



# SOUTHWEST INDIANA HOMESTEADING CONFERENCE

MARCH 9, 2024 - FRIEDMAN PARK EVENT CENTER

## AGENDA

Time(Central)	Lakeside Ballroom	Fireside Ballroom
7:50 am	Welcome - Lakeside Ballroom Only	Amanda Mosiman
8:00am-8:50am	<b>Intensive vegetable production</b> Sarah Brackney, Purdue Extension-Daviess County	<b>Cover cropping</b> Holly McCutcheon-Warrick County Soil and Water Conservation District
9:00am-9:50am	<b>Tree fruit-production and storage</b> Amanda Mosiman, Purdue Extension-Warrick County	<b>Indiana Small Business Development Center</b> Danielle Powell, ISBDC Sara Dzimianski, Purdue Extension-Perry County
10:00am-10:50am	<b>Beekeeping</b> Gina Anderson, Purdue Extension-Floyd County	<b>Storage crops: post-harvest handling and storage techniques</b> Amanda Bradshaw-Burks, Purdue Extension-Vanderburgh County
11:00am-noon	<b>Lunch</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
12:00pm-12:50pm	<b>Rainwater collection and storage</b> Megan Ritterskamp, Posey County Soil and Water Conservation District	<b>Organic gardening</b> Amy Rhodes, Purdue Extension-Posey County
1:00pm-1:50pm	<b>Backyard chickens</b> Amanda Mosiman, Purdue Extension-Warrick County	<b>Growing gourmet mushrooms for food and profit</b> Sarah Brackney, Purdue Extension-Daviess County
2:00pm-2:50pm	<b>Soil health and composting</b> Amanda Bradshaw-Burks, Purdue Extension-Vanderburgh County	<b>Small Fruit Crops - Brambles, etc</b> Nick Held, Purdue Extension-Spencer County