



2016 Van Buren County Fair & Livestock Show

Country Roots and Cowboy Boots

Schedule of Events—SEPTEMBER 10—17



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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8 & FRIDAY,

SEPTEMBER 9

6—8 p.m. Fair Queen registration/practice (GW Building)

Deadline for registration is Friday, September 9th @8 p.m. (FORMS @ SEW WHAT SEWING—745-8100)

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

9 a.m.-10 a.m. Horses for horse show halter classes may arrive. Coggins papers will be checked and horses need to be checked in with Livestock Superintendent.

11 a.m. Judging horse show halter classes.

VBC FAIR PAGEANTS (GW BLDG.):

2 p.m. Baby Pageant (birth—4 yrs.)

4 p.m. Elementary Pageant (5—12 yrs.)

5 p.m. Rodeo Queen (birth to 12 yrs.)

7 p.m. Junior/Miss Queens (13—21 yrs.)

Junior & Senior Rodeo Queen (13—16 yrs. & 17—24 yrs.)

Mrs. VBC Fair Queens (40 and up)

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

8 a.m.—6 p.m. Reg. dairy, reg. meat & market goats, market lambs, breeding sheep & commercial ewes may arrive.

9 a.m.—6 p.m. Enter Creative Arts exhibits at GW Bldg.)

(including all food items and Cookie Jars to the G.W. Bldg.)

9 a.m.—6 p.m. Commercial exhibits set up

DAILEY EVENTS FOR TUESDAY—SATURDAY

GW Building opens TUESDAY Sept. 13th after 3 p.m.

GW Building open daily Wed.—Sat. 9 a.m.—9 p.m.

11 a.m. Kitchen concession opens

4 p.m.—9 p.m. Gate admission starts (Wed.—Fri., 2—9 Sat.)

12 noon—9 p.m. Saturday

ADMISSION— \$3.00 per person over 5 years, FREE under 4 years

DRAWING FOR \$100 CASH (at 9:15 p.m., MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN—tickets FREE with GATE admission)

4 p.m.—9 p.m. Commercial Exhibit Building open (noon to 9 p.m. on Saturday)

5 p.m.—9 p.m. Farmer For a Day (10 a.m.—9 p.m. Sat. Sept. 17)

6—10 p.m. CARNIVAL OPENS (\$10 Armbands WED. ON-LY)

6—10 p.m. Carnival (\$15 THURS. & FRI.)

4—10 p.m. Carnival (\$15 Armbands SAT.)

6 p.m. Weigh in market goats, market lambs, and commercial ewes

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

9 a.m.—3 p.m. GW Building CLOSED for Judging

Noon Food Preparation baked good items sale in kitchen

5 p.m. Judging reg. goats, market lambs, breeding sheep & commer-

cial ewes

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

9 a.m. Poultry & rabbits may arrive

6:30—8:30 p.m. Rocky & Mandy Thomas with Rapid Fire Ministries

6 p.m. Weighing of market hogs, commercial gilts, county barrows, market steers & commercial heifers

6 p.m. Youth Talent rehearsal, GW Building

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

8:30 a.m. Students tour grounds

6 p.m. Judging open beef cattle

6:30 p.m. Judging Junior & open dairy cattle

7 p.m. Judging Junior market hogs

7:30 p.m. Boot Scoot Line Dance outside

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16—SCHOOL BUS DAY***

Students tour the fairgrounds

3 p.m. Judging poultry and rabbits

6 p.m. Judging Junior breeding beef—commercial

7:00 p.m. Community Band—Dixieland & Jazz

8 P.M. Judging Junior breeding swine: county bred barrows and Junior commercial gilts

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

10 a.m. Livestock Premium Auction, polutry auction to follow

**** Cookie Jars Auctioned for local scholarships by VBC Fair to County high school seniors*** 2016 recipients: Peyton Loeschner from Shirley High School, Clay Evans from South Side High School**

11:30 a.m. Presenting Herdsman Awards

12 Noon **SALUTE TO VETERANS** (featuring Bag Piper Doug Young)

2 p.m. Strut Your Mutt—outdoor stage

4 p.m. Political Auction benefiting Scholarships

4 p.m. Best of the Best Showmanship Contest

6 p.m. **YOUTH TALENT CONTEST** in G.W. Building

7:30 p.m. Boot Scoot Line Dance for Trophy (outside)

8 p.m. Release of Livestock

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

1—3 p.m. Pick up all Creative Arts Exhibits and Premium Checks

FOR MORE INFO:

General info—Corrine, 253-1190

Exhibit info—Phyllis, 723-4507

Commercial Exhibit—Cal, 745-2436

Livestock info—Wesley, 501-765-6885

Youth Talent—Alice, 253-2455

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