

## 4-H Poultry Club

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**Club Leader:** Valerie Jacobs  
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**Meeting Time:** 7pm  
**Meeting Place:** Elkhart County 4-H Fairgrounds

**Meeting Dates:** 2nd Monday of the month, October through June

October 9, 2023  
November 13, 2023  
December 11, 2023  
January 8, 2024  
February 12, 2024  
March 11, 2024  
April 8, 2024  
May 13, 2024  
June 10, 2024  
July 15, 2024  
October 14, 2024  
November 11, 2024  
December 9, 2024

**New Member Meetings:** 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of the month at 7pm in the Martin Room/ECCC, Elkhart Co. Fairgrounds

January 15, 2024  
February 19, 2024  
March 18, 2024

### Animal Orders/Arrivals:

Geese:	Orders in December	Arrive February/March
Turkeys:	Orders in February	Arrive in March
Ducks & Roasters	Orders in April	Arrive in May
Broilers	Orders in April	Arrive in June
Exhibition Ducks	Orders in December	Arrive in March

### Clinics: TBD

July 7, 2024 at 4:00pm at Valerie's House, "How to Clinic"  
2024 Washing Clinic  
2024 Showmanship Clinic  
2024 Commercial Bird Workshop

**Required Banding Dates:** TBD Updated

July 6, 2024 Exhibition Banding, Pullorum Testing: no turkeys guineas, call ducks or pigeons at 7am-1pm in the Poultry Barn (Always two Saturdays before the Fair)

July 13, 2024 Commercial Banding/weigh in except for Turkey's, at 7am-1pm in the Poultry Barn (Always the Saturday before the Fair)

**Pre-Fair Activities:** TBD

2024 Fair Entry Deadline

2024 Exhibition

2024 Commercial

2024 Carcass Drop off at 4pm-5pm

Barn Set up at 6:30pm

2024 Carcass Pick up @ Rolands **before 5pm**

Carcass Show Awards @ 6:30pm in the Poultry Barn

Barn Set up after Carcass Awards

2024 Poultry Drop Off from 9am-9pm

Turkey weigh in times from 9am-9pm

**Fair Week Activities:** TBD

2024 Exhibition Bird Show at 8am

Showmanship following

2024 Commercial Bird Show 8am

2024 Angry Bird Fly Off at 2:30pm

2024 Chicken Imitation and Crowing Contest at 10am

Costume Contest at 3pm

2024 Egg Cookery Off at 10am

2024 Chicken BBQ at 4:30pm

2024 Chicken Fly Off at 2:30pm

Chicken Round Robin at 5:30pm

Parade of Champions at 6:30pm

Auction Set Up Approximately at 8:30pm in the Sheep/Swine Arena

2024 Auction Meeting in Poultry Barn at 10:15am

Auction at 11:15am

Poultry Check Out 2pm-5pm

2024 Barn Clean Out 7am

**Achievement Banquet:** August 5, 2024 Mennonite/Showalter ECCC at 6:30pm

**Club Focus:** Poultry

**Poultry Advisory Board Meetings: 1<sup>st</sup> Monday on the month at 7:00 p.m. at Clover Hill**

November 6, 2023

February 5, 2024

March 4, 2024

May 6, 2024

June 3, 2024

July 29, 2024

October 7, 2024

November 4, 2024

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