

# 2023 WALKER COUNTY FAIR SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

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## **Wednesday, February 1st**

7:00pm Fair Queen entry form, press release form, fair participation form and Signed copy of rules and Code of Conduct forms due. (Rental Office)

## **Tuesday, February 14th**

5:30-6:30 Prince & Princess Contest On-Site Registration (Rental Office)

## **Thursday, February 16th**

5:00-7:00pm All Non-Livestock Entry Deadline (Horticulture, Baked & Canned Goods, Clothing, & Ag Engineering & Mechanical Projects) (Main Bldg.)

5:00-7:00pm Fine Arts Registration Due (Main Bldg.)

## **Friday, February 17th**

5:00pm Prince & Princess Contest Registration Deadline

## **Wednesday, March 1st**

6:00-8:00pm Photography Workshop (Comm. Room)

## **Wednesday, March 15th**

6:00pm Walker County Team Roping Registration Deadline

## **Saturday, March 18th**

8:00-11:00am Exhibitor Workday

## **Sunday, March 19th**

Noon Walker County Team Roping

## **Monday, March 20th**

4:00 pm Parade Entry Deadline (see entry form for location)

## **Wednesday, March 22nd**

4:00-7:00pm Photography Check-In (Main Bldg.)

## **Saturday, March 25th**

8:00am Fair Queen's Contestant Breakfast

9:00am Fair Queen's Contest Project Presentations (Comm. Rm.)

## **Sunday, March 26th**

Noon Walker County Team Roping (Rain Out Day/Arena)

Noon Academic Rodeo Essays Due (Must be received NOT post marked by this date)

3:00-6:00pm Exhibitor Workday

Academic Rodeo Pre-Registration (Must be post marked by this date)

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### Monday, March 27th

Deadline for Exhibitor work hours to be completed & Grade Verifications

### Tuesday, March 28th

5:00pm Youth & Adult Clothing Check-in (Fabric Carousel)  
7:00pm Committeeman's & Media Appreciation Dinner (Main Bldg.)

### Wednesday, March 29th

Anytime Commercial Exhibits Move-in & Set up  
(Not open for business. set up and move in only)

### Thursday, March 30th

9:00 am PRCA Timed Event Slack (Rodeo Arena)  
3:30pm Mutton Bustin' Entry Deadline  
11:00-5:00pm Quilt Check-in (Fabric Carousel)  
5:00-9:00pm Scramble Heifer Check-in (Livestock Barn)  
After 5:00pm PRCA Barrel Racing Slack (Rodeo Arena)  
5:30pm Parade Line-up (Downtown Huntsville)  
7:00pm WCFA Parade (Downtown Huntsville)  
All Day Commercial Exhibits Move-in & Set up

### Friday, March 31st

7:00-9:00am Baked & Canned Goods Youth/Adult Check-in (Main Bldg.)  
9:00 am Steer Tripping (Rodeo Arena)  
8:00-10:00am Ag Engineering & Mechanical Projects Move-in  
11:00-5:00pm Quilts Check-in (Fabric Carousel, Downtown)  
Noon Commercial Exhibits in Place  
3:30-5:30pm Little Tykes Rodeo Sign-up (Rental Office)  
4:00pm General Admission Begins  
4:00pm Special Kids Rodeo (Main Bldg.-Invite Only)  
4:00-6:00pm Fine Arts Check-in (Main Bldg.)  
4:30-6:45pm Live Entertainment – (Acoustic Café)  
5:00-Midnight Carnival Opens  
5:00pm Baked & Canned Goods results posted  
5:30pm Scramble Heifer Participant Check-in (Livestock Barn)  
6:00-9:00pm Children's Barn Yard/Petting Zoo  
6:00pm Sweet Shop Opens (Main Bldg. Concession)  
6:00pm Fine Arts Judging (Main Bldg.)  
6:00pm WCFA Prince & Princess Contest (Main Bldg.)  
5:30-7:00pm Chuck Wagon Cook-Off & Dinner  
7:00pm 1<sup>st</sup> Performance PRCA Rodeo  
Walker County Youth Calf Scramble  
9:00-Midnight WCFA Rodeo Kick Off Dance (Main Bldg.)

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## **Saturday, April 1st**

9:00am	Walker County Fair Parade Rain-out (Downtown Huntsville)
9:00am	Registration for Mutton Bustin` Contestants
10:00am	General Admission Begins
10:00-9:00pm	Children`s Barn Yard/Petting Zoo
10:00am	Mutton Bustin` Event for ages 6 & 7 then ages 4 &5, Awards after each age group finishes
Noon	Opening Ceremonies & Crowning of The WCFA Fair Queen (Main Bldg.)
Noon-Midnight	Carnival Opens
2:00-3:00pm	Meat Goat Check-in (Livestock Barn)
4:30-6:45pm	Live Entertainment – (Acoustic Café)
5:30pm	Scramble Heifer Participant Check-in (Livestock Barn)
5:30-7:00pm	Chuck Wagon Cook Off & Dinner
7:00pm	2 <sup>nd</sup> Performance PRCA Rodeo Walker County Youth Calf Scramble
8:00-11:00pm	Tejano Night Celebration – (Main Bldg.)

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## **Sunday, April 2nd**

9:00am	Youth Rodeo Church Service
10:00am	Youth Rodeo Begins
1:00pm	General Admission Begins
1:00-2:00pm	Academic Rodeo Registration
1:00-9:00pm	Children`s Barn Yard/Petting Zoo
1:00-9:00pm	Carnival Opens
2:00-6:00pm	Academic Rodeo/Children`s Fair (Main Bldg.)
2:00-3:00pm	Lamb Check-in (Livestock Barn)
6:00pm	Meat Goat Show (Livestock Barn)

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## **Monday, April 3rd**

7:00-9:00am	Broilers Check-in (Livestock Barn)
9:00-10:00am	Turkey Check-in (Livestock Barn)
8:00am-Noon	Quilt Show Judging
10:00am	Broiler Show (Livestock Barn)
	Turkey Show immediately after Broiler Show
10:00am	Ag Engineering & Mechanical Projects Judging (Comm. Rm.)
1:00-4:00pm	Swine Official Weigh-in (Livestock Barn)
1:00-5:30pm	4-H Youth Events (Main Bldg.)
2:00-3:30pm	Steer Official Weigh-in (Livestock Barn)
4:00pm	General Admission Begins
4:00pm	Ag Engineering & Mechanical Projects Awards Presentation (Livestock Show Arena)
5:00-9:00pm	Carnival Opens
5:00-9:00pm	Children's Barn Yard/Petting Zoo
6:00pm	Market Lamb Show (Livestock Barn)

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## **Tuesday, April 4th**

8:00am	Rabbits Check-in (Livestock Barn)
9:00-2:00pm	Pre-K Day
	Rabbit Meat Pen Judging (Livestock Barn)
	Followed by Rabbit Showmanship Competition & Single Breeder Rabbit Judging
1:00pm	Clothing Judging (Rental Office)
	Junior Quilt Judging (Main Bldg. after Clothing Judging)
3:30pm	Style Show, Awards and Kids on Parade (Main Bldg.)
	Junior Quilt Show & Awards (Main Bldg. after Style Show)
4:00pm	General Admission Begins
4:00pm	Junior Quilt Show & Awards (Main Bldg.)
4:00-6:00pm	Horticulture Check-in (Comm. Rm.)
5:00-10:00pm	Carnival Opens
5:00-9:00pm	Children's Barn Yard/Petting Zoo
6:00pm	Market Swine Show (Livestock Barn)
TBD	Walker County Barrel Racing (Rodeo Arena)

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### Wednesday, April 5th

8:00-10:00am	Commercial Heifer Check-in (Livestock Barn)
9:00am-2:00pm	Kindergarten Day
9:00am	Horticulture Judging (Comm. Rm.)
11:00am	Commercial Heifer Show (Livestock Barn)
4:00pm	General Admission Begins
5:00-9:00pm	Children's Barn Yard/Petting Zoo
5:00-10:00pm	Carnival Opens
6:00pm	Steer Show (Livestock Barn)
6:00pm	Exhibition Barrel Racing (Rodeo Arena) Open Barrel Racing
Midnight	Restricted Parking in the BBQ Area All vehicles must be removed from the BBQ Area/Road

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### Thursday, April 6th

4:00pm	General Admission Begins
4:00-5:00pm	Fine Arts Check-out (Main Bldg.)
5:00-9:00pm	Children's Barn Yard/Petting Zoo
5:00-10:00pm	Carnival Opens
5:30-7:00pm	Buyers' Presale Party (Main Bldg.)
7:00pm	Premium Junior Livestock Sale (Main Bldg.)

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### Friday, April 7th

8:00am	Walker County Livestock Judging Contest Check-In (Rodeo Arena)
8:00am-4:00pm	BBQ Teams Check-in
9:00am	Walker County Livestock Judging Contest (Rodeo Arena)
3:00pm-Midnight	Carnival Opens
4:00pm	General Admission Begins
4:30-5:00pm	Domino Tournament Sign up (Main Bldg.)
5:00-9:00pm	Children's Barn Yard/Petting Zoo
5:00pm	BBQ Teams in Place
5:30pm	Domino Tournament (Main Bldg.)
6:00pm	Scramble Heifer Show (Livestock Barn)
6:00pm	BBQ Chief Cooks Meeting
6:00pm	Entry/Parking in rear of Fairgrounds restricted to PERMIT Only
8:00pm	BBQ Cook-off Calcutta (BBQ Stage)

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## **Saturday, April 8th**

9:45am	BBQ Cook-off Judging Begins
10:00am	General Admission Begins
10:00am	Little Tykes Rodeo (Rodeo Arena)
10:00-Noon	Photography Check-out
10:00-9:00pm	Children's Barn Yard/Petting Zoo
Noon-Midnight	Carnival Opens
Noon-3:00pm	Quilt Pick-up
Noon	Premium Non-Livestock Sale Begins Followed by Freezer Sale (Main Bldg.)
3:00-5:00 pm	Chainsaw Art Silent Auction (Patio area)
5:00pm	BBQ Awards (BBQ Stage)
5:00pm	Monetary Add-On Close (Livestock Office)
5:30-6:00pm	Silent Auction for re-sale animals (Livestock Office)

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## **Sunday, April 9th**

TBD	Livestock Released (All held until Sunday) Clothing and Ag Engineering & Mechanical Projects Check-out – (Comm. Rm.)
Any Time	Commercial Exhibits Move-out

## **Monday, April 10th**

6:00-8:00pm	Clean Up Day/Top Hand Award – <b><u>MANDATORY</u></b> for all Exhibitors, Officers, & Chairmen Required
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