

February 17, 2022

Dear Extension Homemaker Members:

Greetings! The 2022 Elkhart County 4-H Fair is July 22-July 30. Your organization is why the Home & Family Arts building is so successful. Having hostesses in the building is important for public relations as well as protection of the exhibits. Open House is **Thursday, July 21 at 7:30 p.m.** The HFA Committee will host this event. Here is what we need from you:

- **Cookies for Open House:** The following 6 clubs will be providing six dozen small drop, bar, or formed cookies this year:
  - Hex Rural, Homemakers of Today, Jefferson, Modern Homemakers, Pie-Gabba-Sew, and Progressive Homemakers
  - Label the container "Open House"
  - Bring to the Home & Family Arts building on Thursday, July 21 by 3:00pm
- **Hostessing during fair:**
  - Your club will receive points for Hostessing.
  - Those who sign up will receive a fair pass for admission through the gate the day they are scheduled. If no admission fee is charged (for example: free entrance on Sunday or Senior Citizen's day), no ticket will be administered but you will still receive club points.
- **Craft and Needlework Demonstrations:**
  - Every day of the fair, July 22-July 30
  - Demonstration times are from 1-3 pm and 4-6 pm. We encourage you to demonstrate both times.
  - Your club will receive points for demonstrating.

#### Here's how to Sign up

- Call the office at 533-0554
- Email Jenn at [fink24@purdue.edu](mailto:fink24@purdue.edu)
- Mail your preferences to us. *(Please remember to mark your first, second, and third Hostessing choices as shifts are filled on a first-come-first-served basis.)*

Looking forward to your many entries at the fair. Have a grand summer!

Sincerely,

Sharol Cloud  
HFA Committee Chairperson

Enclosures: Hostessing Sign-up Sheet