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Lee County Civic Center Complex will continue to host events this weekend

Fort Myers, FL, Oct. 20, 2023 – Lee County Parks & Recreation will host the scheduled livestock events this weekend at the Lee County Civic Center Complex, 11831 Bayshore Road, North Fort Myers.

The events are:

- 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 21, **Exhibitor Ethics Class** at Davidson House at Lee County Civic Center Complex, entrance is located off Old Bayshore Road at Gate 2. This event is for previously registered participants. Additional opportunities will be made available for Ethics Classes prior to the 2024 Lee County fair.
- 7 a.m. to 10 a.m., Sunday, Oct. 22, **Swine Tagging Information Event** behind the barns at Lee County Civic Center Complex, entrance is located off Old Bayshore Road at Gate 2. There will be additional registration paperwork to fill out on site to show at the 2024 Lee County fair. Please bring buyer's letter and owner's certificate; Exhibitor Photos will be taken at this event.

As Lee County Parks & Recreation continues to work through the transition of the operations for the 2024 Lee County fair at the Civic Center, staff will identify an additional opportunity for animal tagging to ensure all previously registered participants are able to meet show requirements. If you are unable to attend Sunday's tagging, remember that a proof of purchase for swine must be provided to show the animal purchase was made a minimum of 135 days prior to check-in.

Lee County Parks & Recreation is prepared to ensure that the 2024 Lee County fair is a success for the community and that the educational livestock events are a success for local youth. The focus is to provide educational workshops, clinics and required classes for youth participants to be able to show their livestock. All previously scheduled 2024 fair events will take place at the Lee County Civic Center Complex.

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