

Atchison County Fair
Monday, July 17 -Saturday, July 22, 2023
Atchison County Fairgrounds, Rock Port, MO

All large animals (sheep, goats, swine, and beef cattle) will be required to have health certificates to show at the Atchison County Fair. BEFORE UNLOADING you must show health papers to a fair board member at the office. This includes pee-wees and is MANDATORY, with NO EXCEPTIONS, or you will be sent home.

Home Arts, Horticulture, Ag Mechanics/Field Crops exhibit tags must be filled out prior to arrival and will be located at Tarkio Avalanche, Fairfax City Hall and Atchison County Extension Office in Rock Port. PLEASE make sure you get tags ahead of time to fill out.

Each exhibitor will be limited to 1 animal for entry at the Premium Auction.

Any person who does not feel comfortable attending the auction but would like to bid on any exhibitor and their animal will need to contact a fair board member to do the bidding for them.

Livestreaming of all shows and auction will be available to view on Facebook Live.

Monday, July 17

5:00-8:00 p.m. 4-H Achievement Day (conference judging and displays), large exhibit room, Velma Houts Fair Building

Tuesday, July 18

2:00 p.m.-6:30 p.m. Enter Home Arts, Horticulture, Ag Mechanics/Field Crops exhibits
7:00-9:00 p.m. Home Arts, Horticulture, and Ag Mechanics/Field Crops exhibits judging

Wednesday, July 19

7:30-8:30 a.m. Rabbit Registration
9:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m. View Home Arts and Horticulture exhibits
11:00a.m.-1:00 p.m. Food stand open for lunch
10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Rabbit Show; All rabbits released immediately after the show
1:00-2:00 p.m. Poultry Registration
3:00-5:00 p.m. Poultry Show; All poultry released immediately after the show
5:00-7:00 p.m. Food stand open for dinner
6:00-8:00 p.m. In-county Swine weigh-in & registration

Thursday, July 20

7:00a.m.-9:00 a.m. Food stand open for breakfast
7:00-8:00 a.m. Out of county Swine weigh-in & Registration
8:30 a.m. Swine exhibitor meeting with superintendents
9:00 a.m. Show starts
9:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m. Velma Houts fair building open for viewing of exhibits
11:00a.m.-1:00 p.m. Food stand open for lunch
4:00-5:30 p.m. Sheep & Goat weigh-in and registration
5:00-7:00 p.m. Food stand open for dinner
6:15 p.m. Sheep & Goat exhibitor meeting with superintendents
6:30 p.m. Pee-wee sheep & Goat show; breeding Sheep & Goat show; market Sheep & Goat show starts 15 minutes after breeding show; showmanship concludes the show; all Sheep and Goats released immediately after the show

Friday, July 21

7:00a.m.-9:00 a.m. Food stand open for breakfast
7:00-8:00 a.m. Cattle show weigh-in and registration
8:45 a.m. Superintendent briefing with exhibitors

9:30 a.m. Cattle show starts
9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Velma Houts fair building open for viewing of exhibits
11:00a.m.-1:00 p.m. Food stand open for lunch
5:00 p.m. Pre-auction supper
3:00-5:00 p.m. Release all exhibits
6:00 p.m. Auction (each exhibitor limited to 1 animal for entry)
After Auction Fair clean-up – Livestock areas and Velma Houts Fair Building

Saturday, July 22

9:30-10:00 a.m. Parade registration at Rock Port School (west side)
10:00 a.m. Parade