

2023



Market Livestock
Premium
AUCTION



AG SOCIETY LIVESTOCK AUCTION COMMITTEE

Don Esau, Derek Koenig, Brian Hamel, Bryan Cook

SUNDAY, JULY 30, 2023 | MAIN LIVESTOCK BARN

2:00 PM

**Pioneer Farm Family Awards
Scholarship Presentation
Parade of Champions**

2:30 PM

Recognition of 1K Club

3:00 PM

Market Livestock Premium Auction



MARKET BEEF | MARKET SWINE | MEAT GOATS | MARKET LAMBS



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There will be an appreciation barbecue immediately following the Premium Auction for our buyers and exhibitors. Please present the bidder number that you received at registration for admission for your group.

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the Auction

WHAT IS A PREMIUM AUCTION AND HOW DOES IT WORK?

The Gage County Ag Society recognizes the hard work, dedication and financial obligation of the 4-H and FFA members and appreciates the exhibition of their animals at our fair. It is our wish, with the help of the community, to reward them for their efforts.

The Premium Auction is set up to financially reward exhibitors by their level of success. Each market livestock exhibitor will be allowed to place one of their animals, regardless of how many they show, on the Premium Auction, whether it be beef, swine, lamb or goat. We have given the exhibitors the option of selling the animal in its entirety, or keeping the animal and just receiving the premium. We will only be bidding on the premium. It will be designated in the sale catalog which animals are available for slaughter, along with a predetermined price for the live animal. Again, you will only be bidding on the premium. If you wish to purchase the live animal in addition to the premium, you would pay the pre-determined price plus the premium. The pre-determined price will simply be the average market price the day of the sale for each species, multiplied by the weight of the animal.

Example:

Species: Swine, Average Live market Price (per lb.): \$.60
Animal Weight: 270 lbs. .60 x 260 = \$162.00.

You do not have to buy the live animal even though it is listed as being for sale. You would simply pay your premium bid.

At the conclusion of the auction, the revenue from the sale for each species will be added together and paid out to the exhibitors on a pro-rated basis according to the live placing in their respective show. For example, the exhibitor of a Grand Champion will receive a larger percentage than the exhibitor of a blue ribbon award winner. All of the exhibitors who participated in the auction will receive a premium according to their ribbon placing.

By pro-rating the proceeds from the sale, the buyers and supporters of the Premium Auction will have the satisfaction of knowing that their contributions supported all of the youth that participated, even though they may have purchased only one project from one individual in the sale. You are free to purchase as many as you wish!

WHY SHOULD I PURCHASE?

The Premium Auction is the culmination of each exhibitor's year long project. As a learning and business venture, these youth have selected, fed, cared for and groomed a market beef, swine, lamb or goat as their project. They brought their project to the Gage County Fair to be exhibited and evaluated. Your purchase of a project animal will support these youth who are in the agricultural business on a small scale. The costs of these projects can be prohibitive. With your support, we hope to include more of our youth in these educational endeavors.

the Sale

REGISTRATION AND INFORMATION

Registration begins at 2:00 pm in Barn 1 (Main Livestock Barn) and the live auction will begin promptly at 3:00 pm. You will need to provide your name, or company name, address, two phone numbers and your driver's license. You will be given a buyer's number. You will need to show this number to the auctioneer when you have made a purchase. At the conclusion of the auction, please bring your buyer's number to the clerk's table where settlement will be made.

QUESTIONS

Can more than one person or company purchase the same animal?

Yes, but make sure you provide all the names, addresses and phone numbers to the clerk. This will allow for proper billing and recognition.

How do I bid?

When an animal that you would like to purchase is in the ring and at a price that you desire, signal the auctioneer or ring men by raising your hand. If you are unable to attend the sale, but wish to make a purchase, contact one of the sales staff at any time prior to the sale and they will assist you. You may contact the Fair Office (402-223-3247) and they will put you in touch with the sales staff. ALL SALES ARE FINAL.

Is the premium amount tax deductible?

Yes

In addition to the premium, I've bought the animal. What are the next steps?

We have arranged for immediate processing with Wildcat Locker in Filley, Diller Locker in Diller, and Pickrell Locker & Smokehouse. If you wish to have your animal processed at one of these lockers we will transport them to the Locker on Sunday night at no charge to you. Any animal not going to one of these lockers becomes your possession and responsibility for the animal after 8:00 pm on Sunday and can be picked up at this time. The exhibitor will maintain responsibility for the animal until 8:00 pm. All animals need to be removed from the premises by 9:00 am on Monday.

If you wish to use a processor other than Wildcat Locker, Diller Locker, or Pickrell Locker and Smokehouse, it will be your responsibility to make arrangements with them. If you use a different locker of your choice you must contact them on Monday with cutting instructions. You may wish to contact prospective processors or go to their respective websites to review their services.

Are all animals in the auction available for harvest?

No. It will be up to each 4-H/FFA exhibitor to decide if they wish to sell the animal. Only the animals designated in the sale catalog as being available can be purchased for harvest.

What will be the cost of processing my meat?

Processing cost will vary according to how you wish to have it processed. We recommend that you contact your processor or view their websites to calculate the cost. Refer to the next section for an idea of what you will receive from your purchase. We will have approximate costs available on the day of the sale.

HOW MUCH WILL I GET?

Many factors affect the amount of various cuts of meat obtained from a carcass. Some of these are breed of animal, weight, sex, degree of finish and cutting methods used in preparing meat for the freezer. Here is an approximate guide to what you can expect to receive.

Live Weight Beef : 45-50%

Live Weight Pork: 50-55%

Live Weight Lamb or Goat: 40-45%

PROCESSING YOUR MARKET ANIMAL

Quick guide to local meat processors

Wildcat Locker, Filley, 402-662-3160

Diller Locker, Diller, 402-793-5840

Pickrell Locker & Smokehouse, 402-984-3630

Thank you!!

We would like to thank all of the volunteers who helped organize, solicit donations, and assist with the Market Livestock Premium Auction. This event would not be possible without you!

If you'd like to volunteer and support the outstanding youth in our community, contact us at 402.223.3247 or gagecountyfair.com for more information.

Market Beef

Exh. #	Name	Club	ID#	Weight	Market Price	Total	Premium	Buyer
Champion Market Steer					\$1.95 / lb			
343	Tatum Schroeder Chad and Amy Schroeder	Indian Creek 4-H Club Diller-Odell FFA	5561	1292				
Champion Market Heifer								
379	Natalie Trauernicht Scott and Denielle Trauernicht	Riverview Jr Stockmen	5581	1310				
Reserve Champion Market Steer								
363	Breanna Spilker Mike and Emily Spilker	Rolling Hills	5464	1456				
Reserve Champion Market Heifer								
307	Dayton Pohlmann Jason and Emily Pohlmann	Rolling Hills	5568	1094				
Market Beef								
108 R	Devin Andersen Damian and Alissa Andersen	Riverview Jr Stockmen	1124	654				
110 R	Gage Argo Kelsey Stitt & Jeff Argo	H & H	5459	1430				
148 R	Rachel Buehler Ron and Deb Buehler	Freeman FFA	1140	1334				

161 R	Elisa Derickson Pat and Carrie Derickson	Rolling Hills	615	1314	_____	_____	_____
167 R	Deighton Dorn Kyle and Andrea Dorn	Nemaha Valley 4-H	5571	1074	_____	_____	_____
186 R	August Gerlach Rick & Amy Gerlach	Best Foot Forward Tri-County FFA	5604	1432	_____	_____	_____
201 R	Courtney Holliday Kevin Holliday	Nemaha Valley 4-H Freeman FFA	5461	854	_____	_____	_____
232 R	Logan Koenig Derek and Laura Koenig	Indian Creek	5593	1216	_____	_____	_____
236 R	Kasen Kotas Kolin and Brittney Kotas	Riverview Jr Stockman	5580	758	_____	_____	_____
243 R	Ryan Kraus Mike and Cheri Worm	Prairie Rangers	5456	1046	_____	_____	_____
248 R	Chase Larsen Jonas and Jema Larsen	Indian Creek	1127	1274	_____	_____	_____
256 R	Grace Lovell Nicholas and Anita Lovell	Nemaha Valley	5560	1246	_____	_____	_____
257 R	Jonah Lovell Nicholas and Anita Lovell	Nemaha Valley	5558	1006	_____	_____	_____
264 R	Savannah Mason Arron & Amy Mason	Southern FFA	06K	874	_____	_____	_____

275 R	Addison Mullins Will and Jana Mullins	Blue River 4-H	5578	482	_____	_____	_____
282 R	Brecken Niemeyer Matt and Lacey Niemeyer	Rolling Hills	5621	1184	_____	_____	_____
312 R	Evan Quackenbush Brian Quackenbush	Tri-County FFA	5458	1102	_____	_____	_____
377 R	Lainey Trauernicht Scott and Denielle Trauernicht	Riverview Jr Stockmen	5582	850	_____	_____	_____

Market Swine

Exh. #	Name	Club	ID#	Weight	Market Price	Total	Premium	Buyer
Champion Market Swine					\$.75/lb			
193 R	Reegan Kracke Eric and Annette Kracke	Rolling Hills	8355	261				
Reserve Champion Market Swine								
258 R	Cooper Lovitt Jason and Amber Lovitt	Independent	8327	272				
116	Avery Barnard Brent and Barb Beekman	H & H	2645	274				
117 R	Baylor Barnard Curt and Deann Barnard	H & H	2647	296				
118 R	Reece Barnard Curt and Deann Barnard	H & H	2646	260				
123 R	Jude Beavers Jay and Megan Beavers	H and H	2634	334				
124 R	Berkelee Beekman Brent and Barb Beekman	Riverview Jr Stockmen Diller-Odell FFA	2658	227				
131	Cash Bergen Chase and Lesley Bergen	3 G's	2724	273	\$204.75			
142	Addison Brandt	H & H	2659	200	\$150.00			

	Andrew and Stacey Brandt							
143 R	Axtyn Brandt Andrew and Stacey Brandt	H & H	2664	297				
146	Stryder Brandt Andrew and Stacey Brandt	H & H	2642	170	\$127.50			
156 R	Boston Crawford Dan and Lori Crawford	Best Foot Forward	2735	282				
157 R	Shelton Crawford Dan and Lori Crawford	Best Foot Forward	2736	249				
168 R	Drew Siems Jeremy and Jamie Siems	H & H	2656	292				
176 R	Miles Esau Brandon and Cara Esau	Best Foot Forward	2615	239				
181 R	Mylee Gaddy Larry and Jackie Gaddy	Independent	2747	223				
200	Rikki Hohensee Kent and Robbyn Hohensee	Best Foot Forward	2720	255	\$191.25			
202 R	Carter Holtmeier Kirk and Christa Holtmeier	Tri-County FFA	2719	285				
205 R	Sage Holtmeier Kirk and Christa Holtmeier	Tri-County FFA	2730	249				
207	Braeden Humphreys Jeff & Andrea Humphreys	Riverview Jr Stockmen Diller Odell FFA	2620	321	\$240.75			

208	Peyton Humphreys Jeff & Andrea Humphreys	Riverview Jr Stockmen Diller Odell FFA	2623	266	\$199.50	_____	_____	_____
222 R	Hunter Keedy Adam and Kenya Keedy	Blue River	8372	246		_____	_____	_____
233 R	Austin Kostal Brent & Abigail Kostal	Riverview Jr Stockmen	8314	279		_____	_____	_____
235 R	Preston Kostal Brent & Abigail Kostal	Riverview Jr Stockmen	8320	266		_____	_____	_____
241	Avery Kraus Dave and Nicole Kraus	Riverview Jr Stockmen	8250	252	\$189.00	_____	_____	_____
242 R	Landry Kraus Dave and Nicole Kraus	Riverview Jr Stockmen	8251	264		_____	_____	_____
242 R	Kipton Lovitt Jason & Amber Lovitt	Independent	8332	260		_____	_____	_____
374	Easton Thomsen John and Lea Thomsen	Independent	2746	262	\$196.50	_____	_____	_____
274 R	Wyatt Mote Benny Mote and Brandi Sigmon	Best Foot Forward	2760	220		_____	_____	_____
283 R	Kasen Niemeyer Matt and Lacey Niemeyer	Rolling Hills	2629	220		_____	_____	_____
294 R	Trevor Parde Doug and Cindy Parde	Country Club	9078	286		_____	_____	_____
331	Lexi Schlake	Riverview Jr Stockmen	2636	231	\$173.25	_____	_____	_____

Brent and Debra Schlake

329	Ava Schlake Brent and Debra Schlake	Riverview Jr Stockmen	2638	280	\$210.00	_____	_____	_____
333	Harper Schmidt Nate & Brandi Schmidt	H & H	2635	297	\$222.75	_____	_____	_____
356	Dawson Siems Jeremy and Jamie Siems	H & H	2655	303	\$227.25	_____	_____	_____
375	Jayden Thomsen John & Lea Thomsen	Independent	2742	294	\$220.50	_____	_____	_____
376 R	Monroe Thomsen John & Lea Thomsen	Independent	2744	256	\$281.60	_____	_____	_____
391 R	Weston Whitwer Aaron and Audrey Whitwer	H & H	2661	267	\$293.70	_____	_____	_____

Market Goats

Exh. #	Name	Club	ID#	Weight	Market Price	Total	Premium	Buyer
Champion Market Goat					\$3.00/lb			
210	Grant Jaynes	Blue River	2089	103				
R	Matthew Jaynes and Cindy Zimmerman Jaynes							
Reserve Champion Market Goat								
210	Grant Jaynes	Blue River	2117	70				
R	Matthew Jaynes and Cindy Zimmerman Jaynes							
Market Goats:								
102	Jack Ahlschwede	Blue River 4-H Club	4903-0003	43	\$129.00			
	Mitchell and Karri Ahlschwede							
103	Leyna Ahlschwede	Blue River 4-H Club	4903-0005	35	\$105.00			
	Mitchell and Karri Ahlschwede							
104	Lila Ahlschwede	Blue River 4-H Club	4903-0001	83	\$249.00			
	Mitchell and Karri Ahlschwede							
105	Norah Ahlschwede	Blue River 4-H Club	4903-0001	34	\$102.00			
	Mitchell and Karri Ahlschwede Freeman FFA							
228	Shaylee Keslar	Independent	NEHAX0112	70				
R	Shawn and Carrie Kesler							
263	Austin March	Riverview Jr Stockman	509	63				
R	Ron and Angie March Southern FFA							
279	Bentley Myers	Rolling Hills	2304	54				
R	Jacob and Chelsea Myers							

303 R	Reagan Pfeiffer Cody and Sarah Pfeiffer	Blue River	2042	68	_____	_____	_____
318 R	Elizabeth Rice Travis and Christie Rice	Blue River	4625-0006	71	_____	_____	_____
319 R	Morgan Rice Travis and Christie Rice	Blue River	4625-0004	91	_____	_____	_____
332 R	Kellan Schlichtman Chris and Stacy Schlichtman	Diller-Odell FFA		82	_____	_____	_____

Market Lambs

Exh. #	Name	Club	ID#	Weight	Market			
					Price	Total	Premium	Buyer
Champion Market Lamb					\$2.25/lb			
277	Jordan Musil	Rolling Hills	23493	111				
R	Daryl and Lana Musil							
Reserve Champion Market Lamb								
509	Grant Musil	Rolling Hills	2216	132				
R	Daryl and Lana Musil							
Market Lambs:								
134	Ryan Blake	Independent	4922001	94				
R	Erin and Brandon Blake							
196	Ethan Hoffman-Ideus	Nemaha Valley 4-H	41120073	99				
R	Late Glenn Ideus and Tracy Hoffman-Ideus Guardian: Becky Dorn							
197	Joey Hoffman-Ideus	Nemaha Valley 4-H	78	87				
R	Late Glenn Ideus and Tracy Hoffman-Ideus Guardian: Jeff and Heather Kettelsen							
198	Trenn Hoffman-Ideus	Nemaha Valley 4-H	41120054	105				
R	Late Glenn Ideus and Tracy Hoffman-Ideus Guardian: Eldon Ideus							
338	Hannah Schnuelle	Riverview Jr Stockmen	74	151				
R	Gabe and Nicole Schnuelle							
339	Lane Schnuelle	Riverview Jr Stockmen	19	139				
R	Joey and Kayla Schnuelle							

340 R	Liam Schnuelle Joey and Kayla Schnuelle	Riverview Jr Stockmen	14	130	_____	_____
341 R	Samuel Schnuelle Joey and Kayla Schnuelle	Riverview Jr Stockmen	16	153	_____	_____
338 R	Zach Schnuelle Gabe and Nicole Schnuelle	Riverview Jr Stockmen	82	137	_____	_____