## SECTION S – JUNIOR MARKET ANIMAL SHOW

Superintendent – Tricia Heary

**Swine Show** 9:00 am - Monday 4-H Meat Goat Show TBA am – Monday 9:00 am - Tuesday 4-H Beef Show **Sheep Show** 12:30 pm - Tuesday

## Market Animal Sale will be held Wednesday, 5:00 PM in the Show Ring

Only Allegany County 4-H and FFA members are eligible.

- 1. 4-H'er must be 8 years old as of January 1, current year.
- Animals must be owned and registered as project animals by May 1 (steers by Jan. 31) of current year. Late entries may show for ribbons only.
- Two project animals of each species (beef, dairy steer, sheep, swine, goat, rabbit & poultry) are maximum entries allowed per member. Two per member allowed in the sale if both qualify. Members with two animals must make extra efforts to secure buyers.
- Project market animals may be placed in classes according to weight (heavy, intermediate, medium or light). Judging will be by the Danish system. SEE RULES AND REGULATIONS # 22.
- Members or parents may buy their own animal only by giving their bid in writing to the Auctioneer prior to sale time. No type of bye-bidding will be permitted or recognized.
- In order to more widely publicize the Junior Market Animal Sale, each member will be charged a small sale commission based on a percentage of gross sale receipts. All members will pay at rate determined by the 4-H Livestock Advisory Committee.
- Each member is expected to work actively toward securing buyers for his or her market animals.
- Each 4-H'er/FFA member must exhibit his/her own animal. The decision of the judge, with respect to placing and awarding of ribbons, will be respected by all participants. Unmanageable animals may be excused at discretion of show committee.
- Participation in the Junior Market Animal Show and Sale implies acceptance of the policies and rules by participating members and parents.
- 10. These rules and policies are intended to supplement other rules in the Allegany County Fair premium book. In case of conflict these rules take precedence, after consultation with the Director in charge and fair board officers.
- 11. Health regulations apply as for all cattle, sheep, goat, swine, rabbit and poultry. See Livestock Health Requirements.
  - (Note: All Market Animals to be sold must have the Rabies done 21 days prior to county fair.)
- 12. Steers, lambs, hogs, and goats to be auctioned will be weighed, starting 3:00 PM Sunday. Members must be present to help weigh animals. No filling allowed. (Not to be fed or watered from noon until weighed.)
- 13. This section is open to purebred, grade or crossbred animals. No bulls, stags, boars, or rams allowed.
- 14. All sale lambs must be born Jan. 1<sup>st</sup> or later of current year. All Market Lambs should be slick shorn within 1 week of opening day of Fair and should **weigh minimum 76 lbs**.
- 15. Pigs: Must be born after Jan. 1<sup>st</sup> and weigh minimum 180 lbs.
- 16. Beef: Must be born on or after January 1<sup>st</sup> of previous year.

  - Beef: Minimum weight 950 pounds. Beef breeds only Dairy steers: MINIMUM WEIGHT 1000LBS. All DAIRY Breeds
- Dairy Beef Steers: Minimum weight 950 pounds.

  17. Market Goats: Must be born after October <sup>18t</sup> and weigh a minimum of 50 pounds.

  18. Market Rabbits: A pen of 3 meat rabbits must be 70 days or younger prior to county fair of current year and should weigh a minimum of  $3\frac{1}{2}$  pounds and maximum of  $5\frac{1}{2}$  pounds.
- 19. Market Poultry: A pen of 2 meat chickens must be hatched 8-10 Weeks prior to county fair of current year and weigh a minimum of 5 pounds.

Awards: Blue-\$6, Red-\$5, Yellow-\$4

SD 951	Market Hog	SB 954	Market Dairy Steers	SP 957	Market Poultry
SC 952	Market Lamb	SG 955	Market Goat	SB958	Market Dairy Beef Steer
SB 953	Market Beef	SR 956	Market Rabbit		