

Northern Michigan 4-H Rabbit and Poultry Palooza

Saturday, May 5, 2018
Kalkaska Fairgrounds
 Fairgrounds Rd, Kalkaska



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Clinic: 9:00 AM-2:00 PM
 Cost is \$20.00 for youth and \$10.00 for adults (includes a lunch of pizza, salad, cookie, and drinks). Adults can also purchase a Showmanship book for an additional \$10.00.

Rabbit & Poultry Showmanship Competition: 2:00-4:00 PM
 Cost is \$5.00 per person

Schedule:

8:15-9:00 am - Registration/Check-in
 9:00 - Welcome
 9:15-10:30 - Breakout Session #1**
 10:45-12:00 pm - Breakout Session #2**
 12:00-12:30 pm - Lunch
 12:30-1:00 pm - Teambuilding Activity
 1:00-2:00 pm - Breakout Session #3**
 2:00 pm - Cloverbud Showmanship (non-competitive)
 2:30 pm - Rabbit and Poultry Showmanship Competition (youth divided by 4-H age)**

****NOTE: PLEASE REGISTER FOR SESSIONS & SHOWMANSHIP CLASS AT TIME OF REGISTRATION****

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(Make checks payable to and mail by April 23rd to: Kalkaska County 4-H, 890 Island Lake Rd, Kalkaska, MI 49646)

Total paid \$ _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ (Street) _____ 4-H Age (1/1/18): _____ (City) _____ E-mail: _____ (State) _____ (Zip)

Clinic (Youth \$20/Adult \$10) Showmanship Book (\$10 additional for adults): Poultry Rabbit

Cloverbud Competition (\$5/person) Rabbit Competition (\$5/person) Poultry Competition (\$5/person)

Session #1 Choice: _____

Session #2 Choice: _____

Session #3 Choice: _____

Breakout Session Choices

Cloverbud - 9:15-12:00 pm

Cloverbuds will have their own lessons in the morning geared specifically for them! All cloverbuds should sign up for this session.

Cloverbud Showmanship - 1:00-2:00 pm

All cloverbuds will be working on showmanship together in this fun afternoon session.

Session #1 - 9:15-10:30

Advanced Rabbit Showmanship - Do you know how to do rabbit showmanship but want to learn more and dig deeper? We'll be going over lots of tips, tricks, and details of rabbit showmanship. *NOT A BEGINNER WORKSHOP!*

Poultry Showmanship - Interested in showing a chicken, turkey, or duck? We will go over poultry showmanship step-by-step, start to finish.

Going to Show (for Beginners) - Learn what it takes to raise a 4-H animal project and learn what it takes to be a successful showman through a game...Go to Show.

Skill-a-Thon - Learn along with others and test your rabbit and poultry skills in this interactive session.

Poultry Nutrition - Chickens will eat anything, but should they eat everything? Come and learn the basics of poultry nutrition for meat birds, show birds, and everything in between.

Rabbit Breeding - Learn about the best practices for breeding rabbits for show and meat.

Session #2 - 10:45-12:00 pm

Rabbit Breed Identification - Do you know what sets rabbit breeds apart? What identifying features can help you tell breeds apart?

Goal Setting for Livestock Projects - Learn to set goals for your 4-H animal project and explore big picture opportunities for your future.

Rabbit Agility - Can You Do It? - We all know dogs and horses can jump over a hurdle, but so can your rabbit! Learn all about the equipment, training, and fun involved in rabbit agility.

Basic Disease Identification/First Aid for Poultry - Learn to identify common diseases in your poultry, as well as learning some simple first aid for your birds.

Biosecurity Do's and Don'ts - Come learn about things like sneeze-distance quaranties and mitigating the risk of disease in your rabbits and poultry.

Poultry Breed Identification and Selection - Do you know the difference between a Buff Orpington and a Bantam? Do you know how to select a bird for show? We will cover it all!

Session #3 - 1:00-2:00 pm

Rabbit Showmanship for Beginners - Interested in showing a rabbit? We will go over rabbit showmanship step-by-step, start to finish.

Raising Meat Birds - Have you thought about raising meat birds for yourself or as a 4-H project? Let's talk about what you need to know.

Rabbit Nutrition - Does my rabbit need more pellets to eat? Is lettuce a good treat or a bad idea?

Color Coded Budget - Learn the basic items for budgeting in a 4-H animal project and learn the parts of a budget through this activity...Color Coded



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