The American Royal is a non-profit organization based in Kansas City since 1899. We provide opportunities for youth and adults from around the country to compete in our Livestock Show, ProRodeo, and Horse Shows. Many people know us for our World Series of Barbecue®, which is our largest fundraiser. Events including the barbecue allow us to give over $1 million annually for youth scholarships and support agriculture education programs. You help us support kids and our mission when you attend our events.

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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

THURSDAY

10 am - 2 pm	KCBS Certified Barbecue Judge Class*	Children's Mercy Park Sporting KC
3:30 pm - 5 pm	KCBS Certified Table Captain Class*	Children's Mercy Park Sporting KC
6 pm	Poker Tournament* (6pm Dinner followed by play)	Children's Mercy Park Sporting KC

ALL FRIDAY & SATURDAY EVENTS HELD AT THE KANSAS SPEEDWAY

FRIDAY KANSAS CITY'S BIGGEST PARTY

3 pm	Beer Garden Whiskey Bar Marketplace & Food Trucks	Pit Road
4:30 pm – 7:30 pm	Royal Tours*	Team Spaces
5 pm - 10 pm	Live Local Entertainment	Main Stage
7 pm – 10 pm	Party of the Year Judging*	Team Spaces

Smokin' Saturday presented by UMB

11 am	Salute to Service *Free BBQ Lunch for first 5,000 guests*** Beer Garden Whiskey Bar Marketplace & Food Trucks	Pit Road
11 am - 3 pm	Kansas City Automotive Museum's Car Show	Pit Road
11 am - 5 pm	Cowtown Family Fun Fest	Fan Walk
11 am - 7 pm	Live Local Entertainment & BBQ Demos	Main Stage
1:30 pm - 5:30 pm	Royal Tours*	Team Spaces
7 pm	32nd American Royal Invitational Awards Ceremony • Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony YETI • Kids Que Awards • Sauce and Rub Awards • Invitational Awards	Main Stage

SUNDAY

5 PM	40th American Royal Open Awards Ceremony International Awards Legends of the Royal YETI Open Sides Awards Open Meats Awards	Main Stage

*All events noted are included with entry to the BBQ unless marked [*]. Those ticketed VIP events/experiences require specific ticket purchase available at AmericanRoyal.com.
**First 5,000 public guests through the gates will receive a BBQ lunch until supplies last.