HAPPY NEW YEAR!!

We would all like to thank you for another great year here at Don's. We are blessed to have our wonderful, hard-working staff, that has been quite busy this past year. We have so much gratitude for the service and quality of work they provide. We look forward to producing another great year ahead! As many of you might have saw, we are under construction! We are excited to share the news of our freezer addition! We believe this will help us to strive and meet your needs for scheduling in the future!

We are asking for your cooperation enforcing some of our new policies:

- ALL BUTCHER DATES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE. Your 2024 appointment dates are "tentative", as we may need to adjust dates through-out the year. You WILL be notified if one of your dates has been changed. Any date canceled by Don WILL BE rescheduled for you.
- Cutting instructions must be turned in on your appointment date! IF you have returning customers, we will have the cutting list on file. In that case, the buyers contact name and phone number need to be received by Don's at your appointment date.
- ALL BEEF WILL BE CUT BY DISGRESSION. This means; **BEEF MAY BE CUT AFTER 7-14 DAY HANGING PERIOD.**
- Any appointment made <u>under your name</u> must be used BY YOU. If you are unable to fill your scheduled date, please call to cancel your appointment at least 5 days prior to the date. We have a cancelation list that we use to fill any un-needed appointments.
- All finished product <u>MUST BE PICKED UP WITHIN 5 DAYS OF CUTTING</u>. All processed pork will require a <u>TWO TRIP PICKUP!</u> We do not ask for a payment until the pork is fully completed. A daily storage fee will be charged anytime after. <u>PLEASE INFORM YOUR BUYERS OF THIS POLICY!!!</u> We can schedule evening pick-up times <u>DURING THE WEEK (MONDAY-THURSDAY)</u> if notified in advance. Impromptu pick-ups may put future appointments in jeopardy.
- Processing rates for 2024 starting February 1st (<u>SUBJECT TO CHANGE</u>);
 - o Dressing fee: \$100.00
 - Cut/ Wrap/ Freeze on WHOLE or HALF: \$0.70 X dress weight
 - Cut/ Wrap/ Freeze on BONELESS CUTS: \$0.80 X dress weight
 - Cut/ Wrap/ Freeze on SPLIT QUARTERS: \$0.80 X dress weight
 - o Beef Patties: \$0.50 X weight
 - o Hog Patties: \$0.60 X weight

We made our best effort to accommodate the dates and/or quantities you've requested for this 2024 season. Please contact us with any questions or concerns you may have. Again, we cannot thank you enough for your loyalty and working with us during these busy times. We think of you as family and look forward to working together for another year!

Thank you for your business!!

Don Sr, Kathy, Don Jr, and Kelly

P.S. If you have an email you would prefer to have your scheldule sent to next year, please provide that information to Kelly via text/email (330-933-6625; Kpontones10@gmail.com)