

# Book 6 - 4-H/FFA Dairy/Angora Goat

#50 Show Arena - Tuesday, October 8<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 a.m.

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**HOUSING FORMS:** Junior Fair Exhibitors housing animal(s) in a location other than the property on which they reside must obtain and file a Livestock Housing Form with the Senior Fair Office. Deadline for filling out this form is the deadline set forth for possession of the animal. For more specifications, refer to the General Rules.

**QUALITY ASSURANCE:** As mandated by the Ohio Department of Agriculture, each exhibitor must have attended an educational experience by June 30<sup>th</sup> of current year to participate in the Fairfield County Junior Fair. Club/Chapter Quality Assurance Clinics taught by a Trained and Certified Assistant Instructor or the Countywide Make-up Clinics are required for exhibitors to meet this requirement. Countywide Make-up Clinics are: Sunday, May 5<sup>th</sup>, 2019, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. or Saturday, May 18<sup>th</sup>, 2019, 9:30 - 11:30 a.m. at the Ed Sands Building. Refer to page 9 for more information.

**HEALTH PAPERS** are not required except for a valid and current Drug Use Notification Form (DUNF) for milking animals. [Fairfield County Code: 94]

**ENTRIES:** Exhibitors may enter no more than two entries per class and no more than 5 total (not to exceed 7 entries in Book 6-Dairy/Angora Goats, Book 7-Meat/Market Goats, and Book 8-Pygmy Goats).

**ARRIVAL TIME:** Before unloading at the fairgrounds, the animal's tattoo or tag must be checked with the animal's paperwork by the appropriate Show Committee Personnel, to comply USDA Scrapie Regulation. Check-in time is Saturday, October 5<sup>th</sup> from 8:00 a. m. - 12:00 p.m.

**RELEASE TIME:** 12:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Saturday. No animals will be removed from the fairgrounds prior to the stated release time without approval from the Junior Fair Director or Senior Fair Board. Any exhibitor violating this rule will be barred from exhibiting that particular specie the following year.

**PREMIUM:** Project Books are to be checked by club/chapter advisors on an annual basis. If an exhibitor does not complete a project book and turn it into the advisor prior to the fair, s/he will be ineligible to receive a premium for that specie at the county fair for that year. It is the advisor's responsibility to notify the entry department of this ineligibility.

## Junior Fair Goat Exhibitors in NON-MARKET classes

1. The 4-H/FFA exhibitors can buy a Doe/Angora Wether that has the required official USDA tag or tattoo. This is legal to show at the Fairfield County Fair. Either the buyer or seller must make sure the animal has official USDA tag or tattoo, best if it is the seller. NOTE: Legible registration tattoos may be used to identify dairy and angora does when the animal is accompanied by their original registration certificate listing the tattoo number (copies are not acceptable). All animals must be tattooed/tagged prior to arriving at the fairgrounds.
2. The 4-H/FFA exhibitors must be sure that the animal has an official USDA tag or tattoo. They may get their own tags or tattooing or have their veterinarian do it. (For more information call the Ohio APHIS Dept. at 614-856-4735).
3. **Remember** that Federal law prohibits removing the official USDA tag or tattoo from any animal, but any animal can have more than one official USDA tag or tattoo.

## **DAIRY/ANGORA GOATS NEED OFFICIAL IDENTIFICATION TO COMPLY WITH STATE AND/OR FEDERAL LAW AND BE SHOWN AT THE FAIRFIELD COUNTY JUNIOR FAIR:**

Goat Classes:      PREMIUMS:      "A" = \$4.50      "B" = \$3.50      "C" = \$2.50

1. Junior Kid, born May and June of the current year
2. Intermediate Kid, born March and April of the current year
3. Senior Kid, born January and February of the current year
4. Junior Yearling, born April through December of the previous year, unfreshened
5. Senior Yearling, born January, February, March of the previous year, unfreshened

## **DOES IN CLASSES 6, 7, 8, and 9 MUST HAVE FRESHENED OR ARE BEING MILKED REGULARLY:**

6. Milker, 1 year old and under 2
7. Milker, 2 years old and under 3
8. Milker, 3 years and under 5
9. Milker, Aged over 5 years
10. Milker, Freshened Doe, not currently in milk, any age (optional class). May show in the milking age division or this class.
11. Angora, Wether (any age)
12. Angora Junior Doe (Under 24 months unfreshened)
13. Angora Senior Doe

## READ THE GENERAL RULES AND HEALTH REGULATIONS

### Special Rules

1. All goats must be dehorned, except angora goats.
2. Animals must show no evidence of illness, abscesses, open sores & wounds, sore mouth, or foot rot.
3. All animals exhibited must be completely and fully owned (as evidenced by a bill of sale or registration papers) and in the complete possession and continual care of the exhibitor on and after July 1<sup>st</sup>.
4. Exhibitors leasing dairy goats must obtain and file a Lease Agreement Form to the OSU Extension Office by July 1st of the current year.
5. Angora goats must not be shorn.
6. All dairy breeds will show together.
7. One milking pen will be provided for each dairy goat family who has animal(s) in milk production if space is available.
8. Any exhibitor who neglects their livestock at the fair will forfeit premiums, prize money, and will be barred from the goat show one or more years.

9. Goat milk will be dumped in an approved container provided by the Senior Fair Board.
10. All judges in the Dairy/Angora Goat show will be hired by the Senior Fair Board and will be Qualified and Licensed ADGA Dairy Goat judges.
11. Any class including showmanship that exceeds 15 animals will have a mandatory split with separate heats of equal numbers with the top five of each heat returning to the show ring to determine the class winners.
12. No animals that are any percentage Boer may show in the Dairy Goat Show. This show is limited to recognized dairy goat breeds only.

**Dairy/Angora Goat Showmanship**

Showmanship will be divided into the following divisions, I (Ages 15-18); II (Ages 12-14); III (Ages 9-11); IV (Beginner, First year dairy/angora goat exhibitor under age 11).

1. Rules and conditions apply to all divisions.
2. All ages are as of January 1<sup>st</sup> of the current year.
3. Each exhibitor must show their own animal in showmanship that they have entered as their individual fair entry.
4. The Senior Showmanship winner will participate in the Super Showmanship Contest. An exhibitor can compete only once in Super Showmanship representing Dairy/Angora Goats. If the Senior Showmanship winner has already participated in the Super Showmanship Contest representing Dairy/Angora Goats, the highest placing Senior Showmanship participant who has not competed in Super Showmanship representing Dairy/Angora Goats will compete in the contest.

**Dairy/Angora Goat Premier Exhibitor**

1. The Dairy/Angora Goat Premier Exhibitor with the highest point total from up to four of the following Fairfield County Junior Fair activities: Goat Knowledge Test, Junior Doe (Kid & Yearling) Class Placing, Milking Doe Class Placing, Dairy/Angora Goat Showmanship, and Goat Project Book Contest.
2. The Goat Knowledge Test on the assigned days and times will be the only opportunity for participants to complete the Knowledge Test and be eligible to participate in the Dairy/Angora Premier Exhibitor Contest. All ages will compete against each other for the rankings and points for the Knowledge Test. A tiebreaker section will be included on the test and will be counted only if there is a tie on the Knowledge Test. If a tie still remains after the test, the points will be added together and divided equally among the tied exhibitors.
3. In the event of an overall point tie the highest Knowledge Test placing will be used to break the tie. If that doesn't break the tie, placings in the following order will be used until the tie is broken: Goat Showmanship, Milking Doe Class, **Junior** Doe Class.
4. Exhibitors must turn in their own book for the project book competition. To be eligible for the project book competition, all books must be turned in by the end of the Market Goat Weigh-In. At the time of book submission, one question from the project book (pertaining to both 4-H and FFA project books) will be answered by the exhibitor for use in the event of a tie.
5. If exhibiting more than one goat, only the highest class placing animal will be used for Premier Goat Exhibitor scoring.
6. Only the points an exhibitor earns from placing in his/her showmanship age division class can be used in the Dairy/Angora Goat Premier Exhibitor Contest.

**Scoring Chart for Dairy/Angora Goat Premier Exhibitor**

\*These categories utilize the 'step down' method chart which is included under the categories on the table.

	Testing Placing Points	Showmanship Placing Points	Class Placing Junior Doe Points*			Class Placing Milking Doe Points*		Project Book Contest
			1 animal in class	2 animals in class	3 animals in class	4 animals in class	5 + animals in class	
1st Place	5	5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0	5
2nd Place	4	4		2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4
3rd Place	3	3			2.0	2.5	3.0	3
4th Place	2	2				1.5	2.0	2
5th Place	1	1					1.0	1