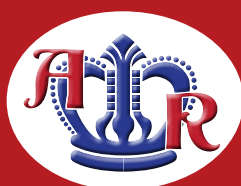


# The 2009 American Royal

Mission: To promote and celebrate the excellence in agricultural progress and develop future generations of leaders through agrarian values, disciplines and expressions of skills.

**30th Annual American Royal Barbecue**  
**October 1st - 4th, 2009**  
 American Royal Complex



Don't miss the 30th anniversary of the American Royal Barbecue! Kansas City's biggest party is better than ever with nonstop fun and activities taking place the entire weekend. Come with friends on Friday night, bring the family on Saturday and have a blast the entire time you're there.

The American Royal Barbecue is the opening event of the American Royal

and the season finale for the competitive circuit. Spreading over 20 acres in Kansas City's historic Stockyards District, and with nearly 500 teams competing in four culinary contests.

The Royal is the largest barbecue contest in the world. Combine this with a barbecue-related trade expo, this two-day food festival is truly the "World Series of Barbecue."

Go to [www.AmericanRoyal.com](http://www.AmericanRoyal.com)  
 For More Information

## American Royal Pro Rodeo



The American Royal Pro Rodeo is back in Kemper on October 23rd and 24th! See the region's top cowboys and cowgirls compete for almost \$150,000 in prize money! The best of the best will be here to compete in bull riding, barrel racing, bareback and saddle bronc riding, team roping, steer wrestling and tie-down roping. This year's rodeo also includes the crowd favorite, mutton busting, along with funny man Kenny Petet and his Chuckwagon Races.

As the Royal celebrates 60 years of rodeo tradition and 110 years of Kansas City history, we will also pay tribute to all military branches that continue to serve our country year after year. Come early to tail-gate, visit the marketplace, cheer on the racing pigs, or ride your favorite carnival ride. Stay late to see Pat Green or Sara Evans in concert. We'll see you at the rodeo!

## 2009 Calendar Events



- October 1st..... Cattle Drive
- October 3rd ..... Poker Tournament
- October 1st - 4th ..... Barbeque
- October 10th ..... Equine Extravaganza
- October 9th - 11th..... Hunter/Jumper Preview Show
- October 14th - 18th..... Hunter/Jumper Horse Show
- October 15th ..... Wine Auction
- October 17th ..... BOTAR Ball
- October 19th - 24th..... Youth Rodeo
- October 19th - 23rd..... School Tours
- October 23rd ..... Pat Green in Concert
- October 22nd - 24th ..... PRCA Pro Rodeo
- October 22nd - 25th ..... Unbelievable Horse Happening
- October 24th ..... Sara Evans In Concert
- October 24th ..... Family Day
- October 27th ..... Tablesteaks
- October 30th ..... Calf Scramble & Championship Bull Riding
- October 31st..... Chairman's Cowboy Days
- October 27th - November 1st ..... Livestock Show
- November 1st..... Livestock Auction & Championship Bull Riding National Finals
- November 5th ..... Tablesapes Preview Party
- November 6th ..... Tablesapes Luncheon
- November 5th - 8th..... Barrel Race
- November 11th - 14th..... Cutting Horse Show
- November 17th - 21st ..... UPHA Saddle Horse Championship

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## Equine Extravaganza

An evening of special performances presented by The Saddle & Sirloin Club on Saturday, October 10th at 7:30pm at the American Royal Hale Arena.

Come see the:

- Carriage and Driving Society of Greater Kansas City
  - Saddle & Sirloin Club Color Guard
  - Dancing Andalusians
  - Mission Valley Hunt Club with Hounds
  - Reining Horse Group
  - Saddlebreds
  - Royal Friesians of Kansas City
  - Kansas City Dressage Society
  - Appaloosas in Period Indian Dress
- and featuring
- Charro Jerry and Staci Diaz

VIP Party 6-7:30-pm / Private Party in the Stalls  
 \$100 per couple

Appetizers • Wine • Beer • Priority Seating  
 Contact the American Royal at 816-221-9800

**Performance 7:30pm**

Show Tickets Available From Ticketmaster  
 \$15.00 Adults • \$9.00 Ages 5-12



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