

2020 Northwest Montana Fair & Rodeo Daily Schedule
Flathead County Fairgrounds, Kalispell

Saturday, August 15

8 AM 4-H/FFA Horse Show, Main Arena
4-6 PM Open Horse Show Exhibits Accepted

Sunday, August 16

8 AM Open Horse Show, Main Arena
8 AM-12 PM 4-H/FFA Swine Check-In
1-3 PM Sheep Check-In
3-5 PM Beef Check-In
9 AM-8 PM Fine Arts/Photography Exhibits Accepted

Monday, August 17

8:30 AM Market Sheep Weigh-In
9:30 AM-12:30 PM Market Swine Weigh-In
1:30 PM Market Beef Weigh-In
9 AM-8 PM Agriculture/Horticulture, Crafts, Needlework, Home Culinary, 4-H/FFA General Projects, 4-H/FFA, Home Economics Exhibits Accepted, Expo Bldg.
9:30 AM Fine Arts/Photography Judging, Expo Bldg.

Tuesday, August 18

8 AM Market Sheep Judging, Trade Center
8-9 AM Open Rabbit/Cavy Check-In, Critter Barn
9 AM Open Rabbit/Cavy Show, Critter Barn
8:30 AM-12PM Open/4-H/FFA Dairy Cattle Check-In, Trade Center
8:30 AM 4-H/FFA General Projects/Home Ec Judging, Expo Bldg.
9 AM-9 PM Floriculture Exhibits Accepted, Floriculture Bldg.
9:30 AM Agriculture/Horticulture, Crafts, Needlework, & Home Culinary Judging, Expo Bldg.
3 PM 4-H/FFA/Open Beef Judging
5-8 PM 4-H/FFA/Open Goat Check-In
6-8 PM 4-H/FFA/Open Poultry Check-In
9 PM Exhibit Buildings Close

Wednesday, August 19 - 2020 Northwest Montana Fair & Rodeo Officially Opens

8 AM Swine Showmanship & Market Swine Judging, Trade Center
9 -11 AM Draft Horses Check-In, Draft Barn
9 AM Rabbit Breed Judging, Critter Barn
10 AM Display Buildings Open

- Floriculture Judging
- 10-11 AM Commercial Exhibits Open to Seniors Ages 60+ Only, Grandstand Bldg.
- 11 AM – 8 PM Commercial Exhibits Open to All Ages, Grandstand Bldg.
- 1 PM Leapin' Louie and His Laughter, Huckleberry Stage
- 2 PM 4-H/FFA Rabbit Showmanship, Critter Barn
- 4 PM Best Food of the Fair Awards, Huckleberry Stage
- 6 PM John Dunnigan and His I-Pad Band Play Your Favorites, Huckleberry Stage
- 6 PM Gates Open for Lee Brice Concert, sponsored by Toyota, Grandstands
Leapin' Louie Is Loose – Can You Find Him?
- 7:15 PM Lee Brice in Concert featuring The Groove Riders (Flathead's Got Talent 2020 winners) and the Copper Mountain Band
Sponsored by Toyota & hosted by BEE Broadcasting, Grandstands Arena
- 8 PM Commercial Exhibits close, Grandstand Bldg.
- 9:30 PM John Dunnigan – World Renowned Singer, Songwriter and Banjo Picker, Huckleberry Stage

Thursday, August 20

Kids/Senior Citizens Day 12 & under and 65 & over get Free Fair Admission!
\$10 General Admission Rodeo Tickets for Seniors available at the Senior Rest Area.

- 8 AM 4-H/Open Miniature Horse Show, Northern Stars Arena
- 8:30 AM 4-H/FFA and Open Dairy Cattle Show, Trade Center
- 9:30 AM 4-H/FFA Goat Judging Followed by Open Goat Judging, Trade Center
- 10 AM 4-H/FFA Beef Fitting Contest, Trade Center
Rabbit Hopping Competition, Rabbit & Poultry Barn
- 10-11 AM Commercial Exhibits Open to Seniors Ages 60+ Only, Grandstand Bldg.
- 11 AM – 8 PM Commercial Exhibits Open to All Ages, Grandstand Bldg.
- 11 AM Crafty Cookie Contest, Expo, 6-9 Year Olds
A-Minute-To-Win-It Coloring Contest, Expo Bldg.
- 11:30 AM Craft Cookie Contest, 10-13 Year Olds
Flathead New Horizon Band, Huckleberry Stage
- Noon Crafty Cookie Contest, 10-13 Year Olds
A-Minute-To-Win-It Coloring Contest, Expo Bldg.
Dream Dancers, Huckleberry Stage
- 1 PM Full Throttle Robotics Demonstration, Discovery Stage
Roberto the Magnificent, Huckleberry Stage
- 1-3 PM Draft Horse Show, Free Admission in Grandstand Arena
- 2 PM 4-H/FFA Poultry Showmanship & Breed Judging, Rabbit & Poultry Barn
Full Throttle Robotics Exhibit and Demonstration, Discovery Stage
- 3 PM Kenny James Miller Band, Huckleberry Stage
- 3:30 PM Alyssa Martin, Make Your Own Magnet, Discovery Stage
NW MT Backcountry Horsemen Packing Seminar and Demonstration, Mild Fence Arena

4 PM Great Scots Pipes & Drums, Huckleberry Stage
6 PM John Dunnigan – Everybody’s Favorite Harmonica Player, Huckleberry Stage
Gates Open for RAM PRCA Rodeo
Floriculture Exhibits Released
7 PM Mutton Bustin’, Grandstand Arena
7:30 PM RAM PRCA Rodeo, Grandstand Arena
Leroy Skunkcap Memorial Indian Relay Heat #1 Race at Half-Time of the Rodeo
8 PM Exhibit Buildings Close
9:30 PM John Dunnigan - Kick Your Boots up a Bit Longer, Huckleberry Stage

Friday, August 21 - Salute to Our Military and Veterans

6-9:30 AM Dahlia & Gladiolus Exhibits Accepted, Floriculture
9 AM Open Class Poultry Showmanship Followed by Poultry Breed Judging, Critter Barn
10 AM-12 PM Entries Due for King Arthur Baking Contest, Home Culinary, Expo Bldg.
10 AM Open to the Public - Dahlia Show Judging Followed by Gladiolus Flower Judging
10-11 AM Commercial Exhibits Open to Seniors Ages 60+ Only, Grandstand Bldg.
11 AM – 8 PM Commercial Exhibits Open to All Ages, Grandstand Bldg.
12 PM King Arthur Baking Contest Judging, Expo Bldg.
1-3 PM Draft Horse Show, Grandstand Arena
1 PM Glacier RC’ers Remote-Control Vehicle Demonstrations, Discovery Stage in Expo Bldg.
2 PM Rooster Crowing Contest, Critter Barn
2:30 PM Meet the 2020/2021 NW Montana Pro Rodeo Queen & Court, Huckleberry Stage
5 PM Roberto the Magnificent, Huckleberry Stage
6 PM John Dunnigan – Playing What He Wants (And You Ask For), Huckleberry Stage
Gates Open for RAM PRCA Rodeo, Grandstand Arena
7 PM Mutton Bustin, Grandstand
7:30 PM RAM PRCA Rodeo – The Old West Is Wild! Grandstands
Leroy Skunkcap Memorial Indian Relay Heat #2 Race & Chiefs Race at Half-Time of the Rodeo
8 PM Exhibit Buildings Close
9:30 PM John Dunnigan - Performs His Unique Brand of Music, Huckleberry Stage

Saturday, August 22

7:30 AM Market Sale Buyers Check-in at the Sale Office, Trade Center
8 AM Market Livestock Sale, Trade Center
10 AM-12 PM Great American Pie Contest Entries Accepted, Expo Bldg.
10-11 AM Commercial Exhibits Open to Seniors Ages 60+ Only, Grandstand Bldg.
11 AM – 8 PM Commercial Exhibits Open to All Ages, Grandstand Bldg.
12 PM 11th Annual Great American Pie Contest Judging, Expo Bldg.
Pocket Pal Judging, Critter Barn
12 PM Creature Feature Contest Begins in the Trade Center Lobby – All Kids Welcome!
1-3 PM Draft Horse Show, Grandstand Arena

- 2 PM 2020 Fair Photo Contest Judging, Expo Building
Poultry/Rabbit/Pocket Pals Costume Contest, Critter Barn
- 3 PM Stafford String Band, Huckleberry Stage
- 3:30 PM Northwest Montana Backcountry Horsemen Packing Seminar and Demonstration, Mild Fence Arena
- 6 PM Gates Open for RAM PRCA Rodeo
John Dunnigan – Flathead’s Very Own Godfather of Covers, Huckleberry Stage
Pocket Pals Released, Critter Barn
- 7 PM Mutton Bustin’, Grandstand Arena
- 7:30 PM RAM PRCA Rodeo – Last Night to Catch the Excitement! Grandstands Arena
Leroy Skunkcap Memorial Indian Relay Championship Race at Half-Time of the Rodeo
- 8 PM Commercial Exhibits Close, Grandstand Building
- 9:30 PM John Dunnigan – Helps Make a Great Fair Day Better, Huckleberry Stage

Sunday, August 23

NBC Montana Day

Enjoy Family Admission of 2 Adults and 2 Children for Only \$10

- 10 AM – 12 PM Barn wide Breed ID Competition, Critter Barn
- 10-11 AM Commercial Exhibits Open to Seniors Ages 60+ Only, Grandstand Bldg.
- 11 AM – 8 PM Commercial Exhibits Open to All Ages, Grandstand Bldg.
- 3 PM John Dunnigan – Our Favorite Picker in the Flathead, Huckleberry Stage
- 3:30 PM Full Throttle Robotics Will Amaze You, Discovery Stage in the Expo Bldg.
- 5 PM Gates Open for Demolition Derby
- 6 PM 31st Annual Fair Demolition Derby – Special Guest Tim The Dairy Farmer (comedy), Grandstands Arena
- 6–7 PM All Exhibits Released
- 7 PM Exhibit Buildings Close