**McLean County Fair**

**67th Anniversary**

**McLean County FFA & 4H**

**June 14-15-16, 2024**

TO: Parents of McLean County FFA and 4-H Livestock Exhibitors

 The McLean County Fair Board would like to inform livestock attendees of the Premium Sale and barn cleanup will be handled this year. We hope the following will make the sale and barn clean up run smoother so that everyone can have an enjoyable experience.

1. PREMIUM SALE: We are requiring that all animals in the Premium Sale be on halters and lined up in their order at least five (5) minutes before the start of the Premium Sale.
* Each participant will be selling one animal in the Premium Sale.
* Cattle will be lined up at the east show ring gate.
* Sheep and Goats will be lined up inside the south barn door.
* Swine need to be ready but stay in their pen until their number is called.

If your child needs help holding their animal, please help them or arrange for someone else to help them.

 If your child is not in line at the start of the sale, their name will be called three (3) times and if after three (3) calls they still don’t show up, they could be scratched from the Premium Sale.

1. BARN CLEAN-UP: We are requiring all McLean County FFA and 4-H livestock exhibitors to stay and help clean up the barns, tie out areas, and rabbit and poultry area. All cattle, sheep, goat and swine exhibitors will be asked to clean out the bedding and tear down pens, this includes beef tie out areas. Rabbit and poultry exhibitors will be asked to clean their pens and help store cages away. Please help us dump all garbage cans and store them for the season.

We will have an “Exit Form” for all exhibitors which states that your area of the barn or tie out is clean. This form will need to be signed by a member of the McLean County Fair Board Livestock Committee before you leave if you are a livestock exhibitor.

 We hope these little changes will make the sale and clean up run smoother.

Thank You,

McLean County Fair Board