

Pacific County Youth Livestock Auction 2024

Exhibitors, Leaders, Advisors, Parents;

Attached is the 2024 PCYLA Show & Auction Policy and Intent to Sell Form.

It is up to the exhibitor to ensure that this form is complete, signed and received by the committee by the appropriate due date. We will accept completed Intent to Sell forms by email at pcylagroup@gmail.com, postal mail at PO Box 1073 Raymond, WA 98577 or in person. They must have complete signatures by all parties before being turned in. If you have any questions or to confirm receipt of your Intent to Sell form, please contact the PCYLA at pcylagroup@gmail.com.

Important dates to remember:

May 1 st	Intent to Sell forms due for all animals
June 2 nd or June 4 th	Mandatory tag day for beef, goats, hogs, pullets, sheep and turkeys
July 21 st	Mandatory tag day for all fryers Scales open to check progressive weight of projects (optional)
August 1 st	Pacific County Fair 4-H & FFA entries due
August 1 st	Buyer Contact forms due to PCYLA
August 20 th	Haul in day to Fair – vet check & Final weigh in Species specific Health Record due to species rep Project Cost Sheet due to species rep 3x5 card with short bio due to species rep
August 21 st - 24 th	Pacific County Fair – show dates & times will be published in Fair Premium Book
August 24 th	Pacific County Youth Livestock Auction

2024 PCYLA SHOW & AUCTION POLICY

Mission Statement:

The mission of the Pacific County Youth Livestock Auction is to facilitate opportunities for youth enrolled with livestock projects in Pacific County recognized youth groups to learn, earn and develop responsibility through ethically producing and selling their market projects according to established industry standards.

Rules, Regulations and Eligibility:

1. Each exhibitor must be enrolled in 4-H or be a member of an FFA Chapter and be actively caring for the animal(s) exhibited as a 4-H project or an FFA farming project. 4-H and FFA members must be enrolled as a member of Pacific County 4-H by May 1st, 2024 or in a Pacific County FFA Chapter. Each 4-H and FFA member must follow the rules and regulations of their respective organization and the Pacific County Fair. If any disciplinary action is taken of an exhibitor during the fair, the committee reserves the right to review all actions and may result in not being allowed to sell.
2. 4-H state policy mandates that an exhibitor must be eight years old 10/1/2023 (the current 4-H year) to sell any market animal.
3. This notice of Intent to Sell/Memorandum of Understanding shall be completed to be eligible for the sale and be postmarked by May 1st, 2024. Intent to Sell forms must be mailed to the PCYLA Committee at PO Box 1073 Raymond, WA 98577 or emailed to pcylagroup@gmail.com.
4. The market sale sifting committee shall inspect all animals entered in the division at the final weigh in on August 20th, 2024.
5. No animal previously sold at any youth sale shall be allowed to be resold at the Pacific County Youth Livestock Auction.
6. All 4-H Clubs and FFA organized chapters are required to perform herdsmanship duties in their respective barn, during the Pacific County Fair. Failure to do so will result in the forfeiture of all premium monies for the club or chapter.
7. Proof of a Quality Assurance Class is required to sell in the auction. Completion of a quality assurance class or any time during your project is all that is required. Proof of attendance will be kept on file with the PCYLA secretary.

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Entry Regulations:

1. Any exhibitor may tag up to 2 hogs or 2 lambs or 2 goats or 2 steers or 2 pens of pullets or 2 pens of fryers or 2 turkeys or any mixed combination, but you may only sell one animal (or one pen of pullets or one pen of fryers) at the sale. The first animal to make weight on Tuesday night at the weigh-in is your market animal. At the poultry leg band check, on the Tuesday of weigh-in, the exhibitor will determine which 3 pullets/fryers will be in the sale pen.
2. If an animal loses a tag, it is the responsibility of the exhibitor to contact the PCYLA species representative within 10 days for a replacement tag.
3. Exhibitors may enter as 4-H or FFA market divisions, not both.
4. Each exhibitor makes a commitment to show their projects at the Pacific County Fair and sell their project at the PCYLA Auction.
5. Exhibitors must participate in a Fitting & Showing class in their respective species within the supporting program their market animal is entered.
6. Exhibitors may not withdraw their exhibits from the show or auction after weigh-in on the day before the fair.
7. Market animals must not be in any type of partnership. If this rule is violated, future entries into the sale may be limited.
8. Exhibitors and/or others may not buy animals for specific return of animals to the seller to be shown at other shows and/or market sales by any exhibitor.
9. No animal will be weighed without a completed Animal Health Record and Project Cost sheet.

Sale Regulations:

1. The official judge while judging for type may exclude the exhibit from the sale if the animal fails to meet the minimum grade as established. All market animals must also receive a blue or red ribbon in type class to participate in the auction.
2. All animals found eligible for the sale will be weighed for sale weight on Tuesday during weigh-in. Sellers must be present to bring their animals into the auction ring or they will not be sold. No proxies allowed at weigh-in or the auction without prior committee approval.
3. If a weight is contested on any animal, the animal must stay within the scale area and be re-weighed immediately. Weights can only be contested by a PCYLA member up to 1 hour following the designated weigh-in time slot.
4. All large project animals will be sold by the pound. Poultry will be sold by the pen for pullets and fryers and by the individual for turkeys.

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5. All sales are final.
6. Sale order will be determined by the sale committee.
7. While presenting their animal for sale in the Auction ring, exhibitors are expected to wear show clothes. They may also display the ribbon their animal earned in it's type class only.
8. USDA requirements for withdrawal of feed additives and medications shall be followed. If the animal is condemned during processing for violation of these USDA requirements, it is the seller's responsibility to absorb the cost.

Add-on Contributions:

1. All add-ons must be submitted to the PCYLA Treasurer by September 30, 2024.
2. Exhibitors that complete their project, show at fair in Fitting and Showing and Species Type class but are unable to sell their project at Auction due to earning a white ribbon in Type, are still eligible for add-on contributions.

Payments from Sale and Add-ons:

1. Proceeds of the sale will be distributed to sellers/exhibitors or their assignors after payments have been received from all buyers. No payment will be made to the seller/exhibitor until the treasurer has collected all proceeds of the sale.
2. A commission will be deducted from revenues of sale animals only (not add-ons) to cover the costs of facilitating the sale.

Seller's Responsibility:

1. Each exhibitor will complete one Intent to Sell form for each animal unit they intend to exhibit and sell. The animal must be identifiable in some manner.
2. Each exhibitor and seller assumes the responsibility for securing at least 3 potential buyers for each animal to be sold.
3. Sellers of market steers must provide buyers with a rope halter, which may or may not be returned to exhibitor. This halter must be left on the steer in the barn.
4. All exhibitors are required to care for market animals until the animal leaves the fairgrounds or until the livestock release time.
5. Exhibitors are responsible to make arrangements to transport their own animal to harvest.

Live Weight, Grading and Age Requirements for Market Animals:

All project animals will be consigned for sale. The PCYLA Board has the authority to allow the show of an underweight or overweight market hog, steer, lamb, goat, turkey or pen of fryers based on the judges' determination of sale ability of underweight or overweight

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animals. Animals are only weighed once and every species will only sell at the max weight listed for each species if they exceed the max weight.

1. Market Steers:

- a. Must be owned and in exhibitors care by April 1st, 2024.
- b. Steers must weigh between 1,050 to 1,500 pounds.
- c. Must grade either select or choice to qualify for the sale.
- d. Age of steers should not be over 20 months of age.
- e. Steers must be halter broke by June's weigh in day and must lead in the show and sale ring at Fair.
- f. Sellers of market steers at the final weigh-in must complete and hand in a hauling slip and bill of sale if the animal is branded in accordance with the WSDA Brand Inspection program.
- g. Sellers of market steers must provide buyers with a rope halter, which may or may not be returned to exhibitor. This halter must be left on the steer in the barn.
- h. No steers having horns longer than 2 inches will be permitted.
- i. Open to Beef breed steer only. Dairy and Dairy Cross steers are not permitted.

2. Market Lambs:

- a. Must be owned and in exhibitors care by June 1st, 2024.
- b. Lambs must weigh between 95 to 160 pounds.
- c. Lambs must be born in the current year.
- d. Must grade either select or choice to qualify for the sale.
- e. Must not have over $\frac{3}{4}$ inch of fleece.
- f. Market lambs must be wethers or ewes and must show all lamb teeth.
- g. All lambs must be halter broke by Fair time. If a lamb is dragged into the show ring, the exhibitor and lamb will be asked to leave the ring and will not sell.
- h. All lambs shall be identifiable as per the USDA-APHIS Scrapie Mandatory Identification Program for sheep and goats.

3. Market Hogs:

- a. Must be owned and in exhibitors care by May 1st, 2024.
- b. Hogs must weigh between 225 to 325 pounds.
- c. Hogs must be born in the current year.
- d. Must grade either USDA #1 or USDA #2 to qualify for the sale.
- e. Market hogs may be gilts or barrows. Hogs should be a full-sized market breed. Pot-bellied and Kunekune are not allowed in the sale.
- f. Youth are required to cane their project over the scale at final weigh in.

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- g. All hogs must be identified as per and in compliance with USDA-APHIS African Swine Fever Program.

4. Market Goats:

- a. Must be owned and in exhibitors care by June 1st, 2024.
- b. Goats must weigh between 70 to 130 pounds.
- c. Goats must be of a meat breed or full-sized goat cross.
- d. Date of birth for goat kids must be January or February of the current year.
- e. Goats will be graded on weight, muscle tone and overall condition.
- f. Meat goats may be wethers or does.
- g. All goats must be halter broke by Fair time. If a goat is dragged into the show ring, the exhibitor and goat will be asked to leave the ring and will not sell.
- h. All goats shall be identifiable as per the USDA-APHIS Scrapie Mandatory Identification Program for sheep and goats.
- i. All goats will be dehorned. Any scurs will be under two inches.

5. Market Turkeys:

- a. Must be owned and in exhibitors care by May 1st, 2024.
- b. Single turkeys only, no pens of three.
- c. Turkeys must weigh between 15 to 45 pounds.
- d. Turkeys must be a minimum of 16 weeks and should not exceed 24 weeks.
- e. Turkeys must be of a commercial meat breed variety, no heritage breeds allowed.
- f. Hens and Toms are allowed.
- g. All poultry animals must comply WSDA avian health mandates.

6. Fryers - Pen of Three:

- a. Must be owned and in exhibitors care by July 10th, 2024.
- b. Pen of three to weigh in.
- c. Fryers must weigh a minimum of 5 pounds.
- d. Desirable age is between 6 to 12 weeks and should be appropriate for the type of meat breed being presented.
- e. Fryers may be hens or roosters.
- f. All poultry animals must comply WSDA avian health mandates.

7. Pullets – Pen of Three:

- a. Must be owned and in exhibitors care by May 10th, 2024.
- b. Three pullets will constitute a pen of layers.
- c. Pullets will not be weighed at time of entry.
- d. Large fowl laying breeds or dual-purpose breeds will be accepted for sale. No bantams, ornamental or meat birds allowed.

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- e. A pen should be uniform in breed, variety, size, age, weight and produce the same egg size and color. One breed and variety per pen.
- f. Pullets should be between 14 and 17 weeks of age.
- g. Complying with the Washington State Department of Agriculture NPIP regulation, the pen will be clean hatchery birds. No home-bred birds will be accepted. Be ready to show proof of purchase or receipt on all pullets.
- h. The buyer will take the pen of pullets home live with the expectation that these new birds will become their laying flock. The PCYLA sale receipt will be stapled to the health record and buyers will be expected to separate the new birds from their existing flock for 21 days for biosecurity/quarantine.

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Intent to Sell Form

One form per Animal or Pen

Due by May 1st, 2024

Mail to: Pacific County Youth Livestock Auction, PO Box 1073, Raymond, WA 98577

Email to: pcylagroup@gmail.com

CIRCLE: 4-H or FFA

Name: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Club/Chapter: _____ Grade in School: _____

Leader/Advisor Name: _____ Phone: _____

CONSIGNMENT (circle one)

Beef Lamb Hog Goat Turkey Pullets (pen of 3) Fryers (pen of 3)

Breed/Variety: _____ Registered: YES or NO

Birth/Hatch Date: _____ Sex: _____

Tag/Tattoo/Band No.: _____

I have read, understand and agree to adhere to all of the rules and regulations of the PCYLA Show and Auction Policy.

Exhibitor Signature _____

Parent Signature _____

Leader/Advisor Signature _____