

This 4-H Sale will be conducted on DLMS as a LIVE ONLINE ONLY sale with an auctioneer and sale order. DLMS will broadcast audio with Point & Click bidding starting at 7:00 PM, Wednesday June 3, 2020.

To be approved for bidding, login into your account and click buyer approval, for instructions on how to get signed up for the sale.



"I pledge my head to clearer thinking, my heart to greater loyalty, my hands to larger service, and my health to better living, for my club, my community, my country & my world."

Lethbridge Northern
4-H Beef Club



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4-H Alberta

The Lethbridge Northern 4H Beef Club
Invites you to our 72nd Annual Sale!

During this uncertain time in our world, the 4-H communities have faced many challenges in their 2019-2020 season. While there are many changes in the way these 4-H members will be presenting their livestock, the one thing that has not changed is the hard work that members have put into selecting, training their projects and the care and attention they have put into feeding them. We passionately believe that by choosing to purchase a 4-H steer, you are investing in the youth of today and the community leaders of tomorrow!

This year, our club has 20 steers that will be sold and we would greatly appreciate your support at the sale. We continue to uphold 4-H's motto of "LEARN TO DO BY DOING." Our members will be working hard over the next weeks to market their animals a little differently for June 3!

To ensure the safety of the community, 4-H members and their families during COVID-19, we have decided to sell the club steers via DLMS online auction.

If you are not comfortable purchasing an animal on the DLMS site, please contact a leader and we will have order buyers available who can bid on your behalf

Here are the details of the available options:

Option A: You may purchase a steer for your own beef requirements - as an individual, a company or business, or a group of friends. This is the best Alberta Beef that you may ever eat. These steers have been fed the best, balanced feed rations and have been individually well-cared for (brushed, cleaned, fed, exercised, as only a 4-H member would do). The steers purchased can either be kept for personal use or sold to an onsite purchaser for that day's fair market value.

Option B: You may choose to spend a certain amount of money if you do not wish to purchase the full value of a steer. We will pool your donations with others who wish to purchase a steer in this way. Contact one of the leaders to discuss this with them. You will be recognized as a full buyer, even though you only purchased a portion of the steer.

Anyone wanting to butcher for personal use may have to wait a short time due to the Covid crisis and the increase in business for abattoirs. Talk to a leader if you would like to use one of the slots we have booked at an abattoir. If you would rather, the steers purchased can be sold to an onsite purchaser for that day's fair market value.

CHARITY CALF: Directly following the sale we will sell our charity calf with the proceeds going to Blue Rein Ranch Counselling Centre (under the umbrella Bridges of Hope). *"Blue Rein Ranch" is near Fort Macleod and offers Southern Albertans a blend of counselling and animal assisted therapy to help people heal from trauma and abuse, as well as cope with mental health concerns like anxiety, depression, ADHS, or grief. Spending time with animals provides natural healing. A certified therapist will use activities that integrate Animal Assisted Therapy with evidence based counselling interventions"*

We would once again like to thank all of our previous and potential buyers and supporters of our club, as this event and the entire club would not be in existence without you! Thank-you!

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Payment – Cheques are made payable to:

Lethbridge Northern 4H Beef Club

C/O Amy Slingerland

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Delivery / Pick Up options for buyers:

Following the sale the member will contact the buyer to arrange delivery to the location of the buyers choice. Please have your phone on and be available as the 4-H member will contact you to receive your instructions of where you want your calf to go. Anyone wanting to butcher for personal use, we have spots available at a local butcher shop for mid July and August. Please contact a leader to discuss options and availability.

4-H Thank YOU

It takes many hands to build a great 4-H club. The 4-H program guides our members to select quality livestock and maintain consistent nutrition, health and daily care. 4-H supports and teaches life skills to members who become valuable members and future leaders of the community.

The Lethbridge Northern 4-H Beef Club would like to take this opportunity to thank several organizations and individuals, outside of 4-H who generously volunteer their time, facilities and talents. Thank you for your support throughout the year and at our achievement day!

Prairiview Feeders: The VanHierden family let us use their scale and squeeze in the fall to kick off our 4-H year by weighing and giving the animals their vaccinations.

SUMMIT LIVESTOCK: Clint deLeeuw has allowed us to use his meeting room to have our monthly meetings for two years now. Summit is also hosting our final sale this year. We could not have the type of meetings we do without this awesome facility and the generosity of this family.

SALE (Southern Alberta Livestock Exchange): We would like to thank SALE and their staff for allowing us to use their facilities to weigh out the 4-H steers for our online sale, and they allowed us to have a judge come and judge for Grand & Reserve Champion. Thank you as well to Ryan Konynenbelt who donated his time to auction for us at our sale. This is appreciated more than they know!

THANK YOU!

For many years our club has raised a Charity calf and the proceeds have gone toward different local charities. This year's proceeds will be donated to the Blue Rein Counselling Centre. *"Blue Rein Ranch" offers a blend of counselling and animal assisted therapy to help people heal from trauma and abuse, as well as cope with mental health concerns like anxiety, depression, ADHS, or grief. Spending time with animals provides natural healing. A certified therapist will use activities that integrate Animal Assisted Therapy with evidence based counselling interventions."*

This year's Charity Calf is a Char-X. His name is Golden Nugget . He was donated to our club by Alberta Prime and Kbelt Farms fed him this year.

Thank you to our 2020 SPONSORS:

Prairieview Feeders: *Weigh in Facility*
Summit Livestock: *Facility use for monthly meetings & yearend sale*
Alberta Prime Beef: *donated charity calf*
Kbelt Farms: *Fed charity calf*
Ben's Meats: *Meat donation for the Awards Banquet*
Curtis Delver: *Ivomec donation*
W.A. Vet Service: *Vaccines donation*
Elanco (Sheila Hilmer): *Implants donation*
Friesen Plastics: *donation of re-usable Charity Cheque*
Calvin Christian School: *Facility use for Communications Event*
Alta-Link: *Communications event Sponsorship*
Nobleford Ag Society: *Sale Day donation*

Vantage Trailers (Ed VanHierden): *– Sale Day donation*
Vanee Livestock Marketing: *Sale Day donation*
VanRaay/ Pascal: *Sale Day donation*
Picture Butte Feeder Coop: *Sale Day donation*
Trouw Nutrition: *donation of Toques*
4-H Foundation of Alberta: *Sponsorship Funds*
Joe O'Donnell: *Quality Judge*
Southern Alberta Livestock Exchange: *Use of the market for Weigh in*
UFA: *Sponsorship Funds*
Southern Alberta Livestock Exchange (Ryan Konynenbelt)-
Auctioneer
Agricultural Financial Services Corporation: *Sponsorship Funds*

Thank you to our 2019 Buyers:

1st Choice Savings & Credit Union
 Agro Plus
 Alberta Prim Beef
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 Ben's Meats
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 Boonco Excavating
 Booster Juice
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