

DEPARTMENT 5 – GOATS

Junior Class

SUPERINTENDENTS
Mary Kirschbaum, Karla Witzig

Danish Judging
Judging - 5:30 p.m. Wednesday

All goat exhibits must be in place between 9 a. m. and noon on Wednesday for veterinary check-in. MUST have Animal I.D. and Vet check information paper filled out and given to the Superintendent.

Livestock trailer parking will be located on the east side of the race track. All trailers should be parked in an orderly manner at this location or may be towed or relocated at the owner's expense.

1. Registered Goats must have papers available for inspection at the fair.
2. **Dairy goats with natural horns may not be entered.**
3. **10 head per exhibitor may be entered. Only 1 animal may be entered under each lot number.**
4. All exhibitors of Goats must have **POSSESSION** by May 1 with the exception of Jr. Kids of exhibit year.
5. All does over 24 months must have kidded to be shown.
6. **All goat wethers must be born after January 1 and be identified through the county identification process by the May deadline of that exhibit year. (See 4-H Echo for May deadline)**
7. All goats must be identified with official scrapie ear tags, other official scrapie identification, or registration tattoos. All Goats that are tattooed must have a copy of registration paperwork turned into superintendent with vet check form. All official ID must be in ear or approved location.
8. Any inappropriate actions, as determined by the Superintendent, toward your animal may result in disqualification.
9. **GRANT COUNTY JUNIOR FAIR LIVESTOCK AUCTION.** Entry of an animal in a market class **DOES NOT** in and of itself enter an animal in the livestock auction. This also includes the Grand Champion Doe or Cheese. 4-H and FFA members interested in selling their market animal at the Grant County Junior Fair Livestock Auction must complete and submit the Junior Fair Livestock Auction Entry Form with their fair entries. Auction rules and regulations follow the Junior Beef Department which also must be followed. Failure to follow the rules may result in disqualification.
10. Veterinary information: Please refer to Junior and Open Class Exhibitors Information in the front of the book.
11. Definitions for Dairy Goat Cheese
 - (a) Junior doe kid; Born April 1 – June 1 of exhibit year
 - (b) Senior doe kid; Born January 1 – March 31 of exhibit year
 - (c) Junior yearling doe; Born September 1 – December 31 year prior to show
 - (d) Senior yearling doe; 12 – 24 months old, not in milk.
 - (e) Yearling milkers; under 2 years old, in milk.
 - (f) Junior milkers; at least 2 years old, but under 3 years of age, in milk
 - (g) Mature milkers; at least 3 years, but under 5 years of age
 - (h) Aged milkers; 5 years of age and older.
12. Pure & American Boer doe - 51-100% with papers. Boer Cross doe - 50% or under without papers.

PREMIUM LIST FOR DAIRY GOATS

Blue	Red	White	Pink
\$5.00	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00

CLASS 1 – Pure & American Nigerian Dwarf

CLASS 2 – Pure & American Alpine

CLASS 3 – Any Other Purebred (AOP)

CLASS 4 – Recorded Grade & Grade

Lot No.

1. Junior doe kid
2. Senior doe kid
3. Junior yearling doe
4. Senior yearling doe
5. Yearling milker
6. Junior milker
7. Mature milker
8. Aged milker

Junior Champion and Reserve Champion (Lots 1-4)
Classes 1, 2, 3, & 4 – Ribbon Only

Senior Champion and Reserve Champion (Lots 5-8)
Classes 1, 2, 3, & 4 – Ribbon Only

Best Doe in Show – All above Grand Champions
Classes 1, 2, 3, & 4 – Ribbon & Trophy

Reserve Best Doe in Show – All above Grand Champions & Reserve
Champion from Best Doe in Show Class
Classes 1, 2, 3, & 4 – Ribbon & Trophy

Lot No.

9. Dam & Daughter (Class 1, 2, 3, & 4) Ribbon Only
10. Exhibitor Herd (Class 1, 2, 3, & 4) 3 Goats – 1 doe under one year old, 1 doe at least one but less than two years old, 1 doe at least two years old – Ribbon Only

PREMIUM LIST FOR MEAT GOATS

Blue	Red	White	Pink
\$5.00	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00

CLASS 5 – Pure & American Boer

CLASS 6 – Boer Cross

CLASS 7 – Any Other Meat Breed (Pygmy, Myotonic, Kiko, etc)

Lot No.

11. Junior Doe Kid – Born April 1 or after
12. Senior Doe Kid – Born January 1 – March 31
13. Junior Yearling Doe – Born September 1 – December 31
14. Senior Yearling Doe – 12 – 24 months old
15. 2 year old Doe
16. 3 & 4 year old Doe
17. Mature Doe – 5 year old & over

Grand Champion
Classes 5, 6, & 7 – Ribbon & Trophy

Reserve Grand Champion
Classes 5, 6, & 7 – Ribbon & Trophy

Best Meat Doe in Show – All above Champions from Classes 5, 6, & 7
Ribbon & Trophy

Reserve Best Meat Doe in Show – All above Champions from Classes 5,
6, & 7 plus Reserve Champion from Best Doe in Show Class
Ribbon & Trophy

18. Dam & Daughter (Classes 5, 6, & 7) Ribbon Only

PREMIUM LIST FOR MARKET WETHERS

Blue	Red	White	Pink
\$5.00	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00

All classes of wethers that are being shown at the Fair must be born after January 1 of current year and weighed in.

All Market Wethers will be weighed in on Wednesday, from 1:00pm to 3:00pm. Weights will be evenly divided at time of weigh in and posted prior to show.

Both 1st and 2nd blues should be brought back in for all championship classes.

All slaughter animals must have the Country of Origin Affidavit/Declaration filled out by the exhibitor and it is to be handed in at weigh-in.

CLASS 8 – Market Wether

Lot No.

- 19. Straight Dairy Light Weight (Class 1-4)
- 20. Straight Dairy Medium Weight (Class 1-4)
- 21. Straight Dairy Heavy Weight (Class 1-4)

Grand Champion & Reserve Champion Dairy Wether

- 22. Meat Goat Light Weight (Class 5-7)
- 23. Meat Goat Medium Weight (Class 5-7)
- 24. Meat Goat Heavy Weight (Class 5-7)

Grand Champion & Reserve Champion Meat Wether
Grand Champion & Reserve Champion Wether Overall

CLASS 9 - GOAT SHOWMANSHIP

Blue	Red	White	Pink
\$3.00	\$2.50	\$2.00	\$1.50

(Danish Judging To Be Used)

Members participating in Goat Showmanship should include this entry on a regular Entry Blank with other entries.

Lot No.

- 1. Beginners, grades 3-4
- 2. Junior, grades 5-6
- 3. Intermediate, grades 7-9
- 4. Senior, grades 10 & over

First and second place senior (or older) division showmanship winners will have the opportunity to participate in the Master Showmanship Contest for Goats. See page 14 for more details.

CLASS 10 - HERDSMANSHIP

4-H Club and FFA Chapters
(Danish Judging To Be Used)

PREMIUMS

Lot No.	Blue	Red	White	Pink
1. Small	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00
2. Large	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00

This class is open to all individual Grant County 4-H Clubs and FFA Chapters without entry. **A minimum of two pens shown by at least two exhibitors is required.**

A maximum of three 4-H Clubs and FFA Chapters may combine in order to meet the above requirements and compete in the Herdsmanship Contest as one group by notifying the fair office by August 2.

EXHIBITS WILL BE JUDGED ACCORDING TO THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE

- Thursday - 9:15 a.m.-8:30 p.m.
- Friday - 9:15 a.m.-8:30 p.m.
- Saturday - 9:15 a.m.-8:30 p.m.
- Sunday - 9:15 a.m.-10:00 a.m.

All exhibits are requested to use the uniform “Junior Exhibitor” cards furnished by the Grant County Fair.

4-H Clubs and FFA Chapters must be identified by an appropriate sign. Decorations will not be considered as part of the Herdsmanship score and may not obstruct the aisles. They must either be suspended from the rafters or placed in conjunction with the uniform exhibitor card display board.

Herdsmanship exhibits will be divided into two groups: (1) small; (2) large.

Judging of exhibits will be done by adult leaders, FFA advisors, and community representatives.

Herdsmanship awards will be presented at 3:00 p.m. on Sunday in the barn.

Herdsmanship Scorecard

General appearance and neatness	50%
Conduct of exhibitors	20%
Storage of feed and equipment	20%
Cleanliness of cattle	10%

COSTUME AND AGILITY FUN CLASSES

To be held Sunday of the fair at 9:00am in the open show barn. Any goat project exhibitor is welcome to attend. No sign up or pre-registration necessary.

Fun/Donated prizes to be awarded

GRANT COUNTY VETERINARY ASSOCIATION

Sponsors the HERDSMANSHIP PLAQUE located in the Livestock Facility. Blue Ribbon Herdsmanship winners for the current Fair are honored on the plaque.

SCENIC RIVERS ENERGY CO-OP

Scenic Rivers Energy Co-op, Lancaster, Darlington and Gays Mills will offer \$50.00 to the top Blue Ribbon Winner in Large & Small Herdsmanship. Winner will be announced Sunday afternoon at the Herdsmanship awards. A check will be sent later.

NEW HORIZONS SUPPLY COOPERATIVE

New Horizons Supply Cooperative will offer \$20.00 to the top Blue Ribbon Winner of Beginner, Junior, Intermediate and Senior Goat Showmanship.

SLOAN IMPLEMENT

Sloan Implement, Bloomington, Cuba City, Montfort will sponsor cash drawings (1) - \$100.00 (2) - \$75.00 (3) - \$50.00 (4) - \$25.00 to the 4-H Clubs and FFA Chapters that have exhibited at the fair. Drawing will be held at 3:00 p.m. on Sunday at the Sales Pavilion.

COMPEER FINANCIAL

Compeer Financial will present a banner to the Champion Purebred & American, Champion Recorded Grades & Grades, Grand Champion Doe, Grand Champion Pure & American Boer Doe, Grand Champion Boer Cross Doe, Grand Champion Wether, Grand Champion Market Wether, and Reserve Grand Champion Market Wether.

J.C. Acres

J.C. Acres will provided a basket of goat products for the Overall Doe to sell at the this year’s auction.

GRANT COUNTY 2019 GOAT SPONSORS

- Diamond Grove Dairy – Aaron and Dana Cooley.....
- Champion & Reserve Best Purebred/American Doe
- Christiansen Mill.... Champion & Reserve Best Recorded/Grades Doe
- Friends of Goat Producers.....
- Grand Champion & Reserve Best Dairy Doe Overall
- Friends of Goat Producers..... Beginner Showmanship
- WGH Delivery Inc..... Junior Showmanship
- Ty Witzig Family..... Intermediate Showmanship
- J.C.Acres..... Senior Showmanship
- Standing Timber Co..... Champion & Reserve Dairy Wether

Slack Auction & Realty
..... Champion & Reserve Dairy - Boer Cross - Wether
Economy Feed Mill Champion & Reserve Boer - Wether
Anderson Welding Grand Champion & Reserve Wether
Hickory Ridge Farms Grand Champion & Reserve Boer Doe
Hickory Ridge Farms Grand Champion & Reserve Boer Cross Doe
Hickory Ridge Farms Grand Champion & Reserve Other Breed
The Hatchery Grand Champion & Reserve Wether Other Breed
Fennimore Livestock Exchange Grand Champion Carcass