



In Partnership with The Poultry Federation

We would like to invite you to join us for the second annual Arkansas FFA Virtual 5K Turkey Trot in partnership with The Poultry Federation (TPF). We have partnered with TPF to help raise awareness and to celebrate the turkey industry in Arkansas.

Did you know that Arkansas ranks 3rd in the nation for turkey production? In 2020, Arkansas growers raised 30 million turkeys. That is equal to 10 turkeys per person in Arkansas. In 2020, U.S. consumption of turkey was 5.2 billion pounds and 15.8 pounds per person. Arkansas is also home to several major integrators, mainly Butterball and Cargill.

Gather up your flock and join us (virtually) anywhere and anytime between November 19-27. Whether it's on a bike path, a State Park, around your neighborhood or in a pasture, actively show your appreciation for the rich turkey industry that is here in Arkansas and support the Arkansas FFA Foundation and agriculture education.

EVENT DETAILS

Run or walk a 5k(3.1 miles) at the location and time of your choosing between November 19-27. All ages are welcome. And, if you only run if the gate is left open, sign up anyways and get a shirt while supporting Ag Education and FFA members in Arkansas.

The fastest time in each of the following divisions will receive a commemorative Turkey Trot trophy. Every runner who enters will receive a T-shirt and those who submit a time will also receive a medal, mailed at the conclusion of the race. Trophies will also be given to the organization and also the FFA chapter with the most participants. The divisions are as follows:

- **FFA Member (age 13-21)**
- **FFA Supporter (over 21 or non-member)**
- **Future FFA Member (under 13)**

Once you complete the distance, you will upload your time below. Submitted times are based on the honor system, and the runner assumes all risks in this self-coordinated, remote event. This race has no setup, chip-timing, or specific on-site location. Participants are encouraged to observe CDC guidelines in regards to Covid-19.

To enter and to submit your time, please visit www.arkansasffa.org and click on the Turkey Trot link. Proceeds benefit the Arkansas FFA Foundation which enhances teacher resources to be used to motivate, equip and encourage high school FFA members who are enrolled in agriculture education.

***For questions, please contact Jennifer Cook, Arkansas FFA Foundation Director
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