

## **Photography Silent Auction Fundraiser** **County 4-H Youth Council**

Any **4-H'er** may choose one or more of their exhibited photos for the silent auction. If an auction photo is selected for state fair, the photograph will be taken off the photo auction. All other photos will be available to auction winners after the county fair.

When the photos are checked in at the Ames Public Library, exhibitors will designate any photos they would like to sell. A gold sticker will be placed on the exhibit tag and it will be noted in the fair entry program. Photo Auction will NOT be open at the Ames Public Library. Bidding begins when exhibits open Saturday on the fairgrounds.

There will be a minimum \$10 bid. 50 percent of dollars raised per photo sold will go back to the exhibitor and 50 percent will be collected by the County 4-H Youth Council. These dollars will be designated for future county photography related activities (workshops, display racks).

Bidding will begin at 9 a.m. on Saturday and end on Tuesday, July 24 at 9:00 p.m. The photos will be on display at the Community Building throughout the fair. The bidding binder will be near the photo auction photographs. Bids will be made on the form corresponding to the photo number. Bidders will need to provide name and phone number with each bid.

Wednesday of fair, auction winners will be contacted. Buyers will be able to pick up their photos at the Extension office on Thursday or Friday after fair 8:00a.m. – 5:00p.m. Sold photographs will not be handed out Wednesday. Photographs not sold will be checked out to exhibitors at checkout time Wednesday evening of fair.