

MICHIGAN 4-H SMALL ANIMAL WORKSHOP

Meet new friends and learn about rabbits, cavies, and poultry!

Nutrition · Production · Management · Animal Care
Marketing · Health · Evaluation · Genetics

Who:

4-H members age 11-19 (as of January 1) and volunteers interested in rabbits, cavies and poultry. Not a 4-H member? Contact your county MSU Extension office today!

Cost:

\$73 for members and volunteers; \$135.65 for non-members. Includes meals, lodging and resources. Scholarships may be available for County 4-H members—ask your county staff!

Registration:

The deadline to register for this event is September 13, 2017. To register, visit <https://events.anr.msu.edu/smallanimalsworkshop>

Find out more...

Visit the registration site for additional details, including the event handbook. For more information, contact your county MSU Extension office or call Katie Ockert at (517) 432-5270. Accommodations for persons with disabilities may be requested on your registration form.



September 23-24, 2017

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2017 Michigan 4-H Small Animals Workshop

Tentative Agenda

****Note sessions may change prior to the workshop**

Saturday, September 23

10-11 a.m. Registration

11:15 a.m. Welcome & Opening Session

12:00 p.m. Lunch

1-1:45 p.m. Session Block #1

- Know your breed—How to pick a show rabbit
- Michigan 4-H State Awards Part 1: What is it?
- Poultry Judging
- Rabbit Judging

2-2:45 p.m. Session Block #2

- Michigan 4-H State Awards Part 2: Starting the application
- Preventing diseases—basic biosecurity
- Basic Poultry Management
- Rabbit Management

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3:45-4:30 p.m. Session Block #3

- Rabbit Processing
- Poultry Showmanship
- Advanced Poultry Management
- A Human's Guide To a Well Fed Cavy

4:45-5:30 p.m. Group Session

6:00 p.m. Dinner

7:00 p.m. Session Block #5

- Judges Panel Q & A—Poultry
- Judges Panel Q & A—Rabbits/Cavy
- Superintendent Round Up—All 4-H or Fair Superintendents

Sunday, September 24

7:30 a.m. Breakfast

9-9:45 a.m. Session #6

- Tattoos and Pedigrees—Tips on how to keep good records
- It takes more than chicken feed....
- Common Poultry Diseases
- TBA

10-10:45 a.m. Session #7

- Animal Dollar\$ and Cent\$
- Michigan 4-H Embryology Program
- Bed Head or Fashionable? - Cavy Coat Types
- TBA

11 a.m. Closing Session

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