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Siskiyou Golden Fair Junior Livestock Auction up for 10th straight year



YREKA – By 4:00PM on Sunday August 12th it was evident that the junior livestock exhibitors at the Siskiyou Golden Fair were once again going to celebrate record support from our generous community. Dena Rizzardo, Chairman of the 10th D.A.A. Junior Livestock Committee and Vice President of the 10th D.A.A. Fair Board, reported that there were 228 lots including Steers, Sheep, Goats, Rabbits, Turkeys, Bred Beef Heifers, Dairy Heifers, Hogs and vocational education projects in the sale. The auction total, which surpassed the \$700,000.00 threshold for the first time in history in 2017, nearly surpassed the \$800,000.00 mark at \$793,800 for 2018. “There is really nothing more that can be said about the supporters of this auction,” stated fair CEO, Cliff Munson, “In my tenure as CEO, the auction gross has increased over \$500,000.00 with nearly the same number of lots being sold. Our supporters continue to support our young agriculturalists in astounding fashion.” 2018 champions included; Lauren Mercier, Champion Steer – Jackson Duchi, Reserve, Hannah Harrison Champion Registered Heifer – Lena Fogle, Reserve, Lena Fogle, Champion Commercial Heifer – Lexus Robinson, Reserve, Blakely Hittson, Champion Dairy Heifer – Robert Freeman, Reserve, Lilly Finley, Champion Hog – Abby Duerr, Reserve, Madisyn Bryan Champion Lamb – Kelcie Cervelli, Reserve, Madysson Cervelli, Champion Meat Goat – Noah Mannix, Reserve, Ethan Knechtle, Champion Poultry Pen – Shelby Lang, Reserve, Jessica Bowling, Champion Turkey – Carson Willmatt, Reserve and in the Rabbit pens Isabella Beilke was the exhibitor of both the Champion and Reserve pens.