

Pigeon Family Farms – Locally Raised Beef

Things to know:

- Our cattle are a black angus mix, and are grass fed until the final few weeks before processing. At that time, we switch them to grain to aid in the fat production that produces marbling and flavor.
- Our cost is \$6/lb HANGING WEIGHT. The cost includes processing fees, vacuum sealed packaging, and delivery back to Siloam Springs from the processing facility in Tahlequah, OK. **A non-refundable deposit of \$500 per HALF is due at the time of booking.** The deposit will be put toward the total cost of beef purchase.
- Our steers typically weigh about 1,200 lbs (live weight) at the time of processing. After all excess parts are removed, hanging weight should be about 63% of the animal's live weight. For a 1,200 lb animal, that means that hanging weight will be roughly:
 - 756 lbs – whole
 - 378 lbs – half
- The amount of meat you take home will be roughly 65% of the hanging weight. Therefore, you should expect to take home:
 - 491 lbs – whole
 - 245 lbs – half
- A customer can expect (approximately) the following cuts from a HALF steer, depending on how they fill out the custom cut sheet:

❖ 8-10 T-bone steaks	❖ 2 sirloin roasts
❖ 2 rump roasts	❖ 2 round roasts
❖ 5-7 filets	❖ 6 tender round steaks
❖ 5-7 NY strip steaks	❖ 2 arm roasts
❖ 8-10 ribeye steaks	❖ ~90 lbs of ground beef
❖ 6 sirloin steaks	❖ 7 chuck roasts

The remainder of the carcass is generally divided into specialty cuts (tri-tip, skirt/flank steak, organs, etc.) as well as soup bones, stew meat, short ribs, and brisket.

- You should plan on having a minimum of approximately 8-10 cubic feet of freezer space to accommodate HALF a steer.
- You will be able to customize your own order of cuts with the processing facility after a deposit is paid to Pigeon Family Farms.

The cost of purchasing a half or whole steer from Pigeon Family Farms includes processing costs, vacuum sealed packaging, and delivery of the finished product back to our store in Siloam Springs

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