



Junior Fair Livestock Committee
Jackson County
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Dear Youth Supporter,

July 6, 2021

What a year it has been! It seems like only yesterday we finished the 2020 Jackson County Fair and here we are nearing the 2021 edition! The past year has been a whirlwind of change and unpredictability. However, the hard work and dedication of our youth, volunteers and supporters has remained constant. We are looking forward to a great week this year with lots of new and exciting events. For a list of exhibitors, please visit go.osu.edu/jacksonfair to access a copy of current exhibitors. Please be aware that even once this list is posted, not all exhibitors will be selling an animal in the livestock sale. Each member is permitted to sell only one (1) animal through the ring unless they have multiple Top Ten animals.

This year's sale will still be held on **Friday, July 23rd at 3pm** in the Joe Morgan Memorial Show Arena. **Buyer numbers and meal passes can be picked up in the Junior Fair Livestock Office just beside the show arena when you arrive.** If you are unable to attend and would like to place a *proxy bid* please call 740-418-8133 or 740-395-7512.

All large animals will be available for processing this year. Please see the additional blue brochure for *the current list of processors that are available this year. Those processors include Dave's Custom Butchering (limited spots), Chase N Cattle, J.M Meat Processing (swine only), The Local Butcher (at the previous McCormick's location) and a potential new local processing facility at Circle M Meats.* At this time, there are only 10 swine and 8 steer spots available at Dave's Custom Butchering. These spots will be available through the sale on a first come, first serve basis.

Please find enclosed two passes that will get you into the fair on Friday night. **You will need to come to the Junior Fair Office to pick up your number.** There will be parking available near the sale ring, barns or track on Friday evening. **You must enter through Gate 2 to get to this parking area.** Please call **740-688-5026** if you need to make changes to your buyer name, address or contact info or visit go.osu.edu/NewBuyerJackson for new buyer registration or to update your current info.

We will be using a number system during the auction again this year, with one side of your number designating the animal to resale and one side if you wish to have the animal sent for processing. The number that ends with an "R" means the animal will go to resale and **you will receive a credit on your bill for that resale purchase.** The number without any letters means that the animal will either be sent to a butcher shop for processing, or you will be picking the animal up to transport it to its destination. **Buyer Pickup is only available for Dairy Market Feeders and Market Beef Feeders because they are not a finished product.**

NEW...If you are planning to send an animal for processing, please let the ring workers know when you purchase the animal where you would like that animal to be sent. We try our very best to make sure that all animals are sent to the proper destinations. **ALL DESTINATIONS ARE FINAL ONCE THAT ANIMAL LEAVES THE SALE RING!**

If you are planning to pick up a non-terminal animal, please make that known to the auctioneer when making your purchase. All animals are terminal except for Dairy Market Feeders and Market Beef Feeders because they are not a finished product.

NO ANIMALS are permitted to leave the grounds without proper paperwork from the Livestock Committee. Please come to the Junior Fair Office prior to making your purchases if you have questions.

Again this year, there will be an **Add-On Form** available to buyers that can be picked up in the Junior Fair Office or will be available in the ring. Add-Ons (Bumps) can be made to individual exhibitors or a group of exhibitors to increase their overall sale total. Add-Ons can be made in a flat dollar amount or can be used to increase the price per pound of the animal. Completed **Add-on Forms** should be handed to the ring workers and they will be taken to the sale clerks. The names of all buyers who have completed Add-Ons (Bumps) will be included in the complete buyer list provided to the newspaper after the sale. Buyers who complete a Species Add-On (for an entire species) will be the only Add-Ons (Bumps) that will be announced during the sale. The Add-On (Bump) forms will be available in the Junior Fair Office or can be downloaded ahead of time at go.osu.edu/JacksonFair

Please pay close attention when you place your bid to prevent any errors. This should help speed things up and prevent clerical errors. If you are a first time buyer, you may register in the Junior Fair Office. Please remember to make arrangements for processing your purchases, if that is your choice. You must use one of our approved processors for all large animal purchases. Those processors include Dave's Custom Butchering (limited spots), Chase N Cattle, J.M Meat Processing (swine only) and The Local Butcher (at previous McCormick's location). Any other processors must be pre-approved. As with all auctions, we ask that you pay for your purchases the evening of the sale. If this is not possible, we ask that you remit payment within 10 days.

AGAIN THIS YEAR.....Checks will be released to exhibitors whose buyers have paid 30 days following the sale. A second set of checks will be released 45 days after the sale. **Any bills not paid in 45 days will be charged a 3% late fee with each billing. Exhibitor checks will only be released once full payment has been received from their respective buyers.** We appreciate your prompt payment so that we can get checks out to the exhibitors. **AGAIN THIS YEAR...We will be accepting credit cards on the night of the sale. However, a 3% fee will be added on to your bill for this service.**

We greatly appreciate your support of our youth and look forward to another outstanding year. While 2021 has been another difficult year, we hope that you will come out and support these wonderful young people who have worked hard to raise their livestock projects!
See you at the Fair!

Sincerely,

Dale Gilliland

Dale Gilliland, President

Jackson County

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2021 JUNIOR FAIR LIVESTOCK SALE ORDER

Turkeys
Rabbits
Chickens
Lambs
Goats
Dairy Market Feeders
Dairy Steers
Steers
Hogs
Market Beef Feeders