

# **Reno County Fair**

## **Boy Scouts & Girl Scouts**

### **Book**



**“COUNTRY NIGHT AND BARN LIGHTS”**

**RENO COUNTY FAIR**

**DOG SHOW JULY 18, 2026**

**FAIR JULY 22-27, 2026**

**KANSAS STATE FAIR GROUNDS**

# Reno County Fair Association

## Fair Board

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## Fair Board Mission Statement:

The mission of the Reno County Fair Association is to provide educational opportunities for youth and their families to showcase projects and skills, have fun, and interact with each other.

## Reno County Extension Office

### Extension Staff:

Pam Paulsen, Horticulture Agent & Director  
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 Patrick Bergkamp, Agriculture & Natural Resources  
 Jason Probst, Family & Community Wellness  
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## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

### Saturday, July 18<sup>th</sup>

8:00 AM

4-H Dog Show, Sunflower North Building

Open Class Dog Show Following

### Wednesday, July 22<sup>nd</sup>

8:00 AM – 12:00 PM

1:00 PM

4:00 PM

Camper Check-in (No early check-in)

Challenge of Champions – **Beef Barn** (at the offices)

Meeting for Superintendents, Assistant Superintendents, and Fair Board, Set up fairgrounds, and appreciation dinner – **Oz Building**

6:00-8:00 PM

Early Check-in for ALL static exhibits, including 4-H, FFA, Scouts, and Open Class – **Oz Building**

6:00-8:00 PM

**Barns open to receive tack, set up stalls, and bring animals (optional). Beef animals brought in must be in tie outs overnight.**

### Thursday, July 23<sup>rd</sup>

7:30 AM – 10:00 AM

Static Exhibit check-in – **Oz Building**

ALL 4-H, FFA, Scouts, and Open Class Exhibits must be in place by 10 AM

8:00 AM

**First National Bank Breakfast served – Oz Building**

**8:00 AM – 5:00 PM**

Conference Judging for ALL 4-H static exhibits unless otherwise listed

10:00 AM

**Butter Sculpting Contest – Oz Building**

**11:00 AM**

Open Class Market Wheat Show (No conference judging)

10:00 AM – 6:00 PM

**Pet Display – Oz Building**

**1:00 PM**

Photography Judging Contest – Oz Building

1:00 PM

**Fashion Revue – Oz Building**

2:00 PM

Leadership Challenge – **Oz Building**

**4:00 PM**

Demonstrations/Public Speaking for all age groups – **Oz Building**

**4:00 PM**

**Public Fashion Revue Show + Ice Cream Social – Oz Building**

**Goat & Sheep Check-in at the back of the goat and sheep barns. Goats and sheep may not enter the barns until inspected by the vet.**

**7:00 PM**

**Oz Building Closes**

5:00 – 6:30 PM

Poultry check-in Poultry must be checked in by 6:30 PM.

5:00 – 8:00 PM

Rabbit check-in (Rabbits must be checked in by 8 PM)

**5:00 – 9:00 PM**

**Check-in and Weigh-in for ALL livestock animals (besides cow/calf pairs). Please follow the schedule:**

**5:00 – 6:00 PM – Swine weigh-in and check-in**

**5:00 – 6:00 PM – Goat weigh-in**

**6:00 – 7:00 PM – Sheep weigh-in**

**7:00 – 7:30 PM – Breeding Heifer check-in, Beef Office**

**7:30 – 9:00 PM – Market Beef weigh-in and check-in**

**9:00 PM – Mandatory livestock meeting in Beef Barn Arena**

**ALL LIVESTOCK (except cow/calf pairs) MUST ARRIVE PRIOR TO THEIR CHECK-IN/WEIGH-IN TIME. Everyone is required to be at the livestock meeting that night at 9 PM in the beef barn.**

## Schedule of Events

### Friday, July 24<sup>th</sup>

|                    |                                                                                  |
|--------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 8:00 AM            | Exhibit Building Opens                                                           |
| 8:00 AM            | Rabbit Show                                                                      |
| 8:00 AM – 10:00 AM | Cow/Calf pair arrival (MUST BE IN BY 10:00 AM)                                   |
| 8:00 AM            | Goat Show (No adhesive or paint)                                                 |
|                    | Show Order:                                                                      |
|                    | Showmanship                                                                      |
|                    | Market                                                                           |
|                    | Breeding                                                                         |
|                    | Peewee Show                                                                      |
|                    | Old Timers Show                                                                  |
|                    | 30 minutes directly after Goat Show                                              |
|                    | Sheep Show (No adhesive or paint)                                                |
|                    | Show Order:                                                                      |
|                    | Showmanship                                                                      |
|                    | Market                                                                           |
|                    | Breeding                                                                         |
|                    | Peewee Show                                                                      |
|                    | Old Timers Show                                                                  |
| 10:00 AM           | Judging of Poultry                                                               |
| 11:00 AM – 3:00 PM | Horticulture Judging Contest – Oz Building                                       |
| 11:00 AM – 6:00 PM | Photography Judging Contest – Oz Building                                        |
| 11:00 AM – 6:00 PM | Crops Judging Contest – Oz Building                                              |
| 4:00 PM            | 1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> Year Bucket Calf Conference Judging and Show |
| 5:00 PM            | Early Check-in Open Class Rabbits                                                |
| 5:00 – 8:30 PM     | Bounce House Fun, Water Wars, and Barnyard Olympics – Gotschalk Park             |
| 5:30 – 7 PM        | Sip and Paint – Breeze Way of the Oz Building (must purchase tickets prior)      |
| 6:00 PM            | Exhibit Building Closes                                                          |
| 7:00 PM            | Smores Family Fun Bring a Chair - Gotschalk Park                                 |

### Saturday, July 25<sup>th</sup>

|         |                                                          |
|---------|----------------------------------------------------------|
| 8:00 AM | All Open Class Rabbits must be checked in by 8:00 a.m.   |
| 8:00 AM | Exhibit Building Opens                                   |
| 8:00 AM | Antique Tractor Show – Between Beef Barn and Oz Building |
| 9:00 AM | Beef Show (No adhesive or paint)                         |
|         | Show Order will be as follows:                           |
|         | Cow/Calf Pair Commercial                                 |
|         | Cow/Calf Pair Broke                                      |
|         | Market Steers                                            |
|         | Market Heifers                                           |
|         | Bred & Owned Market                                      |
|         | Showmanship                                              |
|         | Parade of ALL bucket calves                              |
|         | Peewee Show – with bucket calves only                    |
|         | Breeding Heifers                                         |
|         | Bred & Owned Heifers then Old Timers Show                |

## Schedule of Events

10:00 AM – 5:00 PM

The Oz Building will host a series of hands-on classes and demonstrations throughout the day. All sessions are 60 minutes, require pre-registration and payment, and will be led by local businesses and professionals. These experiences are designed to be interactive, educational, and fun for fairgoers looking to learn a new skill or try something new.

10:00 AM

Backyard Basics more information to come check [renocountyfair.com](http://renocountyfair.com) for details.

11:30 AM

Farmhouse Floral Design Create a seasonal arrangement using fresh florals and greenery. Participants will learn basic floral design techniques and take home a finished arrangement.

1:00 PM

Raised Bed & Small-Space Gardening Learn how to plan, plant, and maintain a productive garden in raised beds or small spaces. Topics include soil prep, plant selection, watering, and common mistakes to avoid.

2:30 PM

Fair Favorites: Fun & Easy Cooking Class Join a local business for a hands-on cooking experience featuring simple, crowd-pleasing recipes. Participants will learn quick tips, try samples, and leave with recipes they can recreate at home. No experience required, just come hungry and ready to have fun.

4:00 PM

Seasonal DIY Décor Workshop Create a seasonal home décor item using simple materials and techniques. Participants will leave with a finished piece and ideas they can recreate at home.

5:00 PM

Exhibit Building Closes

6:00 – 10:00 PM

1st Annual Reno County Fair Benefit Dinner and Live Auction. Tickets must be purchased prior to the event. Located in the 1861 Building. Doors Open at 5:00 PM.

6:00 – 10:00 PM

Kids Dance and Movie – Oz Building

**Sunday, July 26<sup>th</sup>**

7:00 AM

Church Service – Sheep & Goat Ring

8:00 AM

Swine Show (no adhesive or paint)

Show Order:

Showmanship

Market

Breeding

Peewee Show

Old Timers Show

12:00 PM

Community Open House – Oz Building

12:30 – 4:30 PM

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| 12:30 PM | Candle & Soap Making Workshop Participants will learn the basics of candle and soap making, including materials, safety tips, and simple techniques. Each attendee will create and take home a handmade item.                                               |
| 2:00 PM  | Photography & Photo Editing Basics This class covers the fundamentals of taking better photos using a phone or camera, along with simple editing tips to enhance images. Perfect for beginners, small business owners, and social media users.              |
| 3:30 PM  | DIY Home Cleaners & Reducing Toxins in the Home Learn how to create simple, effective DIY household cleaners while gaining practical tips for reducing common toxins in the home. Participants will leave with recipes and ideas they can easily implement. |
| 12:00 PM | Livestock Judging Contest – Register in Hog Barn. Registration will begin at 11 AM.                                                                                                                                                                         |
| 6:00 PM  | Exhibit Building Closes                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| 6:00 PM  | Livestock Round Robin – Beef Barn                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |

**ALL LIVESTOCK ANIMALS CAN LEAVE DIRECTLY AFTER ROUND ROBIN.**

### Monday, July 27<sup>th</sup>

|             |                                                                                  |
|-------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 8:00 AM     | Poultry Judging Contest at the Poultry Barns                                     |
| 11:00 AM    | Awards Luncheon + Champion of Foods Auctions<br>Now located in the 1861 Building |
| After Lunch | Release of ALL exhibits                                                          |
| 1:00 PM     | General fairgrounds clean-up for everyone.                                       |
| 5:00 PM     | Exhibit building closes – ALL exhibits must be picked up.                        |
| 6:00 PM     | Livestock Sale                                                                   |

**All animal stalls must be cleaned before leaving the fairgrounds.  
No trash in the blue bins or in manure piles at the back of the livestock building.**

## General Rules

1. All 4-H, FFA, Scouts, and open class exhibits must be entered and in place by 10:00 a.m. Thursday, unless otherwise stated in departmental rules.
2. The judge's decision is final on all awards. The superintendent's placing report will be the official record of the judge's decision for premium payouts. The veterinarian's decision will be final.
3. Appeal Process: Any protest on rules will include the following: Superintendent of Project, Representative from Extension Office, and Extension Council. Their decision is final.
4. Exhibitors removing exhibits prior to stated checkout time forfeit all premiums and the privilege to participate in any fair activities (including 4-H/FFA Livestock Sale) after the time the exhibit was removed. Superintendent will report any early removal of exhibits to the 4-H Agent
5. Exhibits will be placed into purple, blue, red and white ribbon groups. Champion and Reserve Champion, Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion may be awarded where indicated, if quality merits. No awards will be given which are not previously approved by County Fair Board. See special rules for each department.
6. Premiums will be awarded after the County Fair. Premiums are awarded for purple, blue, red, and white. Premiums will not be awarded in the Cloverbud divisions or for Grand Champion, Champion or Reserve Champions in classes. See events section for cash awards.
7. Conference Judging: Formal conference judging will be used in as many departments as possible. Members will be advised just prior to the fair as to scheduling and other details. In other departments, 4-H/FFA members are encouraged to hear judge's comments.
8. If an exhibit does not qualify to show in an existing class, it may be exhibited in a class to be determined by the Superintendent and/or Extension Council and Fair Board. To establish a new class, there must be at least three (3) exhibitors.
9. Exhibits at the Reno County Fair are entered and displayed at the risk of the exhibitor. The Reno County Fair Board accepts exhibits and will exercise due care to protect them. However, the Reno County Fair Board cannot accept responsibility for loss or damage due to the conditions imposed by large crowds, the arrangement of the buildings in which displays are housed and the number of exhibits. Exhibitors who have exhibits of great sentimental and/or monetary value should carefully consider whether such exhibits should be exposed to the hazards of the fair.
10. Exhibits will be release after the Awards Luncheon around 2pm.
11. The Reno County Fair Board prohibits bikes, rollerblades, skateboards, hoverboards and dogs at the fair. Items will be taken and then can be picked up Monday at 2pm in the Meadowlark Building.
12. No ATV's or UTV's will be allowed on the fair premise without prior approval of the Fair Board. No one under the age of 21 will be allowed to operate ATV's/ UTV's on the fair premises.
13. No alcohol or controlled substances without a prescription will be allowed in or around the exhibit areas.
14. No items will be sold or booths set up by individuals or businesses on the fairgrounds without an approved and paid for vendor application. Vendor application is \$150.00. Applications are available from the fair board treasurer.

## **Boy Scouts**

Additional Information for All Boy Scouts Exhibitors:

1. Competitive exhibition is open to all registered Boy Scouts in good standing. ***One (1) entry is allowed in each class.*** Classification for entries will go by Scouts registration rank from September 2025-August 2026.
2. Exhibit articles must have been made by the exhibitor and never previously exhibited except for collections which may be exhibited more than once if new additions are made, labeled, and dated.
3. Collection items need to be clearly labeled. Collections may be entered in consecutive years, provided new additions are labeled and dated.
4. Drawings, paintings, and photography should be matted or mounted. No frames or glass are allowed.
5. Pre-entry due by July 1, 2026. Entries will be done on [fairent.com](http://fairent.com).

Maximum Size Requirements:

15" w x 20" l - Collection and collection boxes

### Boy Scout Classes

Division 1: Lion & Tiger

BSA 1000: Artwork, any subject (painting, crayon, pencil, etc)

BSA 1001: Kit Work (no legos or bionicles. Instructions must be included)

BSA 1002: Wood Project, any item

Division 2: Wolf

BSA 1003: Artwork, any subject (painting, crayon, pencil, etc)

BSA 1004: Kit Work (no legos or bionicles. Instructions must be included)

BSA 1005: Wood Project, any item

Division 3: Bears

BSA 1006: Artwork, any subject (painting, crayon, pencil, etc)

BSA 1007: Collection, general (all items clearly labeled, no larger than 15" w x 20" l)

BSA 1008: Kit Work (no legos or bionicles. Instructions must be included.)

Division 4: Webelos & Arrow of Light

BSA 1009: Artwork, any subject (painting, crayon, pencil, etc)

BSA 1010: Collection, general (all items clearly labeled, no larger than 15" w x 20" l)

BSA 1011: Knot Board (minimum of 6 knots)

Division 5: Scouts to First Class

BSA 1012: Artwork, any subject (painting, crayon, pencil, etc)

BSA 1013: Collection, general (all items clearly labeled, no larger than 15" w x 20" l)

BSA 1014: Kit Work (no legos or bionicles. Instructions must be included)



Division 6: Stars through Eagles

BSA 1015: Artwork, any subject (paintings, crayon, pencil, etc)

BSA 1016: Collection, general (all items clearly labeled, no larger than 15" w x 20"l)

BSA 1017: Kit Work (no legos or bionicles. Instructions must be included)

BSA 1018: Eagle Project

## Girl Scouts

Additional Information for All Girl Scout Exhibitors:

1. Competitive exhibition is open to all registered girl scouts in Kansas. ***One (1) entry is allowed in each class per exhibitor.*** Classification for entries will go by scout registration level from September 2025 through August 2026.
2. Exhibit articles must have been made by the exhibitor and never previously exhibited except for collections which may be exhibited more than once if new additions are made, labeled and dated.
3. Drawings, paintings, and photography should be matted or mounted. No frames or glass allowed.
4. Collection items need to be clearly labeled. Collections may be entered in consecutive years, provided new additions are labeled and dated.
5. Pre-entry due by July 1, 2026. Entry form on fair website. Entries will be done on [fairentree.com](http://fairentree.com).

Maximum Size Requirements:

15" w x 20" l - Collections and collection boxes. Clearly labeled.

### Girl Scout Classes

#### Division 7: Daisy

GS 2000: Artwork, Any Subject (painting, crayon, pencil). Matted or mounted, no frames.

GS 2001: Make a Toy, Game, or Puppet (homemade)

GS 2002: Sweatshirt or T-shirt (painted or decorated)

#### Division 8: Brownie

GS 2003: Artwork, Any Subject (painting, crayon, pencil). Matted or mounted, no frames.

GS 2004: Creative Play (make a game or puzzle)

GS 2005: Recycle– Old into New

#### Division 9: Cadette

GS 2006: Artwork, Any Subject (painting, crayon, pencil). Matted or mounted, no frames.

GS 2007: Jewelry

GS 2008: Photography– matted or mounted, no frames

#### Division 10: Juniors

GS 2009: Artwork, Any Subject (painting, crayons, pencil). Matted or mounted, no frames.

GS 2010: Weaving, Basketry, Macramé

GS 2011: Mosaic Design

#### Division 11: Senior

GS 2012: Artwork, Any Subject (painting, Crayons, pencil). Matted or mounted, no frames.

GS 2013: Computer Graphics/Artwork

GS 2014: Photography– matted or mounted, no frames

## GS 2018: Career Studies Project



Have a great fair!