

Animal Showing Clinics

Saturday, June 18, 2022

9:00 a.m. (Registration starting at 8:00 a.m.)

Monroe County Fairgrounds, Woodsfield Ohio

Sessions will be presented for each of the following species.



Beef- presented by Ian Van Kirk

Ian is a graduate of OSU with a degree in Animal Sciences and a specialization in Beef Production. He is the owner/operator of BuckleBack Cattle Ltd. and herd manager for Reeve Farms where they raise 120 head of Clubby, Maine, Simmental, and Chi cattle. Ian is a member of the Hartford Fair Board and enjoys working with youth and livestock.



Sheep & Goats- presented by Jessica Lewis

Jessica is an Agriscience teacher and FFA advisor for the Monroe Central FFA Chapter. She graduated from OSU with a degree in Ag Education. She grew up on her family's Boer goat farm in Washington County, White's 4G Farm. She is knowledgeable with both lambs and goats and showed market goats for over 11 years. She loves helping young people learn to care for their animals while being competitive in the show ring.



Swine- presented by Denise Cacioppo

Denise lives in Barnesville, Ohio where she is coowner of Cacioppo Family Showpigs and Driem Farm with her husband and three children. They show livestock as a family at county, jackpot, and state level shows. Denise enjoys helping young people develop their passion for the show pig industry.



Poultry- presented by Colleen Michaels

Colleen is a member of the Southeast Ohio Poultry Breeders Association and has been showing since 1999. She and her family raise heritage chickens and turkeys, as well as Muscovy ducks. She has enjoyed helping 4-H'ers with their projects for over 22 years.



Rabbits- presented by Debbie Wright

Debbie is the president of the Blennerhassett Rabbit Club in Parkersburg, WV. She raises Jersey Woolies, Netherland Dwarves, Holland and Mini Lops, and New Zealands. She and her family show at a variety of local shows.



Come and attend a hands-on clinic and practice showmanship with the animals!

There will be a general session for everyone in the Show Barn at 9:00 followed by individual species sessions that will include:

- Showmanship tips
- County fair preparation
- Grooming help
- Question and Answer

Door prizes!!

Sutherland Valley Western Shop and Weaver Livestock are donating several door prizes to be given away at the conclusion of the clinic.

Over \$700 worth of Weaver Livestock Products will be demonstrated and given away!

Goody bags containing Sutherland Valley gift certificates and other items will be provided for the first 125 who register at the door.

Members & parents invited to attend! (Bring your chairs)

Sutherland Valley Western Shop will have their tack trailer open at 8:00 a.m. (show equipment for all species, clothes, grooming supplies)

Concessions will be available





