

2009 ANNUAL SPRING GOAT SHOW

DRESS CODE

In our continuing effort to improve the image of the goat in our region, OVDGA requests that all exhibitors dress in a professional manner for the ring:

*Clean white shirt or colored farm/herd shirt— short to long sleeve (no spaghetti straps, tank tops or decorated t-shirts). Logo of your herd or farm are acceptable.

*Clean white or dark, solid colored pants or below-the-knee skirts.

*Footwear appropriate for safety around livestock (no open toes, sandals, flip flops or bare feet)

We want to present a professional image of the goat to the public and encourage our youth to understand that excellent fitting out for the ring does not end with the goat. Thank you for your cooperation!

YOUTH EVENTS

1. Youth Competition awards presented at the end of the show. Sign-up by 10am. Grand and Reserve Grand youth competitors of the day will be awarded. Points will be earned through 6 events which include: Showmanship, Youth Speed Milking, Goat Agility Obstacle Course, Coloring Contest, Goat Calling Contest and Costume Parade Finale
2. Participants need not enter the overall competition to compete in individual events of their choice. Ribbons presented for first three places in each category except for Costume Parade Finale. Cash showmanship purse will be offered.

SENIOR DOES

- S1** Under two years in milk
S2 Two years and under three
S3 Three years and under four
S4 Four years and under five
S5 Five years and older
Senior Grand/Senior Res Grand Champion
S6 Champion Challenge
BEST SENIOR DOE IN SHOW (all GCH or BOB)
S7 Best Udder (participants will be selected by judge from individual classes)

JUNIOR DOES

- J1** Junior Kid (born on or after 3/1/09)
J2 Senior Kid (born 1/1/09-2/28/09)
J3 Junior Yearling (born 5/10/08-12/31/08)
J4 Senior Yearling (born 5/10/07-5/09/08)
Junior Grand/Junior Res Grand Champion
BEST JUNIOR DOE IN SHOW (all breed GCH)

BREED CODES

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| A-Alpine | L-LaMancha | N-Nubian | ND – Nigerian Dwarf |
| O-Oberhasli | S - Saanen | T - Toggenburg | R – Recorded Grade |

YOUTH COMPETITIONS DESCRIPTION

SHOWMANSHIP -This is a fuzzy show. Animals do not need to be body clipped. **Sign up by 7:45am.** Age as of 5/1/09.

Pee Wee – Age 8 and under

Junior – Age 9-11

Intermediate – Age 12-14

Senior – Age 15-18

SPEED MILKING COMPETITION Open to all youth ages 1-18 years. Contestants will milk at designated area for 60 seconds. Milk is weighed and recorded. Competition will be ongoing throughout the morning.

GOAT COLORING CONTEST – Pictures and coloring material provided at the show. Age groups same as showmanship. Coloring table open throughout the day.

GOAT CALLING CONTEST – Need to get those does into the barn to milk? Bring your best call!! This is sure to be lots of fun!! Open to ALL AGES, prizes for best youth calls!! At the end of the day with agility and costume parade!

GOAT KID AGILITY Open to all youth age 1-18 years. Goat kids will proceed through an obstacle course. No leads or harnesses. No pulling or touching animal. Food or bottles may be used to “coax” the animal through the course. Following the Jr. doe show.

COSTUME PARADE FINALE Following the goat kid agility. Open to all youth ages 1-18 years. Youth and goats are encouraged to be creative. Categories for funniest, prettiest and most original.

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