



DODGE COUNTY MEAT ANIMAL SALE COMMITTEE

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March 31, 2023





The Dodge County Meat Animal Sale Committee will be identifying Youth Market Beef, Market Sheep, Market Swine and Feeder Beef for the Dodge County Fair between **Monday, April 17 and 4:30 pm on Friday, May 5**. Junior Fair Market Beef, Sheep and Swine will be identified through tagging, DNA collection, and a 2023 Google Exhibitor/Family registration form. Feeder Beef projects will be identified through tagging and a 2023 google Exhibitor/ Family registration form (no weigh-in). We ask for your prompt attention to all the details of this identification process outlined below.

Instructions: Market Beef, Market Sheep, Market Swine ID tags, hair DNA sampling, and registration form.

1. **Request and pick up your 2023 Market Animal Identification kit** from the Dodge County Extension office. The kit will include the number of tags the exhibitor/family is requesting, hair DNA envelopes for each animal, and a link to an online registration - 2023 Dodge County Junior Fair Market XXX Registration Form. There is no cost. **You are required to request your Identification packets with the Extension Dodge County office prior to pick up at 920-386-3790.**

In-Person request & pick-up day/April 29th. The Dodge County Meat Animal Sale Committee will be hosting an in-person Market ID packet request and pick-up on Saturday, April 29th from 9 AM – 12 PM at the Dodge County Administration Building Auditorium at 127 E. Oak St., Juneau.

- Species will be separated by table for Beef (and Feeder Beef), Sheep and Swine.
 - Request the number of tags your exhibitor/family needs. The tags, exhibitor letter, DNA envelopes and google registration link will be packed and marked for exhibitors.
 - Sign off on clipboard that you have received packet.
 - Taggers available for check-out if needed.
 - [Meat Animal Sale Rules](#) and [Dodge County Junior Fair Exhibits by Departments](#) for questions.
2. Properly **collect** your animal's hair DNA sample. Hair collection how-to's are available on the [Extension Dodge County website](#). Fill out DNA envelope (exhibitor name, tag #, date) and seal, one hair sample per envelope. Exhibitors should be present and helpful in tagging and DNA collection process.
 3. **Tag** animal, with the provided Dodge County Fair identification tag.
 4. **Complete** the appropriate market animal Google REGISTRATION FORM found at these codes.

BEEF	SHEEP	SWINE	FEEDER BEEF
			

The Meat Animal Sale Committee uses the data submitted to use at fair weigh-in, create show classes, and the Meat Animal Auction catalog. Once submitted you will receive an email receipt. Timestamps are collected for each submission. **Due by Friday, May 5, 2023 by 4:30 pm.**

5. **DNA collection** envelopes are **due to the Extension Dodge County office by the end of the business day (4:30 pm) on Friday, May 5, 2023**, or by US Mail **POSTMARKED** no later than **Friday, May 5, 2023.**

Feeder Beef information

Feeder Beef projects will be identified with ear tags and registration form. This will be in place of a weigh-in (NO FEEDER BEEF WEIGH IN). Feeder beef identification will occur at the same time as Beef, Sheep and Swine (***starting April 17 and registration completed by the end of business on May 5***) **

1. **Request your 2023 Feeder Beef ear tags** from the Extension office. **You are required to request your Identification packets (no dna collection with beef feeders) with the Extension Dodge County office prior to pick up at 920-386-3790.**
2. Tag animal, with the provided Dodge County Fair identification tag.
3. **Complete** the Feeder beef REGISTRATION FORM found here.



Once submitted you will receive an email receipt. Timestamps are collected for each submission. **Due Friday, May 5, 2023, by 4:30 pm.**

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact your Dodge County MAS Representatives.

BEEF	SHEEP	SWINE
Mark Nehls 920-285-3566 (chair)	Alexa Strehlow 920-382-8747 (chair)	Eric Salmi 920-988-1817 (chair)
Mike Guenther 920-210-1938	Josh Voigt 920-319-2988	Dennis Kohl 920-960-6629
Andy Neff 920-382-5552	Katie Schwanke 920-979-7051	Shawn O'Donovan 920-960-6460
FEEDER BEEF	Janet Arndt	920-763-2135

You may also contact Marie Witzel, Dodge County Youth Development Educator at 920-386-3790 or marie.witzel@wisc.edu. Information is posted on the Extension Dodge County website at www.dodge.extension.wisc.edu

Thank you and have a great project year!