



Dairy Goat – Youth Department YDG - Use Form B

SUPERINTENDENT

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If you are unable to reach the department superintendent please call the Fair office at 602-252-0717

Entry Fees: \$5 per animal, per class
\$10 pen fee per exhibitor - Pen fees will be refunded if exhibitor participates with Fair preparation April 11th, 8:00am - 12:00pm

Entry Deadline: March 13, 2009

Receiving: Tuesday, April 14, 2009, 12:00pm - 8:00pm
Use McDowell Road & 17th Ave.

Location: The Plaza Building.

Release: Sunday, April 19, 2009, 6:00pm - 8:00pm

Credential Policy: Refer to 2009 Credentials Policy for fair pass information.

Exhibitors entering this department must abide by the following rules:

General Rules & Regulations

Livestock Rules

Department Rules

Please read and understand all rules before entering this department

YOUTH DAIRY GOAT DEPARTMENT RULES

ENTRY INTO THIS DEPARTMENT, USE: FORM - B

One exhibitor and one breed per entry form. Copy of Seasonal Pass must accompany entry form. Showmanship, team fitting and wether entries must also be listed. ***If an entry is received incomplete, the fair office will return the entry to the exhibitor. The entry will be accepted if completed and received in the fair office ALONG WITH A \$25 PROCESSING FEE within 10 days of request. If not received with the processing fee or received after the 10 days, the entry will not be accepted.*** Entry must be received in Fair Office no later than March 13. (Postmarks are not accepted.) Entry fees are not refundable. Mail entries with checks payable to: Maricopa County Fair, 1826 W McDowell Rd. Phoenix, AZ 85007

SHOWMANSHIP: Friday, April 17 - 8:00am.

JUDGING: Breed Divisions - 15 minutes after Showmanship starting with division 100 Alpines then continue in numerical order.

SUBSTITUTIONS: Substitutions will be accepted at receiving **ONLY** when registered ownership of substituting animal is the same as that of the scratched animal on a properly completed entry form.

HERDSMANSHIP: Awards will be presented to participating Dairy Clubs using the ADGA Herdsmanship Scorecard:

Points /Sub-points

I. Preparation of the Exhibit

Adequate, clean bright bedding 10
Animals attractively spaced in pens 10
Decorations neat and attractive 10
Appropriate signs 5
Well-chosen color schemed background,
Tack-boxes, etc.5 40

II. Appearance and Attitude of Exhibitors

Knowledgeable, courteous, friendly, able to answer questions about exhibit or dairy goats. 15
Clothes and person neat and clean, appropriately dressed 5 20

III. Care of Exhibit

Dairy Goats clean, clipped before show, and feet trimmed. 20
Aisles kept neat and clean 10
Attractive, organized feeders/feed equipment. Feed/equipment kept clean and stored neatly when not in use. Out of sight if possible. 10 40

Total possible: 100 **100**

Areas will be checked twice daily. Points will be given daily and at the end of the fair. The top three 4-H/FFA/Open Youth Clubs will be given the following awards:

First-\$25 Second-\$15 Third-\$10

DAIRY GOAT EXHIBITORS PLEASE NOTE:

1. All animals must be kept in livestock area. Any exhibitor found with their animal outside livestock area will not be allowed to participate in the auction.
2. This show is an officially recognized show by the American Dairy Goat Association. Must have 10 animals of same breed owned by 2 different exhibitors.
3. Age base is April 8, 2009.
4. Any doe over 24 months of age, never freshened, can not be shown in breed classes, but may be shown in showmanship.
5. Scurs, on does over 2", not accepted.
6. Bucks and horned animals are not eligible.
7. Animals are to come clipped/trimmed - show ready at check-in.
8. Exhibitors are responsible for tattoos on animals entering the show ring.
9. Pens will be assigned by the Superintendent based on the number of animals entered. No pen switching will be allowed. Tack pens will be assigned only if space is available. No pen consideration will be made for animals not entered in the show.

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10. Maricopa County Fair will provide the initial bedding only.
11. Maricopa County Fair Dress Code required. Refer to
Livestock Rules - #25

BREED DIVISIONS

DIVISION 3200: Alpine - Registered

DIVISION 3201: Lamancha - Registered

DIVISION 3202: Nubian - Registered

DIVISION 3203: All other Purebreds

DIVISION 3204: Recorded Grades

Junior Does

Class Description

100	Junior Kid: Born February 1, 2009 ~ April 1, 2009
101	Senior Kid: Born July 1, 2007 ~ January 31, 2009
102	Junior Yearling: Born February 1, 2007 ~ June 30, 2008
103	Senior Yearling: Born April 9, 2006 ~ January 31, 2008

Junior Champion ~ First Place winners from each Class will return for selection of this champion.

Reserve Junior Champion ~ selected from remaining First place winners and doe that stood Second to Junior Champion.

Senior Does

Class Description

104	Milker: yearling - less than 2 yr
105	Milker: 2yr less than 3yr
106	Milker: 3yr less than 4yr
107	Milker: 4yr less than 5yr
108	Milker: 5yr and over

Senior Champion ~ First place winners from each class will return for this selection. **Reserve Senior Champion** ~ Selected from remaining First place winners and doe that stood Second to Senior Champion. **Grand Champion** ~ Selected from the Junior Champion, Junior Reserve Champion, Senior Champion, and Senior Reserve champion does. **Reserve Grand Champion** ~ Selected from the remaining Champion and Reserve Champion Does, after Grand Champion has been selected. **Best Doe of Show**

DIVISION 3205: Dairy Goat Team Fitting

1. Date and Time will be posted.
2. Superintendent office will have team rosters, final rules and scorecards.
3. Team members must be named by their leader or parent on a separate entry Form B.
4. Teams consist of three members: Junior teams must be all junior members - Senior teams must have at least two senior members, one junior member may be substituted.
5. All equipment must be in the ring before the start of the contest: Only team members can handle equipment during the contest - Each team will be limited to one set of large clippers and one set of small clippers (extra sets of clippers may be kept at the Superintendent's table in case of mechanical failure). No hoof trimmers or grain will be allowed in the ring.
6. The fair is not responsible for lost or stolen equipment.
7. Teams will be judged on ability to fit the animal for show - work as a team - cleanliness of work area - showmanship of animal and whatever other areas the judge feels may be appropriate.
8. A member of each team must be prepared to show the animal in dress whites.
9. ADGA rules will be used in judging.

Class Description

109	Junior Team Fitting: 3 Junior members - trim and fit a Dairy Goat, for show, in 60 minutes.
110	Senior Team Fitting: 3 Senior members (can borrow 1 Junior) - trim and fit a Dairy Goat, for show, in 45 minutes.

DIVISION 3206: Wethers

Animals will be weighed on Wednesday, April 15th. Superintendents post divisions after weigh-in. Judging Wether divisions will begin 15 minutes after the end of Youth Breed Classes on Thursday, April 16th. The Danish judging system will be used.

1. Wethers' exhibitors have the option of entering the Small Stock Auction. To participate in the Auction exhibitors **MUST** fill out an Auction Application and submit it with entry by the deadline date.
2. Can enter and sell a total of two Dairy Goats.
3. Animals will be auctioned by the head, not by the pound.
4. Wethers must be clipped prior to judging. Entries should be clipped prior to arrival.
5. Any wether may be shown in the division regardless of weight, but may not participate in the Auction.

Class Description

111	Wether: any breed or mix - January 1, 2009, or after
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DIVISION 3207: Does for Auction

Does are eligible to participate in the Auction if they were shown in any of the regular classes or be entered in this specific "Does for Auction" division.

1. Exhibitors **MUST** complete an Auction Application and submit it with your entry by the deadline date to participate in the Auction.
2. Exhibitors are limited to sell a total of two Dairy Goats in the Auction.
3. This class will use the Danish Judging System.

Class Description

112	Doe: less than 2 yrs old
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DIVISION 3208: Get of Sire: 3 does from same sire

DIVISION 3209: Produce of Dam: 2 does from same dam

DIVISION 3210: Breeder's Choice: 3 does bred & owned by exhibitor

DIVISION 3211: Dairy Herd: 4 does owned by the exhibitor

DIVISION 1200: Small Animal Costume Contest - No entry fee if animal is already entered. Friday, April 17, 2009, 6:00pm - Pygmy Goat show ring. Animals **MUST be entered in fair to be entered in the costume class. Costumes already used in this event may **NOT** be used this year.**

Class Description

201	ages 9 and under
202	ages 10 & 11
203	ages 12 & 13
204	ages 14 thru 18
205	ages 19 & over

DIVISION 9999: Showmanship

Class Description

100	Junior Novice: Junior member - first year project
101	Junior: 9yrs -12yrs prior to Jan. 1, 2009
102	Intermediate Novice: Intermediate member - first year project
103	Intermediate: 13yrs -15yrs prior to Jan. 1, 2009
104	Senior Novice: Senior member - first year project
105	Senior: 16yrs -18yrs prior to Jan. 1, 2009

Winners from Classes 101, 103, 105 will represent the Dairy Goat Department in the **Round Robin Showmanship Contest, Sunday, April 19, 2009.**

Top Showman: Will be chosen from classes 101, 103, and 105. This showman will receive an overall outstanding Dairy Goat Top Showmanship Award.