

# JUNIOR LIVESTOCK SKILL-A-THON CONTEST RESOURCE PAGE

\*Suggested study materials include but are not limited to the following list:

## Swine Resources:

Livestock E-Quiz: http://equiz.outreach.uiuc.edu Illinois Trail: Allied & Integrated Livestock Linkages, http://il-traill.outreach.uiuc.edu Illini Porknet (Ask the Expert): http://porknet.outreach.uiuc.edu/index.cfm **Pork Industry Handbook:** http://persephone.agcom.purdue.edu/agcom Swine Resource Handbook: The Ohio State University; for market and breeding projects National Hog Farmer: 7900 International Drive, Suite 300 Minneapolis, MN 55425 **Seedstock Edge:** National Swine Registry http://nationalswine.com PORK magazine: http://www.Porkmag.com Nasco Farm & Ranch Catalog: Fort Atkinson, WI 1-800-558-9595 Swine Learning Lab Interactive CD: The Ohio State University Phone: 614-292-4848 Quality Assurance materials from National Pork Board: PQA Level I, II and III Phone: 515-223-2600 Total Quality Management (TQM) for Youth Producers (1993): University of Nebraska and Iowa State University, Nebraska State 4-H Office: Phone: 402-472-6413 Oklahoma State Swine Breeds: http://www.ansi.okstate.edu American Meat Institute is: http://www.meatami.org National Directory of State Extension Service is: http://www.reeusda.gov/1700/statepartners/usa.htm

## Beef Resources

Illini Beefnet (Ask the Expert) : <u>http://beefnet.outreach.uiuc.edu/index.cfm</u> Beef Resource Handbook: OSU: <u>http://www.ag.ohio-state.edu/~buckpubs/</u> Illinois Beef Handbook Beef Production and Management Decisions 2nd Edition by Robert Taylor Feeds and Feeding by Morrison and Morrison Forages, Fourth Edition by Maurice E. Heath, Robert F. Barnes and Darrel S. Metcalfe Meat Evaluation Handbook by National Cattlemen's Beef Association Information on all beef breeds: <u>http://www.ansi.okstate.edu</u>

## Sheep Resources:

Sheep Resource Handbook: The Ohio State University; PH. 614-292-1607 Oklahoma State University Breeds Page: <u>http://www.ansi.okstate.edu/breeds/sheep</u> Sheep 101 Info Breeds: <u>http://www.sheep101.info/breeds.html</u> Maryland Small Ruminant Page: <u>http://www.sheepandgoat.com/</u> Maryland Extension: http://www.sheepandgoat.com/programs/skillathon/skillathon.html

#### **Goat Resources:**

The 4-H Meat Goat Project: An Introduction: http://www.uwyo.edu/4-h/projects/goats/meatgoat\_manual.pdf Texas A&M University Meat Goat Resources: http://texas4h-tamu-edu.wpengine.netdnacdn.com/files/2011/12/publications\_projects\_sheep\_meat\_goat\_guide.pdf North Carolina State University Meat Goat Materials: http://www.cals.ncsu.edu/an\_sci/extension/animal/4hyouth/AS34060-meatgoatguide.pdf Langston University Goat Materials: Training & Certification for Meat Goat Producers http://www.luresext.edu/goats/training/QAtoc.html

## Forage Resources:

Forages CD-ROM Companion

The Science of Grassland Agriculture Iowa State University Press; Ames, IA 50014 Orders: 1-800-862-6657 Office: 1-515-292-3348
Perdue Forage Website: http://www.agry.purdue.edu/ext/forages/ForageID/forageid.htm
Southern Forages Circulation Department Potash & Phosphate Institute 655 Engineering Drive, Suite 110
Norcross, Georgia 30092-2843 Phone: 770-447-0335 Price: \$25.00
Forages-The Science of Grassland Agriculture, 4th Edition by Maurice E. Heath, Robert F. Barnes, Darrel
S. Metcalfe Iowa State University Press Ames, IA 50014 Orders: 1-800-862-6657
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### Meat Resources:

Available from: Information Technology Communication Services, ITCS Instructional Materials 1401 South Maryland Drive Urbana IL 61801 USA (217) 244-3906 (800) 345-6087 (orders only) FAX (217) 333-0005

#### Flash Cards:

**Retail Meat Cut Identification-Flash Card Set :** This is the easiest way to teach or learn to recognize the common retail cuts of beef, pork, and lamb! These 5"x7" cards, with cut descriptions on the back, showcase 126 full-color photographs of the retail cuts of meat. Each image is printed on high-quality, glossy-finished card stock and comes in a custom-designed box.

X187b 150 cards \$75.00

#### Slide Sets:

Identification of Retail Meat Cuts S180-1 Slide set, 110 fr. \$61.50

Identification of Kinds of Meat S181a Slide set, 33 fr. \$19.15

Meat Evaluation Classes, Part I: Beef S270-1Slide set, 100 fr., w/guide\* \$58.00

Meat Evaluation Classes, Part II: Pork & Lamb S270-2 Slide set, 85 fr., w/guide\* \$49.75

**Retail Beef Cut Identification-Labeled Set:** Full-color photographs of the retail cuts of beef used in many state 4-H and FFA events. Each frame shows the retail name with an identifying frame number. S183b Slide set, 74 fr., w/guide \$43.70

**Retail Beef Cut Identification:** This film has no identifying numbers or labels and is suitable for review and testing purposes. S183b (Supp) Slide set, 74 fr., w/guide \$43.70

**Retail Pork and Lamb Cut Identification-Labeled Set:** Shows the retail cuts of pork and lamb. Each numbered and labeled frame is in full color. S186 Slide set, 79 fr., w/guide \$46.45

**Retail Pork and Lamb Cut Identification:** Suitable for testing and review purposes. Has no identifying numbers or labels. S186 (Supp) Slide set, 79 fr., w/quide \$46.45

**Quality and Yield Grading of Beef Carcasses:** S260 Slide set, 80 fr., w/guide\* \$47.00 **Photo CDs:** 

**Retail Beef Cut Identification:** The 67 photos contained on this Kodak Photo CD are of the retail cuts of beef. It is suitable to use for teaching or for review purposes. PCD109 \$45.00

**Retail Pork and Lamb Cut Identification:** The 75 photos contained on this Kodak Photo CD are of the retail cuts of pork and lamb. This item can be used for teaching or for review. PCD110 \$45.00

**Retail Beef Cut Identification-Labeled Set:** The 67 photos on this compact disc are of the retail cuts of beef. Each is labeled with the wholesale cut name and the retail cut name. PCD111L \$45.00

**Retail Pork and Lamb Cut Identification-Labeled Set :** The 75 photos on this compact disc are of the retail cuts of pork and lamb. Each picture is labeled with the wholesale cut name as well as the retail cut name. PCD112L \$45.00

The Guide to Identifying Meat Cuts: Booklet published cooperatively by American Meat Science Association, National Cattlemen's Beef Association and National Pork Producers Council focused on meat labeling, meat safety, cuts of meats, nutrition labeling, wrapping meat, and meat cookery. NPPC-04362...\$2.00 each National Pork Producers Council Attn. Ordering Department PO Box 10383, 1776 N.W. 114th Street Des Moines, IA 50306 Phone: 800-456-7675 Fax: 515-223-2646

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