

2020 Online Livestock Auction Information for 4-Hers and Parents

1. Please fill out the form as your entry into the 2020 Online Livestock Auction by **JULY 27 at midnight**. Only one form will be needed per exhibitor. You will need to upload one photo per animal you are selling, this must be the same animal(s) shown in the 4-H virtual show. The information on this form will be used to create our online auction catalog. A Google account might need to be created if you do not already have one. [Online Auction Entry Form](#)
2. The cost for the Online Auction is \$13 per animal. Final Drive, the online auction platform we are using will deduct that amount from your sale, so there is no need to pay upfront.
3. Rules for the online auction can be found here: [2020 Online Auction Rules](#)
4. It is imperative to get the word out about the online auction! Reach out to businesses and individuals that may be interested in supporting you through the online auction. New for this year is an option for people to support you without buying your animal. This is called an "add on" feature. They can donate money by registering for the auction. We thought this would be a good addition to the Online Livestock Auction.

Important Online Auction Information:

Dates of the Auction: Start date: Thursday, August 6 beginning at 6:00 pm End date: Saturday August 8 at 12:00 NOON.

Auction Website: www.bwfinaldrive.com

Auction Load-Out on Sunday:

Sheep: Donna Douglas has graciously offered to pick up any lambs sold in the auction and take them to the processors. Please make sure you write her a thank you- this is a HUGE undertaking!

Hogs: Hogs will need to be tagged and weighed at the fairgrounds between 10-2 on Sunday. We can use pens there, but everything needs to be cleaned when we leave. Please bring something to water your hogs while there.

Beef: Beef will need to be weighed and tags checked before loading out. We will start weighing at 2:00 on Sunday. You can leave beef in your trailer, or tied outside your trailer until loading out begins. We will not be tying in the beef barn. Please bring a bucket to water your animal while at the fair.

- Please watch for a follow up email from the Auction Committee regarding load out. Times are subject to change.
- Please remember to social distance while on the fairgrounds. Please limit the number of people in the hog barn to 1 exhibitor and 1 adult. The use of masks is strongly recommended!
- We need to remember that we must pick up after ourselves at the fairgrounds. We need to leave it spotless when we leave. Please plan on bringing shovels, forks, rakes, etc to clean up!

Auction Resources:

[Letter sent to buyers by the Auction Committee](#)

[2020 Procedures for Purchasing and Processor Info](#)

[2019 Thank You Buyers](#)

[2020 Online Auction Rules](#)

If you have any questions please call or text Jennifer Wittum 815-739-6566 or Janine Heidike 815-790-2537