

Dear 4-H Livestock Member:

July 10, 2020

The fair this year saw many changes. Even though we were not able to host a conventional fair we were able to hold virtual shows to showcase the animals and all the hard work you all put in this year. While this wasn't an ideal situation, you still put hard work into making the best of the situation you were given.

We as a livestock committee wished to still give the 4-H'ers an opportunity to have some type of auction. After much consideration and weighing different options we decided to do a donation pool. There will be no in person auction this year. All donations from supporters will be put into one pot and split equally among all 4-H auction participants. For example if \$10,000 is collected and 100 4-H'ers participate in the auction, each participant would receive \$100.

In order to participate in the auction, each 4-H'er must sign-up one animal to be their auction animal **as soon as possible**. The 4-H'er's animal MUST be properly identified in 4HOnline and FairEntry and was exhibited in a market class in the 2020 virtual fair. Once the animal participates in the auction it will be marked as sold in 4-HOnline. This animal will not be eligible to show at the state fair or future 4-H shows.

How to sign your animal up for auction:

- Sign up at the link: <https://bit.ly/JenCo4-Hauction>
- If you are unable to sign up at the link, call the Extension Office at 812-352-3033.

We encourage 4-H'ers participating in the auction to send letters to potential supporters. Any donation amounts are appreciated. Enclosed is the letter being mailed to all previous supporters.

Please contact the Extension Office if you have any questions at 812-352-3033.

Sincerely,

Jennings County 4-H Livestock Committee

Dear 2020 Auction Supporter,

July 10, 2020

This year the Jennings County livestock shows looked different. Due to restrictions on Purdue events held in June, all Jennings County 4-H livestock shows were held virtually. 4-H'ers submitted pictures online of their animals to be judged. While this wasn't an ideal situation, 4-H'ers still put hard work into making the best of the situation they were given.

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We recognize with the current economy that some business have been hit hard and are unable to give the same as in the past. We also understand if you are not able to donate this year. If 200 people donated \$50 towards the donation pool then we would be able to collect \$10,000. If we had 100 auction participants then each 4-H'er would receive \$100. Every dollar collected matters. No amount is too small. We greatly appreciate donations of any size.

We will be collecting donations until 8/24/2020. In order to donate please mail donations to PO Box 311 Vernon, IN 47282 with bottom portion of this letter attached. Make checks payable to Jennings County 4-H Livestock.

Sincerely,

Jennings County 4-H Livestock Committee

Contact Name: _____

Business Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____



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