

## SPECIAL RULES FOR MARKET ANIMALS AND SALE

1. Market animal auction will begin at 12:30 p.m. Friday, September 15.
2. This show and sale is open to exhibitors in the junior division ONLY.
3. Only one animal per species, per exhibitor will be permitted in sale.
4. Exhibitors can nominate four steers, six lambs, goats and hogs. Only two animals per species can be shown.
5. Participants must meet criteria in general rules No. 3.
6. Steers must be in possession of exhibitor by April 1. This **MUST** be turned in to beef superintendent, or his designate, by April 1.
7. Hogs must be in possession of exhibitor by June 15 and reported to superintendent or his designate by June 15.
8. Lambs must have scrapie tag, numbers, and be in possession of exhibitor by June 15 and reported to superintendent, or his designate, by June 15.
9. Goats **must have Scrapie Tag number** and be in possession of exhibitor by June 15 and reported to superintendent, or his designate, by June 15.
10. Animals shown in any other county fair shall not be eligible to show in White County Fair's Junior Market Division.
11. Weigh-in of market animals will be on Wednesday, September 13. Check in with your respective superintendent for time and place of weigh-in.
12. Exhibitor, or their representative, **MUST** be present for weigh-in.
13. Judging of market animals will be as follows:

Steers	-	7:00 p.m. Wednesday, September 13
Hogs	-	9:00 a.m. Thursday, September 14
Lambs	-	12:00 p.m. Thursday, September 14
Goats	-	3:00 p.m. Thursday, September 4
14. Steers will be graded at the fair and must grade U.S. Select or better to participate in the sale.
15. Hogs will be graded at the fair and must grade Choice No. 1 to participate in the sale.
16. Lambs and kids will be graded at the fair and must grade Choice to participate in the sale.
17. The fair association will not be responsible for the sale of any animals other than those meeting the grade outlined in rules No. 13, 14, 15 and 16.
18. The sale shall be made up of the top ten animals from each species. Fair Board and Market Animal Committee reserves the right to adjust the number of animals sold at the sale.
19. Gilts, doe kids and ewe lambs exhibited as Market Animals may not be exhibited in breeding classes.
20. To qualify for this division, market animals must meet the following minimum weights: Hogs - 190 lbs (with maximum variance of 10 lbs); Lambs - 85 lbs (with maximum variance of 5 lbs); Steers - 900 lbs (with maximum variance of 40 lbs) at weigh-in; Goats – 50 lbs (with a maximum variance of 5 lbs).
21. A representative of the White County Fair will inspect the animals to determine if they are likely to meet the requirements for this show and auction. This inspection may be performed at a time and place determined by the representative. Each registered participant will be notified by mail of this inspection. This inspection is a must attend event.
22. Steers will be shown as “no fit and wet”. Contact the Beef Superintendent for details.
23. The following are rules for exhibitors who make the market animal sale.
  - a) DO NOT decorate (ribbons, glitter, paint, etc.) your animal for sale. The animal should look like it did in the show.
  - b) DO NOT make any presentation (gifts, baskets, money, certificates, etc.) to the Buyers on the fair grounds. Those should be done after the fair ends. This includes Any family member or acquaintances of the exhibitor.
  - c) Failure to comply with these rules may result in forfeit of sale proceeds for the exhibitor.
24. All Market Animal Exhibitors must register online between July 1, and August 1. No Exceptions!
25. All Market Animal Exhibitors must fill out a summary sheet and turn in to the Fair Office by August 1<sup>st</sup>.