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Siskiyou Junior Livestock Grading and Auction Results

YREKA – The 2020 Siskiyou Golden Fairgrounds annual fair was reduced to a 3-day grading and auction for junior livestock exhibitors August 14th -16th at the fairground in Yreka. Friday August 14 was dedicated to beef steers and heifers, Saturday August 15 brought the market lambs, meat goats, rabbits, chickens, turkeys and dairy heifers to the grounds and Sunday brought hogs to town.

After five months of unknown due to COVID 19 it was decided to have a virtual, online fine arts, home arts and photography show and the green light was given to have an in-person grading event and an online and live auction three nights during the scheduled fair week. Seeing is Believing was the board of directors selected theme for 2020 and while we did not see all aspects of a normal fair, the support given to our youth was incredible. “The stress of the unknown was worth it to witness our community once again support our youth at unprecedented levels” stated CEO, Cliff Munson, “For a couple of hours each night everything was normal in Yreka, our community is so generous.”

While final auction numbers won’t be available for a few more days, this auction has surpassed all records set in 2018 and preliminary numbers show that the gross will be close to or pass \$800,000.00 for 167 lots.

The grading results are as follows:

DAY 1

Registered Bred Heifer Champion – Lexus Robinson, Grenada 4-H

Registered Bred Heifer Reserve – Paige Hinton, Shasta View 4-H

Commercial Bred Beef Heifer Champion – Hannah Harrison, Independent

Commercial Bred Beef Heifer Reserve – Avery Cash, Yreka FFA

Market Steer Champion – Hadley Harrison, Independent
Market Steer Reserve – Nora Harris, Yreka FFA

Overall Beef Showmanship – Nora Harris, Yreka FFA

DAY 2

Bred Dairy Heifer Champion – Callahan Zediker, Yreka FFA
Bred Dairy Heifer Reserve – Madysson Cervelli, Big Springs 4-H

Overall Dairy Showmanship – Madysson Cervelli, Big Springs 4-H

Market Lamb Champion – Peyton Wood, Gazelle 4-H
Market Lamb Reserve – Cece Trejo, Yreka FFA

Overall Lamb Showmanship – Peyton Wood, Gazelle 4-H

Market Goat Champion – Blakely Hittson, Yreka FFA
Market Goat Reserve – Amellia Nordquist, Independent

Overall Goat Showmanship – Blakely Hittson, Yreka FFA

Pen of Rabbits Champion – Aurora Boyer, Independent
Pen of Rabbits Reserve – Lyle Boyer, Independent

Overall Rabbit Showmanship – Lyle Boyer, Independent

Poultry Meat Pen Champion – Jacob Campbell, Montague

Overall Poultry Showmanship – Jacob Campbell, Montague

Market Turkey Champion – Ethan Knechtle, Etna 4-H
Market Turkey Reserve – Sawyer Lawson, Etna 4-H

Overall Turkey Showmanship – Shelby Lang, Etna FFA

DAY 3

Market Hog Champion – Beau Lewis, Independent
Market Hog Reserve – Samantha Freitas, Yreka FFA

Overall Hog Showmanship – Abbygail Duerr, Etna FFA