

# JULY 2025 NEWSLETTER

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Monday - Friday  
8:00am-4:00pm

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# Calendar of Events



## JULY

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
-	-	1 <b>Pen Reservation Due!</b> 6:30 Ripley Wranglers Mtg	2	3	4 <b>OFFICE CLOSED</b>	5
6 4:00 Pierceville Haypals Meeting	7 6:00 - 8:00 Wranglers Open Ride 7:00 Country Bees Meeting 7:30 4-H Board Meeting	8 <b>FAIR ENTRY DUE</b>	9	10	11 10:00-1:00 Wranglers Open Ride 6:30-8:00 Rabbit Meat Pen ID Day	12 8:00 Barn Set up  <b>*PLEASE SEE PAGE 4 FOR FULL DAY SCHEDULE</b>
13	14 7:00 Faithful Workers Mtg  7:00 Morris Shamrocks Mtg  7:00 Hopewell Cloverbees Mtg	15	16 6:00 Junior Leader Meeting	17	18 6:00-8:00 Horse & Pony Check-in	19 9:00-12:00 Exhibit Hall Check-in  2:00-5:00 Poultry Check-in
20 6:00 - 2:00 Animal Check-in	21	22	23	24	25	26 8:00 Barn Clean up 8:00 Area Tractor contest 10:00 Exhibit project release
----- RIPLEY COUNTY FAIR -----						
27	28	29	30	31	August 1-17 Indiana State Fair (closed Mondays)	

Can you find the four H's hidden in the newsletter?



HEAD



HEART



HANDS



HEALTH



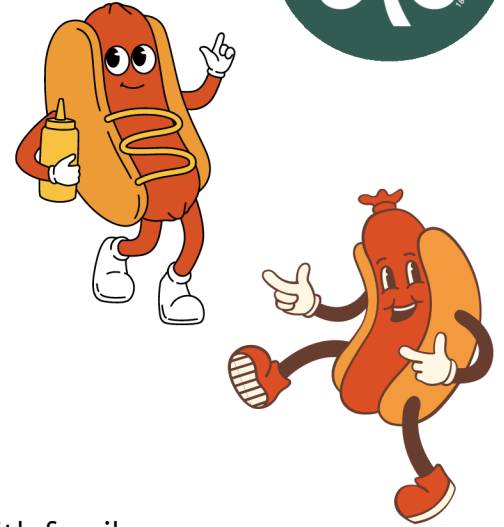
# Ripley County 4-H Newsletter



## Club Meeting Resources:

### Song: Sausage Man

I know a sausage man  
He owns a sausage stand  
He sells most anything from bratwurst on down bum-bum-bum  
Someday I'll have his life  
I'll steal his weenie wife  
Oh how I hate that weenieman, sausage!



## Health & Safety

### Safety at the Fair:

**Who:** All kids and teens, whether you're alone, with friends, or with family.

**What:** Stay alert around people you don't know. Never go anywhere with a stranger, even if they seem friendly or ask for help. If you get separated from your group, go to a safe place like the announcer's stage in the show ring, the extension office, or the sheriff's tent. Always tell a trusted adult if someone makes you feel uncomfortable.

**When:** You should consider these tips anytime you're out in public, but especially at busy events like the Ripley County Fair this July.

**Where:** Neighborhoods, parks, malls, school events, and crowded places like fairs, carnivals, or festivals.

**Why:** Large events are fun but can be confusing. Staying alert and knowing what to do helps you stay safe while you enjoy all the shows, rides, games, and activities!

Ripley County Fair Safety Checklist!

- ✓ Know who you are going with and who you can ask for help if you get lost.
  - ✓ Have a meeting spot picked out just in case you get separated from the group.
  - ✓ Always stay with your group, no wandering off alone!
  - ✓ Know where to find trusted adults or police if I need help.
  - ✓ Never leave the fairgrounds with anyone you don't know, even if they seem nice.
  - ✓ If you have a phone, keep it charged and know important phone numbers.
  - ✓ Wear bright clothes so it's easier for your group to spot me.
  - ✓ Trust your gut, if something feels wrong, tell an adult right away!
- Have fun and stay safe!



## Inspiration:

NEVER  
GIVE UP

"Our greatest weakness lies in giving up. The most certain way to succeed is always to try just one more time."

-Thomas Edison

# Ripley County 4-H Newsletter

Saturday, July 12th



July 12<sup>th</sup> is a big day before the fair for many of our 4-H members. Check out all the important events and project judging that day! Call the office with additional questions on these events!

## RIPLY COUNTY 4-H FAIR

### JULY 12TH

#### SCHEDULE

8:00AM - BARN SET-UP

11:00AM - IQLC TRAINING IN  
HOMEMAKERS BUILDING

11:00AM - LIVESTOCK PARENT MEETING

12:00PM - 4:00PM - SHOOTING SPORTS FUN DAY  
AT COON HUNTERS LODGE (See page ....)

2:00PM - POCKET PET IN SHOW ARENA

3:00PM - COMMUNICATIONS JUDGING  
IN EXTENSION OFFICE

What will be covered at this event...

- Introduction to Superintendents - Who you can ask for help
- What to expect fair week, everything from check-in day, show day, and animal check-out
- Auction Overview
- Questions and Answers

### **THIS IS THE LAST IN PERSON OPPORTUNITY!**

To exhibit **BEEF CATTLE, DAIRY CATTLE, SWINE, SHEEP, MEAT GOATS, DAIRY GOATS, POULTRY, and RABBITS**, 4-H members must be certified through the Indiana 4-H Quality Livestock Care training **OR** the online Youth for the Quality Care of Animals program (YQCA).

1. This certification must be done on an annual basis
2. Members must be registered **BEFORE** attending a training
3. Members may attend any training dates listed on this flyer  
**OR** a training in another county  
**OR** complete the online YQCA training (**Proof of YQCA completion must be submitted to the Extension Office by July 12!**)

To register for the Indiana 4-H Quality Livestock Care program, please use [v2.4honline.com](http://v2.4honline.com), look for the events tab, Event name: Ripley County Indiana 4-H Quality Livestock Care 2025.

Those planning to be certified through the YQCA program, will register at [www.yqcaprogram.org](http://www.yqcaprogram.org) and will present their completion certificate to their 4-H Educator.

## COMMUNICATIONS

### CATEGORIES:

- DEMONSTRATION
- INFORMATIVE 4-H PRESENTATION
- PROFESSIONAL PERSUASIVE PRESENTATION
- PUBLIC SPEAKING
- CREATIVE WRITING

**SATURDAY, JULY 12<sup>TH</sup>**

**3:00 PM**

### CREATIVE WRITING:

**DROP OFF AT EXT. OFFICE  
BETWEEN JULY 7TH-11TH**



# Ripley County 4-H Newsletter



## Fair Entry Due July 8th!

Don't forget the next step in enrolling your 4-H projects! Please use the infographic and the FAQ section below to help. if you have further questions don't hesitate to give us a call at 812-689-6511. Due July 8th!

### Frequently Asked Questions(FAQ):

#### ***"Who all must complete FairEntry"***

All 4-H members who are exhibiting a project or animals at the fair must complete FairEntry. Mini 4-H members are not required, but are highly encouraged to as it is good practice for the future.

#### ***"What all should I enter into FairEntry?"***

You should have 1 entry per exhibit hall project and 1 entry per animal that you plan to show at the fair. Don't forget to include entries for event type projects such as pocket pet, communications, and fashion revue.

#### ***"When do I complete FairEntry?"***

FairEntry is open until July 8. If you have corrections after this date please contact the office ASAP.

#### ***"Where do I go to complete FairEntry?"***

In a web browser, preferably search: <http://ripleycountyIN.fairentry.com>

#### ***"Why do I have to do FairEntry?"***

FairEntry is the System we use to let us know exactly what you're bringing to the fair. It also allows us to input results during the fair and share that information with the public.

#### ***"Didn't I already do that?"***

You have likely completed half of the registration process through 4-H Online which is used for Enrollment and Animal Identification. This FairEntry Process helps to tell us what exact projects or animals you are bringing to the fair.

## Know the difference between **4-H Online vs. Fair Entry**

<https://v2.4honline.com>

### **Go here to..**

- Enrollment in 4-H (4-H members, Mini 4-H, volunteers & judges)
  - Choose your 4-H Club
  - Select 4-H Projects
- Animal ID (Due by May 15th)
- Event Registrations (Camps, Trips, Scholarships)

### **Helps to..**

- Make Completions sheets
- Create Club & Project Rosters for Leaders
- Allow the office to communicate & get information to you

**Opens October 1st**

<http://ripleycountyIN.fairentry.com>

### **Go here to..**

- Enter each specific project you plan to exhibit
  - select the class/division that each project or animals will be judged in
- See 4-H Judging Results

### **Helps to..**

- Make Exhibit Tags
- Submit State Fair Entries
- Check in Animals & Exhibit Hall Projects
- Create Show Bills
- Enter 4-H Judging Results
- Run the 4-H Auction

**Open May 16th - July 8th**



# Ripley County 4-H Newsletter



## Pen Reservations & Animal Reminders Letter

Any 4-H member exhibiting beef, dairy, goats, llama & alpaca, poultry, rabbits, sheep, or swine must complete and turn in the 2025 Pen reservation form. This form was sent in the mail, if you did not receive it call the office! Pen Reservations are due to the Extension office by Monday, July 1st at 4:00PM. There is a drop box outside the office to turn them in after hours. **There will be a \$25 late fee for anyone who does not return them on time.**

There was also an informative letter for livestock members that came in the mail with the pen reservation form. Please be sure to read this letter and make sure you don't miss any important information or deadlines!

## Auction Buyer Invitations

Auction Buyer Invitations are now available at the extension office. We encourage all 4-H members to pick up auction invitations from the extension office to hand out to local businesses and community members. It's always helpful to invite several people to the auction to buy your animals.

## Barn Set Up and Clean Up Days

Reminder, barn set up and clean up day is **REQUIRED** for all livestock 4-Hers. Set-up day is July 12<sup>th</sup> at 8:00AM, and clean-up day is July 26<sup>th</sup> at 8:00AM. If you are not going to be there, you must contact the office beforehand. Please help us keep our fairgrounds clean and looking the best for everyone coming to enjoy all the fair activities!

## Rabbit Meat Pen ID Day

ID Day for Meat Pen Rabbits and Fryer classes is Friday, July 11th from 6:30PM-8:00PM. All meat pen or fryer rabbits **MUST** attend!!! As a reminder, to have a meat pen, you must also exhibit 2 other adult rabbits. Contact the rabbit leaders with questions.

## Poster Boards and Plastic Sleeves

The price of poster boards have gone up for this year. Poster boards are now \$5 each, sleeves will still be \$2 each, or a set will be \$7.

## 2025 Fair Schedule & Fairbook

The fair schedule is posted on our website, Facebook, and in our fair book. Fair books are available for pick-up at the office. Website: [extension.purdue.edu/county/ripley/4h-ripley-county](https://extension.purdue.edu/county/ripley/4h-ripley-county)  
Facebook: @Purdue Extension Ripley County or the Ripley County Fair group

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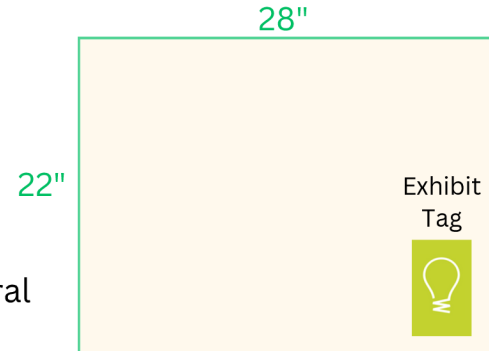
## Exhibit Hall Tags, Cards, Skills Sheets & Completion Sheets!

**Exhibit Hall Project Tags, completion sheets, and skills sheets will be available on July 10. Please plan to pick these up from the extension office prior to exhibit hall check-in**

Reminders:

- Be sure to leave room on your poster for your project tag. Tags should be placed in the lower right-hand corner.
- Please remember to list references on the back of the poster or in your notebooks
- Exhibit cards or skills sheets are required for the following projects at check-in: Arts Crafts (general, construction & architectural replica, fine arts, model craft, needle craft), Cake Decorating, Foods (baked, microwave, & preserved), Electric, Sewing & Woodworking.
- To receive your completion shirt, you must have ALL projects signed off on your completion sheet by a leader at check-in. Once all projects are signed off, you can then come to the office to receive the 2025 100% completion t-shirt.

\*\*\*All projects must be signed and NOT crossed out on your completion sheet!



## Fashion Revue

If you are interested in showing off your sewing, consumer clothing, or wearable arts projects in this year's Fashion Revue, please pre-register by July 16<sup>th</sup>. Forms for the fashion revue are available at the Extension Office. If you are NOT doing Fashion Revue, please call the Extension Office at 812-689-6511 or email [krohls@purdue.edu](mailto:krohls@purdue.edu). Fashion Revue is Sunday, July 20<sup>th</sup> following opening ceremonies.

## 2025 Fair Results

Fair Results will be posted online as soon as we are able to upload them. These can be found at: [ripleycountyin.fairentry.com](http://ripleycountyin.fairentry.com)

As a reminder, exhibit hall awards are Sunday, July 20<sup>th</sup>, at the free stage at approximately 7:30pm or immediately after the conclusion of Fashion Revue. If you are unable to attend the awards ceremony, please stop by the extension office during fair week to get your award for Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Exhibit hall projects.

## State Fair Projects

Exhibit Hall Projects selected for the State Fair will need to be turned into the Extension Office during Exhibit Hall Check-out on Saturday, July 26<sup>th</sup> 10:00-12:00. If you need to make changes to a project based on judges' suggestions, please discuss this with an Extension Office Staff member. Foods and Garden projects selected for the state fair will need to be turned in on Monday, August 4<sup>th</sup> from 7:30AM-8:30AM.


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## Important Club Service for Fair Week



	Exhibit Hall Building Watch	Fairgrounds Clean-up 8:00AM
<b>Saturday, July 19th</b>	N/A	Horse Arena-Ripley Wranglers
<b>Sunday, July 20th</b>	5:00-7:00pm Morris Shamrocks 7:00-9:00pm 4-H Pioneers	Horse Arena-Ripley Wranglers
<b>Monday, July 21st</b>	5:00-7:00pm Country Critters 7:00-9:00pm 4-H Dream Seekers	Dream Seekers & Faithful Workers
<b>Tuesday, July 22nd</b>	12:00pm-5:00pm Volunteers 5:00pm-7:00pm Faithful Workers 7:00-9:00pm Volunteers	Country Bees
<b>Wednesday, July 23rd</b>	5:00-7:00pm Country Bees 7:00-9:00pm Ripley Wranglers	4-H Pioneers
<b>Thursday July 24th</b>	5:00-7:00pm Pierceville Haypals 7:00-9:00pm Napoleon 4-H Country Club	Pierceville Haypals & Country Critters
<b>Friday, July 25th</b>	5:00-7:00pm Volunteers 7:00-9:00pm Hopewell Cloverbees	Hopewell Cloverbees & Morris Shamrocks
<b>Sunday, July 27th</b>	N/A	Noon - Napoleon 4-H Country Club

## Summer Judging Contest

The Ripley County 4-H Summer Judging Contest will be on Sunday, July 20<sup>th</sup> at 4:00pm in the show arena. All participants will receive a free ice cream coupon for Junior Leaders ice cream.  The top Juniors and Seniors will each receive monetary prizes.

## Social Media

Share your fair pictures with us by tagging @PurdueExtensionRipleyCounty on Facebook and Instagram. You can also use the #RipleyINFair

## Ripley County Lil Miss & Mister

Applications for the 2025 Lil Miss and Mister Ripley County contest are available to pick up at the office! They are due back by July 3, 2025. The contest will be held on Wednesday, July 23rd.



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## Mini 4-H Showmanship

Friday, July 25th 8 am @ Show Arena

Save the date and join us for an exciting hands-on experience at the Ripley County Fair! Mini 4-Hers are invited to dive into the world of livestock with engaging demonstrations and activities. They will hear from current 4-H members about working with animals, learning about their needs, and gaining valuable skills in animal care and handling. Then, each enrolled Mini 4-Her will have the chance to showcase their skills by leading a goat in a fun and friendly show. We hope that you can join us!



*\*ALL ANIMALS WILL BE PROVIDED \**

To participate, the mini 4-her **MUST** be enrolled into the 4-H Online Event "2025 Mini 4-H Showmanship" by Sunday, July 20th, 2025  
Or Call the Extension Office @ 812-689-6511

## Junior Leaders Dance

### ***Denim and Diamonds Dance***

**7:00-10:00pm**  
**Saturday, August 2<sup>nd</sup>**  
**Admission \$5**  
**7<sup>th</sup> grade - 2025 grads**  
**Napoleon**  
**Community**  
**Building**

***Dancing  
Games  
Snacks  
New Friends***

***Sponsored by  
Ripley Co. Jr. Leaders***

**Junior  
Leaders**  
INDIANA 4-H



## Ripley County Extension Board

Due to term limits, the Ripley County Extension board has 2 positions open. If you are interested or have any questions about the Extension Board please contact Dave Osborne, [osbornda@purdue.edu](mailto:osbornda@purdue.edu), or call the office at 812-689-6511. Open positions include Brown Township and Shelby Township.

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## 2025 Important Animal Dates



Animal	ID Day	4-H Online Due	Check-In	Show	Release
Poultry	None	None	Saturday, July 19, 2025 2pm – 5pm	Sunday, July 20, 2025 3pm	Friday, July 25, 2025 8pm*
Beef Set-Up will be Friday, March 7 @ 5pm	Saturday, March 8, 2025 9am - 11am (Beef Feeders: May 3, 2025 8-11am)	May 15, 2025	Sunday, July 20, 2025 6am – 2pm	Wednesday, July 23, 2025 10am	Friday, July 25, 2025 8pm*
Dairy	None	May 15, 2025	Sunday, July 20, 2025 6am – 2pm	Monday, July 21, 2025 9am	Friday, July 25, 2025 8pm*
Dairy Feeder	Saturday, May 3, 2025 8am – 11am	May 15, 2025	Sunday, July 20, 2025 6am – 2pm	Monday, July 21, 2025 11am (or following Dairy)	Friday, July 25, 2025 8pm*
Goats	Saturday, May 3, 2025 8am – 11am	May 15, 2025	Sunday, July 20, 2025 6am – 2pm	Thursday, July 24, 2025 Dairy- 9am Meat- 1pm Pygmy- 5pm	Friday, July 25, 2025 8pm*
Llama & Alpaca	None	May 15, 2025	Sunday, July 20, 2025 6am – 2pm	Tuesday, July 22, 2025 9am	Friday, July 25, 2025 8pm*
Horse & Pony	None	May 15, 2025	Friday, July 18, 2025 6pm-8pm	See H&P Leaders	Friday, July 25, 2025 8pm*
Pocket Pets	None	May 15, 2025 (Form w/ Picture must be turned into Office.)	At Show	Saturday, July 12, 2025 2pm	After Show
Rabbit	All Rabbits: Saturday, May 3, 2025 8am – 11am Meat Pen Only: Friday, July 11, 2025 6:30 – 8:00 pm	May 15, 2025 (for adult rabbits, meat pen due after July ID day)	Sunday, July 20, 2025 6am – 2pm	Wednesday, July 23, 2025 5pm	Friday, July 25, 2025 8pm*
Sheep	Saturday, May 3, 2025 8am – 11am	May 15, 2025	Sunday, July 20, 2025 6am – 2pm	Monday, July 21, 2025 6pm	Friday, July 25, 2025 8pm*
Swine	None	May 15, 2025	Sunday, July 20, 2024 6am – 2pm Barrow weigh in Tues, July 22, 2025 8am-10am	Tuesday, July 22, 2025 Gilt- 1pm Barrow- 5pm	Friday, July 25, 2025 8pm*
Cat	None	Bring Form to Show	At Show	Monday, July 21, 2025 3pm	After Show
Dog	None	Bring Form to Show	At Show	Saturday, June 14, 2025 12pm	After Show

Barn Set-Up will be Saturday, July 12, 2025 @ 8:00 AM

Clean Up will be Saturday, July 26, 2025 @ 8:00 AM

\*Non-Auction animals can leave Friday, July 25, 2025 at 7:00am – 10:00AM OR after 8:00PM.

No animals can leave between 10AM-8:00PM



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## Handbook Amendments / Clarification

- A market heifer class is being added to the beef market animal offering. Beef market heifers can still be added into 4-H Online until the May 15<sup>th</sup> deadline. Please contact the Extension Office to arrange ID with a Beef Leader.
- Beef feeder calves will be showed by weight in 2025 to better work with the Fair Entry system.
- All beef feeder calves must be cut or banded before arriving at the fair. Intact feeder calves will not be eligible to show and will have to go home.
- Amendment was made to the showmanship rules. To be eligible to compete in beginner, intermediate, senior, or expert showmanship of any species you must be enrolled in and complete the project in some fashion (i.e. bring an animal or poster to the fair). Any 4-H member may participate in novice showmanship by obtaining permission from an animals owner, you do NOT need to be enrolled in the project. A winner will be selected from the novice showmanship class but will not move into the other divisions.

## SEI Communication Customers: Auction Opportunity

Stop in the office for  
a paper copy!





## WE WANT TO BUY YOUR ANIMAL AT THE AUCTION!

### WHO & WHAT

SEI Communications' Board of Directors will attend the livestock auctions of the six county fairs listed below to **BID ON ANIMALS** being sold by our customers' children!

### WHEN & WHERE

Jennings	6/09 - 6/14	Dearborn	6/16 - 6/20	Ohio	6/20 - 6/27
Switzerland	6/28 - 7/05	Jefferson	7/07 - 7/12	Ripley	7/20 - 7/26

Scan the QR Code to let us know you will have an animal for sale so we can keep an eye out.



If you cannot fill the form out online, you can also complete the paper version below and mail it to us!

Online and paper forms must be received at least 2 weeks prior to your auction.

### Will you have an animal at a 4-H livestock auction this year?

If you're a customer of SEI Communications and your child(ren) plan to have an animal available for purchase at your county's 4-H Livestock Auction, **LET US KNOW**. Please fill out this form and mail it to P.O. Box 7, Dillsboro, IN 47018 or visit [www.seicomcommunications.com](http://www.seicomcommunications.com) to submit online.

SEI Customer Name: \_\_\_\_\_ SEI Acct #: \_\_\_\_\_ Landline #: \_\_\_\_\_  
Best Contact #: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address (optional): \_\_\_\_\_  
Address, City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Fair County (circle one): Dearborn / Jefferson / Jennings / Ohio / Ripley / Switzerland

1. Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Animal(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
2. Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Animal(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
3. Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Animal(s): \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*By submitting this form, I hereby give SEI Communications the right to use any pictures taken for promotional purposes and understand that I will not be notified first or compensated for use.



Supports 4-H



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## Ripley Wranglers 2025 Club Calendar

June 3, 2025- **CLUB MEETING** *Work Detail*, 2<sup>nd</sup> of 3 Safety Meetings,  
Area 1 4-H Info, Work Detail and Sign Ups for Volunteering and Donations for Fair  
**STALL RESERVATION, STALL FEES AND FAIR SHOWBILL DUE!**

*Demonstrations:* Tinley and Teagan Enneking and Emma Peetz

June 22, 2025- **CONTESTING CLINIC** or **OPEN RIDE**: 1-4pm Horse Arena at Fairgrove

July 1, 2025- **CLUB MEETING** Pre-Fair Meeting: ENCOURAGED to ATTEND!! Last of  
Meetings, Fair Week Prep and Job Duty Sign Up

*Demonstrations:*

July 7, 2025- **SHOWMANSHIP CLINIC** or **OPEN RIDE**: 6-8pm Horse Arena at Fairgrounds

July 12, 2025- **PATTERN CLASSES, WESTERN RIDING CLINIC** or **OPEN RIDE**:

10am-1pm Horse Arena at Fairgrounds

### **FAIR WEEK:**

July 18, 2025- **HORSE AND PONY FAIR CHECK-IN**: 6-8pm Move horses into the Horse Barn for the  
entire week of Fair. At Check In, Please turn in ALL Paperwork needed for complete Check In.  
Hay Bags will need to be approved by a Leader at Check In, too! See a Leader for Questions.

July 19, 2025- **ENGLISH AND TRAIL SHOW**: Starts at 1pm

July 20, 2025- **WESTERN SHOW**: Starts at 10am

July 21, 2025- **MINI 4-H, VERSATILITY and DRIVING**: Starts at 6pm

July 22, 2025- **CONTESTING**: Starts at 6pm

July 23, 2025- **FREESTYLE**: Starts at 6pm

July 24, 2025- **FUN SHOW**: Starts at 6pm

July 25, 2025- **MOVE OUT OF FAIRGROUNDS AND RIPLEY WRANGLER BANQUET**

Horses can ONLY leave between 7-10AM and After 8pm! You will HAVE TO HAVE A LEADER APPROVE the  
cleaning/stripping of your stall PRIOR to your horse leaving the Fairgrounds!

Ripley Wrangler's Pitch-In Dinner and Banquet will begin outside the front of the barn at 6:30pm. Last names A-M please  
bring a SIDE DISH, while N-Z brings a DESSERT

Updates will be  
added throughout  
the year to our  
calendar. Watch  
Facebook, Remind  
and come to  
meetings to get the  
latest info!

Feel free to reach out with any questions to the Club Superintendent/Leaders:

Greg Bonfer (812)621.1015) or Sarah Young (812)212.1405

## Tractor Schedule



**July 26th - 8:00AM Area Contest @ Decatur  
County Fairgrounds**

Call the Extension office at 812-689-6511 or a Tractor leader  
with questions.

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## Shooting Sports Fun Day!

**SHOOTING  
SPORTS FAMILY  
FUN DAY**

📍 **COON HUNTERS LODGE**

📅 **JULY 12<sup>TH</sup>, 2025**

🕒 **12:00- 4:00 PM**

MAIN MEAT IS PROVIDED,  
BRING DISHES TO PITCH IN

**PURDUE UNIVERSITY** Extension - 4-H Youth Development

## Shooting Sports Leaders

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## Marksmanship:

Laughery Valley Fish and Game  
6:00 – 8:00PM on Monday evenings  
(Contact Bill if planning to attend)

## Dog Show Results

### AGILITY

DIVISION 1: Lilly Haeufle-Rynn Division Champion,  
Kyle O'Neil Reserve Division Champion

DIVISION 3: Kendall Harmeyer Division Champion,  
Serenity Feldman Reserve Division Champion

**GRAND CHAMPION:** Lilly Haeufle-Rynn

**RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION:** Kendall Harmeyer

### COSTUME CLASS WINNERS

Journey Jines 1st Place

Kyle O'Neil 2nd Place

Cherokee Powell 3rd Place



### OBEDIENCE

2B: Kendall Harmeyer Division Champion,  
Journey Jines Reserve Division Champion

2A: Kyle O'Neil Division Champion, Heidi Bolin  
Reserve Division Champion

1B: Allie Harmeyer Division Champion

1A: Ivy Williams Division Champion, Cherokee  
Powell Reserve Division Champion

**GRAND CHAMPION:** Ivy Williams

**RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION:** Kendall Harmeyer

### SHOWMANSHIP

Ivy Williams Novice Winner

Ivy Williams Junior Winner

Lilly Haeufle-Rynn Intermediate Winner

Lilly Haeufle-Rynn Senior Winner

Lilly Haeufle-Rynn Extert Winner

**Congratulations to all 4-Hers and their dogs & thank  
you to the leaders for all their time preparing them for  
the show!**





**YOU ARE INVITED TO  
RIPLEY COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT'S**

## **Back to School Bash**

July 10th, 2025

3:00 PM to 7:00 PM

Ripley County Annex Building

102 W First N Street

Versailles, IN 47042

Join us for a day of free school supplies and fun activities for kids! The first 100 attendees will receive a complimentary boxed meal from Rolling Pin Catering. While here, your children can receive health screenings, school immunizations, and birth certificates to get ready for school enrollment. Plus, don't miss the chance to enter raffles and win exciting prizes! For a full list of participating partners and for more event details, visit our Event Page on Facebook.

<https://www.facebook.com/share/15F3TwHTGC/>

### **Thank you to our Community Partners!**

Building Blocks; Girl Scouts of Central Indiana; Girls on the Run; IDOH Center for Deaf and Hard of Hearing; Indiana State Health Insurance Program; Ireland Home Based Services; Milan Cub Scouts Pack 613; Osgood Library; Purdue Extension; Ripley County Lions; Ripley County Recreational League; Ripley Ohio Dearborn Special Education Cooperative; Southeastern Indiana Economic Opportunity Corporation; Southeastern Indiana YMCA; Tyson Library