2023 -- PROGRAM – 2023

Wednesday, July 12, 2023
Midnight Pre-Entries due via online FairEntry system for ALL 4-H/FFA Exhibits and competitions.

Tuesday, July 18, 2023
5:00 p.m. All Open Class Dog and Cat Show Entries Due in FairEntry System

Wednesday, July 19, 2023
3:30 p.m.–4:00 p.m. 4-H and Open Class Cat Check-In
4:00 p.m. 4-H and Open Class Cat Show -- 4-H Building
4:30 p.m.–5:00 p.m. 4-H and Open Class Dog Check-In
5:00 p.m. 4-H and Open Class Dog Show -- 4-H Building/Fairgrounds

Friday, July 21, 2023
4:00 p.m. 4-H Clothing Construction and Construction Style Revue Judging -- the 4-H Building
(Completed 4-H Clothing Construction Style Revue Judging Forms and Script Cards due at time of judging.)

Monday, July 24, 2023
9:00 a.m. 4-H Buymanship Judging -- Christian Church
7:00 p.m. 4-H Clothing Buymanship and Construction Style Revue Style Revue -- Christian Church
(Public is invited to attend)

Tuesday, July 25, 2023
4:00 p.m. Ag Challenge of Champions – 4-H Building
6:00 p.m. Fairground Clean-Up/Setup (Required for ALL 4-H exhibitors!)

Wednesday, July 26, 2023
5:00 p.m. All Open Class Horse, Poultry, Rabbit and Livestock Show Entries Due in FairEntry System

Thursday, July 27, 2023
Pre-registration deadline for Fair Parade entries. Contact Darcie Schierkolk at 785-627-2243 and leave a message. She will return your call or text on my lunch break or after work. Please do not call my work.

Friday, July 28, 2023
8:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m. 4-H Food Stand Open (4-H Building)
7:30 a.m.—10:00 a.m. Check-in Open Class Exhibits
9:00 a.m. Judging of all indoor 4-H Items — see schedule sent to all 4-H families.
******** Sale of 4-H and Open Class Food will be in the 4-H Building following judging (Proceeds go to the Graham County 4-H Council)
10:00 a.m. Open Class Exhibits Judging Begins
3:30 p.m.–5:00 p.m. 4-H and Open Class Poultry and Rabbit Check-In & Vet Checks
6:00 p.m. 4-H and Open Class Poultry and Rabbit Show – Poultry/Rabbit Barn

Saturday, July 29, 2023
8:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m. 4-H Food Stand Open (4-H Building)
9:00 a.m. 4-H Sheep, Goat and Bucket Calf Weigh-In/Vet Checks (Small Animal Barn)
9:30 a.m. 4-H Swine Weigh-In/Vet Checks (Small Animal Barn)
10:45 a.m. 4-H Market Beef, Breeding Beef, and 2nd Year Bucket Calves Weigh-In/Vet Checks (HC Sale Barn)
1:00 p.m. 4-H Horses in Place (Following vet checks and check-in)
2:00 p.m. Mandatory 4-H Livestock Exhibitor & Parent Meeting – Bretz Arena
5:00 p.m. Round Robin Clinic – Bretz Arena
5:00 p.m. Registration for Corn Hole Tournament ($20/person) – North Side of Jayhawker Rodeo Arena Grandstands
6:00 p.m. Play Starts - Corn Hole Tournament – Jayhawker Rodeo Arena
8:00 p.m. Live Music from the Steven Bankey and the Flatland Band – North of Jayhawker Rodeo Arena

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**Sunday, July 30, 2023**

8:00 a.m.--4:00 p.m. 4-H Food Stand Open (4-H Building)
8:00 a.m.--8:30 a.m. Open Class Swine, Goat & Sheep Check-In
9:00 a.m. 4-H/FFA and Open Class Swine, Goat & Sheep Show – Bretz Arena
**(There will be a 30-min break between the swine and goat shows)**
11:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Open Class Bucket Calf, Beef and Dairy Cattle Check-In
**(There will be a 1-hour break between the sheep and bucket calf show to allow time for a meal and participants time to prepare animals for show.)

******* 4-H/FFA and Open Class Bucket Calf, Beef and Dairy Cattle Show – Bretz Arena
4:00 p.m.--8:00 p.m. Dunk Tank – North Side of Jayhawker Rodeo Arena Grandstands
5:00 p.m. Registration Begins for Kids Pedal Tractor Pull – North Side of Jayhawker Rodeo Arena Grandstands
5:30 p.m. Kids Night – Pedal Tractor Pull – North Side of Jayhawker Rodeo Arena Grandstands
6:00 p.m.--10:00 p.m. Inflatables (one night only)
7:00 p.m. 4-H Dog Project Performance – Jayhawker Rodeo Arena

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**Monday, July 31, 2023**

7:00 a.m.--2:00 p.m. 4-H Food Stand Open (4-H Building)
7:00 a.m.--7:30 a.m. 4-H and Open Class Horse Show Check-In – Rodeo Office
8:00 a.m. 4-H and Open Class Horse Show – Jayhawker Rodeo Arena
10:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. Trail Horse Show -- Fenced-In Area West of Beef/Horse Barn
1:00 p.m.--9:00 p.m. Open Class Exhibit Building Open Hours
4:30 p.m. Parade Line Up
5:00 p.m.--9:00 p.m. 4-H Building Open Hours
5:30 p.m. Parade in Downtown Hill City
6:00 p.m.--8:00 p.m. Kids Games – Mechanical Bull
6:30 p.m. Registration Begins for Mutton Bustin’ (55 lbs. & under, first 25 kids to register get to ride) -- South of Catholic Food Stand
6:45 p.m. Mutton Bustin’ Riding – Jayhawker Rodeo Arena
7:45 p.m. Rodeo Queen Crowning – Jayhawker Rodeo Arena
8:00 p.m. 70th Annual Jayhawker’s Roundup Rodeo – Jayhawker Rodeo Arena

******* D Bar’s Wittle Buckers Youth Mini Bull Riding Immediately following Jayhawker’s Roundup Rodeo
10:00 p.m. Live Music from Crutch Pedal – North Side of Jayhawker Rodeo Arena
Tuesday, August 1, 2023
9:00 a.m. Round Robin Showmanship Competition -- Bretz Arena
1:00 p.m. Livestock Judging Contest – Bretz Arena
1:00 p.m.--9:00 p.m. Open Class Exhibit Building Open Hours
5:00 p.m.--9:00 p.m. 4-H Building Open Hours
6:00 p.m. Registration Begins for Mutton Bustin’ (55 lbs. & under, first 50 kids to register get to ride) -- South of Catholic Food Stand
6:00 p.m.--8:00 p.m. Kids Games – Mechanical Bull
6:30 p.m. Mutton Bustin’ Riding – Jayhawker Rodeo Arena
7:45 p.m. “Tough Enough to Wear Pink” Presentation – Jayhawker Rodeo Arena
8:00 p.m. 70th Annual Jayhawker’s Roundup Rodeo – Jayhawker Rodeo Arena
******** D Bar’s Wittle Buckers Youth Mini Bull Riding Immediately following Jayhawker’s Roundup Rodeo and Bull Fighting
10:00 p.m. Live Music from Jimmy Dee – North Side of Jayhawker Rodeo Arena

Wednesday, August 2, 2023
10:30 a.m. 4-H Livestock Premium Auction -- Bretz Livestock Arena
******** 4-H Premium Auction Buyer Appreciation Meal to follow auction -- 4-H Building
1:00 p.m.--9:00 p.m. Open Class Exhibit Building Open Hours
5:00 p.m.--7:00 p.m. Free BBQ – West End of Fairgrounds
5:00 p.m.--9:00 p.m. 4-H Building Open Hours
6:00 p.m. Registration Begins for Mutton Bustin’ (55 lbs. & under, first 50 kids to register get to ride) -- South of Catholic Food Stand
6:00 p.m.--8:00 p.m. Kids Games
6:30 p.m. Mutton Bustin’ Riding – Jayhawker Rodeo Arena
8:00 p.m. 70th Annual Jayhawker’s Roundup Rodeo – Jayhawker Rodeo Arena
******** D Bar’s Wittle Buckers Youth Mini Bull Riding Immediately following Jayhawker’s Roundup Rodeo and Bull Fighting
10:00 p.m. Live Music— TBD – North Side of Jayhawker Rodeo Arena

Thursday, August 3, 2023
7:30 a.m. Kensington Lockers Load-Out (All other livestock need to be off fairgrounds by 8:00 a.m. for clean-up.)
7:30 a.m.--8:30 a.m. Open Class Indoor Exhibit Check-Out
8:00 a.m. Fairground Clean-Up/Tear Down (Required for ALL 4-H exhibitors!)