



New Mexico State Fair
September 5 - 15, 2019

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Parking Permits and Passes:

Youth entering on-line will need to order parking permits and to purchase exhibitor passes on-line. Exhibitors will be able to purchase passes until August 1st, 2019. Youth entering via mail will order parking permits and passes on the entry form (excluding Exhibitors in the Junior Market Divisions). Permits will then be mailed to the Youth and their Families. Parking permits will be issued for Junior Week, September 5th-15th, 2019.

Parking Permit:

Youth that are exhibiting animals at the 2018 New Mexico State Fair may purchase a parking pass valid at Gate 6 (\$40.00). **Parking space is based on availability.**

Unlawfully Parked Vehicles:

Any motor vehicle which is unlawfully parked is subject to wheel booting immobilization by New Mexico State Fair personnel. An immobilization notice will be placed on your windshield. Upon payment of a One-hundred fifty dollar (\$150.00) wheel boot removal fee, the wheel boot mechanism will be removed promptly as reasonable. Where the owner or operator of a wheel booted vehicle fails to make all payments within twenty-four (24) hours from the time the vehicle is wheel booted, said vehicle becomes subject to being towed. Once a vehicle has been wheel booted and subsequently towed, the registered driver/owner will be responsible for all fees incurred (including wheel boot removal fee, towing and storage fee). Any person(s) who tampers with or damages an immobilizer wheel boot will be responsible for an immobilizer wheel boot replacement cost of Five-hundred dollars (\$500.00) and face criminal charges.

Assigned Gate Entry:

All livestock will be admitted to the Fairgrounds at **Gate 6 only**. Special parking facilities will be provided for livestock trailers. Immediately after unloading all trailers must be moved. Location will be announced.

Passes & Fees:

Exhibitors must have an exhibitors pass to enter Gate 6 – Junior Week pass fees are \$15.00 for livestock exhibitors/adults, and children 5 & under are free.

Parking Permits for Poultry and Rabbit Exhibitors:

Poultry and Rabbit exhibitors must purchase a daily parking pass for \$7.00 upon receipt of valid entry. Parking permits will be issued but these permits do not guarantee a parking space as parking is based on availability.

Dorms

Leon H. Harms Youth Hall

1. Facilities:

The dormitories have beds, mattresses, showers and lavatories. Leaders and youth staying in the dormitories must bring all bedding (sheets, pillows, blankets), towels, soap, coat hangers, clothing racks, and other personal belongings.

2. Who May Stay In Dormitories?

4-H and FFA exhibitors or 4-H and FFA youth who are participating in contests or educational activities at the Fair, County Agents and Agricultural Education Advisors. Local leaders and parents of participating 4-H and FFA exhibitors serving as chaperones must stay in Youth Hall. If space is available, parents who are not chaperones may stay in the Youth Hall. No children under (6) six years of age will be allowed to stay in dormitories.

3. Registration:

Dormitory registration forms and payment are due August 1, 2019.

Cost: Dormitory rate, \$55.00 full week or daily rate of \$15.00.

Registration Procedure: County Agents and Agricultural Education Advisors will submit a group form for the exhibitors from their county or chapter sent electronically by the Livestock Office. Adults will be restricted to a number necessary for chaperoning and will be identified by the County Agent or Agriculture Education Advisors.

Please Send Dormitory Reservations To:

NMSF-Livestock Office, PO Box 8546, Albuquerque, NM 87198 by August 1, 2019.

4. Dormitories:

Open: Thursday, September 5th, 2019 at 5:00 pm

Close: Friday, September 13th, 2019 at 10:00 am

For Queen Contestants:

Open: Wednesday, September 11th, 2019 at 9:00 am

Close: Sunday, September 15th, 2019 at 10:00 am

Check In / Check Out: One central check-in desk will be utilized for both 4-H and FFA. The desk will be open between 8:00 am to 5:00 pm, each evening. When departing; groups and individuals shall check out with the person in charge.

5. Hours:

All adults and youth staying in the dorm must be in by 10:00 pm. Lights must be out at 10:30 pm, out of respect to others. **Adult chaperones will be responsible to see that all members are in by the closing time.** Persons who violate this rule will be expected to find other living accommodations for the remainder of the State Fair. Last night violators will forfeit Youth Hall privileges for the next year. Dorm passes will be

available at the registration desk for those adults and exhibitors who will be involved with valid livestock security work after curfew hours. Passes must be picked up by 10:00 pm each evening by the adult chaperone.

6. Dormitory Rules:

Youth with dormitory privileges shall cooperate with the State Fair Management to make their visit to the Fair of greatest value to all concerned. Advisors, agents and leaders are responsible for the conduct of their group at all times. The Youth Hall Building Management reserves the right to dismiss individuals or groups who do not conduct themselves properly. A Chaperone must accompany a child in the dorms at all times. **Lights out @ 10:30 pm; out of respect to others.**

NO appliances (refrigerators, microwaves, toasters, hot plates, coffee pots, etc.) will be allowed.

NO clothes, sheets or blankets hanging from rafters or bed sides will be allowed.

NO moving of the beds will be allowed.

NO skateboards, bikes, roller blades, roller skates or scooters are allowed in the dorm courtyard.

ALL clothing and other personal belongings must be properly stored and/or placed on the beds due to fire code.

NO youth may stay in the dorms without proper permission from County Agents/FFA Advisors.

NO use of alcohol or any other kind of drug is allowed.

If An Exhibitor, Chaperone, Parent or Supervisor is caught partaking of such substance, they will be dismissed from the dorms and New Mexico State Police may be called.

NO damaging facilities or equipment. Individuals damaging facilities or equipment will be required to make financial restitution.

NO pets will be allowed.

7. Delinquent Acts:

If an exhibitor is caught having any involvement in any such delinquent act they may be removed from the grounds forfeiting any further competition, awards, premiums, sale slots and/or proceeds. Fees will not be reimbursed and the exhibitor may be barred from future competition at the New Mexico State Fair. Delinquent Acts include but are not limited to vandalism, use of alcohol or drugs, and aggressive or violent behavior.

8. Responsibility:

Expo New Mexico does not assume any responsibility for an accident, illness, or loss of property caused by a person staying in the youth hall. At the request of the State Fire Marshall, anyone staying in the dorms including Exhibitors, Chaperones, Parents, Supervisors and others must attend a mandatory safe evacuation procedure meeting. Anyone failing to attend will be asked to leave the dorms. After completion of the meeting, all dorm occupants will be required to sign a statement of completion of training.

Fees

Youth Hall Dorms

Dormitory - Full Week (See Leon Harms Rule #3)	\$55.00
Dormitory – Daily Rate (See Leon Harms Rule #3)	\$15.00

Parking

Jr. Week Parking Permit - Valid at Gate 6	\$40.00
Jr. Dairy Cattle Parking Permit - Duration of show - Gate 6	\$40.00
Jr. Dairy Goats Parking Permit - Duration of show – Gate 6	\$40.00
Jr. Dog Show Parking	\$ 7.00
Shepherds & Sheep Wool Lead Parking	\$ 7.00

Exhibitor Pass

Livestock Exhibitor Admission Pass	\$15.00
Children 5 & Under	FREE

Entry Fees

4-H Dog Show - Per Class	\$ 5.00
FFA Agriculture Mechanics	\$ 5.00
Jr. Breeding Heifers - Per Head	\$20.00
Jr. Dairy Cattle - Per Head	\$20.00
Jr. Dairy Goats - Per Head	\$15.00
Jr. Market Barrows - Per Head	\$15.00
Jr. Market Steers - Per Head	\$20.00
Jr. Market Goats - Per Head	\$15.00
Jr. Market Lambs - Per Head	\$15.00
Jr. Replacement Dairy Cattle - Per Head	\$20.00
Shepherds & Sheep Wool Lead	\$10.00
Showmanship - Per Class	\$ 5.00

Poultry & Rabbit Entry Fees

Jr. Poultry - Single Bird	\$ 3.00
Jr. Poultry - Breeding Pen	\$ 5.00

Jr. Rabbit - Single, Fur Or Meat Classes	\$ 3.00
Jr. Rabbit - Meat Pen	\$ 5.00

Poultry & Rabbit Parking Fees

Daily Gate 6 Pass	\$ 7.00
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Poultry, Rabbit, 4-H Dog Show & Shepherd & Sheep Lead Exhibitor Fees - Per Show Day

Exhibitor Pass	\$ 5.00
Children 5 & Under	FREE

Entry

All applications for entry, not made on-line, MUST be made out on current/official New Mexico State Fair entry forms in accordance with instructions on same, and include all necessary information. A separate entry form for each exhibitor and each species entered must be filled out. Special care should be taken in filling out entry forms. Please make sure all information is correct and a social security number is listed. All applicable signatures must be completed. Entry fees must be included. If not complete or correct, entry will be considered invalid and returned. In all cases, the management reserves the right to reject, accept or accept conditionally, an application for entry, and does not guarantee stall space.

Shipping of Exhibits

Unless otherwise specified in special rules, exhibits shipped by mail or express should be addressed to the department in which they are entered, in care of the New Mexico State Fair, 300 San Pedro Blvd. NE - Gate 6, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87108 (505) 222-9700.

Claiming Exhibits

At the close of the Fair, all exhibits must be claimed by the exhibitor or by parties representing the exhibitor. Those in charge will assume no responsibility for exhibits left on the Fairgrounds after the close of the Fair unless definite mailing instructions have been left with the Superintendent of the department.

Animals shown in the junior division may be entered and shown in the open classes. Exhibitors must abide by Open Division guidelines. Entry fees must be paid in both divisions, and open division arrival & release times must be observed. See open rules and schedules in appropriate breed classification in the Open Livestock Section.

Judging Competition Presentation

If requested by an NMSF official or Judging Contest Superintendent, all exhibitors agree to present their animal for use in the Judging Competition held on Thursday, September 12th, 2019 at 1:00 pm. This will include Jr. Livestock Sale animals.

Presentation of Grand Champions & Reserve Grand Champions at Rodeo

At the discretion of Show Management Grand Champions and Reserve Grand Champions of each species may be presented at the rodeo. Superintendents will provide the rodeo announcer with information on the winners.

Release Forms:

Once an exhibitor obtains a written release, they may leave the grounds at any time two (2) hours after completion of the show for each species if exhibitor's animal is not eligible for the Jr. Livestock Sale.

LEON H. HARMS MEMORIAL AWARD

This award will be presented to a FFA or 4-H member exhibiting in the Beef, Lamb, Barrow, Dairy Cattle, Market Goat and Dairy Goat Divisions at the New Mexico State Fair. This award may be won only once. All FFA and 4-H members exhibiting in the Junior Livestock classes are eligible. Selection will be based on exhibit achievements, cooperation with State Fair and Organizational Officials, showmanship abilities as shown by care and fitting of animals, training, and conduct in show ring, care of stall and tack room. Winners will be selected under the direction of the Superintendents in each of the six divisions.

Events

Junior Livestock Sale

12:00 pm Friday, September 13th, 2019 • Location - Box Car Stage
Please See Division 38

The State Fair Commission and the FFA and 4-H Youth invite all prospective buyers of livestock in the Junior Livestock Sale to join them Friday, September 13th, 2019 at 12:00 pm.

FFA RED BARN

Please visit our free, special exhibit of young animals that are shown in a structure representing the wonderful, traditional "Red Barn" of fame in the heartland of American farms. Under the supervision of FFA officials, animal families will be shown for the enlightenment and enjoyment of young and adult visitors who think of the delights of the old Red Barn with sentimental attachment.

The Red Barn is located on Main Street just across from the Leon Harms Youth Hall.

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**** LIVESTOCK JUDGING CONTEST ****

The 2018 State Fair Livestock Judging Contest will be on **Thursday, September 12, 2019 at 1:00 P.M.** For more information, please contact Tracy Drummond at (575) 533-6430.

Contestants will meet in the stands at the Beef Barn Arena. Contestants will use judging cards that will be provided.

There will be three divisions Novice, Junior, and Senior. Each division will judge classes in swine, cattle, sheep and goats if available.

The Novice, Junior, and Senior divisions will be in the age groups according to the 4-H rules. Only seniors will give reasons (3 sets).

The top 10 seniors, juniors and novices will receive a jacket. The high point individual in each of the youth divisions will also receive a belt buckle. The high point senior in oral reasons will also receive a belt buckle.