## PORTAGE COUNTY

ROSHOLT FAIR LABOR DAY WEEKEND ROSHOLT, WI

Market Animal PROJECT

About the Project

The Portage County Market Animal Project has been helping area youth to promote quality livestock production for almost fifty years. Youth may choose to exhibit beef, sheep, and/or swine. They are responsible for attending at least three educational meetings during the project year that are hosted by the Portage County Market Animal Committee.

Youth who have met the requirements of the project are allowed to sell one animal in the Market Animal Sale at the Rosholt Fair.

# Thinking about bidding?

#### Sign a bidder slip

\*Signing a bidder slip does not obligate you to buy anything.

\*Along with the livestock, there are special items to bid on as well

\*Signing a bidder slip in advance will get you a free pass into the Rosholt Fair on Saturday night

\*Join us for a free Bidders' Dinner held before the sale.

Bidders can also register the night of the Market Animal Sale until 6:45pm

WHERE DO THE SALE PROCEEDS GO?

Youth receive the money for their animals, less a small commission that is used to help offset project costs.

Many have used the money for college tuition, equipment and future project animals.

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# Purpose:

\*Teach proper animal nutrition and husbandry \*Promote development and responsibility \*Teach youth skills in livestock production

### WHAT TO DO IF YOU MAKE A PURCHASE:

- \*Choose the processor you would like the animal sent to.
- \*Processing costs are an additional cost besides the purchase price of the a animal(s).
- \*Keep the meat for your own use.
- \*Donate the meat (after processing costs) to Operation Bootstrap, a food pantry, etc.
- \*Share with your employees
- \*Have a company picnic

