



TANGIPAHOA PARISH SCHOOL/PUBLIC EVENTS
TANGIPAHOA PARISH FAIR: Sept 30th - Oct 4th 2026
"Rooted in Tradition"

Tuesday September 29, 2025

School Booths:

Each school has a designated section to decorate with the theme of the Fair.
2026 "ROOTED IN TRADITION"

Each group has a separate area to decorate.

To gain access to the school booth building before the week of Fair, the teacher may contact,
Samantha Allen 225-773-7273, Charlotte Meister 985-247-1937

During Fair week, the building will be open from 8am until 6pm Mon-Wed. ***Booths need to be finished by 8am Wednesday morning for judging.***

Junior division: handicrafts, photography, woodworking, plants and homemaker entries:
Entries from the public or students who do not participate in 4H will be judged and displayed during the fair.

All entries will be accepted Monday Sept 29, 2026 and Tuesday September 30, 2026 from 8am-5pm.

Wednesday Sept. 30, 2026

Shake Rattle and Roll

5:00pm Opening Ceremonies

Location will be at the Florida Parishes Arena. Contact Heidi Carrier Lang @ 985-474-2159 or Amanda Lee @ 985-320-4883

There will be a \$5 charge for this event

Thursday Oct 1st, 2026

Children's Day

All schools and participants check in with **Myra Sharpe or Penny LaPre** under the pavilion upon arrival.

The program will start at **9am** for the arrival of buses. 3 schools per half hour if possible.

Pre-K thru 2nd grade

Expected activities:

- Fire Truck
- Story Time
- Pioneer town
- 4H exhibits
- School booth exhibits
- Games and much more



Each class will spend 10-15 minutes at each station. An area for the class to have lunch will be available after they have completed the tour.

Please contact **Myra Sharpe 985-974-3372 or Penny LaPre 985-351-8221** to leave a message. School name, time of arrival, teacher or contact name and number and how many students to expect.

**Thursday Night
October 1st, 2026**

Family Night: 3pm - 5pm quiet fun at the fair for students with disabilities. 5pm - 9pm lights and music will return

**Friday
October 2nd, 2026**

Parade:

Parade line up begins at 9am, parade rolls at 10am. Parade form to follow with line-up information on it. Deadline Tuesday September 28th, 2026 forms can be found at Tangifair.org We will instruct bus drivers where to park for pickup of students after the parade.

Opening Ceremony:

A celebration of the opening of the Fairgrounds immediately after the parade has ended. Elected officials, fair royalty and honored guests greet and welcome our guests to a wonderful weekend of rides and carnival delights.

School Band Showcase:

Every school band or Dance & Cheer Squad will have an opportunity to perform for the crowd once the parade returns to the fairgrounds. To assure more performing room space will be blocked off for performances in front of the Florida parishes arena.

Spelling Bee and awards:

The spelling bee begins at 1pm. During the breaks, the awards for essay and poster will be awarded. Contact Faith Liuzza Faust @ 985-517-7164

**Saturday
October 3rd. 2026
4H livestock show**

4H hosts a livestock show at 9am in the warm up arena. The 4H cattle show judging will start at 1pm. Participants receive ribbons and points toward state contests. For additional information please contact your local 4-H office.

**Sunday
October 4th, 2026**



Worship Service:

Church service will begin at 10:30 am on the main stage.