



Feb. 21-23, 2025 | Sheraton at the Keystone Crossing | 8787 Keystone Crossing | Indianapolis, IN 46240

AGENDA

All times are EST. Tentative and subject to change.

Friday, Feb. 21

- 5 - 8:00 p.m.** **Registration & Check-in**
Raffle opens at 5 p.m. & Closes at 9 p.m.
Tour tickets available for purchase at 5 p.m.
Location: Event Center Lobby
- 5 – 10 p.m.** **Family Room**
Children must be accompanied by an adult.
Location: Suite 8
- 7 - 10 p.m.** **Welcome Reception & Trivia Night**
Gather for appetizers, trivia and networking
Location: Plaza A, B & C Ballroom

Saturday, Feb. 10

- 6 – 9 a.m.** **Registration & Check-in**
Tour tickets available for purchase at 6 a.m.
Location: Event Center lobby
- 8 – 9 a.m.** **County YF&AP Chair Breakfast**
Location: Suite 9-10
- 8 a.m. – 10 p.m.** **Family Room**
Children must be accompanied by an adult.
Location: Suite 8
- 9 – 10:30 a.m.** **Opening Session & Keynote**
presented by Temple Grandin
Location: Plaza A, B & C Ballroom
Raffle opens at 9 a.m.

11 a.m. - Noon

Special interest sessions #1 (choose one)

- Cattle Risk Management - *Caitlyn Grudzinski*
Location: Suite 4-5
- Water Issues - *Caitlin Smith, associate director of policy engagement, INFB*
Location: Suite 6-7
- Smaller Niche Markets/Side Hustle - *panel discussion*
Location: Suite 9-10
- AI in Farming - *Navin Elando, Corteva AgriScience*
Location: Plaza D Ballroom
- Ag in the Classroom Child Activity - *Children must be accompanied by an adult.*
Location: Plaza E Ballroom

12 – 1:30 p.m.

Lunch and Keynote by Braxten Nielsen

Location: Plaza A, B & C Ballroom

1:45 – 2:45 p.m.

Special interest sessions #2 (choose one)

- Blueprint to Success: Building Your Business Plan with Mentorship - *Hilary Poulson, Growing Forward Specialist, Farm Credit Mid-America*
Location: Suite 4-5
- Saying the Hard Things: Mental Health in Agriculture - *Abby Heidenreich, Purdue farm Stress Team, Purdue Extension Gibson County*
Location: Suite 6-7
- Local Government – Get Involved - *Laura Ruhlman & Regional Manager Team, INFB*
Location: Suite 9-10
- Getting the Most from your Grass: Implementing Managed Grazing - *Jason Tower, superintendent, Southern Indiana Purdue Agriculture Center*
Location: Plaza D Ballroom
- Biosecurity - *Kyle Shipman, Indiana State Veterinarian, Indiana State Board of Animal Health*
Location: Plaza E Ballroom

3 – 3:30 p.m.

Closing Session & Afternoon Snack

Location: Plaza A, B & C Ballroom

4 – 7 p.m.

Industry Tours

Must have ticket to attend tour, ages 5 and up will need a ticket.

Tours will depart in Plaza A, B & C Ballroom

- Tulip Tree Creamery - \$20/person
- Smoking Goose Meatery - \$13/person
- Beck's Hybrids Headquarters - free
- Fisher's AgriPark – free (child-friendly)
- West Fork Whiskey Co. - \$20/person (21+ only)

7 - 8 p.m.

Dinner & Social Hour

Raffle closes at 7:30 p.m. & prizes drawn before concert

Location: Plaza A, B & C Ballroom

8 - 10 p.m.

Concert by Rye Davis

Location: Plaza A, B & C Ballroom

Sunday, Feb. 11

8:30 – 9 a.m.

Cowboy Church

Join us for a worship service lead by Caleb Purkhiser

Location: Suite 6-7

