



**DOUGLAS-SARPY COUNTY
4-H LIVESTOCK BOOSTER CLUB**

January 26th , 2024

Dear 4-H Leaders/Parents & Sarpy/Douglas Businesses:

I would like to take this opportunity to enlighten you as to the role of the "Livestock Booster Club" in Douglas-Sarpy County.

The purpose of the Livestock Booster Club is to help defray some of the cost of raising livestock and add a little "boost" to encourage 4-H youth to continue their interest in agriculture and the livestock industry. With a formula that provides a certain payback to 4-H members that show livestock. The Livestock Booster Club is currently supporting the market beef, market swine, market lamb, breeding calf, bucket calf, feeder calf, breeding sheep and market goats.

Funds to support the Douglas-Sarpy Livestock Booster Club comes from 4-H families, friends, businesses in the area and the like to contribute to the cause. Businesses such as your family doctor, dentist, local feed dealer, local hardware store, local filling station, tractor dealers, banks, restaurants, insurance agents and so forth. But we have reached a crossroads with the number of contributors dwindling, no new contributors in years and an ever-increasing request to fund more categories; the Livestock Booster Club is struggling to stay afloat.

Thus, our request to appeal to you or others that would be willing to support our 4-H youth. This past year, 115 beef, goats, swine and sheep were exhibited by a record number of exhibitors. This increase in numbers is an indication of the positive experiences these kids and families experience and the potential growth the program is bound to experience. I have included a flyer that shows the impact 4-H is making in the lives of our young people. In addition, with the strong emphasis on Agriculture and supporting our Ag Industry in Nebraska it is important that we all step up and show our support for our future.

By showing your support to the Livestock Booster Club of Douglas-Sarpy County we will display your name on our Champions Board for everyone to see those who have supported the youth and their livestock projects. In addition, you or your company name will be included in all livestock show bills and a certificate will be sent to you to display showing your support for the Douglas-Sarpy 4-H Livestock Program. In addition, you and/or your company will be recognized during the livestock shows at the Sarpy County Fair.

If you have further questions, please feel free to contact Tracey Jones, 4-H Leader or Kim Parks for more questions.

Sincerely,

Tracey Jones
402-980-4879

Kim Parks
402-968-9558



Please return this form with your kind donation to:
Kim Parks—6813 Giles Road, Apt #303 Papillion NE. 68133
or
Tracey Jones-- 8259 South 32nd Street, Bellevue, NE 68147

Please write the check to the **Douglas-Sarpy County Livestock Boosters.**

We sincerely appreciate your support of these hard-working youth and their devotion to the 4-H program and their livestock project.

Name _____

Company _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____

Zip Code _____

Donation Amount _____

If you would like to participate in our Gold/Silver or Bronze Sponsor we will send you a certificate honoring your support. Thank you. Please circle the sponsor level you would like to be a part of.

Gold Sponsor- \$100 and over

Silver Sponsor \$99- \$40

Bronze Sponsor \$39- and below

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