

2023 Jennings County 4-H Livestock Schedule

Species	Animal Identification (ID) Date	Animal ID entered into 4Honline & Pen Request Deadline	Check-in at Fair	Show Date	Mandatory Auction Picture Session
Beef & Dairy	Friday, February 24 5 - 7 pm Fairgrounds	May 15	Sunday, June 11 10am-Noon	Wednesday, June 14 2 pm Dairy: Heifers, Feeder Calves, Market Steers & Showmanship 5 pm Beef: Heifers 7 pm Beef: Market Show & Showmanship	Wed., June 14 3-4 pm 6-7 pm
Dairy & Meat Goats	Sat., April 29, 9-11 am AND Thurs., May 4, 5-7 pm Sand Creek Elementary School Parking Lot	May 15	Sunday, June 11 Noon-3pm	Monday, June 12 3 pm Dairy Goat Showmanship, Dairy Goat Show 5 pm Meat Goat Showmanship, Pygmy Goat Show 7 pm Meat Goat Show	Mon., June 12 3-4 pm 6:30-8 pm
Horse & Pony	Tuesday, May 9, 6:00pm until finished riding @ Goins Family Farms	May 15	Friday, June 2 (Check-in for show only) OR Sunday, June 11 10am-Noon (Barn & fair week check-in)	Friday, June 2 8 am Halter and Showmanship Noon English & Western Thursday, June 15 10 am Mini Show Noon Contesting	Optional pictures TBD
Lama & Alpaca	No official Animal ID Day. Call Ext Office for assistance with photos	May 15	Saturday, June 10 5-7 pm	Thursday, June 15 at 9 am Showmanship, Llama Halter, Alpaca Halter & Group Classes. ***Fleece class - see handbook	Mon., June 12 3-4 pm
Poultry & Turkey	Thursday, May 11 6-8 pm Sand Creek Elementary School Parking Lot	May 15 (Paper enrollment form and poultry pen request due at animal ID Day)	Sunday, June 11 2-4 pm	Tuesday, June 13 at 9 am Showmanship, Production, Meat Classes and Other Fowl	Tues., June 13 9-10 am
Rabbits	Thursday, May 11 6-8 pm Sand Creek Elementary School Parking Lot	May 15 (Paper enrollment form and rabbit pen request due at Animal ID Day)	Sunday, June 11 Noon - 3 pm	Monday, June 12 at 8 am Showmanship, Breed classes and Meat Classes	Mon., June 12 9-10 am
Sheep	Sat., Apr 29, 9-11 am Sand Creek Elementary School Parking Lot	May 15	Sunday, June 11 12-3 pm	Wednesday, June 14 at 9 am Breeding (Ewes), Market lambs & Showmanship	Wed., June 14 10 am to 11 am
Swine	Thursday, May 4, 5-7 pm Sand Creek Elementary School Parking Lot	May 15	Saturday, June 10 7-8:30 pm	Tuesday, June 13 3:30 pm Gilts 6 pm Barrow Show followed by Showmanship	Mon., June 12 6:30-8 pm (Swine Barn Side)

- ✿ **Indiana 4-H Quality Livestock Care training (IQLC):** All members showing **beef cattle, dairy cattle, dairy goats, meat goats, poultry, rabbits, sheep and swine** must attend one of the 3 offered classes to complete their IQLC training and to show their animal at the fair. (YQCA certifications will still be accepted as some regional and national shows require YQCA. You will have to complete the YQCA training on your own and present proof of completion to the Extension Office prior to checking in at the fair) IQLC will be offered in Jennings County on...
 - Monday, March 20 6pm @ JC Public Library**
 - Thursday, April 20 6pm @ JC Public Library**
 - Saturday, May 20 8am @ Livestock Arena** (Before pre-fair clean-up)
- ✿ **Pre-Fair Clean-Up:** Saturday, May 20, 9:00am to when everything is cleaned and ready for the fair. Cleaning will include livestock areas, display units stored in outer buildings and the Junior Leaders' Food Stand.
- ✿ **Livestock Check-in:** Dates/times are listed above. If you must make more than one trip to the fair with animals, exceptions to check-in times must be pre-approved by the species superintendents and 4-H Educator.
- ✿ **BBQ Contest:** Friday, June 9 at 3:00pm members can set up at the Pavilion for the contest. Judging will take place at 5:00pm
- ✿ **Cat Show:** Will take place in the Show Arena. Registration will begin at 6pm and the show will begin at 6:30pm.
- ✿ **Static Project Check-in:** Check-in and judging will take place at Sand Creek Elementary. Early check-in is Friday, June 9, 5:00-7:00pm. Junior Leader project judging Saturday, June 10, 9:30-10:00am. Open project judging June 10, 10:00am-12:00(noon).
- ✿ **Mini 4-H Members:** Static Project Judging, Friday, June 9 **5:00-7:00pm**, at Sand Creek Elementary
The showmanship order for most species is: Junior, Senior, Expert, Novice, Mini 4-H and Open Show. See schedule on back for dates and times. Horse and Pony Mini 4-H showmanship is before the Contesting show.
- ✿ **Community Building Set-up:** Sunday, June 11, 8:00am until projects are moved and ready for display. ******Volunteers Needed!** ****
- ✿ **Static Project Transfer from Sand Creek to Community Building:** For those who choose to move their projects themselves or who are asked to move their project themselves, will be able to do so from 2:00-6:00pm Sunday, June 11 or 7:00-9:00am Monday, June 12. Any project not moved by 9:10am on Monday, June 12 will be moved regardless of preference.
- ✿ **Indiana State Fair 4-H Livestock Shows:** Information on show entries, schedules and more can be found by visiting the following website: <https://www.indianastatefair.com/p/state-fair/competitions--contests/4-h-competitions-entry-information> The state fair dates are July 28-August 20, 2023 (closed Mondays & Tuesdays).
- ✿ **Grooming Demonstration:** Thursday, June 15. 5:00 pm
- ✿ **Goat Milk Production Contest:** Thursday, June 15, Milk Out 7:00am, Contest 6:00pm
- ✿ **Supreme Showman Contest:** Thursday, June 15, 6:30 pm in the show arena
- ✿ **Auction:** Friday, June 16: Registration 4:30pm; Buyer Dinner 5:00pm; Awards 5:30pm; Auction Starts at 6:00 pm
Auction order for 2023 is: sheep, poultry, beef & dairy, horse & pony, llama, dairy goat, meat goat, rabbit, swine
- ✿ **Livestock Check-Out and Barn Clean-Up:** Saturday June 17, 9 am- noon (unless other arrangements made with your species superintendent)
- ✿ **Community Building Awards/Project Check-Out:** Monday, June 19 at 6:00 PM. Projects released after awards ceremony. Clean-up and removal of display units will follow. ******Volunteers Needed!** ****
- ✿ **Dog Show:** Saturday, June 24, 9:30am, Livestock Show Arena
- ✿ **Tractor Contest:** Friday, July 7, 6:00pm, Dave and Jenny Vogel's Home