2012
Marion County
Fair Program

PREFAIR
May 12  Cooking Day, Knoxville Middle School
June 9  Communications Day/Clothing Day
June 23  MD Mutton Bustin’, Coal Miners’ Day
June 29  Knoxville Mutton Bustin’, Ag in the City
June 30  Knoxville Mutton Bustin’, Ag in the City
July 1  ALL ANIMAL ENTRIES DUE in Extension Office by 4:00 PM
July 7  Fair Queen Crowning, 7 pm, First United Methodist Church, Knoxville. Introduction of Queen and Candidates to follow at Knoxville Raceway.
July 12  Dyer-Hudson Judging 9 am-4 pm
July 12  Open Class Drop off from 4-8 pm
July 12-13 Decorate –A-Bale, 4-H Clubs can decorate between 3:00 p.m.
                      Thursday and 3:00 p.m. Friday
July 12  Bucket Calf Interviews

FRIDAY, JULY 13
9:00  Dyer-Hudson and Bingley Building Opens
9:30  Clover Kids Critter Show
10:00  Pet Show, Show Pavilion
10:00  Fruit & Grains, Seeds & Vegetables Judging - Dept. C & D/Open Class
Noon  Bucket of Flowers Silent Auction, Bids Open, Dyer-Hudson
12:30 pm Check In for Dog Obedience Show
1:00  Dog Obedience Show
1:00  Earliest livestock may arrive at fairgrounds
1:00  Arts, Crafts & Photo Judging - Dept. A – Open Class
2:00  Textiles Judging – Dept. F – Open Class
4:30-6:30 Keith West Magic Show
4:00  Dog Agility Show (Following Obedience)
6:00  Horse check-in (until 10 am Saturday)
7:00  Pinewood Derby, National Sprint Car Hall of Fame and Museum
7:00  Barker Implement Lawnmower Enduro
8:00  Dyer-Hudson and Bingley Building Close
8:00  All Swine in Place
SATURDAY, JULY 14
7:00-11:30 Knoxville AM Kiwanis & 4-H Pancake Breakfast, Tent Area
8:00 Sheep in Place & Check-in for Purebred Breeding lambs and Commercial Yearling Ewes
8:00 Beef in Place, Check-in & Weigh in
8:00 Goats in Place and Meat Goat Check-in and Weigh-in
8:30 Market & Commercial Ewe Lamb Weigh-in
8:30 –10:30 Rabbits & Poultry in Place & Check-in
8:30 Cat Check-in, Show Pavilion
9:00 Dyer-Hudson Building and Bingley Building Open
9:30 Cat Show, Show Pavilion
10:00 All Horses in Place
10:00 Swine Check-in and Weigh-in
10:30 Flower Arrangements – Open Class – Group 1& Children’s - Judging
11:00 Horse Trail Classes, Horse Arena
12:00 Bucket Bottle Calf Show, Show Pavilion
12:30 Kiwanis Kiddie Tractor Pull - Registration
12:00 Keith West Magic Show
1:00 Dairy Goat Show, Show Pavilion
1:00 Kiwanis Kiddie Tractor Pull
1:00 Cribbage Tournament, Tent Area
1:00 Culinary Judging, Dept. B – Open Class
2:00 Meat Goat Show (Following Dairy)
2:00 Keith West Magic Show
3-9pm Game Truck and Rides
Face Painting
3-5 Open Skate
5-9 Family Skate
4:00 Keith West Magic Show
5:00 Adrenaline Pro Wrestling-Free Show – Show Pavilion
7:30 Sprint Car Races, (4-H Night), Introductions of Fair Queen & Candidates
8:00 Dyer-Hudson Building and Bingley Building Close

SUNDAY, JULY 15
Farm Bureau Day at the Fair

7 -10am Marion County Humane Society Fundraiser
8:00 Church Service Provided by Columbia Methodist Church
8:30 Horse Show, Horse Arena
11:00 Dyer-Hudson Building and Bingley Building Open
11:00 Farm Bureau Scavenger Hunt
11:00 Marion County Fair Cook Off Contest – Check In- For More Information Contact Dan Findley 641-891-4513.

12:00 Keith West Magic Show
1:00 Bingo (tent area)
1:00 Farm Bureau Watermelon Feed
1:00 Backseat Driver
2:00 Keith West Magic Show
2:00 Farm Bureau Skidsteer Rodeo
2:30 Baby Contest Registration, Dyer-Hudson
3:00 Baby Contests, Dyer-Hudson
3:00 Horticulture Judging – Dept. E - Open Class
3:00 Marion County Fair Cook Off
3-9 pm Game Trailer
3-7 Open Skate
7-9 Family Skate
Face Painting
4:00 Keith West Magic Show
4:00 Farm Bureau Showing and Fitting Demonstrations
5:00 Sheep Dog Demonstrations
5:00 Retro Jukebox
6:30 Lucas Oil Pro Pulling League Truck and Tractor Pull
8:00 Dyer-Hudson and Bingley Building Close

**MONDAY, JULY 16**

8:00 Sheep Show
9:00 Dyer-Hudson Building and Bingley Building Open
10:30 Flower Arrangement Judging – Group 2 - Open Class
1:00 Mr. Nick’s Entertainment
1:00 Textile Judging - Open Class
2-6pm Face Painting
3-5 Open Skate
5-7 Family Skate
3:00 Absolutely Jim – Family Entertainment
4:00 Livestock Judging Contest
5:00 Absolutely Jim - Family Entertainment
6:00 Family Night and Barnyard Olympics, Show Pavilion
6:00 Bill Riley Talent Search
7:30 Mutton Bustin’ County Finals, Show Pavilion
8:00 Dyer-Hudson and Bingley Building Close
8-1030 4H DANCE – Skate Pit

**TUESDAY, JULY 17**

8:00 Beef Show, Show Pavilion (Breeding Cow/Calf, Market)
7:00 Rabbit Show in barn
9:00 Dyer-Hudson Building and Bingley Building Open
Noon  Beef by Marion County Cattlemen’s Assoc. in 4-H Concession Stand
1:00  Mr. Nick’s Entertainment
2-6pm  Face Painting
3-5pm  Open Skate
5-7pm  Family Skate
3:00  Absolutely Jim – Family Entertainment
3-9 pm  Game Trailer
5:00  Absolutely Jim - Family Entertainment
4:30  Notification deadline for NOT SELLING MARKET Animals and FIRST SELLING BEEF, Bingley Building
5:30  Bucket of Flowers Silent Auction Ends – pick up @ Dyer-Hudson
6:30  The McClymonts Country Western Grandstand Show
8:00  Dyer-Hudson and Bingley Building Close

WEDNESDAY, JULY 18

8:00  Swine Show, Show Pavilion
9:00  Dyer-Hudson Building and Bingley Building Open
10:00  Poultry Show - Poultry Barn
1:00  Mr. Nick’s Entertainment
2-6pm  Face Painting
3-5pm  Open Skate
5-7pm  Family Skate
3-9 pm  Game Trailer and Rides
3:00  Absolutely Jim - Family Entertainment
4:00  3 on 3 Basketball Tournament- Infield
7:00  4-H State Fair Exhibitor Mtg., Dyer-Hudson
5:00  Absolutely Jim – Family Entertainment
5-7pm  Appreciation Dinner –Show Pavilion, Marion County Bankers Association
5:45  Quilt Raffle Winner Announced followed by
6:00  4-H Foundation Recognition Events, Show Pavilion
       Senior Member Recognition
       Parade of Champions/Winners
       4-H Bucket of Junk Auction
6-8pm  Open Class Exhibits Released
6-10pm  Car & Motorcycle Cruise Night, Ugly Pickup Contest, Antique Tractors (preregistration required – Ron Spurgeon (641) 842-4015
7:30  4-H Exhibits released from Dyer-Hudson
       Dyer-Hudson exhibits must be removed for exhibitor to receive premium
9:00  All Non-Market Animals Released

THURSDAY, JULY 19

8:00  Buyers’ Appreciation Breakfast and Registration, Show Pavilion
8:30  Livestock Sale, Show Pavilion (Market Livestock released following Sale)
6:00  All Livestock Exhibits Must Be Removed
7:00  Harris Clash Modified Race

Schedule and times subject to change. Check on site for updated information at www.marioncofair.com.