

Sale Name: Merced County Fair Livestock Sale- CA

LOT 190 - Koen Heupel Bear Creek 4-H



First Name Koen

Last Name Heupel

FFA Chapter or 4H Club Name Bear Creek 4-H

Validation Tag or Show reference# 1669

County Merced

City Merced

Animal Weight (in Pounds) 140

Date of Reported Weight 06/05/2020

Description

Welcome to my sale page for the 2020 Merced Fair Livestock Sale.

My name is Koen Heupel and I've just graduated 8th grade with honors in academics and athletics. I've been raising and selling market lambs for the last three years through the Bear Creek 4-H Club.

Each year I learn more about the details of raising high quality lambs. I was really looking forward to showing him because I thought he'd do as well or better than my class winner last year. He has the largest frame of all my lambs so I knew he would need to weigh close to 140 pounds by fair time. I made it a goal to keep track of his rate of gain with regular exercise. I have fed him the best alfalfa and grain mixture without antibiotics. He's been a healthy and active lamb from day one. Just take a look at the video. I should have named him Tigger instead of Brad.

Your support will help me continue to learn about responsibilities of taking care of animals, managing my time and budgeting money. The responsibility of making sure I fed him at the same times each day and planning his exercise in addition to keeping up with my classes and practices was a challenge. I also had to figure out how much I could spend using the profits from last year after putting money in my college account. My goal is to have saved up at least a year of tuition by the time I graduate high school. Your support will help me to keep working on my goal.

It's a really generous thing that the people who support all of us kids at the fair have tried to help us even if the fair was canceled. Thank you for visiting my sale page and any support you can give.

Sincerely,

Koen Heupel

Quantity: 1



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