



# GOATS



## DAIRY GOATS

<b>Entry forms due by</b>	April 22 thru May 8,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	<i>At the Fair Office</i>
<b>Received</b>	Monday, June 10,	9:00 am – 12:00 pm	
<b>Judged</b>	Thursday, June 13,	2:00 pm	
	Primary followed by Dairy goats followed by Nigerian Dwarf Goats, followed by Mini-Goats		
<b>Judged</b>			
<b>Milk Production</b>	Thursday, June 13,	after completion of all goat shows	
<b>Large Master Showmanship</b>	Friday, June 14,	9:00 am	
<b>Small Master Showmanship</b>	Friday, June 14,	12:00 pm	
<b>Released</b>	Sunday, June 16,	6:00 pm	

### ENTRY FEE: \$8 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

**ALL GOATS** must always have their premise identification (tattoo) and registration (for Dairy Goats and Nigerian Dwarf Dairy Goats only) on the grounds due to the Scrapies Eradication Program\*. To enroll, call 877-741-3690.

### RULES

- A. All stalls must be stripped clean at end of the Fair.
- B. All Goats need to be registered with a registry, only animals with a “Certificate of Registry” (blue border) issued for purebred animals are eligible.
- C. Animals with a “Certificate of Pedigree” (brown border) issued for grade animals are not eligible. Exception: All Recorded Grades Division.
- D. A photocopy for the registry is not acceptable (original copy OR stamped duplicate only), will need to be provided to the Livestock Office for review prior to the start of the show. If registration is “pending” and tattoo matches the documentation provided, that goat is eligible to compete.
- E. A permanent ear tattoo is required, microchip will be reviewed if needed as well.
- F. All does in milk, must be entered in Senior Doe class. No exceptions.
- G. All animals in “registered purebred breeding animal” divisions must be registered and recorded with a United States breed association in the exact name of the exhibitor (owner) as declared on the entry form.
- H. All breeding goats must be individually owned by the exhibitor for at least 30 consecutive days prior to the opening day of the fair. The management may demand such proof of ownership as it deems necessary in each case, to have papers with you on grounds.
- I. RECORDED GRADE DAIRY GOATS: A permanent ear tattoo is required. Animals with a “Certificate of Pedigree” (brown border) issued by the American Dairy Goat Association are eligible EXCEPT ANIMALS IDENTIFIED AS NATIVE ON PERFORMANCE AND NATIVE ON APPEARANCE. Animals with a “Certificate of Registry” (blue border) issued by ADGA are not eligible.
- J. All sheep and goats from out of state require official individual identification valid for 30 days after inspection of the animals, a certificate of veterinary inspection, and a California entry permit within 15 days of entering California.
- K. All ages are determined as of Show Date.
- L. ALL GOATS ON THE GROUNDS MUST BE ENTERED IN A CLASS OR NURSING AND UNDER 4 MONTHS OF AGE.
- M. ADGA Show Sanction Rules apply for ADGA Sanctioned divisions (AOP, Nigerian Dwarf and All Recorded Grades).
- N. Per ADGA rules, no parent, leader or spectator can offer any information to the judge or make any comments regarding the show.

**NOTE:** No refunds will be made for diseased animals.

### TWO (2) ANIMALS MAXIMUM PER STALL PER EXHIBITOR

**DIVISION 502 – ALL OTHER PUREBREDS – ADGA Sanctioned**

**DIVISION 503 – ALL RECORDED GRADES - ADGA Sanctioned**

**DIVISION 504 – MINI-OTHER – Not Sanctioned by ADGA**

**DIVISION 912 – NIGERIAN DWARF DAIRY GOATS – ADGA Sanctioned**

Use the division number on the entry form to designate the breed. Use the same class number for all breeds.

Divisions and/or classes may be combined based on the number of entries.

Junior/Senior Does not separate in Division – Class, but noted as such for Champion Ribbons; not in other species.

**CLASS # (And Order of Showing)Date of Birth  
DOES**

**Juniors**

1. Junior Kid 4/1/2024 or later
2. Intermediate Kid 3/1/2024 – 3/31/2024
3. Senior Kid 1/1/2024 – 2/28/2024
4. Dry Yearling 1/1/2023 – 12/31/2023

**Seniors**

5. Yearling Milker 1/1/2023 – 12/31/2023
6. 2 Yr. Milker 1/1/2022 – 12/31/2022
7. 3 Yr. Milker 1/1/2021 – 12/31/2021
8. 4 Yr. Milker 1/1/2020 – 12/31/2020
9. 5 Yr. & Older Milker 1/1/2019 or earlier

**RIBBONS ONLY**

**CHAMPION RIBBONS IN EACH DIVISION**

- |                    |                      |
|--------------------|----------------------|
| JUNIOR CHAMPION    | JUNIOR RES. CHAMPION |
| SENIOR CHAMPION    | SENIOR RES. CHAMPION |
| BEST DOE IN SHOW   |                      |
| BEST UDDER IN SHOW |                      |



**PRIMARY MEMBERS – NIGERIAN DWARF DAIRY GOATS ONLY - NON-SANCTIONED SHOW – See Showmanship section, page 110.**

**MILK PRODUCTION**

**NO RIBBONS**

**NO ENTRY FEE (but must be entered on entry form)**

**RULES**

- A. Milk production contest is to be held after all divisions of dairy goat classes have been completed.
- B. All animals must have been shown in previous classes.
- C. Animals must be owned by exhibitors.

**DIVISION 506 – MILK PRODUCTION CONTEST**

**CLASS # (And Order of Showing)**

- |           |                        |
|-----------|------------------------|
| 1. Nubian | 3. All Other Purebreds |
| 2. Saanen | 4. All Recorded Grades |
|           | 5. Mini-Other          |
|           | 6. Nigerian Dwarf      |

**PACK GOATS**

<b>Entry forms due by</b>	Wednesday, May 8,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	<i>At the fair office</i>
<b>Received</b>	Monday, June 10,	9:00am – 12:00 pm	
<b>Judged</b>	Thursday, June 13,	Following Llama / Alpaca Show	
<b>Released</b>	Sunday, June, 16,	6:00 pm	

**ENTRY FEE: \$6 PER ENTRY PER CLASS  
TWO (2) ANIMALS MAXIMUM PER STALL**

**Rules:**

- A. All exhibitors must be in official Club uniform.

**DIVISION 505 – PACK GOATS**

**CLASS #**

1. Does & Wether

**CHAMPION RIBBONS**

- CHAMPION PERFORMANCE PACK GOAT
- RESERVE CHAMPION PERFORMANCE PACK GOAT
- Ribbons Only**

**Scoring**

**5 possible points for each obstacle**

- |  |      |
|--|------|
| No hesitation & no faults .....                    | 5    |
| Slight hesitation & minor faults .....             | 3    |
| Refusal .....                                      | 0    |
| 10 possible points for response to questions ..... | 1-10 |

**Penalty Points deducted for each infraction**

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|--|----|
| Animal not clean or groomed.....             | -2 |
| Animal uncontrollable .....                  | -2 |
| Animal butts or challenges other goats ..... | -2 |
| Hooves not trimmed .....                     | -2 |

**NOTE:** ALL Livestock stalls must be stripped clean at end of the Fair.

**PYGMY GOATS**

<b>Entry forms due by</b>	Wednesday, May 8,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	<i>At the fair office</i>
<b>Received</b>	Monday, June 10,	9:00 am – 12:00 pm	
<b>Judged</b>	Tuesday, June 11,	following Market Goats	
<b>Pee Wee Showmanship</b>	Wednesday, June 12,	5:00 pm	
<b>Released</b>	Sunday, June 16,	6:00 pm	

**ENTRY FEE: \$6 PER ENTRY PER CLASS**

Does and Wether classes are open to registered and unregistered.  
There are no buck classes at this show.  
Age is determined as of the show date.  
See the following link for judging standards of Does and Wethers.  
<http://www.npga-pygmy.com/resources/conformation/conformation.asp>

**DIVISION 515 – PYGMY GOATS  
PRIMARY MEMBERS, SEE SHOWMANSHIP SECTION**

**CLASS #  
DOES**

- 1. Under 1 year
- 2. 1 year & under 2
- 3. 2 years and under 3
- 4. 3 years and over

**WETHERS**

- 5. Under 1 year
- 6. 1 Year & under 2
- 7. 2 Years & under 3
- 8. 3 years & over

**CHAMPION RIBBONS**

CHAMPION DOE                                      RESERVE DOE  
CHAMPION WETHER                                RESERVE WETHER  
**Ribbons Only**

**SHOWMANSHIP**

ENTRY FEE \$5

**REQUIRED FOR ALL MARKET ANIMALS.**

**SEE SHOWMANSHIP SECTION FOR DETAILS (PAGE 109.)**

**MARKET GOATS**

<b>Ownership Documents due by</b>	Monday, April 22,	by 4:00 pm	<i>At the Fair Office</i>
<b>Entry forms due by</b>	April 22 thru May 8,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	<i>At the Fair Office</i>
<b>Received</b>	Monday, June 10,	9:00 am -12:00 pm	
<b>    Weighed</b>		As unloaded	
<b>Judged</b>	Tuesday, June 11,	4:00 pm	
	*Show Order: Market followed by Showmanship, followed by Breeding		
<b>Non-Sale and Breeding Released</b>	Tuesday, June 11,	following show (until 9 :00 pm) or Friday, 7:00 - 9:00 am	
<b>Large Master Showmanship</b>	Friday, June 14,	9:00 am	
<b>Released</b>	Sunday, June 16,	6:00 pm	

**NO CASH AWARDS – RIBBONS ONLY**

**ENTRY FEE: \$12 PER ENTRY PER CLASS**

**CHAMPION RIBBONS**

4-H CHAMPION                                      4-H RESERVE CHAMPION  
FFA CHAMPION                                      FFA RESERVE CHAMPION  
GRANGE CHAMPION                                GRANGE RESERVE CHAMPION  
SUPREME CHAMPION                                RESERVE SUPREME CHAMPION

**Supreme and Reserve Supreme will be a competition between FFA, GRANGE & 4-H Champions, and Reserve Champions**

**SUPREME AND RESERVE SUPREME CHAMPION BUCKLES sponsored by EDCF**

**RULES**

- A. ALL stalls must be stripped clean at end of the Fair.
- B. All Market Goats must be individually owned by the exhibitor for at least 60 consecutive days prior to the opening day of the fair.
- C. An out-billing from a sales yard must be made out to the exhibitor, showing 60 consecutive days of ownership, or a signed statement that the animal was dropped from the exhibitor’s doe and raised by the exhibitor, or a purchase receipt showing 60 consecutive days ownership.
- D. Market goats must have milk teeth in normal positions and no permanent teeth showing at that time. Any goat having lost any of its milk teeth will be disqualified.
- E. This show is open to any breed or crossbred female (un-bred) or Wether goat. Any animal showing signs of pregnancy or testicular development will be disqualified.
- F. Market goats Does and Wethers are allowed, no bucks allowed.
- G. Fitting – Goats must be slick shorn with 3/8” hair or less at the time of arrival. Does and whether eligible. Goats must be disbudded. Wethers and Does from all breed classes will be co-exhibited in the market show classes.
- H. After weighing, market goats will be broken into classes by weight for convenience of judging. There will be no minimum or maximum numbers of animals per weight class.

- I. Market Goats must weigh a minimum of 60 pounds. Goats weighing more than 100 pounds will have their sale weight adjusted to 100 pounds.
- J. Age determined as of show date.
- K. American System of Judging.

**DIVISION 507 – 4-H MARKET GOATS DIVISION**  
**DIVISION 508 – FFA MARKET GOATS DIVISION**  
**DIVISION 509 – GRANGE MARKET GOATS**  
**CLASS #**

- 1. **AOB** – May be any breed or cross not recognized by AGDA.

**DIVISION 800 - OTHER \$5 PER CLASS:**  
**CLASS #**

- 1. Owner Bred. You **MUST** enter a Market Class and this class (4-H, FFA, GRANGE, INDEPENDENT) to qualify. Ribbons will be given to 1st through 3rd place finishers. All Owner Breds show in one class together.
- 2. Pair of Market Goats. Must be owned and exhibited by the same exhibitor.
- 3. County Bred - County-bred. Market Goat must be born and raised in El Dorado County.

**Market Ready:** Ribbon  
**Not Market Ready:** Ribbon

*\*NOTE: All exhibitors selling at auction **MUST** participate in a **SHOWMANSHIP** in this species.*

Grand Champion & Reserve Grand Champion – **MUST SELL** an exhibitor may sell only one animal in the sale, regardless of species. If one exhibitor has more than one champion, the highest placing champion must sell.

After weighing, market goats will be broken into classes by weight for convenience in judging.

## FEEDER GOATS

**ENTRY FEE \$6 PER ENTRY PER CLASS**

**CHAMPION RIBBONS**

CHAMPION      RESERVE CHAMPION

**DIVISION 510 – 4-H FEEDER GOAT**  
**DIVISION 511 – FFA FEEDER GOAT**  
**DIVISION 512 – GRANGE FEEDER GOAT**

*All feeder goats must be individually owned by the exhibitor for at least 30 consecutive days prior to the opening day of the fair. The management may demand such proof of ownership as it deems necessary in each case.*

**CLASS #**

- 1. Feeder Goats

## BREEDING STOCK MEAT GOATS

**ENTRY FEE \$6 PER ENTRY PER CLASS**

**DIVISION 513 – BREEDING STOCK MEAT GOATS**

*Breeders enter fair at own risk.*

**CLASS #**

- |    |                |                |
|----|----------------|----------------|
| 1. | Jr. Doe        | Under 6 months |
| 2. | Sr. Doe        | 6 – 12 months  |
| 3. | Yearling Doe   | 12 – 24 months |
| 4. | 2-year-old Doe | 24 – 36 months |

## 4-H, GRANGE, and FFA GROUPS

The class consists of five (5) breeding or market animals exhibited in preceding divisions. Animals owned by at least four (4) different exhibitors from one club or chapter.

**NO ENTRY FEE**

***DIVISION 514 – CLUB, CHAPTER, OR GROUP***

**CLASS #**

- 1. Five animals exhibited by at least four (4) exhibitors. Chapters and Clubs are requested to sign-up in the Livestock Office prior to the show beginning.

*\*As a result of the new USDA Scrapie Eradication Program, all goats and sheep entering fairs are required to have individual identification on the animal. The official identification may be official USDA individual identification ear tags, premises ear tags, Scrapie Flock Certification Program ear tags, registration tattoos if accompanied by registration papers, or other methods approved by the California Department of Food and Agriculture including a **Premise ID**. All goats and sheep from out of state are required to have official individual identification, a certificate of veterinary inspection and a California entry permit.*

## SHOWMANSHIP

**ENTRY FEE \$5**

**REQUIRED FOR ALL MARKET ANIMALS.**

**SEE SHOWMANSHIP SECTION FOR DETAILS (PAGE 109.)**