

Congratulations livestock exhibitors on a fair well done. Your hard work, perseverance and patience paid off in a big way. Sale averages were up in all the species besides goat and beef where the sale averages stayed consistent to last year's numbers.

This year's Livestock Sale was managed by a dedicated group of parents and volunteers. We worked hard to cut expenses and garnered a valuable sponsor, Pinnacle Buildings; please thank them because their sponsorship minimized your sale deductions considerably. In addition, Steamboat Ace Hardware, Murdoch's Ranch and Home, and Barbara Cannizzo contributed an Add-On to every sale participant to offset your deductions!

Deductions were calculated by splitting the actual costs of this year's sale (after Pinnacle Building's sponsorship) evenly between every sale participant. This cost is \$62.50 per animal through the sale. The beef exhibitors were charged an additional \$2.38 to cover the brand inspections. The swine exhibitors were charged an additional \$19.42 to cover the Pork Check Off. In summary, deductions are as follows:

Poultry, Rabbit, Sheep, Goat Deductions: \$62.50

Beef Deductions: \$64.88Swine Deductions: \$81.92

Market prices were gathered during the week of fair. The market prices are based off of the live weight of the animal, and are as follows:

Beef: \$1.88/lbSwine: \$1.00/lbLamb: \$1.55/lnGoat: \$2.10/lb

In addition to thanking your buyers and add-on contributors, please understand the 4-H/FFA Shows, BBQ and Jr. Livestock Sale would not be possible without all the generous

sponsors that help to make this happen. We ask that every member please send a thank you to the following sponsors:

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Feel free to reach out to Adonna Allen, Livestock Sale Committee Treasure at 970-846-3526 or adonnaallen@alpinebank.com if you have any questions or comments. This is your sale so please share your feedback with those that want to make it successful!!!