

AGFEST BUYERS

Buyers, whether you are new to AgFest or a seasoned pro at supporting the exhibitors, we are changing things up a little this year with our Auction. We want to give the exhibitors the best platform for selling their projects and have chosen a LIVE / SIMULCAST Auction. This gives you the option of attending the live auction or bidding in the comfort of your home or office on your laptop or computer. We will have approximately 29 Dairy Replacement Heifers, 64 Market Beef, 118 Market Sheep, 105 Market Goats, 45 Market Rabbits, 40 Poultry and 305 Market Swine, and hopefully a few Ag Mechanic Projects as well.

We will have our typical **LIVE AUCTION** but will also broadcast it in **LIVE TIME** through www.stockshowauctions.com

REPLACEMENT HEIFER AUCTION will be Saturday, June 12th at 7:00 pm.

LIVESTOCK AUCTION will be Saturday, June 19th starting at 9 am

BEEF, SHEEP, GOATS, AG MECHANICS, RABBITS, POULTRY (in that order)

SWINE AUCTION will be Saturday June 19th starting at 9:30 am

Stockton Fairgrounds - 1658 S. Airport Way, Stockton, CA

For those who feel comfortable in attending our LIVE Auction (with Covid restrictions in place), registration of buyers at the fairgrounds will start 2 hours before the start of the Auction. Auction rings will be in the traditional locations, with the Replacement Heifers, Beef, Sheep, Goats, Ag Mechanics, Rabbits and Poultry at the Elmer & Diana Muller Sheep Ring and the Swine at the Dave Luis Swine Arena. Attending LIVE, you will use your BIDDER NUMBER to bid on the projects just as you did in the past. Replacement Heifers (sold by the head) are sold live and you may take the animal after the sale or make arrangements with the exhibitor for delivery. All other animals are sold terminal. Rabbits and Poultry (sold by the head) will all be CUSTOM and the exhibitor will deliver your fresh purchase to you on Sunday, June 19th (They will contact you for delivery). Beef, Sheep, Goats and Swine (sold by the pound) may be CUSTOM (for your cut and wrap choice) or RESALE (you pay the price between market and your bid). All CUSTOM choices will be charged the harvest fee on your AgFest statement; you will be directly responsible for your CUT & WRAP fees. *Please see brochure for more information. You may choose to be BILLED for your purchases, but all invoices are due by June 30th. We will accept Cash, Checks or Credit Cards with a 3% fee. **All Credit Card purchases after June 30th will incur a 5% fee.**

If you feel uncomfortable joining us LIVE, you can open your computer and register on Stock Show Auctions website, and you will be able to get a LIVE FEED of the auctions and bid right from your computer or lap top. I am going to recommend NOT using your phone for this application. You may register on www.stockshowauctions.com at any time, up to and during the auction. Stock Show Auctions will create your Buyer number; you can disregard the one you receive in the mail. We have 3 Auction platforms set up on Stock Show Auctions: **Replacement Dairy Heifer, Swine and Livestock**. On June 19th, the LIVESTOCK and SWINE will be running at the same time. You can easily flip back and forth to the Auctions to watch them and bid on lots. We hope to have the Replacement Dairy Heifer Catalog loaded and ready to go by 5 pm on Saturday, June 12th, and the others by Friday, June 18th at 5 pm. For a information on how to register and log in, go to our website and look for the SIMULCAST WALK THROUGH. We will mail you an invoice. Please pay all invoices by June 30th. Credit Card payments before June 30th will be 3% service charge, anything after June 30th will be 5% service charge.

If you are a repeat buyer, you will receive a packet in the mail with your buyer number and all the information about the sale and the online platform. If you are new to this experience, please go to our website www.sanjoaquinagfest.org and to the AUCTION tab you will find all the information under this link, sign up for the NEW BUYER and once completed, we will send you a packet, a buyer number and all the information about the sale and online platform.

You may also support the exhibitors with an Ag Ed Scholarship by contributing any amount you wish as a donor directly to the exhibitor (if they have met the criteria). This can be facilitated through our website: <https://sanjoaquinagfest.org/agriculture-education-scholarship-donor-form/> or an Add On, which can be done at the auction or through www.stockshowauctions.com.

If you are still feeling uncomfortable about both options – please contact Chris to discuss a Proxy or Phone bid. Please do this prior to the auction dates, as during the auction may be hard to navigate. 209-607-1157

For more information visit our website www.sanjoaquinagfest.org or email agfestshow@gmail.com