

## Example: Steer

The winning buyer bids the highest amount per pound on the weight of the steer up to 1350lbs. The buyer pays that total dollar amount for that steer. An additional fee of \$940\*\* for processing, cut and wrap will be added to the final auction price. A standard 'Cut & Wrap' is used unless the buyer specifies differently on the form. The buyer will be notified when the meat is available for pick-up at the fairgrounds.

## Example: Swine

The winning buyer bids the highest amount per pound on the weight of the swine up to 280lbs. The buyer pays that total dollar amount for that swine. An additional fee of \$240\*\* for processing, cut and wrap will be added to the final auction price. A standard 'Cut & Wrap' is used unless the buyer specifies differently on the form. The buyer will be notified when the meat is available for pick-up at the fairgrounds.

## Example: Re-Sales

The winning buyer has the option to not take the product. They may place the market animal back up for auction (re-sale) with the privilege to designate where the proceeds go in benefit of a program or specific youth. The second buyer would pay for the sale and receive the product. Re-sales continue until a buyer takes product.

Please note this is a terminal sale.

\*\* Processing fees subject to change

# Martin County Fair & Youth Livestock Show

## MARKET ANIMAL SHOW DATES

### SWINE

Monday, February 17  
7:00 PM

### STEER/BEEF HEIFERS

Tuesday, February 18  
7:00 PM

### Buyers' Social

Saturday, February 22  
3:00 PM

AUCTION START: 5:00 PM

*Thank you in advance for  
supporting our youth exhibitors!*

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# 2025



Martin County Fair  
& Youth Livestock Show

February 14 –22



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4-H & FFA Youth

# HOW YOU ARE SUPPORTING ...

## About the Show & Sale

The Youth Livestock Show & Auction is held each year at the Martin County Fair to provide the 4-H/FFA exhibitors with an opportunity to present their market animal projects to our community. Market animal projects are auctioned on the last Saturday of the fair. Steers & Swine are terminal sales. Heifers may be sold for breeding.

For the exhibitor, the Livestock Show & Auction is a culmination of several months spent working with their animal and learning within their 4-H Program or FFA Chapter to produce a quality meat product.



The swine or steer market animals available for purchase are high-quality, project animals. The 4-H/FFA exhibitors purchase quality stock, use high-quality feed and nutritional supplements with greater veterinary attention than normally required. They learn experientially through expert educators and resources adhering to industry standards. Those efforts are to produce the best possible market animal project.

The exhibitors also have a great amount of time, care and finances invested in their market project animal.

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Our wish is for the public and potential buyers to recognize and support the efforts 4-H/FFA members put into their projects showcased during the Market Livestock Shows and Auction. Many of the exhibitors use the monies received for continuing projects and for higher education goals.

## Benefits as a Buyer

When purchasing a market animal during the auction, your purchase\* amount payable to MCFA is tax-deductible.

Buyers, in addition to receiving a high quality meat product, also encourage an exhibitor to continue future projects and pursue their educational goals, with this financial support.

**For more information, visit:**  
[www.martincountyfair.com/fair/livestock-exhibitors/livestock-buyers/](http://www.martincountyfair.com/fair/livestock-exhibitors/livestock-buyers/)



*We do not use exhibitors to show livestock. We use livestock projects to showcase our exhibitors.*

## Receipt of Meat

Arrangements for processing the meat are made by the Martin County Fair Association, Inc. As a buyer you are responsible for the cost of the processing expenses. You will be notified of the meat delivery date for pick-up at the fairgrounds arena.

## Resale

As a buyer you have the option during the auction to donate the market animal purchased back as a resale. As owner you may designate the second sale amount to the 4-H Association, FFA, or to an exhibitor.

As the first buyer, your bid amount goes to the original exhibitor as their supporter. The second buyer amount goes to your designated recipient. All sales are payable the night of auction to the MCFA to disburse to the exhibitors or youth programs.

## Add-ons

Any dollar amount can be given to a market exhibitor as an add-on. A form is available on the website, in the buyer packet or at the sale desk. **Deadline: Auction Night or by March 1, 2025.**

All add-ons are tax-deductible.

**\*All credit card transactions subject to a 3% processing fee.**