Sale Name: December 23 Test Auction LOT 110 - Dane Fitzgerald Hardin FFA



Short Description Broilers
First Name Dane
Last Name Fitzgerald
FFA Chapter or 4H Club Name Hardin FFA
County Liberty
City Hardin
Animal Weight (in Pounds) 7-91bs ea
Date of Reported Weight 03/23/2023

Description

My name is Dane Fitzgerald, and I'm an 8th grader at Hardin Jr High School. I've been showing Broilers since 2018 and today I'm putting a set of 3 meat birds up for your consideration. Did you know it takes roughly 47 days to raise a 6 1/2 lb chicken. In Texas, broilers and eggs are the second largest agricultural commodity produced in the state. Total market value of all poultry and eggs sold in Texas was \$2.991 billion and our state ranks 6th in the nation for broiler production with most of the chicken farms in the state being found in East and Central Texas. Our broiler projects come from hatcheries all over the state and are brought to TAMU for banding/ identification. We raise our projects for roughly 40 - 45 days before showing. Every single day counts when raising chickens for show. It's a lot of early mornings and late nights and a ton of work crammed into a short time. I enjoy every second of it though. I hope you'll consider bidding on my broiler project.

Quantity: 1



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