July 22, 2020

To: Potential Junior Fair Livestock Buyers

From: Scioto County Junior Fair Sale Committee

Re: Scioto County Junior Fair Livestock Sales

We would like to cordially invite you to participate in the 2020 Scioto County Junior Fair Livestock Auction. Exhibitors have worked very hard at completing their projects and very much need your continued support.

The Scioto County Fair Board has made the decision to hold this year’s Junior Fair Livestock Auction completely online due to the COVID19 pandemic. We understand this is a major change in how this has been done in the past. However, based upon the ever-changing restrictions placed upon the Board this process is the only way they feel comfortable moving forward.

Attached to this letter you will find instructions and guidelines to help explain this new procedure. In addition to these, there will be a help video posted on the Scioto County 4-H YouTube channel, Scioto County Fair website at sciotocountyfair.org, and the Scioto County Fair Facebook page. You can also message your questions to sciotocountyfair.org.

Your interest and participation in this event is greatly appreciated. Thank you in advance for your generosity and continued support!!
2020 Junior Fair Sale Changes

- Buyers must create an online profile (See attached sheet)
  - Profiles can be created prior to the platform going live.

- August 15, 2020 the online platform will be live.

- Buyers can pledge on an unlimited number of exhibitors. No minimum pledge amount

- Online platform will only be available from August 15, 2020 - August 31, 2020

- Transactions must post by August 31, 2020. There will be no billing or payment completed after this date.

- Method of payment include credit card, money order, and check.
  - Credit card - online (with fee), cards will not be charged until the sale closes on August 31, 2020
  - Check and/or Money Order must be delivered to Scioto County Fair Office during the posted office hours made payable to: Scioto County Agricultural Society
  - **NO CASH WILL BE ACCEPTED, NO EXCEPTIONS.**

- Office hours will be 9:00am to 2:00pm the following dates:
  - Saturday, August 15, 2020
  - Saturday, August 22, 2020
  - Saturday, August 29, 2020

- If buyers need assistance with the online platform, individuals will be available during the posted office hours to provide assistance.

- It will be the buyer’s responsibility to use the online platform to select the exhibitors they wish to pledge. **THE 4-H OFFICE CAN'T ACCEPT A LIST OF PLEDGES OR PAYMENT.**

- Each buyer on a Champion Animal must bid a minimum of $250 per exhibitor to be recognized in promotional media. Anything less than $250 will be accepted, but not listed in promotional pieces.
  - If the 2020 Scioto County Junior Fair would be cancelled, champions will not be selected.

- Each buyer must spend a minimum of $500 total to be recognized in promotional media

- This online platform is 100% pledge only. If a buyer is interested in processing an animal locally for the meat, they must coordinate that with the exhibitor directly.
www.auctria.com/auction/sciotocounty4h
I am in the 8th grade at Minford Local Schools. Over the past five years, I have learned responsibility in caring for my market hogs and that it's an every day responsibility.