

2011 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

DANCE - ADMISSION CHARGE BEGINS AT 6:00 PM
DANCE -7:00PM TIL 11:00 PM
FRIDAY AUGUST 26, 2011 - \$5.00 PER PERSON
SATURDAY AUGUST 27, 2011 - \$5.00 PER PERSON

AUGUST 20 & 21

All Open Division

Entries due 9 am to 5 pm

AUGUST 20 – SATURDAY

8:00 am Check-in Mule & Donkey Show (Horse Arena)
9:00 am Mule & Donkey Show (Horse Arena) **Accept ALL INDOOR EXHIBITS**

5:00 PM **Close Entries for Indoor Exhibits**

AUGUST 21 – SUNDAY

8:00 am Check-in All Breed Driving Show
9:00 am All Breed Driving Show
Accept All Indoor Exhibits
5:00 PM **Close Entries for All Indoor Exhibits**

AUGUST 22 – MONDAY

10:00 am Booth & Vendor Set-up
7:00 pm Close Booth Set-up
4:00-8 pm Accept Dairy Heifers
10:00 pm Fair Gates Close

AUGUST 23 – TUESDAY

7:00 am Accept Dairy Goats
8:00 am Dairy Heifer Show
10:00 am Booth & Vendor Set-up
11:00 am Dairy Goat Show
12:30 pm Release Dairy Livestock
2:00 – 7:00 pm **Accept Livestock (Rabbits, Poultry ,Beef Heifers, Swine, Meat Goats, Steers, Lambs)**
Tag Swine
4:00 pm Cease Vehicle Traffic for Booths
7:00 pm Cease Accepting Livestock
8:00 pm Weigh & Classify Market Lambs & Goats
9:00 pm Close Both Set-up
10:00 pm Fair Gates Close

AUGUST 24 – WEDNESDAY

6:00 am Open Livestock Gates
7:30 –10:00am Weigh & Classify Market Swine
8:00 am Gates Open to the Public
10:00 am Commercial Booths & Exhibit Hall Open to the Public
10:30 am **Market Lamb Show**
1:00 pm **Meat Goat Show**
6:00 pm Weigh Steers
7:00-8:00pm Release sifted livestock
9:00 pm Booths Close
10:00 pm Fair Gates Close

AUGUST 25 – THURSDAY

6:00 am Open Livestock Gates
8:00 am Gates Open to the Public
10:00 am Commercial Booths & Exhibit Hall Open to the Public
11:00 am **Beef Heifer Show**
1:00 pm Accept Horticulture
6:00 pm **Market Steer Show**
9:00 pm Booths Close
10:00 pm Fair Gates Close

AUGUST 26 – FRIDAY

6:00 am Open Livestock Gates
7:30 am Gates Open to the Public
Market Swine Show
*PULLS will be after LAST Livestock Show for 2 hours.
Time to be Determined by Livestock Committee.*
Turn in Thank You Cards.
9:00 – 10:30 am Accept Roses, Dahlias, & Arrangements
10:00 am Commercial Booths & Exhibit Hall Open to the Public
6:00 pm Rodeo Gates Open (Sheriff’s Posse)
Begin admission charge for Dance (8 yrs. And under free)
7:00 pm **DANCE AT FAIR GROUNDS \$5.00 PER PERSON (8 yrs. & under
free) Dance ends 11:00pm**
9:00 pm Booths Close
10:00 pm Livestock Gates Close

AUGUST 27 – SATURDAY

6:00 am Open Livestock Gates
8:00 am Gates Open to the Public
8:30am Rabbit Show
10:00 am Valencia County Fair Parade Sponsored by the Greater Belen Chamber of Commerce
Commercial Booths & Exhibit Hall Open to the Public
10:00-2:00 pm New Mexico Environmental Department Display and Free Water Testing
12:00-2:00 pm Entries for Valencia County Chili Cook-off Judging at 2:00pm Gazebo
12:00 pm Hay Stacking Contest - Prize money awarded by Valencia County Farm Bureau
12:00-3:00pm HOME DEPOT - KIDS BUILDING TENT
1:00 pm Children’s Pet Parade – Pavilion
1:30 pm Children’s Fruit Race
2:30 pm Stick Horse Rodeo
4:00-6:00 pm **Release Non-Sale Animals**
5:30-6:30 pm **Zumba demonstration by Extreme Fitness LLC Pavilion**
6:00 pm Rodeo Gates Open (Sheriff’s Posse)
7:00 pm Rodeo Begins
Dance Begins **(Dance ends 11:00pm)**
9:00 pm Booths Close
10:00 pm Livestock Gates Close

AUGUST 28 – SUNDAY

6:00 am Open Livestock Gates
8:00 am Gates Open to the Public
10:00 am Commercial Booths & Exhibit Hall Open to the Public
Horseshoe Tournament
12:00 pm Rodeo Gates Open (Sheriff’s Posse)
1:00 pm Rodeo Begins
2:30 pm **JUNIOR LIVESTOCK SALE**
5:00 pm Release Booths & Vendors
Release Indoor Open Entries