



The Scoop

Boone County 4-H Newsletter



Welcome



Upcoming Events

June 11th-13th: 4-H Academy

June 11th-13th: 4-H Camp

June 23rd-25th: 4-H Round Up

Pre- Fair- Project Check in-July 11th-19th

Boone County 4-H Fair-July 20th-26th

Indiana State Fair- August 1st-17th



Welcome



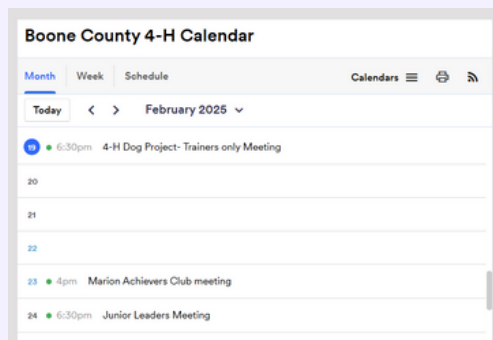
Kasey!



We are so excited to announce that Kasey Dulin is our 2025 Boone County 4-H Summer Assistant. Kasey will be working with us through the summer 4-H months, until the beginning of August. Kasey is from Kirklin, IN and was a Boone County ten year 4-H member. During her time in 4-H she showed many large animal species, completed various indoor projects, and held various leadership positions throughout her clubs. She was a 2024 graduate of Western Boone where she was also a five year FFA member. Kasey attended Vincennes University where she studied agriculture and is transferring to Purdue University this fall to study agriculture education. In her free time, Kasey enjoys baking, cake decorating, attending open shows with her lamas, and spending time with her friends and family.

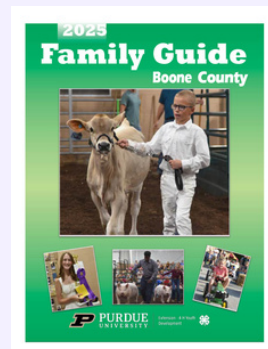
Click the link below to access the latest 4-H information!

2025 Boone County 4-H Handbook!



4-H Calendar and Website!

New Member Resource Page



2025 4-H Fair Schedule!



FAIR ENTRY

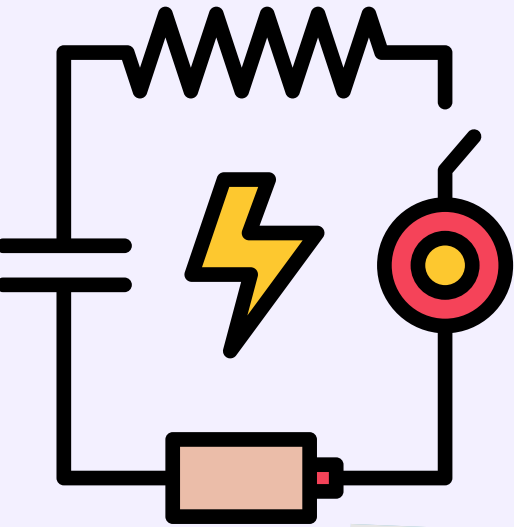
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OPEN!

Open June 1st – Closes July 8th

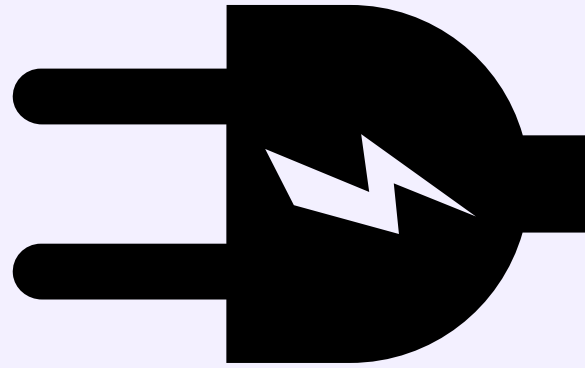


Step-by-step instructions

4-H Supplies Available



**Electric &
MINI 4-H
Kits**



**Poster Board
(22" X 28")
\$4**

**Plastic Sleeve
(Poster & Salon Size)
\$1**



**at the Purdue
Extension Office-
Boone County**

**Monday- Friday from 8-4PM.
We accept cash or check.**

LET'S TALK POSTERS!



Tips for Making 4-H Posters with Impact!

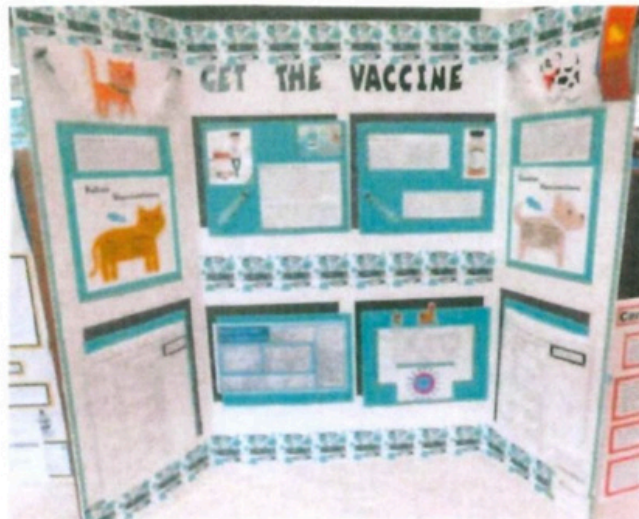
Workshops will be held from 7:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. in the small dining room in the Community Building.

June 19th

walksa@tds.net

Sharon Walker
(317)-513-0806

(317)-769-6660



Volunteers Needed



Woodworking



Aerospace



**Photography
co-leader**

**Additional Leader for Center Trailblazers
Additional leader for the Union Innovators**



If you are interested in volunteering in one of
these roles email
Stephanie Gay, 4-H Youth Extension educator
at stephanieg@purdue.edu or check out our
NEW Volunteer Website!

Boone County

4-H HARLOS

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Application Period Open

**JUNE
1ST-
JUNE
15TH**

Apply for assistance
with your 4-H
program, club, project
or facility!

MORE INFO ON THE
PURDUE
EXTENSION-BOONE
COUNTY WEBSITE

<https://extension.purdue.edu/county/boone/4-H-Youth-Development/4-H--Youth--Development.html>



BOONE COUNTY 4-H

GARAGE SALE



DROP OFF DATES

**SAT.
JUNE
7TH**
10AM-5PM

**SUN.
JUNE
8TH**
1PM-5PM

**MON.
JUNE
9TH**
12PM-8PM

**TUES.
JUNE
10TH**
12PM-8PM

**WED.
JUNE
11TH**
9AM-12PM

SALE DATES

**THUR.
JUNE
12TH**
4PM-8PM

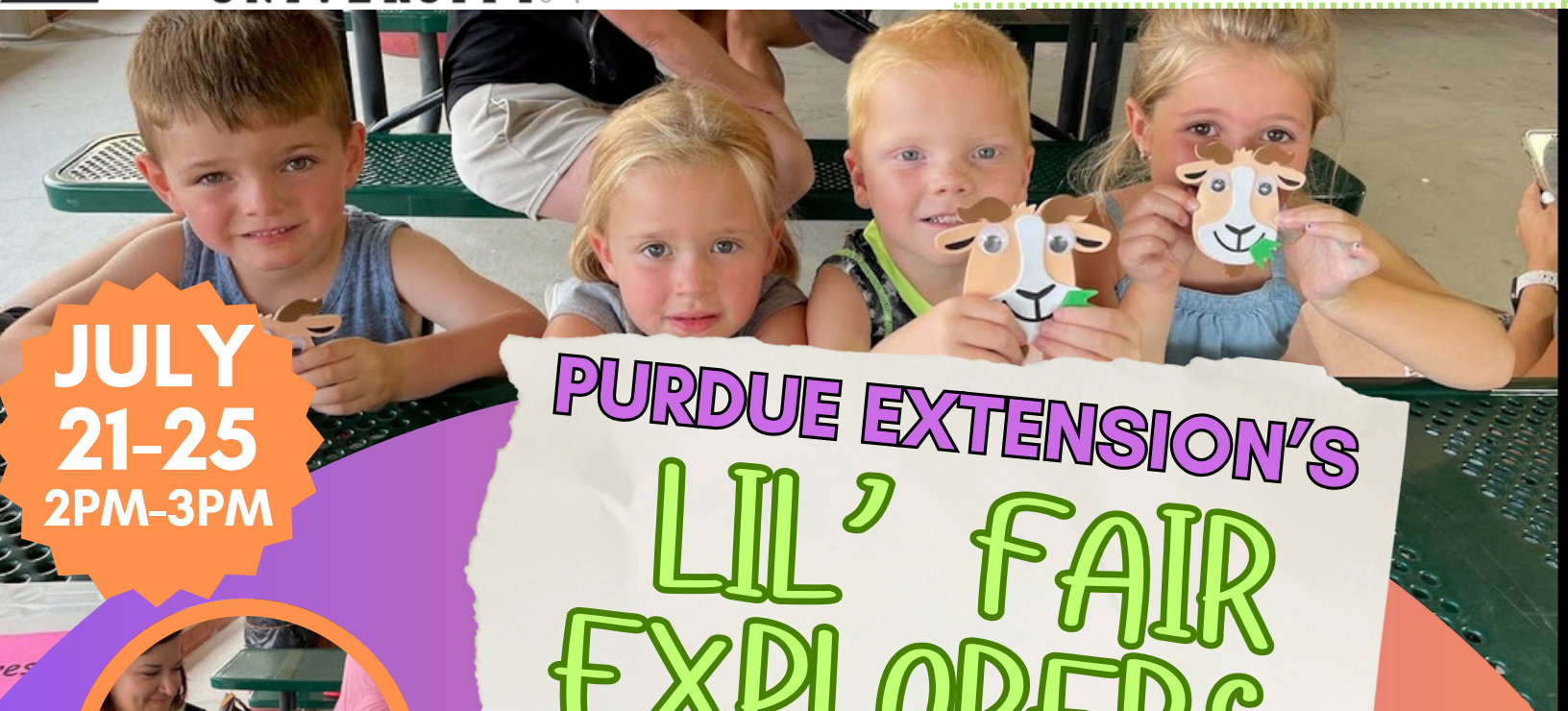
**FRI.
JUNE
13TH**
10AM-6PM

**SAT.
JUNE
14TH**
10AM-6PM

LOCATED IN BOONE REMC HALL
BOONE COUNTY 4-H FAIRGROUNDS

SIGN UP TO HELP HERE!





**JULY
21-25
2PM-3PM**

**PURDUE EXTENSION'S
LIL' FAIR
EXPLORERS
FOR AGES 4-7**



Each day we explore and learn about a different animal at the fair, have a snack, read a book and make a craft. Parents/Adults are required to stay for the program.

This is a FREE program!



HELD DURING THE BOONE COUNTY 4-H FAIR!

Sign-up for one or multiple days!!

Space is limited.

Meet in the Lily Family Pavilion

Address: 1300 East 100 South, Lebanon IN

→ **[Click here to register](#)** ←

Purdue University is an Equal Opportunity/Equal Access University. If you are in need of accommodations to attend this program, please contact Pandora Taylor prior to the meeting at 765-482-0750 and pandora@purdue.edu by July 19. For special dietary needs contact Pandora Taylor at 765-482-0750 and pandora@purdue.edu by July 19. If you need an interpreter or translator, please contact Pandora Taylor prior to the meeting at 765-482-0750 and pandora@purdue.edu by July 19.

CATTLE PRODUCER INSIGHTS

SURVEY FOR CURRENT AND FUTURE PRODUCERS



THIS SURVEY WILL HELP ASSESS THE NEEDS OF THE CATTLE INDUSTRY IN INDIANA. THE PURDUE BEEF TEAM, IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE INDIANA BEEF CATTLE ASSOCIATION, SEEKS TO UNDERSTAND THE DISTRIBUTION OF CATTLE PRODUCERS ACROSS THE STATE AND GAIN INSIGHT INTO THE TYPES OF OPERATIONS CURRENTLY IN PLACE. ADDITIONALLY, THE SURVEY WILL HELP IDENTIFY ESSENTIAL INFORMATION, PROGRAMS, AND AREAS FOR IMPROVEMENT WITHIN THE INDUSTRY.



If you are in need of accommodations to attend this program, please contact (names) prior to the meeting at (contact info) two weeks in advance.

If you need an interpreter or translator, please contact (name and contact information) two weeks in advance.

SURVEY LINK: <https://purdue.link/INBeefNeeds2025>

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EXPERIENCE 4-H

CROP & SOIL SCIENCE WORKSHOP



June 11, 2025



9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Lunch provided



Purdue University Crop Diagnostic Training
& Research Center
Agronomy Center for Research & Education
4530 - US 52
West Lafayette, IN 47906

**Open to youth in grades 3-12.
4-H membership is not required.**

Interactive Activities



- ✓ Experience a soil pit to study layers (soil horizons) of soil
- ✓ Agronomic Scavenger Hunt
- ✓ Grain storage safety
- ✓ Determine corn and soybean growth stages and how to put this skill to use



- ✓ Sweep net to scout for insects in a forage field
- ✓ Soil health demonstrations
- ✓ Understanding pesticide labels and what personal protective equipment is needed



- ✓ High Tech Ag: Sensors and Drones
- ✓ Proper soil sampling: How to interpret soil test results and determine if fertilizer and/or lime are needed.

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Register by June 4, 2025 at:

<https://20254HCropSoilScienceDayatDTC.4honline.com>

Or scan
this QR
code:



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Did You Know??

Boone County



Pork Producers



- **Endorses Numerous 4-H Events**
- **Provides Swine Building Updates - Like New Gates**
- **Distributes \$5,000 in Academic Scholarships Yearly**
- **Supports Student Agricultural Academic Endeavors**

To continue in these efforts YOUR HELP is needed! Current active membership is down, and it is time to start passing the torch. If you are interested, please drop by the Pork Producer Building or reach out to:

Bob McQuern @ 317.452.3322 or mcquerd@gmail.com

Duane Tommas-Dolick @317.797.2340 or dhtd1966@gmail.com

NOTE: You do not have to own/raise hogs to be a member – ALL are welcome! Only requirement - desire to be INVOLVED!

Boone County Extension Homemakers Open Show

Want to put your 4-H project in the Open Show?



To see if your 4-H project is eligible for the Open Show check out the Open Show Book here!

4-H projects entering the Open Show can be checked out of the BCA building and taken to the Farm Bureau Community Building for check-in on Wednesday, July 23 from 4-7 p.m.

This applies only to 4-H projects entering the Open Show. Per Boone Co. 4-H general guidelines #23 ... If any person removes an exhibit from the assigned exhibit area before the designated release time of the project, they will be barred from exhibiting in that project at the county fair for one year.

**Open Show Exhibit check - out will be
Saturday, July 26
from 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.**



First Tuesday

April 1st 6:30 pm - Grow Your Own Veggies –

Learn how easy it is to grow veggies, in ground, raised beds. Not much space to grow, use containers.



May 6th 6:30 pm – Landscaping & Native Plants

Learn about landscaping and native plants.

Program presented by Zach Neff,

land stewardship manager with NICHES

Land Trust.



June 3rd 6:30 pm – Food Dehydration

Learn methods to preserve your

food for great flavor and long lasting.



Held in the Farm Bureau Building on the 4-H Fairgrounds

Free but must register one week before the event by call Purdue Extension office

– 765-482-0750 or email to booneces@purdue.edu

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