

**Sale Name:** San Joaquin AgFest- CA

**LOT 261 - Isabella Pires Manteca FFA**



**First Name** Isabella

**Last Name** Pires

**FFA Chapter or 4H Club Name** Manteca FFA

**Validation Tag or Show reference#** 573

**County** San Joaquin

**City** Manteca

**Animal Weight (in Pounds)** 210

**Date of Reported Weight** 05/28/2020

### **Description**

My name is Isabella Pires and I will be a junior at Manteca High School. This is my 2nd year in the Manteca FFA program and I have been involved in 4H for the last four years. I enjoy playing soccer and volleyball for my school. I enjoy participating in FFA activities with my chapter. This will be my third year showing a pig for Ag Fest. In the past, I have also showed a turkey and a lamb as a 4H member. I am in the top 3% of my class academically, and getting good grades is really important to me. Next year, I will be Club Commissioner in Leadership and I am especially excited to be a part of the 100<sup>th</sup> year anniversary for Manteca High. I enjoy being involved in my Portuguese culture by dancing for the Modesto Luso group and I march in the local festas yearly.

The pig I am showing, MJ, is a Cross between a Hampshire and a Yorkshire. She is mostly pink with black spots and is very social. I have learned a lot from being involved in FFA and 4H in raising pigs. I have learned about proper feeding methods, the correct way to care for pigs, the anatomy of the pig, ear notches, showmanship, and how to keep within a budget.

I was excited to find out that I placed 2nd place for an essay that I wrote in the FFA category. I had to write an essay convincing members of the importance of improving one's showmanship skills.

I am looking for someone to purchase my hog at the Ag Fest Online Auction. The money I raise from the auction will go to help pay for my project next year and any additional profit will be going into my college fund. I hope to major in Animal Science in college.

Thank you for your consideration in buying my pig!

**Quantity: 1**



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