

Crook County Fair Bacon Buddies® Buddy Registration



Join us for the Bacon Buddies® Show at the Crook County Fair!

WHO: A “Buddy” is a person with an intellectual and/or developmental disability and is at least 10 years old. Each Buddy will be paired with two Youth Mentors and a show pig or rabbit.

WHAT: Buddies will have the opportunity to experience showing a pig or rabbit at the 2024 Crook County Fair. The Bacon Buddies® judge will assess how the Mentors, Buddy, and animal work together as a cohesive unit. Each participant will receive a **rosette ribbon, T-shirt, and 1 meal voucher to use at Fair.**

WHEN: Bacon Buddies® Swine Show: TBD. (Crook County Fair is August 7-10, 2024)
Bacon Buddies® Rabbit Show: TBD.
(+ Orientation Day in July; date & time TBD)

WHERE: The Swine show will take place in the Swine Show Ring at the Crook County Fairgrounds. The Rabbit Show will take place in Grizzly Mountain Pavilion. Orientation Day will be at the 4-H Clover Building.

SHOW ATTIRE: Closed toe shoes, long pants, and Bacon Buddies® T-shirt (shirt is provided by the Fairgrounds)

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: May 31, 2024

PLEASE NOTE: There are a variety of activities, lights and sounds at the Crook County Fair and in the livestock exhibit areas. Please bring any calming or auditory devices necessary. Parents and/or guests are encouraged to watch the show from the bleachers or ringside but will not be allowed in the show ring during the event.

QUESTIONS? Contact:

Haley, Fairgrounds Office Manager (haley.crow@crookcountyor.gov, 541-447-6575)
Samara, 4-H Program Coordinator (samara.rufener@oregonstate.edu, 541-447-6228)

Please see next pages for required consent and registration form for participants of the 2023 Bacon Buddies® event. Parent/guardian is also required to complete liability waiver.

Crook County Fair Bacon Buddies® Buddy Registration Form

Buddy Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Email Address: _____ Cell Phone: _____

T-Shirt (circle): Child Size: S M L XL Adult Size: S M L XL XXL

Gender (circle): Female Male Date of Birth (Month, Day, Year): ____/____/____

School (if applicable): _____

Hobbies/Interests: _____

Circle which species the Buddy would like to show at Fair: PIG RABBIT EITHER

Special Needs Information:

Nature of Disability: _____

Does participant use a walker, wheelchair, or crutches? YES NO If YES, specify: _____

Seizures: Y / N Diabetes: Y / N Allergies: _____

Dietary Restrictions or Preferences: _____

Parent/Legal Guardian Name(s): _____

Address (If different from above): _____

Number of Family Members (including the Buddy & yourself) who will join us on Orientation Day: _____

Emergency Contact Name and Cell Number: _____

Emergency Contact's Relationship to Buddy: _____

Submit registration form and liability waiver to:

Haley Crow, Crook County Fairgrounds

Physical Address: 1280 S Main St, Prineville OR 97754

Mailing Address: PO BOX 507, Prineville OR 97754

Email: haley.crow@crookcountyor.gov

Deadline: May 31st, 2024.

Crook County Fair Bacon Buddies® Parent/Guardian Liability Waiver

WAIVER TO BE COMPLETED BY PARENT OR GUARDIAN

I am the parent/legal guardian of _____ (Buddy's first and last name). I verify my child meets the participation requirements (10 years of age or older and has an intellectual and/or developmental disability) and has my permission to participate in the Crook County Fair Bacon Buddies® activities.



I understand the nature of the Bacon Buddies® show and believe my child is qualified, in good health, and is mentally and physically able to participate. I fully accept and assume all risks and responsibilities for losses, costs, and/or damages my child may incur because of his/her participation. If I, or the Bacon Buddies® show management, feel my child's participation is unsafe at any time, I agree my child will discontinue participation immediately.

As a Crook County Fair exhibitor, I hereby acknowledge that my child's photograph may be taken by the official Crook County Fair photographer for use by the Crook County Fair and agree to release and hold harmless the State of Oregon, Crook County Fair and Fair Board, their officers, employees, and agents and all parties to whom this or any photograph may be released. This photograph was taken for artistic reasons or newsworthiness and I agree that it may be released to any medium and may be used in any manner for any purpose whatsoever without compensation.

I fully understand the animal project my child is working with is not my child's animal and he/she is expected to care for the animal with the utmost respect.

It is understood and agreed that neither the State of Oregon, Crook County, Crook County Fair Board, nor the Crook County Fairgrounds Staff shall be liable for damages. _____ (name of Buddy) does hereby release and hold harmless the State of Oregon, the Crook County Fair; the Crook County Fair Board; and their agents, officers and employees from any responsibility whatsoever resulting from or coming out of participation at the Crook County Fair by:

PRINTED NAME OF PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN

SIGNATURE OF PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN

DATE