Doe - Five and over
2. Sr. doe not fresh
 - A. 2 years and under three
 - B. 3 years and under four
 - C. 4 and under five years old
 - D. 5 years and up
1. Yearling doe, 12 to 24 months, not freshened yet
2. Junior doe, 6 to 12 months
3. Baby doe, under 6 months

Division 3059 - 3062

3059. Meat Goats
3060. Fiber Goats
3061. Pygmy Goats
3062. Pack Goats

The following class numbers apply to Divisions 3059 through 3062

Class/Description

1. Sr. doe freshened
 - A. 1 years old
 - B. 2 years old
 - C. 3 years old
 - D. 4 years old
 - E. 5 years and up
2. Sr. doe not fresh
 - A. 1 years old
 - B. 2 years old
 - C. 3 years old
 - D. 4 years old
 - E. 5 years and up
3. Yearling goat, 12 to 24 months not freshened yet
4. Junior goat, 6 to 12 months
5. Baby goat, under 6 months

Division 3063 – Goat Showmanship

Class/Description

1. Senior Showmanship
2. Intermediate
3. Junior Showmanship



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EASTER EGG HUNT

Taylor Rodeo Grounds Little League Field
Held the Saturday before Easter.
 Easter Egg Hunt for ages 2 to 10. Please bring your own basket.
 Visit Snowflake Taylor Recreation & Parks Facebook page for more info.



TAYLOR TRAPPER DAYS

Memorial Weekend - May
 Activities include a Veteran's Memorial Program, tour of historic homes, Tint Sprint 2K Fun Run.
 Visit Snowflake Taylor Recreation & Parks Facebook page for more info.



TAYLOR INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION & NIGHT RODEO

Taylor Rodeo Grounds
Held on Friday and Saturday closest to July 4.
 Firing of the Anvil kicks things off followed by a patriotic program, Fun Run races, live Western entertainment, arts and crafts, food, Night Rodeo, fireworks, and dance.



SNOWFLAKE PIONEER DAYS CELEBRATION

Held Friday and Saturday nearest July 24.
 Chamber Activities: Arts and Crafts Show with food vendors & Car Show
 Other Activities: Parade, Pioneer Program, BBQ, dances, theatrical performances, softball, kids' entertainment, golf tournament, two-day rodeo and fireworks.



TAYLOR SWEET CORN FESTIVAL

Held on Saturday of Labor Day weekend.
 A parade, arts and crafts fair, food vendors, kids' activities, corn hole tournament and fireworks are all part of this annual festival held on Labor Day Weekend celebrating the harvest of Taylor farmers' primary crop - Sweet Corn. Plenty of sweet corn is available for purchase to enjoy the day of or to take home.



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Held the second Saturday of October at Pioneer Park in Snowflake.
 Arts and crafts, wagon rides to the Willis Family Farm pumpkin patch and corn maze, food, entertainment, and activities for kids in the Game Zone.



MONSTER BASH AWARDS DINNER & AUCTION

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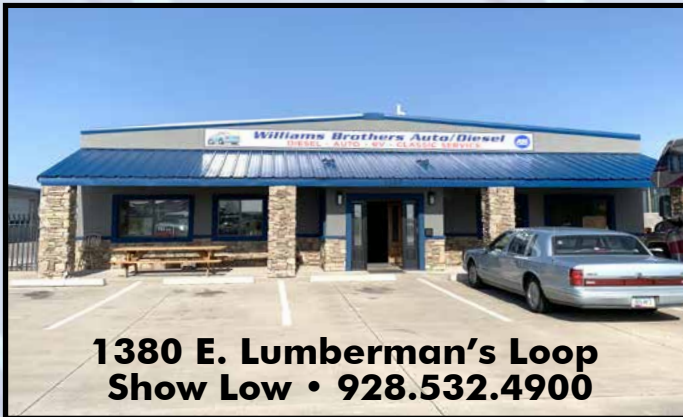


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