

**JUNIOR GOAT DEPARTMENT**  
**DEPARTMENT - 205**  
**RULES**

1. All animals must meet state health regulations listed under Wisconsin County, District and State Fairs Animal Health Rules and Regulations in this book.
2. All animals shall be in their designated pen by 6:00 p.m. Wednesday. Late Check-Ins will forfeit any premiums.
3. ADGA and ABGA standards will be adhered to.
4. All dairy goats must have legible tattoos consistent with the registration certificate.
5. Goats must have proper identification:
  - a Dairy – legible tattoo consistent with ADGA registration certificate (copy)
  - b Meat – scrapie tag & copy of scrapie letter, when applicable legible tattoo with matching ABGA registration certificate (copy)
  - c Market – scrapie tag and copy of scrapie letter
6. ALL animals shown in group classes must have shown in their regular single classes.
7. Animals with natural horns (not disbudded or dehorned) shall not be shown unless based on the Breed Standard for the Goat. (Ex. Boer) Goat Superintendent has final decision.
8. There will be no pre-show milk out.
9. No tying animals in pens. Animals must remain at the Fair in their designated pen(s) unless showing or at the wash rack for the duration of Fair.
10. Every goat must have a collar.
11. Bucks are prohibited.
12. No bedding is furnished by the Fair.
13. Bracing is allowed. All goats must have four feet on the floor of the show ring at all times. Lifting feet off the ground or placing them on any support or altered ring surface is not acceptable. Exhibitors will receive one warning if they are found lifting or slapping goats. Second offense will result in automatic exhibitor disqualification from the Goat Show.
14. **Age Classifications:**
  - Junior Kid** is one born on or after April 1st of this year.
  - Senior Kid** is one born during the period between January 1st & March 31st of this year.
  - Junior Yearling** is one born during the period of July 1st & December 31st of last year.
  - Senior Yearling** is a dry doe born before July 1st of last year and less than 24 months of age.
15. **Companion Goat**
  - a. Doe that has never freshened or has not been milked regularly over 24 months may compete only in the Companion Goat Division, Obstacle Course, Costume Contest & Showmanship.
  - b. Exhibitors will be judged on grooming and ability to exhibit goat with collar.
  - c. Animals must be owned by exhibitor.
16. **Market Goat Show**
  - a. Eligible Market Animals must be owned by the exhibitor. Exhibitors eligible to show in the County Fair are eligible to compete in the market goat class with goats of their own raising.
  - b. The exhibitor may show up to two (2) market goats provided they do not exceed the Waukesha County Fair Livestock Auction Animal limit of three (3) animals, which includes: poultry, rabbits, beef, sheep, swine & dairy lactation contest.
  - c. Market goats, male (wether) or female, must be born after January 1<sup>st</sup> of the current year. Both will be shown in the same classes based on weight. Market classes will be determined after the Wednesday evening's weigh-in. Minimum weight for a market goat to sell is 60lbs. unless a miniature breed.
  - d. Market goats must be tagged to be entered into the Rate of Gain Contest and Jr. Livestock Auction.
  - e. There will be a \$4.00 fee per tag/animal. Tags can be purchased from the Fair Office or on-site at the weigh-in held in late April. Additionally, a headshot and both profile pictures of the animal with its scrapie tag in place, must have been submitted to the Fair by April 30<sup>th</sup>.
  - f. Each exhibitor must be YQCA certified and meet the mandatory clinic requirements in order to show & potentially sell at the Waukesha County Fair.
  - g. Market goats may be entered in Market Goat Rate of Gain Contest (as long as weighed & tagged at late April weigh-in), Costume Contest, Obstacle Course, and Showmanship. All Livestock Animal Rules must be abided by. See **Livestock Auction Rules** for more details.
  - h. Market animal pictures, tags, and/or registration identification will be allowed a 1 week (7 day) penalized extension after the April 30<sup>th</sup> deadline. This penalized extension has a firm \$100 fine per animal entry and the animal/exhibitor will not be eligible to participate in Rate of Gain. Absolutely NO late entries will be allowed after this penalized extension nor will they be allowed to sell at the auction. All Livestock Animal Rules must be abided by. See **Livestock Auction Rules** for more details.
  - i. Every market goat must have a scrapie tag in ear before sale of the animal.
  - j. The Livestock Committee reserves the right to interpret rules and regulations.
  - k. Market goats sold at auction cannot be shown at the State Fair.

- I. Market animals must be in place by 6:00 pm on Wednesday of Fair. Weigh-in begins at 6:00 pm (maximum of two (2) animals per exhibitor can be tagged).

**17. Dam and Daughter Class**

- a Only animals entered and shown in individual lots are eligible to compete in this class. Both animals must be owned by the same exhibitor.

- 18. You must show an animal in a Breed class to participate in a Performance Class.
- 19. Up to five (5) managerial animals per exhibitor. Managed is one that is fed and cared for at least 50% of the time by the member but not owned by him/her or his/her immediate family.
- 20. You can only show one goat per class. Other project members cannot show your goat for you.
- 21. Breed categories exhibiting insufficient entries may be combined.
- 22. Entry fee is \$5.00 per animal (non-refundable).
- 23. All Livestock Animal Rules must be abided by. See Livestock Auction Rules for more details.

**A. MARKET GOAT (Born after January 1<sup>st</sup> of the current year)**

(Judged Thursday of Fair, time to be announced)

**DIVISION: MARKET GOAT**

<b>Class No.</b>	<b>Blue</b>	<b>Red</b>	<b>White</b>	<b>Pink</b>
1. Market Goat	<b>5.00</b>	<b>4.00</b>	<b>3.00</b>	<b>2.00</b>
2. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Market Goat				

**Champion Ribbons Awarded as Judge desires**

**Award**

**B. MARKET GOAT – RATE OF GAIN**

**DIVISION: MARKET GOAT RATE OF GAIN CONTEST**

(All market goats must be weighed and entered into contest)

**Class No.**

- 1. Rate of Gain (must be tagged on the third weekend of April)

**Ribbon**

**C. DAIRY GOATS**

**DIVISION: ALPINE**

**DIVISION: LAMANCHA**

**DIVISION: NIGERIA DWARF**

**DIVISION: NUBIAN**

**DIVISION: OBERHASLI**

**DIVISION: RECORDED GRADE**

**DIVISION: SAANEN**

**DIVISION: SABLE**

**DIVISION: TOGGENBURG**

<b>Class No.</b>	<b>Blue</b>	<b>Red</b>	<b>White</b>	<b>Pink</b>
	<b>5.00</b>	<b>4.00</b>	<b>3.00</b>	<b>2.00</b>

- 1. Junior Doe Kid - under 3 mos. (April 1<sup>st</sup> – July 1<sup>st</sup> of current year)
- 2. Senior Doe Kid – 3 to under 6 mos. (January 1<sup>st</sup> – March 31<sup>st</sup> of current year)
- 3. Junior Doe Yearling – born during the period of July 1<sup>st</sup> to December 31<sup>st</sup> of previous (last) year
- 4. Senior Doe Yearling – is a dry doe born before July 1<sup>st</sup> of previous (last) year and less than 24 months of age
- 5. Milking Yearling under two years, in milk
- 6. Doe Over two and under three years, in milk
- 7. Doe Over three and under five years, in milk
- 8. Doe Over five years, in milk
- 9. Dam and Daughter (each goat must have been shown individually, daughter need not have freshened)
- 10. Produce of Dam – Two Does from same Sire
- 11. Get of Sire – Any 2 Does from same Sire
- 12. Wether under one year

**Best Dairy Doe In Show**

**Award**

#### D. MEAT GOATS

DIVISION: AMERICAN

DIVISION: ANGORA

DIVISION: ANY OTHER BREED (AOB) – REGISTERED (proof of registration copy must be provided upon check-in)

DIVISION: ANY OTHER BREED (AOB) – NON-REGISTERED

DIVISION: BOER – REGISTERED (proof of registration copy must be provided upon check-in)

DIVISION: BOER – NON-REGISTERED

DIVISION: KIKO

DIVISION: PERCENTAGE GRADE

DIVISION: SAVANNA – REGISTERED (proof of registration copy must be provided upon check-in)

DIVISION: SAVANNA – NON-REGISTERED

Class No.	Blue	Red	White	Pink
	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00

##### Junior Does:

1. Under 3 mos. (April 1st –July 1st of current year)
2. 3 to under 6 mos. (January 1st-March 31st of current year)
3. 6 to under 9 mos. (Oct 1st-December 31st of previous year)
4. 9 to under 12 mos. (July 1st – Sept. 30th of previous year)

##### Yearling Does:

5. 12 to under 16 mos.
6. 16 to under 20 mos.
7. 20 mos. to under 24 mos.

##### Senior Does: Seniors Does must have kidded or show signs of a pregnancy

8. 24 to under 36 mos.
9. 36 months and older
10. **Dam & Daughter** – Two does any age, so long as one (1) is the daughter off the other
11. **Produce of a Dam** – Two does from the same Dam
12. **Get of Sire** – Any two does from the same Sire
13. Wether under one (1) year

Best Meat Goat Doe in Show

Award

#### E. COMPANION GOAT

DIVISION: COMPANION (may be a dairy or meat goat)

Class No.	Blue	Red	White	Pink
	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00

1. Goat over 2 years of age never freshened
2. Wether over 1 year of age (any breed goat)

Best Companion Goat in Show

Award

#### F. SHOWMANSHIP

DIVISION: SHOWMANSHIP

Class No.	Blue	Red	White	Pink
	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00

1. Senior (15 yrs and over) <Winner represents Goats in Showman of Showmanship
2. Junior (12-14 yrs)
3. Beginner (11 yrs & under)

Division Winner

Award

**G. PERFORMANCE CLASSES**

**(Open to both dairy and meat goat animals shown in any of the above classes)**

**DIVISION: GOAT CART CLASS**

1. Any goat(s) under one (1) year of age, born after July 1 of last year, entered in the Cart Class may be led without a driver or rider.
2. Any goat(s) between 1 and 2 yrs of age who has not previously entered the Cart Class can be led, but must also have a rider..
3. Any goat(s) in the Cart Class after 2 years of experience shall be driven unassisted.
4. Cart Class Exhibitors will be judged on driving skill and ability.

<b>Class No.</b>	<b>Blue</b>	<b>Red</b>	<b>White</b>	<b>Pink</b>
	<b>5.00</b>	<b>4.00</b>	<b>3.00</b>	<b>2.00</b>

1. 1<sup>st</sup> year in class – any breed of goat(s)
2. 2<sup>nd</sup> year in class– any breed of goat(s)
3. 3 or more years in class– any breed of goat(s)

**Best Cart Goat in Show**

**Award**

**DIVISION: OBSTACLE COURSE**

Youth Exhibitors will be judged and timed. The obstacle course will be run by the age of the goat. Junior, Intermediate, and Senior animals will be run in separate classes, when possible. An exhibitor may enter 2 goats. The winner from each age group will run a final obstacle course and the award will be given to the overall winners and not for each class.

1. Exhibitor & any age/breed goat shown by exhibitor. (Goat #1)
2. Exhibitor & any age/breed goat shown by exhibitor. (Goat #2)

**No premium given.**

**DIVISION: COSTUME CLASS**

Open to Youth Goat Exhibitors. The goat and exhibitor will be judged for their participation and creativity.

1. Exhibitor & any age/breed goat shown in costumes

**No premium given.**

**AWARD**

**H. HERDSMANSHIP**

**DIVISION: CLUB HERDSMANSHIP**

**Each club is entered and does not need to be on the entry form.**