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October-November 2025

Dear Posey County 4-H Families,

Hello my name is Andrew Weinzapfel and I am your new 4-H & Youth Development Extension Educator in Posey County. I am very excited to take on this new role after 32 years of teaching in public schools. I live in St. Philip on the family farm with my wife Holly, and have 3 children: Bonnie, Emily, and Drew.

Welcome to all new 4-H Families! Please be sure to read this newsletter to stay up-to-date on all 4-H happenings! If you have any questions, reach out to myself or your club leaders.

As we continue to plan for this year's events, communication will be sent through 4-H Online. Please make sure **to keep your email address updated** as this is the best way to receive up-to-date communication. Also, be sure to check out the Purdue Extension-Posey County Facebook page and <https://extension.purdue.edu/posey> for more information.

You will notice some events are planned for 2026. Please hold the dates on your calendar and more information for sign-ups will come in the near future. I just wanted you to be able to put dates on your calendars for now.

I very much appreciate the warm welcome I have received in my new role. The people I have met are sincere in wanting to make a great 4-H program even better. Feel free to share this link and our Facebook posts with your family and friends. Please reach out to me with any questions.

Sincerely,

Andrew Weinzapfel

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Upcoming dates

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<p><u>October 2025</u></p> <p>Oct 1: 4-H Registration</p> <p>Oct 2: 4-H Council (PCCEC)</p> <p>Oct 5-11: National 4-H Week</p> <p>Oct 9: Junior Leaders (PCCEC)</p> <p>Oct 28: 4-H Banquet (PCCEC)</p>	<p>All participants and volunteers</p> <p>7:00 pm</p> <p>WEAR YOUR GREEN</p> <p>7:00 pm</p> <p>5:30 pm</p>
<p><u>November 2025</u></p> <p>Nov. 6: 4-H Council Meeting (PCCEC)</p> <p>Nov. 13: Jr. Leaders (Keck Gonnerman)</p> <p>Nov. 27: Thanksgiving</p>	<p>7:00 PM</p> <p>7:00 PM</p> <p>All Day</p>
<p><u>December 2025</u></p> <p>Dec. 4: 4-H Council Meeting</p> <p>Dec: Junior Leaders</p>	<p>7:00 PM</p> <p>TBA</p>
<p><u>January 2026</u></p> <p>January 15th 4-H registration deadline</p>	<p>All participants and volunteers</p>
<p><u>June 2026</u></p> <p>June 1-3 4-H Camp</p>	
<p><u>July 2026</u></p> <p>Jul 12-18 Posey County Fair</p>	
<p><u>August 2026</u></p> <p>Aug 7- 23 Indiana State Fair</p>	

***dates are subject to change**

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Update future events and your calendar by checking the following:

- Your email
- [extension website](#)
- Purdue Extension-Posey County Facebook page



4-H Enrollment

Parents can go to 4-H Online (<https://v2.4honline.com>)

Enroll/Re-Enroll youth in 4-H for 2026 **PLEASE PAY ELECTRONICALLY**

Starts: October 1, 2025

Ends: January 15, 2026

Certificated adult volunteers need to go into 4-H Online to re-enroll as an adult volunteer and to sign your 2026 Adult Behavior Expectations by January 15.

If you do not have internet access, please contact the Extension Office (812-838-1331) so we can help!

OCTOBER 1ST
4-H ENROLLMENT
IS OPEN!

COME JOIN THE FUN THIS YEAR
WITH 4-H! CONTACT YOUR LOCAL
PURDUE EXTENSION OFFICE FOR
MORE INFORMATION.



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2025
POSEY COUNTY 4-H

Achievement Banquet

All 4-Hers and families are
invited to attend

**October 28th
5:30 PM at the PCCEC**

Please rsvp by October 10th

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POSEY COUNTY 4-H

Junior Leaders

Fall Call Out Meeting

Date: October 9th

Time: 7-8:30 PM

Where: PCCEC

BRING A
FRIEND

SNACKS

Junior Leaders is for 4-H'ers in grades 7th-12th. Join us at the call out meeting to learn more about Junior Leaders!



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Volunteers

Needed

What makes 4-H special is the volunteers. We can not make a great program better without you. Please consider being a volunteer and encouraging others to take on leadership roles in 4-H. We are currently in need of volunteers for the following roles:

- Second leader for Blazing Saddles club
- Second leader for Diligent Ones club
- Superintendent for Rabbit
- Superintendent for Poultry
- Tarty Tuckers club is looking for new volunteers to fill their Leadership roles! This club has been active for over 100 years and if new leadership is not found, we will have to pause or disband the club.

If you or someone you know would be good to fill these roles, please contact me!

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Randolph County Fall Classic

Open Beef Show

Saturday, October 11, 2025
12 Noon

Randolph Co. Fairgrounds
Winchester, IN



Judge: Scott Burks



- Entry Fee: \$40 per head
- Prospect Heifers (2025) Shown by breed
- Breeding Heifers (2024) Shown by breed
- Prospect Steers (800 lb. limit) Shown by breed
- Must be 4 of a breed to make a breed class. Less than 4 will be in AOB class.
- Exhibitors tying outside the barn must clean up bedding; no bedding will be provided
- Cattle may arrive anytime beginning Friday, Oct. 10
- Entries close at 9:00 AM Saturday, Oct. 11

EVERY
Class Winner
\$100

Class Winner \$100

Grand/Reserve Prospect Heifer \$300/\$200
Grand/Reserve Breeding Heifer \$200/\$100
Grand/Reserve Prospect Steer \$300/\$200

Check out the
**State Line
Smackdown**
October 12th
Van Vert, OH
Just a short drive for a
Sunday show!



Show Information:

Roger Gough – 765-748-5032
Dan Dawson – 765-749-9810
Mark DeHaven – 765-914-4300

Concessions available on grounds.
Randolph Inn and Suites – 765-584-8281