## Junior Pork Day at Purdue Saturday, March 4, 2023



## Program Agenda

8:30 – 9:00	Registration – Fee \$5.00 – Land O' Lakes, Inc. Center Lobby (New Animal Sciences Meats Lab), Purdue University, 720 Clinic Drive (off Harrison St.), West Lafayette, IN 47907		
9:00	Welcome – Dr. John Blanton, Animal Sciences Dept. Head – Purina Pavilion		
9:15	Group 1 Live Animal Evaluation	Group 2 Carcass Evaluation	Group 3 Hands On Activities
	How to judge prospect pigs, market hogs and gilts	Evaluating pork cuts & carcasses	Ear notching and animal ID
	Evaluate 3 classes of swine	Evaluate 3 meats classes	What's in your Pig's diet?
10:15	Groups Rotate		
11:15	Groups Rotate		
12:15	Lunch -Pork, chips, fruit, ice cream - Purina Pavilion		
1:00	Afternoon Rotations (35-minute sessions – 5 min to walk) –  Group 1 – Making great Brats  Group 2 – Pig Jeopardy  Group 3 – Preparing for Show Day and Swine Showmanship		
1:40	Groups Rotate		
2:20	Groups Rotate		
3:00	Announcements followed by contest awards – Purina Pavilion		

This program is being supported by the Indiana Swine Breed Associations, Indiana Pork Producers Assoc., NSR, NJSA, and the Purdue University Animal Sciences and 4-H Departments. If you have questions or need additional information, please contact Dr. Brian Richert - Extension Swine Specialist at 765-494-4837, <a href="mailto:brichert@purdue.edu">brichert@purdue.edu</a> or Courtney Stierwalt - 4-H Extension Specialist at <a href="mailto:dickerso@purdue.edu">dickerso@purdue.edu</a>

\*\*Masks may be required - depending on current COVID status \*\*

