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**What:** 58th Dixie National Livestock Show and Rodeo

**When:** Saturday, January 28, and Sunday, January 29

**Where:** Mississippi State Fairgrounds

## Schedule of 58th Annual Dixie National Livestock Show and Rodeo Events Taking Place Today, Saturday, January 28, and Sunday, January 29

**STATE FAIRGROUNDS, Miss.** – Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce Andy Gipson invites everyone to attend the 58th annual Dixie National Livestock Show and Rodeo and announces the schedule of events taking place today, Saturday, January 28, and Sunday, January 29, 2023. All events take place on the Mississippi State Fairgrounds.

This weekend, the Fired Up Team Roping event takes place inside the Kirk Fordice Equine Center, beginning at 10:00 a.m. today, Saturday, January 28, and Sunday, January 29. This competition features over 300 Team Roping rodeo competitors from across the nation each day. There will also be a Dummy Roping Contest for kids at 2:00 p.m. today. This event is free to the public.

### Scheduled Activities & Events for Saturday, January 28, 2023:

- 10:00 a.m. – Fired Up Team Roping - Kirk Fordice Equine Center
- 10:00 a.m. – Rabbit Extravaganza - Judging Arena/Barn 14

### Scheduled Activities & Events for Sunday, January 29, 2023:

- 10:00 a.m. – Fired Up Team Roping - Kirk Fordice Equine Center
- 12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. – Premier Lamb Exhibitor Contest - MS Farmers Market
- 4:00 p.m. – Sheep Lead Class - Judging Arena/Barn 14

Events of the 58th Dixie National Livestock Show and Rodeo run through Sunday, February 19, 2023. The Dixie National Rodeo, the largest rodeo east of the Mississippi River, takes place Friday, February 10, through Sunday, February 12, and again Wednesday, February 15, through Saturday, February 18, inside the Mississippi Coliseum at the State Fairgrounds.

**Rodeo Entertainment:**

Friday, February 10, at 7:00 p.m. – Randy Houser  
Saturday, February 11, at 2:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. – Chancey Williams  
Sunday, February 12, at 2:00 p.m. – Mark Chesnutt  
Wednesday, February 15, at 7:00 p.m. – Lainey Wilson  
Thursday, February 16, at 7:00 p.m. – Diamond Rio  
Friday, February 17, at 7:00 p.m. – Casey Donahew  
Saturday, February 18, at 2:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. – Chris Lane

To purchase tickets to the Dixie National Rodeo, visit <https://www.ticketmaster.com/dixie-national-rodeo-tickets/artist/848320>. A limited number of concert-only tickets to Lainey Wilson following the February 15 performance of the Dixie National Rodeo are available for purchase at the Mississippi Coliseum Ticket Office.

For more information, visit [www.dixienational.org](http://www.dixienational.org), follow the Dixie National Livestock Show & Rodeo on Facebook or call 601-961-4000.

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