



Updates as of 10/8/2025

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

2026

Jan 8 - 11	Tournament of the Heartland Pool Tournament	Pinnacle Bank Expo Center
Jan 23-25	Central NE Home and Builders' Show	Pinnacle Bank Expo Center
Jan 24	2026 State 4-H Archery	Sheep Barn
Jan 31	Show Me Reptiles	Aurora Cooperative Pavilion
Jan 31	Scotty McCreery - Live in Concert	Heartland Events Center
Feb 7-8	Ne Muzzleloaders Gun Show	Pinnacle Bank Expo Center
Feb 7	Pheasants Forever Banquet	Aurora Coop Pavilion
Feb 14	Heartland Hoops	Heartland Events Center
Feb 19-21	Nebraska Cheer and Dance Competition	Heartland Events Center/Pinnacle Bank Expo/Bosselman Conf Center
Feb 27	Red Cross Chili Cook-off	Aurora Cooperative Pavilion
Feb 28 - Mar 1	Weekend of Wheels	Pinnacle Bank Expo Center
Feb 27-28	Rodeo GI	Heartland Events Center
Mar 3	Ian Munsick	Heartland Events Center
Mar 14-15	Tri-City Con	Pinnacle Bank Expo Center
Mar 20	Hog Wild for the Y	Tom Dinsdale Cattle Barn Bar
March 21-22	USA Wrestling	Heartland Events Center/Bosselman Conf Center/Pinnacle Bank Expo
March 28	Soulfest	Aurora Cooperative Pavilion
April 4	Taste of Grand Island	Aurora Coop Pavilion
April 9-11	Skills USA	All Barns/Heartland Events Center/Bosselman Conference Center
April 11	GISH Prom	Aurora Cooperative Pavilion
Apr 24-25	Bigfoot Conference	Aurora Cooperative Pavilion
May 8	CCC Graduation	Heartland Events Center
May 8-10	AKC Dog Show	Pinnacle Bank Expo Center
May 10	GI Senior High Graduation	Heartland Events Center/Bosselman Conference Center
May 15-17	Ne State Fire School	All Facilities
May 31-June 8	American Boer Goat Association	All Barns
June 4-6	Nebraska Truck Driving Championships	Heartland Events Center/Bosselman Conference Center/South Lot
June 12-18	American Maine Anjou/Chiania Association	Aurora Coop Pavilion/Tom Dinsdale Cattle Barn/Five Points Arena/Sheep Barn
June 20-27	American Gelbvieh Jr Assn Classic Show	Aurora Coop Pavilion/Tom Dinsdale Cattle Barn/Five Points Arena/Sheep Barn
June 20-26	National 4-H Shooting Sports	Heartland Events Center/Bosselman Conference Center/Pinnacle Bank Expo/Fonner Concourse/4-H Cafe
July 4-10	American Junior Simmental Association	All Barns
July 11-15	NE State 4-H Horse Show	Thompson Arenas
July 18-19	Hall County Sheriff's Posse	Thompson Arenas
July 22-26	Hall County Fair	ACP/Cattle/Five Points/Training Track/Barn Bar/Thompson Arenas/GrandStand
Aug 28-Sep 7	Nebraska State Fair	All Facilities
Oct 1-4	Platte Valley Boer-Nanza	Sheep Barn
Oct 22	Project Connect	Pinnacle Bank Expo Center
Oct 23-25	GI Rifle Club Gun Show	Pinnacle Bank Expo Center
Nov 6-8	Ink the Island Tattoo Convention	Pinnacle Bank Expo Center
Nov 13-14	Wood River Rural Schools FFA Prospect Show	Five Points Bank Arena/Tom Dinsdale Cattle Barn
Nov 21	Show Me Reptiles	Aurora Cooperative Pavilion
Nov 21	Project Hungar	Pinnacle Bank Expo Center
Dec 12-13	AGR Prospect Show	Tom Dinsdale Cattle Barn/Five Points Arena/Sheep Barn
Dec 18-19	Flatwater Fracas Wrestling Tournament	Heartland Events Center/Bosselman Conference Center