



BITES AS BIG AS TEXAS

Experience the flavor of Texas at the State Fair. Use this itinerary as your guide to find fun-filled activities that are sure to satisfy your taste buds. After all, what's a fair without food?

For a complete list of daily activities, visit bigtex.com/schedule.

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| 10:30 AM | 1 Check out the judging in the Competition Kitchen |
| 11:30 AM | 2 Watch a Milking Demonstration |
| 10:00 AM – CLOSE | 3 Get Free Samples at the Food and Fiber Pavilion |
| 2:30 PM | 4 Watch a Cooking Demo in the Celebrity Chef Kitchen |
| 10:00 AM – CLOSE | 5 Sit back and relax at the State Fair of Texas Wine Garden |
| 2:15 PM | 6 Enjoy a Cutco Knife Demo |
| 4:00 PM | 7 Visit the Canstruction |
| 10:00 AM – CLOSE | 8 Watch the parade from the Magnolia Beer Garden |
| 10:00 AM – CLOSE | 9 Grab a Fletcher's Corny Dog and take a picture in Big Tex Circle |
| 7:15 PM | 10 Stroll through the State Fair Midway under the neon lights |
| 10:00 AM – CLOSE | 11 Starlight Parade (Parkwide) |
| MIDWAY TIMES VARY | 12 Capture the perfect picture of the Texas Star from Beer Haven |

*Performance or activity showtime



1 CHECK OUT THE JUDGING IN THE COMPETITION KITCHEN

Do you want to experience some good old-fashioned cooking competitions? Well, look no further than the Competition Kitchen in the Creative Arts building! In this kitchen you will find competitors of all ages, from children to professional chefs, cooking up savory dishes of their own creation to win over the judges.

2 WATCH A MILKING DEMONSTRATION

Cows from nearby farms are brought to the State Fair for an entertaining and educational exhibit of modern milking procedures. Be sure to stop by for this unique demonstration!

3 GET FREE SAMPLES AT THE FOOD AND FIBER PAVILION

Known to fairgoers as the ultimate food destination for all things Texan, the Food and Fiber Pavilion is a daily showcase of Texas-made products. Provided by the Texas Department of Agriculture, the Food and Fiber Pavilion offers 25,000 square feet of space showcasing a wide range of exhibitors on a daily basis. Features include honey and live bees, toffee sampling, Kitchen Craft cooking demos, indoor garden displays, interactive agriculture shows, shopping at the Pioneer Brand GO TEXAN Store, Texas forestry games and crafts, live music and dancing on the Gazebo Stage, and much, much more!

4 WATCH A COOKING DEMO IN THE CELEBRITY CHEF KITCHEN

For those looking for a true culinary experience, attend

one of the Celebrity Chef Demos, where popular chefs from some of Texas' most prominent restaurants show off their skills. They prepare a signature dish, share tips, answer audience questions, and even give audience members a chance to sample their culinary creations at the end of the demonstration. With four to five different chefs on the schedule each day, fairgoers get to explore the diverse culinary establishments of our local landscape.

5 SIT BACK AND RELAX AT THE TEXAS WINE GARDEN

Exclusively offering wines crafted in the Lone Star State, the Texas Wine Garden features three different wineries each day and offers guests the choice of buying a taste, a glass or a bottle. Serving as a scenic destination for fairgoers, the venue is centered around a massive oak tree and filled with beautiful flowers and mood lighting. On weekends, visitors can experience the musical talents of local jazz and blues bands, and winemakers have been known to hang out and chat with fairgoers from time to time, sharing their expertise on refining the palate.

6 ENJOY A CUTCO KNIFE DEMO

Get ready to experience some amazing feats from chefs and artisans using some of the world's best-built knives! The Cutco knife demonstration aims to show you all the features their knives have to offer while teaching you how to wield them like a pro.

7 VISIT CANSTRUCTION

Using only cans of food, Canstruction participants are challenged to create innovative structures that

are displayed in a giant art exhibition throughout the 2015 State Fair. Canstruction is a unique charity that hosts competitions across the nation to showcase colossal canned masterpieces. All can sculptures are created in line with this year's State Fair theme, "Passport to Texas." At the end of the competition, the canned food will be donated to the North Texas and Tarrant Area Food Banks.

8 WATCH THE PARADE FROM THE MAGNOLIA BEER GARDEN

A hidden gem at the State Fair of Texas, the Magnolia Beer Garden is the ideal destination for beer connoisseurs, as well as all fairgoers looking for a nice place to sit down and unwind. Patrons love this relaxing environment, located in the outdoor courtyard of the historic Magnolia Lounge. Complete with a canopy of trees and a shaded balcony, this is guaranteed to be one of the best places to experience the sights and sounds of the nightly Starlight Parade.

9 GRAB A FLETCHER'S CORNY DOG AND TAKE A PICTURE IN BIG TEX CIRCLE

Make sure to stop by a Fletcher's Corny Dog stand and experience a true State Fair of Texas icon, the Corny Dog. While you're enjoying that delicious golden delicacy-on-a-stick, mosey on over to Big Tex and take a picture with Texas' friendliest cowboy.

10 STROLL THROUGH THE STATE FAIR MIDWAY UNDER THE NEON LIGHTS

The sights, sounds and smells of the State Fair Midway after dark will stick with you for a lifetime.

11 STARLIGHT PARADE

This after-dark extravaganza is a fan favorite, featuring a colorful assortment of illuminated floats, life-size puppets, stilt-walking performers and animated characters in ornate costumes. Don't leave the Fair without seeing this amazing spectacle! Every night at 7:15 p.m.

12 CAPTURE THE PERFECT PICTURE OF THE TEXAS STAR FROM BEER HAVEN

Do not miss out on this unique experience to taste upwards of 60 brewed-in-Texas craft beers! The "Beer Haven" remains true to its name, giving visitors the chance to experience craft beer like never before. This area features two large installations allowing visitors to sample beer while taking a moment to sit back and relax. Beer Haven also features a stage with live entertainment and local brewmasters talking about their unique processes. This area is located right under the Texas Star, so make sure to stop by and get a great picture!