# DIVISION J - JUNIOR Department 105 - Goats

Superintendent - Kristina Weld

# ALL ANIMALS MUST HAVE AN ACCEPTED I.D. NUMBER TATTOOS MUST BE LEGIBLE \* NO CHAIN TAGS (Scrapie Tag / USDA 840 Tag / Legible Scrapie Tattoo)

**SAWDUST:** The Richland County Fair Committee has ruled that a **SAWDUST BASE OF 4**"will be allowed in the barns. Wood shavings or shredded paper will be allowed but NO tree bark.

- Vet Check-In Sheet. You must have the sheets properly filled out when bringing in your animals, along with DI numbers and vet inspection certificate and/or test papers. All vet check-in sheets MUST be filled out and given to the Department Superintendent. Those who DO NOT have their sheets filled out will not be checked in and will be asked to leave. Once animals are in place, they will be checked by the fair vet in the barns starting at 5 p.m.
- **Identification for Goats** Identification deadline is June 15. Official ID includes Scrapie ear tags or legible tail or flank tattoos, USDA 840 ear tag, and if accompanied by breed registration papers must be in the owner's name, or breed association tattoo if accompanied by registration papers in the owner's name.
- To show a goat at the Richland County Fair, exhibitor must own or manage the animal. Exhibitors may only show one animal per entry. **Females only shall be shown in breed classes.**
- Please refer to rules and Animal Health Requirements in front of this book and identification required under the Richland County Meat Animal Sale Rules of Sale.
- All sexually intact animals will be required to have the appropriate scrapie and/or flock identification tag or tattoo.
- Does under 24 months of age that have never freshened may compete only with Junior age classification. Does 24
  months of age or over that have never freshened cannot be shown. Does that have freshened, including dry milkers, may
  compete only in the senior age division. Age shall be determined at the opening date of the fair. ONLY FEMALES
  SHALL BE SHOWN.
- Male goats (non-wethers) and goats with full natural horns may not be entered except for breed standard.
- **REMINDER** Goats, both dairy and meat, are to be brought on Wednesday of the fair as all goats will be shown and judged on Thursday following the Sheep Show scheduled at 10 a.m.
- \*\*Junior & Open Class exhibitors are responsible for taking down and storing pens they were assigned. Failure
  to do so will result in forfeiture of fair premiums\*\*

#### **CLASS - BARN-CAGE MANAGEMENT**

Youth organizations are required to participate in Sheep Barn Management and must submit an online entry made out in the name of the youth organization at the time Junior entries are due and pay the entry fee. The prizes will be given upon the basis of clean, neat, well-kept stalls and exhibit, evident of good livestock care and management, education and attitude and behavior of exhibitors.

#### **ENTRY**

| Description          | Blue | Red  | White | Pink |
|----------------------|------|------|-------|------|
| Goat Barn Management | 5.00 | 4.00 | 3.00  | 2.00 |

#### **CLASS – BREEDING DAIRY GOATS**

#### **ENTRY**

| Description                    | Blue  | Red                          | White | Pink |
|--------------------------------|-------|------------------------------|-------|------|
| Alpine                         |       |                              |       |      |
| Any other breed, non-crossbred | Deser |                              |       |      |
| LaMancha                       | Prem  | Premiums listed in Sub-Entry |       |      |
| Sable                          |       |                              |       |      |

#### SUB-ENTRY

| Description   Blue   Red   White   P |
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| Exhibitor Herd, shall consist of 1 doe under 1 year of age, 1 yearling doe, and 1 doe 2 years+, owned by exhibitor | 5.00 | 4.00 | 3.00 | 2.00 |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|
| Kid – Junior, under 4 months                                                                                       | 5.00 | 4.00 | 3.00 | 2.00 |
| Kid – Senior, at least 4 months but less than 7 months old                                                         | 5.00 | 4.00 | 3.00 | 2.00 |
| Milker – Dry, currently not lactating or has completed 210 days or more in current lactation                       | 5.00 | 4.00 | 3.00 | 2.00 |
| Milker – Junior, over 2 and under 3 years of age                                                                   | 5.00 | 4.00 | 3.00 | 2.00 |
| Milker – Mature, over 3 years old                                                                                  | 5.00 | 4.00 | 3.00 | 2.00 |
| Milker – Yearling, under 2 years of age and in milk                                                                | 5.00 | 4.00 | 3.00 | 2.00 |
| Mother & Daughter – 1 doe any age and its dam, need not be owned by same exhibitor                                 | 5.00 | 4.00 | 3.00 | 2.00 |
| Yearling – Junior, 7-12 months old                                                                                 | 5.00 | 4.00 | 3.00 | 2.00 |
| Yearling – Senior, 12-24 months old                                                                                | 5.00 | 4.00 | 3.00 | 2.00 |

#### **CLASS – BREEDING MEAT GOATS**

#### **ENTRY**

Meat Type Breed

# **SUB-ENTRY**

| Description                                                                                                                | Blue | Red  | White | Pink |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|------|-------|------|
| Exhibitor Herd, shall consist of 1 doe under 1 year of age,<br>1 yearling doe, and 1 doe 2 years+, owned by same exhibitor | 5.00 | 4.00 | 3.00  | 2.00 |
| Kid – Junior, under 4 months                                                                                               | 5.00 | 4.00 | 3.00  | 2.00 |
| Kid – Senior, at least 4 months but less than 7 months old                                                                 | 5.00 | 4.00 | 3.00  | 2.00 |
| Mature Doe                                                                                                                 | 5.00 | 4.00 | 3.00  | 2.00 |
| Mother & Daughter – 1 doe any age and its dam, need not be owned by same exhibitor.                                        | 5.00 | 4.00 | 3.00  | 2.00 |
| Yearling – Junior, 7-12 months old                                                                                         | 5.00 | 4.00 | 3.00  | 2.00 |
| Yearling – Senior, 12-24 months old                                                                                        | 5.00 | 4.00 | 3.00  | 2.00 |

# **CLASS – CARCASS SHOW**

Each exhibitor in the Meat Goat Class can enter only one animal in the carcass context provided the animal meets weight and grade requirements. If the exhibitor chooses to enter the carcass show, the exhibitor must enter the goat that qualified for the Richland County Meat Animal Sale; the exhibitor must designate which goat will be entered in the carcass show while the goat is live. The Carcass Show will be held Wednesday following the fair. All animals slaughtered by local plants will be displayed.

# **ENTRY**

|  | Description       | Blue | Red  | White | Pink |
|--|-------------------|------|------|-------|------|
|  | Goat Carcass Show | 6.00 | 5.00 | 4.00  | 3.00 |

# **CLASS – GOAT SHOWMANSHIP**

Members who wish to participate in showmanship must submit an entry in their online entry at the time the Junior entries are due.

#### **ENTRY**

| Description                                    | Blue | Red  | White | Pink |
|------------------------------------------------|------|------|-------|------|
| Dairy Goat Beginner Showmanship-grades 3-5     | 3.00 | 2.50 | 2.00  | 1.50 |
| Dairy Goat Intermediate Showmanship-grades 6-8 | 3.00 | 2.50 | 2.00  | 1.50 |
| Dairy Goat Senior Showmanship-grades 9-13      | 3.00 | 2.50 | 2.00  | 1.50 |
| Meat Goat Beginner Showmanship-grades 3-5      | 3.00 | 2.50 | 2.00  | 1.50 |
| Meat Goat Intermediate Showmanship-grades 6-8  | 3.00 | 2.50 | 2.00  | 1.50 |
| Meat Goat Senior Showmanship-grades 9-13       | 3.00 | 2.50 | 2.00  | 1.50 |

#### **CLASS – MARKET GOAT**

A market goat is one born after January 1 of exhibit year and identified in accordance to the sale requirements. Maximum of three (3) animals in market class per exhibitor (For each goat you plan to exhibit, you must have a separate entry using Market Goat each time.) All market goats will be weighed on Thursday afternoon. Goats will be divided into light weight, medium weight and heavy weight classes.

#### **ENTRY**

|  | Description | Blue | Red  | White | Pink |
|--|-------------|------|------|-------|------|
|  | Market Goat | 5.00 | 4.00 | 3.00  | 2.00 |