

Section 25.

Premiums for livestock projects will be paid the day after the last species show during the fair 1 p.m. - 4 p.m. in the Junior Fair Office. Species that show more than 1 day have to wait till the entire species is done showing. Maximum amount paid per species will be \$40.00. The final pickup time for livestock premium money is 4:00 p.m. Monday, the final day of the fair, or premium will be forfeited. Showmanship classes are not paid a premium with the exception of the Horse Department.

General Rules**Section 26.**

No exhibitor or helpers shall stay overnight on the Fairgrounds except those staying with parents or with a permit issued and signed by proper authorities. Please check at the Sheriff's trailer for permits.

Section 27.

NO HOUSEHOLD FANS WILL BE ALLOWED IN LIVESTOCK BARN AND TENTS.

Section 28.

All exhibits must be in place by 8:00 p.m. the day before the Fair and remain **until officially** released.

Tampering / Misrepresentation

1. Tampering and/or misrepresentation as to breeding, age, ownership, custody and any other irregularity in showing will be considered fraud and deception.

Rule 901:5-14 – Prohibition of stimulation or making appear more sound animals entered in competition. No Society shall permit an injection or administration:

(a) of any drug of any kind or description, or the physical application of any electrical, mechanical, or other appliance, to stimulate any animal which is entered in any form of competition.

(b) to any animal, or any material which will conceal the true conformation or condition of said animal, or make said animal more sound than it actually is.

2. Therefore, any artificial means of removing or remedying the physical defects or conformation on exhibition livestock, such as lifting or filling under the skin, including oil, water or any other foreign material, use of string artificial tail heads or heels, and altering the natural color of an animal, **dehydration and re-hydration with the use of any form of electrolytes**, etc. will be considered fraud and deception.
3. The use of any materials that are colder than fair tap water will not be allowed.
4. **Any and all tampering will be determined by the department superintendent of the animal. The exhibitor may be asked to remove animal from the fairgrounds.**
5. Feet of animal must be touching the surface of the show arena. All animals giving evidence of such treatment will be barred from competition at the Hancock County Junior Fair.
6. The use of any unapproved drugs is prohibited: Senior Fair Premium Book 959.05.
7. Penalties: Senior Fair Premium Book 959.99.
8. Protests: Senior Fair Premium Book (52).
9. **'Drug Use Notification Form' must be completed for all Jr. fair animals and turned in during weigh in. DUNF "withdrawal by date" will be the Monday 12 midnight prior to the fair. ALL animals must be drug free before weighing.**
10. **No show, no sale.**

LATE ENTRIES

- Deadline for entries is to be July 29, 2022 at Midnight
- Advisors will be required to follow the July 29, 2022 at Midnight Deadline.
- Up until August 8th at 5 p.m. (Livestock interviews) a \$50 per entry will be charged for any entries not previously entered through the Junior Fair.
- After August 8th at 5 p.m. – no tolerance. No Entries will be accepted.

Junior Fair Livestock Sale

Monday, Labor Day, 9:00 a.m.
NWO Arena

The Junior Fair Livestock Sale is under the direction and supervision of the Hancock County Agricultural Society.

Exhibitor Information**1. SALE ORDER:**

Lambs, Dairy Feeders, Market Steers. Dairy Steers, Calf Club Steers, Beef Feeders, Swine, Gallon of Milk, Rabbits, Chickens, Turkeys, Market Fowl, Goats. There is no break for lunch. After their champions are sold, all others in a species are sold in random order with the exception of Swine which sell in rotating barn order and Dairy Feeders sell based on results of Market Bid sale.

2. GALLON OF MILK:

One (1) gallon of milk will be sold from the Grand Champion Female over all breeds. This money will be divided in half. One half will be shared by all Dairy Exhibitors based on the number of projects exhibited and shall be considered the market Bid. The other half will be distributed among those not selling any other species and will be considered the Premium Bid.

3. WEIGHING SCHEDULE & RULES:

The following weigh-ins are Tuesday, 8/30/2022.

Swine	7:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Poultry	Noon - 6:00 p.m.
Rabbits	9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. (as checked in at barn)
Dairy Feeders	4:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.
Dairy Steers	following Open Ceremonies (approx 8:00 p.m.)
Market Steers	following Dairy Steers
Goats	Noon - 3:00 p.m.
Lambs	3:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

There will be no re-weighing of ANY animals**Species Specific Weigh-in Rules:**

All exhibitors must receive an A or B grade on the animal.

- a. Lambs – less than 90# or over 145# are ineligible to go through the Sale Ring and must go to Market Bid.
- b. Swine – less than 200# or greater than 265# are ineligible to go through the Sale Ring and must go to Market Bid.
- c. Dairy Feeders – less than 350# or greater than 699# are ineligible to go through the Sale Ring and must go to Market Bid.
- d. Chickens – Pen of Three (3) – each pen less than 13 lb. 8 oz. or greater than 21# are ineligible to go through the Sale Ring and must go to Market Bid.
- e. Turkeys – shall be sold as a single market turkey - any turkey less than 25# will be rejected at weigh-in, are ineligible to go through the Sale Ring and must go to Market Bid.
- f. Rabbits – consist of three (3) uniform animals per pen. Any pen of three (3) with a single animal less than 3.5 lbs. or greater than 5.5 lbs. or younger than eight (8) weeks or older than twelve (12) weeks in age go through the Sale Ring and must go to Market.
- g. Goats - less than 50# lbs. are ineligible to go through the Sale Ring and must go to Market Bid.

4. SALE RING, MARKET BID, TAKE HOME:

All Market Livestock Exhibitors must go through the Sale Ring once and shall sell only one (1) animal. This animal will be identified at weigh-in. If an exhibitor has a second animal of the same species, this animal may go to the Market Bid or Take Home. If an exhibitor has animals in another species, one animal from each species must go to Market Bid but subsequent animals in the same species may go to Market Bid or go Take Home. This must be declared at the weigh-in. Failure to properly designate Sale Ring, Market Bid, and Take Home animals leaves the decision to the discretion of the Sale Office. Exceptions to these rules:

(1) All Grand and Reserve Champions must sell. (2) Single entries in a non-terminal species of a breeding animal may select to go Take Home regardless of other entries, so long as another entry has been identified for the Sale Ring.

5. SALE OF CHAMPIONS:

Rate of Gain Winners are not considered champions.

Grand and Reserve Champion Swine, Steers, Lambs and Goats must go to D & H Meats in Vanlue for processing and O.D.A. testing following the sale. Grand and Reserve Champion Swine, Steer, Lambs, and Goats - the exhibitor may provide a pre-designated buyer agreement for the market value to the Sale Office by noon on Saturday before the sale. The pre-designated buyer agrees to pay the market value of the exhibitor's animal that is set by their department superintendent and take financial and physical responsibility for the processing fees at D & H Meats as well as the carcass of the animal. The pre-designated buyer must provide D & H Meats a cut order. The animal will however remain eligible for a Home Bid purchase in the sale ring and if the animal is purchased on a Home Bid, the exhibitor's pre-designated buyer agreement will be negated. In the event that no pre-designated buyer agreement is supplied and the animal is not purchased on a home bid, the exhibitor will be financially and physically responsible for the processing fees and carcass of their animal, must supply D & H Meats a processing order, and the exhibitor will only receive the Premium Bid amount from the Livestock Sale. Grand and Reserve Champion Rabbits and Poultry will go to overall Market Bidder and the exhibitor will receive the premium and Market Bid. Grand and Reserve Champion Dairy Feeder will go to the winning bidder from the Saturday Market Bid Auction, and the exhibitor will receive the Premium and Market Bid.

6. MISCELLANEOUS EXHIBITOR RULES:

- a. Any exhibitor not present when their animal is to be sold in the ring shall sell the animal at Market Bid unless arrangements have been made prior to the sale with the Department Superintendent.
- b. Any exhibitor receiving an incomplete on their Livestock Interview will be ineligible to sell their livestock through the Sale Ring. Those animals may go to the Market Bid.
- c. No representation of placing from any other show or exhibition will be allowed during the sale. Violating this rule will result in forfeiture of the Premium Bid Sale.
- d. Livestock Sale payments will be given to the exhibitor once the accounts are settled, records are complete and all buyer funds are collected.
- e. A \$30 fee will be assessed to reissue any Livestock Sale check.

7. PRE-SALE & SALE RESPONSIBILITIES/RULES:

- a. The Sale Committee, Junior Fair Board, Senior Fair Board, and other volunteers will assist with preparing the arena for the sale.
- b. The Superintendents will provide a Market Buyer (except Dairy, Dairy Feeders, and Steers) and confirm the Market Price per pound for their respective species to the Sale Office by Saturday at noon, will confirm the sale order prepared by the Sale Office, and assist with preparing their department for Sale Day.
- c. The Sale Office will be responsible for preparing the sale list and other information.
- d. Only the Sale Committee and Staff Members will have contact with the Auctioneers while "Crying the Sale."

8. BREAKDOWN OF EXHIBITOR PAYOUT:

The exhibitors will sell their animals and receive a Net Sale Amount that will be made up of the Market Bid, Premium Bid, and Project Donations less the Sale Commission and applicable Check-off.

- **MARKET BID:** the amount bid for purchase of the actual animal. All species, except Dairy and Dairy Feeders, will have Market Bid for their animals listed in the Sale Sheets. Home Bid Buyers that will pay this amount in addition to the Premium bid. The Market Bid will

vary by species and may vary by weight classes. The description of Market Bid for Dairy is found under Gallon of Milk and the description of Market Bid and Beef Feeders is found in the respective section of this book.

- **COMMISSION AND CHECK-OFFS:** Commission is a 6% charge levied on all sales. This will include the Premium Bid, Market Bid, and any Project Donations received from the sale. Check-offs are fees collected by various species to bring awareness to the species. All applicable species check-offs will also be deducted from the seller's gross sale amount.
 - **PREMIUM BID:** the amount in the sale ring.
 - **PROJECT DONATIONS:** the funds donated directly to the exhibitor outside the Sale Ring. Project donations can only be made to exhibitors participating in the Livestock Sale.

9. BUYER APPRECIATION POSTER CONTEST:

- a. All Jr. Fair Livestock exhibitors shall display a poster above their pen by the close of the first day of the fair.
- b. The size shall be 14" x 22" only.
- c. It shall consist of a creative and attractive "Thank You" to their previous year's buyer.
- d. Judging will be conducted by the Jr. Fair Office.
- e. The top three (3) in each department will be displayed in the show arena on sale day.
- f. There will be ribbons awarded and a financial award will come from the Junior Fair office.

The Hancock County Junior Fair Livestock Sale
Committee and the Junior Fair Exhibitors

THANK YOU

to our 2021 Hancock County Junior Fair Livestock Sale Buyers