

2016 Laurel County Fair

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Agricultural Events Catalog

Fair Events July 12 – 16

Ag Events – July 19 - 22



Please Note – The Laurel County Fair offers agricultural events, including livestock shows and farm/ home exhibits, which are held after the Fair week. Consult the events schedule for specific shows and times.

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2016 Laurel County Fair Schedule of Events

Tues., July 12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Gate Opens 5:00 - Kissel Carnival Rides 5:30 - Ponderosa Petting Zoo 6:00 - Top Dog Promotions Demo Derby 7:00 - Kent Family Magic Circus 3 Shows - Hillbilly Zip Line Unlimited - Outdoor Laser Tag Unlimited - West Coast Turnaround / OTG Pavilion 6:30 - Sundy Best / OTG Pavilion 9:00
Wed., July 13	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Kissel Carnival Rides 5:30 - Ponderosa Petting Zoo 6:00 - Kent Family Magic Circus 3 Shows - B & M Dirt Bike / ATV Drags 7:00 - Hillbilly Zip Line Unlimited - Outdoor Laser Tag Unlimited - The Melody Dusters / OTG Pavilion 6:30 - David Allan Coe / OTG Pavilion 9:00
Thur., July 14	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Kissel Carnival Rides 5:30 - Ponderosa Petting Zoo 6:00 - Kent Family Magic Circus 3 Shows - Hillbilly Zip Line Unlimited - Outdoor Laser Tag Unlimited - KY Truck Tuggers "Tug of War" 7:00 - Avery Crabtree Band / OTG Pavilion 6:30 - Little Texas / OTG Pavilion 9:00
Fri., July 15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Kissel Carnival Rides 5:30 - Ponderosa Petting Zoo 6:00 - Kent Family Magic Circus 4 Shows - Hillbilly Zip Line Unlimited - Outdoor Laser Tag Unlimited - KPTA Truck & Tractor Pull 7:00 - Eagles Desperado Experience / OTG Pavilion 6:30 - AC/DC tribute Thunderstruck / OTG Pavilion 9:30
Sat., July 11	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Kissel Carnival Rides 5:30 - Ponderosa Petting Zoo 6:00 - Kent Family Magic Circus 4 Shows - Hillbilly Zip Line Unlimited - Outdoor Laser Tag Unlimited - SAM 103.9 "Simply About Singing Contest" 5:30 - KPTA Truck & Tractor Pull 7:00 - Wild River Band / OTG Pavilion 6:30 - KISS tribute Dressed to Kill (Pavilion) 9:30

2016 Laurel County Ag Fair Schedule of Events

(All times A.M. except where noted)

<u>Tues., July 14</u>	- Poultry & Rabbit Shows	Register at 9 AM; Show at 10 AM
<u>Wed., July 15</u>	- Agricultural Skill-a-thon, Judging Clinics and Judging Contest	Register at 8 AM; Contest at 9 AM
<u>Thur., July 16</u>	- County Lamb & Goat Shows	Weigh-in 7:30 AM; Goat show at 8:30 AM; Lamb show immediately following goat show
	- District Goat Show	Weigh-in 8:30-10 AM; Classes begin at 11 AM
	- District Lamb	Weigh-in 8-10:30 AM; Classes begin immediately following District Goat Show
<u>Fri., July 17</u>	- Hog Show	Weigh-in 9 AM; Show at 10 AM
	- Feeder Calf, Breeding Heifer, Steer & Open Heifer Shows	Register at 11 AM; Shows start at 4 PM
	- Dinner	Starts at 6 PM
	- Livestock Auction	Starts at 7 PM

General Policies

1. The Laurel County Fair has absolute authority over all advertising, solicitation, distribution, sales, and general activities at the Laurel County Fair. The Laurel County Fair reserves the right to refuse admission to anyone or evict anyone from the Laurel County Fair for conduct not authorized by the Fair Management. Absolutely no sales, distribution, or solicitation shall be permitted at the Laurel County Fair without prior consent.
2. The Laurel County Fair is a subsidiary of and produced by the London - Laurel County Ruritan Club.
3. All communications and correspondence should be directed to: Laurel County Fair, PO Box 100, East Bernstadt, KY 40729.
4. Persons knowingly defacing, destroying, vandalizing, or otherwise damaging property on the Fair premises shall be held liable for such.
5. Entries made in 4-H and FFA classes must have been produced in conjunction with an approved project sponsored by these organizations.
6. All classes are open to all exhibitors unless otherwise specified.
7. The Laurel County Fair is operated in cooperation with the Kentucky State Department of Agriculture. This Fair is planned and conducted according to Kentucky Department of Agriculture regulations for the use of state funds.
8. The Laurel County Fair is a registered service mark of the London - Laurel County Ruritan Club, Inc.

Admission Policies

All persons attending the Laurel County Fair must purchase an admission ticket, with the following exceptions:

- Persons holding an authorized Laurel County Fair gate pass. Some passes are good for admission ONLY and will not permit holder to ride any amusement rides.
- The Laurel County Fair reserves the right to refuse admission to anyone, and reserves the right to evict persons from the Fair premises. Shoes and shirts must be worn at all times.

Pay-One-Price Admission

The Laurel County Fair is a pay-one-price admission event, which means that each person pays an admission price at the main gate and can expect to observe scheduled entertainment, and ride the amusement rides owned and operated by the contracted amusement ride company an unlimited number of times during that particular night of attendance.

Some years, independent attractions are booked which may require an additional cost; however, the Fair will post this information in advance. Of course, all game concessions, and food and drink concessions involve additional cost.

A Word Of Thanks To Our Sponsors

The Laurel County Fair would like to thank our sponsors for helping make this event possible. Additionally, we sincerely appreciate the many businesses that support the events of the Fair by purchasing advertisements in this publication. Without the unselfish support of these civic-minded businesses, the Laurel County Fair would not be possible.

Moreover, we thank the hundreds of individuals whose names do not appear anywhere in this publication who have contributed in many ways to organize, support, and contribute to the Laurel County Fair.

Fair Officials

- Jimmy Durham, Chairman
- Mark Begley, President / London - Laurel Ruritan Club
- Dustin Estridge / Vocational Agricultural Representative
- Glenn Williams / Agriculture and Natural Resources Extension Agent
- Kim Whitson / 4-H Youth Development Extension Agent
- Judi O'Bryan / Family and Consumer Sciences Extension Agent
- Bonnie Sigmon / Horticulture Extension Agent
- Harold Bengé / Farm Bureau Representative
- Pam Cox / London – London - Laurel Ruritan Club

Laurel County Fairgrounds Board

- Denver Jones / President
- Jimmy Durham / VP-Sec-Treasurer
- Danny Smith / Fiscal Court Member
- Rick Brewer / Fiscal Court Member
- Brad Jones / Ruritan Club Representative
- Mark Begley / Ruritan Club Representative
- Joe Tumpak / Ruritan Club Representative

Services

- Security – Kentucky State Police, Laurel Co Sheriff’s Dept., and London City Police
- Emergency - Laurel Co. EMS
- Fire – Laurel Co. Fire Dept.
- Rescue – London Laurel County Rescue Squad
- Agricultural Equipment - Southeastern Farm Supply - Mr. Jack Bolton
- Barricades and Garbage Containers- London City Street Department
- Industrial Equipment – TCT Equipment & Rental / Dwight Patton

Livestock Health Requirements

All livestock/ animals offered for sale or exhibition at Kentucky County Fairs shall meet the following regulations according to KRS Chapter 257:

- 302 KAR 20:040 (Entry into Kentucky)
- b. 302 KAR 20:065 (Sale and Exhibition of Kentucky Origin Livestock)

Any questions concerning these health regulations should be directed to your local veterinarian or the Kentucky State Veterinarian’s office at 502-564-3956.

Livestock Health Regulations can be obtained on the Kentucky Department of Agriculture Web site: <http://www.kyagr.com/statevet/ah/index.htm>

Please be advised that Livestock Health Regulations are subject to change at any time.

Rules Committee

Any questions concerning rules and guidelines that may arise during the fair will be addressed by the Ag Fair rules committee, consisting of Sam Fouts, Brent Cornett, and Guy Taylor.

Laurel County Proud Program

A new addition to the 2016 Ag Fair is the Laurel County Proud Program. Similar to the Kentucky Department of Agriculture's Kentucky Proud Livestock Tag Program, the goal is to offer additional incentives to students, promote sales opportunities for Laurel County producers, and highlight the quality of animals raised in our community.

- To be eligible for the program, the animal must be born in Laurel County, Kentucky.
- The program is limited to pigs, goats, sheep and cattle.
- The animal must be tagged as Laurel County Proud at the time of validation.
- Laurel County producers can purchase Laurel County Proud tags for \$10 each at the Laurel County Extension Office. The fees collected for the sale of tags will be used to pay added premiums to students who show Laurel County Proud animals.
- If a student's project animal was born on their own family's farm, the student must still have the eligibility form completed and have the animal tagged as Laurel County Proud to be eligible for the program.
- Added premiums for Laurel County Proud will be paid on the Danish system based on tag sales.

Poultry Show and Rabbit Show

Tuesday, July 14, 2015

9:00 – 9:45 AM Registration
10 AM Judging begins

Poultry Show & Rabbit Show Rules

- Students will be limited to five (5) entries in each of these shows.
- Classes will be determined by breed of the animal. A minimum of five (5) animals will be required for each breed class. If there are less than five entries, the animals will be shown in an “all other breeds” class.
- Premiums for the Poultry Show and the Rabbit Show will be as follows:

Class premiums:

First place - \$3
Second place - \$2
Third place - \$1

Champion premiums:

Grand Champion - \$5
Reserve Champion - \$3