

# 2022 ADGA NATIONAL SHOW RULES

This show is recognized by the American Dairy Goat Association as its official 2022 National Show.  
**ADGA RULES GOVERN**

**Harrisburg, Pennsylvania • June 25-July 1, 2022**

**Covid rules: All current state and national covid restrictions will be followed. Please refer to covid.gov.**

1. **GENERAL RULES.** Unless other rules are specified, the show will be held under the rules of ADGA, provided they do not conflict with those of the Pennsylvania Farm Show Complex regarding facilities and Pennsylvania State laws.

2. **BASIC ENTRY FEES:** All entries must be made online at **ShoWorks**. (A link is available on the National Show website.) The following rates will apply, and all fees must be paid with entry:

Individual/ Group Classes

Online June 12, 2022 or earlier \$15/animal \$7.50/Group Class

**ONLINE ENTRIES MUST BE COMPLETED  
NO LATER THAN SUNDAY, JUNE 12, 2022  
at 11:59PM PDT**

- **No late entries will be accepted.**
- **No animal entry fees will be refunded.**
- **Substitutes allowed within fee category.** (i.e., one animal for another or one group class for another)

Please make further changes during check-in at the show.

**All animals shown in group classes must have been entered and shown as individuals.**

**Animal pens are available at \$30. Horse stalls and cattle backer stalls are available at \$45. Tack pens may be available at the above prices depending on total entry numbers. We will try to accommodate requests, but pens will be assigned on a first come, first served basis and it may be necessary to adjust your location. If it is necessary to reduce or change your requested pen space, those fees will be refunded. Final decisions on pen assignments remain at the discretion of ADGA. Non-show does may be brought to the show but must be penned with your herd at a cost of \$30 per animal. There will be no first bedding provided this year. All show & non-show animals must comply with all health rules for the National Show and go through the same health checks. Animals that will be transported to locations other than the National Show site or back to their point of origin should have health papers that designate their final destination. No animals will be allowed to be penned in trailers or in any portable pen on the facility grounds. Trailers will be checked on a daily basis.**

3. **CANCELLATIONS.** If notification is received by June 11, 2022, all monies except the original per animal entry fee will be refunded.

4. **ANIMAL REGISTRATIONS.** All Dairy Goats exhibited must be registered with the American Dairy Goat Association. **The original registration/recordation certificate for all registered animals of all ages is required at check-in. No signed transfers will be accepted.** To avoid your registration applications being

delayed during the "Rush Season," we suggest you send yours to the ADGA office as soon as possible to allow for adequate processing time.

**\*\*The ADGA Board of Directors has approved the use of stamped duplicates of applications for registry to show an animal of any age at all shows through September 30, 2022. This measure is necessary due to the delays in the ADGA computer conversion project.\*\***

**The Association Manager of ADGA or Staff of ADGA will not transport papers to the National Show site. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to have their own registration papers in their possession before traveling to the show.**

5. **BASE DATE.** The base date for computing the age of animals is June 26, 2022

6. The Junior and Senior shows are not separately sanctioned. Junior Champions will receive a restricted leg, if eligible.

7. **STATEMENT REGARDING CLARIFICATION OF OWNERSHIP OF ANIMALS EXHIBITED.**

A. **EXHIBITOR.** An exhibitor must be the owner or member of a partnership owning the animal. Certificate of Registration/Recordation showing ownership must be available at check-in prior to being shown. All animals must be entered under the name of ownership on the papers. No signed transfers will be accepted. In specified group classes for Jr. and Sr. Get-of-Sire and Produce-of-Dam, animals need not be owned by exhibitors.

B. **DESIGNATED HERD UNIT.** If an animal is owned by members of a traditional family (i.e., father, mother, son or daughter) or by individuals who are currently using a designated herd name at the ADGA office, you may enter your animals as a "herd unit" and be considered as one exhibitor (does not apply to breeder for the purpose of award calculations). In order to qualify as a "herd unit" all animals be kept in the same herd at the same location. They must also be grouped together on one set of health papers listing the same place of origin. The "herd unit" decision is final on the closing date for entries. Once the "herd unit" option is chosen, all animals entered from the farm must be shown under the "herd unit". An animal owned by any person in the "herd unit" may be substituted for one owned by any other person in the "herd unit".

For the purpose of Exhibitor Award calculations, a Designated Herd Unit entry will use all animals that qualified to be shown within the Designated Herd Unit. However, for Breeder Award calculations, the Designated Herd Unit designation will not be applied. This award will be based on memberships of each breeder as designated by member identification numbers.

Youth members showing in the Embedded Youth show

may enter as part of a Designated Herd Unit and pay entry fees, but they will also be required to fill out an online entry form listing only the youth entries. Look under the Youth >> Forms menu on nationalshow.adga.org for an online form. This youth form must be completed by June 10, 2022.

8. **ANIMAL ARRIVAL AND RELEASE TIMES.** All animals must be in place no later than 7:00 PM EDT on Saturday, June 25, 2022, and must remain until release time, (as announced), Thursday, June 30, 2022. Arrivals will not be allowed to enter before 7:00 AM EDT on Saturday, June 25. Note: Youth participants and their animals must be in place and checked in by 1:00 PM EDT, Saturday, June 25. All other animals must be on site by 7:00 PM EDT and checked in by 9:00 PM EDT on Saturday, June 25. **All exhibitors must be off the grounds by 12:00 PM on Friday, July 1. Please plan accordingly.**

9. **POLICY STATEMENT REGARDING CLARIFICATION ON REQUIREMENTS FOR EXHIBITING** (as passed by the Board of Directors, 10/90, and amended 2/93). Animals exhibiting at the ADGA National Show are required to stay for the duration of the show. This “duration of the show” is specified by the period of time indicated on the Schedule of Events, beginning from “Dairy Goats must be in Place” to the “Release of Dairy Goats.” Failure by exhibitors to comply with this rule will result in loss of points and their animal(s) placing(s) will be deleted from all records and publications. This also may result in disqualification from competing at future National Shows as determined by the Board of Directors. Exception for an emergency will be considered for early release, but must be presented, in writing, to the National Show Chairperson.

10. **MILKOUT TIMES.** Senior doe milk-out times are listed on the Show Schedule. You will not be able to show any milker that has not passed a milk-out check. Please have your papers ready when they come around to your pens to do milk check. Since the milk-out check is only an assurance that those does were milked out by the time checked, exhibitors are allowed to milk again any time **after** the official milk-out if they so desire as long as they have gone through the milk check and have been milked-out. All exhibitors are reminded that judges do discriminate against overudderred does in the show ring.

11. **DRESS CODE WILL BE ENFORCED.** The ADGA National Show Committee realizes the focus is on your doe, but your appearance in the show ring projects an image to the fair management, the public, the media and your fellow dairy goat exhibitors. We would like you to help us put on a first-rate National Show. Please take as much care with your personal appearance and that of your helpers as you do with your dairy goats.

All persons entering the show ring handling dairy goats in any classes are expected to be dressed in the following manner:

- Clean, neat and well groomed.
- Clean white shirt – can have farm name, appropriate logo and/or trim with due consideration to public image including those watching live-stream. Exhibitors may be required to change if clothing is deemed inappropriate by the National Show Committee.
- Long, white pants or skirts.
- Closed toe shoes.
- Should have some way to fasten animal number on back so that animal can be properly identified.

- Should enhance, not detract from the animal being shown. If showing in many classes during the day, a change of show uniform may be necessary in order to project a professional image throughout the day.
- All milk drawn in the show ring shall be milked into stainless steel milk buckets.

The following exhibitor uniforms or attire are **not acceptable** for National Show rings:

- Tight fitting knitted shirts, pants, leggings and/or leotards.
- Tank tops, muscle shirts, halter tops, bare midriffs, spaghetti straps, tube tops, and see-through, fishnet, or any other transparent clothing.
- Sandals, thongs, flip-flops, or other opened toe shoes or bare feet.
- Shorts of any kind.
- Chore clothes.
- Milk pails, other than stainless steel, in the show ring.
- Hats or caps of any kind.
- Sunglasses
- Capri pants

12. **RELEASE FROM SHOW RING.** Exhibitors leaving the show ring prior to being excused by the Judges will forfeit **all** points earned in that breed. If a doe becomes ill in the show ring, inform the ring steward to contact the Judge who may excuse the doe without forfeiture of points.

13. **DISPOSAL OF MILK.** All milk is to be disposed of only in areas designated by the Show Committee.

14. **TATTOOS & ELECTRONIC IDENTIFICATION.**

In accordance with ADGA rules, **there will not be any tattooing allowed at the show. Before departing for the show, be sure to check that the tattoos are legible and match the certificate, as issued by ADGA and that they match the tattoos listed on your CVI. Tattoos are also checked at the vet check as well as all milk checks. DOUBLE CHECK THAT YOUR TATTOOS ARE CORRECT AND READABLE BEFORE LEAVING FOR THE SHOW.** A surprise tattoo check will be performed during one of the group classes of each breed to ensure that the proper animals are in the ring. The tattoo is ADGA’s primary identification method. A supplemental ID is one that may be used if the primary ID is evident, but unreadable. A supplemental EID implant must not only meet ADGA requirements, but those of Federal and State regulatory agencies. Just as with a tattoo, use of the EID implant when the tattoo is not legible requires that it be accompanied by a registration certificate when used for State and Federal programs. Refer to the 2022 ADGA Guidebook - Tattoo Policy and Electronic Identification for requirements.

15. **BEDDING**

Only straw bedding can be used this year. The manure with be used in the Mushroom industry and it is important that no trash gets into the manure. Please be sure when cleaning out pens that no trash is in the manure. No first bedding will be provided this year.

16. **HEALTH RULES & REGULATIONS.**

**HEALTH REQUIREMENTS FOR GOATS ENTERING PENNSYLVANIA FOR THE 2022 ADGA NATIONAL SHOW.**

NO animal will be admitted to the fairgrounds unless it meets the requirements below. NO animal is to be unloaded or enter a barn until the animal and its paperwork have been inspected and approved for entry.

**Domestic Animal Importation Regulations into Pennsylvania** for more information, please contact PA Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Animal Health 2301 North Cameron Street Harrisburg, PA 17110 Telephone: (717) 772-2852, Fax: (717) 787-1868

\*\*Pennsylvania does not require a permit number for livestock importation

#### GOATS:

1. ALL goats regardless of sex and age must be individually identified with one of the following options:
  - an official USDA Scrapie ear tag that has a US shield OR
  - a legible tattoo with herd and individual identification recognized in an approved USDA Scrapie database OR
  - a breed registration tattoo and accompanied by a registration certificate.
2. A CVI shall be issued within 30 days prior to entry.
3. Tuberculosis testing requirements:
  - a. No test required for animals originating from "Accredited Free" states or zones.
  - b. All animals originating from states or zones designated "Modified Accredited Advanced" must be test-negative within 60 days prior to entry.
  - c. All animals originating from states or zones designated "Modified Accredited" must:
    - (1) Originate from herds in which all animals 12 months of age and older have tested negative for TB within 12 months prior to entry; and
    - (2) The animals to be imported have tested negative to TB within 60 days prior to entry and at least 60 days after the whole herd test.
4. Statement: Vesicular Stomatitis (VS): (applies to states that experienced a Vesicular Stomatitis outbreak in the last 12 months. An accredited veterinarian shall determine whether the animals are free from VS, and shall be accompanied by a CVI with the following statement signed by the accredited veterinarian: "All animals identified on this certificate of veterinary inspection have been examined and found to be free from VS. During the past 90 days, these animals were not located within 10 miles of a site where VS has been diagnosed."

Does which are being nominated for the Colorama Sale must have a CVI (individual or listed on the herd CVI) and negative CAE, TB and Brucellosis tests within 30 days. For more information on nominating to the Colorama Sale go to the National Show website (<https://nationalshow.adga.org>).

Dairy Goats known by the exhibitor to have an infectious, contagious, communicable disease or to have been exposed to an infectious, contagious, communicable disease, or to be from a quarantined herd may not be entered in this exhibition. SORE MOUTH, ABSCESSES AND RINGWORM ARE CONSIDERED COMMUNICABLE DISEASES. THEREFORE, GOATS AFFECTED BY THESE DISEASES CANNOT BE EXHIBITED. A statement from a veterinarian that an animal is being treated for these diseases is not acceptable. Any dairy goat showing evidence of any disease, abscess in any stage, or any open contagious lesions will not be allowed to exhibit or show and will be subject to expulsion. **If any animal in a trailer is diagnosed with a contagious disease, the entire trailer of animals will not be permitted to unload and must leave the area.** The show veterinarian will inspect the animals and make the decision whether the animal will be housed or asked to leave. NOTE: **If you have any doubts as to the condition of an animal, leave them at home. Any suspected condition could result in having your animal refused admission.** This is for your benefit. All animals will receive equally rigorous inspection.

On call veterinarian will be Cindy Foulke, 717-587-0691.

**ALL ANIMALS ENTERING THE ADGA NATIONAL SHOW MUST HAVE A CVI DATED WITHIN 30 DAYS OF THE SHOW, INCLUDING THOSE FROM WITHIN PENNSYLVANIA. PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR TATTOOS ARE LEGIBLE AND YOUR CVI IS COMPLETE AND CORRECT BEFORE YOU LEAVE HOME!**

#### CVI & VET CHECK REQUIREMENTS

All exhibitors must have a CVI signed by an accredited veterinarian.  
Each animal on the CVI must be identified by:  
Tattoo (must be readable...no tattooing allowed on site), Name, Age & Tattoo. A Scrapie statement AND a Premise ID on the certificate is no longer required. Substitutions can be completed at check in.  
If Microchip is being used as a secondary ID, in case of illegible tattoo, the 840- microchip number must be on the CVI and registration papers.

#### DOGS & OTHER PETS POLICY.

**No dogs or pets other than dairy goats will be permitted in the barns or at the entrances and exits of the barns, in or around the show arena, or in or around the vendor area.** Please be considerate and leave all pets other than dairy goats at home or at your hotel. Dogs will be allowed inside your camper or on a leash in the camping area. Exceptions to the pet policy are as follows: **Official Service Animals** will be allowed in the barns and need to be clearly marked as service animals while in the barn. Service animal is defined as any dog that is individually trained to do work or perform tasks for the benefit of an individual with a disability. **ESA Animals (Emotional Support Animals)** are companion animals that a medical professional has determined provide benefit for a person with a diagnosed disability. ESA Animals are not allowed in goat housing area or around the show arena or vendor area, and if on the premises, must be accompanied by an official ESA documentation letter and clearly marked as ESA Animals.

All dogs over 3 months of age brought into this Commonwealth shall be accompanied by a certificate of

vaccination for rabies.

**EXHIBITORS:** You must have a vet signature on your check-in card before entering any barn or stall and you must bring that vet check card AND your CVI to registration paper check-in. No animals, feed or tack will be allowed in barn area or pens before the vet signature is on your check in card.

**17. CAMPING SITES:**

Camping is available on the fairgrounds with Electric only on a first come, first serve basis. They do not take reservations. There are plenty of hook ups at the poles in the parking lot. Price is \$50 for the first day and \$10 each additional day. Once on the grounds and ready to be hooked up, call the security office at 717-231-6565.

**18. EXHIBITOR RESPONSIBILITY FOR KNOWING RULES.** All exhibitors are responsible for knowing all rules, regulations and information found in this document. Failure to comply with the rules and regulations can lead to expulsion and/or forfeiture of points/awards. Any exhibitor or vendor who refuses to comply with the rules and regulations at a National Show will be prohibited from participating in future National Shows for a period of time to be determined by the Board of Directors of ADGA.

Exhibitors being considered for punishment for the violation of show rules will be notified of the infraction at the show, if possible. If not possible, the exhibitor will be notified within 45 days of the show of the violation by certified mail. The exhibitor will have 21 days to respond to the show chairman setting forth any defense to the charges and/or any other matter respondent believes helpful to the resolution of the rule violation. Once the National Show committee has decided upon any action against the exhibitor, the exhibitor will be notified by certified mail 21 days prior to the Board of Directors meeting.

The National Show Committee may request that people leave the National Show and may bar them from participation in further functions for violation of ADGA National Show Rules. In such decisions, the National Show Committee shall consult the National Show Rules and the current ADGA Guidebook, which includes the National Code of Show Ring Ethics for Exhibitors. Such action must be approved by a majority of the National Show Committee members attending the show.

**19. PRODUCTION AWARDS.** To be eligible for production awards you must submit your herd code with your entries.

**20. BUCKS.** No bucks of any age will be allowed. No exceptions.

**21. NURSING DOE KIDS.** Nursing doe kids must either be entered in the show or entered as NON-SHOW does. If entered as NON-SHOW does, they will be charged \$30per doe. NOTE: Kids must be born on or before 6/1/22 for entry in the show. **NO EXCEPTIONS!**

**22. SMOKING.** No smoking will be allowed inside any of the fairground facilities. Violators will be removed.

**23. FIRE SAFETY REQUIREMENTS.** No open flame of any sort is permitted within any building. No skateboards,

skates, roller blades, or scooters or bicycles are allowed in any building. No excessive accumulation of litter or rubbish allowed. All aisles shall remain free and clear at all times. Pens may not be extended into the aisles. **All personal bedding materials must be put away by 7 am each day.** There must be 20 feet of clearance in front of all exits. All fire alarm pull stations and any other fire protection equipment shall be free and clear of obstructions and readily visible. All fire extinguishers shall be accessible at all times! Any material used for draping and separation of pens must be of a non-flammable material and may not have a solid top (no canopies).

**24. NON-ESSENTIAL ELECTRIC REGULATIONS.**

This year the use of non-essential electrical use will be permitted. These items would be non-cooking items such as radios, TV, DVD players, digital picture frames, etc. Exhibitors will be allowed to have a small refrigerator, microwave, crock pot or coffee maker. These items must be plugged directly into an outlet, rated power cord, or power strip per the Fire Marshall. Items that may not be used include, but are not limited to: electric skillets, toaster ovens, any items with an open flame, any cooking item not listed above. Absolutely no propane or gas bottles permitted. Please be certain that all electrical cords are safely out of reach of goats and that all safety regulations are followed. Please be courteous to all those around you, as well as the entire barn.

**25. RULES COMPLIANCE.** Any exhibitor or vendor who refuses to comply with the rules and regulations at a National Show may be asked to leave immediately and will be prohibited from participation at future National Shows for a period of time to be determined by the ADGA Board of Directors.

**26. DISPLAYS AND DECORATIONS.** As always, the National Show Committee encourages herds to decorate their pens and set up promotional displays. Guidelines for decorations are as follows; All draping used for decoration or separation of pens must be flame resistant. No solid tops or canopies will be allowed. No duct tape, screws or nails may be used on floors, walls or ceilings. No adhesive backed posters, stickers or similar items permitted on the walls, columns, or doors. Decorations must not block storage room doors, fire extinguishers, fire exits, exit signs and/or fire strobe lights. The Herdsman Award will be by popular vote. We encourage exhibitors to take time to enjoy the various displays throughout the barns. Voting will be counted on the final day. Voting boxes will be in the vendor area. Put your best foot forward and you could be the winner of the Herdsmanship Award

**27. PEN BEDDING, HAY AND FEED.** Straw, Hay and feed will be available for purchase from Sunday's Mill Co. Text can be received at 717-580-3057 but please use the Pre-order forms that are available online at [www.nationalshow.org](http://www.nationalshow.org). Only straw may be used as bedding. **NO SHAVINGS PERMITTED.**

**28. FOOD.** Food will be available by C&J Catering, 717-576-1610, [info@candjcatering.com](mailto:info@candjcatering.com). Food vendor will be cashless and only accepts credit cards or cash cards. A cash machine that issues cards will be available.

**29. POLICY REGARDING SALES FROM PENS.** Absolutely no goods are to be sold from exhibitors' pens. This includes, but is not limited to soap, cheese, handmade arts and crafts, jewelry, tack, goat supplies or semen. In order to sell these items, you must obtain a vendor's

contract and sell your items in the vendor area. We offer a reduced rate for the home craft vendor.

30. **RAFFLES.** Tickets for this year’s Raffle Kids will be available online. All raffle tickets will need to be purchased online before and during the National Show from the link provided. (<https://nationalshow.adga.org/raffle-2/>) Winners will be drawn on Thursday 6/30/22 at 12:00 PM Noon EST.
31. **ORDER OF SHOW.** In the interest of time management or in the case of an emergency, the order of the show is subject to change.
32. **POLICY STATEMENT REGARDING CLARIFICATION ON “DAMAGE AND/OR ACCIDENTAL INJURY RESPONSIBILITY.”** Each exhibitor or vendor will be solely responsible for any consequential or other loss, injury or damage done to or occasioned by, or arising from any animal or article exhibited or for sale by him/her and shall hold harmless the American Dairy Goat Association against all liability in regard thereto. The American Dairy Goat Association will take reasonable precautions to ensure the safety of exhibits and property of every description entered for competition or display or any other purpose while anywhere on the grounds that shall be subject to the control of the ADGA, but the owners themselves must take the risk of exhibiting them. In no case will ADGA be responsible in any way for any loss, damages, or injury of any character to any property, article, or person, while same is on the Fairgrounds or any other time or place, nor be liable for or make any payment for damage, loss or injury. Presentation of entry form and/or vendor form shall be deemed acceptance of this rule.

3-00 to 3-11	645	293	22.58	10.24	19.35	8.78
4-00 to 4-11	675	306	23.63	10.72	20.25	9.19
5-00 or older	690	313	24.15	10.95	20.70	9.39

**II. Highest Production Award**

- A. Awarded to the highest producing doe in milk in each breed that has completed a 305-day or less lactation within the last 365 days and placing in the top 12 in her class.
- B. Awarded to the highest producing doe in butterfat in each breed that has completed a 305-day or less lactation within the last 365 days and placing in the top 12 in her class.

**III. Highest Lifetime Production Awards**

- A. Awarded to the highest lifetime production in milk in each breed (and placing in the top 12 in her class).
- B. Awarded to the highest lifetime production in butterfat by breed (and placing in the top 12 in her class).

Lifetime totals on record with ADGA will be used. If not at ADGA, application must have been made with entries along with an Individual Doe page showing lifetime totals for completed lactations. Records in progress on 2018 lactations will not be added to the total.

**IV. Total Performer Award**

This award is designed to support animals which excel in all three areas of ADGA’s performance programs. Points are allotted based on DHIA records, linear appraisal scores, and placement points from the doe’s individual age class at the National Show. The award will be \$100.00 for the highest qualifying doe from each breed shown. This is a separate award from the individual production awards.

How to enter-

Provide copies of the DHIA record if not in the ADGA database. Only official records will be accepted. The records do not have to be the most recent, but the production record must be a single lactation of 305 days or less. Please indicate the record you want us to use and the year of appraisal you want to have considered and it will be verified against the database. **Production Record Entry Application must be included with National Show entries.** Documentation should be available at the show in case of questions. Does must be shown at the National Show. There is no entry fee for this award.

Point calculations-

Points are given in each of the three categories and will be adjusted so that production points (milk, fat and protein) roughly balance with type points (appraisal and class placings).

Type score –

- I. Appraisal score – actual score X2 (Example – FS90 x 2 = 180 pts.)
- II. Placing score – class placing points X 6 (See National Show packet for breakdown. Example – 1<sup>st</sup> with 1<sup>st</sup> udder = (25+5) X 6 = 180 pts)

Production score –

- I. Milk production (lbs) X .07 (Example – 2500 lbs = 175 pts)
- II. Fat + Protein (lbs) X 1 (1 point for each lb)

**PRODUCTION POINTS**

Policy Statement Regarding Clarification on Requirements for Production Points and Awards Presented at the National Show (As Passed by the Board of Directors 10/90):

**I. Production Record Requirement for Points**

These requirements are to conform to DHIR requirements for a doe to be eligible for Advanced Registry by ADGA. A doe may meet these requirements for either milk or butterfat. A doe may qualify for these points with a record made at any age.

**Standard Breeds:**

Age at Freshening	Milk		Butterfat		Protein	
	Lbs.	Kg	Lbs.	Kg	Lbs.	Kg
2-00 or younger	1500	680	52.50	23.81	45.00	20.41
2-01 to 2-11	1536	697	53.76	24.39	46.08	20.90
3-00 to 3-11	1608	729	56.28	25.53	48.24	21.88
4-00 to 4-11	1680	762	58.80	26.67	50.40	22.86
5-00 or older	1716	778	60.06	27.24	51.48	23.35

**Miniature Breeds:**

Age at Freshening	Milk		Butterfat		Protein	
	Lbs.	Kg	Lbs.	Kg	Lbs.	Kg
2-00 or younger	600	272	21.00	9.53	18.00	8.16
2-01 to 2-11	615	279	21.53	9.76	18.45	8.37

**BASE DATE  
JUNE 26, 2022**

**DIVISIONS AND CLASSES**

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(A) Alpine, (L) LaMancha, (D) Nigerian Dwarf, (N) Nubian, (B) Oberhasli, (S) Saanen, (C) Sable, (T) Toggenburg and (RG) Recorded Grade.

Classes	Birth Date	L Class	T Class	RG Class	S Class	B Class	A Class	D Class	N Class	C Class
Jr. Kid	(4/1/22 - 5/29/22)	1	19	37	53	71	89	107	125	143
Intermediate Kid	(3/1/22 - 3/31/22)	2	20	38	54	72	90	108	126	144
Sr. Kid	(1/1/22 - 2/28/22)	3	21	39	55	73	91	109	127	145
Jr. Yearling	(5/1/21 - 12/31/21)	4	22	40	56	74	92	110	128	146
Sr. Yearling	(6/25/20 - 4/30/21)	5	23	41	57	75	93	111	129	147
<b>JUNIOR CHAMPION</b>										
<b>RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION</b>										
Best Three Junior Does		6	24	42	58	76	94	112	130	148
Jr. Get-of-Sire		7	25	161	59	77	95	113	131	149
Yearling Milker	(6/25/20 and under)	8	26	43	60	78	96	114	132	150
2 Year-Old Milker	(6/25/19 - 6/26/20)	9	27	44	61	79	97	115	133	151
3 Year-Old Milker	(6/25/18 - 6/26/19)	10	28	45	62	80	98	116	134	152
4 Year-Old Milker	(6/25/17 - 6/26/18)	11	29	46	63	81	99	117	135	153
5 & 6 Year-Old Milkers	(6/25/15 - 6/26/17)	12	30	47	64	82	100	118	136	154
7 Years and Older	(6/26/15 and before)	13	31	48	65	83	101	119	137	155
<b>SENIOR CHAMPION</b>										
<b>RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION</b>										
<b>GRAND CHAMPION</b>										
<b>RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION</b>										
<b>BEST UDDER</b>										
<b>RESERVE BEST UDDER</b>										
Dairy Herd		14	32	49	66	84	102	120	138	156
Best Three Senior Does		15	33	50	67	85	103	121	139	157
Senior Get-of-Sire		16	34	162	68	86	104	122	140	158
Produce of Dam		17	35	51	69	87	105	123	141	159
Dam & Daughter		18	36	52	70	88	106	124	142	160

**GROUP REQUIREMENTS**

**JUNIOR GET-OF-SIRE:**

Three does, senior yearlings or younger, the get of one sire. Animals may be owned by more than one exhibitor. Sire must be named on entry form.

**DAIRY HERD:**

Four does in milk, all owned by exhibitor. Each exhibitor limited to one entry.

**BEST THREE JUNIOR DOES:**

3 does from Junior Division, all bred and owned by exhibitor. Each exhibitor limited to one entry.

**BEST THREE SENIOR DOES:**

3 does from Senior Division, all bred and owned by exhibitor. Each exhibitor limited to one entry.

**SENIOR GET-OF-SIRE:**

Three does, the get of one sire, milking yearlings or older. Animals may be owned by more than one exhibitor. Sire must be named on entry form.

**PRODUCE OF DAM:**

Two does, from Senior Division, produce of same dam. Animals may be owned by more than one exhibitor. Dam must be named on entry form. Class limited to does in milk only (Senior Does).

**DAM & DAUGHTER:**

One doe and one of her daughters, from Senior Division. Daughter must be bred by exhibitor, and both must be owned by exhibitor. Each entry must consist of two animals, no one animal may be used in two entries.

Note: All Senior Group Classes limited to does from Senior Division.

## SPECIAL AWARDS

### HERDSMAN AWARD

This award will be presented to the exhibitor-herdsman whose behavior and exhibit, in the opinion of the other exhibitors and the National Show Committee, best reflects a positive image in the following areas and practices of exhibiting dairy goats:

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|-----------------------------|------------------|
| 1. Promotion of Dairy Goats | 4. Cleanliness   |
| 2. Cooperation              | 5. Sportsmanship |
| 3. Good Attitude            | 6. Educational   |

For the purpose of Exhibitor Award calculations, a Designated Herd Unit entry will use all animals that qualified to be shown within the Designated Herd Unit. However, for Breeder Award calculations, the Designated Herd Unit designation will not be applied. This award will be based on memberships of each breeder as designated by member identification numbers.

### PREMIER EXHIBITOR AWARD *Each Breed*

This award is made to the exhibitor of eight or fewer does winning the most points in open single competition. At least one doe must be in milk. If more than eight does are shown by one exhibitor, the award is automatically figured on top eight does winning the most points. Production points and udder points are included. Limited to the two highest per class.

### PREMIER BREEDER *Each Breed*

The Premier Breeder award is made to the breeder of eight or fewer does winning the most points in open single competition, regardless of the current exhibitor. At least one doe must be in milk. If more than eight does bred by one breeder are shown, then the award is automatically figured on the top eight does winning the most points. Production points and udder points are included (Limited to two highest per class). The Reserve Premier Breeder award is made to the breeder with the second highest number of points, based on the same criteria.

### PREMIER SIRE *\*Each Breed\**

This award is made to the sire whose get wins the greatest total number of points in the regular individual and championship classes.

Place	Dry Points	Milking Points	Class	Champion Points
1	12	15	Jr.Champion	7
2	11	14	Res.Jr.Champion	5
3	10	13	Sr.Champion	7
4	9	12	Res.Sr.Champion	5
5	8	11	GrandChampion	7
6	7	10	Res.GrandChampion	5
7	6	9	BestUdder	3
8	5	8	Res.BestUdder	2
9	4	7		
10	3	6		

1. There must be at least 3 exhibitors within the breed. Separate award for each breed.
2. Points will only be counted in individual classes where competition exists between at least two exhibitors.
3. At least two different offspring of the buck must contribute points on which the award is based. One of the two must be in milk.
4. A sire will receive credit for points no matter who exhibits his offspring. Points from not more than two offspring, however, will be credited to a given sire in any one class. These points will be taken from the two offspring earning the greatest number of points regardless of exhibitor.
5. The award will be presented to the exhibitor earning highest on the following list:
  - a. The current owner.
  - b. The last owner of the sire; if animal is deceased.
  - c. The last among the exhibitors to own the sire; if the animal is alive.
  - d. The exhibitor owning get contributing the greatest number of points in winning the award.
  - e. The exhibitor making entries first according to postmark on entries.
  - f. In case of a tie, the buck with the largest number of offspring receiving points will receive the award.

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## AWARDS AND POINTS

<b>CLASS POINTS</b>	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th
JuniorKid	20	18	16	14	12	10	8	7	6	5	4	3
IntermediateKid	20	18	16	14	12	10	8	7	6	5	4	3
SeniorKid	20	18	16	14	12	10	8	7	6	5	4	3
Jr. Yearling	20	18	16	14	12	10	8	7	6	5	4	3
Sr. Yearling	20	18	16	14	12	10	8	7	6	5	4	3
Yearling Milker	25	23	20	18	16	14	12	11	10	9	8	7
TwoYearOld Milker	25	23	20	18	16	14	12	11	10	9	8	7
ThreeYearOld Milker	25	23	20	18	16	14	12	11	10	9	8	7
FourYearOld Milker	25	23	20	18	16	14	12	11	10	9	8	7
Five&SixYrOld Milkers	25	23	20	18	16	14	12	11	10	9	8	7
SevenYearsandOver	25	23	20	18	16	14	12	11	10	9	8	7
Production	3	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Udder(seeNote3)	5	4	3									

**NOTE 1:** Recorded Grades will be eligible for points.

**NOTE 2:** A minimum of 100 animals entered and 80 animals shown, 40 in milk, are required to establish a dairy breed as a competitive breed. Failing to meet this minimum will not qualify the breed for points.

**NOTE 3:** Does will be judged on udder for First, Second and Third place in each of the milking classes, and will be milked in the ring at the discretion of the judge. No entry fee is required.

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