

2018 NEW YORK STATE FAIR
Youth Department Schedule

Saturday, August 18

7:00 – 7:45 a.m. Youth Dog Show Registration. – Coliseum
8:00 a.m. - Conclusion Youth Dog Show – Coliseum & Warm Up Ring
Followed by Awards

Tuesday, August 21

3:00 p.m. 4-H Horse Show Office Opens
Stables open for Dressage Division, 4-H Horse Show entries (4-H Horse Show Arena)
3:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Youth Beef First Rotation Arrive
6:00 a.m. – 12 mid. Goat Barn open

Wednesday, August 22

8:00 a.m. All Youth Dairy Cattle in place (Open Dairy Cattle Barn)
9:00 a.m. 4-H Horse Show, Dressage Division (4-H Horse Show Arena)
9:00 a.m. All Youth Dairy Goats & Youth Meat Goats must be in place
9:30 a.m. All Youth Beef First Rotation must be in place
10:00 A.M. Youth Beef Exhibitor Organizational Meeting (Beef Barn)
10:00 a.m. Novice 4-H Dairy Quiz Bowl Invitational (Dairy Cattle Center Arena)
10:00 a.m. Youth Sheep must be in place
10:30 a.m. Youth Dairy & Meat Goat Mandatory Exhibitor Meeting (Goat Tent)
11:00 a.m. Youth Sheep – Mandatory exhibitor orientation (Open Sheep Barn Arena)
12:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Youth Dairy & Meat Goat Mandatory Entry check-in. Youth Meat Goat Project Notebooks & Goat Educational Display check in
12:30 p.m. 4-H Dairy Challenge Contest Registration
1:00 p.m. 4-H Dairy Challenge Contest
3:00 p.m. Junior Hereford Show
3:30 p.m. Team Goat Fitting Competition (Goat Tent)
6:00 p.m. Youth Dairy Goat Milk Production Contest Preliminary Milkout (Dairy Goat Milk Parlor)
6:00 p.m. Youth Goat Product Tasting and Viewing Resource Guides (Goat Tent)
8:00 p.m. Poultry Orientation for Poultry Teen Leaders
8:30 p.m. Teen Orientation Meeting for all youth residing in 4-H Youth Building (Youth Bldg. Stage Area)
9:15 p.m. Chaperone Orientation for **all** adults serving as chaperones for youth residing in 4-H Youth Building Dormitories (Youth Bldg. Stage Area)

Thursday, August 23

6:00 a.m. Youth Dairy Goat Milk Production Contest First Official Milking (Dairy Goat Milk Parlor)
8:00 a.m. Horse Show Office Opens
9:00 a.m. Arrival of first rotation Youth Beef Cattle (Open Beef Barn)
9:00 a.m. Youth Dairy Judging Contest (Dairy Cattle Center Arena)
9:00 a.m. 4-H Horse Show, Dressage Division (4-H Horse Show Arena)
10:00 a.m. All Youth Building exhibits from scheduled counties in place.
10:00 a.m. Youth Sheep Fitting Contest
10:00 a.m. Youth Meat Goat Kimber Hamm Project Notebooks turned in.
10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. 4-H Exhibits, Demos, Hands-On activities & entertainment (Youth Building)
1:00 p.m. 4-H Goat Products Identification & Goat Knowledge Olympics Contests (Goat Tent)

Thursday, August 23 (Cont'd)

- 1:30 p.m. Youth Beef Show with Showmanship (Open Beef Barn)
 5:00 p.m. Stables open for Mounted Games Division, 4-H Horse Show entries (4-H Horse Show Arena)
 5:00 p.m. Youth Beef Educational Program (Open Beef Barn)
 6:00 p.m. Youth Dairy Goat Milk Production Contest Second Official Milking (Dairy Goat Milk Parlor)
 9:00 p.m. Scheduled Teen activities for youth residing in dorms & their chaperones (Youth Bldg. Stage)

Friday, August 24

- 8:00 a.m. 4-H Horse Show Office Opens
 8:00 a.m. Youth Sheep Market Lamb Weigh-In
 8:30 a.m. 4-H Poultry Science Contest Registration (Youth Pole Barn Arena)
 9:00 a.m. Youth Holstein Show (Toyota Dairy Cattle Center Arena)
 9:00 a.m. 4-H Poultry Science Contest Begins (Youth Pole Barn Arena)
 9:00 a.m. 4-H Horse Show, Dressage Division, continues (4-H Horse Show Arena)
 10:00 a.m. State 4-H Goat Bowl (Goat Tent)
 10:00 a.m. 4-H Hort Contest (Location TBA) Participants must begin by 10:30 a.m.
 10:00 a.m. Produced in New York Demonstration Program
 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. 4-H Exhibits, Demos, Hands-On activities & entertainment (Youth Bldg)
 12:00 noon Youth Sheep Show - Wool Judging (Wool Center)
 1:00 p.m. Youth Sheep Show – Showmanship (Open Sheep Show Ring)
 1:00 p.m. 4-H Horse Show, Mounted Games Division (4-H Horse Arena)
 Immediately Youth Sheep Show, Little Shepherds Halter Showmanship Contest (Open Sheep Show Ring)
 Following Youth Show with Showmanship (Open Beef Barn Ring)
 1:30 p.m. Youth Avian Quiz Bowl (Youth Arena)
 2:00 p.m. Youth Meat Goat Project Notebook Interviews (Location TBA)
 4:00 p.m. Hort Contest Awards (Youth Bldg. Stage)
 5:00 p.m. Stables Open to Drill/Parade/Quadrille (4-H Pole Barn area) 4-H Horse Show, Drill/Parade/Quadrille practice sign-up will be 1 (one) hr. after the last Mounted Games Class. (4-H Horse Show Ofc. Drill/Parade Scheduled Practice
 6:00 p.m. Continuation of Youth Meat Goat Project Notebook Interviews
 Educational Activity for all Youth Goat Exhibitors
 900 p.m. Scheduled Teen activities for dorm youth residing in dorms & their chaperones (Youth Bldg. Stage).

Saturday, August 25

- 8:00 a.m. 4-H Horse Show Office Opens
 8:00 a.m. Youth Dairy Cattle Showmanship (Toyota Dairy Cattle Center Arena)
 8:30 a.m. Youth Sheep Show (Market Lambs followed by breed classes) (Open Show Ring)
 9:00 a.m. 4-H Horse Show, Drill/Parade/Quadrille Scheduled Practice
 9:00 a.m. Youth Poultry must be in place. Judging begins (Poultry Bldg.)
 9:00 a.m. Youth Poultry Fitting & Showmanship (Poultry Building)
 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. 4-H Exhibits, Demos, Hands-on activities & entertainment. (Youth Building)
 12:00 noon Youth Meat Goat Market Kid Weight-in
 1:00 p.m. Youth Milking Shorthorn Show (Dairy Cattle Center Arena)
 1:00 p.m. 4-H Horse Show, Drill/Parade Competition (4-H Horse Show Arena)
 1:00 p.m. Youth Dairy Goat Fitting & Showmanship (Goat Ring Tent)
 4:00 p.m. Youth Beef First Rotation Released
 5:00 p.m. 4-H counties/members involved in Parade should meet at the Teen Assistants Office in the Youth Building

Saturday, August 25 (Cont'd)

- 6:00 p.m. Parade
6:00 – 10:00 p.m. Arrival of Youth Beef Second Rotation
8:30 p.m. – 12 midnight Youth Swine begin to arrive **NO YOUTH SWINE WILL BE CHECKED IN FROM 12 MIDNIGHT UNTIL 6:00 A.M.**
9:00 p.m. Scheduled Teen activities will be available for dorm youth & chaperones on the first floor of the Youth Building.

Sunday, August 26

- 6:00 – 9:00 a.m. Final arrival time for Youth Swine
7:30 a.m. 4-H Hippology Contest & 4-H Horse Judging Invitational registration (4-H Youth Arena)
8:00 a.m. 4-H Hippology Contest & 4-H Horse Judging Invitational begins (4-H Youth Arena)
9:00 a.m. All Youth Swine entries in place
9:00 a.m. Horse Show Office Opens
9:00 a.m. Stable Open to Hunt Seat & Saddle Seat Divisions
9:30 a.m. Youth Beef Second Rotation must be in place
10:00 a.m. Youth Beef Exhibitor Organizational Meeting (Open Beef Barn)
TBA Youth Beef Steer Weight-In (Open Beef Barn)
10:00 a.m. Mandatory Meeting of all Youth Swine Exhibitors
10:00 a.m. Youth Dairy Goat Breed Show (Goat Tent)
10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. 4-H Exhibits, Demos, Hands-on activities & entertainment (Youth Building)
10:30 a.m. Weigh in Youth Market Hogs
11:00 a.m. All-Breeds Junior Beef Showmanship (Open Beef Barn)
TBA Youth Beef Records Interview
11:30 A.M. ESYS (Empire Scholarship Youth Swine Contest) Program Check in
12:30 – 1:30 p.m. 4-H Horse Judging Invitational
2:00 – 3:00 p.m. 4-H Horse Bowl Invitational (Youth Arena)
3:00 p.m. Empire Swine Youth Scholarship Interviews/Contest Records due
3:00 p.m. Youth Building exhibits released on staggered schedule.
4:00 p.m. 4-H Horse Show, Hunt Seat & Saddle Seat Classes Begin (4-H Horse Arena)
4:00 p.m. Youth Sheep Decorate a Sheep Contest
4:00 p.m. Little Britches Showmanship (Dairy Cattle Center Arena)
4:00 p.m. 4-H Hippology Contest Awards (4-H Youth Arena)
5:00 p.m. Youth Sheep Exhibitor's Meeting – Awards & Presentation
5:00 p.m. Exhibits from Group B counties may arrive at Youth Building
5:00 p.m. Youth Swine PQA Training/Adult PQA Plus Training – Certification required for all exhibitors
6:00 p.m. – approx. Youth Sheep released
6:00 p.m. 4-H "Window Box Challenge" Judging (Youth Bldg. Stage)
6:00 p.m. Youth Swine Exhibitor Family Dinner – Swine Show Ring. Bring a dish to pass & drinks for your family.
6:00 p.m. Youth Swine Posters & Educational displays MUST be in place
7:00 p.m. Youth Goat Family Fellowship Gathering and Dinner
7:30 p.m. Empire Swine Youth Scholarship Review Session (Show Ring)
8:30 p.m. Teen Orientation Meeting for all youth residing in 4-H Youth Building
9:15 p.m. Chaperone Orientation for **all** adults serving as chaperones for youth residing in 4-H Youth Building Dormitories.

Monday, August 27

- 12:01 a.m. Youth Holstein & Shorthorns released on scheduled basis
8:00 a.m. Horse Show Office Opens

Monday, August 27 (Cont'd)

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| 9:00 a.m. | 4-H Horse Show, Hunt Seat & Saddle Seat Classes, continued (4-H Horse Show Arena) |
| 9:00 a.m. | All Youth Building exhibits from scheduled counties in place |
| 9:30 a.m. | Youth Meat Goat Show (Goat Tent) |
| 10:00 a.m. | 4-H Horse Communications (4-H Youth Bldg. Stage) |
| 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. | 4-H Exhibits, Demos, Hand-on activities & entertainment (Youth Bldg.) |
| 10:00 a.m. | Empire Swine Youth Scholarship Contest Written Examination |
| 11:00 a.m. | Steer Weigh-in |
| 1:00 p.m. | Beef All-Breeds Junior Showmanship (Open Beef Barn) |
| 2:00 p.m. | Empire Swine Youth Scholarship Contest Public Presentation (Show Ring) |
| 2:00 p.m. | Youth Goat Judging Clinic (Goat Tent) |
| TBA | Youth Beef Records Interviews |
| 3:00 p.m. | Youth Goat Judging Contest (Goat Tent) |
| 5:00 p.m. | Youth Beef Educational Program |
| 5:00 p.m. | 4-H Livestock Skillathon Contest (Youth Arena) |
| 9:00 p.m. | Scheduled Teen activities for youth residing in dorms & their chaperones (Youth Bldg. Stage) |

Tuesday, August 28

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| 6:30 a.m. | 4-H Horse Show Office Opens |
| 7:00 a.m. | 4-H Livestock Judging Contest Registration ESYS are encouraged to participate in the contest. The swine portion is a component of the ESYS, swine portion TBD |
| 7:30 a.m. | Arrival of Youth Livestock Judging Teams |
| 8:00 a.m. | 4-H Horse Show, Hunt Seat continued (4-H Horse Show Arena) |
| 8:30 a.m. | 4-H & FFA Livestock Judging Contest (Youth Arena) |
| 10:00 a.m. | Produced in New York Demo Program (Youth Bldg. Demo Kitchen) |
| 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. | 4-H Exhibits, Demos, Hands-On activities & entertainment (Youth Building) |
| 11:00 a.m. | Youth Goat Obstacle Course (Goat Tent) |
| 12:00 noon | ESYS Parent Feedback Meeting |
| 2:00 p.m. | Youth Goat Award Ceremony |
| 3:00 p.m. | Empire Swine Youth Scholarship Corn Hole Tournament (Show Ring) |
| 6:00 p.m. | 4-H Horse Stables Open to Western Division |
| 6:00 p.m. | Youth Swine Quiz Bowl |
| 7:00 p.m. | Youth Goats released All Dairy & Meat goats must be removed by 10:00 p.m. <u>No youth meat goats are to remain on the fairgrounds.</u> |
| 7:00 p.m. | Empire Swine Youth Scholarship Scavenger Hunt |
| 8:00 p.m. | Empire Swine Youth Scholarship Ice Cream Social |
| 9:00 p.m. | Scheduled Teen activities for youth residing in dorms & their chaperones (Youth Bldg. Stage) |

Wednesday, August 29

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| 8:00 a.m. | 4-H Horse Show Office opens |
| 9:00 a.m. | Youth Breed Show with Showmanship (Open Beef Barn) |
| 9:00 a.m. | 4-H Horse Show Western Classes (4-H Horse Show Arena) |
| 9:45 a.m. | ESYS Contest Photo (Swine Show Ring) |
| 9:55 a.m. | National Anthem & Pledge (Swine Show Ring) |
| 10:05 a.m. | Youth Swine Show - Fitting & Showmanship (Open Swine Show Ring) |
| 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. | 4-H Exhibits, Demos, Hands-on Activities & entertainment (Youth Bldg.) |
| 12:00 noon – approx. | ESYS Exhibitor Family Lunch |
| 12:00 noon | Empire Market Steer Program Awards (Open Beef Barn) |

Wednesday, August 29 (Cont'd)

- 1:00 p.m. Second Half of the Fair Dairy Youth Showmanship (Dairy Cattle Center Arena)
- 1:00 p.m. (approx.) Youth Market Hog classes, Breeding Swine Classes will follow lunch (Show Ring)
- 3:00 p.m. 4-H Western Ranch Horse Demonstration Clinic
- 4:00 p.m. Release of Youth Beef Second Rotation
- 5:00 p.m. 4-H counties/members involved in Parade should meet at the Teen Assistant Office in the Youth Building
- 6:00 p.m. Parade
- 6:00 p.m. approx. Open Sheep Market Lamb and Wether Sire and Wether Dam Show Released
- 6:00 p.m. Empire Swine Youth Scholarship Contest results (Please wear your contest shirts)
- 7:00 p.m. Youth Swine Released
- 9:00 p.m. Scheduled Teen activities for youth residing in dorms & their chaperones (Youth Bldg. Stage)

Thursday, August 30

- 8:00 a.m. Horse Show Office Open
- 9:00 a.m. 4-H Horse Show, Western Classes (4-H Horse Show Arena)
- 9:00 a.m. Youth Guernsey & Ayrshire Breed Shows (Dairy Cattle Center Arena)
- 10:00 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. 4-H Exhibits, Demos, Hands-on Activities & entertainment (Youth Building)
- 12:30 p.m. Youth Brown Swiss & Jersey Breed Shows (Dairy Cattle Center Arena)
- 3:00 p.m. Youth Building exhibits released on staggered schedule.
- 3:30 p.m. Dairy Goat Fitting Competition (Location TBA)
- 4:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Arrival of Youth Beef Third Rotation
- 5:00 p.m. Exhibits from Group C counties may arrive at the Youth Building
- 8:30 p.m. Teen Orientation Meeting for all youth residing in 4-H Youth Building
- 9:15 p.m. Chaperone Orientation for **all** adults serving as chaperones for youth residing in 4-H Youth Building Dormitories

Friday, August 31

- 8:00 a.m. Horse Show Office Opens
- 8:30 a.m. Egg Preparation Contest (Youth Building Demo Kitchen)
- 9:00 a.m. 4-H Horse Show, Western Classes continue (4-H Horse Show Arena)
- 9:00 a.m. Youth Dairy Judging Contest & FFA Dairy Cattle Judging Contest (Dairy Cattle Center Arena)
- 9:30 a.m. Third Rotation Youth Beef Cattle in place (Open Beef Barn)
- 9:30 a.m. Chicken & Turkey Barbecue Contest begins (Youth Bldg.)
- 10:00 a.m. All Youth Building exhibits from scheduled counties in place
- 10:00 a.m. Youth Beef Exhibitor Organizational Meeting
- 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. 4-H Exhibits, Demos, Hands-on Activities & entertainment (Youth Building)
- 12:30 p.m. Stables Open to Driving & Miniature Divisions
- 1:30 p.m. Estimated start time for 4-H Horse Driving/Mini Division
- 2:00 p.m. 4-H Poultry Barbecue Demos – Youth Building
- 3:00 p.m. All Breeds Junior Showmanship (Open Beef Barn)
- 5:00 p.m. Youth Beef Educational Program (Open Beef Barn)
- 7:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. 4-H Rabbit & Cavy Health Check
- 9:00 p.m. Scheduled Teen activities for youth residing in dorms & their chaperones (Youth Bldg. Stage)

Saturday, September 1

7:00 a.m. Horse Show Office Opens
 8:00 a.m. 4-H Horse Show, Mini Equine Division
 8:00 a.m. - 9:45 a.m. Youth Rabbit & Cavy registration for All Breeds (4-H Youth Arena)
 10:00 a.m. Youth Rabbit & Cavy Show
 Breed classes Rabbits & Cavies begin (4-H Youth Arena)
 10:00 a.m. Produced in New York Demonstration Program Contest (Youth Bldg. Demo Kitchen)
 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. 4-H Exhibits, Demos, Hands-on Activities & entertainment (Youth Bldg.)
 3:00 p.m. approx. Youth Rabbit & Cavy Awards (4-H Youth Arena)
 4:00 p.m. Youth Breed Show with Showmanship (Beef Barn)
 6:00 p.m. Stables open to Gymkhana Division
 7:00 p.m. "Little Britches" Showmanship class (Dairy Cattle Center Arena)
 9:00 p.m. Scheduled Teen activities for youth residing in dorms & their chaperones (Youth Bldg. Stage)

Sunday, September 2

8:00 a.m. 4-H Horse Show Office Opens
 8:30 a.m. 4-H Horse mandatory exhibitor meeting
 9:00 a.m. 4-H Horse Show, Gymkhana Division begins (4-H Horse Show Arena)
 9:00 a.m. 4-H Rabbit & Cavy Science Decathlon (4-H Youth Arena)
 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. 4-H Exhibits, Demos, Hands-on Activities & entertainment (Youth Bldg.)
 3:00 p.m. (approx.) 4-H Rabbit & Cavy Science Decathlon Awards (4-H Youth Arena)
 5:00 p.m. 4-H counties/members involved in Parade should meet at the Teen Assistants Office in the Youth Building
 6:00 p.m. Parade
 6:00 p.m. (approx.) 4-H Sheep Exhibitors who stayed for the Open Show may be released (after the Open Show Exhibitors' Meeting)
 9:00 p.m. Scheduled Teen activities for youth residing in dorms & their chaperones (Youth Bldg.)
 12:00 midnight Youth Colored Breed Dairy Cattle Released by schedule

Monday, September 3

7:00 a.m. 4-H Horse Show Office Opens
 7:30 a.m. 4-H Horses moved to the Coliseum
 9:00 a.m. 4-H Horse Show, Gymkhana Div. classes cont. (Coliseum)
 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. 4-H Exhibits, Demos, Hands-on Activities & entertainment (Youth Bldg.)
 4:00 p.m. Release of Third Rotation Youth Beef Cattle
 5:00 p.m. Youth Building exhibits released on staggered schedule