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What: 59th Dixie National Livestock Show and Rodeo

When: Sunday, February 4 and Monday, February 5

Where: Mississippi State Fairgrounds

Schedule of 59th Annual Dixie National Livestock Show and Rodeo Events Taking Place Sunday, February 4 and Monday, February 5

STATE FAIRGROUNDS, Miss. – Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce Andy Gipson invites everyone to attend the 59th annual Dixie National Livestock Show and Rodeo and announces the schedule of events taking place tomorrow Sunday, February 4 and Monday, February 5, 2024. All events take place on the Mississippi State Fairgrounds. The following livestock shows are free to the public.

Scheduled Activities & Events for Sunday, February 4, 2024:

- o 10:00 a.m. Market Steer Show Coliseum
- o 11:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m. Dixie National Steakhouse Trade Mart
- o 2:30 p.m. Commercial Beef Heifer Show Coliseum

Scheduled Activities & Events for Monday, February 5, 2024:

- o 7:30 a.m. Angus Showmanship Coliseum
- o 7:30 a.m. Sheep Lead Class Judging Arena/Barn 14
- o 8:00 a.m. Beef Showmanship Coliseum
- 8:00 a.m. Hair Sheep and Lamb Shows (Hair Sheep Showmanship, Breeding Hair Sheep, Market Hair Sheep Lamb Showmanship, Wether Dams, Market Lambs) – Judging Arena/Barn14
- o 11:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m. Dixie National Steakhouse
- o 1:30 p.m. Beef Breeding Bull Show Coliseum
- o 6:00 p.m. Legislative Livestock Showdown Coliseum

Events of the 59th Dixie National Livestock Show and Rodeo run through Sunday, February 18, 2024. The Dixie National Rodeo, the largest rodeo east of the Mississippi River, takes place Friday, February 9, through Sunday, February 11, and again Wednesday, February 14, through Saturday, February 17, inside the Mississippi Coliseum at the State Fairgrounds.

Rodeo Entertainment:

Friday, February 9, at 7:00 p.m. – Conner Smith & Colin Stough Saturday, February 10, at 2:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. – Tracy Byrd Sunday, February 11, at 2:00 p.m. – Chris Cagle Wednesday, February 14, at 7:00 p.m. – Megan Moroney Thursday, February 15, at 7:00 p.m. – Sammy Kershaw Friday, February 16, at 7:00 p.m. – Corey Kent Saturday, February 17, at 2:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. – Parmalee

Dixie National Steakhouse Hours:

February 2-8, 2024 – 11:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. February 9-11, 2024 – 11:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. February 12 & 13, 2024 – 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. February 14-17, 2024 – 11:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. February 18, 2024 – 10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

To purchase tickets to the Dixie National Rodeo, visit https://www.ticketmaster.com/dixie-national-rodeo-tickets/artist/848320.

For more information, visit <u>www.dixienational.org</u>, follow the Dixie National Livestock Show & Rodeo on Facebook or call 601-961-4000.

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Photo attached.



A 2023 Dixie National Steer Show competitor shows his livestock.