

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

### Wednesday, August 3<sup>rd</sup> – EXHIBIT ENTERING

4:00-8:00 pm	4-H Indoor Entering (non-perishable) . . . . .	4-H Exhibit Building
5:00-8:00 pm	Open Home Arts Entering & Flowers (all exhibits except Baked Foods, Candies & Jr Flower Show).. . . . .	Home Arts Building

### Thursday, August 4<sup>th</sup> – EXHIBIT ENTERING

4:00-8:00 pm	4-H Indoor Entering (non-perishable) . . . . .	4-H Exhibit Building
5:00-8:00 pm	Open Home Arts Entering & Flowers (all exhibits except Baked Foods, Candies & Jr Flower Show).. . . . .	Home Arts Building

### Friday, August 5<sup>th</sup> – EXHIBIT ENTERING

3:00-8:00 pm	Open Home Arts Entering (all exhibits except Baked Foods & Candies) . . . . .	Home Arts Building
5:00 pm	Christmas Tree Judging . . . . .	Main Entrance Area
	Flower Judging (see individual Home Arts Sections for entry times) . . . . .	Home Arts Bldg
	Open Goat Jr Doe Show. . . . .	Small Arena
6:00-9:00 pm	Open Indoor Entering - Farm Crops, Fruits & Vegetables, Honey & Beeswax and Wool Fleece. . . . .	Farm & Garden Bldg.

### Saturday, August 6<sup>th</sup> – OPENING DAY – ARMED FORCES DAY

8:00 am	4-H Horse and Pony Show. . . . .	Horse Rings
7:30-9:00 am	4-H Indoor Entering ( Baked Goods, Flowers, Vegetables, Candies and Food Preservation) . . . . .	4-H Exhibit Building
8:00 am	<b>GATE OPENS</b>	
8:00-11:00 am	Open Home Arts Entering – Baked Foods, Candies & Jr Flower Show	
9:00 am	Twelfth Annual Mule Pulling Contest . . . . .	Contest Arena
	Sixth Annual Coon Mule Jump Immediately Following Mule Pulling Contest	
9:00-12 Noon	Open Indoor Entering – Farm Crops, Fruits & Veg., Honey & Beeswax and Wool Fleece. . . . .	Farm & Garden Bldg.
9:00 am	4-H Canine Show. . . . .	Show Pavilion
10:00 am	<b>Commercial Main Exhibition Hall Opens.</b> . . . . .	Main Exhibition Bldg.
	Open Goat Jr/Sr Doe Show. . . . .	Small Arena
12 Noon	<b>MIDWAY OPENS</b>	
1:00 pm	<b>Twenty Second Annual Tractor Pull</b> . . . . .	Contest Arena
	Best Apple Dessert Contest . . . . .	4-H Activities Hall
	Open Class Indoor Exhibitor Judging. . . . .	Home Arts & Farm & Garden Bldgs
	Jr. Flowers Judging. . . . .	Home Arts Building

\*\*\*Home Arts Building Will Be Closed to the Public on Saturday, August 6<sup>th</sup> \*\*\*

\*\*\*All Other Exhibit Buildings Open to the Public After Judging\*\*\*

1:00 pm	4-H Bake Sale. . . . .	4-H Exhibit Building
	Junior Showmanship Show (Howard Co. Farm Bureau) . . . . .	Show Pavilion
2:30 pm	Judging Best Apple Pie & Dessert Contests. . . . .	4-H Activities Hall
4:00 pm	4-H & Open Jersey Cattle Show. . . . .	Show Pavilion
5:00 pm	Square Dance Demonstration . . . . .	Entertainment Stage
7:00 pm	<b>Ninth Annual Skid Loader Rodeo</b> . . . . .	<b>Contest Arena</b>
7:00 pm	Square Dance (Sponsored by Tom Thumb Dance Club). . . . .	4-H Activities Hall
7:30/9:00 pm	<b>The Back Page Band (Rock)</b> . . . . .	Entertainment Stage

### Sunday, August 7<sup>th</sup>

8:30 am	Draft Horse and Mule Show. . . . .	Horse Rings
9:00 am	Nineteenth Annual Antique Auto Show. . . . .	West Main Ex Pkng Lot
	All Breeds ARBA Open Rabbit Show . . . . .	Poultry Barn0

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS (Continued)

### Sunday, August 7<sup>th</sup> (Continued)

10:00 am	4-H Rabbit Bred By Exhibitor Contest . . . . .	Rabbit Pavilion
<b>Demonstrations Throughout the Day.</b> . . . . .		Home Arts Building
11:00 am	Pretty Animal Contest . . . . .	Show Pavilion
11:00-5:30pm	<b>Public Safety Day.</b> . . . . .	Contest Arena
12 Noon	Pie Eating Contest . . . . .	Show Pavilion
<b>MIDWAY OPENS</b>		
1:00 pm	<b>Tour A Live Honey Bee Colony Demo.</b> . . . . .	Ag Education Tent
2:00 pm	<b>MD Farrier's Assn. Demo "Building Horse Shoes" . . .</b>	Ag Education Tent
<b>Grand Opening Parade and 33<sup>rd</sup> Annual West Friendship</b>		
<b>Volunteer Fire Dept. Parade.</b> . . . . .		Midway Boulevard
Thirty-third Annual Cow Milking Contest . . . . .		Show Pavilion
3:00 pm	Miss Howard County Farm Bureau Contest . . . . .	Show Pavilion
Future Farmer/Little Miss How. Co. Farm Bureau Contest . . .		Show Pavilion
4-H Mini Fashion Revue (held during Miss How. Co. Farm Bureau Contest)		
<b>Tour A Live Honey Bee Colony Demo.</b> . . . . . Ag Education Tent		
1:00 pm	Interlocking Building Block Competition. . . . .	Back Main Exhibition Bldg
5:00 pm	4-H Champion & Blue Baked Goods Auction . . . . .	Show Pavilion
5:30 pm	<b>Ernie Bradley and the Grassy Ridge Band.</b> . . . . .	Entertainment Stage
6:00 pm	4-H Horsemanship Contest . . . . .	4-H Activities Hall
6:30 pm	4-H Sheep Showmanship Contest . . . . .	Show Pavilion
7:30 & 9:00pm	<b>Sean Collins and the Backbeats (R&amp;B/Soul).</b> . . . . .	Entertainment Stage

### Monday, August 8<sup>th</sup>

8:30 am	4-H & Open Beef Cattle Show. . . . .	Show Pavilion
9:00 am	Cleveland Bay Hunter Horse Show. . . . .	Horse Rings
4-H Pygmy Goat Show . . . . .		Sheep & Goat Barn
4-H Poultry Show . . . . .		Poultry Barn
10:00 am	<b>Demonstrations Throughout the Day.</b> . . . . .	Home Arts Building
<b>4-H Day! (10am - 4pm)</b> . . . . .		4-H Activities Hall
1:00 pm	Open Poultry Show. . . . .	Poultry Barn
4-H & Open Commercial Sheep Show. . . . .		Show Pavilion
2:00 pm	<b>MIDWAY OPENS</b>	
5:00 pm	4-H Market Lamb Show. . . . .	Show Pavilion
5:00pm	4-H Robotic Contest . . . . .	4-H Activities Hall
7:00 pm	<b>PRCA All American Pro Rodeo.</b> . . . . .	<b>Contest Arena</b>
7:30/9:00 pm	<b>Appaloosa (Oldies).</b> . . . . .	Entertainment Stage

### Tuesday, August 9<sup>th</sup> – SENIOR DAY (Seniors 62 & Older Admitted FREE – ALL DAY)

8:00 am	BRAHA Arabian, Partbred Arabian & Open Show. . . . .	Horse Rings
8:30 am	4-H & Open Hand Spinners Sheep Show. . . . .	Show Pavilion
9:00 am	4-H Rabbit Show. . . . .	Rabbit Pavilion
10:00 am	4-H Rabbit Showmanship. . . . .	Rabbit Pavilion
<b>Senior Day at the Fair (10am - 3pm)</b> . . . . .		4-H Activities Hall
<b>Demonstrations Throughout the Day.</b> . . . . .		Home Arts Building
4-H Meat Breeding Goat Show . . . . .		Sheep & Goat Barn
1:30 pm	Market Goat & Showmanship Show . . . . .	Show Pavilion
2:00 pm	<b>MIDWAY OPENS</b>	
5:00 pm	4-H Beef Showmanship & Steer Show. . . . .	Show Pavilion

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## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS (Continued)

### Tuesday, August 9<sup>th</sup> (Continued)

7:00 pm	4-H Dog Bowl . . . . .	4-H Exhibit Building
	Food & Nutrition Bowl (held after 4-H Dog Bowl). . . . .	4-H Ex.Bldg
7:00 pm	Saddle Pals & Gals Drill Team . . . . .	Horse Ring
7:00 pm	<b>PRCA All American Pro Rodeo</b> . . . . .	<b>Contest Arena</b>
7:00 pm	Saddle Guys and Gals Drill Team . . . . .	Horse Rings
7:30/9:00 pm	<b>Rock &amp; Roll Relics</b> . . . . .	Entertainment Stage

### Wednesday, August 10<sup>th</sup>

9:00 am	Miniature Horse Show. . . . .	Horse Rings
	English/Western Play Day Horse Show . . . . .	Horse Rings
	4-H Swine Showmanship. . . . .	Show Pavilion
	<b>Demonstrations Throughout the Day</b> . . . . .	Home Arts Building
11:30 am	<b>Ag Leaders Luncheon - By invitation Only</b> . . . . .	4-H Activities Hall
1:00 pm	4-H Dairy Showmanship . . . . .	Show Pavilion
2:00 pm	<b>MIDWAY OPENS</b>	
	4-H Swine Breeding Show. . . . .	Show Pavilion
	4-H Rabbit Bowl Contest . . . . .	Rabbit Pavilion
5:00 pm	4-H Market Swine Show. . . . .	Show Pavilion
7:00 pm	<b>Demolition Derby</b> . . . . .	Contest Arena
7:30/9:00 pm	<b>Sam Grow Band</b> . . . . .	Entertainment Stage

### Thursday, August 11<sup>th</sup>

8:00 am	Thoroughbred Alliance Horse Show. . . . .	Horse Rings
8:30 am	4-H & Open Meat Breeding Sheep Show . . . . .	Show Pavilion
	4-H Rabbit Judging Contest . . . . .	Rabbit Pavilion
	4-H Small Pet and Wildlife. . . . .	4-H Exhibit Building
10:00 am	Hands on History. . . . .	4-H Activities Building
	<b>Demonstrations Throughout the Day</b> . . . . .	Home Arts Building
11:00 am	Honey Extraction Demo (with Charlie Brandis, White House BK). . . . .	Home Arts Building
12:00pm	4-H Dairy Showmanship . . . . .	Show Pavilion
1:00 pm	4-H Livestock Clover Skillathon. . . . .	Bingo Hall
2:00 pm	<b>MIDWAY OPENS</b>	
4:00 pm	4-H & Open Dairy Cattle Show (Guernsey, Brown Swiss And Milking Shorthorns) . . . . .	Show Pavilion
6:00 pm	4-H & Open Dairy Cattle Show (Ayrshire & Holstein). . . . .	Show Pavilion
6:00 pm	<b>Iron Chef Contest (local celebrity chefs)</b> . . . . .	4-H Activities Hall
7:00 pm	<b>Demolition Derby</b> . . . . .	<b>Contest Arena</b>
7:00 pm	<b>Amateur Variety Talent Show</b> . . . . .	Main Exhibition Stage
7:30 pm	<b>The Browningsville Band</b> . . . . .	Entertainment Stage

### Friday, August 12<sup>th</sup>

8:30 am	Maryland Western Horse Show - Open. . . . .	Horse Rings
	4-H Dog Agility Trial/Dog Rally Obedience . . . . .	MEX West Parking Lot
9:00 am	4-H & Open Meat Breeding Sheep Show. . . . .	Show Pavilion
	<b>Demonstrations Throughout the Day</b> . . . . .	Home Arts Building
2:00 pm	<b>MIDWAY OPENS</b>	
5:45 pm	<b>4-H Livestock Sale: Small Animals, Swine, Steers, Lambs and Goats</b> . . . . .	Show Pavilion
7:30/9:00 pm	<b>Jay Henley &amp; Stone Broke Band (Country)</b> . . . . .	Entertainment Stage

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS (Continued)

### Saturday, August 13<sup>th</sup>

8:30 am	MSQHA Quarter Horse Show. . . . .	Horse Rings
9:00 am	4-H Dairy and Livestock Judging Contest. . . . .	Show Pavilion
	4-H Rocketry Contest. . . . .	Upper Parking Lot
10:00 am	<b>Demonstrations Throughout the Day. . . . .</b> Home Arts Building	
10:00 am	Baby Contest and Miniature Parade. . . . .	Entertainment Stage
	Thirty-Eighth Annual Horse Pull. . . . .	Contest Arena
12 Noon	<b>MIDWAY OPENS</b>	
12:30 pm	New Zoo Revue. . . . .	Show Pavilion
1:30 pm	4-H Worm Race. . . . .	Show Pavilion
2:30 pm	4-H Sheep Lead Contest. . . . .	Show Pavilion
5:00 pm	<b>Parade of Floats. . . . .</b>	Midway Boulevard
6:15 pm	Clover Showmanship. . . . .	Show Pavilion
7:00 pm	<b>COMBINE Demolition Derby. . . . .</b>	<b>Contest Arena</b>
7:00 pm	4-H All Star Livestock Showmanship Contest. . . . .	Show Pavilion
	(4-H Pizza Party to Follow - Sponsored by Howard County Fair)	
7:30/9:00 pm	<b>Richie Fields. . . . .</b>	Entertainment Stage
9:00 pm	Awarding of Premiums. . . . .	Show Pavilion
	Awarding of Door Prizes. . . . .	Main Exhibition Bldg.

### SPECIAL NOTICE

**Exhibit Halls Will Be Closed During Entry and Judging on Saturday, August 6<sup>th</sup> Home Arts Building Will be Closed All Day on Saturday, August 6<sup>th</sup> , and Will Open to the Public on Sunday, August 7<sup>th</sup> at 10 am.**

### AMUSEMENT RIDES

Saturdays and Sunday - 12 Noon til 11 pm

Monday thru Friday - 2 pm til 11 pm

**KIDS & CRITTERS BARN - Barn 6 - 10:30 am - 8:30 pm**

**(CLOSED DAILY FROM 2 PM - 4 PM)**

**BINGO HALL - Opens Daily at 6 pm**

**PONY RIDES - 10 am - 10 pm**

**PIG RACES - 12 Noon, 3 pm, 6 pm & 8 pm**

### SHAZAM MAGIC SHOWS

Check Website for Show Times

### COMMERCIAL VENDORS - MAIN EXHIBITION HALL

Door Prizes Drawn Every Evening at 9:00 PM. Check in the Main Exhibition Hall for Details.

❖ SCHEDULE SUBJECT TO CHANGE ❖

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