

# EXTENSION CONNECTION



#### RANDOLPH COUNTY 4-H FAIR IS JULY 15-22

#### **KNOW BEFORE YOU GO**

#### **4-H Auction Update**

- Due to the fact that appraiser trucks are not guaranteed, we will be having the option of Sale/Home
- All animals sold in the Auction or on an appraiser truck will become ineligible for any further 4-H competitions. This includes animals sold in the Sale/Home option.

#### **Broadcasting Show**

 Great News!!!!! The Randolph County 4-H Shows will be live for all to see from home. Stay tuned to watch shows live on our Purdue Extension Randolph County Facebook Page. Big Thank you to New Lisbon Broadband and Steve Barnes for making this happen

### Stalling in the Barn

 Stalls/pens assignments will be posted in the barns by Wednesday, July 13. You can bring in fair supplies and set up your pens before Friday. This will make unloading go faster.

### **Unloading on Friday (July 15)**

Livestock should enter the fairgrounds via the access drives off of county road 200 South. Trailers loaded with swine should use the west drive and trailers with all other livestock should use the next (middle) drive. Health papers are not needed for animals in Indiana. Animals coming across state lines will need health papers. Rabbits, Poultry and Horses can go directly to the barns and do not need vet checked. All other animals must be visually inspected by the veterinarian before unloading. See Map on page 2

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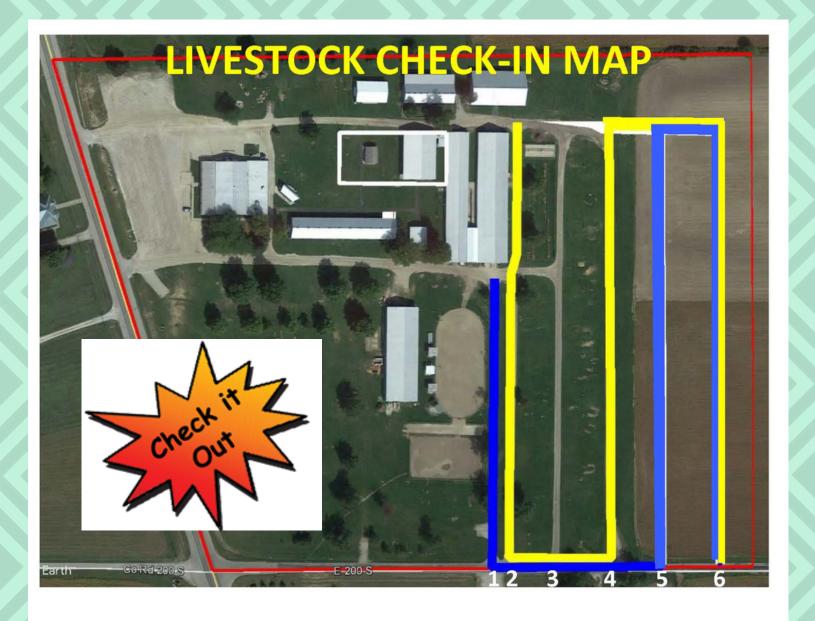
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All Trailers Enter Fairgrounds via 200 South from Hwy 27 (Just like in the past) except pull down to lane 6.

You will travel north on lane 6 and turn around on lane <a href="5">5 (Swine)</a> OR lane <a href="4">4 (Cattle/Sheep/Goats)</a>.

Truck and trailers will wait in line on 4H grounds. You will then be directed to lane 1 or lane 2 for vet check. Then unload like in past years.

NO LIVESTOCK WILL BE ALLOWED TO UNLOAD UNTIL AFTER VET INSPECTION



# ALL LIVESTOCK AND HORSE/PONY MUST ARRIVE ON FRIDAY (JULY 15) FROM

5:00-9:00PM

### WEIGHING & CHECK-IN PROCEDURES

All livestock exhibitors should pick up their weigh-in/entry slips at the time of entry or prior to animal weighing. Slips will be available in the livestock barns and the Extension Office. Please complete all the information on the left hand side of the slip before you weigh or enter your livestock. You will use the slips when you check in your rabbits, poultry, and dairy cattle. These slips will also be used during weigh-in of swine, sheep, beef, dairy beef, and goat.

#### **WEIGH-IN TIMES:**

- Swine will be weighed as they are unloaded on Friday.
- Beef & Dairy Steers will be weighed from 6—10PM on Friday.
- Sheep will be weighed at 8AM on Saturday
- ALL Goats will be weighed immediately following Sheep



**ENTRY/WEIGH IN SLIP** 

### ATTENTION GOAT MEMBERS

All Goats must be checked-in at the scales on Saturday, July 16th. This is how we will break classes and make show orders.



Check-in order will be - Boer Goats, Dairy Goats, Ornamental Goats, Pygmy Goats



### **BEEF EXHIBITORS**



The 4-H Beef Show is considered a Blow and Go Show. Please check the Beef rules if you need further information. All animals will be inspected before entering the show ring. Animals not meeting requirements will not be allowed to show.

• Beef Workshop/Meeting will be held on Sunday (July 17) at 7:30pm in the show ring. All Beef members should plan to attend.

## **4-H Fair Event**

## free diaper distribution

in Randolph County

Sunday, July 17th, 5:30pm - 7pm



\*while supplies last

Randolph County Fairgrounds 1885 US-27, Winchester, IN

Walk up to the stage behind the Best Way Disposal Center.

## AVAILABLE TO ALL IN NEED





curehunger.org | 765.287.8698

In partnership with:



Extension - Randolph County



#### Randolph County Fair 1st Annual Cricket Flinging Contest

Monday, July 18th @ 8:00 pm Register on stage at 7:30 pm Location: Stage



#### Age Divisions:

K-6th grade 7-12th grade 18 years through 40 years old 40+ Years old

Ribbons will be awarded for first, second & third place.



#### FAIR DANCE

Junior Leaders are hosting a dance in the showring on Sunday, July 17 at 9:30am

## MUD VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT



WHEN: SATURDAY AND SUNDAY
JULY 16TH AND 17TH

WHERE: RANDOLPH COUNTY 4-H
GROUNDS

TIME: STARTS AT 6:00PM EAST OF THE SHEEP AND GOAT BARN

PRIZES FOR WINING TEAMS:

TEAM PRE-REGISTRATION

MEDALS/ TROPHIES

PLEASE CONTACT:

TOBY CRAW- (765) 730 6964

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RUTHIE ROSE- (260) 251 3455



REGISTRATION DEADLINE: WAIVERS MUST BE COMPLETED BEFORE 6:00 PM BOTH DAYS

THE PUBLIC IS ENCOURAGED TO COME WATCH THE GAMES!



(Hosted by Randolph Southern FFA)

Monday (July 18th) at 7pm outside the showring



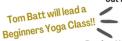
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RANDOLPH COUNTY 4-H FAIR

- When: July 20th @ 7 PM
- Where: Show Ring at the Randolph County Fairgrounds
- Who: \$5 for ANYONE wanting to participate!!
- Register: Call 765-584-2271 to save your spot!

\*Space is limited to first 35 to register & each participant will need to fill out a waiver & consent form\*



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## 2022 Randolph County **4-H Fair Schedule**

#### FRIDAY, JULY 15

5pm-9pm - LIVESTOCK & HORSE & PONY **ADMITTED** 

**6pm** – RCAC Stock Garden Tractor Pull, Tractor Grounds

Livestock Weigh-In Times

5pm-9pm Swine

6pm-9pm Beef/Dairy Beef

All Dairy Cows must be checked in at scales

#### **SATURDAY, JULY 16**

8am - 10pm - Husted Hall Open

9am – 4-H Dog Obedience Show, Show Arena

**10am** – RT2, Husted Hall

12pm - 9:30pm - Commercial Building Open

**1pm -** Threshing, Tractor Grounds

1pm - 3pm - 4-H BBQ Contest, Stage

**2-3pm** – Ice Cream Social, FFA barn

**3pm** – 4-H Poultry Show, Show Arena

TBA - St. Vincent Medical Helicopter Landing, **Tractor Grounds** 

**5pm** – Tractor Dyno Testing, Tractor Grounds

6:00pm - Dress the Goat Contest, Show Arena

**6:00pm** – Mud Volleyball, East of Sheep barn

6:15pm - Opening Remarks, Stage

**6:30pm** – Homemakers Style Show, Stage

**7pm** – 4-H Fashion Revue, Stage

8:30pm – King & Queen Crowning, Stage

#### **SUNDAY, JULY 17**

9:30am – Worship Service, Tractor Grounds

12pm - 10pm - Husted Hall Open

12pm - 9:30pm - Commercial Building Open

1pm - Horse & Pony Grand Entry - Horse Arena

**1pm** -- Mini 4-H Horse & Pony Show, Horse Arena**1pm** - 4-H Tractor Operator Contest

\*immediately following Grand Entry

1pm – 4-H Sheep Show, Show Arena

**12pm-3pm** – Free Photo Booth, Husted Hall

**3:30pm** – 4-H Boer Goat Show – Show Arena \*immediately following the sheep show 4pm - Horse & Pony Awards, Horse Arena

**3pm** – Antique Tractor Pull, Tractor Grounds **6:00pm** – Mud Volleyball, East of Sheep barn

**7pm** – Baby Contest, Stage

#### **MONDAY, JULY 18**

Winchester Veterinary Clinic & Howell Cattle Company Day

8am - 10pm - Husted Hall Open

8am - 4-H Dairy Show, Show Arena

9am – 4-H Horse & Pony Show, Horse Arena

10am - RT2, Husted Hall

10:30am - 4-H Dairy Beef Show, Show Arena

\*or immediately following dairy show

**12 noon** – Free Watermelon, FFA Barn

1pm - 4-H Beef Show, Show Arena

**3pm - 9:30pm** - Commercial Building Open

5 - 8:30pm - Pork Producer Dinner, Homemakers Stand

6pm - Greatest Show, Show arena

7pm - Horse/Pony Pull, Tractor Grounds

**7pm** – Corn Hole Tournament, outside show arena

**8pm** – Cricket Flinging, Stage

#### **TUESDAY, JULY 19**

United Country Real Estate | Wagner Auctioneering & Real Estate Day

8am - 10pm - Husted Hall Open

8am - 4-H Swine Show, Show Arena

9am – 4-H Horse & Pony Show, Horse Arena

**3pm - 9:30pm** - Commercial Building Open

**6pm** – 4-H Dog Agility Show and 4-H Dress the Dog,

7:30pm - Battle of the Barns, Show Arena

#### **WEDNESDAY, JULY 20**

8am - 10pm - Husted Hall Open

9am – Horse & Pony Judging, Horse Arena

9am - Mini 4-H Goat Show, Show Arena

10:30 am - Mini 4-H Sheep Show, Show Arena

**12pm** – Mini 4-H Beef Show, Show Arena

**1:30pm** – Mini 4-H Swine Show, Show Arena

**2pm** – Horse & Pony Contesting, Horse Arena

**3pm - 9:30pm** - Commercial Building Open

**3:30pm** – Mini 4-H Rabbit Show, Show Arena

**7pm** – Goat Yoga, Show Arena

**8pm** – FFA pedal tractor race, Show Arena

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### 2022 Randolph County 4-H Fair Schedule Cont.

#### **THURSDAY, JULY 21**

7am - Release Horse & Pony Only

**8am** – 4-H Dairy Goat & Ornamental Goat Show

**12pm** – 4-H Rabbit Show, Show Arena

**3pm – 5pm** – Release of Exhibits in Husted Hall, Best Way Center

**3pm - 9:30pm** – Commercial Building Open

**6pm** – 10-Year Member Recognition, Show Arena

**7pm** – Round Robin, Show Arena

**9pm -** Release of Non-Selling livestock

#### FRIDAY, JULY 22

**8am - 11am** – Clean Up Fairgrounds

**10am** – Auction Set Up, Husted Hall

**12pm** – Buyer Appreciation Meal, Husted Hall

**1pm** – Livestock Auction, Husted Hall

#### **Fair Reminders:**

- There are no 4-wheelers or golf carts allowed on the 4-H grounds unless prior approval from the executive committee
- There are <u>no</u> dogs allowed on the grounds, except day of show and being shown by exhibitor during a dog obedience/agility show, or being used to assist any handicapped persons or unless prior approval from the executive committee



## YOUTH FOR THE QUALITY CARE OF ANIMALS

This is required for all youth showing beef, dairy, dairy beef, goats, sheep, swine, rabbits and poultry.

We are going to offer in-person trainings at the fairgrounds this summer. You will HAVE TO register for one of our trainings online at **yqcaprogram.org.** In-person trainings will cost \$3.00. If you would rather, you may complete the course online for \$12.00.

You <u>must</u> be certified in YQCA to be able to show at the 2022 Randolph County Fair and/or the Indiana State

Fair. The Extension Office and livestock leaders will be checking certifications before each show. You will **NOT** be allowed to show your animal without this certification so please attend the in-person training or complete it online.

I will be offering the last in-person trainings at the Best Way Center at the Fairgrounds

• Sunday, July 10 at 5pm



## CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR 10 YEAR MEMBERS

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MEMBERS!

WE HAVE 35 MEMBERS THAT HAVE COMPLETED 10
YEARS OF 4-H THIS YEAR. THEY WILL BE
RECOGNIZED ON THURSDAY, JULY 21 AT 6:00PM
IN THE SHOWRING AT THE FAIRGROUNDS. WE WILL
BE BROADCASTING THIS ON OUR FACEBOOK PAGE
SO YOU CAN WATCH FROM HOME IN THE AC.

### LIVESTOCK SALE

#### **Sale Registration:**

- Rabbits, poultry, dairy (milk) will be registered for the sale and appraisal at exhibit check-in
- Swine, beef, dairy beef, sheep and goats will be registered for sale and appraisal at weigh-in.
- A \$10 fee for each animal entered for sale and appraisal must be paid when animals are registered.
- Each 4-H member may sell one (1) animal unit through the sale.
- Entry slips/weigh-in slips will also be used by the sale committee to complete the registration process. This is the entry slip that you use at check-in and weigh-in.



**ENTRY/WEIGH IN SLIP** 

- The Annual 4-H Livestock Auction takes place on Friday, July 22 at 1:00 PM.
- Each year the sale committee works hard to get the most possible money for the livestock projects in this sale. However, as a 4-H'er and a 4-H family, part of the completion of your livestock project is the marketing of your animal to achieve the most profit possible. Should you have businesses or individuals that are interested in contributing to the purchase price of your animal, they can contact the 4-H Livestock Sale Committee and let us know the amount that they would like to contribute toward particular 4-H'ers and their livestock project.
- We are available at any time and will have office hours (in the Conference Room) during the 4-H Fair. If there are businesses that you think we should send a letter to, let the Extension Office know and we will check our database. Have you ever been at the auction and wondered why one project brought more than another? That 4-H'er made that extra effort of asking someone to be at least a contributing bidder. Let's make this the year that you get the highest return on your livestock budget.



Sale Committee Hours will be: Tuesday, July 19— 4-8 PM Wednesday, July 20— 4-8 PM Thursday, July 21— 4-8 PM Friday, July 22—9-11 AM

## BELOW ARE THE ITEMS YOU NEED TO UNDERSTAND FOR THE 2022 LIVESTOCK AUCTION.

- Minimum weights will still be enforced to sale
- A \$10 fee for each animal entered for sale and appraisal must be paid when animals are registered
- If you sign your animal up for the Auction, that animal will become ineligible for the Indiana State Fair.
- Only animals in a market class will be able to enter the Auction.
- Animals entered in the Auction can go home with you and are not required to go on an appraisal truck.
- You will sign-up for the auction during the check-in process on Friday
- Sale order Milk, Cattle, Rabbits, Goats, Sheep, Poultry, Hogs, and Ten year members
- All 4-H members must sell their own unit in the sale, unless previous arrangements have been made with the sale committee approval by Tuesday at 8pm.

### **POULTRY MEMBERS**

We need everyone's help - Barn set up will be on Monday, July 11 beginning at 6pm. Many hands make light work!! Please plan to attend.

Also, the final blood testing will be taking place on July 10 from 2:00-3:00pm in the commercial building on the fairgrounds. Reminder - this is a requirement in order to show at the fair!

### **Rabbits**

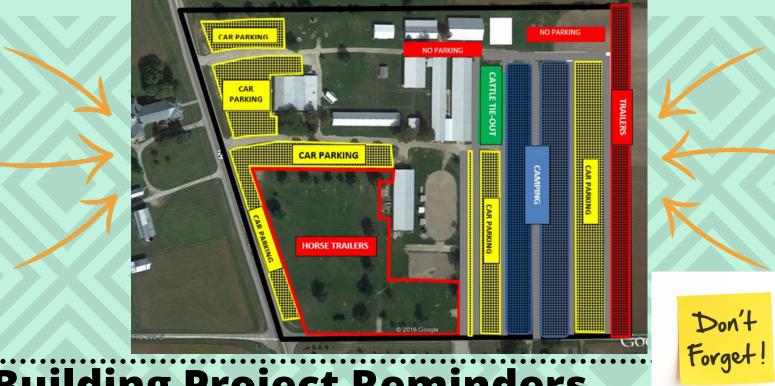
- All 4-H Rabbits need to be tattooed before they can be shown at the 4-H Fair. Please contact a rabbit leader if you still need to have your rabbit tattooed.
- It is going to be a hot fair week and even though there are fans moving air through the barn, you might plan to have frozen water bottles for your rabbits. If you are new to this process here are some tips
  - Water, pop, gatorade, etc plastic bottles work best and take the labels off them. put your initials on the bottle somewhere with a Sharpie. Only fill 3/4 full before freezing as water expands as it freezes.
  - The freezer in the barn is only for frozen bottles, not the melted ones. So plan to have at least a set of spares. Saturday's bottles will generally not be completely refrozen Sunday to be used again. If planning to use 2 sets a day. Your frozen afternoon bottles can be put in the freezer. When you take them out to put in the cages, put your melted bottles under your pens to take home that night to refreeze. At the end of the fair, any frozen bottles left in the freezer will be disposed of, so if you have bottles in the freezer and want them - take them home, please.
- Remember no cedar shavings under the rabbits. The name tags will be on the cages before Friday if you want to come in and set your bedding under the cages. You don't have to pack the shaving to the bottom of the cage. Just enough to soak up the urine. The dirty areas under the rabbit need to be cleaned every dav.
- You are responsible to have feed, feed dispensers (bowls, i-feeders, etc), water dispensers, bedding, a way to clean up your bedding. We do have buckets in the barn for carrying your shavings to the swine or cattle barn deposit areas. Any grooming items that you use for your rabbit(s). Carriers, etc can all be kept under the tables. I recommend putting your name on anything that you value
- Friday evening at check in please have your record sheets to turn in. A responsible adult will need to be present to sign that fur mite treatment was complied with. You have to check in and have your rabbits checked before putting them in their cages. We verify tattoos, and weigh all meat pens and fryers at check in.
- If your rabbit(s) is (are) in the stack cages, there will be room under the tables to store your stuff.
- At the end of the fair when the animals are released, you are responsible for cleaning up your area and helping to collapse the barn. Control of the second

RABBIT BARN SET-UP WILL BE SATURDAY, JULY 9TH AT 9 AM. ALL HELP WILL BE GREATLY APPRECIATED.



#### **DESIGNATED PARKING AREAS BELOW**

#### VEHICLES/TRAILERS WILL BE MOVED IF IN WRONG AREA



## **Building Project Reminders**

- Many projects will have an extended time for checking in. For example, check in for photography is 8-10 am, which means you can come anytime between those two hours. Judging will start at 8:30 am and continue at least through the check-in time. Please take advantage of the extended times to help us alleviate congestion and long waiting times.
- Be sure you bring everything that you may need (record sheet, manual, skill card. etc.), and make sure they are filled out before getting checked in.
- Set aside some time to wait to actually have your project judged. How quickly your project is judged will depend on how many other projects there are, and on the pace of the judge.
- Stick around to talk to the judge. This is a great way to explain your project and also to learn more about your project. The judge may also have some tips or words of advice for next year!

Don't forget to pick up your 4-H Fairbook from the Extension Office to find the fair schedules and project guidelines

### VOLUNTEERS

The Extension Office just wants to give a quick shout out to all the amazing volunteers and Livestock Ambassadors in this county! Randolph County 4-H Volunteers/4-H members ALWAYS do outstanding work.





## MINI 4-H

It is hard to believe that the fair is almost here. Please read the below carefully because it covers important information in regards to Mini 4-H Projects!

**First**, Mini 4-H Building Projects will be judged on Friday, July 15 from 12-2pm.

**Second,** we are hoping to have the mini 4-H shirts (if you ordered one) for pick-up on Friday, July 15th.

**Third**, if you are in mini beef, mini sheep, mini goats, mini rabbits, mini horse or mini swine KEEP READING:

We sent you a letter with two very important forms that we need you to fill out and return to the Extension Office. These forms will help to set up the show classes for the fair and let us make sure we have animals lined up and ready for you to show.

The Mini 4-H Livestock Commitment Forms needs to be filled out and returned to the Extension Office no later than July 11. Please indicate on the form whether or not you have an animal identified for use during the show. Only mark the boxes for the project(s) you are enrolled in.



**The Mini/Exploring 4-H Liability Release Form for livestock** must be signed by a parent or guardian before you can even participate in the livestock show at the fair. This form must be turned in if the mini 4-H member is planning on showing livestock at the fair. **This is a requirement!!!!** 







- Monday, July 18 Winchester
   Veterinary Clinic & Howell Cattle
   Company
- Tuesday, July 19 United Country Real Estate / Wagner Auctioneering
   & Real Estate

## RANDOLPH COUNTY 4-H FAIR 1ST ANNUAL BABY CONTEST

**Sunday, July 17, 2022 @ 7 PM** 

Time: Register @ 6:30 PM- If not turned in early

Contest Starts @ 7 PM

Where: On the Stage @ Randolph County

Fairgrounds - Winchester, IN

**Entry Fee: \$5 Per Child** 



- Entry fee and forms maybe turned into the Extension Office or turned in during registration at 6:30 PM on July 17th.
- FREE diaper distribution sponsored by Second Harvest & Randolph County Child Advocates Center will take place from 5:30 7 PM or while supplies last.
- If you have questions call: 765-584-2271 or email: robin389@purdue.edu
- <u>CIRCLE categories</u> entering and mail or bring this registration form and entry fee to: Purdue Extension Randolph County, 1885 S US Hwy 27, Winchester, IN 47394

**Group 1: Birth to 6 months** 

Happiest Baby Most Hair Chubbiest Cheeks Group 2: 7 to 12 months Starts after Group 1

> Biggest Smile Curliest Hair Fastest Crawler

Group 3: 13 to 18 months Starts after Group 2

> Best Hair Fastest Walker Best Costume

CIRCLE Categories Entering Group 4: 19 to 23 months Starts after Group 3

> Best Hair Prettiest Eyes Best Costume

Group 5: 24 to 36 months Starts after Group 4

Funniest Baby - Share Story Best Costume Sassiest Baby - Share Story

BABY'S NAME:		
BABY'S FAVORITE THING(S) TO DO:		
BABY'S AGE (AS OF JULY 17TH)	MALE	FEMALE
PARENTS/GUARDIANS:		
CELLPHONE #:	Purdue University is	an equal access institution



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WE NEED YOUR HELP

• FAIR SET-UP
MONDAY, JULY 11 FROM
4-8PM

FAIR CLEAN-UP
 FRIDAY, JULY 22

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