



GOATS

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General Rules for Dairy, Meat, and Market Goats:

- A. **Entries must be submitted by the deadline specified in the General Rules.**
- B. Pen space is limited and will be pre-assigned. All animals must check-in before being penned, tattoos will be checked at random.
- C. Open Division entry fee is \$2.50 per head. Junior Division requires no entry fee.
- D. Both registered and grade animals may be shown. Registered animals must have registration papers and legible tattoos. Grade animals must be representative of a recognized breed within its division and must have identifying ear tags or tattoos.
- E. No exhibitor may enter more than two entries per class with the exception of the Specialty/Group Classes. Specialty classes will only be one entry per exhibitor.
- F. No animal may be shown in more than one division.
- G. All Goats must meet the Arkansas Health Regulations and have no apparent signs of abscesses, upper respiratory, sore mouth, ringworm, foot conditions, or any other illness to be allowed on the fairgrounds.
- H. No tack in the aisle.
- I. **NO SHAVING ALLOWED ON THE FAIRGROUNDS** (light touchups will be permitted).
- J. Premium points will be awarded in the Open and Junior Division (excluding Pee Wee exhibitors).
- K. No Premium money will be issued until pen and tack areas are cleaned and checked by superintendents.
- L. All registered animals over 6 months on September 1st must have completed registration papers. Application for registration will be accepted for those under 6 months of age. **All registered animals must be tattooed.**
- M. **All Non-registered animals must have Scrapie tags.**

BEST BRED AND OWNED CLASS

The Arkansas Goat Producers Association will provide a premium of \$35 to the winner of the Best Bred and Owned class at any county fair in Arkansas that has the class. The premium may be paid directly to the youth winner or to the fair management for the fair to pay the premium to the youth. The objectives of the AGPA in sponsoring the class are to encourage youth to have a continuous breeding program with their goats and also to promote goats and educate the public about goats. To qualify for the class, there must be an educational exhibit at the fair about goats. The exhibit can be done by any individual or group and does not have to be done by the exhibitor.

- Does only, no bucks or wethers.
- The doe is to be one that is entered in the breeding stock division of the youth show rather than a market goat.
- The goat entered in the class must be a registered doe of any breed, dairy, meat, or fiber goat.
- The registration paper showing the individual youth exhibitor as both the breeder and the owner must be presented to the fair official before entering the show ring.

This class is open to junior exhibitors in the Breeding Meat Goat and Dairy Goat Divisions. It will be judged after Meat Goat Showmanship!

Meat Goats

Special Rules:

- Bucks will be allowed up to 1 year of age in the Breeding Meat Goat Division. Bucks MUST be registered.
- Registered Meat Goats will be considered Breeding Meats Goats (This does include "Market" Animals).
- Non-Registered Meat Goats will be considered a Commercial Meat Goat (This does not include "Market" animals).
- Breeds: Boer, Kiko, Myotonic, Spanish (3 animals constitute a breed show). Show Order will be by breed as listed.
- Class should be determined by the animals age as of September 1st

Class #	Description	Placing/Points				
Meat Goats						
Section 1: Breeding Meat Goat Classes (Registered)		1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th
1	Buck Kids, 0-3 months	10	9	8	7	6
2	Buck Kids, 3-6 months	10	9	8	7	6
3	Buck Kids, 6-9 months	10	9	8	7	6
4	Buck Kids, 9-12 months	10	9	8	7	6
	Grand Champion, Junior Buck/ Best of Show Male	Rosette Award and Rosette				
	Reserve Champion, Junior Buck	Rosette				
5	Doe Kids, 0-3 months	10	9	8	7	6
6	Doe Kids, 3-6 months	10	9	8	7	6
7	Doe Kids, 6-9 months	10	9	8	7	6
8	Doe Kids, 9-12 months	10	9	8	7	6
	Champion Junior Doe	Rosette				
	Reserve Champion Junior Doe	Rosette				
9	Yearling Doe 12-15 months	10	9	8	7	6
10	Yearling Doe 15-20 months	10	9	8	7	6
11	Yearling Doe 20-24 months	10	9	8	7	6
	Champion Yearling Doe	Rosette				
	Reserve Champion Yearling Doe	Rosette				
12	Senior Doe, 24-36 month	10	9	8	7	6
13	Senior Doe, over 36 months	10	9	8	7	6
	Champion Senior Doe	Rosette				
	Reserve Champion Senior Doe	Rosette				
Section 2: Commercial Meat Goat Classes		1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th
14	Doe Kids, 0-3 months	10	9	8	7	6
15	Doe Kids, 3-6 months	10	9	8	7	6

16	Doe Kids, 6-9 months	10	9	8	7	6
17	Doe Kids, 9-12 months	10	9	8	7	6
	Grand Champion Doe Kid	Rosette				
	Reserve Champion Doe Kid	Rosette				
18	Yearling Doe 12-15 months	10	9	8	7	6
19	Yearling Doe 15-20 months	10	9	8	7	6
20	Yearling Doe 20-24 months	10	9	8	7	6
	Champion Yearling Doe	Rosette				
	Reserve Champion Yearling Doe	Rosette				
21	Senior Doe, 24-36 month	10	9	8	7	6
22	Senior Doe, over 36 months	10	9	8	7	6
	Champion Senior Doe	Rosette				
	Reserve Champion Senior Doe	Rosette				
	Grand Champion/Best of Show Female	Rosette				
	Pee Wee Class (Exhibitor Ages 3-4 Years)	Ribbon				

MARKET GOAT

Special Rules:

- Open to Youth Exhibitors (ages 5-19) Only
- Goats are to be sheared.
- All males must be wethered.
- Does can be shown in market classes.
- All animals must have Scrapie Tag unless registered. If animal is registered, it must be tattooed.
- An exhibitor may show 3 market goats.
- Goats will be weighed and classes determined after weigh-in
- Minimum weight will be 25 lbs.
- Market animals must be disbudded, dehorned, or tipped. If tipped, the horn must be no smaller than the diameter of a dime at the point.

Class #	Description	Placing/Points				
Market Goats						
Section 3: Market Goats		1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th
23	Classes determined by weight	10	9	8	7	6
	Grand Champion Market Goat	Rosette and Award				
	Reserve Champion Market Goat	Rosette and Award				

Meat Goat Showmanship

Showmanship classes will be conducted immediately following the market show for all meat goat classes. Pee Wee and Junior Exhibitors are encouraged to participate.

- a. Open to Pee Wee (ages 3-4) and Youth (ages 5-19) Exhibitors only
- b. You must pre-registered online

Class #	Description	
Meat Goat Showmanship		
Section 4: Showmanship		
24	Pee Wee Showmanship (Age 3-4)	
25	Youth Showmanship (Age 5-8)	Award
26	Junior Youth Showmanship (Age 9-13)	Award
27	Senior Youth Showmanship (Age 14-19)	Award
	Champion Showman – Chosen from Winners in class 25, 26, 27	Scholarship



Dairy Goats

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Breeds: Alpine, Lamancha, Nigerian Dwarf, Nubian, Oberhasli, Saanen, Sable, Toggenburg, Recorded Grade, Non-Registered

Special Rules:

- Specialty Classes will be by breed and judged at the end of each breed. (only one entry per class)
- Dairy Herd – all does MUST be currently in milk.
- No doe shown in the breed dairy herd class may be shown again in a Mixed Dairy Herd
- No horns allowed in the Dairy Division.
- Any doe 24 months and over must have freshened
- Show order will be by breed in the order listed above.
- Class should be determined by the animals age as of September 1st
- No Bucks

Class #	Description	Placing/Points				
Dairy Goats						
Section 1: Junior Does		1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th
1	Junior Kids, 0-3 months	10	9	8	7	6
2	Intermediate Kids, 3-6 months	10	9	8	7	6
3	Senior Kids, 6-9 months	10	9	8	7	6
4	Winter Kid, 9-12 months	10	9	8	7	6
5	Junior Yearling, 12-18 months	10	9	8	7	6
6	Senior Yearlings, 18-24 months	10	9	8	7	6
	Grand Champion Junior Doe	Rosette				
	Reserve Champion Junior Doe	Rosette				
Section 2: Senior Does		1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th
7	Does Under 2 Years	10	9	8	7	6
8	2 Years Old Does	10	9	8	7	6
9	3 Years Old Does	Rosette				
10	4 Years Old Does	Rosette				
11	Does 5 Years and Older	10	9	8	7	6
	Grand Champion Senior Doe	Rosette				
	Reserve Champion Senior Doe	Rosette				
Section 3: Specialty Classes		1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th
12	Best Udder	10	9	8	7	6

13	Best Dairy Herd (3 does owned by on family)	10	9	8	7	6
14	Get-of-Sire (3 does sired by same buck)	10	9	8	7	6
15	Dam and Daughter	10	9	8	7	6
	Best of Show	Award and Rosette				
	Pee Wee Class (Exhibitor ages 3-4 years)	Ribbon				

Dairy Goat Showmanship

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DAIRY GOAT SHOWMANSHIP		
16	Pee Wee Showmanship – Ages 3-4	All Uniform Awards
17	Youth Showmanship – Ages 5-8	Award
18	Junior Youth Showmanship – Ages 9-13	Award
19	Senior Youth Showmanship – Ages 14-19	Award
	Champion Showman – Chosen from Winners in class 17,18, 19	Scholarship