

Livestock Sale Rules

1. All exhibitors of livestock that will be sold at the Junior Livestock Sale are required to help set up and tear down the sale arena as well as hand out refreshments to buyers during the sale. See times on the chart in this book. Set up time is Thursday at 10 a.m.
2. At the time an animal is sold at the livestock sale the exhibitor shall be held directly responsible for animals that are rejected at a processing center due to the presence of foreign residues. The seller may be liable to the buyer for an amount equal to three times the purchased price and may also be liable for attorney fees and civil penalties. Show management may share acceptable intelligence and evidence information with FDA and USDA. If for any reason, any part of a meat animal carcass must be removed by the FDA or USDA inspectors, the market price will be discounted.
3. Champion livestock must be sold at the Junior Livestock Sale.
4. Animals not shown in a market class on show day cannot be sold in the sale unless approved by the Livestock Committee.
5. Those desiring not to sell must notify the superintendent in writing by the show conclusion of their judging day that they wish to withdraw from the sale. No animals may be withdrawn after this date and hour.
6. It shall be the responsibility of all project exhibitors to get their animals to the sale area on time.
7. All market livestock are to be shown and sold by the registered owner. Exceptions may be brought to Fair Board.
8. Exhibitors with animals properly consigned who later refuse to sell their animal will be prohibited from participation for the present and ensuing year's sale. Project awards and premium awards will also be forfeited.
9. Exhibitors may only sell their livestock by private treaty upon completion of the Junior Livestock Sale on Thursday. Exhibitors selling or listing for sale prior to the completion of the livestock sale will be considered the same as members cosigned and refusing to sell as far as the rules are concerned. Market animals excluded from the livestock sale are prohibited from soliciting and advertising their animals until the conclusion of the sale.
10. The exhibitors of the animals sold on the Junior Livestock Sale will turn over to the Livestock Committee a percentage of the sale price (commission) of their animal or animals. The funds of the Committee thus collected will be used to pay for livestock sale expenses.
11. Any animal not placing Grand Champion or Reserve Champion of the entire show will be placed in the sale order according to the placing. The sale placing will be determined by the Livestock Committee.
12. Animals entered in market class will be weighed as they are unloaded. This will be their sale weight.
13. Animals sold at auction become the property of the buyer at the time the auctioneer recognizes the buyer and announcement of sale is made. Exhibitor to continue to care for livestock until the end of the fair.
14. All re-sales become property of the Junior Livestock Sale Committee to be resold for market. Proceeds will go to the Junior Livestock Sale Committee unless otherwise specified and agreed upon by the Junior Livestock Sale Committee. No animal is to be sold through the Junior Livestock Auction twice.
15. All sales are final.
16. Overweight hogs to be sold last in the sale order or as otherwise specified by the Sale Committee.

Livestock Care Agreement

By submitting an entry form and typing yes to this agreement, exhibitor agrees to provide humane treatment to their livestock project animals. This includes but is not limited to proper feeding, watering, and cleaning of pens throughout the entire fair week. In the event the superintendent notes improper care or cleanliness of their pen, exhibitor accepts the following consequences which will occur:

If a superintendent deems there's a violation in rules on cleanliness and/or general care for livestock, the superintendent will place a red tag on the pen. Exhibitors are to rectify the outstanding problems immediately, but not later than two hours after the red tag notification is placed on the pen.

Exhibitor further agrees to clean their pen(s) and feed and water their livestock prior to 10 a.m. each day of the fair. Exhibitor further agrees to clean their pen(s) as necessary throughout the day, and feed and water their livestock by 7 p.m. each day. See definition of a clean pen under Livestock Exhibition Guidelines.

Exhibitor further agrees to provide all necessary bedding materials for their pen, as well as feed for their livestock during the week of the fair. Exhibitors further agree to provide all necessary equipment for the barn as stated in the Livestock Exhibition Guidelines.