

**RULES FOR 2017 4-H
AND FFA MARKET STEER & HEIFER SHOW AND SALE**

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RULES AND INFORMATION

Class number for Steer is Class #16

1. Sale will be held at 3:00 p.m. on Saturday at the fair.
2. All **market steers and heifers** to be sold must be weighed and identified at weigh-in date scheduled by the livestock committee. This information must be recorded at the Gasconade County Extension Office.
3. In the event an ear tag is lost, the exhibitor should immediately contact the Extension Office. A member of the livestock committee will retag the animal within a reasonable amount of time.
4. **Market** steers must be dehorned and castrated at time of tagging.
5. **Market** steers **and heifers** must be owned by the exhibitor and must be carried as a project either in 4-H or Agricultural Education. It at all possible, **market** steers **and heifers** must be fed on exhibitor's premises.
6. Must be tied in stall with rope halter and neck rope.
7. Records on the **market** steer **or heifer** are to be presented by the exhibitor when called for by the committee. To be eligible to show and sell a **market** steer **or heifer**, the exhibitor must live in Gasconade County or be a member of a 4-H Club or FFA Chapter within Gasconade County.
8. A 4-H or FFA Member may weigh and identify three **market** steers **or heifers**, may show **two** **market** steers **or heifers** in the market steer **and heifer** show; but will only be allowed to sell **one**. **The highest placed animal will sell.**
9. **Market** steers **and heifers** will be weighed when arriving at the fair and this weight will be posted above the **market** steer **or heifer** in **its** stall and used as selling weight. **Market steers and heifers must weigh at least 1000 lbs. at Fair.**
10. The **market** steer **and heifer** show will be held on Thursday evening, July 27th, at 7 p.m.
11. Sale order - sell according to placing.
12. **Market** steers **and heifers** will be placed by judge who judges the other beef classes at the fair.
13. Entry fee is \$8.00 to be submitted with entry form.
14. A rate of gain class will be included.
15. Selling fee is \$15.00 per head.
16. There will be a **Market Steer and Heifer** Showmanship Class following the **Market Steer and Heifer** Show. If you win in the **Market Steer and Heifer** Showmanship, you cannot show in the Breeding Cattle Showmanship Class.
17. All generator uses shall be approved by Livestock Committee.