

2025 CARROLL COUNTY 4-H & FFA FAIR

SCHEDULE AS OF 7/2/2025 (Subject to change)

July 25th - August 1st, 2025

There's no place like the Fair

June 10th

June 14th 8:00 AM

June 23rd

July 7th - July 18th

July 12th 9:00 AM

July 12th 10:00 AM

July 14th 6:00 PM

July 15th 6:00 PM

July 19th 9:00 AM

July 19th 10:00 AM

July 20th 8:00 AM

July 20th 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

July 21st 5:30 PM – 8:00 PM

July 23rd

ONLINE FAIR ENTRIES CLOSED

Archery Contest

Writing Exhibits due to the 4-H Extension Office

Vegetable, Flower & Herb Gardens Judged

Dog Show

Bicycle Contest

Swine Department Set-Up

Shipleys Arena Set-Up

Rockets Entered and Judged

Arc Welding Contest

Fair Grounds Set-up (**Exhibitors M-Z**)

Exhibitor packets & Parking passes distributed

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Inclusive Entering Day

Gesell Lot

Shipleys Arena

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Parking Lot

Finch Stage

Fair Grounds

Shipleys Arena

Shipleys Arena

Red Buildings

WEDNESDAY JULY 23, 2025

TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Art Exhibits Entered	Red Buildings
3:00 PM – 6:00 PM	Garden Products Exhibits Entered	Blizzard Building
4:00 PM – 7:00 PM	Craft Exhibits Entered	Red Buildings

THURSDAY JULY 24, 2025

TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
9:00 AM - 7:00PM	Fair Beautification Set-up (All entries must be completed by 7PM)	Fair Grounds
9:00 AM - 11:00 AM	Club Books Entered	Red Buildings
9:00 AM - 11:00 AM	Service-Learning Exhibits Entered	Red Buildings
9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Photography Exhibits Entered & Judged	Red Buildings
9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Booths & Banners Entered & Judged	Red Buildings
11:00 AM - 1:00 PM	Home Environment Exhibits Entered	Blizzard Building
11:00 AM - 1:00 PM	Family Life Exhibits Entered	Blizzard Building
1:00 PM - 3:00 PM	Shoebox Floats Exhibits Entered & Judged	Red Buildings
1:00 PM - 3:00 PM	Silk & Dried Flowers Entered	Red Buildings
2:00 PM - 4:00 PM	Plants & Flowers Exhibits Entered	Red Buildings
3:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Lost Arts Exhibits Entered & Judged	Red Buildings
5:00 PM - 7:00 PM	Natural Resources Exhibits Entered & Judged	Red Buildings
5:00 PM - 7:00 PM	General Exhibits Entered & Judged	Red Buildings

FRIDAY JULY 25, 2025

TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
8:00 AM - 10:00 AM	Dairy Goats Arrive	ShIPLEY Arena
8:00 AM - 11:00 AM	Dairy Cattle Arrive	ShIPLEY Arena
9:00 AM	Tractor Operation Contest & Certification	Gesell Lot
9:00 AM	Garden Tractor / Small Engine Operator Contest	Gesell Lot
9:00 AM - 11:00 AM	Clothing Entered & Judged	Blizzard Hall
9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Canning Entered & Judged	Red Buildings
10:00 AM	Fair Beautifications Exhibits Judged	Fair Grounds
10:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Engineering & Technology Exhibits Entered & Judged (except for robotics)	Red Buildings
10:00 AM - 3:00 PM	Poultry Exhibits Entered	Poultry Barn
12:00 PM - 3:00 PM	Mechanical Arts Exhibits Entered & Judged	Activity Tent
1:00 PM – 3:00 PM	Livestock Skill-A-Thon	Extension Office
4:00 PM	Gates open for Tractor Pull	Buck Miller Arena
5:00 PM	Tractor Pull - Farm Stock (Paid Event)	Buck Miller Arena
6:00 PM	Scholarships Awards	ShIPLEY Arena
7:00 PM	Tractor and Semi Truck Pull - Interstate Tractor Pullers (Paid Event)	Buck Miller Arena
7:30 PM	Exhibitor Dance Party	ShIPLEY Arena

SATURDAY JULY 26, 2025

TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
6:00 AM – 7:30 AM	Breeding Swine, Breeding Meat Goats & Breeding Sheep Arrive	ShIPLEY Arena
8:00 AM	Breeding Swine, Breeding Sheep, & Breeding Meat Goat Shows (show order subject to change)	ShIPLEY Arena
8:00 AM - 1:00 PM	Carroll County Farmers Market	Lower Grass Area
8:00 AM - 11:00 AM	Woodworking Exhibits Entered & Judged	Red Buildings
8:00 AM	Robotics Tournament	Activity Tent
9:00 AM - 11:00 AM	Ag Commodities Exhibits Entered	Red Buildings
9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Clover Exhibits Entered & Judged	Red Buildings
9:30 AM	Dairy Cattle Judging Contest	ShIPLEY Arena
10:00 AM – 1:00 PM	Rabbit Entries Arrive	Rabbit Barn
12:00 PM	Children's Pedal Pull Registration	ShIPLEY Arena
12:00 PM - 8:00 PM	Mechanical Bull Rides	Vendor Area
1:00 PM	Dairy Goat Show	ShIPLEY Arena
1:00 PM	Children's Pedal Pull	ShIPLEY Arena
2:30 PM	Clover Food Exhibits Bake Sale	Red Buildings
4:00 PM	Gates open for Grain Truck Races & Dirt Drag Racing	Buck Miller Arena
4:00 PM	Family Fun Fest	Activity Tent
5:00 PM	Vintage Grain Truck & Dirt Drag Racing (Paid Event)	Buck Miller Arena
7:00 PM	Gravy	Activity Tent
7:00 PM	Champions of Challenge	ShIPLEY Arena
7:30 PM	Bedtime Stories	ShIPLEY Tent

SUNDAY JULY 27, 2025

TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
6:30 AM – 9:00 AM	Market Goat & Market Sheep Arrive	ShIPLEY Arena
8:30 AM	Dairy Cattle Show	ShIPLEY Arena
9:00 AM	Market Sheep & Market Goat Weigh-in	ShIPLEY Arena
9:00 AM	Tractor Stoll & Display	Buck Miller Arena
10:00 AM	Jr. Fair Board - Fair Tours	Fair Grounds
10:00 AM	Rabbit Showmanship	Rabbit Barn
10:00 AM – 11:00 AM	Small Pets Exhibits Entered & Judged (Released immediately after being judged)	Red Buildings
10:00 AM	Car Show	Parking Lot
10:00 AM	Automotive Contest	Gesell Lot
11:00 AM	Bluegrass Festival	Activity Tent
12:00 PM – 6:00 PM	Mobil Glass Studio	Vendor Area
12:00 PM – 8:00 PM	Mechanical Bull Rides	Vendor Area
12:00 PM	Children's Pedal Pull Registration	ShIPLEY Arena
1:00 PM	Children's Pedal Pull	ShIPLEY Arena
2:00 PM	Bluegrass Festival	Activity Tent
2:00 PM	Poultry Clover Show	Poultry Barn
4:00 PM	Clover Small Pet Show	ShIPLEY Arena
5:00 PM	Jr. Fair Board - Fair Tours	Fair Grounds
5:00 PM	Small Animal Dress-Up	ShIPLEY Arena
6:00 PM	Parade Line Up	Landon C Burns Park
7:00 PM	Parade	Fair Grounds
7:30 PM	Bedtime Stories	ShIPLEY Tent
8:00 PM	Barnyard Olympics	Buck Miller Arena

MONDAY JULY 28, 2025

TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
6:00 AM – 8:00 AM	Beef Heifer Animals Arrive	Shipley Arena
8:00 AM	Chamber of Commerce Breakfast	Burns Hall
8:00 AM	English Horse Show	Horse Rings
8:00 AM	Rabbit Bred by Exhibitor	Rabbit Barn
9:00 AM	Poultry Exhibits Judged	Poultry Barn
9:30 AM	Rabbit & Cavy Show	Rabbit Barn
9:30 AM	Clover Rabbit & Cavy Show (including Showmanship)	Rabbit Barn
9:30 AM	Beef Heifer Show	Shipley Arena
10:00 AM	Jr. Fair Board - Fair Tours	Fair Grounds
12:00 PM – 8:00 PM	Mechanical Bull Rides	Vendor Area
1:00 PM	Poultry Showmanship Contest	Poultry Barn
2:00 PM – 8:00 PM	Mobil Glass Studio	Vendor Area
4:00 PM	Sheep Showmanship	Shipley Arena
5:00 PM	Jr. Fair Board - Fair Tours	Fair Grounds
5:00 PM – 9:00 PM	Market Swine Arrive & Weigh-in	Shipley Arena
5:00 PM	Mini Fashion Review	Activity Tent
6:00 PM	Market Sheep Show	Shipley Arena
6:00 PM	Barrel Racing	Buck Miller Arena
7:00 PM	100 Proof Band	Activity Tent
7:30 PM	Bedtime Stories	Shipley Tent

TUESDAY JULY 29, 2025

TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
6:30 AM – 8:00 AM	Market Beef & Market Dairy Steers Arrive	ShIPLEY Arena
7:00 AM – 8:30 AM	Beef Steer & Dairy Steer Weigh In	ShIPLEY Arena
9:00 AM - 2:00 PM	Children's Day Activities	Vendor Area
9:00 AM	Swine Showmanship	ShIPLEY Arena
10:00 AM	Jr. Fair Board - Fair Tours	Fair Grounds
12:00 PM – 8:00 PM	Mechanical Bull Rides	Vendor Area
2:00 PM – 8:00 PM	Mobil Glass Studio	Vendor Area
5:00 PM	Jr. Fair Board - Fair Tours	Fair Grounds
5:00 PM	Market Goat Showmanship & Market Show	ShIPLEY Arena
6:00 PM	Touch-a-Truck	Buck Miller Arena
6:00 PM	Salem Bottom Boys	Activity Tent
7:30 PM	Bedtime Stories	ShIPLEY Tent

WEDNESDAY JULY 30, 2025

TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
8:00 AM	Western Horse Show	Horse Rings
8:00 AM – 1:00 PM	Indoor Buildings Closed for Judging	Indoor Buildings
8:00 AM – 11:00 AM	Food Exhibits Entered (<i>Absolutely no entries allowed after 11:00 AM</i>)	Burns Hall & Ext. Office
10:00 AM	Jr. Fair Board - Fair Tours	Fair Grounds
10:00 AM	Livestock Judging Contest	ShIPLEY Arena
10:30 AM	Poultry Skill-a-thon Contest	Ext. Office Basement
12:00 PM – 8:00 PM	Mechanical Bull Rides	Vendor Area
1:00 PM	Indoor Buildings Open to the Public	Indoor Buildings
2:00 PM – 8:00 PM	Mobil Glass Studio	Vendor Area
3:00 PM	Shepherds Lead Contest	ShIPLEY Arena
5:00 PM	Jr. Fair Board - Fair Tours	Fair Grounds
5:00 PM – 5:30 PM	Exhibitor Pre-Bake Sale (items not included in Auction, must have Claim Check to purchase)	Red Buildings
5:00 PM	Market Swine Show	ShIPLEY Arena
5:30 PM - 9:00 PM	Inside Bake Sale (items not included in Auction)	Red Buildings
6:00 PM	Horse Pull	Buck Miller Arena
7:00 PM	Cake Auction	Activity Tent
7:30 PM	Bedtime Stories	ShIPLEY Tent

THURSDAY JULY 31, 2025

TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
7:30 AM - 8:30 AM	Senior (60+) Exhibits Entered	Burns Hall
9:00 AM - 11:00 AM	Senior Exhibits Judged	Burns Hall
9:00 AM	Beef Cattle Showmanship	ShIPLEY Arena
10:00 AM	Jr. Fair Board - Fair Tours	Fair Grounds
10:00 AM	Poultry Judging Contest	Ext. Office Basement
11:30 AM	Senior Exhibits - Open to Public	Burns Hall
12:00 PM – 8:00 PM	Mechanical Bull Rides	Vendor Area
12:30 PM - 1:30 PM	Senior Day Entertainment	Activity Tent
1:00 PM	Written Rabbit Judging Contest	
2:00 PM – 8:00 PM	Mobil Glass Studio	Vendor Area
2:00 PM	Carroll County Cloggers	Activity Tent
4:00 PM	Dairy Steer Show	ShIPLEY Arena
5:00 PM	Jr. Fair Board - Fair Tours	Fair Grounds
5:00 PM	Farm Bureau – Barnyard Olympics	ShIPLEY Tent
6:00 PM	Market Steer Show	ShIPLEY Arena
6:00 PM	Indoor Awards Ceremony	Extension Office
6:30 PM	Poultry Awards Program	Extension Office
7:00 PM	39 North	Activity Tent
7:00 PM	Skid Steer Rodeo	Buck Miller Arena
7:30 PM	Bedtime Stories	ShIPLEY Tent
11:00 PM	All animals not in the Livestock Sale off Premises	ShIPLEY Arena

FRIDAY AUGUST 1, 2025

TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
9:00 AM	All Star Showmanship Contest	Shipley Tent
10:00 AM	<i>Jr. Fair Board - Fair Tours</i>	<i>Fair Grounds</i>
12:00 PM – 8:00 PM	<i>Mechanical Bull Rides</i>	<i>Vendor Area</i>
1:00 PM - 2:00 PM	Senior Citizen Exhibits Released	Burns Hall
4:30 PM	Silent Auction Closed	Shipley Arena
5:00 PM	Livestock Sale	Shipley Arena
5:00 PM	Gates open for Motorcycle Races	Buck Miller Arena
6:00 PM	Silent Auction Winners Posted	Shipley Arena
6:00 PM	<i>Motorcycle Races</i>	<i>Buck Miller Arena</i>
7:30 PM	<i>The Nathan Bartgis Band</i>	<i>Activity Tent</i>
9:00 PM	Rabbits Released	Rabbit Barn
9:00 PM	<i>Raffle Drawing Winner Announced</i>	<i>Information Booth</i>

SATURDAY AUGUST 2, 2025

TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
7:00 AM	All Livestock Sale animals off Premises	ShIPLEY Arena
8:00 AM - 1:00 PM	Carroll County Farmers Market	Lower Grass Area
8:00 AM – 9:30 AM	Poultry Exhibits Released & Barn Clean Up	Poultry Barn
9:00 AM - 11:00 AM	Indoor Exhibits Released	Indoor Buildings
9:00 AM	ShIPLEY Arena Clean Up	ShIPLEY Arena
9:00 AM	Fair Grounds Clean-up (Exhibitors A-L)	Fair Grounds
10:00 AM	Indoor Buildings Tear Down & Fair Clean Up (Exhibitors A-L)	Indoor Buildings
4:00 PM	<i>Payload</i>	<i>Activity Tent</i>
4:00 PM	Gates open for Car Demolition Derby	Buck Miller Arena
6:00 PM	<i>Car Demolition Derby (Paid Event)</i>	<i>Buck Miller Arena</i>

SUNDAY AUGUST 3, 2025

TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
***FOR EVERY EXHIBITOR - Following exhibit release, Fair Clean Up begins and continues until Fair Grounds is returned to Pre-Fair Conditions.		

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 6, 2025

TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
7:30 PM	Fair Evaluation Meeting Open to All	Extension Office

(Schedule Subject to Change without notice)