March 8, 2024

Dear Boone County 4-H Livestock Exhibitors,

It is time to complete the Indiana Quality Livestock Care Training. The Indiana 4-H Quality Livestock Care program is a comprehensive training **required for all 4-H youth participating in beef cattle, dairy cattle, swine, sheep, meat goats, dairy goats, poultry and rabbit projects at either the county or state fair.**

The program is offered here at the Boone County Fairgrounds. There is a $3.00 fee, which you pay at the door with either cash or check (made out to Purdue University). We are not able to accept card payments for this training.

You will need to pre-register at https://2024INQLCBoone.4honline.com Youth may also register by using the "event" tab on their 4-HOnline account. There are 3 training dates available. Each 4-H'er only needs to attend ONE of the three trainings.

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Dates offered (you only need to attend 1 session)
April 22nd @ 7pm
May 13th @ 7pm
May 28th @ 7pm
*All trainings will take place at the Boone County 4-H Fairgrounds
*Please note- these trainings do not apply to Mini 4-H members (grades K-2)

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If you are unable to make the in-person trainings, you may also complete the online training through YQCA at www.yqcaprogram.org. The cost for this option is $12**. If you choose to complete this training, you MUST email a copy of your certificate by June 15th. Please send to the certificate to bvickery@purdue.edu.**

The goal of the Indiana 4-H Quality Assurance Training program is to help youth understand their responsibility in increasing consumer confidence, animal stewardship, and overall gaining and applying pertinent information and credibility, relating to food systems. The curriculum is relevant and timely with an emphasis on assisting youth in making their best livestock practices even better.

If you have any questions, please feel free to email me at stephanieg@purdue.edu.

Sincerely,

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