



# 4-H



## Wainwright & District

# BEEF SALE

Wednesday, June 2nd  
Noon to 7 PM

*Thank  
You!*

**Register to bid ONLINE:**

**<https://farmgatetimedauctions.ca/auction/12921>**

Follow on Facebook at Wainwright District 4-H Achievement Day  
to see all the hard work the kids  
have done with their projects this year!

Our Beef Sale will be hosted on Farm Gate Timed Auctions.  
Interested in a part beef?  
Please contact the numbers listed.

# JUNE 2ND

**Chauvin**  
Garrett 639-840-2704  
Jace 780-806-9741

**Edgerton**  
Shannon 780-722-3032  
Becky 780-842-7142

**Greenshields**  
Chad 780-806-3014  
Hannah 780-806-1128

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## Chauvin 4-H Beef Club, Edgerton 4-H Multiclub & Greenshields 4-H Club

Thank you for considering the purchase of one of these fantastic beef steers. All of the members have worked hard to produce a great group of market finished animals. These animals are typically in the top tier of grading and marbling quality, making this an excellent option to fill your freezer. We appreciate your consideration and interest, recognizing the continued uncertain times we are experiencing.

As part of the 4-H motto, "Learn to do by doing": we encourage our young members to participate in marketing their steers to businesses and individuals in the local community in order for them to gain confidence and understanding of how business works. We have changed the format of our Show and Sale to **Online** to comply with 'Safe Distancing' and other Public Health recommendations. While challenging, it has provided the opportunity to learn about responding to change, being dynamic, and not giving up. *This year you are more than likely receiving this publication or invitation via an email invite following up a phone call, by parent delivery, or in another creative manner.*

The steers are guaranteed to be eligible for slaughter at Meatco, Provost Packers or Bouma Meats. We will do our best to accommodate first choice, but have a designated number of butcher slots at each. The club will arrange delivery, free of charge following the sale. The purchaser will be responsible for the processing fees, and will need to contact the processor for butchering preferences.

Most buyers prefer to use the beef for their own purposes, but may not need a whole animal. If that is the case, please contact one of our beef leaders directly and we will get you on a list to fill partial animal orders out of the online sale.

Some buyers choose to re-sell the animal at market price as a Tax benefit, and we will arrange delivery of those animals to Provost Livestock Exchange for the Friday immediately following the sale.

On behalf of all the members of the Chauvin, Edgerton and Greenshields 4-H Clubs, thank you very much for considering the purchase of this great source of locally, responsibly raised, Alberta beef. Without the community support and you, as a prospective buyer, we would not be able to function as the successful club we have become.

We sincerely thank you for the Investment In our club and the future of the kids. You are appreciated for all of your support and generosity.



# Beef Sale 2021

## CHANGES TO THIS YEAR'S AUCTION PROCESS

To ensure the safety of the community, 4-H members and their families during COVID-19, we have decided to sell the clubs steers via Farm Gate Timed Auctions, a platform hosted by DLMS. The sale lots will open for bidding on our traditional sale date, June 2nd at Noon, and the sale will finish, at 7:00 pm.

The 4-H auction will appear at <http://www.farmgatetimedauctions.ca/auction/12921> as Wainwright District 4-H Beef Sale.

We recommend visiting the website ahead of the auction date to create a buyers account. If you have difficulty there is a detailed instruction at the end of the catalog, or it is available by request.

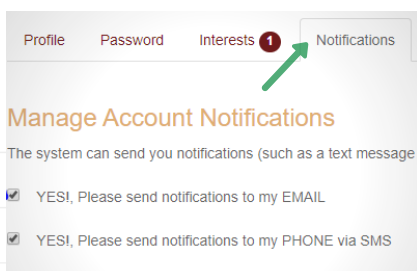
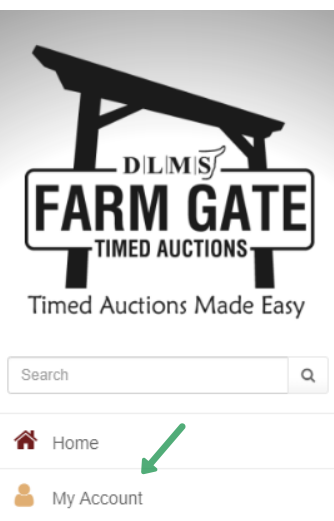
WHEN CREATING YOUR ACCOUNT – Please enter your **last name** as **Name-Butcher** preference. (Ie Trefiak-Meatco). Some of the steers will be going to the butcher immediately after the sale, and this naming format will help us to accommodate your preferences.

- The steers are all booked in with a guaranteed butcher date within a week of the sale at **Bouma Meats, Provost Packers** and **Meatco**.
- We will do our best to accommodate butcher preference, but in respect of this years high demand on our local butchers due to large packing plant closures, we have had to book as close as we can to definitive numbers.
- We cannot guarantee which butcher animals will go to due to having to pre-book spots, but we do guarantee a slaughter date within a week of the sale date.

The animals will be weighed by Provost Livestock Exchange on Wednesday June 2nd, and we would like to thank them for providing that service, as well as the many years of support to our club. Weights will be available to view Wednesday, June 2nd. The bidding will be in \$/lb.

We recognize that a whole animal is a lot of meat. If you are interested in purchasing a partial animal, we encourage you to partner up with friends and family to share an animal. If that isn't an option, please contact us and we will do our best to accommodate your purchasing needs by trying to partner you with another buyer in the same position.

**Chauvin: Garrett Taylor (639) 840-2704 OR Jace Larouche (780) 806-9741**  
**Edgerton: Shannon Trefiak (780) 722-3032 or Becky Pedersen (780) 842-7142**  
**Greenshields: Chad Rutledge (780) 806-3014 OR Hannah Poulin (780) 806-1128**



**We recommend after logging in that you go to "My Account", then select the "Notifications" tab, and enable text and email notifications. This will notify you if you have been outbid on an animal.**



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## SO WHAT DO YOU GET?

*In Estimation - weights will vary based on weight of animal purchased*

*Retail Values based on 2020 average prices of beef*

A market steer that weighs 1300 lbs will have an average yield of 62%. That means this steer will produce an 806 lbs carcass. This carcass will produce 639 pounds of take home meat. From this 639 lbs carcass you will end up with the following:

396 pounds will be roasts and steaks - Retail Value - Average \$11.04/lb = \$4371.84

- Round Roast. \$9.00/lb • Round Steak - \$8.80/lb
- Sirloin Tip Roast - \$8.90/lb • T-Bone Steak - \$16.10/lb
- Blade Steak \$8.70/lb • Rib Steak - \$13.10/lb
- Sirloin Steak - \$12.70/lb

243 pounds of ground beef and stew meat - Retail Value - Average \$6.80/lb \$1652.40

- Stew Meat - \$8.00/lb
- Lean Ground Beef- \$5.60/lb

Total Retail Grocery Price to buy a market steer = \$6024.24

The price of a steer at a local 4-H sale can vary. Last year Wainwright Sale average was \$3.10/lb. In 2019 it was \$2.80/lb.

At \$3.00/lb x 1300 lbs = \$3900.00

Price to have animal butchered, cut and wrapped = \$750.00

Total cost of local 4-H steer = \$4650.00

Total Retail Grocery Price to buy a market steer = \$6024.24

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**\$1374.24**

For \$1374.24 less than at the grocery store, you were able to support a young entrepreneur, support local agriculture, and buy a premium product to feed your family!

*Support* **LOCAL  
YOUTH  
BEEF**

# Virtual Show 2021

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## VIRTUAL SHOW & DISPLAY

Follow us on Facebook at Wainwright District 4-H Achievement Day to see all the hard work the kids have done with their 4-H projects this year!

On Facebook, search for:

### Wainwright District 4-H Achievement Day

<https://www.facebook.com/wainwrightdistrict4H>

4-H projects on display this year include:

#### Beef (Grooming, Showmanship)

Canine

Carcass

Cleavers

Foods

Green Certificate

Lamb

Poultry

Small Animal

Welding



CANADA

**Learn To Do By Doing**

# How to Participate in this DLMS Farm Gate Timed Auction With Extended Bidding

**1)** Visit <https://farmgatetimedauctions.ca/auction/12921>, click the **LOGIN/REGISTRATION** button. First time FarmGate users will select the REGISTER button from this page. Fill out the registration form to sign up for a free user account and it allows you to select a username and password for use on all Farm Gate Timed auctions. (please note due to some of the text notification features the FarmGate Time Auction Site requires a new account separate account from your DLMS Live sale site). After you create your FarmGate account you will receive a txt message with a pin code to verify your account. On your first log in to FarmGate Timed auctions we recommend you go to your profile and confirm your notifications are set to YES. This allows the site to send you text and/or email notifications when you are out bid and if there is activity on your favorite lots. If you have used Farm Gate Timed auctions in the past simply enter your user name and password to continue. After you have logged in you are able to browse the timed auctions on DLMS FarmGate Timed Auctions.

**2)** How to Bid - Now that you are logged in and your account phone number / email is verified you are able to bid on an upcoming sale. Simply find the lot you are interested in bidding on. After you have found the lot there are 2 options for bidding on the lot.

- Place Next Bid – to place the next bid on the item, you see the amount in the first box, you simply click the “Place Bid” button and after you review the bid and agree to the terms and conditions your bid will be placed.
- Max Bid Amount – to place a max bid you put your max bid in the second box listed as “Max Bid” on the item, and then click the “Place Bid” button and after you review the bid and agree to the terms and conditions your bid will be placed as the next bid. With the Max Bid placed the computer will then keep you as the high bidder to the max amount you have placed. This can be a great feature if you are not able to give 100% attention to the sale close out and protect your interest so you do not miss out on any lots you want to purchase. The Max Bid amount is completely confidential from the seller during the sale process. Example of How the Max Bid Works - If the lot has a \$2000 bid on it and you place a proxy bid of \$3500 into the system, the computer will bid \$2100 for you but if some one else bids \$2200, the computer will again bid for you, this time at \$2300. The system will look after your interest to a maximum of \$3500. If another bidder is on at \$3600, your proxy will no longer be effective and you will no longer have the winning bid on this lot without once again logging in and bidding again or moving your attention to a second lot of interest. Please note that in some cases a lot value can change very quickly if 2 max bids are placed on the same lot competing against each other.

**3)** Watch List Feature - If you have items in multiple auctions or only a few from the same auction that you want to watch with out having to scroll through the entire list you can add the lots to your watchlist. On each lot you will see the “eye” button beside the bid button, by clicking this “watchlist” Icon that item is added to your personal watchlist for easy viewing of just your favorite lots in this sale or on the entire site.

**4)** Sale Ending/Closeout-Most FarmGate Timed Auction sales close racehorse style with extended bidding.

## What is Racehorse Style Close?

Racehorse style sale close is when the entire sale stays open in extended bidding. This type of sale allows you as the bidder to change to a different lot within the same sale if the bidding has gone in to extended bidding.

## How will Extended Bidding works?

When we get to the close out end time the clock for close extends with any bid placed with less than 5 min on the clock. ***This type of extended bidding turns the end time to more of a soft time.*** Extended bidding allows bidders to compete in lots like a real auction and give all bidders the same time to make a decision. Always follow the clock to see how much time remains in the sale you are interested in.