

Attica Independent Fair 2026 Newsletter

Celebrating the 150th Attica Independent Fair

“Stars, Stripes, and Summer Nights for 150 years at the Attica Independent Fair”.

August 11–15, 2026

Dear Members, Families, and Volunteers,

Fair week is almost here, and we are excited to celebrate the 150th Attica Independent Fair! We look forward to a fun, educational, and successful week showcasing the hard work and accomplishments of all our members.

Please review the information below and be sure to reference the attached documents for detailed schedules and assignments.

New This Year – Fair Passes Required for Skills Testing

To help ensure a smooth check-in process, **all exhibitors must have their fair pass with them before taking their Skills Test.**

Please plan ahead and pick up your pass prior to your scheduled Skills Test.

Fair Pass Pick-Up Office Hours:

August 3–8th

6:00–8:30 p.m.

If you are unable to pick up your pass during these office hours, please contact me to make other arrangements. All passes for exhibitors, cloverbuds, and advisors are \$7.00. Checks can be made to the Attica Junior Fairboard.

Attached Documents

The following forms and schedules are included with this newsletter:

- Fair Week Schedule
- Miscellaneous Judging Schedule
- Skills Test Judging Schedule (by Club)
- Booth Patrol Schedule
- Cloverbud Sensory Bin Information
- Cloverbud Coloring Contest Information
- Sale Day Drink Assignment List

Important Reminders

- Review all attached schedules carefully and note your required times and responsibilities.
- Arrive early for weigh-ins, judging events, and assigned duties.
- Be sure to check the Skills Test schedule for your club's designated judging time.
- Members assigned to Booth Patrol should report promptly for their scheduled shift.
- Cloverbuds are encouraged to participate in the sensory bin activities, coloring contest, and all other activities throughout the fair.
- Please review the Sale Day drink assignment list to ensure your group provides the designated beverages.

Fair Week Success

The Attica Independent Fair is a wonderful opportunity to showcase leadership, responsibility, sportsmanship, and community involvement. Thank you to all members, families, volunteers, advisors, and supporters who help make our fair a success each year.

We wish everyone the best of luck with their projects and competitions and hope you enjoy celebrating this historic 150th year of the Attica Independent Fair!

See you at the fair!

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Erin Swartzmiller". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name and title.

Erin Swartzmiller, Junior Fair Coordinator
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JUNIOR FAIR SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Saturday, August 8

4:00-8:00PM

Booth Decorating
Barn Decorating

Sunday, August 9

9:00a.m.-7:00 p.m.

Barn set-up
Booth Display set-up

1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.

Livestock Skills Test (Mandatory), & Livestock Turn in Completed Project Books
(Mandatory)

2:00-5:00 p.m.

Miscellaneous, Home Economics
Judging (including sewing, cooking & cake decorating),

Monday, August 10

Poster Contest Judging
Booth Judging

Receiving & Weigh-in of all Livestock:

ALL livestock MUST be on the fairgrounds by 5:00 p.m.

VET CHECK-IN @ EAST GATE

3:00 PM – 5:00 PM

2:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Poultry – Small Animal Barn

3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Hogs – East side of Show Arena

5:00p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Rabbits – Small Animal Barn

5:30 p.m. – East side of Show Arena

Feeders then steers

5:30 p.m. – West side of Show Arena

Sheep then goats

Barn Meeting following weigh-in (Show Arena)

Tuesday, August 11

9:00 a.m. Opening Ceremonies (all welcome)

10:30 a.m.

Poultry Showmanship
Poultry Judging
Pee-wee showmanship

11:00a.m

Alivia's Alterations- Alivia Drown

2:00p.m.

Creative Cloverbud snack mix judging

4:00p.m.

Tie dye event with Jr. Fair Board

5:00 p.m.

Royalty Contest
Stylish Designs Revue – during Royalty

5:30p.m.

Livestock Judging

Wednesday, August 12

9:00 a.m.

Rabbit Showmanship
Rabbit Judging
Pee-wee showmanship

11:00 a.m.

Touch a Truck

11:30 a.m.

Ag Engineering Skillathon

12:00pm

Smoothie Bike

2:00 p.m.

Beef Breeding/Steers Showmanship
Feeder Showmanship
Beef Breeding Judging
Feeder Judging
Steer Judging

Cattlemen's Locally Grown Contest
Pee-wee showmanship

4:00p.m.
Perfection Landscaping

7:00p.m.
Cloverbud stuffed animal judging

Thursday, August 13

9:00 a.m.
Goat Showmanship
Breeding, Market & Harness Judging
Goat – Co. Bred, Born & Raised Contest
Pee-wee showmanship

11:00am
Laurie Reichert

1:00pm
Gordon's Aquatics

4:00p.m.
Butterfly Boutique- Lillian Watson

5:00 p.m.
Sheep Showmanship
Sheep Judging
Sheep—Co. Bred, Born & Raised Contest
Pee-wee showmanship

6:30p.m.
Mama's Macrame'-must sign up limited to 50 kids 8and up

Friday, August 14

10:00 a.m.
Hog Showmanship
Breeding Show (by weight of animal)
Market Hog Judging (By weight of animal)
Pee-Wee Showmanship

11:00 a.m.
Playful Progress

1:00p.m.
Rural Route Rustics- Ashlynnne Perkins

3:00 p.m.
Showman of Showmen

6:30pm
Cloverbud Graduation in entertainment building

8:00pm
Best dressed animal contest in sale arena

Saturday, August 15

Livestock Sale Day
9:00 a.m.
Back to the Farm Sale (Feeders only)
10:00 a.m.
Junior Fair Livestock Commercial Sale

1:00p.m.-3:00pm
Caricature art by Ben White

4:00P.M.-6:00pm
Line dancing with Rockin Mommas

1:00 a.m.
Fair Closes

Sunday, August 16

8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.
Release of all Champion & Market livestock **ONLY**

10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon
Release of all other livestock, back to the farm & breeding **NO CLEANING OF
AREA UNTIL ALL ANIMALS ARE GONE IN THAT SPECIES.**

8:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon
Release of all miscellaneous projects

1:30pm- 2:30pm
Premium Payouts

Full Name (Last, First)	Club Name	Division Name	Class Name	Table	Time
Mesnard, Claire	Bloomville Beef & Feeders	Food Nutrition	Lets start cooking	5	2:00
Miller, Adalyn	Victory 4H	Arts	My favorite things	4	2:00
Miller, Charlotte	Victory 4H	Cats, dogs & pocket pets	Dog care	2	2:00
Ross, Jase	Roots & wings	Woodworking	Measuring up	1	2:00
Weaver, Kennedy	Eastern County Livestock	Clothing	Sew Fun	6	2:00
Ziegler, Jase	Seneca East FFA	Crops	other crops	3	2:00
Boes, Sophia	Clinton Farmers	Arts	My favorite things	4	2:10
Bogner, Austin	Bloomville Good Luck Sheep	Health	Medicine science and Safety	3	2:10
Bogner, Ethan	Bloomville Good Luck Sheep	Health	Medicine science and Safety	3	2:10
Bogner, Grant	Bloomville Good Luck Sheep	Health	Medicine science and Safety	3	2:10
Carman, Brentley	Bloomville Good Luck Sheep	Health	Medicine science and Safety	3	2:10
Curry, John	Bloomville Good Luck Sheep	Health	Medicine science and Safety	3	2:10
Curry, Joseph	Bloomville Good Luck Sheep	Health	Medicine science and Safety	3	2:10
Fitch, Brantley	Bloomville Good Luck Sheep	Health	Medicine science and Safety	3	2:10
Fitch, Sawyer	Bloomville Good Luck Sheep	Health	Medicine science and Safety	3	2:10
Hartley, Bella	Roots & wings	Food Nutrition	Lets start cooking	5	2:10
Hess, Madelyn	Bloomville Good Luck Sheep	Health	Medicine science and Safety	3	2:10
Hess, Wesley	Bloomville Good Luck Sheep	Health	Medicine science and Safety	3	2:10
Kirian Jr, Joseph	Bloomville Good Luck Sheep	Health	Medicine science and Safety	3	2:10
Kirian, Allie	Bloomville Good Luck Sheep	Health	Medicine science and Safety	3	2:10
Martin, Mack	Roots & wings	Natural Resources	Basic Archery	2	2:10
Moyer, Zoey	Bloomville Good Luck Sheep	Health	Medicine science and Safety	3	2:10
Sayre, Davin	Bloomville Good Luck Sheep	Health	Medicine science and Safety	3	2:10

Sayre, Dominic	Bloomville Good Luck Sheep	Health	Medicine science and Safety	3	2:10
Sayre, Ellen	Bloomville Good Luck Sheep	Health	Medicine science and Safety	3	2:10
Schultz, Karleigh	Bloomville Good Luck Sheep	Health	Medicine science and Safety	3	2:10
Schultz, Oakleigh	Bloomville Good Luck Sheep	Health	Medicine science and Safety	3	2:10
Schumacher, Aryiah	Bloomville Good Luck Sheep	Health	Medicine science and Safety	3	2:10
Schwartz, Corbyn	Bloomville Good Luck Sheep	Health	Medicine science and Safety	3	2:10
Smith, Gabriel	Bloomville Good Luck Sheep	Health	Medicine science and Safety	3	2:10
Smith, Henry	Bloomville Good Luck Sheep	Health	Medicine science and Safety	3	2:10
Thompson, Israel	Roots & wings	Woodworking	Measuring up	1	2:10
Zellner, Haleigh	Bloomville Good Luck Sheep	Health	Medicine science and Safety	3	2:10
Brenner, Nathan	Eastern County Livestock	Woodworking	Measuring up	1	2:20
Elswick, Kadin	Eastern County Livestock	Natural Resources	Safe use of guns	2	2:20
Lawrence, Ava	Eastern County Livestock	Food Nutrition	Everyday food & fitness	5	2:20
Prenzlin, Blake	Dandelion Dreams 4H club	Arts	My favorite things	4	2:20
Weaver, Regan	Eastern County Livestock	Clothing	Sewing for others	6	2:20
Elswick, Kadin	Eastern County Livestock	Natural Resources	Intermediate fishing	2	2:30
Haden, Corbin	Dandelion Dreams 4H club	Arts	My favorite things	4	2:30
Hess, Oliver	Clinton Farmers	Woodworking	Measuring up	1	2:30
Miller, Hanna	Eastern County Livestock	Food Nutrition	Lets bake quick breads	5	2:30
Newell, Nora	Eastern County Livestock	Photography	Photography Basics	6	2:30
Smith, Allie	Roots & wings	Health	First Aid in action	3	2:30
Brutsche, Jacob	Roots & wings	Natural Resources	Can you dig it	2	2:40
Kirian, Alivia	Bloomville Good Luck Sheep	Health	Medicine science and Safety	3	2:40
Martin, Nevelle	Republic Rowdy Rednecks	Photography	Scrapbooking	6	2:40

Miller, Ava	Attica Dairy	Food Nutrition	Snack Attack	5	2:40
Welly, Jeremyah	Dandelion Dreams 4H club	Arts	My favorite things	4	2:40
Welly, Jeremyah	Dandelion Dreams 4H club	Woodworking	Making the cut	1	2:40
Bish, Gracie	Republic Rowdy Rednecks	Food Nutrition	Cake Decorating	5	2:50
Sayre, Davin	Bloomville Good Luck Sheep	Woodworking	Nailing it together	1	2:50
Snavely, Natalie	Republic Rowdy Rednecks	Photography	Photography Basics	6	2:50
Terry, Jessica	Doggon'its	Arts	Get started in Art	4	2:50
Tuck, Joseph	Bloomville Good Luck Sheep	Health	Medicine science and Safety	3	2:50
Boes, Sophia	Clinton Farmers	Natural Resources	Insects 1, 2, 3	2	3:00
Brutsche, Jacob	Roots & wings	Food Nutrition	Snack Attack	5	3:00
Enders, Jordyn	Republic Rowdy Rednecks	Photography	Scrapbooking	6	3:00
Hess, Benjamin	Clinton Farmers	Woodworking	Nailing it together	1	3:00
Prenzlin, Baylee	Dandelion Dreams 4H club	Arts	Get started in Art	4	3:00
Tuck, Summer	Bloomville Good Luck Sheep	Health	Medicine science and Safety	3	3:00
Bowerman, Nicole	Republic Rowdy Rednecks	Photography	Photography Master	6	3:10
Karhoff, Gwendolyn	Eastern County Livestock	Natural Resources	Fishing for beginner	2	3:10
Lantz, Camryn	Bloomville Beef & Feeders	Health	You're the Athlete	3	3:10
Miller, Eleanor	Eastern County Livestock	Food Nutrition	Take break for Breakfast	5	3:10
Prenzlin, Blake	Dandelion Dreams 4H club	Cats, dogs & pocket pets	Self determined small animal	4	3:10
Wolfelt-Welly, Trinity	Dandelion Dreams 4H club	Woodworking	Measuring up	1	3:10
Bordner, Valerie	Eastern County Livestock	Photography	Scrapbooking	6	3:20
Prenzlin, Baylee	Sentinel FFA	Metals	Arcs & sparks	3	3:20
Schneiderman, Katelynn	Hopewell Hog & Dairy	Cats, dogs & pocket pets	Self determined small animal	4	3:20
Smith, Karlee	Republic Rowdy Rednecks	Food Nutrition	Star Spangled foods	5	3:20

Welly, Jeremyah	Dandelion Dreams 4H club	Natural Resources	Self Determined- Natural Resources	2	3:20
Ziegler, Jack	Seneca East FFA	Woodworking	FFA/Other woodworking	1	3:20
Hess, Annabelle	Clinton Farmers	Food Nutrition	Snack Attack	5	3:30
Jameson, Alysia	4H Guys & Gals	Cats, dogs & pocket pets	Self determined small animal	4	3:30
Kirian, Timothy	Republic Rowdy Rednecks	Metals	Arcs & sparks	3	3:30
Stacklin, Lynnae	Seneca East FFA	Woodworking	FFA/Other woodworking	1	3:30
Terry, Jessica	Doggon'its	Natural Resources	Exploring the outdoors	2	3:30
Boes, Olivia	Clinton Farmers	Communication and Leadership	self determined leadership	4	3:40
Miller, Ally	Attica Dairy	Food Nutrition	Snack Attack	5	3:40
Terry, Jessica	Doggon'its	Natural Resources	Basic Archery	2	3:40
Wright, Marissa	Seneca East FFA	Woodworking	FFA/Other woodworking	1	3:40
Boes, Sophia	Clinton Farmers	Communication and Leadership	self determined leadership	4	3:50
Fourtner, Donald	Dandelion Dreams 4H club	Natural Resources	Intermediate fishing	2	3:50
Newell, Remington	Seneca East FFA	Woodworking	FFA/Other woodworking	1	3:50
Carrick, Keltie	Bloomville Beef & Feeders	Veterinary Science	All systems go 2	2	4:00
Kessler, McKinley	Seneca East FFA	Woodworking	FFA/Other woodworking	1	4:00
Ruffing, Avery	Roots & wings	Food Nutrition	Snack Attack	5	4:00
Walliser, Kayleigh	Eastern County Livestock	Communication and Leadership	self determined leadership	4	4:00
Boes, Olivia	Clinton Farmers	Food Nutrition	Cake Decorating	5	4:10
Ehresman, Corbin	Seneca East FFA	Woodworking	FFA/Other woodworking	1	4:10
Stacklin, Ivan	Eastern County Livestock	Gardening	Grow your own Vegetables	4	4:10
Boes, Sophia	Clinton Farmers	Food Nutrition	Star Spangled foods	5	4:20
Mayes, Bristin	Seneca East FFA	Woodworking	FFA/Other woodworking	1	4:20
Stacklin, Elli	Eastern County Livestock	Gardening	Grow your own Vegetables	4	4:20

Fay, Colby	Republic Rowdy Rednecks	Food Nutrition	Grillmaster	5	4:30
Vanderveen, Ellie	Republic Rowdy Rednecks	Home decorating and design	The laundry project	4	4:30
Kessler, McKinley	Republic Rowdy Rednecks	Food Nutrition	Star Spangled foods	5	4:40
Prenzlin, Baylee	Dandelion Dreams 4H club	Money Management	Self determined finance	4	4:40
Kessler, McKinley	Republic Rowdy Rednecks	Food Nutrition	Star Spangled foods	5	4:50
Sayre, Ellen	Bloomville Good Luck Sheep	Money Management	Becoming money wise	4	4:50
Burkholder, Lillian	Republic Rowdy Rednecks	Food Nutrition	Sports Nutrition	5	5:00
Logan, Fynn	Roots & wings	Self Determined	Self- Determined	6	5:00
Enders, Julia	Republic Rowdy Rednecks	Food Nutrition	Star Spangled foods	5	5:10
Vanderveen, Blaise	Republic Rowdy Rednecks	Self Determined	Self- Determined	6	5:10
Burkholder, Luella	Republic Rowdy Rednecks	Food Nutrition	Grillmaster	5	5:20
Prenzlin, Baylee	Dandelion Dreams 4H club	Self Determined	Self- Determined	6	5:20
Dorris, Daniel	Roots & wings	Food Nutrition	Lets bake quick breads	5	5:30
Schneiderman, Katelynn	Hopewell Hog & Dairy	Self Determined	Self- Determined	6	5:30
Dorris, Daniel	Roots & wings	Food Nutrition	Yeast breads on the rise	5	5:40
Wolfelt-Welly, Trinity	Dandelion Dreams 4H club	Food Nutrition	Cake Decorating	5	5:50

Booth Patrol Dates & Times:

(You must have 4 patrollers with one being an advisor/adult to guard the booths during your entire shift.)

Tuesday

12:00pm – 4:00pm

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4:00pm – 8:00pm

Roots & Wings

Wednesday

12:00pm – 4:00pm

BGLS

4:00pm – 8:00pm

Thursday

12:00pm – 4:00pm

SE FFA

4:00pm – 8:00pm

ECL

Friday

12:00pm – 4:00pm

Victory 4H

4:00pm – 8:00pm

Dandelion Dreams

Booth Sizes:

Attica Dairy 8ft

Dandelion Dreams 8 Ft

Eastern County livestock 8ft

Victory 4H 8ft

Republic Rowdy Rednecks 12ft

Seneca East FFA 12ft

Bloomville Good luck Sheep 12Ft

Seneca East Art 12 ft

Roots & Wings 12ft

Skills Test Times:

Sunday August 9th 2026 Skills test				
Time	Club			
1:00-1:30	3 R			
1:30-2:00	Eastern County/HL hog and Dairy /Buckeye Buddies			
2:00-2:30	Attica Fairy/BBF/4H Guys and Gals			
2:30-3:00	Bloomville GoodLuck Sheep/Circle E Beef/Clinton Farmers/Spirit of 76			
3:00-3:30	Roots & Wings/ Victory/Kids, pigs, & Utters/ Dog on' its			
3:30-400	SE FFA/ Seneca Rough Riders			
4:00-4:30	Dandelion Dreams/New Reigel Rawhide and Woolies/ Seneca County Jr Beef/ Seneca Cty Young Farmers/			

Cloverbud Sensory Bin

This is a newer project we are incorporating into our fair to accompany our sensory area of the fairgrounds. We are asking that your clover bud group puts together an activity/sensory bin. These will be judged on the following criteria.

1. Theme is “Stars, Stripes, and Summer Nights for 150 years at the Attica Independent Fair”.
2. The use of provided container
3. Fill with materials: only rule is **NO WATER**
4. Engaging toys and tools
5. Facilitate exploration and imagination
6. Promote fine motor skills
7. Allow for open-ended play
8. Engage Multiple Senses
9. Use your Creativity

Have fun with this project. These will be sat in our sensory area during the week for kids to play and utilities them. I ask them to be turned into the office no later than Sunday August 9th at 5pm. We continue to thank you for your support in bettering our fair for everyone.

Erin Swartzmiller
Attica Jr Fair Coordinator

Name:

Age:

Phone Number:



Name:

Age:

Phone Number:



Club Drink list for sale. Turn in to the office by Friday of Fair.

Bloomville Beef & Feeders	2 Waters
BGLS	2 Waters
Clinton Farmers	1 Water
Dandelion Dreams	1 Diet Pepsi
ECL	2 Pepsi
HL Hog & Dairy	1 Coke
NR Rawhide & Woolies	1 Diet Pepsi
Roots & Wings	1 Water
SE FFA	2 Diet Coke
Seneca Co Jr Beef	1 Water
Seneca Rough Riders	1 Coke
Spirit of '76	1 Diet Coke
Sine Stockade	1 Coke
Victory	1 Diet Coke
Doggonits	1 Water
Eden Dairy	1 Water
Kids, Pigs, & Udders	1 Sprite
Seneca Helping Hands	1 Sprite