

2026 SHELBY COUNTY FAIR SCHEDULE

FAIR CLOSSES AT 10:00 P.M. SATURDAY

DATE	EVENT	LOCATION
WEDNESDAY, JULY 22 7:30 p.m.	Joint Jr./Sr. Fair Board Meeting and Work Night	Kent Feeds Livestock Arena I
FRIDAY, JULY 24 4:00-8:00 p.m. 7:00-8:00 p.m. 8:00p.m-8:00 a.m.(Sat)	Articles accepted in book categories # 13 Articles accepted in book categories # 6-7 -8 & 10 Open class barrow and gilts accepted	Fine Arts Building Horticultural Building Livestock complex
SATURDAY, JULY 25 8:30 a.m. 9:00 a.m.-Noon	Market Hog Weigh-in Articles accepted in book categories 6, 7, 8, &10	Hog Scales Horticulture Building
SUNDAY, JULY 26 - Fair Preview Day - Sponsored by Tri Co. Insurance & Hemmelgarn Services		
8:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m.	Articles accepted in book dept. #9	Horticultural Building
10:00 a.m.	Open Boer Goat Breeding Show	Kent Feeds Livestock Arena I
10:00 a.m.	Church Service	Free Entertainment Tent
11:00 a.m.	29th Annual Cruise In	In & Around Antique Tractor Display
12 Noon	Opening Ceremonies	Flag Pole
1:00 p.m.	Hardin-Houston High School Band	Free Entertainment Tent
1:00-1:30 p.m.	Mike Bishop - Comedy Hypnotist	Near The Houston Food Booth
2:00-3:00 p.m.	Amos Library Entertainment	Free Entertainment Tent
2:00 p.m.	Open Feeder Calf, Steer & Heifer Shows	Kent Feeds Livestock Arena I
3:00-3:30 p.m.	Mike Bishop - Comedy Hypnotist	Near The Houston Food Booth
3:00 p.m.	Born in Shelby County Cattle Show	Kent Feeds Livestock Arena I
3:00 p.m.	Free! Fun with Nature Crafts!	Community Foundation Hall
4:00 p.m.	D.A.R.E Scavenger Hunt	D.A.R.E Learning Booth
4:00- 5:00 p.m.	Loyal Horse Performance	Near The Houston Food Booth
4:00-7:00 p.m.	Bank Open	Senior Fair Board Office
4:00 p.m.	Little Mr. & Miss Shelby Co. Fair	Gazebo
5:00 p.m.	Shelby County Born & Raised Show	Kent Feeds Livestock Arena I
5:00-5:30 p.m.	Mike Bishop - Comedy Hypnotist	Free Entertainment Tent
5:00-7:00 p.m.	D.A.R.E Lion Mascot : Darin Apperance	D.A.R.E Learning Booth
6:00-7:00 p.m.	Loyal Horse Performance	Near The Houston Food Booth
6:00 p.m.	Open Class Bake Goods Auction	EMA Building
6:00 p.m.	Ponie Pull	Grandstands
6:30 p.m.	District V Jersey & District 14 Holstein Show	Kent Feeds Livestock Arena I
7:00 p.m.	Horse Pull	Grandstands
7:00 p.m.	Free! Fun with Nature Crafts!	Community Foundation Hall
8:00 p.m.	Josh Gracin	Free Entertainment Tent
MONDAY, JULY 27 - INDUSTRIAL DAY I/ VETERANS DAY-Veterans & Spouses Admitted Free All day - Sponsored By Area Energy & Electric		
8:30-10:30 a.m.	Articles accepted in book categories #11	Community Foundation Hall
9:00 a.m.	Open Class Dairy Shows	Kent Feeds Livestock Arena I
11:00 a.m.	Veteran Service Commision available for Veteran/ Dependant Benefits	Free Entertainment Tent
12:00 Noon	Flower Show Judging Begins	Community Foundation Hall
Noon-1:00 p.m.	Bank Open	Senior Fair Board Office
3:00 p.m.	Free! Fun with Nature Crafts!	Community Foundation Hall
Rides Open 4 p.m.		
4:00-7:00 p.m.	Bank Open	Senior Fair Board Office
4:00 p.m.	D.A.R.E Scavenger Hunt	D.A.R.E Learning Booth
5:00 p.m.	Richard Prince Memorial Human Tractor Pull	Grandstands
5:00 - 7:00 p.m.	D.A.R.E Lion Mascot : Darin Apperance	D.A.R.E Learning Booth
5:30 p.m.	Open Class Barrow Show	Kent Feeds Livestock Arena II
5:00-5:30 p.m.	Mike Bishop - Comedy Hypnotist	Free Entertainment Tent
5:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m.	Loyal Horse Performance	Near The Houston Food Booth
6:00 p.m.	D.A.R.E Scavenger Hunt	D.A.R.E Learning Booth
7:00 p.m.	Loyal Horse Performance	Near The Houston Food Booth
7:00 p.m.	Open Class Gilt Show	Kent Feeds Livestock Arena II
7:00 p.m.	Free! Fun with Nature Crafts!	Community Foundation Hall

7:00 p.m.	Veterans Program	Free Entertainment Tent
7:00-7:30 p.m.	Mike Bishop - Comedy Hypnotist	Free Entertainment Tent
7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.	Loyal Horse Performance	Near The Houston Food Booth

TUESDAY, JULY 28 - Senior Citizens Day

9:00 a.m.	Sr. Citizens Day Registration Begins	Free Entertainment Tent
9:30-11:00 a.m.	Senior Agencies Booths Open	Free Entertainment Tent
10:00-11:00 a.m.	BINGO	Free Entertainment Tent
11:00 a.m.	Sr. Citizens Day Registration Closes / Entertainment - Senior Center Singers	Free Entertainment Tent
11:00 p.m.	Beef Cook Out	Behind Kent Feeds Arena I
11:30-Noon	Door Prizes and awards to oldest lady,gentleman, and couple married the longest	Free Entertainment Tent
12:00 Noon	FREE LUNCH -Seniors Must Have Ticket While Supplies Last	Free Entertainment Tent
Noon-1:00 p.m.	Bank Open	Senior Fair Board Office
2:00 p.m.	Rides Open	Midway
3:00 p.m.	Free! Fun with Nature Crafts!	Community Foundation Hall
4:00 p.m.	D.A.R.E Scavenger Hunt	D.A.R.E Learning Booth
4:00-7:00 p.m.	Bank Open	Senior Fair Board Office
5:00 p.m.	Harness Racing - "NEW"- Para Mutual Betting	Free Grandstand
5:00-5:30 p.m.	Mike Bishop - Comedy Hypnotist	Free Entertainment Tent
5:30-6:30 p.m.	Loyal Horse Performance	Free Entertainment Tent
6:00 p.m.	D.A.R.E Scavenger Hunt	D.A.R.E Learning Booth
7:00 p.m.	Free! Fun with Nature Crafts!	Community Foundation Hall
7:00-7:30 p.m.	Mike Bishop - Comedy Hypnotist	Free Entertainment Tent
7:30-8:30 p.m.	Loyal Horse Performance	Free Entertainment Tent
8:00 p.m.	Joseph O'Brien	Free Entertainment Tent

WEDNESDAY, JULY 29 - Industrial Day Two

- Sponsored by Detailed Machining-Silveus Ins.Group

Noon-1:00 p.m.	Bank Open	Senior Fair Board Office
2:00 p.m.	Rides Open	Midway
3:00 p.m.	Free! Fun with Nature Crafts!	Community Foundation Hall
4:00 p.m.	D.A.R.E Scavenger Hunt	D.A.R.E Learning Booth
4:00-7:00 p.m.	Bank Open	Senior Fair Office
5:00 p.m.	Harness Racing - "NEW"- Para Mutual Betting	Free Grandstand
5:00-5:30 p.m.	Mike Bishop - Comedy Hypnotist	Free Entertainment Tent
5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.	Loyal Horse Performance	Near The Houston Food Booth
6:00 p.m.	D.A.R.E Scavenger Hunt	D.A.R.E Learning Booth
6:00 p.m.	Loyal Horse Performance	Near The Houston Food Booth
7:00 p.m.	Free! Fun with Nature Crafts!	Community Foundation Hall
7:00-7:30 p.m.	Mike Bishop - Comedy Hypnotist	Free Entertainment Tent
7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.	Loyal Horse Performance	Near The Houston Food Booth
8:00 p.m.	Chad Cremeans	Free Entertainment Tent

THURSDAY, JULY 30 - Kid's Day

- Sponsored By Buckeye Ford, Edison Community College & Walmart

12:00 to 1:00 p.m.	Bank Open	Senior Fairboard Office
12:00 Noon	Kid's Day Program	Free Entertainment Tent
1:00 p.m.	Rides Open	Midway
2:00 p.m.	Open Breeding Sheep Show	Kent Feed Livestock Arena
2:30 p.m.	Kiddie Tractor Pull	Northside of Old Bathrooms
3:00 p.m.	Free! Fun with Nature Crafts!	Community Foundation Hall
3:00 p.m.	D.A.R.E. Face Painting	D.A.R.E Building
4:00 p.m.	D.A.R.E Scavenger Hunt	D.A.R.E Learning Booth
4:00-7:00 p.m.	Bank Open	Senior Fair Board Office
Rides Close 5 p.m. to 6 p.m.		
4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.	D.A.R.E Face Painting	D.A.R.E. Building
5:00-5:30 p.m.	Mike Bishop - Comedy Hypnotist	Free Entertainment Tent
5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.	Loyal Horse Performance	Near The Houston Food Booth
6:00 p.m.	D.A.R.E Scavenger Hunt	D.A.R.E Learning Booth
6:30 p.m.	Truck and Tractor Pulls	Gate D Only-Grandstand \$5.00 Charge
6:00-8:00 p.m.	D.A.R.E Face Painting	D.A.R.E Building
7:00 p.m.	Free! Fun with Nature Crafts!	Community Foundation Hall
7:00-7:30 p.m.	Mike Bishop - Comedy Hypnotist	Free Entertainment Tent
7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.	Loyal Horse Performance	Near The Houston Food Booth
8:00 p.m	Hometown Boys	Free Entertainment Tent

FRIDAY, JULY 31, Best One Tire/Sidney Tire Day at the Fair

- Sponsored by Best One - Sidney Tire, Ride & Admission Bands at Either Location

9:00 a.m.
11:00 a.m.
Noon till 1:00 p.m.
2:00 p.m.
2:00 p.m.
3:00 p.m.
4:00-7:00 p.m.
Rides Close 5 p.m. to 6 p.m.
5:00-5:30 p.m.
5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.
6:00 p.m.
6:00 p.m.
7:00 p.m.
7:00 p.m.
7:00-7:30 p.m.
7:30 p.m.
7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Draft Horse Show
Beef Cook out
Bank opens
Rides Open
Jr. Fair Barnyard Olympics
Free! Fun with Nature Crafts!
Bank Open

Mike Bishop - Comedy Hypnotist
Loyal Horse Performance
D.A.R.E Scavenger Hunt
Loyal Horse Performance
Free! Fun with Nature Crafts!
Pig & Calf & Sheep Scramble
Mike Bishop - Comedy Hypnotist
T-102 Country Star Playoffs
Loyal Horse Performance

Gate D
Behind Kent Feeds Livestock Arena I
Secretaries Office
Midway
Kent Feeds Livestock Arena I
Community Foundation Hall
Senior Fair Board Office

Free Entertainment Tent
Near The Houston Food Booth
D.A.R.E Learning Booth
Near The Houston Food Booth
Community Foundation Hall
Grandstand \$5.00 Charge
Free Entertainment Tent
Free Entertainment Tent
Near The Houston Food Booth

SATURDAY, AUGUST 1 - Sponsored by SPECKMAN AUTOMOTIVE

9:00 a.m.
10:00 a.m.
Noon
Noon-1:00 p.m.
1:00 p.m.- 5:00 p.m.
2:00 p.m.
3:00 p.m.
3:00-3:30 p.m.
4:00 p.m.
4:00 p.m.
Rides Close 5 p.m. to 6 p.m.
5:00 p.m.
5:00 p.m.
5:00-5:30 p.m.
5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.
6:00 p.m.
7:00 p.m.

Gate D & Infield Pits open - TruckWeigh in starts
Loin Cook out
Open Jackpot Lamb Show
Bank Open
Senior Fairboard Elections
Rides Open
Free! Fun with Nature Crafts!
Mike Bishop - Comedy Hypnotist
D.A.R.E Scavenger Hunt
Bank Open

Free! Fun with Nature Crafts!
Smash It Demolition Derby
Mike Bishop - Comedy Hypnotist
Loyal Horse Performance
D.A.R.E Scavenger Hunt
All animals released after this time

Gate D Only
Behind Kent Feeds Liv. Arena I
Kent Feeds Live. Arena II
Senior Fair Board Office
Secretary's Office
Midway
Community Foundation Hall
Free Entertainment Tent
D.A.R.E Learning Booth
Senior Fair Board Office

Community Foundation Hall
Grandstand \$5.00 Charge
Free Entertainment Tent
Near The Houston Food Booth
D.A.R.E Learning Booth

SUNDAY, JULY 27

8:00 a.m.-12:00 noon
9:00 a.m.
11:00 p.m.-1:00 p.m.

Dept. 6 thru 11 articles released
Jr. Fair Board clean up and work session
Dept. 13 articles released

Community Foundation Hall
Fine Arts Building

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