

El Dorado County Fair Jr. Livestock Auction (Online)
Auction begins Thursday, July 9 at Noon
Auction ends Saturday, July 11 at Noon

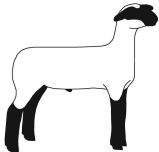
Register at susantaylorshowservices.com.

Here are 5 ways for you to support the youth of El Dorado County!



#1- Buy high quality meat for your freezer.

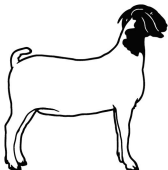
The process is easy (see chart below). Your meat is cut to order, and you pick up from the butcher shop. NEW- Bidding is in \$50 increments, but a buyer can also designate a higher bid in any amount at any time.



#2- Buy an animal for resale.

You will NOT get the meat; it is sold to the USDA Processor.

Your Bid less Market Price for the animal that day = Total amount you pay



#3- Donate the meat to a local non-profit.

After purchasing the animal, the buyer pays USDA Processing Fees and Cut and Wrap Fees. Cut and wrap occurs at Archer's Meat Shop, and the nonprofit will be contacted to pick up the meat there.

Calvary Chapel Food Closet- Georgetown

Center for Violence Free Relationships- Placerville

Green Valley Community Church- Placerville

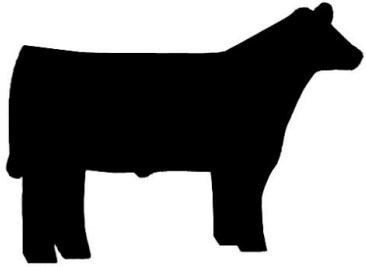
El Dorado Community Church Food Closet- El Dorado

New Beginnings Gold Country- Placerville

Upper Room Dining Hall- Placerville

Mother Lode Rehabilitation Enterprises, Inc. (M.O.R.E.)- Placerville

New Morning Youth and Family Services/Youth Shelter- Placerville



#4- Bump an individual exhibitor's price.

To bump an individual exhibitor's price, complete the Bump Application. The Bump Form is available at eldoradocountyfair.org/livestock.html or on the online auction site and should be returned no later than Mon, 7/13/20 by 7 pm.

#5- Join The Group

The group is made up of community members who want to support all exhibitors. Money collected for The Group is used to raise prices of low-bid animals and/or to raise the prices of an entire species. This year, all money donated to The Group will be distributed after the auction in July. Donate \$200+ to join. You can join The Group any day of the year, but to have your donation count for 2020, please join by Monday, 7/13/20 at 7 pm. The Group form is enclosed or can be found at eldoradocountyfair.org/livestock.html.

*	Steer	Lamb	Goat	Rabbit Meat Pen (3)	Rabbit Single Fryer
Average Exhibitor Costs	\$4000-4500	\$500-600	\$500-600	\$150	\$50
Minimum Bid	\$3600 (1200 lbs x \$3/lbs)	\$520 (130 lbs x \$4/lbs)	\$600 (100 lbs x \$6/lbs)	\$250	\$150
USDA Processor Fees	275	85	85	25	25
Cut and Wrap**	1000	125	125	5	5
Total Cost to Buyer	\$4875	\$730	\$810	\$280	\$180
Packaged Meat	400-490 lbs.	30-60 lbs.	30-60 lbs.		

*Numbers above represent average weights of animals. Cut and wrap costs depend on the actual weight of the animal. Minimum bids take into account the exhibitor's cost and similar sales throughout the state.

** Custom Butchers include Longhorn Meats (Auburn), and Kountry Meats (Elk Grove).