



2017 Youth Livestock Auction

How does it work?

"Red, White & Moo"

May 3rd – 7th

The Verde Valley Fair Association welcomes you to the 2017 Youth Livestock Auction. These kids have selected, fed and groomed their animals throughout the year. During this past week, the livestock have been judged as to their conformation and prizes have been awarded. The Youth livestock auction is the culmination of all these things. The auction is also the high point for our youth, as they have the chance to provide you with quality meat.

What do you get from your purchase?

Slaughtering is the only additional cost of the purchase price. Below is a general breakdown of the amounts and cuts of meat you can expect from an average-sized animal. Your processor will call and ask you how you want your meat cut. You can choose a standard cut or make a special request if you have any.

1000 Pound Steer	100 Pound Lamb or Goat	200 Pound Swine
Steaks.....140 lbs.	Legs..... 11 lbs.	Ham.....26 lbs.
Roasts.....170 lbs.	Chops..... 11 lbs.	Chops.....20 lbs.
Ground Meat.....110 lbs.	Shoulder..... 13 lbs.	Shoulder Cut.....26 lbs.
Stew Meat &	Lesser Cuts..... 10 lbs.	Bacon.....22 lbs.
Misc. Cuts.....45 lbs.	TOTAL..... 45 lbs.	Spare Ribs..... 5 lbs.
TOTAL.....465 lbs.		Sausage.....16 lbs.
		Lard.....16 lbs.
		TOTAL.....131 lbs.

Many factors affect the amount of the various cuts obtained from a carcass: breed, weight, sex, degree of finish (the measure of an animal's condition) and the cutting method used in preparation. The above amounts are only estimates.

How do I buy?

Bids are taken in cents per pound. The list of animals show their official sale weight and owner's name. There are two ways to handle your purchase.

1. Buy the animal for your use. Please designate the packing house where you want the animal slaughtered on the sale form.
2. Purchase and then resell the animal at the current market price. We arrange the details for you. If you wish to support the sale, but cannot use the meat, simply check resale on the buyer's order. You will only owe the difference between the auction price and the market price.

Resale Prices	Maximum Weight Paid on Each
Animal	
Beef..... cents	Beef.....1,300 lbs.
Lambs..... cents	Lambs.....160 lbs.
Swine..... cents	Swine.....270 lbs.
Goat..... cents	

ALL SALES ARE FINAL. Please pay by cash or check before you leave the area unless prior arrangements have been made before the sale. No youth member is paid until your payment has been received and processed. At the time of purchase you will be required to sign a buyer's agreement to eliminate errors and misunderstandings. Please verify your bid and designate your instructions for the animal. Time will be provided after the sale for you to pay for your animal, and obtain processing instructions from the buyer before you leave tonight to assure your wishes are carried out. Pictures: We also ask that buyers pose with the youth members and their animals for pictures immediately after they have made their purchase. Thank you for supporting our Verde Valley Youth.