

March 18, 2022

Dear 4-H Llama Exhibitor:

As you prepare your Llama project, please read over this letter carefully to ensure that you're meeting all the requirements for the project. As always, if you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact the new Llama superintendents, Adam Bumb (812 460-6979) or Mallory Bumb (270 860-6749) or the Purdue Extension Office at (812) 867-4935.

Animal Identification:

Enclosed you will find the animal ID instructions to identify your animals in 4-H Online. Ensure that your animals have met the animal ID requirements listed below. You can find a video on animal ID at <https://extension.purdue.edu/4-H/projects/animal-identification.html>.

Species	County Fair Requirements	State Fair Requirements	Deadline
Llama and Alpaca	2 Color Pictures of animal (showing face and all 4 feet)	2 Color Pictures of animal (showing face and all 4 feet)	May 16

Animals not enrolled by May 16 cannot be exhibited at the county or state fair.

Lease Agreements:

If you are leasing your animal, 4-H members are required to submit a copy of their Animal Lease Agreement to the Purdue Extension Office by **May 16**. A sample lease agreement is available online <https://tinyurl.com/animalleaseagreement> OR at the Purdue Extension Office.

Llama & Alpaca Events:

Mark your calendars for the following events:

- Workshop: June 15 from 6:00 – 7:30 pm, 4-H Center Industrial Building
- Workshop: July 13 from 6:00 – 7:30 pm, 4-H Center Industrial Building
- Painting Gates: July 10 at 10:00 am, 4-H Center Industrial Building

State Fair Information:

Information about State Fair entries and the electronic entry forms can be found online at <http://www.indianastatefair.com/state-fair/competitionscontests/4-h-competitions/>. Be sure to carefully read the State Fair requirements to ensure that your animal meets the requirements and you understand the fee schedules.

If you know of someone who is taking Llama for the first year, please let us know so we can send them this information.

Sincerely,



Megan Hoffherr
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Enclosure: Animal ID Instruction Sheet
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