

DAILY SCHEDULE

WELCOME TO THE 2024

ALASKA HOMESTEAD EXPO

Saturday April 27									
	RINK CLASSROOM	UPSTAIRS	KITCHEN	HOG PROCESSING TENT	KIDS TENT	ANIMAL TENT	OUTSIDE (Teens)	CHICKEN TENT	OTHER:
9:00 AM	Spring Soil Prep for Garden - Bob Van Veldhuizen	Margaret Lowe Cooking with Whole Grains		Hog Processing	Seed Bombs - Emma Maricoff-Predmore		ORIENTEERING	Chicken Workshops & Demonstrations	VARIOUS TIMES: Spinning wheel demonstrations - Annette Born - taking place at her booth in the vendor hall
10:00 AM	Soil Health for your Alaska Orchard - Bob Van Veldhuizen	Yaks in Alaska - Sunny Hill Farm		Hog Processing	Making Seed Tape - Emma Maricoff-Predmore	Meat Rabbits - Michele Deering	ORIENTEERING	Chicken Workshops & Demonstrations	VARIOUS TIMES: Raising angoras for fiber - Annette Born - taking place at her booth in the vendor hall
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12:00 PM	Canning Salmon - Tandy Hogate	Suzy Crosby - Goats		Hog Processing		Courtnix Quail in AK - Mechel Meek	ORIENTEERING	Chicken Workshops & Demonstrations	
1:00 PM	Sourdough Class - Meghan Walker	Suzy Crosby - Goats	Kids Sourdough Class (Plus small upstairs classroom)	Hog Processing	Knots and Doughnuts		ORIENTEERING	Chicken Workshops & Demonstrations	
2:00 PM	Starting and managing your Alaska Orchard - Mark Wolbers AFPGA	Alaska Mushroom Foraging including Chaga - Elaine Martin		Hog Processing		Suzy Crosby - Goats	ORIENTEERING	Chicken Workshops & Demonstrations	
3:00 PM	URBAN HOMESTEAD - Feeding your Alaska family on an acre - Sierra Hammond	Alaska McDonald/Eddie Plant ID - Elaine Martin		Hog Processing		Suzy Crosby - Goats	ORIENTEERING	Chicken Workshops & Demonstrations	
4:00 PM	Beekeeping - Old Bear Honey	Raising Healthy Children, Naturally - Bee Well Chiropractic		Hog Processing	Red Cross - Preparedness for home fire and food & earthquake K - 5nd Grade	Beginner's guide to growing fodder for your livestock - Cameron Hogate		Chicken Workshops & Demonstrations	
5:00 PM		Gardening 101 - Tandy Hogate		Hog Processing				Chicken Workshops & Demonstrations	
6-8 PM		ICE CREAM SOCIAL & SPEAKERS 6-8							

Sunday April 28, 2024									
	RINK CLASSROOM	UPSTAIRS	KITCHEN	HOG PROCESSING TENT	KIDS TENT	ANIMAL TENT	OUTSIDE (Teens)	CHICKEN TENT	OTHER:
10:00 AM		BLUEGRASS GOSPEL BAND & SPECIAL SPEAKER - COMMUNITY WORSHIP							
11:00 AM									
12:00 PM	Preparing your property for wildland fire season - West Lakes Fire Dept	Homemade Flavored Vinegars - Old Bear Honey		Hog Processing	Worms are Friends! Ben Worley			Chicken Workshops & Demonstrations	VARIOUS TIMES: Spinning wheel demonstrations - Annette Born - taking place at her booth in the vendor hall
1:00 PM	Worm Composting - Lisa Kirsty	Simple milk culturing (farmer's cheese, kefir, yogurt, etc) - Tandy Hogate		Hog Processing	Red Cross - Preparedness for home fire and food & earthquake K - 5nd Grade	Family Milk Cow - Rachel Suzanne	Basic Site Safety - Trevor Todero	Chicken Workshops & Demonstrations	VARIOUS TIMES: Raising angoras for fiber - Annette Born - taking place at her booth in the vendor hall
2:00 PM	Homemade Off Grid Lithium Batteries - Rick Wider	Homesteading when disabled or elderly - Luetta Robinson	Kids Sourdough Class (Plus small upstairs classroom)	Hog Processing	10 steps of fire safety - West Lakes Fire Dept	Raising sheep for fiber & meat - Michelle Olson		Chicken Workshops & Demonstrations	
3:00 PM	Homemade Off Grid Lithium Batteries - Rick Wider	Homestead First Aid - Luetta Robinson		Hog Processing	Leather Working - Trevor Todero	Livestock Guardian Dogs - Michelle Olson		Chicken Workshops & Demonstrations	

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Hint: The gorgeous flowers are on loan courtesy of Jacobsons Greenhouse. Take a peek inside for a coupon so you can get a beautiful basket to brighten up your place!

BE IN THE KNOW:

WORKSHOPS: SATURDAY FROM 9 AM - 6 PM

THE SATURDAY ICE CREAM SOCIAL IS FROM 6-8 AND IS INCLUDED WITH YOUR TICKET

SUNDAY THERE IS A GOSPEL BLUEGRASS WORSHIP SERVICE FROM 10 AM - NOON

FOLLOWING THE WORSHIP SERVICE ON SUNDAY ARE THE REST OF THE WORKSHOPS FROM NOON - 4 PM. THE VENDOR HALL WILL BE OPEN AS SOON AS THE WORSHIP SERVICE IS OVER.

THE PIG PROCESSING COURSE IS A FULL 2-DAY COURSE SO THERE WILL BE NO REPEATS.

ALL ANIMAL BUTCHERING WILL TAKE PLACE BEHIND THE BUILDING. RABBIT BUTCHERING WILL BE SATURDAY AT 11 AM. IF YOU ARE WANTING TO LEARN TO BUTCHER CHICKENS, PLEASE CHECK IN WITH DON AT THE CHICKEN TENT TO GET HIS SCHEDULE.

PLEASE KEEP YOUR KIDS WITH YOU OR WITH A RESPONSIBLE PARTY AT ALL TIMES. WE WANT EVERYONE SAFE!

WHAT TO BRING:

- PRINTED RECEIPT OR PHOTO OF RECEIPT FROM YOUR PHONE
- PEN & NOTEBOOK
- RAIN GEAR & BOOTS
- CHANGE OF CLOTHES FOR THE KIDDOS
- CASH FOR THE VENDOR HALL (SOME VENDORS DON'T TAKE CARDS)

ORIENTEERING CLASS:

IF YOUR KIDS (AGES 12+) ARE PLANNING TO TAKE THE ORIENTEERING CLASS, THEY NEED TO HAVE THE FOLLOWING:

- , DIRECTIONAL COMPASS
- PROTRACTOR
- PENCIL
- RULER

CLASS INFO

PIG PROCESSING:

A BIT OF INFORMATION ABOUT THE CLASSES. MOST OF IT IS PRETTY STRAIGHT FORWARD BUT THE PIG PROCESSING CLASS IS BOTH DAYS AND THEY WILL TEACH YOU HOW TO PROCESS AN ENTIRE PIG. YOU'LL LEARN THE CUTS PLUS YOU'LL LEARN SMOKE, DRY, AND SALT CURING AS WELL AS HOW TO MAKE LARD (INCLUDING LEAF LARD).

GOAT CLASSES

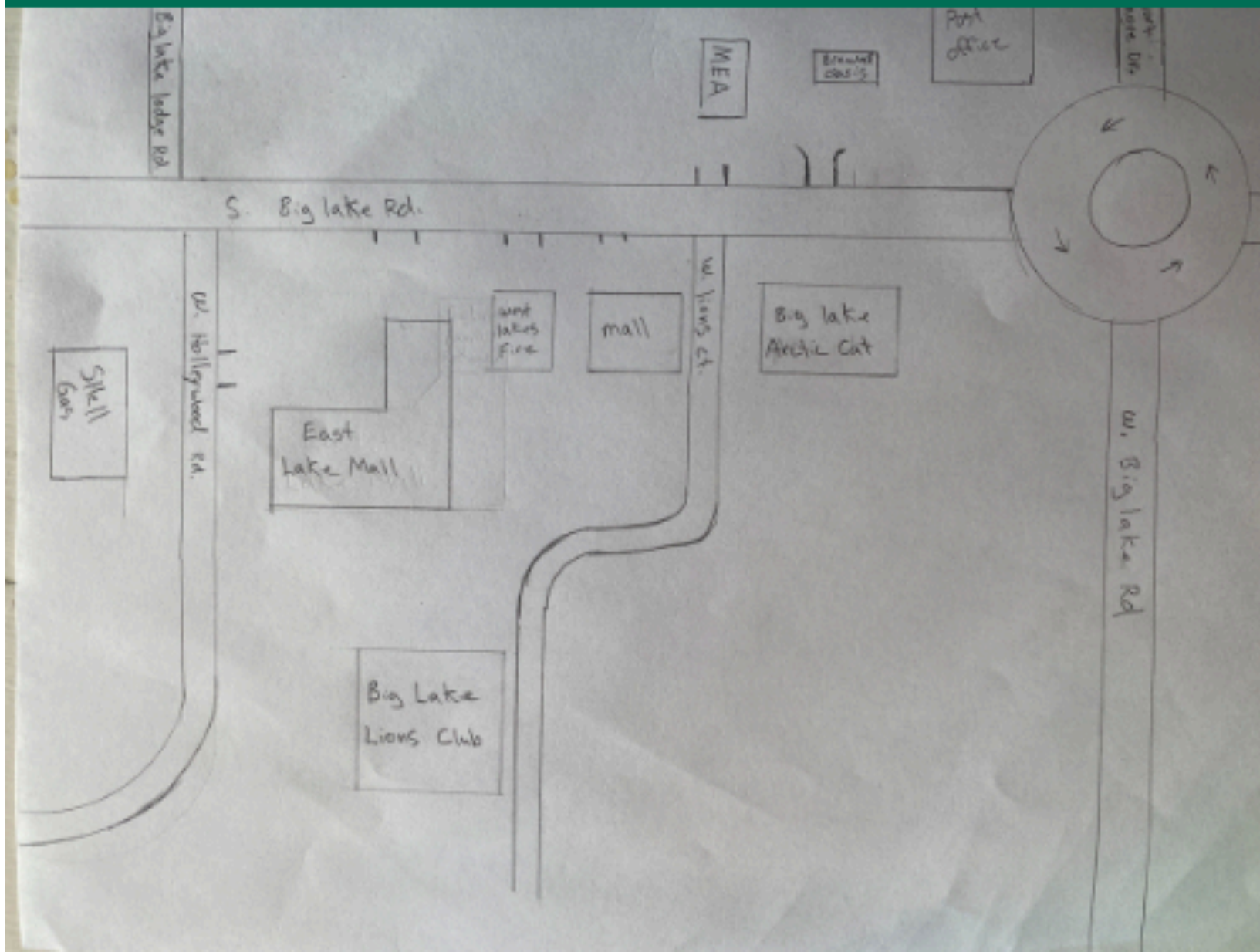
THE GOAT CLASSES ARE TWO DIFFERENT CLASSES. THE MORNING CLASS IS INDOORS AND IT'S MORE OF A CLASSROOM TYPE OF CLASS INCLUDING HOW TO USE GOATS MILK. THE AFTERNOON CLASS IS A DEMONSTRATION OUTSIDE.

ORIENTEERING

THE ORIENTEERING CLASS GOES FROM 10 AM - 4 PM AND IT'S FOR KIDS AGES 12+. THIS CLASS IS INCREDIBLE BECAUSE IT TEACHES ALL ABOUT HOW TO NAVIGATE IN THE WOODS WHEN YOU DON'T HAVE GPS. THIS CLASS IS A MUST FOR ANY ALASKA KID IN MY BOOK.

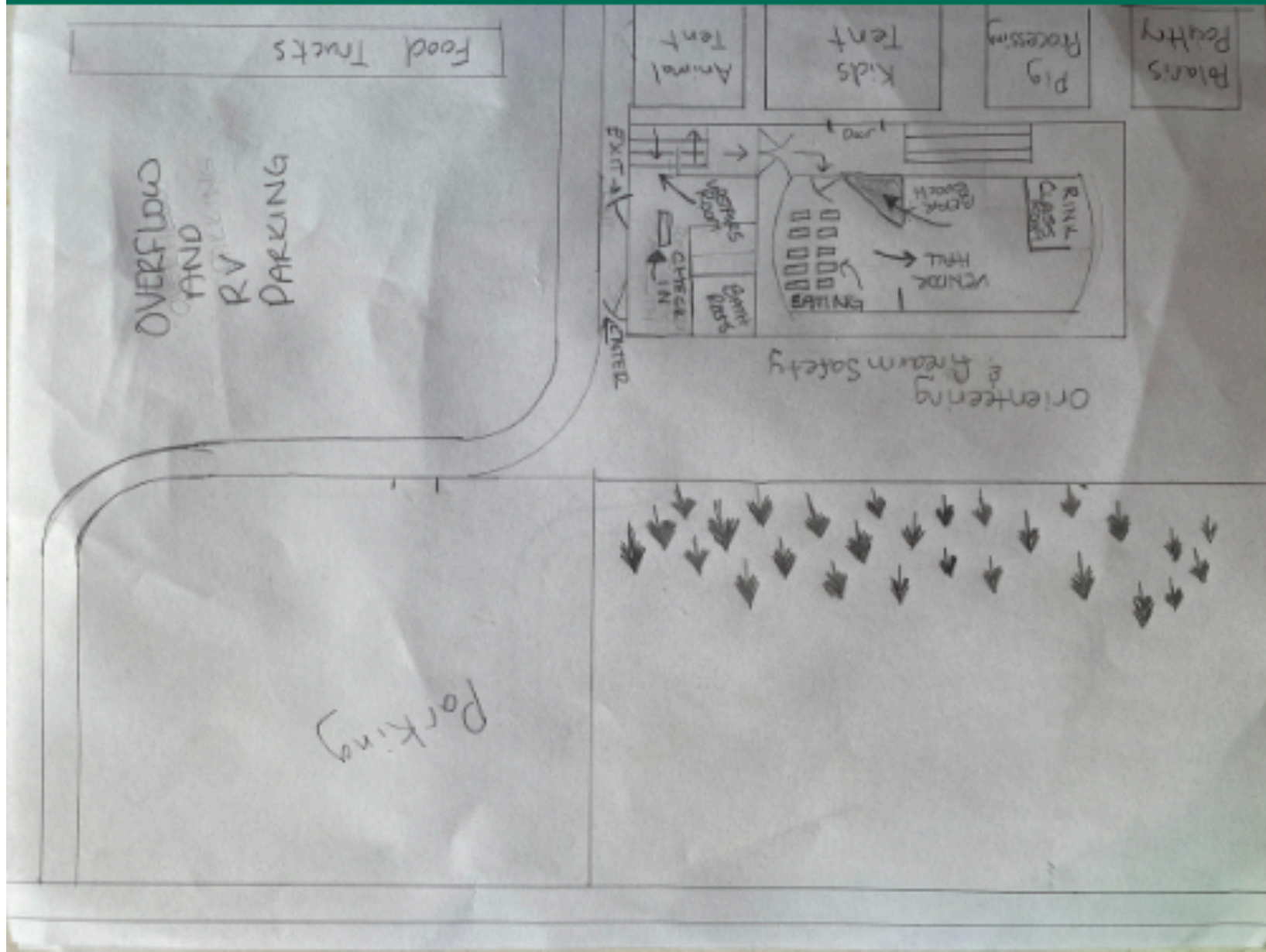
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