

Baltimore County 4-H Fair
(1964-2026)

Fair Schedule

Saturday - July 11th, 2026

Closed to the Public -

All exhibitors to help with set-up

Event	Location	Start Time	End Time
Fair Set-up	Cow Palace	9:00AM	1:00PM

Tuesday - July 14th, 2026

Closed to the Public

Event	Location	Start Time	End Time
Indoor & Club Exhibits Received (EXCEPT the Foods Department)	South Cow Palace	3:00PM	7:30PM
Beef/Dairy Steer/Dairy/Goat/Sheep/Swine Received and check-in with livestock superintendent	South Cow Palace	8:00AM	8:00PM
Weigh-in	Scales	5:00PM	9:00PM
Poultry and Rabbit Exhibits Received	South Cow Palace	3:00PM	6:00PM
Indoor Judge and Helper Dinner	South Cow Palace	5:00PM	7:30PM
Indoor Exhibits Closed for Judging	South Cow Palace	7:30PM	
All Livestock Exhibitors Meeting/Overnight Orientation	Show Ring 1	9:30PM	

Wednesday July 15th, 2026

12:00PM to 10PM

Event	Location	Start Time	End Time
Youth Corn Hole Tournament	South Cow Palace	12:00PM	2:00PM
Show Clinic	Show Ring 1	2:00PM	3:00PM
Small Engines and Garden Tractor Contest	TBD	4:00PM	6:00PM
Bicycle Contest	TBD	6:00PM	
Swine Show	Show Ring 1	6:00PM	9:00PM
Celebrity Swine Show	Show Ring 1	7:30PM	

Thursday July 16th, 2026

10:00AM-10:00PM

Event	Location	Start Time	End Time
Food Exhibits Received	South Cow Palace	8:30AM	10:30AM
Dairy Goat Show	Show Ring 1	10:00AM	12:00PM
Gellyball	TBD	10:00AM	8:00PM
Fashion Revue Judging	TBD	11:00 AM	1:00PM
Dog Show	Dog Ring	12:00PM	2:00PM
Market and Breeding Lamb Show	Show Ring 1	1:00PM	3:00PM
Breeding and Meat Goat Show	Show Ring 1	3:00PM	4:30PM
Fashion Revue and Awards	Center Stage	5:00PM	6:00PM
Cat Cage Decoration Judging	South Cow Palace	5:00PM	5:45PM
Picnic Supper	Center Stage	6:00PM	7:00PM
Cake Auction	Center Stage	7:00PM	8:30PM
Youth Entertainment	South Cow Palace	8:30PM	9:30PM



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Friday July 17th, 2026
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Event	Location	Start Time	End Time
Poultry Show/Judging	Poultry Pens	TBD	
Horse Show	Horse Ring	8:00AM	
Livestock Skillathon	TBD	9:00AM	11:00AM
Ice cream Contest	Center Stage	10:00AM	11:00AM
Gellyball	TBD	10:00AM	8:00PM
Wool Sheep Show	Show Ring 1	11:00AM	11:30AM
Shepherd's Lead	Show Ring 1	12:00PM	12:30PM
Plant Swap	South Cow Palace	12:30PM	2:00PM
Dairy Steer Show	Show Ring 1	2:00PM	2:30PM
Beef Show	Show Ring 1	2:30PM	5:30PM
Rabbit Hopping	South Cow Palace	3:00PM	4:00PM
Cavy Exhibits Received	South Cow Palace	4:00PM	6:00PM
Rabbit and Cavy Showmanship and Written Test	South Cow Palace	4:30PM	6:00PM
Battle of the Beast	Show Ring 1	6:00PM	8:00PM
Bingo	Center Stage	7:00PM	9:00PM
Line Dancing	TBD	8:00PM	10:00PM

Saturday July 18th, 2026
8:00AM-10:00PM

Event	Location	Start Time	End Time
Dairy Heifer Show	Show Ring 1	8:00AM	10:00AM
Cats Received	South Cow Palace	9:00AM	10:00AM
Robotics	Center Stage	10:00AM	11:00AM
Animal Costume Contest	Show Ring 1	10:00AM	11:00AM
Rabbit and Cavy Show	South Cow Palace	11:30AM	2:00PM
Pedal Tractor Pull	TBD	12:00PM	2:00PM
Cat Show	South Cow Palace	1:30PM	2:30PM
Clover Pet Parade	TBD	2:00PM	3:00PM
Showmanship Showdown	Show Ring 1	2:00PM	4:00PM
Corn Hole Tournament	South Cow Palace	4:30PM	7:00PM
Entertainment (Live Music)	South Cow Palace	5:00PM	7:00PM
Livestock Buyers Reception	South Cow Palace	5:30PM	6:45PM
Livestock Auction	Center Stage	7:00PM	8:30PM
4-H Youth Entertainment	TBD	8:30PM	9:30PM
ALL ANIMALS ARE RELEASED AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE LIVESTOCK AUCTION			

Sunday July 19th, 2026
Closed to the Public - 8:00AM-12:00PM

Event	Location	Start Time	End Time
Mandatory Fair Clean-up/Indoor Exhibits Released	South Cow Palace	8:00AM	12:00PM

