

DEPARTMENT EE – Meat Goats

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Date: Monday, August 17
Starts promptly at 9:00 a.m.

NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES WILL BE ALLOWED ON FAIRGROUNDS. NO DOGS OR VEHICLES. NO LASER LIGHTS.

Meat Goat exhibitors must have the state veterinarian check each animal and health papers before unloading. A copy of the health certificate must be sent with the entry form.

READ AND FOLLOW ALL RULES

1. Entries close July 30, 2019
2. The base date for computing the age is the day of the show.
3. Entries may be registered or grade.
4. Current health papers are required.
5. Disbudding/Dehorning not required for MEAT Goats. Horns 4” or more must be tipped for NYS Fair.
6. MEAT Goat Identification Requirements:
IF REGISTERED: must have a tattoo that matches their registration papers.
IF UNREGISTERED: must have a Scrapie tag.
7. An exhibitor may enter as many animals per class, but will only receive two premiums per class – ribbons awarded as judged.
8. Animals shown in group classes must have been shown in individual classes.
9. A family may show as one exhibitor or members of a family may show as individual exhibitors. Borrowing of animals is permitted in class 14 only.
10. Exhibitors must follow standards printed in front of this book. All exhibitors must clean up areas used by them before leaving. Failure to do so will cause forfeiture of prizes.
11. Exhibitors must be limited to those who will be exhibiting all week.

BREEDS

Must be at least 50% recognized Meat Goat breed.

CLASSES

Animals must be entered as breeding or a market animal – not both.

1. Doe kid; 3 months and under 6 months
 2. Doe kid; 6 months and under 9 months
 3. Doe kid; 9 months and under 12 months
Junior Grand and Junior Reserve Grand Champion
 4. Doe; 12 months to 15 months
 - 4a Doe: 16 months to 20 months
 - 4b Doe: 20 months to 24 months
 5. Doe; 1 yr. old and under 2 – currently nursing kids
 6. Doe; 1 yr. old and under 2 – dry, but has kidded in past 12 month
“Yearling Grand and Yearling Reserve Grand Champion”
 7. Doe; 2 yrs. Old and under 3 – currently nursing kids
 8. Doe; 2 yrs. Old and under 3 – dry, but has kidded in past 12 months
 9. Aged Does; over 3 yrs. Old – currently nursing kids
 10. Aged Does; over 3 yrs. Old – dry, but has kidded in past 12 months
Senior Grand and Senior Reserve Grand Champion
11. Market Animal – must be born after January 1st of current year. Does or wethers are permitted, but are limited to this class only.
- a. Lightweight – up to 60 lbs.
 - b. Heavyweight – over 60 lbs.
Market Grand and Market Reserve Grand Champion
12. Best Bred & Owned – Market Animal
13. Best Bred & Owned – Breeding Animal
14. Dam & Daughter
15. Herd - 3 doe owned by exhibitor, one entry per exhibitor

Supreme Champion

(Junior Grand Champion, Senior Grand Champion, Market Grand Champion)

SHOWMANSHIP

16. Peewee Showmanship, up to 7
17. Novice Showmanship, Ages 8-11
18. Junior Showmanship, Ages 12-15
19. Senior Showmanship, Ages 16-19
20. Master Showman

MEAT GOAT PREMIUMS

Prize money to the first 5 places with ribbons to 5th place.

No. of entries per class	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
1	\$8.80	-	-	-	-
2	\$9.90	\$7.70	-	-	-
3	\$11.00	\$8.80	\$7.70	-	-
4	\$12.10	\$9.90	\$8.80	\$5.50	-
5	\$13.20	\$11.00	\$9.90	\$6.60	\$4.40

PEN DECORATION

1st place – \$13.20 2nd place - \$11.00 3rd place - \$9.90 4th place - \$6.60

These awards will be given to the exhibitors based on:

1. Neatness
2. Originality
3. Attractiveness
4. Color

Theme for this year:

“2020 Vision of Farming's Future”

HERDSMANSHIP

1st place – \$13.20 2nd place - \$11.00 3rd place - \$9.90 4th place - \$6.60

These awards will be given to exhibitors maintaining the best record throughout Fair week, taking into consideration the following points:

1. Personal appearance of exhibitor.
2. Neatness and cleanliness of exhibitor, stalls, animals and storage area.
3. Willingness to cooperate with the Superintendent.