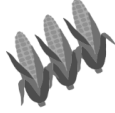


HECTOR CORN CHAFF DAYS 2026

JULY 6TH – JULY 12TH



MONDAY, JULY 6TH

- 8:30am **Medallion Hunt** – Frandsen Bank
Clues posted daily at the bank until the medallion is found. It will be hidden on city property. Return to the bank to claim the \$50 prize!
Sponsor: Frandsen Bank & Trust

TUESDAY, JULY 7TH

- 5–8pm **Open Swim** – Hector Pool
Free pool admission for all ages hosted by the City of Hector!
Sponsor: Olivia Hospital & Clinic Foundation
- 5–8pm **Summer Fun Night** – Hector Pool
Support the Pool Committee! Enjoy face painting, tattoos, hair tinsel, bean bags & volleyball! Burgers/hot dogs for free will donation & snow cones for sale. Howdy Pop Dirty Sodas also available.
Sponsor: Hector Swimming Pool, Inc.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 8TH

- 9am–12pm **Community Rock Snake** – Historical Center
Stop by to paint a rock to add to our “rock snake”! Rocks also available to take home, paint, & return starting Monday (7/6).
- 3–6pm **Classic Cars Cruise-In** – Prairie View Assisted Living
Bring your classic car to showcase! Enjoy root beer floats, raffle drawing, & live music from Cowboy Dave (3–5pm)! Momma Maria’s Rolling Taco Kitchen & Legacy BBQ food trucks on site.
- 5pm **Show Your Ride** – The Other Place Bar
- 5–6pm **Fun Kids Craft** – Hector Pool Shelter
Sponsor: Friends of the Hector Library
- 6pm **Bike Rodeo** – *NEW LOCATION!* Hector Pool Parking Lot
Kids of all ages, bring your bike/helmet to learn about bike safety & a chance to win a free bike! Food sold by the Football Boosters from 5–7pm & snow cones by the Pool Committee!
Sponsors: Hector Police Department, LTM Insulation, Bald Eagle Sidecar, & Oldcastle Culture Committee

THURSDAY, JULY 9TH

- 6:30pm **BINGO** – Fire Hall
Doors open at 6pm! Under 18 must be accompanied by an adult. Daubers provided. \$1 per card with prizes to win! Food & drinks available for purchase from BLHS After Prom & The Other Place Bar.
Sponsor: Hector Fire Department

FRIDAY, JULY 10TH

- Varies **City Wide Garage Sales**
Map of local sales & times will be shared via social media.
- 9am–12pm **Sidewalk Sale** – Totally U
- 10am–4pm **Hector Historical Center Open**
- 5–7pm **BLHS After Prom Meal** – Hector City Park
Free will donation.
- 5:30pm **Kiddie Parade** – Hector City Park down Douglas Street
Kids 14 and under can walk, ride bikes, or pull a wagon/parade unit—costumes & decorations encouraged! Register at 5:15pm near the pickleball courts. Prizes for top individual and group themes!
Sponsors: News Mirror Union & Hector Historical Center

- 6pm **Outstanding Business & Citizen Awards** – Hector City Park
Nomination forms at City Office & online. Due by Friday, June 19th.
Sponsors: Hector City Office & Hector Community Spirit

- 7–9pm **Outdoor Dance Party** – BLHS School Parking Lot
DJ & dancing for kids of all ages. Concessions available for purchase from the Boys’ Basketball program.

- 8:30pm–12:30am **Street Dance Featuring 3 Hour Download Band** – Fire Hall
21+ event. Free will donation. Food & drinks available for purchase.
Sponsors: Hector Fire Department & The Other Place Bar

SATURDAY, JULY 11TH

- Varies **City Wide Garage Sales Continue**

- Varies **Food Vendors** – Hector City Park
- **BLHS Football Boosters:** breakfast burritos, donuts, & iced coffee near the softball field (8:30–11am)
 - **FFA Food Stand:** pork chop sandwiches, hot dogs, hamburgers, cheeseburgers, & sodas near the softball field (10am–7pm)
 - **Hector Lions:** pulled pork sandwiches (11am–2:30pm)
 - **Illegal Amigos:** Mexican food (11am–4pm)
 - **Sweet Kettle Madness:** popcorn, mini donuts, & lemonade (11am–4pm)
 - **Sunny Days Comfort Food:** sandwiches/wraps & corn on the cob (11am–4pm)
 - **The Other Place Bar:** drink stand near the softball field
 - **Home Care on Birch:** FREE ice cream treats

- All day **Sand Dig** – Hector Softball Field (Left Field Fence)
Play in the sand and dig for prizes!
Sponsor: Best Contracting

- 9am **Softball Tournament** – Hector Softball Field
Schedule posted via social media including the annual Hector vs. Buffalo Lake Fire Department softball game. To register a team, contact Dan at 320–522–1524.
Sponsor: The Other Place Bar

- 10am–3pm **Car/Truck/Bike Show** – *NEW LOCATION!* Elm Ave. W. & 2nd St. W.
No entry fee. All participants will receive an entry gift.
Sponsors: Charles Melberg Farms, Olinger Sales & Service, Carlson’s Collision, Kahl Excavating, Frandsen Bank, & The Other Place Bar

- 10am–3pm **Hector Historical Center Open**

- 11am–4pm **Local Vendors in the Park** – Hector City Park (North side)

- 12pm **Grand Parade** – *NEW ROUTE!!*
Birch Ave. W. → 3rd St. W. → Douglas Ave. W. → Main St.

- 1pm **3 on 3 Basketball Tournament** – Hector City Park Courts
Boys & Girls divisions: Grades 9/10 & 11/12. To register a team, contact Nic at 320–583–7601.

- 1–2pm **Character Meet & Greet** – Hector City Park
Autographs and photos with Bluey, Spiderman, & Elsa!



- 1–4pm **Free Events in the Park** – Hector City Park
- Face Painting & Glitter Tattoos
 - Balloon Animals
 - Inflatables
 - Fat ‘N Happy Farms Petting Zoo

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SATURDAY, JULY 11TH (CONTINUED)

- 1-4pm **Live Music by Josie Sanken** – Hector City Park
Sponsor: Hector Lions
- 1-4pm **Dunk Tank** – Hector City Park
Schedule of participants shared via social media.
- 2:30pm **Lions Raffle** – Hector City Park
GRAND PRIZE: \$10,000 CASH!
\$20 per ticket. Purchase from any Hector Lion or in the park prior to drawing. Winners announced on stage & Hector Lions Facebook. Need not be present to win.
- 2:30-5:30pm **Live Music by Brady Moryn** – The Other Place Bar
- 4pm **Kids Tractor Pedal Pull** – 2nd St. W. near Hector City Park
Free event. Ages 4-11. Registration begins at 3:30pm.
Sponsors: Hector Police Department & Hector Lions
- 8:30pm-12:30am **Live Music by Metal Creek Drive** – The Other Place Bar
21+ event. No cover charge.
Sponsor: The Other Place Bar

SUNDAY, JULY 12TH

- Varies **City Wide Garage Sales Continue**
- Varies **Food Vendors** – Hector Softball Field
- **FFA Food Stand:** pork chop sandwiches, hot dogs, hamburgers, cheeseburgers, & sodas (10am-4pm)
 - **Sweet Winks Food Truck:** smoked meats, mac & cheese, cheese curds & fries (11am-3pm)
 - **The Other Place Bar:** drink stand
- All day **Sand Dig Continues**
- 8am-12pm **Pancake Breakfast** – Fire Hall
Free will donation. Serving pancakes, French toast, eggs, & coffee.
Sponsor: Hector Fire Department
- 9am **Softball Tournament Continues** – Hector Softball Field
- 9:30am **Community Worship Service** – Hector Event Center
Combined church service led by the BLHS Area Ministers.
- 1-3pm **Pickleball Tournament** – Hector City Park Courts
Open to all ages & skill levels! Free entry. No early sign-up required. Partners randomly drawn for each game. For questions, contact Bill at 320-979-3607.

**All events are subject to change. Updates posted via social media.
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