

**2011**  
**ELBERT COUNTY FAIR**  
**EVENTS**

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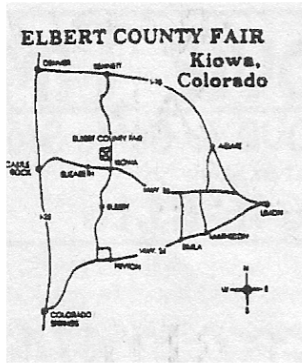
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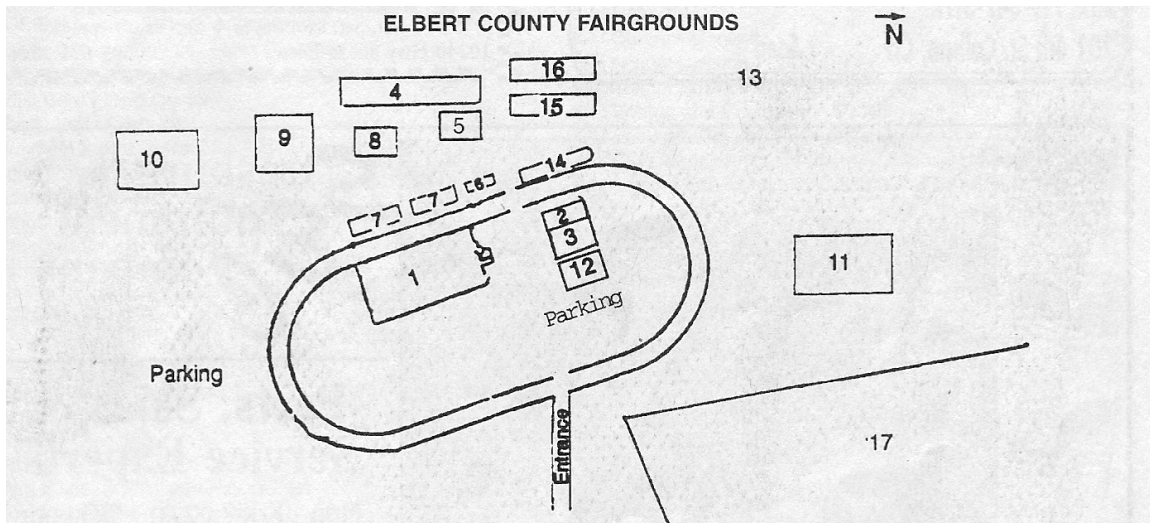
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The Elbert County Fair Board and Elbert County Commissioners take this opportunity to thank each and every one of the advertisers for their support. We encourage patronage of these firms. The Fair Board is proud of the many improvements and additions to the Fairgrounds. We would like to thank the Commissioners and the many community members and volunteers whose efforts have made these improvements possible.

**ALL PERSONS ATTENDING THE ELBERT COUNTY FAIR AS EITHER SPECTATORS OR EXHIBITORS DO SO AT THEIR OWN RISK. THE MANAGEMENT AND THE TOWN OF KIOWA WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR DAMAGES OR INJURIES TO PERSONS, ANIMALS, OR PROPERTY, FOR ANY LOSS.**

**Any dogs on the Fair Grounds must be on a leash, unless being exhibited.** No bicycles, other than those in the parade, are allowed on the fairgrounds.



1) Arena; 2) Beef Barn; 3) 4-H Snack Shack/Exhibit Building/Restrooms; 4) Swine Barn; 5) Goat Barn; 6) Fair Office/Restrooms; 7) Loren Green Grandstands/Rabbit Buildings; 8)Wool Exhibit Building; 9) Open Pavilion; 10) Fellowship Hall; 11) Ag. Building/Restrooms/Showers; 12) Horse Barn; 13) Camper Parking; 14) Dairy Barn; 15) Poultry Barn; 16) Sheep Barn; 17) 4-H Trailer Parking

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# ELBERT COUNTY FAIR COMPLETE SCHEDULE

## FRIDAY, July 1

All 4-H/FFA entries due (including Shooting Sports, Rabbit/Cavy, & Poultry)  
4-H Member in Good Standing requirements to be fulfilled  
Catch-A-Calf applications due

## SATURDAY, July 9

9:00 a.m. 4-H Shooting Sports, High Power Rifle  
Royalty Contest Entries due

## SUNDAY, July 10

1:00 p.m. 4-H Shooting Sports, .Air Rifle, Elbert County Fair Grounds  
5:00 p.m. 4-H Shooting Sports, .Air Pistol, Elbert County Fair Grounds

## FRIDAY, July 15

All 4-H Scholarship applications due  
Sheep Lead entries due  
4-H Fashion Revue commentaries due  
Rabbit Royalty entries due

## SATURDAY, July 16

9:00 a.m. Elbert County Fair Royalty Contest, Exhibit Building  
4-H Shooting Sports, .22 Rifle  
2:00 p.m. Entries Open for His Outfit FCC Elbert County Open Gymkhana  
3:30 p.m. His Outfit FCC Elbert County Open Gymkhana

## SUNDAY, July 17

8:00 a.m. 4-H Shooting Sports, Shotgun (Trap)

## MONDAY, July 18

Dutch Oven Cook-Off entries due

## SATURDAY, July 23

9:00 a.m. 4-H Shooting Sports, Archery, Elbert County Fairgrounds

## SUNDAY, July 24

8:30 a.m. 4-H Shooting Sports, Advanced Shotgun  
1:00 p.m. 4-H Shooting Sports, Muzzle Loader Period Dress

## MONDAY, July 25

4-H Livestock Record Books must be up to date  
6:30 p.m. Superintendents Meeting – Dessert Served (Clerks welcome to attend), Exhibit Building

## WEDNESDAY- July 27

Fair Rodeo entries due if paid by check

## FRIDAY, JULY 29

Mailed Parade entries due  
1:30 p.m. Check in for 4-H Dog Rally, Ag Building  
2:00 p.m. 4-H Dog Rally, Ag Building  
10:00 a.m. Clean-Up Day (4-H, FCE, and other volunteers)  
5:00 p.m. Elbert County Junior Rodeo entries due

## SATURDAY, JULY 30 - KICK-OFF DAY

8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.  
Check in for 4-H Dogs (Obedience & Showmanship)  
Check in for 4-H Clothing Construction, Artistic Clothing, and Heritage Arts, Fellowship Hall  
8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.  
Judging 4-H Clothing Construction, Artistic Clothing, and Heritage Arts; (Interviews on a first-come, first-serve basis), Fellowship Hall  
9:00 a.m. Judging of 4-H Dog Obedience and Showmanship, Ag Building  
Small Fry Dog Classes  
1:00 p.m. Elbert County Youth Rodeo  
Check-in & Enter Kiddie Style Show, Fellowship Hall  
2:00 p.m. Kiddie Style Show, Fellowship Hall  
4-H Fashion Revue and Judging, Fellowship Hall

## SUNDAY, JULY 31

7:00 a.m. Set-up for Open Rabbit Show, Ag Building  
7:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.  
Check-in & Entries for Open/Youth Rabbits, Ag Building  
8:30 a.m. Check-in for 4-H Breeding Swine & 4-H Breeding Sheep, Pavilion  
Check-in for 4-H Breeding Beef, Beef Barn  
9:00 a.m. 4-H Breeding Swine Show, Pavilion  
4-H Breeding Sheep Show, Pavilion (30 minutes after 4-H Breeding Swine Show)  
4-H Breeding Beef Show, Beef Barn (30 minutes after 4-H Breeding Sheep Show)  
Judging Open Class Rabbit Show, Ag Building  
Cowboy Church, Exhibit Hall  
Noon - 5:00 p.m.  
Entries open for Elbert County Open Wool & Fiber Show; Wool Exhibit Building

## MONDAY, AUGUST 1 - 4-H DAY

Sheep Lead commentaries due (Typed)  
8:00 a.m. 4-H Interview Judging of all General projects (except those that were judged on Saturday, July 31), Exhibit Building. Must be checked in by 11:00 a.m. Cloverbud projects will be judged on Friday, August 6.  
8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.  
Check-in for 4-H Working Ranch Horse Classes  
8:30 a.m. 4-H Working Ranch Horse Classes, Arena  
9:00 a.m. Judging of the Elbert County Open Wool and Fiber Show, Wool Exhibit Building  
12:00 Noon – 2:00 p.m.  
Open Class Agricultural and Educational Booth Set-up (can also set up Wednesday morning)  
1:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.  
Optional Tack check in for Beef, Sheep, Swine, & Goat Barns (**no security provided**)  
2:00 p.m. 4-H Breeding Goat Show, Pavilion  
3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
Check-in for 4-H Roping and Cattle Events  
4:00 p.m. 4-H Roping and Cattle Events, Arena

## TUESDAY, AUGUST 2 - VOLUNTEER DAY

7:30 a.m. – 7:55 a.m.  
Check-in for 4-H Lamas  
7:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.  
Check-in and Health Check for 4-H Beef, EDCLA Bred Heifer, Catch-A-Calves, 4-H Market Swine, 4-H Market Lambs, & 4-H Goats  
Check-in, Health Check, & Weigh-in for 4-H Swine  
Health Check available for 4-H Horses  
8:00 a.m. Lama Show Exhibitor Meeting  
8:05 a.m. 4-H Lama Show, Warm-Up Arena  
Small Fry Lama Class, Warm-up Arena  
12:00 Noon – 1:00 p.m.  
Weigh-in for 4-H Market Lambs & Goats  
1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.  
Weigh-in for 4-H Market Beef  
6:30 p.m. 4-H Swine Showmanship, Pavilion

## WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 3 - EXHIBIT DAY

Phone-in, Hand-carry, or E-mail Parade entries (2 copies of typed commentary must accompany entry)  
7:00 a.m. Lamb Ultrasound entries due  
7:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.  
Check in and Health Check 4-H Horses  
8:00 a.m. 4-H Market Lamb Show, Pavilion  
Small Fry Lamb Class, Pavilion  
8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.  
Open Class Agricultural and Educational Booth Set-up (can also set up Monday afternoon)  
8:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.  
Check-in for Open Class General Exhibits.  
9:00 a.m. Exhibit Halls and Fellowship Hall open

1:00 p.m. (after the 4-H Market Lamb show) – 4-H Goat Showmanship & 4-H Market Goat Show, Pavilion  
 1:00 p.m. Judging of Open Class General Exhibits. Judging will remain open to the public so long as it does not become a deterrent to the judging process.

Small Fry Goat Class, Pavilion  
 2:30 p.m. Swine Pen of Three entries due  
 Swine Ultrasound entries due  
 3:30 p.m. 4-H Market Swine Show, Pavilion  
 5:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.  
 Check-in for 4-H Poultry & 4-H Rabbits/Cavies  
 6:00 p.m. Exhibit Halls and Fellowship Hall closed

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 4 - SENIOR CITIZEN'S DAY**

7:00 - 10:00 a.m.  
 Check-in for 4-H Dairy  
 7:00 a.m. Beef Ultrasound entries due  
 8:00 a.m. 4-H Market Beef Show  
 EDCLA Catch-A-Calf Projects  
 4-H Poultry Show, Poultry Barn  
 Small Fry Bottle Calf Class  
 Small Fry Poultry Class, Poultry Barn  
 Set-up for 4-H Rabbit Show, Rabbit Barn  
 9:00 a.m. 4-H Rabbit/Cavy Classes, Rabbit Barn  
 Exhibit Halls and Fellowship Hall open  
 10:00 a.m. 4-H Rabbit/Cavy Showmanship Classes, Rabbit Barn  
 Small Fry Rabbit/Cavy Class, Rabbit Barn  
 10:00 a.m. Until Sold out  
 FCE Bake Sale, Fellowship Hall  
 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
 Cash Rodeo entries taken, Fair Office  
 Senior Citizens Events, Fellowship Hall  
 11:00 a.m. 4-H Dairy Show, Track  
 Small Fry Bottle Calf Class, Track  
 EDCLA Bred Heifer Project  
 1:00 p.m. 4-H Horse Halter & Showmanship Classes, Arena  
 Small Fry Pony Class, Warm-up Arena  
 3:00 p.m. 4-H Horse English Performance Classes, Arena  
 4:00 p.m. 4-H Beef Fitting Contest entries due  
 4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.  
 4-H Utility Goat Obstacle Course, Track  
 5:00 p.m. **DESIGNATION OF SALE ANIMAL DUE TO OFFICE**  
 6:00 p.m. Sheep Lead Contest, Ag Building  
 Deadline for Market Sale pictures  
 Exhibit Halls and Fellowship Hall closed

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 5 – CLOVERBUD DAY**

Ultrasound of Beef, Swine, and Sheep for Ultrasound Contest  
 Pre-registration due for High Plains Fiddle Contest  
 8:00 a.m. 4-H Horse Western Performance Classes, Arena  
 Dutch Oven Cook-off Registration and Cook-Off start, Near Pavilion  
 8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.  
 4-H Horse Trail Classes, Warm-up Arena  
 9:00 a.m. Exhibit Halls and Fellowship Hall open  
 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.  
 Register for Farm Olympics, Fair Office  
 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.  
 Judging of 4-H Cloverbud, Exhibit Building  
 10:00 a.m. Farm Olympics, Track  
 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
 Cash Rodeo entries taken, Fair Office  
 11:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.  
 Slides, Jumpers & More, East Side Exhibit Building  
 12:00 Noon (Following Performance Classes) 4-H Horse Gymkhana, Arena  
 Designation for Round Robin Showmanship Contest due, Fair Office  
 1:30 p.m. Dutch Oven Cook-Off Judging, Near Pavilion  
 3:30 p.m. Small Fry Swine Showmanship, Track  
 Adult Swine Showmanship entries due  
 4:30 p.m. Adult Jackpot Swine Showmanship, Track  
 5:00 p.m. Beef Fitting Contest, Track (Weather permitting, Ag Building if inclement weather)  
 5:30 p.m. (Immediately after 4-H Beef Fitting Contest)  
 Adult Beef Fitting Contest, Track

6:00 p.m. Dog Agility Contest, Warm-up arena  
 Exhibit Halls and Fellowship Hall closed  
 7:00 p.m. Bad Boys of Bull Riding, Arena  
 9:00 p.m. Concert and Dance featuring Cactus Jack, Track

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 6 - FAMILY DAY**

8:00 a.m. Check-in for Round Robin Showmanship Contest; Arena  
 8:30 a.m. Round Robin Showmanship Contest; Arena  
 Road Grader Contest, Warm-Up Arena  
 9:00 a.m. Check-in Backseat Driver's Contest, Fair Office  
 9:30 a.m. Backseat Driver's Contest, Track  
 Check-in Crowing Contest  
 Check-in Goatkhana  
 Exhibit Halls and Fellowship Hall open  
 10:00 a.m. Judging of Goatkhana, Track  
 10:00 a.m. thru the day  
 FREE Carriage Rides, Collier Carriage Booth  
 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.  
 Slides, Jumpers & More, East Side Exhibit Building  
 11:00 a.m. EDCLA Barbecue, Pavilion  
 11:00 a.m. Stock Dog Trials, Arena  
 12:00 Noon Crowing Contest, Poultry Barn  
 1:00 p.m. **JUNIOR MARKET SALE**, Ag Building  
 5:30 p.m. (or 1/2 hour after Junior Market Sale)  
 Horse Pull, Track  
 6:00 p.m. Exhibit Halls and Fellowship Hall closed  
 6:30 p.m. 4-H Awards Night  
 9:00 p.m. - 12:30 a.m.  
 Elbert County Fair Dance, Ag Building

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 7 - RODEO & PARADE DAY**

7:00 a.m. - Noon  
 Pancake Breakfast, Kiowa Lion's Hall  
 7:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.  
 Cash Rodeo entries taken (with Late Fee), Arena Office  
 8:00 a.m. Cowboy Church, Ag Building  
 9:00 a.m. Fair Rodeo, Arena - Free Admission  
 Exhibit Halls and Fellowship Hall open  
 Registration High Plains Fiddlin' & Pickin' Fest, Pavilion  
 9:30 a.m. Royalty Brunch, Kiowa School  
 10:00 a.m. thru the day  
 FREE Carriage Rides, Collier Carriage Booth  
 11:00 a.m. Check-in & Line-up for Parade, Elbert County Courthouse  
 High Plains Fiddlin' & Pickin' Fest, Pavilion  
 12:00 Noon Parade - Parade will begin downtown and finish by going in front of Loren Green Grandstands. Grand Entry and Queens Barrel Race will follow Parade.  
 12:30 p.m. Check-in Costume Pet Animal Classes, Track  
 1:00 p.m. EDCLA Catch-A-Calf Contest, Arena  
 Ranch Rodeo, Arena  
 Judging of Costume Pet Animal Classes, Track  
 Kids Races and Track Events, Track  
 1:30 p.m. Ice Cream Eating Contest, Ice Cream Booth next to Exhibit Building  
 2:00 p.m. Releasing of all exhibits  
 3:00 p.m. or later (listen for announcement)  
 3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.  
 Premium pay out  
 5:00 p.m. Buildings locked. Any exhibits not picked up are not the responsibility of the Fair Board or Extension Office.

**MONDAY, August 8**

10:00 a.m. Clean-Up Day (4-H, FCE, and other volunteers)

**FRIDAY, August 12**

Thank you notes for Market Sale buyers due to Main Leaders

**THURSDAY, August 17**

7:00 p.m. Supreme, Ultrasound, & Rate-of-Gain Awards, Ag Building, Kiowa

**MONDAY, September 5**

Livestock Record Books due

## SUMMARY OF ENTRY DEADLINES

(If mailed, must be postmarked by date designated below)

### FRIDAY, July 1

All 4-H/FFA projects No late entries accepted  
Catch-A-Calf applications due  
4-H Member in Good Standing requirements to be fulfilled

### SATURDAY, July 9

Elbert County Fair Royalty Contest entries due

### FRIDAY, July 15

All 4-H Scholarship applications due  
Sheep Lead entries due  
4-H Fashion Revue commentaries due  
Rabbit Royalty Contest entries due

### SATURDAY, July 16

Entries taken for the His Outfit FCC Elbert County Open  
Gymkhana at 2:00 p.m.

### MONDAY, July 18

Dutch Oven Cook-Off entries due

### MONDAY, July 25

All 4-H Livestock Record Books should be up to date and  
signed by a leader

### WEDNESDAY, July 27

Rodeo entries due if paid by check

### FRIDAY, JULY 29

Mailed Parade entries due (2 copies of typed commentary  
MUST accompany entry)  
Elbert County Junior Rodeo entries due by 5:00 p.m.

### SATURDAY, JULY 30

Kiddie Style Show entries taken at registration at 1:00 p.m.

### SUNDAY, JULY 31

Open Rabbit entries due 9:00 a.m.  
Open Wool and Fiber Show entries taken from Noon to  
5:00 p.m.

### MONDAY, AUGUST 1

Sheep Lead commentaries due (Typed)

### WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 3

Lamb Ultrasound entries due at 7:00 a.m.  
Open Class General Exhibits (bring filled in entry form to  
Fellowship Hall); Enter & Check-in from 8:00 a.m. to  
11:30 a.m.  
Swine Pen of Three entries due at 2:30 p.m.  
Swine Ultrasound entries due at 2:30 p.m.  
Phone-in or Hand-carry Parade entries (2 copies of typed  
commentary MUST be given to parade director)

### THURSDAY, AUGUST 4

Beef Ultrasound entries due at 7:00 a.m.  
Cash Rodeo entries taken from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.  
Entries due for Beef Fitting Contest at 4:00 p.m.  
**Designation of Market Sale animals due by 5:00 p.m.**  
Market Sale pictures must be taken by 6:00 p.m.

### FRIDAY, AUGUST 5

Cash Rodeo entries taken from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.  
Pre-registration due for High Plains Fiddle Contest  
4-H Round Robin designation due by Noon  
Entries due for Adult Swine Showmanship Contest at 3:30  
p.m.

### SUNDAY, AUGUST 7

7:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.  
Cash Rodeo entries taken (with Late Fee), Arena  
Office

## ENTRY FORMS ARE IN THE BACK OF THE BOOK. NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED, UNLESS NOTED.

Additional Entry Forms are available at [elbertcountyfair.com](http://elbertcountyfair.com) or [elbert.colostate.edu](http://elbert.colostate.edu)

### HIGHLIGHTS OF NEW EVENTS AND CHANGES

1. The Open Class General (non-livestock) Classes have been moved to Wednesday, August 3rd. Entries are to be brought to the Fellowship Hall on that day.
2. Cowboy Up Rodeo has been cancelled for this year.
3. His Outfit Youth Rodeo will be held on Saturday, July 30<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 p.m.
4. In the Fair Rodeo on Sunday, August 7, contestants in the roping events may enter more than once if using a different partner for each run. Juniors in the Junior Roping may have an adult partner if the Junior is 13 and under.
5. Certificate of Origin Label (COOL) Form is required for the following market animals: beef, lambs, swine, goats, and poultry.
6. In 4-H Showmanship, within a species, Division Champions have the option to move up to the next highest age division in following years, but the member is not required to do so.
7. Please check the Fair Book and web site for other changes.

**PLEASE NOTE:** The Fair Book no longer has premium and class information for Open Class and 4-H entries. This information is available on line at [elbertcountyfair.com](http://elbertcountyfair.com) or [elbert.colostate.edu](http://elbert.colostate.edu). Hard copies will also be available at the CSU Extension Office in Kiowa. If you are unable to obtain a copy or if you have questions, please call the CSU Extension office at 303-621-3162.

## ELBERT COUNTY FAIR GENERAL RULES

The following rules apply to all 4-H/FFA and Open Class Divisions in the fair book. Exhibitors are responsible for reading and understanding fair rules (general rules, division rules, and class rules) wherever printed in the fair book.

Where the term "Fair Official" is used that shall mean an Extension Agent, Fair Board member, or Superintendent.

### Entering:

1. Check entry forms for due dates. Pre-entries required for Open Class Rabbits, Booths, Sheep Lead, Mutton Bustin, Rodeo, Fiddle Contest, all 4-H/FFA projects, Parade, and Royalty Contest. There will be no pre-entries required for Open Class General (Non-Livestock). These entries will be taken during check-in at the fair.
2. **NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED, UNLESS NOTED.** See Summary of Entry Deadlines for more information.
3. All entries must be entered in the name of the owner.
4. If in doubt as to what class an item or animal is to be entered, contact the Elbert County Extension Office at (719) 541-2361 or (303) 621-3162, Monday through Thursday, before sending in the entry. In some divisions, exhibits entered in the wrong class will be disqualified.
5. All exhibits entered at the fair are done so at the owner's risk and the management will not be responsible for damages or injuries to persons and/or animals or property or for any loss whatsoever.
6. It is recommended that all exhibits have the name of the exhibitor attached if feasible. All exhibits must bear the entry tags/cards provided. **Exhibitors are encouraged to fill out entry tags before check-in. Entry tags are available at the Extension Office.**

### Exhibiting:

1. All exhibits will be under the control and direction of the Fair Board while on exhibition.
2. All animals exhibited or brought to the fairgrounds must be disease free. The Fair Board reserves the right to reject any unhealthy stock, upon recommendation of a licensed veterinarian. See 4-H/FFA Division for additional requirements for 4-H/FFA Animals.
3. All livestock exhibitors and those involved with livestock at the fair must, at all times, behave in an ethical manner and practice acceptable methods of good animal husbandry. Unethical practices include, but are not limited to, actions that violate FDA law, harming an animal, showing an animal of ineligible age, showing of unethically fitted animals, violating Elbert County General Rules, or violating 4-H/FFA rules.
4. Feed and bedding must be supplied by the exhibitor as well as buckets and feed troughs.
5. Beef, sheep, swine, dairy, horses, and small animals may use wood chips, which

must be provided by the exhibitor. **NO STRAW ALLOWED BECAUSE OF INSURANCE!** With the exception of lactating Dairy Cows and beef at night tie-outs.

6. All livestock exhibitors must display stock in the designated show areas and must exhibit livestock for the official judges when requested.
7. **ALL EXHIBITS MUST REMAIN ON EXHIBIT UNTIL 3:00 P.M. SUNDAY OF THE FAIR, UNLESS OTHER AUTHORIZATION HAS BEEN ISSUED BY THE FAIR BOARD. JUNIOR MARKET SALE ANIMALS WILL BE LOADED OUT AT THE DISCRETION OF THE MARKET SALE COMMITTEE.**
8. Additional classes may be added if there is a need and if there are at least 5 exhibitors (3 exhibitors in the Open Class Division). The Fair Board reserves the right for Superintendents to combine classes if there is not enough competition.
9. It will be at the discretion of the Fair Board as to the disposal of any animal that cannot be shown or handled.
10. Judges, at their discretion, may dismiss unmanageable animals from a class.

### Judging:

1. Where there is but one exhibit in a class, the award shall be made on merit alone and a premium may be given at the discretion of the judge, but the premium may not be withheld because of lack of competition.
2. Unworthy articles will not receive awards/premiums whether there is competition or not.
3. Awards will be designated by ribbons. The American System of individual placing (1st, 2nd, 3rd, etc.) will be used at the fair. Premiums are paid on the American System only. Please refer to the individual division for the system(s) that will be used.
4. In the 4-H/FFA and Open Class divisions, Champions are chosen from all 1st places in the appropriate classes. Reserve Champions are chosen from the remaining 1st place exhibits and the 2nd place exhibit to the Champion (only if it is of blue quality in the 4-H/FFA division and of acceptable quality in the Open Class division, as determined by the judge). If a Champion and/or Reserve Champion is designated, those awards will be chosen from Classes from within the same Department & Section. 4-H Showmanship species Champions and Reserve Champions will be chosen from the exhibitors chosen to return for the final classes. Champions and Reserve Champions may be chosen from any of these exhibitors, regardless of their placing in the qualifying classes.

### Releasing:

1. All exhibits will be released after 3:00 p.m. the last day of the fair, unless a different release time is stated for that section. If exhibits are removed prior to

this time, without official permission of the Fair Board, all premiums will be forfeited for all exhibits.

2. All livestock exhibitors must clean stalls or pens to receive "Clean Stall/Pen" approval. Premiums will not be paid without approval.

### Premiums:

1. Where exhibitors can exhibit more than one per class, the exhibitor may receive more than one award (ribbon). Exhibitors may receive no more than two premiums per class.
2. **Cash premiums will be paid during the fair on Sunday at the Fair Office from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m. Premiums will be paid as listed in the fair book schedule. The Fair Board and Elbert County reserve the right to change the method and date of payment if the need should arise. Any premiums not picked up by that date shall be forfeited unless prior written arrangements have been made with the Extension Office.**
3. **Violation of any Elbert County Fair rule may result in loss of awards and/or premiums.**

### Miscellaneous:

1. Any exhibitor found guilty of any practice deemed unethical by the Fair Board will forfeit all premium monies and the exhibitor will be barred from future participation until such time as reinstatement is made by the Fair Board. Exhibitors should petition the Fair Board for reinstatement.
2. The Fair Board will provide attendants and watchmen to take all possible precautions for the safe keeping and protection of all articles/animals or exhibits, but will not be responsible for loss, damage, or injury of any kind while the same is on exhibition.
3. **CAUTION:** Smoking is prohibited in the exhibit barns and buildings. Drinking of alcoholic beverages is prohibited in the exhibiting area and the grandstand.
4. Every effort will be made to run events on schedule. If an event is delayed by more than 30 minutes, that event may be rescheduled so as not to conflict with previously scheduled events.
5. Fair Board reserves the right to make any change that improves the fair.
6. A formal protest must be made in writing to the fair office within 12 hours of announcement of contest results. Such protest must state plainly the cause of complaint or appeal and be accompanied by a \$25.00 fee. The protest committee shall consist of the President of the Fair Board, a representative from Extension, and the Superintendent of the division involved. In the event the complaint is justified, the \$25.00 will be returned and necessary action taken. If the committee rules against the complaint, the \$25.00 fee will be forfeited.



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and Rodeo Arenas*

Please join His Outfit at the Elbert  
County Fairgrounds in Kiowa, Colorado  
For a community benefit

# Open Gymkhana

## July 16th, 2011



Events include:

Barrels  
Flags

Poles

Keyhole  
One event TBA

Cost is \$6 per event with a \$5 office fee  
Age determined as of January 1<sup>st</sup>

Pee Wee 7-10  
Senior 14-18

Junior 11-13  
Adult 19 & Over

Entries will open at 2:00 pm with events to begin at 3:30 pm  
Concessions will be provided

All proceeds from this event will be donated to the  
Elbert County FCC Outreach Programs

*For more information call 720 988 7352 or email [bhenderson@strata-db.com](mailto:bhenderson@strata-db.com)*

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site at [www.hisoutfit.org](http://www.hisoutfit.org) and [www.christiancowboys.com](http://www.christiancowboys.com).*

## Elbert County Fair Royalty Contest

Mary Louise Jacobson, Superintendent  
Dana Asbridge and Jill Sober, Assistant Superintendents

**Judging: Saturday, July 16, 9:00 a.m.**

**Entries due July 9**

**Informational Clinic: July 25; Please call 720-289-0104 for information**

**Rules:**

1. Contestants entering the contest must be enrolled in 4-H as of January 31st of the current year and be members in Good Standing at the time of the contest.
2. The entrants in the Queen Contest must be girls 14 years of age by January 1 of the current year and not more than 18 years of age by January 1. Entrants in the Princess Contest must be girls between 11 years and 13 years of age as of January 1 of the current year.
3. Entries will be due July 9th. No late entries.
4. The horsemanship portion shall be governed by the current Colorado Horse Rule Book, unless noted otherwise. Contestants in horsemanship will be expected to be familiar with Colorado 4-H Horsemanship Rules.
5. Patterns, special maneuvers, and questions in the horsemanship and personality sections shall be left to the discretion of the judges.
6. Stallions shall not be used in the horsemanship section.
7. All contestants shall be dressed appropriately for the contest (Western apparel, hat, and boots). Contestants shall not wear lace-up boots or riding tennis shoes.
8. Contestants shall be expected to follow all rules and be present at the different phases of competition at the designated time. Non-compliance shall result in elimination.
9. The Queen shall be the first place individual in the Senior competition. The first place contestant in the Junior contest shall be the Princess.
10. Contestants may be asked to assist present Royalty during fair with award presentations, public relations etc. This shall not conflict with contestant's prior obligations.
11. Horsemanship and riding portion shall consist of a)tacking up, b)reining pattern (pattern will be distributed to contestants upon entry); c)Western Equitation; d)Queen's Run/Grand Entry.
12. Contestants will be scored on:
 

Horsemanship	50 Points
Personal Interview	50 Points
Speech (2-3 Minutes) Topic given upon entry	30 Points
Modeling & Impromptu Question	50 Points
13. Entry forms and information will be available at [elbertcountyfair.com](http://elbertcountyfair.com). Entry forms are due July 9<sup>th</sup>. They should be mailed to Mary Louise Jacobson; 1565 CR 150; Elizabeth, CO 80107.
14. The clinic given in June will include detailed contest information, schedule, how to fill out the entry form, horsemanship rules, safety information, and modeling tips.
15. The Queen and Princess reigns shall begin the last day of the fair following the crowning until the following fair. If the Queen or Princess should be unable to fulfill her term for some reason, or if not enrolled in 4-H the following year, the 2nd Place contestant will be offered the position.
16. No Queen or Princess shall succeed herself. If the 2nd Place contestant should be asked to fulfill a reign after June 1, that contestant shall be allowed to compete again that year and succeed herself if that contestant is the 1st place contestant.
17. The judge's decision will be final.

**Royalty Responsibilities:**

1. Attend various Elbert County 4-H and Fair Events as directed by the Superintendents.
2. Attend the following fairs and events, as determined by the Superintendents. (These are required)
  - El Paso County Fair - 2011 (if not same time as Elbert County Fair)
  - Elizabeth Stampede - 2011
  - Lincoln County Fair - 2011
  - National Western Stock Show - 2012
3. Attendance of the following fairs and events is optional:
  - Other County Fairs or Rodeos
  - Deer Trail Rodeo
  - Roof Top Rodeo (Estes Park)
  - Colorado State Fair
4. Attend the Elbert County Fair (all days) the year following crowning. Help with events of the fair when asked.
5. It is the Queen's responsibility to write letters of invitation to surrounding Fair and Rodeo Queens, Princesses, and Attendants and invite them to the Fair, Royalty Brunch and to participate in the Fair Parade, Grand Entry, and Queen's Barrel Race.
6. Crown the new Fair Queen and Princess.
7. Arrange for photos and write-up for the 2012 Elbert County Fair Book.
8. Royalty will be financially responsible for traveling expenses, clothing, insurance, Royalty Brunch, and any other expenses. (except buckles, crowns, & sashes).
9. Royalty will be responsible for providing proof of insurance before attending any event on horseback (contact agent to get a rider on homeowner's policy).
10. Royalty will be responsible for replacement of any equipment or clothing provided by the county that is damaged or lost.
11. Make arrangements for the Royalty Brunch to be held during the fair.
12. Cash premiums will be received upon completion of reign and fulfillment of duties, and return of chaps, crowns, and sashes.

Elbert County Fair Queen	Buckle
Elbert County Fair Princess	Buckle
Elbert County Fair Queen	\$250
Elbert County Fair Princess	\$150

**2011 Elbert County Fair Royalty Sponsors:**

John and Susan Kreutzer  
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# ELBERT COUNTY ALL BREED OPEN SHOW CIRCUIT

Kim Evans, Director

**Sunday, July 10, 8:00 a.m.**

**Sunday, August 14, 8:00 a.m.**

**Sunday, September 10, 8:00 a.m.**

**Entries open at 7:00 a.m.**

**Halter & Showmanship Classes at 8:00 a.m. with English Classes following**

**Western Classes following lunch break at approximately 1:30 p.m.**

The Elbert County All Breed Open Show will feature both English and Western Classes and something for every horse enthusiast. We will have classes for Novice Riders and horses, Stakes classes for the more competitive exhibitors, walk-trot classes for the young riders and a 40 & Primed for the more mature horseman. We will be giving away High Point Awards in each age division as well as a High Point English Horse and a High Point Western Horse. Entry fees are \$7.00 per class and \$7.00 per horse office charge. There is a \$56.00 "max-out" on entries for open competitors (not including office charge) and a \$42.00 "max-out" on entries for 4-H members (not including office charge, must show current 4-H card). For more information, contact Kim Evans @ 303/841-2433 or 303/946-7258. AQHA and AHSA Rules - RMHSA Type III Show

## Main Arena - 8:00 a.m. Morning Classes

- Class 1 Halter Stallions 2 & Under
- Class 2 Halter Stallions 3 & Over
- Class 3 Grand Champion Stallion
- Class 4 Halter Mares 2 & Under
- Class 5 Halter Mares 3 & Over
- Class 6 Grand Champion Mare
- Class 7 Halter Geldings 2 & Under
- Class 8 Halter Geldings 3 & Over
- Class 9 Grand Champion Gelding
- Class 10 Showmanship 13 & Under
- Class 11 Showmanship 14 - 18
- Class 12 Showmanship 19 - 39
- Class 13 Showmanship 40 & Primed
- Class 14 English Pleasure Training Tack \*
- Class 15 English Pleasure 13 & Under
- Class 16 English Pleasure 14 - 18
- Class 17 English Pleasure 19 - 39
- Class 18 English Pleasure 40 & Primed
- Class 19 English Equitation 13 & Under
- Class 20 English Equitation 14 - 18
- Class 21 English Equitation 19 - 39
- Class 22 English Equitation 40 & Primed
- Class 23 English Pleasure Walk-Trot Novice Rider \*  
**(Rider cannot enter any other riding classes except Class Number 35)**
- Class 24 English Pleasure Novice Horse \*
- Class 25 English Pleasure Stakes - All Ages\*
- Class 26 Walk-Trot-Jog 10 & Under (English or Western) \*

Lunch Break following Class # 26

\* Class does not count towards High Point Awards

Training Tack - Any Human training tack allowed

Open - All horses of any age, size, or sex

Novice Horse - Has not won three first place ribbons in the particular performance

Trail Classes will be run concurrently - Placings announced after last exhibitor

\$7.00 per class + \$7.00 per Horse Office Charge

\$15.00 Entry fee - Stakes Classes (\$10.00 payback)

\$42.00 4-H "Max-Out" fee (show current card - 1 horse/1 rider)

\$56.00 "Max-Out" fee for all others - 1 horse/1 rider

\$10.00 Covered stalls plus \$5.00 Cleaning Deposit

## Main Arena - Afternoon Classes

- Class 27 Lead Line \*
- Class 28 Western Pleasure Training Tack \*
- Class 29 Western Pleasure Stakes - All Ages \*
- Class 30 Western Pleasure 13 & Under
- Class 31 Western Pleasure 14 - 18
- Class 32 Western Pleasure 19 - 39
- Class 33 Western Pleasure 40 & Primed
- Class 34 Western Pleasure Novice Horse \*
- Class 35 Western Pleasure Walk-Jog Novice Rider \*  
**(Rider cannot enter any other riding classes except Class Number 23)**
- Class 36 Western Horsemanship 13 & Under
- Class 37 Western Horsemanship 14 - 18
- Class 38 Western Horsemanship 19 - 39
- Class 39 Western Horsemanship 40 & Primed
- Short Break
- Class 40 Western Riding 13 & Under
- Class 41 Western Riding 14 - 18
- Class 42 Western Riding 19 - 39
- Class 43 Western Riding 40 & Primed
- Short Break
- Class 44 Reining 13 & Under
- Class 45 Reining 14 - 18
- Class 46 Reining 19 - 39
- Class 47 Reining 40 & Primed

## Warm-Up Arena - 1:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

- Class 48 Trail 13 & Under
- Class 48 Trail 14 - 18
- Class 50 Trail 19 - 39
- Class 51 Trail 40 & Primed

Daily High Point and Circuit Awards based on the following point system:

3 or more horses:

1st - 10 points

2nd - 9 points

3rd - 7 points

4th - 5 points

5th - 3 points

6th - 1 point

One or two horses:

1st - 4 points

2nd - 2 points

First Tie-Breaker: Number of 1st place ribbons won

Next Tie-Breaker: Person placing the highest in showmanship

If still a tie - coin flip

**4-H Shooting Sports, Archery**  
**Saturday, July 23, 9:00 a.m.; Fairgrounds Archery Range**

**4-H Dog Rally**  
**Friday, July 30, 2:00 p.m.; Ag Building**

**SMALL FRY ANIMAL CLASSES**

Sponsored by the Elbert County CattleWomen, Superintendents

Classes for "Small Fry" contestants will be held during the Fair. Classes for Dog, Lama, Lamb, Goat, Poultry, Beef & Dairy (bottle calves), Rabbit & Cavy, and Pony will be held just prior to 4-H Showmanship classes for those specie. Swine Small Fry classes will be held at 3:30 p.m. on Friday before the Adult Swine Showmanship. See Open Class Premium Book, available on Website, or at Elbert County Extension Office for information on entries for Small Fry Classes.

Dog, Shown Saturday, July 30  
 Lama, Shown Tuesday, August 2  
 Lamb, Shown Wednesday, August 3  
 Goat, Shown Wednesday, August 3  
 Poultry, Shown Thursday, August 4  
 Beef calf, Shown Thursday, August 4  
 Dairy calf, Shown Thursday, August 4  
 Rabbit, Shown Thursday, August 4  
 Cavy, Shown Thursday, August 4  
 Pony, Shown Thursday, August 4  
 Swine, Shown Friday, August 5

**4-H Dog Obedience & Showmanship Classes**  
**Saturday, July 30, 9:00 a.m.; Ag Building**

Small Fry Classes will take place before Showmanship begins. See Open Class Premium Book, available on Website, or at Elbert County Extension Office for information on entries for Small Fry Classes.

**ELBERT COUNTY YOUTH RODEO**

Don Hood & Brad Henderson, Directors

**Saturday, July 30, 1:00 p.m.**

**Check in: 12:00 p.m.**

**Entries Due: Friday, July 29; 5:00 p.m. (no late entries!)**

**Events:**

Barrels  
 Bull-Riding  
 Saddle Bronc  
 Bareback Bronc  
 Bull Dogging  
 Break Away Roping  
 Team Roping  
 Calf Tie-Down Roping

National Little Britches rules will be used. They can be found at <http://www.nlbra.com/Portals/92/Docs/Rulebook2010>.

Don Hood - 720-244-5828  
 Email: westent@earthlink.net

**Age Groups (age as of January 1, 2011):**

14 & Under  
 Over 14 and up to 18

**Entry Fees:**

\$40 plus \$10 office charge

**Payout on Entry fees:**

40/30/20/10

Note: If no entries (or too few), event will be cancelled.

## KIDDIE FASHION SHOW

Linda Ehmann & Tammi Schnedier, Directors  
Young Homemakers, Sponsors

**Saturday, July 30, 2:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall**

**Registration & Entry:** 1:30 p.m.

This fashion show for the little ones of Elbert County is open to kids 8 years and under. Clothing must be made, not purchased. Clothing does not have to be made by kids. Here's Mom's, Grandma's, and Maybe even Uncle's chance to show off the adorable outfits they have made for their precious ones. Awards will be given for participation only. This is not for competition. Categories are Dress-Up; Play Wear; School Wear; Knitted/Crocheted; Decorate Your Duds; and Any Other. The show will be held at the Fellowship Hall along with the 4-H Fashion Revue. **Check in is at 1:00 p.m. Entries (on 8 ½ X 11 paper) should include the child's name, age, address, and a half page typed commentary about the child and the outfit. Directors will be available to help with entries at check-in if necessary.**

## 4-H FASHION REVUE

Lisa Chambers, Director

**Saturday, July 30, 2:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall**

The Public is invited to the 4-H Fashion Revue to be held at the Fellowship Hall. This is an enjoyable afternoon and you get to see the 4-Hers modeling the garments they have made during the year. Members of all ages will model everything from Decorate Your Duds to Prom gowns.

## OPEN CLASS RABBIT SHOW

Mary Brewer, Superintendent

**Sunday, July 31, 9:00 a.m.; Ag Building**

See Open Class Premium Book, available on Website, or at Elbert County Extension Office for information on entries.

## COWBOY CHURCH

His Outfit, Directors

**Sunday, July 31, 9:00 a.m., Exhibit Hall**

The service will be non-denominational. Come and enjoy some great music and spirit-lifting fellowship.

### 4-H Breeding Swine Show

**Sunday, July 31, 9:00 a.m.; Pavilion**

### 4-H Breeding Sheep Show

**Sunday, July 31, 30 Minutes after Breeding Swine; Pavilion**

### 4-H Breeding Beef Show

**Sunday, July 31, 30 Minutes after Breeding Sheep; Beef Barn**

# ELBERT COUNTY FAIR OPEN WOOL, HAND SPUN YARN, AND FINISHED PRODUCT SHOW

## Wool, Fiber, Yarn, & Finished Products Show Sponsor – Running Creek Alpaca Partners

**Entries Open:** Sunday, July 31, Noon - 5:00 p.m.; Fleeces must be hand delivered to Elbert County Fair Wool Barn (behind the Loren Green Grandstands). Entry forms will be available at check-in.

**Judging:** Monday, August 1, 9:00 a.m.; Open to the Public

**Release:** Sunday, August 7, 3:00 p.m.

### Rules:

1. The judge reserves the right to separate classes if the number of entries in any class warrants a separate class and to place entries in appropriate classes and division as necessary. If there are enough entries, classes may be divided into white and coloured.
2. The Elbert County Open Wool & Fiber Show is for premium quality fleeces intended for handspinning use. Fleeces must be shorn in time period from September 2010 to exhibit date.
3. Definition of Colour: "White is white"; everything else is classified as "coloured."
4. Fleeces must be skirted and skirting not included inside the fleece. Each fleece will be judged for soundness, cleanliness, uniformity, and general character typical of high quality handspinning fibers. Excessive vegetable matter, dung locks, or other contaminants may result in disqualification. Fleeces must be raw - not washed. Judge or superintendent reserves the right to disqualify any fleece deemed unfit for the show.
5. At the discretion of the Superintendent, classes may be added to the llama, alpaca, and youth if there are enough entries to do so.

### Specific Instructions for Fleeces:

1. No pre-washed, on or off the hoof, fleeces will be accepted.
2. Sheep fleeces will be shown untied, flesh side out in a clear plastic bag (provided at the time of entry). It is recommended that exhibitors pack their fleeces rather loosely to avoid impairing their character and attractiveness.
3. Llama and alpaca the full, skirted fleece may be shown untied in a clear, plastic bag. Please indicate if adult or cria (any fleece sheared under one year). Indicate age of adult.
4. Mohair the full, skirted fleece may be shown untied in a clear plastic bag. Please indicate if adult or kid (1st or 2nd shearing). Indicate age of adult.
5. Cashmere will be shown in a clear, sealable plastic bag. Indicate age of adult.
6. Angora one plucking will be shown in a clear, resealable plastic bag.
7. Please indicate whether the animal was shorn with electric shears or handshorn.
8. Clear plastic bags of various sizes will be available at no charge at check in time.
9. Each fiber entry must be tagged with entry tickets provided at the time of check-in. Save time and fill out your entry form before you arrive. (Check the back of the Fair book for entry forms). You may indicate on the entry form if the fleece is for sale in a private treaty. Promotional materials may be inserted in fleeces only after judging is complete. Fleeces on display, which are available for private treaty by request, must be entered and shown and will not be released until Sunday, August 7th at 3:00 p.m.
10. The Elbert County Fair and the sponsors assume no liability in regard to fleeces entered in the show.
11. All classes are open to all wool and exotic fiber growers in Elbert County and elsewhere.
12. If you are mailing fleece entries, please call Marie Hoover at 303-646-2665.

### Specific Instructions for Handspun Yarns & Fiber Art:

1. All articles and yarns entered must have been made within the last year by the exhibitor. All yarn must be handspun except for warp yarn and designer details such as nylon strengthening yarn, metallics, etc.
2. Attach to each item a 3 X 5 card which includes the following: a) Class number of entry. b) Fiber content(s) to include breed of animal, if known. c) Any other descriptive information. d) If dyed, type and source of dye used. e) Write ORIGINAL DESIGN if no commercial pattern was used. f) Please note if yarn used in a finished product was purchased handspun. The more information you provide, the better.
3. Yarn **MUST** be in skeins, self-tied, no balls of yarn will be accepted.
4. Judging will be based on: the preparation of the fiber; cleanliness; even color distribution (unless noted as intentionally irregular); consistency (or inconsistency) of twist; and feel of yarn.

**Fleeces**

- Class 1 Fine Wool (Merino, Rambouillet, CVM, Shetland, Corriedale, etc.)
- Class 2 Medium Wool (Jacob, Targee, Columbia, Panama, etc.)
- Class 3 Long or Lustre Wool (Lincoln, Cotswold, Border Leicester, etc.)
- Class 4 Braid, primitive & double coated breeds (Karakul, Icelandic, Navajo Churro, etc.), Animals over 1 year old
- Class 5 Braid, primitive & double coated breeds (Karakul, Icelandic, Navajo Churro, etc.), Lamb
- Class 6 Commercial (premium fleeces from commercial or range flocks)
- Class 7 Mohair-kid (1st or 2nd shearing)
- Class 8 Mohair-adult
- Class 9 Cashmere-kid (1st shearing)
- Class 10 Cashmere-adult
- Class 11 Llama-cria (any fleece sheared under 1 year)
- Class 12 Llama-adult
- Class 13 Alpaca-cria (light colour) (any fleece sheared under one year)
- Class 14 Alpaca cria - dark colour
- Class 15 Alpaca-adult-dark colour
- Class 16 Alpaca-adult-gray rose gray
- Class 17 Suri Alpaca
- Class 18 Angora
- Class 19 Other (buffalo, camel, yak, quivet, Highland, dog, etc.)

- Grand Champion Wool Ribbon
- Grand Champion Specialty Fiber Ribbon
- Grand Champion Llama Ribbon
- Grand Champion Alpaca Ribbon
- Judges Choice Gift

**Yarns**

- Class 30 Natural colored or White Wool, singles
- Class 31 Natural colored or White Wool, 2-ply
- Class 32 Mohair, singles
- Class 33 Mohair, 2-ply
- Class 34 Llama & Alpaca, singles
- Class 35 Llama & Alpaca, 2-ply
- Class 36 Other Animal Fibers, singles
- Class 37 Other Animal Fibers, 2-ply
- Class 38 Silk
- Class 39 Plant fibers
- Class 40 Blended Yarns from Animal Fibers
- Class 41 Plant/Mineral Dyed Yarn, singles
- Class 42 Plant/Mineral Dyed Yarn, 2-ply
- Class 43 Chemically Dyed Yarn, singles
- Class 44 Chemically Dyed Yarn, 2-ply
- Class 45 Novelty Yarn
- Class 46 Fine Yarn
- Class 47 Bulky Yarn
- Class 48 Multi-ply Yarn
- Class 49 Novice (1st time entrant in judged fiber show), singles

- Class 50 Novice, multi-ply
- Class 51 Drop Spindle Spun Yarn

- Champion Handspun Yarn Ribbon
- Reserve Champion Handspun Yarn Ribbon

**Finished Products**

- Class 60 Handspun, Knitted or Crocheted Garment
- Class 61 Handspun, Knitted or Crocheted Accessories
- Class 62 Handspun, Handwoven Garment
- Class 63 Handspun, Handwoven Accessories
- Class 64 Handspun, Handwoven Rugs, Tapestries, Wall Hangings, Pillows, etc.
- Class 65 Handspun, Handwoven Blankets, Afghans, Yardage
- Class 66 Handspun, Handknit Socks
- Class 67 Handspun, Handwoven Other items
- Class 68 Novice Weaving
- Class 69 Any Other Weaving
- Class 70 Hand Felted Items
- Class 71 Hooked or Locker hooked rugs, wall hangings, pillows, etc.
- Class 72 From Fiber to Finished (must have been made by the person raising the animal and all steps in the process done by that person)

- Champion Finished Product Ribbon
- Reserve Champion Finished Product Ribbon

**Senior Youth (Ages 12 - 16)(Put age on tag)**

- Class 75 Yarn
- Class 76 Finished Product
- Champion Senior Youth Handspun Yarn/Fiber Art Ribbon
- Reserve Champion Senior Youth Handspun Yarn/Fiber Art Ribbon

**Junior Youth (Ages 8 - 11)(Put age on tag)**

- Class 77 Yarn
- Class 78 Finished Product
- Champion Junior Youth Handspun Yarn/Fiber Art Ribbon
- Reserve Champion Junior Youth Handspun Yarn/Fiber Art Ribbon

**Child (Ages 7 & under)(Put age on tag)**

- Class 79 Yarn
- Class 80 Finished Product
- Champion Child Handspun Yarn/Fiber Art Ribbon
- Reserve Champion Child Handspun Yarn/Fiber Art Ribbon
- Judges Choice Handspun Yarns/Fiber Art Gift

Sponsors: Serendipity Farm

**4-H Working Ranch Horse Classes**  
**Monday, August 1, 8:30 a.m.; Arena**

**4-H Breeding Goat Show**  
**Monday, August 1, 2:00 p.m.; Track**

4-H Breeding Goats. 4-H Market Goats and 4-H Goat Showmanship will be Wednesday, August 4 after the 4-H/FFA Market Lamb Show. 4-H Goat Obstacle Course will take place on Thursday, August 5 from 4:00 p.m. to 6 p.m. on the Track

**4-H Roping and Cattle Classes**  
**Monday, August 1, 4:00 p.m.; Arena**

**4-H Llama & Alpaca Show**  
**Tuesday, August 2, 8:00 a.m.; Warm-up Arena**

Small Fry Classes will take place before Showmanship begins. See Open Class Premium Book, available on Website, or at Elbert County Extension Office for information on entries for Small Fry Classes.

**4-H General Exhibits**  
**Tuesday, August 2, 9:00 a.m. –6:00p.m.; Exhibit Building**

4-H General Exhibits will be on display in the Exhibit Building daily from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. 4-H is more than Steers and Sewing! Come see the wide variety of project exhibits. Everything from Entomology to Ceramics and Natural Resources to Bison and Horticulture to Home Environment. Cloverbud Exhibits will also be on display from Friday thru Sunday.

**4-H/FFA Swine Showmanship**  
**Tuesday, August 2, 6:30 p.m.; Pavilion**

**OPEN CLASS GENERAL EXHIBITS**

Linda Almquist & Debbie Maul, Superintendents

**Wednesday, August 3, 8:00 a.m.; Fellowship Hall**

Check-in and Judging of Exhibits. See Open Class Premium Book, available on Website, or at Elbert County Extension Office for information on entries. Exhibits will be on display in the Fellowship Hall daily from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Categories for these exhibits are:

Special Exhibits Classes; Educational & Agricultural Booths

Garden, Crops & Floriculture

Foods, including Breads, Desserts, Gourmet, and Preservation

Arts and Crafts of almost any type (includes various types of crafts, fine arts, and photography)

Clothing includes Sewing, Accessories, and Decorate your Duds

Quilting and Needlecraft - All types of quilting, crocheting, knitting, and many types of other needlecraft

There are classes for both adults and youths of all ages. Judges Choice Awards are given in each section.

**4-H/FFA Market Lamb Show**  
**Wednesday, August 3, 8:00 a.m.; Pavilion**

Small Fry Classes will take place before Showmanship begins. See Open Class Premium Book, available on Website, or at Elbert County Extension Office for information on entries for Small Fry Classes.

## **4-H Market Goat Show & 4-H Goat Showmanship**

**Wednesday, August 3, 1:00 p.m.; Pavilion**

4-H Market Goats and 4-H Goat Showmanship only. Show will begin after the 4-H Market Lamb Show. Small Fry Classes will take place before Showmanship begins. See Open Class Premium Book, available on Website, or at Elbert County Extension Office for information on entries for Small Fry Classes.

## **4-H/FFA Market Swine Show**

**Wednesday, August 3, 3:30 p.m.; Pavilion**

## **4-H/FFA Market Beef Show**

### **EDCLA Catch-a-Calf Classes**

**Thursday, August 4, 8:00 a.m.; Track**

Small Fry Classes will take place before Showmanship begins. See Open Class Premium Book, available on Website, or at Elbert County Extension Office for information on entries for Small Fry Classes. Please See Open Class Premium Book, available on Website, or at Elbert County Extension Office for information on Catch-a-Calf Project.

## **4-H Poultry Show**

**Thursday, August 4, 8:00 a.m.; Poultry Barn**

Small Fry Classes will take place before Showmanship begins. See Open Class Premium Book, available on Website, or at Elbert County Extension Office for information on entries for Small Fry Classes.

## **4-H Rabbit & Cavy Classes**

**Thursday, August 4, 9:00 a.m.; Rabbit Barn**

Small Fry Classes will take place before Showmanship begins. See Open Class Premium Book, available on Website, or at Elbert County Extension Office for information on entries for Small Fry Classes.

## **FCE BAKE SALE**

Elbert County Family and Community Education (FCE) Clubs, Superintendents

**Thursday, August 4, 10:00 a.m. until Sold Out - Bake Sale, Fellowship Hall**

Be sure to get there early to guarantee yourself a chance to purchase some of the best home cookin' Elbert County has to offer. Baked goods from many of our own great cooks will be available for sale at the Fellowship Hall. Proceeds are used for the FCE Scholarship Fund. In 2010 FCE awarded two \$300 scholarships to Elbert County Seniors Drew Button and McKenzie Digby. Support this worthwhile cause.

## **SENIOR CITIZENS' DAY**

Carol Von Feldt, Sheriff Shane Heap, & Elbert County Sheriff's Department, Directors

**Thursday, August 4, 10:30 a.m., Fellowship Hall**

All Elbert County Senior Citizens are invited to a lunch and program at the fairgrounds.

## **4-H Dairy Show**

**Thursday, August 4, 11:00 a.m.; Pavilion**

Small Fry Classes will take place before Showmanship begins. See Open Class Premium Book, available on Website, or at Elbert County Extension Office for information on entries for Small Fry Classes.

## 4-H Horse Halter & Showmanship Classes

Thursday, August 4, 3:00 p.m.; Warm-up Arena

Small Fry Classes will take place before Showmanship begins. See Open Class Premium Book, available on Website, or at Elbert County Extension Office for information on entries for Small Fry Classes.

## 4-H Horse English Performance Classes

Thursday, August 4, 4:00 p.m.; Arena

## 4-H Utility Goat Obstacle Course Classes

Thursday, August 4, 4:00 p.m.; Track

## SHEEP LEAD CONTEST

Laurie Duke & Margaret Koops, Directors

Thursday, August 4, 6:00 p.m., Ag Building

### Rules:

1. Entries in this class may be open to any exhibitor.
2. The exhibitors may personally own their sheep or have the sheep sponsored for them. If sponsored, the name of the sponsor must be given at the time of entry.
3. Mail entries to:  
Laurie Duke  
32300 County Road 15  
Elizabeth, CO 80107

Use entry form at back of fair book; **Entries are due July 15th (TYPED COMMENTARIES MUST BE TURNED IN BY July 27th.)**

4. The contestant will be judged on the mode of dress selected and the primary garment made of at least 50% wool. The outfit chosen by the contestant should take into consideration their age and size. The intent is to present a stylish and attractive picture and to lend elegance to the class. Contestants must provide their own outfit, but it need not be handmade.
5. Previous contest winners are eligible to return for competition; however they must exhibit a new garment. Garments previously winning first place are not eligible to return for competition.
6. Sheep may be adorned with complimentary attire so as to present a harmonious composition. It should not detract from the contestant, but compliment.
7. Contestant should submit a typed (on an 8 1/2 X 11 paper) commentary which includes: Name, age, town, sheep's name, name and town of sheep's owner, description of entry, fabric content, complete description of outfit, and any background in the sheep industry. 1/2 page should be on the outfit and 1/2 page on the contestant and contestant's sheep background.
8. Contestants should be prepared to lead sheep across the stage and model garment while leading the sheep. Easy access will be provided to the stage.
9. Divisions will be: Mini - Age 7 and under; Junior - Age 8-13; Senior - Age 14-18; Adults - Age 19 and better; Two or more - two or more of any age (i.e. siblings, mother/daughter, best friends, etc.).

**Note:** Champions will be chosen from the Junior and Senior classes. Minis, Adults, and groups will not be eligible for Champion.

Class 5101 Mini  
Class 5102 Junior  
Class 5103 Senior  
Class 5104 Adult  
Class 5105 Two or more

Sponsors: Duke Family  
Freund Family  
Alice Kelley Wolf  
Terri Kelley  
Kathy & Missy Whitman  
Shepherd Hill Livestock (Pete & LeAnn Pyatt)

Each mini contestant will receive a special award. There will be awards and ribbons for each class. The Champion and Reserve Champion will receive a special award.

## 4-H Horse Western Performance Classes

### 4-H Horse Trail Classes

Western Performance Classes, Friday, August 5, 8:00 a.m.; Arena  
Trail Class, Friday, August 5, 8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.; Warm-up Arena

## FARM OLYMPICS

Dan Carpenter & Sheila Kelley, Directors

**Friday, August 5, 10:00 a.m., Track**

**Registration:** 9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

Throwing hay bales, roping steer heads, dolly races, egg & spoon races all are part of the fun, farm events for youth and adult teams. 4-H clubs and other youth organizations are encouraged to enter.

## COWBOY UP IN KIOWA DUTCH OVEN COOK-OFF

Brian & Nikki Lown, Directors

**Friday, August 5, 8:00 a.m., Near Pavilion**

**Registration and Pre-Cooking Meeting: 8:00 a.m.**

**Judging: 1:30 p.m.**

Entries Due: July 18th

### Rules:

1. With a sense of good will, fair play, and good sportsmanship, be considerate of your neighbors. Remember, God is watching you!
2. One or more cooks per team. At least one of the cooks must be at least 18 years of age.
3. Tend your fire carefully! Acceptable fuel includes wood, charcoal, or cow chips. Each team must provide some type of fire extinguisher (water will be near by).
4. All sites must be cleaned and reclaimed before leaving and all fires must be out.
5. Registration and pre-cooking meeting is 8:00 a.m. This is a mandatory meeting. Cooking will commence after meeting is adjourned. Judging will begin at 1:30p.m.
6. Each category will take approximately 30 minutes to judge. Please refer to your schedule for your approximate judging time.
7. Fix enough of your dish for judges and to supply samples to spectators.
8. NO samples are to be offered to spectators until after ALL judging is complete. In case of a tie, you will need to provide a re-sample to the judges.
9. Categories are: Main Dish, Side Dish, Breads, and Desserts. (There may be a prize for the best beef dish sponsored and judged by the Elbert/Douglas County Livestock Association and the Elbert County Cattle Women.)
10. NO wild game, home-processed meat, or home-canned vegetables are to be used.
11. Any overnight preparation, such as soaking or marinating, must be noted on your recipe. NO pre-cooking is allowed. Everything must be burnt on site.
12. Store-bought mixes are acceptable.
13. Sanitary preparation procedures must be followed.
14. Three (3) copies of your recipes MUST be supplied to the judges and will be returned. You may also wish to make copies available to spectators.
15. There will be a limit of 10 teams per competition. They are accepted according to the receipt of their registration forms. There will be a waiting list maintained and substitutes will be contacted at least 24 hours before the competition.
16. NO alcohol consumption is permitted during the competition. Alcohol is permitted in the recipes.
17. If you don't complain about other people's cooking style and utensils, they won't complain about yours.
18. YOU MUST HAVE FUN!!!

If you have questions or need registration forms, please call Nikki Lown at 303-621-2526. Please return registration form ASAP. Deadline is July 18, 2011. You can e-mail us at [nikkilown@yahoo.com](mailto:nikkilown@yahoo.com) for registration forms and information concerning the cook-off.

## 4-H Gymkhana Classes

**Friday, August 5, 12:00 Noon (following Performance Classes); Arena**

## **SLIDES, JUMPERS, & MORE FUN**

**Friday, August 5, 11:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.**

**Saturday, August 6, 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.**

See the east side of the exhibit building for FREE, fun, physical activities for everyone, including big inflatable slides & jumpers and a climbing wall.

## **SMALL FRY SWINE CLASS**

Sponsored by the Elbert County CattleWomen, Superintendents

**Friday, August 5, 3:30 p.m., Track**

## **ADULT JACKPOT SWINE SHOWMANSHIP CONTEST**

Pat & Teri Kelley, Directors

**Friday, August 5, 4:30 p.m., Track**

Have you noticed all those adults at the side of the show ring instructing their kids right before 4-H showmanship? Well it's time for them to show their stuff. In keeping with our crazy "adult" activities (see below) we're adding this event. It should be crazy as well. Entry fee \$5.00. Sign up by 3:30 p.m.

## **4-H/FFA Beef Fitting Contest**

**Friday, August 5, 5:00 p.m. North Track (Ag Building, if weather requires)**

## **ADULT BEEF FITTING CONTEST**

Ric Miller, Director

**Friday, August 5, 5:30 p.m., North Track (Ag Building, if weather requires)  
(Immediately following 4-H contest)**

Where can you see grown-ups??? Spraying each other with foam, spraying black paint on bald heads, and generally creating chaos while their steers stand patiently by and watch? Come and watch the World Famous Adult Beef Fitting Contest immediately following the 4-H Beef Fitting Contest. Rules (ha,ha) and procedures will be the same as those for 4-H.

## **MAGIC DOG RANCH DOG AGILITY CONTEST**

Claudia Henning, Owner

**Friday, August 5, 6:00 p.m., Warm-Up Arena**

Magic Dog will present an agility fun match that will feature dogs and their handlers weaving through poles, jumping, climbing obstacles like a teeter-totter and running through tunnels to beat the clock! Come to see your favorite breed perform. Magic Dog is a training, grooming, and retail shop located in Elizabeth. They provide classes for the sport of agility along with Family Pet Manners, Puppy Kindergarten, and Competitive Obedience.

# BULL RIDING & DANCE

**Bad boys of Bull Riding**

**Rodeo Clown**

**Prizes Awarded**

**at the Elbert County Fair**

**August 5, 2011 - 6:00 p.m.**

**Elbert County Fair Grounds - Kiowa, CO**

**Bull Riding: \$80 Entry Fee**  
**Added Money TBA**

**KIDS EVENTS**  
Muttin Bustin - \$15 Entry Fee  
Calf Scramble  
Boot Race

**Stock Saddle Bronc Riding**  
\$50 Entry Fee  
Added Money TBA

**Wild Cow Milking**  
\$45 Entry Fee  
3 Man Team

**Cow Hide Race: \$10 Entry Fee**  
(Must Supply horse/rider)

**Triple XXX Rodeo Bulls**

ACCEPTING CASH ONLY FOR ALL ENTRY FEES.  
TO SIGN UP FOR AN EVENT OR FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CALL:  
719-683-5492 OR 307-332-3687

***Come for the bull riding stay for the dance!!!***

## CONCERT & DANCE FEATURING the CACTUS JACK BAND



**Bring a date or come without one and dance to the great music at the Elbert County Fairgrounds.**

**On Friday, August 5, 2011 @ 9:00 pm following the BAD BOYS OF BULLRIDING!!! Best of all it's FREE**

The Cactus Jack Band was formed in the late 70's at a popular country night-spot called Ollie's Roundup. Jeff "Bodene" Fuhr is the original founding member of the Cactus Jack band. He provides the lead vocals, harmony, and guitar work for the band. The band features Bass-Randy Norton, Bass Player, Bill Miner on the Drums and playing Electric Guitar, Carl Klutts. Everyone shares in the singing, whether it is harmony or lead vocals. This adds a tremendous variety to the overall repertoire. The band has appeared on numerous thirty-minute infomercials for Rocky's Autos as the "Rocky's House Band". Bodene wrote "The Ballad of Shagman" for the auto dealer. In addition, he composed the soundtrack for the made for T.V. movie Escape From Terror originally aired on N.B.C. and now in syndication.

Cactus Jack has worked with a multitude of high-profile entertainers including, Steve Wariner, Gary Morris, Johnny Lee, Kenny Rogers, Mitch Ryder and the Detroit Wheels and more. As you can see by that list, the music offered is not limited to country-western!

If you're looking for an hour or an evening of entertainment, Cactus Jack will provide that entertainment. CHECK 'EM OUT!!!!

### 4-H Round Robin Showmanship Saturday, August 6, 8:30 a.m.; Arena

### ROAD GRADER CONTEST

#### Saturday, August 6, 8:30 a.m., Warm-Up Arena

The Elbert County employees will be pitting themselves against other counties in a contest of maneuvering large heavy equipment through an obstacle course. Located in the Warm-up arena.

### BACKSEAT DRIVER'S CONTEST

Elbert County 4-H Horse Judging Team, Superintendents

#### Saturday, August 6, 9:30 a.m., Track

Enter at 9:00 a.m. In the march for meaningful activities that demonstrate the latent skills of man and his machines, it is natural that the Elbert County Fair adopts an idea that demonstrates man's ability to cope with and adapt to unusual circumstances through the assistance and guidance of a partner or friend.

**Rules:**

1. Elbert County's Backseat Driver's contest will be a timed event which requires the blindfolded garden tractor operator to successfully negotiate a measured obstacle course under the guidance and direction of a partner/navigator who rides in a wagon pulled behind the tractor.
2. Two people shall constitute a team. Husband and wife teams are encouraged, but not required. Either the man or the woman team member may be the tractor operator. **Tractor operator must be at least 16 years of age.** The remaining team member is the navigator.
3. Upon the signal of the contest superintendent, the operator must successfully negotiate the prescribed obstacle course through the directions given by the navigator. Teams will be penalized points for straying from the contest course, striking boundary stakes, running over people, or failing to follow contest rules.
4. If the contestant desires, they may supply their own garden tractor, but must use provided wagon. Tractor must be rated at less than 20 HP.
5. Contest will be held in front of the Loren Green Grandstands on the track beginning at 9:00 a.m. Check-in between 8:30 and 9:00 a.m. at the Fair Office. If contest is not completed by the time of the Market Sale, completion will be immediately following the Horse Pull.
6. Entry fee of \$2.

Class 5201 Married Team

Class 5202 Unmarried team (minimum age to compete is 14)

### GOATKHANA

Sarah Patterson, Superintendent

#### Saturday, August 6, 10:00 a.m., North Track

Check-in is at 9:30 a.m. Open to anyone: Animals used may be dairy, market, or other breed of any age. Owner's permission required. No goat may participate with more than one handler. Animals and contestants will go through an obstacle course, judged on accuracy.

No premiums - Ribbons

Age: 12 & Under - Junior Division

13-18 - Senior Division

19 & over - Adult Division

### CARRIAGE RIDES

Collier Carriage Company, Director

#### Daily FREE rides Saturday, August 6 & Sunday, August 7

The Elbert County Fair Board would like to send a big thank you to **Collier Carriage Company** for again providing the Fair with FREE carriage rides. The rides will be given all day long, beginning at 10:00 a.m. daily.

## EDCLA BARBECUE

Elbert/Douglas County Livestock Association, Sponsors

### Saturday, August 6, 11:00 a.m., Pavilion

The Elbert/Douglas County Livestock Association Barbecue Serving line will open at 11:00 a.m. Tickets will be \$6 for adults; \$5 for Senior Citizens; and \$3 for children 12 years and under. You must have a ticket to get your plate filled.

## STOCK DOG TRIALS

Jackie Robertson, Superintendent

Sponsored by Mountains and Plains Border Collie Association

### Saturday, August 6, 11:00 a.m., Arena

Come spend an enjoyable evening watching these intelligent, talented herding animals work. Competition is open to any herding breed. There will be a jackpot paying 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup>. For information on entering, please contact Jackie Robertson at 303-646-4654 or Larry Adams at 970-686-0204.

#### 2011 Sponsors:

American Border Collie Association  
Mountain & Plains Border Collie Association  
Franktown Animal Hospital

## POULTRY CROWING CONTEST

Steve Villyard, Superintendent

### Saturday, August 6, 12:00 Noon, Poultry Barn

Open to all youths and adults. To be held on the South side of the Poultry Barn. Check-in opens Saturday, August 7 at 9:30 a.m. Check-in closes at 11:45 a.m. Crow-off will be at Noon.

Winner Rosette  
Runner-up Rosette

Birds, either standard or bantam, will be placed in cages in the contest area. The bird crowing the most in a ten minute period will be declared the winner of the contest. In the case of a tie, there will be a tie breaking Crow-off for the CROWING CHAMPION of The Elbert County Fair. Only one entry per exhibitor.

## JUNIOR MARKET SALE

Dan Carpenter, Mark Trostel, Linda Almquist, Ric Miller, Debbie Ullom, Ben Duke, Pat Kelley, and Vicky Whitman, Sale Directors

### Saturday, August 6, 1:00 p.m., Ag Building

Come and show your support for the 4-Hers who have raised some fine animals. A VIP Tent will be provided at the Ag building. It is stocked with snacks and cool drinks provided by Elbert County 4-Hers for buyers and their guests.

The young people that you will see participating in the Elbert County Junior Market Sale have invested their time, talents, and substantial money in the care and feeding of this premium stock. In completing their projects, they have worked hard to **MAKE THE BEST BETTER**

By bidding on the animals, you are encouraging these leaders of tomorrow that old fashioned hard work and pride of accomplishment are values that you recognize as being important.

Elbert County Fair endorses and supports the USDA Wholesome Meat Act and insists that exhibitors are in compliance. Remember, this is a chance to treat yourself to superb meat and also give a hard working youth to a real reward for months of effort.

## **HORSE PULL**

Pat Kelley, Horse Pull Director

### **Saturday, August 6, 5:30 p.m. (or 1/2 hour after the Junior Market Sale), Track**

The National Western Stock Show Rules will apply to the horse pull. Admission is free. Come and see these big, beautiful horses doing what they do best. The Horse Pull is always exciting and fun to watch.

## **4-H AWARDS NIGHT**

### **Saturday, August 6, 6:30 p.m., Ag Building**

Awards Night will be held at the Ag Building. Various 4-H awards will be given out. Winners of the 4-H Scholarships will also be announced. "Partners in 4-H" and the "Making the Best Better Award" are some of the other awards that will be given. The 2011 Fair Queen and Princess will also be announced.

## **ELBERT COUNTY FAIR DANCE**

Sponsored by the Elbert County 4-H Youth Council

### **Saturday, August 6, 9:00 p.m. - 12:30 a.m., Ag Building**

Come "cut a rug" with us at the Elbert County Fair Dance.  
\$3.00 per person/\$5.00 per couple  
4-H Dress Code enforced. No Alcohol

## **PANCAKE BREAKFAST**

Sponsored by the Elbert County Republican Women

### **Sunday, August 7, 7:00 a.m. – Noon, Lions Hall (Downtown)**

All you can eat! Adults \$6.00; Kids under 12 \$4.00. The menu includes eggs, pancakes, bacon, sausage, toast, orange juice, coffee, and all the extras. So enjoy the Parade and stop in at the Kiowa Lion's Hall for a good old-fashioned breakfast.

## **COWBOY CHURCH**

His Outfit, Directors

### **Sunday, August 7, 8:00 a.m., Ag Building**

A service will be conducted at the Ag Building. It will be non-denominational. Come and enjoy some great music and spirit-lifting fellowship.

## RODEO & RANCH RODEO

Dave Rook and Russ Steen, Directors

Lori Kelly, Arena Secretary

Del Schwaab, Anouncer

### Sunday, August 7, 9:00 a.m., Arena

#### HOW TO ENTER:

Entries paid for by check will be taken by mail until July 27. Checks or money orders must accompany entries. Mail entries to: RODEO, PO Box 822; Kiowa, CO 80117. Make checks payable to Friends of the Fair; Rodeo Secretary. **ONE CHECK PER TEAM FOR ALL TEAM EVENTS. Cash Entries will be taken at the Fairgrounds Thursday, August 4 and Friday, August 5, from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Late entries will be taken on Sunday, August 8, from 7:00 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. Late entries will be cash only and will have a late fee assessed.** For more information call Russ at 303/840-4595.

EVENTS TAKE PLACE ON SUNDAY, AUGUST 8, PROMPTLY AT 9:00 A.M. Open Team Roping will be the first event of the day with the 7 Point Roping following. The rodeo management will establish the order of the other events depending on the stock situation. The Open Barrel Race will start at 11:00 a.m. There will be a Queen's Barrel Race at approximately 12:00 noon followed by the Catch-A-Calf. The Ranch Rodeo will start at approximately 1:00 p.m.

#### General Rules:

- Late entries will be accepted with a late fee. The late fee will not be a part of the payoff. Use entry form in Fair Book. NOTE: ONLY ONE CHECK AND ONE ENTRY FORM PER TEAM. There will be a 92% payback on all purses in all events. The payback will be based on entry fees only, not on stock charges or timer charges. In most cases the payoff will be 40%, 30%, 20%, and 10%. The 8% held back will then be used towards improvements on the facilities.
- Contestants under 18 years of age will be required to have parents sign a release of responsibility.
- ALL CONTESTANTS WILL BE REQUIRED TO WEAR LONG SLEEVE SHIRTS AND A WESTERN HAT.**
- Prize money will be paid according to the number of entries in each event. Prize money must be picked up from the Arena Secretary immediately following the event.
- Elbert County Fair Board or any of their designees will not be held responsible for any losses, accidents, omissions, or errors to spectators or contestants.
- ONLY ONE RUN PER CONTESTANT PER EVENT. EXCEPT IN TEAM ROPING, A CONTESTANT MAY ENTER TWICE BUT ONLY WITH A DIFFERENT PARTNER FOR EACH RUN.
- For all events, final decision of any discrepancy lies with the Rodeo Director or his designee.
- On all junior events the maximum age is 17 years. A MINIMUM OF 5 ENTRIES TO RUN THE EVENT.

#### Roping and Barrel Racing Rules:

- USTRC rules will be followed in the team roping. OLD TIMERS rules will be followed in the other roping events except for the WOMEN'S BREAKAWAY ROPING and the LITTLE BRITCHES rules will be used in this event.
- In the Junior roping, one of the ropers may be an adult if the Junior is 13 and under.
- The runner in the ribbon roping must be female. The roper may be male or female. The roper must dismount and have their hands on the calf prior to the ribbon being pulled.
- A five second penalty for each barrel that is knocked down.

#### Ranch Rodeo Rules:

- A team will consist of four members.
- There will be a time limit of 3 minutes on each event. After 3 minutes the team will receive a "no-time". A "no-time" will not be a qualifying time for that event.
- The number of teams will be limited to 15 teams. Elbert County residents will be given preference. The 15 teams selected will be determined by a drawing if more than 15 teams enter from Elbert County. If there are less than 15 teams entered from Elbert County, the remaining slots will be drawn from teams entered outside the county.
- The events will be: Dally Team Roping, Double Mugging, Team Branding, Trailer Loading, and Team Sorting. Each team will be allowed to enter once in each event. Colorado State Fair rules will be followed in the Dally Team Roping, Double Mugging, Team Branding, and Trailer Loading.
- Team Sorting Rules - This event consists of three team sorters, all of which are on horseback. Within a three minute time limit, a team must sort three head of cattle in numeric order across the sort line. The fastest time wins. A warning will be given the team working, 30 seconds prior to the final time being called.
  - All cattle will be bunched on the cattle side of the sort line before the time begins. The flag man will raise his flag to signal when the arena is ready. The cattle number will be given by the announcer once the team has crossed the sort line. Time begins when the nose of the first rider's horse crosses the starting line. Riders may not enter or scatter the cattle at a lope. When approaching the cattle, contestants must slow their horses to a trot. "Busting" into the herd will result in a No-time.
  - Once committed to the cattle, the team is completely responsible for their animals. It is the team's responsibility to immediately pull up and call for a judge's opinion, if they feel there is a sick, blind, or injured animal in their numbered cattle. Once the cattle are worked, no excuses are accepted. If an animal leaves the arena, either over or through the fence or through a gate, the team can either be 1) disqualified for unnecessary roughness; 2) be given time on their remaining cattle; 3) be given a rerun; or 4) time stopped, cattle brought back and time resumed, starting with their existing time. The decision will be up to the judge and his decision is final.
  - Contact with cattle by hands, hats, ropes, bats, rommels, or any other equipment will be a disqualification. A team exhibiting any unnecessary roughness or roping cattle will receive a No-time. If, in the opinion of a judge, unnecessary roughness occurs, flaggers will signal an inquiry after the team finishes their run. Should the judge determine the team is guilty of unnecessary roughness, that team will be given a No-time. No hazing with whips, ropes, rommels, or hats is

permitted. Rommels or reins may only be swung or popped on chaps. If the cattle do not pass the sort line in numeric order, the team will be given a No-time.

d. A team may call for time with only one or two head sorted. However, teams sorting three head will be placed higher than those sorting two and two will be placed higher than those teams sorting one head regardless of time. A team calling for time with the wrong numbered cattle sorted will receive a No-time.

e. Once an animal has been sorted across the sort line, it must remain. If an animal crosses back to the cattle side of the sort line, the team will be disqualified.

6. Entry fee will be \$200 per team. \$55 will be withheld for office and stock charges with \$145 going into the pot.

The payoffs will be awarded based on the fastest total time over the five events. AFTER, the payoffs have been determined over five events if there are not enough teams with a qualified time in all five events, the next fastest total time over four events will be used to determine the rest of the payoffs.

The teams with the lowest time over the 5 events will determine the payoff. Payoff will be:

- 1st - 40% of pot
- 2nd - 30% of pot
- 3rd - 20% of pot
- 4th - 10% of pot

**The Rodeo events will be run as follows:  
Entry fees are per team in team events.**

Event	Stock Charge	Timer Fee	Entry Fee	Total	Late Fee
Open Team Roping	\$12.00	\$3.00	\$35.00	\$50.00 (per team)	\$15.00
7 Point Roping	\$12.00	\$3.00	\$35.00	\$50.00 (per team)	\$15.00
Junior Team Roping**	\$12.00	\$3.00	\$25.00	\$40.00 (per team)	\$15.00
Women's Breakaway Calf Roping	\$12.00	\$3.00	\$20.00	\$35.00	\$15.00
Junior Breakaway Calf Roping	\$12.00	\$3.00	\$15.00	\$30.00	\$15.00
Calf Roping (tie down)	\$12.00	\$3.00	\$20.00	\$35.00	\$15.00
Ribbon Roping	\$12.00	\$3.00	\$15.00	\$30.00 (per team)	\$15.00
Open Barrel Race		\$5.00	\$30.00	\$35.00	\$15.00
Junior Barrel Race		\$5.00	\$20.00	\$25.00	\$15.00
Queen's Barrel Race(run at approximately 12:00 Noon)					
Ranch Rodeo	\$50.00	\$5.00	\$145.00	\$200.00 (per team)	\$80.00

\*\*In Junior Roping, one roper may be adult if the Junior is 13 and under

## HIGH PLAINS FIDDLIN' AND PICKIN' FEST

Rita Cayou, Director

### Sunday, August 7, 11:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m., Open Pavilion

**Registration:** Sunday, August 7, 9:00 a.m.

**Open Stage:** 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

This event is sponsored by many community members and we thank them for their support.

Local and national fiddlers will compete for cash prizes. There will also be an accompanist competition for cash prizes.

Division	Age	Entry Fee <sup>1</sup>	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
Small Fry	9 & Under	\$5	\$25	\$15	\$10	Ribbon	Ribbon
Junior-Junior	10-12	\$8	\$50	\$25	\$10	Ribbon	Ribbon
Junior	13-17	\$12	\$75	\$50	\$25	Ribbon	Ribbon
Young Adult	18-36	\$12	\$100	\$75	\$50	Ribbon	Ribbon
Adult	37-59	\$12	\$100	\$75	\$50	Ribbon	Ribbon
Senior	60 & Over	\$12	\$100	\$75	\$50	Ribbon	Ribbon
Novice <sup>2</sup>	All Ages	\$10	Trophy	Trophy	Trophy	Trophy	Trophy
Hot Licks Pickin' Champ ionship <sup>3</sup>		\$12	\$100	\$75	\$50	Ribbon	Ribbon
No Holds Barred <sup>4</sup>	All Ages	\$12	\$200	\$150	\$100	Ribbon	Ribbon
			Jackpot	Jackpot	Jackpot	Jackpot	Jackpot

1. \$2.00 discount for pre-registration, entry fees shown are without discount. It must be received by August 4 2011.
2. Novice is all ages, but cannot have won 1st, 2nd, or 3rd in any contest. Novice competitors may NOT compete in both the Novice and age group class.
3. May enter age division or Championship – not both
4. "Jackpot" contest with entries & a pass-the-hat for the audience for combined prize money. "No Holds Barred" means ANYTHING GOES – Twin fiddles, Fancy Pickin on fiddles, any tune is allowed – this is FUN event with hot competition!
5. Each contestant plays 2 tunes. Rules available upon request. Flyers and pre-registration will be mailed out in May. Lunch break from 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. and may be purchased on or off- grounds by contestants. There will be professional judges.
6. A specific rules sheet will be available at the contest. For more information contact: Rita Cayou 303-243-0475. E-mail: rcfiddlehoss52@yahoo.com.

#### 2011 FIDDLE CONTEST SPONSORS

- Elbert County Fair Board
- Backhoe Services in Elbert
- Barr Bear Beauty Salon in Kiowa
- Botana Junction in Elizabeth
- C Lazy T Tree Movers in Elbert
- Elbert/Douglas County Fiddlers
- Elizabeth Barber Shop
- Eller Construction
- Farm Bureau Insurance in Kiowa

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 Private Donations at the Contest

## PARADE

Trevor Smith and Leslie Smith , Parade Directors  
 (303) 621-2061

### Sunday, August 7, 12:00 Noon, Downtown to Fair Grounds

Theme: Down on the Farm

To enter use entry form in fair book or call Directors. Mail deadline is Friday, July 30. Phone-in, hand carry, or e-mail deadline is Wednesday, August 4. E-mail to BVcattle\_Trevor@yahoo.com. **Two copies of typed commentary MUST accompany entry.** Check-in will be Sunday, August 8, at the Courthouse Annex at 11:00 a.m. You will receive your entry number, lineup number, and staging area when you check in. Entries will be reviewed by the Judges in front of the Courthouse, and winners will be announced in the afternoon during the Rodeo.

#### Parade Order:

Presentation of Colors  
 Sheriff's Posse  
 Fair Royalty (beginning with Elbert County Fair)  
 All other parade entries in order as designated by parade chairman at check-in

Class
Float
Horse Drawn Vehicle
Motor Vehicle
Single Rider; Riding Group
Band
Foot Group
Elbert County 4-H Clubs (any type entry)
Any Other

**Parade Route:** Parade will begin at Elbert County Courthouse; travel two blocks East on Hwy 86; turn North and travel to South gate of fairgrounds; and then pass before the Loren Green Grandstands ending at the North side of the fairgrounds.

## COSTUME PET ANIMAL CLASSES

Elbert County Cattle Women, Superintendents

### Sunday, August 7, 1:00 p.m. (approximately), Track

Pets are special and sometimes they seem almost human. Pets can be our best friends and our partners. In recognition of our best friends, this class is offered to all who have special pets or animals in their lives.

#### Rules:

1. No age limit to contestant although there will be age categories for the masters.
2. Master and contestant must be dressed for the event in any costume they so desire.
3. Pet may be a dog, cat, bird, lamb, goat, calf, waterfowl, rabbit, hamster, gerbil. Other animals must get permission in advance from the Elbert County Cattle Women.
4. Entries will be taken between 12:30 p.m. and 1:00 p.m.

Class 5301 Master under 8 years of age

Class 5302 Master between ages of 8 and 14

Class 5303 Master 15 years and older

1st through 4th

Ribbon

## CATCH-A-CALF CONTEST

Elbert/Douglas County Livestock Association, Superintendents

### Sunday, August 7, 1:00 p.m. or immediately following the Queen's Barrel Race, Track

Come watch the fun as our Elbert County youth try to catch and halter loose calves in the arena. Those who are successful will participate in this production-oriented project for the next year. The Catch-A-Calf show (exhibiting last year's successful catchers) is Thursday, August 4, after the 4-H Breeding Beef Show. Please See Open Class Premium Book, available on Website, or at Elbert County Extension Office for information on Catch-a-Calf Project.

## **RACE PROGRAM**

Phil Davis, Sue Link, and Charlie Carnahan, Race Directors

### **Sunday, August 7, 1:30 p.m. or immediately following the Grand Entry, Track**

For kids of all ages, there are contests in everything from egg toss to three-legged races. Let your kids burn off some of that energy while you enjoy the Ranch Rodeo in the arena.

## **ICE CREAM EATING CONTEST**

### **Sunday August 7, 2:00 p.m.; Ice Cream Booth near Exhibit Building**

Join us for an old-fashioned ice cream eating contest. The contest is sponsored by Rose's Creamery in Elizabeth.

## SHEEP LEAD ENTRY FORM

Mail Deadline: July 15th (Commentary MUST be turned in by Monday, August 1)

Mail To: Laurie Duke  
 32300 County Road 15  
 Elizabeth, CO 80107  
 (303) 646-4699

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Owner of Sheep \_\_\_\_\_

Type commentary on 8 1/2 X 11 paper. 1/2 page with description of outfit and 1/2 page discussing exhibitor and exhibitor's sheep background.

Class #	Description of Entry (use exact wording from Fair Book)

### SMALLFRY ANIMAL CLASSES ENTRY FORM

**ENTRIES DUE: At Check-in.** Bring form to check-in. (Will show before 4-H Showmanship class of the applicable species, except swine, which will show on Friday at 3:30 p.m. before the Adult Swine Showmanship)

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_

AGE (As of January 1, 2011) \_\_\_\_\_

Class #	Description of Entry (use exact wording from Fair Book)

#### Minor Release Form Smallfry Animal Classes

I, \_\_\_\_\_, give my permission and accept full responsibility  
 (Parent or Guardian Name)  
 for \_\_\_\_\_ to participate in the 2011 Elbert County  
 (Minor's Name)

Smallfry Animal Classes. I understand that these classes may be dangerous and in case of an accident or injury, I will not hold Elbert County, Elbert County Extension, Elbert County CattleWomen, or Elbert County Fair Board, or their designee's responsible. I further understand that the education of the "small fry" in animal welfare is the responsibility of the parent/guardian. Any violations of proper animal handling will result in intervention by the superintendent and/or ring men.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_





# ELBERT COUNTY FAIR PARADE FORM

Theme: **DOWN ON THE FARM**

Mail Deadline: Friday, July 29  
 Phone, Hand Carry, or E-mail Deadline:

Wednesday, August 3

Mail To: Trevor Smith, Parade Director  
 P.O. Box 53  
 Kiowa, CO 80117  
 (303) 517-4803  
 BVcattle\_Trevor@yahoo.com

Exhibitor's # \_\_\_\_\_

Organization or Exhibitor's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

Town \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Club \_\_\_\_\_

**Please Do Not Write in This Space**

Entry No. \_\_\_\_\_

Class \_\_\_\_\_

Staging \_\_\_\_\_

Line No. \_\_\_\_\_

Other \_\_\_\_\_

**DO NOT WRITE IN THESE SPACES**

Entry Type See Below	Award

Float
Horse Drawn Vehicle
Motor Vehicle
Single Rider; Riding Group
Band
Foot Group
Elbert County 4-H Clubs (any type entry)
Any Other

Entrants will stop in front of both the Courthouse and the Grandstand at the Fairgrounds. Commentaries will be read at these locations.

**Two copies of typed commentary MUST accompany entry**