2026 MARIAS FAIR 4-H CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Please Read Your Schedule Carefully; Several Changes Have Been Made. Find the fair book at https://mariasfair.fairentry.com

Monday, July 6

3:00 p.m. Cloverbud Exhibit Judging option
4:00 p.m Fashion Revue

Saturday, July 11

8:00 a.m. 4-H Pre-Fair Clean-up Day
2:00 p.m. 4-H Shotgun Fair Shoot- Shelby Trap Club

Wednesday, July 15

9:00 a.m. – Noon Interview Judging for Livestock & Horse Projects
Schedule by Beginning Letter of Last Name
9:00 a.m. – F - P
10:00 a.m. – R - Z
11:00 a.m. – A - E
11:00 a.m. 4-H Food Booth Opens
12:15 p.m. Interview Judges Training - 4-H Exhibit Building
1:00-5:00 p.m. Interview Judging

(Multi-project youth should start interview judging by 1:30 p.m.)
Schedule by Beginning Letter of Last Name
1:00 to 2:00 S - Z
2:00 to 3:00 A - D
3:00 to 4:00 E - J
4:00 to 5:00 K - R
1:00-3:00 p.m. Cloverbud Interviews
1:00 p.m. Liberty & Pondera County Cloverbuds interview
1:30 p.m. Glacier County Cloverbuds interview
2:30 p.m. Toole County Cloverbuds interview
3:00 p.m. All 4-H Livestock Due In Barns
4:45 p.m. Livestock Exhibitor meeting – Seewald Barn with weigh -ins to follow, starting with Goat/Sheep, Swine, then Beef with Beef Pre-show During Beef Weigh-ins
7:00-8:30 p.m. 4-H Exhibit Building County Area Setup
8:00 p.m. Market Livestock Weigh-in Closes
8:00 p.m. Horses due in if competing for herdsmanship
8:00 p.m. Food Booth closes
9:00 p.m. Exhibit Building Closed/Award Display Setup
9:00 p.m. All Animal Barns and Arenas Closed

Thursday, July 16

6:30-9:00 a.m. CHS Breakfast at Food Booth
7:30 a.m. 4-H Swine Showmanship and Judging, Pen of 3 and Swine Breeding Judging to Follow – Seewald Barn
10:00 a.m. 4-H Exhibit Building Opens –*Toole County*
10:00 a.m. 4-H Cat Judging - Old Sale Barn
10:30 a.m. 4-H Pocket Pet Judging – Old Sale Barn
11:00 a.m. Food Booth opens
11:00 a.m. 4-H Rabbit Judging - Old Sale Barn
Cloverbud Rabbit Exhibition to follow
4-H Rabbit Agility (Exhibition) – Old Sale Barn
11:30 a.m. 4-H Market Beef Judging and Beef Showmanship, Pen of 3 Market Beef Judging to follow – Seewald Barn
3:00 p.m. 4-H Market Lamb & Sheep Showmanship and, Pen of 3 market lamb to follow – Seewald Barn
4:00 p.m. 4-H Market Goat judging and meat goat showmanship – Seewald Barn
6:00 p.m. Free-Style Horsemanship - Horse Arena
8:00 p.m. Food Booth closes
9:00 p.m. Exhibit Building, Animal Barns & Arenas close

Friday, July 17

6:30-9:00 a.m. Nutrien Ag Breakfast at Food Booth – TBA
7:15 a.m. 4-H Horse Show Check in (Mandatory)
7:30 a.m. 4-H Horse Show Contestants may meet with judge at announcer's stand
8:00 a.m. 4-H Horse Show followed by barrels and poles – Horse Arena
8:00 a.m. 4-H Dairy Goat Showmanship followed by Dairy Goat Breeding Show - Seewald Barn
8:30 a.m. Meat Goat Breeding Show – Seewald Barn
9:00 a.m. Sheep Breeding Show – Seewald Barn
9:30 a.m. 4-H Dairy Cattle breeding show – Seewald Barn
9:45 a.m. 4-H Beef Breeding Judging – Seewald Barn
10:00 a.m. 4-H Exhibit Building Opens – *Glacier County*
10:00 a.m. Beef Carcass Ultrasounding Open – Seewald Barn
10:00 a.m. Public Presentations - Exhibit Building
11:00 a.m. 4-H Food Booth Opens
11:30 a.m. Beef Breeds Steer Show – Seewald Barn
1:00 p.m. 4-H Poultry Judging – Seewald Barn- - *Cloverbud Poultry Exhibition to Follow*
3:15 p.m. Livestock Judging Contest Check in - Seewald Barn
3:30 p.m. Livestock Judging Contest, Seewald Barn
5:00 p.m. Round Robin practice, Seewald Barn
6:00 p.m. Fashion Revue Style Show – Exhibit Building
6:30 p.m. Tough Enough to Wear Pink participants leave horse barns for rodeo arena
7:00 p.m. Tough Enough to Wear Pink Grand Entry – Rodeo Arena
8:00 p.m. Food Booth closes
9:00 p.m. Exhibit Building, Animal Barns & Arenas Close

Saturday, July 18

6:30-9:00 a.m. Cut Bank Auto Body Breakfast at Food Booth
7:45 a.m. 4-H Dog Show check-in
8:00 a.m. 4-H Dog Showmanship and Obedience Judging – Dog Arena
8:00 a.m. Horse arena closed during dog show
10:00 a.m. 4-H Exhibit Building Opens – *Liberty County*
10:00 a.m. Public Presentations – Exhibit Building
10:00 a.m. Round Robin Showmanship Competition – Seewald Barn
11:00 a.m. 4-H Food Booth Opens
12:00 noon Horses released
1:00 – 2:30 p.m. Pre-Sale Social – Seewald Barn
3:00 p.m. Market Livestock Auction Sale – Seewald Barn
6:30 p.m. Market steer load out
6:30 – 8:00 p.m. All Exhibits Dismissed from Exhibit Building
8:00 p.m. Food Booth closes – begin cleanup
9:00 p.m Exhibit Building Close –*Pondera County cleanup*
9:00 p.m. All Animal Barns and Arenas Closed

Sunday, July 19

Food Booth closed for clean up
7:00 a.m. Market lamb, hog, and goat load out
8:30 – 10 a.m. Livestock stall and barn cleanup
10:00 a.m. Deadline for horse, livestock, and small animal stall check-out
11:00 a.m. Awards Ceremony - Seewald Barn

OPEN CLASS CONTACT INFORMATION – For Open Class entry information and schedule, please see the Premium book at mariasfair.com **or contact Mary DeStaffany (509)-999-6879** mimidestaff@yahoo.com**). For other general fair questions, please call the Fair Board office at 434-2692.**