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SEE YOU AT THE FAIR!

Fair Season is about to be in full swing around Indiana! I hope that you are making plans to be at the Posey County Fair July 18-23, 2022. Open Class Exhibits can be brought to the fair on Sunday, July 17th.

Struggling to pay all your bills at the end of the month and often wonder, Where did my Money go? Join us in June at Family Matters for the *Where Does My Money Go?* program. Register now by calling Family Matters and speaking to Beth. Complete the class, and you will receive your registration fees back thanks to a Grant through Family Matters.

Interested in Home Food Preservation? Be sure to check out the upcoming class. Stay safe and be sure to wear sunscreen.

I want to personally thank the Domestic Doers for 65 years of pubic service to Posey County!

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BITS FROM BETH

Hello, Posey County Homemakers!

We are rushing headlong into the busiest season of the year for Extension Homemakers, with Open Class and Fair Meals on the horizon.

Included in this newsletter is information about Open Class exhibits. Please encourage everyone you know to bring an item – or items! – to show off their many talents. And that includes you – handcrafted items are so special, and the community likes to see what is happening. Photographs, quilts, gardening/canning items, furniture, and projects by kids are all welcomed. Let's try to have more items than available tables to place them on – wouldn't that be a great problem for us to have! Items will be entered on Sunday, 17 from 2-4 p.m; just so you know, it will either be 110 degrees in the shade, or storming that afternoon, so be prepared! (Historically, this is how that afternoon goes!!)

We will again be serving our delicious meals on Wednesday and Thursday evening and Friday at noon (July 20, 21, and 22). Work schedules will be available at the President's Luncheon on June 14th. More information about the President's Luncheon will be mailed to the club presidents.

County Secretary Marilyn Schmitzer and I will be attending Home and Family Conference in Indianapolis June 6-8. Marilyn is the recipient of the District First-Timer award – congratulations, Marilyn!!! Friendship Circle members Nancy English and Jenny Burris will be joining us, as well. We will have a report for you at a later date. There are many great sessions and entertainment scheduled; we are looking forward to sharing all the news with you!

Congratulations to Linda Temme as the 2022 Posey County Extension Homemaker of the Year! Linda is a member of Town and Country Extension Homemakers club and has served as its president a time or two! She is involved in many community activities, and can always be counted on to provide support and assistance to her club members.

And congratulations to Maci Potter, granddaughter of Friendship Circle member Cheryl Potter, as the 2022 Scholarship Award winner. Best wishes to Maci as she continues her education.

Thank you to Mary McGrew, Marilyn Schmitzer, and Jaina Paciorkowski who will be assisting me as officers for the 2022-2023 program year. You ladies are amazing!!

We were so pleased to welcome the Indiana Extension Homemakers State President Jan Gogel to Achievement Night. Jan installed our officers by comparing us to the many important parts of a quilt. Thank you, Jan, for sharing the evening with us.

Thank you, Homemakers, for all the joy and knowledge you bring to those in your lives – family, friends, and community. Our lives are all richer because of you.
Beth

Upcoming meetings/events:

President's Dinner - June 14th

Posey County 4-H Fair – July 18-23

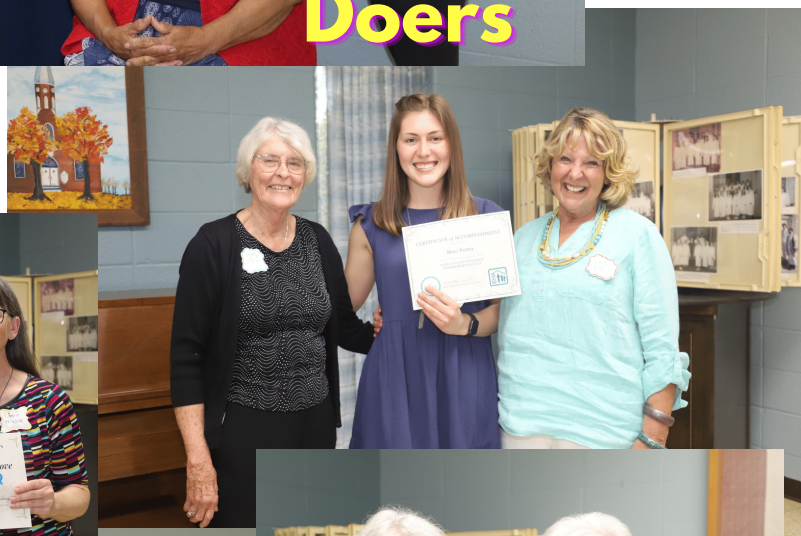
National Volunteer Outreach Network (NVON) National Conference – July 25-17. Save the date – more details later!!!!

Council meeting – August 9, 2022

Achievement Night

Thank you!

65 YEARS!



Homemaker of the Year

EXTENSION HOMEMAKERS' OPEN CLASS EXHIBITS

2022 Committee: Council

1. All entries are received on Sunday, July 17, 2:00 to 4:00 p.m.
2. Open Class Exhibits will be judged Monday morning, July 18.
3. Entries may not be checked out before Thursday, July 21 at 7:00 p.m. Please pick up your exhibits between 7:00 and 9:00 p.m. that night. We are not responsible for items left after 9:00 p.m.
4. There will be an entry fee of $1 per item.
5. If an article is not listed below, it may not be entered for display except in Department XI (Miscellaneous).
6. Ribbons will be given to all exhibits. One Special Merit ribbon may be awarded in each category for excellence, with $2 prize money accompanying this ribbon. Each article will be judged on its own merit.
7. The decisions of the judges will be final.
8. Management will not be responsible for any losses or damages that may occur to the exhibited articles. All exhibits must have been made since the 2021 Posey County 4-H Fair.
9. Persons of any age or place of residence are eligible to enter one or more classes. The exhibitor must make the article, or the article may be the work of several people, including the exhibitor.
10. Unless otherwise specified, all food items will be auctioned Monday evening at the 4-H Food Auction. A small portion of the food will be used for judging and display purposes. Food items should be on paper plates or aluminum pie pans.
11. Food exhibits must follow the Food Safety Rules. Home-canned fruits, vegetables, or meats are not permitted in products. Recipes must be provided for Dept. VI-Foods.

DEPT. I - SEWING (By Machine)

Garment Construction
Machine Embroidery
Pillows & Pillowcases
Totes, Purses & Bags
Table Runners & Wall Hangings
Miscellaneous

DEPT. II - NEEDLEWORK (By Hand)

Afghans
Crocheted Articles
Counted Cross Stitch
Embroidery (includes crewel work)
Knitting
Smocking
Miscellaneous

DEPT. III - QUILTING

A. HAND QUILTED
- Embroidered
  - Machine
  - Hand
- Machine Pieced
- Hand Pieced
- Appliqué

B. MACHINE QUILTED
- Embroidered
  - Machine
  - Hand
- Machine Pieced
- Hand Pieced
- Appliqué

C. SMALL QUILTED ARTICLES
- Baby Quilt
- Throws
- Pillows
- Table Runners & Wall Hanging
- Painted/Preprinted Panels

D. JOINT EFFORT QUILTS
- Hand Quilted
  - Embroidered
    - Machine
    - Hand
  - Machine Pieced
  - Hand Pieced
  - Appliqué
- Machine Quilted
  - Embroidered Machine
    - Hand
  - Machine Pieced
  - Hand Pieced
  - Appliqué

E. MISCELLANEOUS QUILTING

DEPT. IV - FINE ARTS

Painting- Acrylic, Oil, Water Color Pastel & Chalk

Pencil Drawing
Sculpture
Miscellaneous

DEPT. V - CRAFTS

A. Fabric (Not Sewn)
Decorative Flowers
Purses
Soft Structure Articles
Pillows
Sweatshirts
Miscellaneous

B. Painting
Textile
Tole Painting
Ceramics
China Painting
Paint-By-Number
Miscellaneous

C. Other Crafts
Christmas Ornaments
Connectable Building Blocks
Gourd Art
Hanging Decorations
Metal Crafts
Models
Rugs
Scrapbook/Memory Book
Table Centerpieces
Wood Carving
Wood Craft
Wreaths
Miscellaneous

D. Recycled Crafts or Art

E. Crafts made By Children

DEPT. VI - FOODS

A. Bread
Sweet Yeast Bread
(6 sweet rolls, etc.)
Yeast Bread
(loaf or 6 dinner rolls)
Quick Bread (loaf, 6 muffins, 6 biscuits, etc.)
Bread Machine
Miscellaneous

B. Cakes
White
Yellow
Chocolate
Sponge
Angel Food
Chiffon
Decorated (appearance only)
Miscellaneous

C. Cakes (Created with a Mix)
White
Yellow
Chocolate
Sponge
Miscellaneous

D. Candy
Fudge (6)
Divinity (6)
Miscellaneous (6)

E. Pies
(NO CUSTARD OR CREAM)
Fruit
Miscellaneous

F. Cookies
Drop (6)
Bar (6)
Molded (6)
Cut-Out (6)
Refrigerator (6)
Other (6)

DEPT. VII - FLOWERS

Specimen Display (single flower)
Fresh Flowers bouquet
Dried Flowers
Terrariums
Plants

DEPT. VIII - FURNITURE

Upholstering
Caning
Refinishing
Construction

DEPT. IX - FOOD PRESERVATION

JARDEN HOME BRANDS AWARDS PRESENTED AS AVAILABLE.

Pickles
Salsa
Jellies, Jams & Preserves
Vegetables
Juice
Fruit

DEPT. X - MOUNTED PHOTOGRAPHY

A. Black & White
Landscape
Still Life*
Portrait
Action

B. Color
Landscape
Still Life*
Portrait
Action

C. Digitally Altered
Landscape
Still Life*
Portrait
Action

*Inanimate/unmovable object; i.e. flowers, vases, etc.

DEPT. XI - MISCELLANEOUS

Any item not listed in any other department.

DEPT. XII - CROPS

A. Corn
Stalk
1-Gallon Jar

B. Soybeans
3 Plants with roots
1-Gallon Jar

C. Wheat
20 heads, 10 inches long
1-Gallon Jar

D. Sunflower
1 head

DEPT. XIII - GARDEN

Beets, 5
Beans, Plate of 20 Pods
Cabbage, Head
Cantaloupe, 1
Corn, 5 Ears
Carrots, 5
Cucumbers, 5
Eggplant, 1
Peas, Plate of 20 Pods
Peppers, 5
Onion, 5
Potatoes, 5
Squash, 1 Large or 5 Small
Tomatoes, 5
Watermelon, 1
Other Vegetables
Fruits
Best Basket Display - Five (5) or more kinds of vegetables

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FAMILY MATTERS
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Where Does Your Money Go?

Purdue Extension and Family Matters of Posey County would like to help you learn money managerment skills. This two session program is designed to help consumers better understand how they spend their money. Program activities include determining your spending priorities and habits as well as creating a spending-savings plan.

Classes: June 1st and 15th Time: 12 p.m.
Location: Family Matters of Posey County
716 Locust St. P.O. Box 392, Mt. Vernon, Indiana
Cost: $15 per person needs to be sent when registering for the class. Local grant funds will reimburse registration fees for participants that finish the course on June 15th.Any questions about this, please call Family Matters

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ServSafe National Restaurant Association

ServSafe Food Manager 1-day Class & Examination

This class and examination is for the ServSafe Food Protection Manager certification. This certification is recognized by the State of Indiana to become a "certified food handler".

2021-2022 class and examination dates

August 10, 2021	Vanderburgh County 4-H Center
October 4, 2021	Daviess County 4-H Fairgrounds
October 18, 2021	Daviess County 4-H Fairgrounds *Spanish class*
December 3, 2021	VU Agricultural Center, Vincennes *
	No class, exam only - 1PM ET
January 24, 2022	Gibson County 4-H Fairgrounds
March 21, 2022	Daviess County 4-H Fairgrounds
April 23, 2022	Daviess County 4-H Fairgrounds *Spanish class*
June 13, 2022	VU Agricultural Center, Vincennes

All classes begin at 8:30 local time and exams begin at approximately 4PM local time unless otherwise noted. See reverse for course costs.

For more information and registration links visit:
www.purdue.edu/servsafe/workshops

You must score 75 percent or greater to earn the certificate. The certification is valid for five years. A photo ID with signature is required to take the exam (driver license, state ID, student ID, military ID, employee ID, U.S. green card, or valid passport).

For questions, contact your nearest Purdue Extension ServSafe Educator

Daviess County
Jennifer Stefancik, 812-254-8668

Gibson County
Andrew Hays, 812-385-3491

Knox County
Tonya Short, 812-882-3509

Vanderburgh County
Meagan Brothers, 812-435-5287

Warrick County
Jo Gilreath, 812-897-6101

or visit www.purdue.edu/servsafe

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Parents Forever is an educational program for families experiencing divorce, separation, or a change in custody.

2022 CALENDAR

March 28	9:00 - 1:00 CST / 10:00-2:00 EST ***EVPL Central*** ***200 SE Martin Luther King Jr Blvd, Evansville***
April 8	12:00-4:00 CST / 1:00-5:00 EST ***EVPL Red Bank*** ***120 S Red Bank Rd, Evansville***
April 25	9:00 - 1:00 CST / 10:00-2:00 EST ***EVPL Central*** ***200 SE Martin Luther King Jr Blvd, Evansville***
May 2	3:30-7:30 CST / 4:30-8:30 EST ***EVPL McCollough*** ***5115 Washington Ave, Evansville***
May 17	12:00-4:00 CST / 1:00-5:00 EST ***Boonville Warrick County Public Library*** ***611 W Main St., Boonville***
June 15	12:00-4:00 CST / 1:00-5:00 EST ***Food Court Meeting Space*** ***Daviess County 4-H Grounds*** ***1 4-H Way, Washington***

Cost: $50 per participant

For more information:

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Food Court Meeting Space
Daviess County 4-H Grounds
1 4-H Way, Washington

June 23 8:00-12:00 CST / 9:00-1:00 EST
Dubois County
(exact location TBD)

July 7 12:00-4:00 CST / 1:00-5:00 EST
Boonville Warrick County Public Library
611 W Main St., Boonville

July 19 9:30-1:30 CST / 10:30-2:30 EST
Vanderburgh County
(exact location TBD)

August 3 8:00-12:00 CST / 9:00-1:00 EST
*****BILINGUAL - English/Spanish*****
Dubois County
(exact location TBD)

August 18 9:30-1:30 CST / 10:30-2:30 EST
Vanderburgh County
(exact location TBD)

September 7 8:00-12:00 CST / 9:00-1:00 EST
Dubois County
(exact location TBD)

September 28 9:30-1:30 CST / 10:30-2:30 EST
Alexandrian Public Library
115 W 5th St, Mt Vernon

October 11 2:00-6:00 CST / 3:00-7:00 EST
Pike County 4-H Building
1211 W State Rd 56, Petersburg

October 26 8:00-12:00 CST / 9:00-1:00 EST
*****BILINGUAL - English/Spanish*****
Dubois County
(exact location TBD)

November 10 12:00-4:00 CST / 1:00-5:00 EST
Food Court Meeting Space
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Precious Poseys - 2022	Second Wednesday 1-3 p.m.	Second Saturday 9-11 a.m.	Fourth Wednesday 9-11 a.m.	Club
January	13	9	27	Members on the Move
February	10	13	24	Roadrunners
March	10	13	24	Town & Country
April	13	16	27	Busy Homemakers
May	11	14	25	Domestic Doers
June	8	11	22	Friendship Circle
July	13	9	27	Friendship Circle
August	10	13	24	Busy Homemakers
September	14	10	28	Members on the Move
October	12	8	26	Roadrunners
November	9	12	16 (3rd Wednesday)	Town & Country
December	14	10	21 (3rd Wednesday)	Busy Homemakers