2016 Exploration Days
June 22-24, 2016

Exploration Days Orientation is June 1, 2016 from 6pm – 7:30 pm.
This is a mandatory meeting - if you are participating in Expo Days you must attend.

During this orientation you will learn about the expectations while on campus, make roommate requests and sign up to ride the bus. This will also give you the opportunity to meet your chaperones and to ask questions of the 4-H staff.

For everything Exploration Days related see
http://4h.msue.msu.edu/events/4h_exploration_days

Your entertainment this year is Brandon Lee White. Make sure to check it out at https://www.brandonleewhite.com/

You won’t want to miss this!!!

CALL 383-8867 FOR MORE INFORMATION.

June at a Glance:
June 1 — Exploration Days Orientation, Fairgrounds Room B, 6:30 PM
June 3 — Rabbit Agility meeting, Fairgrounds Room B, 6:30 PM
June 4 — Sheep Shearing 9:00 AM, Mandatory Breed check in: Rabbit 10:00 AM, Goats, 2:00 PM, Fairgrounds arena
June 8 — Small Mammal/Cavies and Critter meeting, Fairgrounds Room B, 7:00 PM
June 10 — Rabbit Agility meeting, Fairgrounds Room B, 6:30 PM
June 21 — Countywide Poultry meeting, Fairgrounds Poultry Barn, 7:00 PM
June 22 — Fair Council meeting, Fairground Room C, 6:30 PM
June 22-24 — Exploration Days
June 24 — Rabbit Agility meeting, Fairgrounds Room B, 6:30 PM
June 27 — Leaders Council meeting, Fairgrounds Room B, 7:00 PM
—Carcass Project meeting, Fairgrounds Room A, 7:00 PM
June 30 — Countywide Goat meeting, Fairgrounds Room B, 7:00 PM

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The Eastwood 4-H club has been working hard to get their community garden cleaned up for planting this spring. Each member has their own plot and they enjoy being out in nature together. They also have a composting bin in their garden, raising worms and creating great soil to add to their gardens.
Poultry Project news

Summer is a busy time in the poultry and 4H world. The last market chicks will be arriving

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Make sure you call Ann Hollister at 685-2301 to get your order in and pick up your chicks at the Feedbag in Richland on the pick up date!

You need to work on your Market Journal Report, too. Print your copy from the Kalamazoo 4H website.

We are scheduling an extra meeting on Tuesday, June 21st at 7pm in the poultry barn. Several of you need to attend this meeting to meet the project requirements. We will practice showmanship, so bring your bird.

Then, put the Fit and Show meeting on your calendar on Tuesday, July 19th at 7pm in the Livestock Arena. Learn all of the info that you will need for your poultry to come to fair. We will also be pullorum testing your breed/show birds starting at 5pm. All breed/show birds must be tested before the fair-market birds will be tested during check-in for fair.

Want to try CHICKEN AGILITY?? We are planning a demo of our amazingly talented birds during the fair. We will need to schedule a couple of group practice days—call Jackie at 629-9664 ASAP if this sounds interesting. In the meantime, start training your birds to follow your hand by giving lots of treats.

For a fun, easy and close poultry show experience, go to Van Buren County’s Small Animal Clinic on Saturday, June 4th. Poultry start showing at 9am, but get there earlier to get registered and pullorum tested. See the flyer on the next page for more info.
2016
Van Buren County
Small Market Animal Committee
Spring Show
Van Buren Youth Fair Grounds

June 4th
Lunch Available on Site
$3.00 registration fee per class

General Information

Dress Code
- White long-sleeved shirt and black pants
  (Goat exhibitors may wear short-sleeved white shirts.)
- No Lab Coats

Awards
- Trophies awarded for showmanship classes
- Best of show awarded for each species
- 1-3 place rosettes awarded for each showmanship class
- Grand and Reserved Rosettes awarded for each breed class

Registration
- Starts at 7:00 a.m.
- $3.00 per class
- Pre-Pee wee, Pee wee and Young Exhibitors are limited to 2 species
- Showmanship class is mandatory
- Age is determined as of January 1 of current year

50/50 Raffle Drawing
- 1:00 p.m.

Cavies & Lab Animals
Show begins at 8:00 a.m.
Mary Darling 269-624-6944
Mixed Breed Cavies May Be Shown

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Rabbits
Show begins at 9:00 a.m.
Amber Ostlund 269-720-6822
Current 4-H showmanship guidelines will be used.

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Goats
Show begins at 10:00 a.m.
Miranda Sheppard 269-487-6860
No horns allowed. All goats must be tagged.
Market Wethers must be born after January 1, 2016.

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Dairy Classes
105 Doe Kid 1 up to 6 mos
106 Doe Kid 7 to 12 mos
107 Doe Kid 13 mos to 24 mos

Non-Dairy Classes
108 Dairy only
113 Non dairy & dairy/non-dairy cross

Poultry
Showmanship begins at 9:00 a.m. breed classes to follow.
Colleen Burke 269-544-0471
Pullorum Typhoid free certification is required for each entry. Testing is available on site from 7:00 a.m. to 8:45 a.m. for 50 cents per bird. All poultry will be shown on the table.

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4-H Open Horse Show
July 9 & 10, 2016
Kalamazoo County Fairgrounds
Shows start at 8:30 each morning

For Registration information please check out:

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Kalamazoo County 4-H Scrapbooking
Sept. 17th 2016 9:00 a.m. – 9:00p.m.
9929 S. M-43 Highway
Delton, MI 49046
(269) 623-7310

Prizes!! Give Aways!! Silent Auction!!
$40.00 per person
Deadline for entry Sept. 10th
Call Scrapaloo to reserve your spot and specific person you would like to sit by!
Questions? Call Susan Compton at (269) 271-3424 or e-mail at skcomp@chartermi.net

Light breakfast, lunch, snacks, dinner and beverages will be provided. Plan on joining us for a great day of fun, laughter and excitement.

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THE FAIR STARTS IN 75 DAYS!

The 2016 Kalamazoo County Fair is going to be a blast! We are working on lots of fun activities and attractions for Fair week. Check out the schedule on our website, [www.kalamazoo countyfair.com](http://www.kalamazoo countyfair.com), to see what you have to look forward to. We are even planning some fun stuff just for 4-Hers after the fair closes each night. Stay tuned for more information!

Premiums have increased for 2016! Thank you to the Livestock Association, Horse Council, Leaders Council, and Fair Council for donating to the 2016 4-H Premium fund for our 4-H kids. The 2016 Premium Book is now online on the County Fair and County 4-H websites. The deadline for entries is July 1, 2016.
New this year! KALAMAZOO COUNTY FAIR KIDS EXPO! Do you like to write stories and draw pictures, or is science your thing? Enter the Kalamazoo County Fair Kids Expo and exhibit your talent at the Fair! All children in Kalamazoo County who were in child-care, pre-school, and grades K-6 during the 2015-2016 academic year are eligible to enter our open class contests at the 2016 Kalamazoo County Fair. More information and registration forms are available on the Fair website. Sign up and show us what you can do!

Be sure to “like” us on Facebook! Keep up with fair news and share your pictures from Fair week. Right now we are running a weekly photo contest for Little Miss & Mister Kalamazoo County Fair.

Have questions? Need information? Call the Fair Office at 269-373-5181 or email to rxbruc@kalcounty.com

SEE YOU AT THE FAIR!
Kalamazoo County Fair—For the Kid in all of us

We are excited to announce that this year there will be themed days at the fair—where we can all enjoy creating memories together. Theme days include:

Monday—Senior Day
Tuesday—Science Palooza Day
Wednesday—Fairytale Day (Princess/Knights)
Thursday—Dinosaur Day
Friday—Animal Adventure Day
Saturday - Western Day

For more information on the Kalamazoo County Fair, go to

http://www.kalcounty.com/parks/fair/index.htm

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Health Requirements for Livestock Exhibited in Michigan

The Michigan Department of Agriculture & Rural Development defines Health Requirements for Livestock exhibited in Michigan. For the 2015 requirements please see http://www.michigan.gov/documents/mdard/2016_Fairs_and_Exhibitions_Requirements_510845_7.pdf
2016 Kalamazoo County Fair Camping Fees & Information

CAMPING RESERVATIONS

The Kalamazoo County Parks & Expo Center will be handling all the camping reservations again this year.

Beginning May 10, 2016 you must call to make your reservation directly with the Expo Center.

Camping Fees:

- Weekly Rate - $135.00 per week
- Single Night Reservations - $30 per night

Reservations made after July 22 are $175 per week and $35 per single night

PLEASE NOTE: Anyone staying in the campgrounds must also have a Fair Admission ticket (sold separately).

Advance Reservation Fee: One-time $5.00 fee will be charged for all advance reservations

Vehicle Passes: One vehicle pass is included per campsite. Additional passes are $10 each if purchased before July 22. $15 each if purchased at the Fair.

Golf Carts: All golf carts must be pre-registered. Golf cart permits are $25 each. After July 22 fee is $100. You must be 18 years of age, have a valid driver’s license and provide proof of liability insurance to operate a golf cart on the grounds.

Call 269-383-8778 for Reservations!

Deadline for Camping Registration

July 22, 2016

Campground check-in will take place in the Main Lobby of the Expo Center from 9:00am-6:00pm on Saturday, August 6, and Sunday, August 7. No early arrivals.

Camping Information: Camping will be reserved by campground area at time of reservation (see map for campground areas) and specific site numbers will be emailed out approximately 1 week prior to arrival. We will try to accommodate special requests. All requests will be considered in order by date of reservation.

Campers may not switch from assigned site number upon arrival. All reservations must be paid by credit card at the time of reservation. There is a non-refundable $5 reservation fee for each campsite reserved. Most sites offer water and electric hook-up.

A dump station with potable water is available on the grounds. On-site septic service will be available by pre-registration with your camping reservation for $15 per dump. Dumps can be scheduled for Wednesday, August 10, and/or Friday, August 12.

Showers and handicapped-accessible restrooms are available.

Cancellations will be accepted until July 22, 2016 for a full refund, less the $5 reservation fee. No refunds are available for cancellations after July 22, 2016.
KIDS BEING SCIENTISTS CAMP

Come explore the natural sciences with W.K. Kellogg Bird Sanctuary’s Kids Being Scientists camp! Campers will become an ornithologist on Monday, a wildlife biologist on Wednesday, and a botanist on Thursday while exploring the natural world we live in.

We will be unlocking the fun of science with hands-on experiments, and up-close encounters with amphibians, birds, and wildlife. Each week we will be conducting science experiments, exploring how art and science work together, playing games, singing songs, swimming, and fishing!

JULY 11-15
GRADES 1-5, 8:30 A.M. - 3:00 P.M.

JULY 18-22
GRADES 6-8, 8:30 A.M. - 3:00 P.M.

FEES & LOGISTICS

Member Price: $160
Non-member Price: $180
Late pickup (3 p.m. - 4 p.m.): $20
Overnight Camping Experience (grades 6-8): $50
$10 referral discount (applied after camp)

Register online or use the attached form by June 1 to receive a 2016 camp shirt. Campers who register after June 1 are not guaranteed a shirt.

Scholarships are available; apply online for scholarships by April 29 to be considered.

The Bird Sanctuary Camp Scholarship Fund was created in 2011 with generous donations from Sanctuary members. The purpose of the Scholarship Fund is to help families afford a camp experience at the Sanctuary. Funds are limited and are awarded according to need and on a first-come, first-served basis. Scholarships are valued at 20-80% of the camp registration fee.

SNEAK A PEAK AT OUR ACTIVITIES

HUNTING FOR HABITATS
Get ready to explore! We will spend the day as biologists, visiting different habitats and discovering the plants and animals that live there.

WILD ABOUT BIRDS
Become an ornithologist and study birds and their amazing facts! Learn about wild and captive birds. Photos will be taken with the Sanctuary Raptors.

WONDERS OF WILDLIFE
Become a wildlife biologist and set up locations for spotting wildlife at night!

WATER DETECTIVES
Did you know that we live in a watershed? Campers will solve mysteries about the water in our communities. We will investigate lakes and wetlands and build boats to go exploring!

FOR MORE INFORMATION

SANCTUARY MANAGER, LISA DUKE
269-671-2551
lisdude@msu.edu

CAMP DIRECTOR, MISTY KLOTZ
269-671-2263
klotzmis@msu.edu

or visit us online
birdsanctuary.kbs.msu.edu

REGISTER ONLINE OR RETURN THIS FORM TO
W.K. Kellogg Bird Sanctuary
12685 East C Avenue
Augusta, MI 49012

PERSONAL INFORMATION

☐ JULY 11-15 (GRADES 1-5) ☐ JULY 18-22 (GRADES 6-8)
Camper Name(s) __________________________________________
Camper Birthday / / Gender _________________________________
Parent/Guardian Name(s) ________________________________
Address ________________________________________________
Phone 1 ___________ cell home work _______________________
Phone 2 __________ cell home work _________________________
Email ________________________________
Camper Shirt Size  S (6-8)  M (10-12)  L (14-16)
(adult sizes available upon request)

PAYMENT INFORMATION

☒ $160 (MEMBER) ☒ $180 (NON-MEMBER) ☒ $20 (LATE PICK-UP)
☒ $50 (OVERNIGHT CAMPING EXPERIENCE) TOTAL $ __________
☒ CHECK (PAY TO CAMP) ☒ VISA OR MASTERCARD
Card # ____________________________
Exp. Date __________________________
Name ______________________________
Signature __________________________
**Have You Sold Cattle on the Farm?**

If so, be sure you paid the $1.00 Checkoff.

**Did You Know?** Every time you sell a bovine animal, regardless of age, sex, breed, purpose, or number a dollar-a-head is due. The dollar is to be collected by the buyer from the seller, although both parties are responsible for remittance. The Checkoff is designed so that everyone pays their fair share.

**How are your Checkoff dollars being used?** Beef and veal television, radio and print advertising. Food safety, health and nutritional research. Product technology and development. Educating consumers and children about beef’s role in a healthy diet. Refuting issues that could negatively impact the beef industry, such as BSE, E. Coli and Foot-and-Mouth disease.

**How Do You Pay?** Complete a remittance form and mail it along with your check to the Michigan Beef Industry Commission. Additional remittance forms are available through the Michigan Beef Industry Commission, 2145 University Park Drive, Suite 300, Okemos, MI. 48864, Fax: 517-347-0919.

**Who Pays?** When cattle are sold or imported, the buyer of the cattle must withhold a $1 per head, or equivalent, from the seller’s purchase price. Failure to do so is a violation of the law and may be subject to a $5,500 penalty. It’s the law - no one is exempt. Website: [http://www.mibeef.org](http://www.mibeef.org). Go Checkoff Info and then to Checkoff Remittance Form.
**STATEWIDE CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

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Two Upcoming Michigan 4-H/FFA Judging Contests

State 4-H/FFA Livestock Judging Contest
The Michigan 4-H/FFA Livestock Judging Contest (http://bit.ly/27gRakb) will be held July 14, 2016 at Anthony Hall (http://maps.msu.edu/interactive/index.php?location=anh) on the campus of Michigan State University (http://www.msu.edu). This contest is held in conjunction with the Michigan Livestock Expo (MLE) (http://www.milivestock.com) and it is a collaborative effort between Michigan 4-H (http://msue.anr.msu.edu/topic/info/4_h) and Michigan FFA (http://www.michiganffa.com).

This contest provides participants with the opportunity to enhance various skills including livestock evaluation and selection, communication and decision making. During the event, contestants judge eight classes including beef cattle, Boer goats, sheep and swine. Each contestant also answers one set of question, and either gives three sets of oral reasons or answers three additional sets of questions. Once again, this year's contest will feature a 4-H Cloverbud (http://msue.anr.msu.edu/program/info/cloverbuds_ages_5-8) division.

The state-winning Senior 4-H Division team will compete at the American Royal Contest (http://www.americanroyal.com/events/2016/judging-contests) and the top 15 Senior 4-H Division contestants, who have not already competed at the North American International Livestock Exposition (NAILE) (http://www.livestockexpo.org), will have the opportunity to compete for eight spots to represent Michigan 4-H at one of two national contests.

Regular fee entry registration is due July 1, 2016


State 4-H/FFA Meats Judging Contest
The Michigan 4-H Meats Judging Contest/FFA Meats Evaluation and Technology Career Development event (http://msue.anr.msu.edu/events/4_h_ffa_meats_judging_contest), which will be held July 22, 2016 at Anthony Hall (http://maps.msu.edu/interactive/index.php?location=anh) on the campus of Michigan State University (http://www.msu.edu), is also a collaborative effort between Michigan 4-H (http://msue.anr.msu.edu/topic/info/4_h) and Michigan FFA (http://www.michiganffa.com).

At the contest, participants demonstrate their ability to evaluate carcasses and identify meats. This contest, which has both individual and team competition, includes three beef classes, three pork classes, identifying 20 retail cuts, yield-grade and quality-grade three beef carcasses, and answering one set of questions. Additionally, 4-H members give one set of oral reasons and FFA members complete a multiple-choice test.

All entries are to be postmarked by July 1, 2016 and sent to Carla McLachlan, Anthony Hall 1287, 474 South Shaw Lane, East Lansing, MI 48824.

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Rabbit Agility, Room B, Fairgrounds, 6:30 pm | **1 FAIR ENTRY FORM DEADLINE**—5PM @ Fair office, State Horse Show applications due to Horse Leaders | 2 |
|     |     |     |     | 3   | 4 Independence Day—MSUE offices closed |  
Augusta & Scotts club meetings  
Open Horse Show, Fairgrounds |
| 5   | 6   | 7   |     | 8   | 8 Rabbit Agility, Rabbit barn, Fairgrounds, 6:30 pm | 9 Market rabbit check-in, arena, 10am  
Open Horse Show, Fairgrounds |
| 10  | 11  | 12  | 13  | 14  | 15  | 16  | 17  | 18  | 19  | 20  | 21  | 22  | 23  |
|     |     |     | Fair council, Room B, Fairgrounds, 6:30pm |     |     | Goat Showmanship clinic, Fairgrounds, livestock arena, 12pm |
|     |     |     | Countywide poultry meeting, Pullorum testing 5-7pm, fit & show, arena, fairgrounds, 7pm | 20 |     |     | 18 Dog Council, Panera Bread, West Main St., 7pm |
| 19  | 20  | 21  | 22  | 23  | 24  | 25  | 26  | 27  | 28  | 29  | 30  |
|     |     | Horse council, Room B, Fairgrounds, 7pm | Rabbit Agility, Room B, Fairgrounds, 6:30 pm |     | Leader’s Council, Room B, Carcass Room A, Fairgrounds, 7pm.  
Cooper Cavaliers, | 25 |     | Fair council, Room C Fairgrounds, 6:30 pm | 27 |     |     | 29 Rabbit Agility, Room B, Fairgrounds, 6:30 pm |
|     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | 30 |