

# 2021 San Bernardino County Fair

# Virtual Livestock Show and Online Sale Notes

#### \*\*\*Timeline may change by a day, one direction or another\*\*\*

- 1. Livestock Exhibitors will submit entries and videos through the Virtual Stock Show portal on Friday, May 28, 2021. Entries must be paid for at time of entry.
- 2. How the virtual show runs
  - a. Virtual Show information will go out to leaders and advisors as soon as possible.
  - b. Timeline
    - i. Information will be sent out to all the leaders, advisors and exhibitors that entered the 2021 San Bernardino County Fair. This information will contain directions on how to record the video that will be used for the virtual show. It will also contain the directions on taking a photo to be used for the online sale. There will also be an entry card that will have to be included in the first few seconds of the video. ALL videos and photos must be taken in San Bernardino County.
    - ii. May 23, 2021-Information will be sent out to all the leaders, advisors and exhibitors that will contain the portal login password.
    - May 28, 2021-Exhibitors will enter the virtual portal -Information they will need;
      Exhibitor name, club or chapter, species showing, Tag Id, show weight, show video & still photo. Breeding livestock will require additional information.
    - iv. May 30, 2021-Virtual entries will be proofed and send out to leaders and advisors
    - v. May 31, 2021-Classes will be broken
    - vi. June 1, 2021 Judges will be trained by VSS how to use the Virtual platform
    - vii. June 1-2, 2021 Classes will be judged
    - viii. June 1, 2021 Buyer Registration will open (Auction website will be provided as soon as possible)
    - ix. June 4, 2021 The sale order will be set
    - x. June 5, 2021 Sale Day
    - xi. June 7, 2021 Receive sale animals and load out
  - c. Exhibitors **must** show to sell.
    - i. Exhibitors **Do Not** have to sell, however if they show and the animal is a champion or reserve champion of any kind it **must** sell.

- 3. All Market Steers, Market Swine, Market Calves, Market Lambs and Market Goats will show by weight
  - a. Please reach out to your leader and advisor to plan to get your animal weighed. This needs to be done the week of May 23, 2021 May 28, 2021.
  - b. If you do not have access to a scale, please let your leader or advisor know. If you are an independent exhibitor and do not have access to a scale me know so that we can help you get a weight on your animal.
- 4. Add-ons:
  - a. Add-on may be completed through the auction platform, or forms will be available on the fair website and Facebook page.
  - b. Add-ons to be taken starting June 5, 2021 until June 19, 2021.
  - c. The add-on **must** have the payment attached unless other arrangements have been made with fair management. Currently the only form of payment will be a check or Money Order made out to 28th DAA with JLA in the **Memo Line**; mail to 14800 7th Street, Victorville, Ca 92395. If that changes, we will let you know
- 5. Buyers
  - a. Exhibitors need to continue to send out buyers' letters and market their projects
  - b. Letters will go out to past buyers from the fair explaining the program
  - c. Soliciting new buyers is especially important.
  - d. We will get you the online auction website information as soon as possible
- 6. All livestock will be sold by the head. Turkeys, poultry and rabbit meat pens will be sold by the pen.
- 7. Ear Tags will be assigned and distributed to each club leader or chapter advisor. We will let you know where ear tags may be picked up.
- 8. Sponsorships
  - a. We still need sponsorships to help cover show and sale expenses as well as the awards and banners that will go out to the exhibitors.
  - b. Sponsorship forms will be available on the Facebook page and the fair website. Sponsorship donations must be in the form of a check or Money Order made out to 28th DAA with Livestock Sponsorship in the **Memo Line**; mail to 14800 7th Street, Victorville, Ca 92395.
- 9. Awards may be given out. The exhibitor will pick up their awards when their animal is delivered to the fairgrounds. Exhibitors who have a Supreme Champion or Reserve Supreme Champion must be dressed to have a picture taken.
- 10. Destinations offered to the buyers
  - a. Live-pick-up
  - b. Resale/Buy Back
  - c. Custom Termination
  - d. Donate back to fair

### 11. Receiving livestock

- a. We will receive destination information at the end of the sale from Virtual Stock Show
- b. We will send out a schedule to each advisor, leader, and exhibitor as to when they will deliver their project to the fairgrounds.
- c. We will set up to have trucks for receiving. Live pick-up will also be scheduled.
- d. Live pick-up must be done at the fairgrounds.
- e. Exhibitors will arrive and must stay in their vehicle
- f. A "**Code of Ethics**" must be provided at this time for each animal that has gone thru the sale. This form is available on the fair website.
- g. We will have a receiving crew.
  - i. Who will verify the ear tag of the animal
  - ii. Someone will check the wellbeing of the animal. If the animal is not found healthy and in good flesh it will be turned away and all awards and monies will be forfeited.
  - iii. The animal will be marked and sorted by destination

### 12. YQCA:

- a. The California Department of Food & Agriculture is requiring all youth exhibitors showing at Fairs throughout California in 2021, to have completed the applicable YQCA (Youth Quality Assurance) program training. This mandatory program is available online at the following link (.https://yqca.learngrow.io/Account/Login) In order to show at the 2021 SBC Fair, each exhibitor is required to have completed an approved YQCA training course, and must be able to provide proof of completion upon request by any member of the SBC Fair staff, or any representative from California Department of Food & Agriculture.
- 13. SBC Fair Livestock Facebook page
  - a. Watch the SBC Fair Livestock Facebook page
  - b. We will continue to put information on the fair website, fair Facebook page and the Livestock Facebook page.