

2005

SUMMER BLAST!

LANCASTER COUNTY FAIR

AUGUST 3-7

LANCASTER EVENT CENTER
84th & Havelock, Lincoln
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Free!

FREE admission!
FREE entertainment!
FREE parking!

SCHEDULE & MAP

Does not include check-in and release times



Lancaster County 4-H has the largest county fair horse show in the state with 29 total events!



New this year: chainsaw artist Nick Jensen of Papa Bear Carvings will be at the Lancaster County Fair!



Residents exhibit their best. Special award goes to largest vegetable.

PRE-FAIR SCHEDULE

- Friday, July 29 — Open Class Horse Show—Rail Classes** (Multipurpose Arena) 4 p.m.
 Exhibitors of all ages compete in English Equitation, English Pleasure, Walk Trot, Western Pleasure, Jackpot Western Pleasure and Western Horsemanship.
SPONSORED BY SCHWISOW CONSTRUCTION INC.
- Saturday, July 30 — Open Class Horse Show—Games** (Multipurpose Arena) 8 a.m.
 Exhibitors of all ages compete in Poles, Stake Race, Flag Drop Race, Barrels and Jackpot Barrels.
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- Monday, Aug. 1 — Open Class & 4-H/FFA Static Exhibit Check-in** (Lincoln Room) 4-8 p.m.
 Open Class categories are open to anyone ages 6 and up. For complete information on how to enter exhibits in the Lancaster County Fair, pick up a 2005 Lancaster County Fair Open Class, 4-H & FFA Fair Book. Fair Books are available at the Lancaster Event Center or online at <http://www.lancastereventcenter.com/fair.html>
- Tuesday, Aug. 2 — 4-H Shooting Sports Contest** (Pavilion 3) 9 a.m.
 4-H members compete in BB Gun/Pellet Rifle and Pellet Pistol
- 4-H Horse Show—Dressage** (Multipurpose Arena) 1 p.m.
 Dressage is the performance of a specific pattern of movements — horse and rider are judged on presentation, accuracy and obedience of the horse.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 3

- Open Class & 4-H/FFA Static Exhibits** (Lincoln Room) 9 a.m.–9 p.m.
 Come see the very best Lancaster County and its surrounding areas have to offer in Fine Arts, Home Products, Farm Products and Textiles! 4-H youth enter exhibits in more than 100 4-H project areas. FFA youth exhibit projects in FFA Ag Mechanics.
OPEN CLASS STATIC EXHIBITS SPONSORED BY ADM MILLING COMPANY—GOOCH MILLING AND ELEVATOR CO., THE CALICO HOUSE, CAMPBELL'S NURSERIES & GARDEN CENTERS INC., COSMIC COW, EARL MAY NURSERY & GARDEN CENTER, EMBROIDERS' GUILD OF AMERICA, GARDEN PARTY FLORAL (WAVERLY), HANCOCK FABRICS, RUNZA RESTAURANTS, SEW CREATIVE, SHERWIN-WILLIAMS CO., SUNWEST FARMS, AND WILLIAMS GARDEN CENTER INC.
- 4-H English Horse Jumping Show—Hunter Hack/Hunter/Jumper** (Multipurpose Arena) 9 a.m.
 English Horse Show uses hunter-type horses. English attire and tack are used. In the Hunter/Jumper classes, exhibitors ride a course with jumps of various types.
- Open Class Poultry Show** (Pavilion 1 - Walkway) 10 a.m.
 Exhibitors of all ages show their large fowl, bantams, feathered-legged, ducks, bantam ducks, geese, turkeys and guinea fowl to compete for championship honors. This show is an American Poultry Association sanctioned meet.
- 4-H Household Pets Show/Quiz Bowl** (Pavilion 3 - Exhibit Hall) Noon
 4-H members exhibit a wide variety of household pets, including guinea pigs, hamsters and caged birds. Judges interview exhibitors on overall care of and knowledge of their little critters. Quiz bowl follows.
- 4-H English Horse Show—Hunt Seat/Saddle Seat Showmanship/English Pleasure/English Equitation** (Multipurpose Arena) 1 hour after 4-H English Horse Jumping Show
 English Horse Show uses hunter-type horses. English attire and tack are used.
- Carnival** (Southwest of Buildings) 5 p.m.—Midnight
 This year's carnival is — yet again — bigger and better than ever with nearly 25 rides, games and concessions! New this year are: Bumper Cars, Tilt-a-Whirl and The Raiders (an obstacle/adventure course). Other rides include the Berry Go Round, Crazy Kars, Sooper Jet, Ferris Wheel, a variety of kiddie rides and much more! Unlimited rides for \$18 during special wristband evening session from 5-10 p.m.
PRESENTED BY BLUES AMUSEMENT CARNIVAL AND LANCASTER COUNTY FAIR BOARD
- Dunk Tank** (Courtyard) Evening
 See if you have the strength and precision to determine some poor fool's fate while helping raise funds for landscaping at the Lancaster Event Center.
PRESENTED BY 4-H RABBITS R US CLUB
- 4-H Horse Show—Horsemanship Pairs/Freestyle Dressage/Drill Teams** (Multipurpose Arena) 6 p.m.
 In the freestyle drill teams, three to 25 riders perform a show set to music and choreographed by the youth. Horses and riders are often in costume. These are often club projects. In Horsemanship Pairs, two riders must ride a pattern in synch.
- 4-H Rabbit Judging/Breed ID Contests** (Pavilion 1 - Walkway) 6 p.m.
 4-H members try their hand at judging rabbits. In the Breed Identification contest, exhibitors must correctly identify ten breeds, including variety (color).
- 4-H Style Revue** (Pavilion 3 - Exhibit Hall) 7 p.m.
 4-H'ers model their clothing projects with pride and style. Judges look for selection, fit, creativity and accessories.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 4

- Exhibitors Breakfast** (Courtyard) 6:30-8:30 a.m.
 All County Fair exhibitors, superintendents and volunteers are invited to a free breakfast.
PRESENTED BY COUNTRYSIDE ENERGY, NEBRASKA TIRE, NORRIS FFA ALUMNI, AND SHEPHERD OF THE HILLS CHURCH; SPONSORED BY COUNTRYSIDE ENERGY
- Petting Zoo & Kids Discovery Zone** (Pavilion 1 - North Side) . . 8 a.m.–9 p.m.
 FREE petting zoo for all youth. New at this year's Kids Discovery Zone: Public Air Rifle 4-H Shooting Trailer! Try your hand at the shooting range. Times trailer is open to be posted.
PRESENTED BY FAIR BOARD AND LANCASTER COUNTY 4-H
- 4-H Goat Show/Costume Contest/Milking Contest** (Pavilion 1 - West Arena) 8 a.m.
 4-H'ers show their dairy goats, angora/cashgora goats (raised for their fleece) and miniature goats. Afterwards is a "Best Dressed Kids" costume contest, quiz bowl and dairy goat milking contest.
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- 4-H Western Horse Show—Western Showmanship/Groom and Care/Halter** (Multipurpose Arena) 9 a.m.
 Western Horse Show uses stock-type horses. Western attire and tack are used. Showmanship is an in-hand class which demonstrate the ground manners of the horse. Groom & Care classes are for first-year exhibitors. In Halter, the confirmation (build, breeding and movement) of the horse is judged.
- 4-H/FFA Sheep Show** (Pavilion 1 - West Arena) Noon
 4-H and FFA members show their sheep in breeding classes (raised for their wool) and market classes. In the Sheep Lead Show, youth wear an outfit with one article made from at least 50 percent wool and lead a ewe by halter.