

SUPPORT

TONIGHT'S OPPORTUNITIES TO SUPPORT OUR MISSION

Throughout the evening there will be many opportunities to support agricultural education in Iowa. Please take a look at the list below and identify which opportunities you desire to participate. Thank you in advance for your generosity supporting the next generation of leaders in the agriculture industry!

OPPORTUNITIES

Silent Auction

Dessert Dash

Heads/Tails

Playing Card Raffle

Live Auction

(includes reverse raffle for shotgun)

Paddle Bid

SILENT AUCTION

Tonight there are many items up for bid. Please take a moment during the reception to pursue these items, and mark below the lot number and brief description to help you track the items you wish to win at the end of the night.

Lot Number	Brief Description
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All silent auction items will be wheeled into the conference room during dinner. Please continue to bid through dinner. REMEMBER - the silent auction will be closing after the break before the Dessert Dash - check your bids one last time during this break to be sure you secured the items you desire!

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DESSERT DASH

Who has a sweet tooth? We can complete your need for an incredibly delectable treat, but you will need to bid for it. With sincere appreciation to our friends at GREAT CATERERS OF IOWA who has donated all of tonight's scrumptious morsels, we will be competing to see who can nab their favorite dessert before another table gets there!

PRIZE:The most delectable dessert of your choice!

How to Participate:

1. Each table has an envelope placed in the center. As a table discuss your desire to participate.
2. Pass the envelope around to each table guest allowing each guest to donate as much or as little as they choose to the dash.

REMEMBER: If you desire to pay with credit card, simply complete the small card in the center of your table with your auction number, amount and sign your name. Then place the completed card into the donation envelope – it is that simple!

3. During dinner, Iowa FFA Foundation staff and volunteers will collect these envelopes from each table and tabulate the value of donations by table.
4. Iowa FFA Foundation staff will then develop the draft order to announce the tables proceeding from highest to smallest donation amount by table and pass this to the evening's Emcees.
5. At the designated time for the Dessert Dash the Emcees will announce to our guests that we will begin the Dessert Dash.
6. Using the draft order, the Emcees will announce the first table.
7. Immediately a designated runner selected by the table DASHES to the dance floor where the desserts are located to select and secure the dessert for their table.

REMEMBER: If you are the designated runner, act quickly to be sure you get the first choice of delectable items for your table!

8. As soon as the designated runner for this first table places one foot on the dance floor the second table will be announced.
9. Tables will be recognized in this sequence until all tables have been announced.

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HEADS OR TAILS

Ever flip a coin on a bet with friends? Who hasn't?! Have you done this as a way to support agricultural education in Iowa? Now is your chance! Tonight we will play a fun game of Heads or Tails to determine who has the best timing and luck!

PRIZE: \$250 Cash

How to Participate:

1. Purchase a glow stick necklace for \$20 each.
 - a. During the social reception stop by the "Heads or Tails" table to purchase these.
 - b. These can also be purchased immediately prior to the first call of the game during the evening program.
2. When the game begins, all participants will be requested to stand.
3. Prior to each call (flip of a coin); participants will be required to predict whether they believe the coin will be Heads or Tails. They must designate their prediction by placing their glowstick on their head for Heads or their glowstick on their backside for Tails. Participants must make their prediction prior to the coin being flipped.
4. The coin will be flipped and the resulting side that lands up will be announced.
5. Those who predicted correctly will remain standing to proceed forward to the next round; those who predicted incorrectly will be asked to sit.
6. Subsequent rounds will occur until ultimately only one winner remains. If the final group should consist of only two individuals they will be required to choose different predictions.

Multiple Chances:

Participants are able to purchase multiple glow sticks/chances prior to the commencement of the game.

1. If an individual purchases multiple chances, they must place the glow stick around the arm they are predicting for these chances.

Example: If I were to purchase 3 glow sticks, I may predict heads with 2 and predict tails with the final chance.

2. The chances which predicted correctly will be allowed to continue on - those on the incorrect will be lost.

Example: (Continuing our example above) If Heads were called, my two chances designating heads would continue and my chance predicting tails would be lost.

3. Chances (glow sticks) which are lost must be placed on the table.

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PLAYING CARD RAFFLE

Are you a card shark? Do you have the expert skill of selecting the winning draw? If so, the card raffle is for you! With each donation, you are entered into this fun raffle to win this great rifle!

PRIZE: Ruger American Rifle Ranch 450 Bushmaster

How to Participate:

1. For each \$20 donation you are given the opportunity to choose one card from one of two decks. Your chances of winning are 1 in 104!
2. You then will tear the card in half – keeping one half and giving the second half back to the Iowa FFA or PAS Officer assisting with the raffle.
3. All card-halves received by our officers will be placed into a cage.
4. During the evening program and live auction a winning card will be selected from the cage.

The individual who can produce the matching half will be declared the winner and receive the prize.

- a. The winner will then be presented the rifle for photography only.
- b. After the recognition has occurred, the rifle will be resecured with representatives from Sportsman's Warehouse in Ankeny, who will be attending the event. In return, the winner will receive a gift card for the negotiated sale amount of the rifle.
- c. The winner will complete required federal documentation for rifle processing with the representatives from Sportsman's Warehouse prior to their departure from the Black Ties Blue Jackets Gala.
- d. The winner will arrange a time with the representatives from Sportsman's Warehouse to pick up their firearm from Sportsman's Warehouse after the sale/transfer paperwork has been processed.
- e. The winner will be able to choose to purchase the rifle on reserve or use the gift cards for any other in-store purchase they desire.

REMEMBER: All 104 cards must be sold prior to the winning raffle ticket being drawn.

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RUGER AMERICAN RIFLE RANCH 450 BUSHMASTER

Sturm, Ruger & Co., Inc. is one of the nation's leading manufacturers of rugged, reliable firearms for the commercial sporting market. As a full-line manufacturer of American-made firearms, Ruger offers consumers over 400 variations of more than 40 product lines. Our awarding-winning products all prove that Ruger has a rugged, reliable firearm to meet every shooter's needs. For more than 60 years, Ruger has been a model of corporate and community responsibility. Our motto, "Arms Makers for Responsible Citizens®," echoes our commitment to these principles as we work hard to deliver quality and innovative firearms.

Key Features:

- Ergonomic, lightweight synthetic stock designed for quick, easy handling blends a classic look with modern forend contouring and grip serrations.
- Ruger Marksman Adjustable™ trigger offers a crisp release with a pull weight that is user adjustable between 3 and 5 pounds, allowing shooters to make that perfect shot.
- The one-piece, three-lug bolt with 70° throw provides ample scope clearance and utilizes a full diameter bolt body and dual cocking cams for smooth, easy cycling from the shoulder.
- Patent-pending Power Bedding®, integral bedding block system positively locates the receiver and free-floats the barrel for outstanding accuracy.
- Offers minute-of-angle accuracy that can make every hunt a success.
- Compact threaded barrel (1 1/16"-24 thread pattern) with Ruger® Muzzle Brake is cold hammer-forged, resulting in ultra-precise rifling that provides exceptional accuracy, longevity and easy cleaning.
- Features a visible, accessible and easy-to-actuate tang safety that provides instant security.
- Single-column detachable box magazine.
- Soft rubber buttpad is crafted for maximum recoil reduction.
- Factory-installed one-piece aluminum scope rail.
- Also includes - magazine; sling swivel studs.

Specifications:

- Stock: Flat Dark Earth Synthetic
- Sights: None-Scope Rail Installed
- Barrel Length: 16.12"
- Material: Alloy Steel
- Capacity: 3
- Magazine: Single-Stack
- Twist: 1:16" RH
- Finish: Matte Black
- Weight: 5.5 lb.
- Thread Pattern: 1 1/16"-24
- Overall Length: 36"
- Length of Pull: 13.75"
- Grooves: 5

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SHOTGUN REVERSE RAFFLE

As a fun and exciting way to raise money to support the great work of agricultural education across Iowa, we are excited to again play this game as part of our auction. Bid up your chances to win a magnificent Weather Element Deluxe Shotgun valued at nearly \$1,100!

PRIZE: Weatherby Element Deluxe 12 Gauge Shotgun

How to Participate:

1. Six (6) Iowa FFA Foundation Limited Edition items will be up for bid throughout the live auction. The first five (5) limited edition items will be sold. - Each item will be auctioned separately.
2. If you purchase one of the items, you will be given a double-sided raffle ticket.
3. When it comes time in the program to draw for the winner, each participant who purchased one of the five (5) designated limited edition items will place half of their raffle ticket into the drawing box.
4. Two (2) raffle ticket halves will be pulled from the box - one at a time and announced as eliminated from the raffle. These two will NOT be awarded the shotgun. This will leave three (3) remaining tickets in the drawing box.
5. At this time, the final limited edition item (number 6) will be auctioned off. Anyone will be eligible to bid on this item - including anyone currently with a raffle ticket in the drawing, anyone previously eliminated from the drawing or anyone who had not previously had a ticket.
6. The winner bidder of the sixth item will receive their raffle ticket and place half in the drawing box, thus guaranteeing themselves a 1:4 chance at winning.
7. Three (3) raffle ticket halves will be pulled from the box - one at a time and announced as eliminated from the raffle. These three will NOT be awarded the shotgun.

The final raffle ticket remaining in the box once all others have been drawn will be announced as the winner of the Weatherby Element Deluxe Shotgun.

- a. The winner will then be presented the shotgun for photography only.
- b. After the recognition has occurred, the shotgun will be resecured with representatives from Sportsman's Warehouse in Ankeny, who will be attending the event. In return, the winner will receive a gift card for the negotiated sale amount of the shotgun.
- c. The winner will complete required federal documentation for shotgun processing with the representatives from Sportsman's Warehouse prior to their departure from the Black Ties Blue Jackets Gala.
- d. The winner will arrange a time with the representatives from Sportsman's Warehouse to pick up their firearm from Sportsman's Warehouse after the sale transfer paperwork has been processed.
- e. The winner will be able to choose to purchase the shotgun on reserve or use the gift cards for any other in-store purchase they desire.

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WEATHERBY ELEMENT DELUXE 12 GAUGE SHOTGUN

The Weatherby Element Deluxe Semi-Auto Shotgun operates with a simple inertia system that keeps the action clean and cycling reliably for extended periods of high volume shooting. A chrome-lined bore and chrome plated bolt aid in flawless function and clean easily. A machined aircraft-grade alloy receiver significantly reduces the shotgun's weight, making it comfortable to carry in the field and shoulder instantly when there's a flush. The Element features an AA grade, checkered walnut stock and forend. A premium recoil pad keeps you focused on your target. A vent-ribbed barrel with a fiber optic front sight allows instant target acquisition. The Weatherby Element Deluxe Semi-Auto Shotgun comes with 3 screw-in choke tubes (full, mod, and improved cylinder). A drop out trigger assembly allows rapid field disassembly.

Key Features:

- "AA" grade American walnut stock
- Gloss finish on stock, receiver and barrel
- Aircraft grade aluminum receiver
- Drop-out trigger system
- Dual purpose bolt release
- Chrome-plated bolt
- Inertia-operated Semi-Automatic action
- Chrome-lined barrel
- Ventilated top rib
- Integral Multi Choke System with three application specific tubes (IC, Mod, Full)

Specifications:

- Stock: Flat Dark Earth Synthetic
- Sights: None-Scope Rail Installed
- Barrel Length: 16.12"
- Material: Alloy Steel
- Capacity: 3
- Magazine: Single-Stack
- Twist: 1:16" RH
- Finish: Matte Black
- Weight: 5.5 lb.
- Thread Pattern: 1 1/16"-24
- Overall Length: 36"
- Length of Pull: 13.75"
- Grooves: 5

LIVE AUCTION LOTS

2018-2019 Iowa FFA Foundation Limited Edition Tractor - Farmall 400 with Cultivator

DONATED BY: IOWA FFA FOUNDATION

Do you collect antique tractors or model replicas? This unique Farmall 400 with cultivator was specifically designed for the Iowa FFA Foundation's Limited Edition replica program. This model is the last Farmall 400 produced for the 2018-2019 year and is the only one remaining to be sold. Get your hands on this great item, because once it is gone, they are all gone!

Custom Designed Saddle Tree - **DONATED BY: ANONYMOUS**

Perfect for the avid equestrian this custom designed saddle tree will hold most modern saddles. It features pivoting casters, below saddle storage and a heavy-duty design.

This is a great addition to your collection!

Reverse Raffle Item 1 - Iowa FFA Foundation Limited Edition Theme Semi

DONATED BY: IOWA FFA FOUNDATION

The winning bidder of this item will receive the item as well as a raffle ticket for the shotgun reverse raffle. Additional details about the reverse raffle and incredible Weatherby Element Deluxe Shotgun are available in previous pages.

DeWALT - 20V Lithium Ion Brushless 1/4" Impact Driver

DONATED BY: DEKALB SEEDS - JOSH EARLL

From one of the premier toolmakers in America, DeWALT, is known for their quality and dependability. Offered today is the 20 volt lithium ion brushless 1/4" impact driver which can drive up to 125 ft-lbs of torque! It is compact and lightweight, perfect for fighting into tight areas. The lithium ion batteries provide 33% more capacity over standard battery packs.

1/2 Hog - **DONATED BY: NATIONAL OAK PORK**

Who doesn't like a great pork chop or a side of bacon?! National Oak Pork from West Liberty Iowa raises some of the best in the state. Today you are able to purchase this half of a hog and enjoy the best in pork goodness! Included in the purchase is complete processing of the pork. The winning bidder will be required to pick up their meat at Dayton Meats in Malcolm, Iowa.

Mobile Project Center - **DONATED BY: KREG TOOLS**

The Mobile Project Center is a workbench, sawhorse, assembly table, and clamping station all in one. It's easy to set up and store away, and provides a sturdy platform for all kinds of project tasks. Plus, the Mobile Project Center includes \$40 worth of bonus clamping accessories, so it's ready to go to work, right out of the box.

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Reverse Raffle Item 2 - Iowa FFA Foundation Limited Edition Theme Semi **DONATED BY: IOWA FFA FOUNDATION**

The winning bidder of this item will receive the item as well as a raffle ticket for the shotgun reverse raffle. Additional details about the reverse raffle and incredible Weatherby Element Deluxe Shotgun are available in previous pages.

Kansas City Chiefs Game Day Package - DONATED BY: JIM & IRENE GARDNER

Four (4) Tickets to one NFL game, Kansas City Chiefs vs. choice of the following opponents: Baltimore Ravens, Houston Texans or Oakland Raiders. Seats are Sec. 303, Row 5, Seats 5-8. Includes one (1) Oversized Red Parking Pass. Dates of games will not be available until the NFL schedule is announced in April/May. Purchaser may wait until the schedule comes out to choose the opponent.

Blake Shelton Hero's Tour Package - DONATED BY: THRIVENT ACTION TEAM

Two (2) Tickets to Blake Shelton and Friends & Hero's tour featuring Blake Shelton, The Belamy Brothers, John Anderson, Trace Adkins and Lauren Alinia. March 14, 2019 at Wells Fargo Arena. This package includes a \$25 dinner gift card to RoCA!

Reverse Raffle Item 3 - Iowa FFA Foundation Limited Edition Theme Semi **DONATED BY: IOWA FFA FOUNDATION**

The winning bidder of this item will receive the item as well as a raffle ticket for the shotgun reverse raffle. Additional details about the reverse raffle and incredible Weatherby Element Deluxe Shotgun are available in previous pages.

Charles Frietag Artprints - Choice of "Morning Chores" and "Feeding Time" **DONATED BY: IOWA FARMER TODAY & VETTER EQUIPMENT**

"Morning Chores" and "Feeding Time" are both one of only 950 signed and numbered prints. "Morning Chores" featuring International power at its best - daily work on the farm, while "Feeding Time" features John Deere power. Charles Frietag's incredibly detailed prints are instantly collectable and a valued addition to any art collection.

Roadie 20 Yeti Cooler - DONATED BY: DEKALB SEEDS - JOSH EARLL

The YETI Roadie® is BYOB's new best friend. Its ColdLock™ Gasket is built just like the Tundra's, so ice stays colder longer; and it's No Sweat™ Design means you'll never be stuck mopping up a mess. With its compact body and rotomolded construction, this small but mighty outdoor cooler is ready to hit the road, whether you're in for a day of tailgating or kicking back at the ranch.

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Reverse Raffle Item 4 - Iowa FFA Foundation Limited Edition Theme Semi

DONATED BY: IOWA FFA FOUNDATION

The winning bidder of this item will receive the item as well as a raffle ticket for the shotgun reverse raffle. Additional details about the reverse raffle and incredible Weatherby Element Deluxe Shotgun are available in previous pages.

Annual CY-Hawk Football Game Tickets

DONATED BY: EXECUTIVEAG RECRUITING & HERDPRO LIVESTOCK - IOWA

Experience the thrill of victory and agony of defeat from the stands of Jack Trice Stadium at MidAmerican Energy Field as the University of Iowa Hawkeyes take on the Iowa State University Cyclones on Saturday September 7, 2019! The winning bid of this item will receive two (2) hard to find tickets in Section R, Row 8 to this gridiron battle with a noon kickoff.

FFA Quilt - DONATED BY: CENTRAL PLAINS FFA CHAPTER

As an annual favorite, the Central Plains FFA Chapter has again donated a beautiful quilt made from FFA chapter t-shirts! Display this truly unique quilt to show your FFA pride!

Reverse Raffle Item 5 - Iowa FFA Foundation Limited Edition Theme Semi

DONATED BY: IOWA FFA FOUNDATION

The winning bidder of this item will receive the item as well as a raffle ticket for the shotgun reverse raffle. Additional details about the reverse raffle and incredible Weatherby Element Deluxe Shotgun are available in previous pages.

Green Mountain Grill - Daniel Boone

DONATED BY: IOWA FFA FOUNDATION, ALLIANCE PIPELINE

If you can grill it on charcoal or gas or cook it in your kitchen oven, you can do it on the Daniel Boone! Chef up! The Daniel Boone Model comes with a digital control, a meat probe, a peaked lid for stand-up chicken/large fowl/rib racks, a convenience tray with utensil hooks, hard rubber tires, and a venturi-style firebox for cyclone combustion. It also has Sense-Mate, a thermal sensor which constantly monitors the ambient temperature. When the weather gets cold, the sensor kicks the grill into Turbo mode, so you don't have to wait long for the grill to heat up! Other features include a positive pressure hopper fan to prevent burn-back, "fan only" mode with automatic shut-off to blow ash out of the firebox after you finish grilling, a 27×16 (Approx 432 sq. in.) cooking surface, and 13.5" clearance inside. It weighs 152 pounds.

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Minnesota Vikings Football Experience - DONATED BY: LATHAM HI-TECH SEEDS

Vikings fans, this package helps you achieve your dream to watch top competitors of the NFC North take on some of the best in the NFL! Head coach Mike Zimmer will lead his team as they take the field in brand new U.S. Bank Stadium in Minneapolis in the fall of 2019! You do not want to miss this opportunity to be a part of this great experience.

Lake of the Ozarks 3 Bedroom/3 Bath Top Floor Condo & Boat Slip Weeklong Getaway DONATED BY: EDDIE AND RENAE CHESNUT

Great views from this top floor condo overlooking the state park across the cove. Remodeled from top to bottom, this condo features 3 Bedroom and 3 Full Baths with a covered deck. Eating area for 6 at table with another 5 at the peninsula. Large deck with 4 person bar height table and couch/two wicker lounge chairs. Sleeps 9 and includes an in-unit washer/dryer. 40' x 14' boat slip is also included; boat ramp is on-site along with an in-season pool. The condo is located at the Lazy Days Resort in Osage Beach in the heart of the Osage Beach lake area, which provides plenty of relaxation and entertainment opportunities. Besides being on the lake with amazing views, you'll love the proximity to area restaurants, shopping, golf and other activities.

- *No smoking or pets, quiet hours after 10 pm, no parties or events, no fireworks; 4 and ½ flights of stairs to the condo.*
- *Check-in is any time after 4PM; Check out by 10AM; Self check-in with keypad*
- *Children are not allowed inside the fenced pool areas unless accompanied and supervised by an adult.*
- *No unsupervised guests less than 25 years old.*

Reverse Raffle Item 6 - Iowa FFA Foundation Limited Edition Theme Semi DONATED BY: IOWA FFA FOUNDATION

The winning bidder of this item will receive the item as well as a raffle ticket for the shotgun reverse raffle. Additional details about the reverse raffle and incredible Weatherby Element Deluxe Shotgun are available in previous pages. This is the final opportunity to be eligible for the reverse raffle.

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PADDLE BID

Are you proud to ensure Iowa FFA and agricultural education's success here in Iowa? By being at the Black Ties Blue Jackets Gala, you make a positive statement that you believe in the future of agriculture with a faith born, not of words but of deeds. We know that you participated in the many games and bid strongly on the many wonderful auction items this evening; however, we also know you may not have received each item you bid on or completely supported in the amount you had budgeted. With this in mind, we complete our giving opportunities for the evening with a simple paddle bid allowing you the opportunity to donate anything you so desire to support the organization!

How to Participate:

1. At the completion of the live auction we will announce the start of the paddle bid.
2. We will begin at \$25 dollars - everyone interested in donating \$25 will be asked to stand as Iowa FFA Foundation Staff and Volunteers circulate the room to record the bid numbers of those wishing to donate.
3. We will then raise the bid to \$50 dollars - again, everyone interested in donating will be asked to stand as their numbers are recorded.
4. We will raise the bid and record the bidders in this fashion until we reach a level where no additional bidders stand to bid.

REMEMBER - After the paddle bid is complete or if an individual wishes to donate privately or donate an amount not represented through the paddle bid, they may do this by discussing this additional donation with the Iowa FFA Foundation Staff when they checkout.

AUCTION DONORS

Alliance Pipeline	John Deere Financial
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Calcium Products	Latham Hi-Tech Seeds
Catch Des Moines	Meredith Agrimedia/Successful Farming
Central Plains FFA	Cole Moody
Eddie and Renae Chesnut	National Pork Producers Council
Clay County Fair	Nationwide
Corteva Agriscience	Natural Oak Pork
Dekalb	Wayne Nattress
Executive AG Recruiting	Richard Thompson
Firestone Ag	RoCA
Jim and Irene Gardner	Thrivent Action Team
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