



Important Dates and Deadlines for the 2023 Fair, Livestock Show, & Rodeo

# Rodeo Masquerade 2023



September

Saturday, September 10, 2022  
Tuesday, September 13, 2022

Steer Validation 8:00AM-10:00AM Fairgrounds  
MC Board of Directors Meeting – To be put on the agenda -Please email office

October

Tuesday, October 11, 2022  
Sunday, October 30, 2022

MC Board of Directors Meeting – To be put on the agenda -Please email office  
Shrimp Fry Scholarship Fundraiser 11:00AM-2:00PM – Drive Thru - Pick up Only

November

Tuesday, November 8, 2022  
Saturday, November 12, 2022

MC Board of Directors Meeting – To be put on the agenda -Please email office  
Lamb and Goat Validation 8:00AM-9:30AM Fairgrounds Special Events Facility & 1<sup>st</sup> Steer Clinic – 9:00AM Indoor Arena

December

Tuesday, December 6, 2022  
Tuesday, December 13, 2022  
Saturday, December 3, 2022

Annual Christmas Chili Mixer & Membership Meeting Members - MPB  
MC Board of Directors Meeting – To be put on the agenda -Please email office  
Swine Validation 6:30AM-9:00AM Fairgrounds & 2<sup>nd</sup> Steer Clinic – 9:00AM Indoor Arena

January

Saturday, January 7, 2023  
Tuesday, January 10, 2023  
Monday, January 16, 2023  
Friday, January 20, 2023  
Thursday, January 19 2023  
Sunday, January 22, 2023  
Week of - January 23- 27, 2023

3<sup>rd</sup> Steer Clinic – 9:00AM Indoor Arena  
MC Board of Directors Meeting – To be put on the agenda -Please email office  
Scholarship Applications Due at noon in the Fair Office @ Noon  
Poultry Pickup, Holding Pen 3:30PM-4:00PM  
Home Economics Entry Forms Due in the Extension Office by 5:00PM & Calf Scramble Forms due in the Extension Office by 5:00PM  
Junior Fair Board Meeting Multi-Purpose Building -Fairgrounds  
Royalty Applications being accepted in the Fair Office - Application will be accepted from 8:30AM to 3:00PM Monday-Thursday  
Applications close at noon on Friday, January 27, 2023  
Team Roping Books open 9:00AM to 3:00PM Fair Office (01-23-23-02-10-23)  
Academic Rodeo Applications due at Noon in the Fair Office  
Meat Pen Rabbit Validation (Fairgrounds), 4:00 – 5:30PM Holding Pen Building  
Bucket Calf entry deadline at 3:00 PM @ Fair Office & Home Economics - Late entry deadline, 5:00PM in the Extension Office  
All Royalty Applications due by Noon in the Fair Office  
Livestock Committee Meeting - 6:00PM Holding Pen For agenda -please email office

Monday, January 23, 2023  
Tuesday, January 24, 2023  
Wednesday, January 25, 2023  
Thursday, January 26, 2023  
Friday, January 27, 2023  
Tuesday, January 31, 2023

February

Wednesday, February 1, 2023

Agriculture Mechanics Applications Due Noon in the Fair Office & Mutton Bustin Applications will be accepted starting at 8:30AM

	In the Fair Office - Only the first 45 completed applications will be accepted. 4 <sup>th</sup> Steer Showmanship Clinic (Fairgrounds), 9:00AM
Saturday, February 4, 2023	
Tuesday, February 7, 2023	MC Board of Directors Meeting – To be put on the agenda -Please email office
Thursday, February 9, 2023	Talent Show & Public Speaking Applications Due at noon in the Fair Office
Friday, February 10, 2023	Team Roping Books Close - 3:00PM & The Royalty Pageant Contest @ 7:00 Van Vleck High School Auditorium
Saturday, February 11, 2023	Texas Longhorn Show and Halter Heifer Show – Indoor Arena/Steer Barn 9:00AM
Sunday, February 12, 2023	Scholarship Interviews starting at 1:00PM in the Fair Office
Wednesday, February 15, 2023	Wild Cow Saddling Applications due in the Fair Office by Noon
Friday, February 17, 2023	Local Ladies Barrel Race and BBQ Cook-off
Saturday, February 18, 2023	BBQ Cook-off, Rodeo Queen Pageant, 9:00AM, Youth Team Penning 2:00PM, Adult Team Penning 4:00PM, Ranch Rodeo 5:30PM Wild Cow Saddling (following Ranch Rodeo)
Sunday, February 19, 2023	Academic Rodeo – 1:00PM Multi-Purpose Building – Fairgrounds & Local Team Roping @ 2:00 Indoor Arena
Monday, February 20, 2023	Kids Coloring Contest Applications Due in the Fair Office by 3:00PM
Saturday, February 25, 2023	Commercial Heifer Show 8:00AM, Awards at noon, Sale at 1:00PM, Home Economics Champion Auction following Heifer Auction Concert TBA in November @ 8:00PM
Sunday, February 26, 2023	Talent Show and Public Speaking 1:00PM Van Vleck High School Auditorium & Agriculture Mechanics check in 3:00PM –6:00PM Agriculture Mechanics Record Books Judging
Monday, February 27, 2023	Agriculture Mechanics Show 8:00AM
Tuesday, February 28, 2023	<i>Meat Pen Rabbit Show Judging &amp; Showmanship 7:00AM In line by 730AM</i> <i>Vendor Check in – 8:00AM – 8:00PM</i> <i>Sr. Citizen Arts &amp; Craft Check In /Judging– 9:00AM-10:00AM KC Hall &amp; Home Economics Arts &amp; Craft Check In 4:00PM-6:00PM</i>
<b>March</b>	
Wednesday, March 1, 2023	<i>Poultry Sift, Judging &amp; Showmanship, 7:30AM</i> <i>Lamb &amp; Goat Weigh-In, 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM, Goat Judging &amp; Showmanship 1:00PM, Lamb Judging &amp; Showmanship following</i> <i>Vendor Check in – 8:00AM – 11:00p Vendors must be set up by Noon</i> <i>Jr. Steer Saddling Applications Due in the Fair Office by 3:00PM</i> <i>Steer Weigh-in 3:00PM - 5:00PM - Swine Weigh-in 6:00PM - 8:00PM</i> <i>Carnival Hours 5:00PM to 10:00PM</i> <i>PRCA Slack Night Performance 7:00PM</i>
Thursday, March 2, 2023	<i>Senior Citizens Day Luncheon and Craft Show 9:00 – 1:00</i> <i>Swine Judging &amp; Showmanship, 7:30AM - Steer Judging &amp; Showmanship at Noon</i> <i>Carnival Hours 5:00PM to 11:00PM</i> <i>PRCA “Pink Night” Performance 7:00PM</i>
Friday, March 3, 2023	<i>Livestock Judging 7:00AM, Bucket Calf Show 2:00PM, Clown Contest and Coloring Contest results following Bucket Calf Show</i> <i>Carnival Hours 3:00PM to 11:00PM</i> <i>PRCA Patriot Night Performance – 7:00PM</i>
Saturday, March 4, 2023	<i>Jr. Livestock Auction, 10:00AM</i> <i>Final Performance of the 2023 Rodeo Masquerade</i> <i>Carnival Hours 1:00PM to Midnight</i>
Sunday, March 6, 2022	<i>Exhibitor – Removal of Livestock Project and Cleanup of Project Area</i> <i>Must be signed in by 7:00AM &amp; Mandatory “Two Hour Clean-up” begins after Project area is cleaned</i> <i>No Carnival – Closed</i>

*Tuesday, March 14 or 21, 2023*

MC Board of Directors Meeting – To be put on the agenda -Please email office

*Thursday, March 30, 2023*

*Thank you letters Due*