## **2021 AUCTION COMMITTEE**

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## 4-H MEAT ANIMAL AUCTION

See fair schedule in front of fair handbook for sale date and time.

## Tentative sale order:

Poultry, Rabbits, Goat, Sheep, Swine, Beef.

- 1. Each 4-H member must let the Auction Committee know what they are selling in the Auction and/or Out Truck on the Friday before the Auction of fair week.
- 2. Only the 4-H members that have a Grand or Reserve Grand Champion will be allowed to change what animal of that 4-H member is sold in the Auction. All other 4-H members can only change to Home or Out Truck.
- 3. Animals sold through the 4-H Auction must go to slaughter unless no slaughter is available, then the 4-H Auction Committee will determine what to do with these animals.
- 4. Animals will be sold at the weight taken on official weigh-in. (Official weight is the weight taken at the fair on that species specified weigh-in time on that species scale that has been certified as accurate).
- Only animals exhibited and within Auction weight limits may be sold in the 4-H Auction.
- 6. 4-H exhibitors must sell their own animal. In cases where this cannot be done, the 4-H member may request that another Delaware County 4-H member sell their animal. Substitute 4-H members must be approved by the 4-H Auction Committee. Requests will only be granted for medical emergencies or circumstances deemed unavoidable by the 4-H Auction Committee. Failure to be excused from a job and/or participation in a sporting event or sports practice will not result in a substitute being granted.

7. Each 4-H member may sell only one species that was shown by the 4-H member, selling either:

one steer	one market lamb
one barrow	a single meat rabbit or pen of 3 meat rabbits
one market gilt	one market goat
two broilers/roasters or one turkey or one waterfowl (no bantam or call ducks)	

- 8. 5% selling commission will be charged on money received above market price to help defray sale and advertising expenses.
- 9. Animals will be appraised by market representatives selected by the 4-H Auction Committee to establish approximate market value of each.
- 10. After the sale, each 4-H member is responsible for seeing that his or her animal is placed in the designated area after the sale of the 4-H member's animal.
- 11. No auction animals will go back home to the 4-H member.
- 12. Beef, swine, sheep, and goats of any sex not being sold in the auction may be sold at market price if animals meet the minimum weight set by the buyer of the market animals. All 4-H members are responsible for their own animals and to see that they are placed in the designated area after the completion of the auction.
- 13. Any required check-off amounts will be withheld from 4-H members' checks.
- 14. Any money from a parent/guardian that is placed on their child's animal will be withheld from their child's check until the bill is brought up to date.
- 15. The parent/guardian of a 4-H member who used a multiple bidder card to generate bids, will be responsible for any non-payment towards the 4-H member's animal.
- 16. Any money that is not repaid to the 4-H Auction Committee for a non-payment from the bidder, will be deducted from next year's auction payment to the 4-H member who did not repay the money from previous auctions.
- 17. 4-H barrows or market gilts to be entered in the Carcass Swine Show will not be sold in the auction.
- 18. 4-H members missing their time to sell in the Auction will not be allowed to sell later in the Auction.
- 19. No 4-Her other than those asked to help with the auction are allowed past the gated off area for the buyers once sale begins.
- 20. Registered Buyers must submit their name, along with the address and phone number of the business, and the contact person for billing purposes. Multiple Bidder Cards must include the \$\$ amount of the bidders support, signature of bidder and Bidder #. Those Bidders who have participated in previous auctions will have an assigned Bidder Number. Please include that Bidder number on the card. If your Bidder does not know their number at the time of your initial contact, you will need to get that number prior to the day of the auction.
- 21. Multiple Bidder Cards that do not have a bidder number and a signature for that bidder's amount will be reduced by that amount for that bidder from the total on the Multiple Bidder Cards.

- 22. In the case that the total dollar amount on your Multiple Bidder Card is not sufficient to win the bidding, the Multiple Bidder Card would be void and those buyers listed on that particular card for your animal would be released from their commitment on that animal only.
- 23. Winning Multiple Bidder Cards must be presented to the auction staff immediately upon completion of bidding on that particular animal. The names appearing on that card will be recognized as the buyers of your animal. No additions/deletions may be made to the card once presented to the auction staff.
- 24. Multiple Bidder Cards are available through the County Extension Office or the 4-H Auction Committee.
- 25. Add-on money will be accepted up to 30 minutes after the completion of entire auction. After this time has expired no add-on money will be accepted.