FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER

2026 Fulton County Fair July 11–18th
Building Project Judging June 30 – July 1

Reminders

There are several unpaid enrollment fees. Your children are not fully enrolled until fees are paid.

- If your card did not go through, emails were sent out by Kris Batten, battenk@purdue.edu . Please sign onto 4-H Online at v2.4honline.com and update your card information.
- For those who selected to pay in office, invoices were mailed out. Please either stop in the office or mail your payment to 1009 W 3rd ST, Rochester, IN 46975 or utilize the drop box outside the Community Building door on the South end of the building
- Checks can be made out to Purdue University

PROJECT ADD/DROP DEADLINE
You have till May 15th to add or drop projects. So if your child wanted to sign-up for a project or they have changed their mind on a project, you may go on to 4-H Online and make updates to the projects. If you make any changes please notify the extension office for when we send out project guidelines

Reminders

We encourage you to enroll to continue receiving communications

Visit: https://v2.4honline.com
Or scan the QR Code below

$15 State Enrollment Fee

Steps on how to Enroll:
https://extension.purdue.edu/4-H/get-involved/membership-join-a-club.html

QLC

Goat Clinic Fulton Co - March 7th 2pm-3pm
Caston- March TBD

Teen Leadership Weekend

Teen Leadership Weekend Registration is officially open for the 2026 Teen Leadership Weekend! This trip is an opportunity extended to youth in grades 7-12. Teen Leadership Weekend will take place March 27-29 at Camp Tecumseh in Brookston, Indiana. Due to the generosity of the Indiana 4-H Foundation, the cost to attend this amazing experience is only $50.

Register in 4-H Online

Thank you to the 4-H Council for sponsoring the ear tags for 2026!

Animal Enrollment Deadlines
Species Deadline
All Project and Animal identification 4-H Online Deadline May 15
FairEntry opens May 16, 2026
Building Project Must be Registered in FairEntry.com by June 12, 2026
State Fair Deadline to register all livestock projects without penalty July 1
ALL LIVESTOCK MUST BE REGISTERED IN FairEntry.com— July 1
YQCA & IQLC COMPLETED AND Submit Certificate TO THE OFFICE by July 1

2026 Weigh-in/Tag Dates
Species Date Time Location
Beef & Dairy Steer | Saturday, March 7, 2026 9:00-11:00 a.m. | Fairgrounds
Commercial Non-Registered | Saturday, March 7, 2026 9:00-11:00 a.m. | Fairgrounds
Sheep | Friday, May 1, 2026 5:30-7:00 p.m. | Fairgrounds
All Feeder Calves | Saturday, May 2, 2026 9:00-10:00 a.m. | Fairgrounds
Goats | Saturday, May 2, 2026 9:30-11:30 a.m. | Fairgrounds

During the enrollment process on 4-H Online you are going to notice a few changes in the list of projects. If you have any concerns or questions, please reach out to the extension office at 574-223-3397 or you can email Fultonces@purdue.edu

Mini 4-H

- Mini 4-H is open to all children in kindergarten through 2nd grade. It's a fun way to learn about regular 4-H with NO COST to join.
- Signing up for Mini 4-H in 4-H online is required and allows us to send information out about camp, and more activities, throughout the year.

Seniors

We are working on emailing/mailing out a request for a senior photo and a small questionnaire about your future plans after high school and your favorite 4-H activities/memories. This information is for us to celebrate you by posting in the local newspaper, posting on our Extension 4-H webpage, and hanging up your photo in the community building.

Please return your information to the extension office by April 1st.

PURDUE UNIVERSITY
Extension - Fulton County

Sponsored by Fulton County 4-H Council

Pancake Breakfast

7 - 10 A.M.

FEB 28, 2026

FREE WILL DONATION

Location: Fulton County 4-H Fairgrounds
1009 W Third Street, Rochester, IN 46975

Anyone under the age of 18 must be accompanied by a parent/guardian
EA/EOU

Horse & Pony - Set up Friday night
Dog Club- Clean up 10am-11am
Looking for help 6:45-8:30am 8:30-10:00 am