

Department 106 – BOER GOATS

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2	3	4	5 Entries due by 5pm	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25 11am: All Goats must be penned 12:30pm: Weigh-in for All Goats 5pm: ND Junior Goat Show	26	27	28 8am: 4-H Dairy Goat Show, followed by 4-H Meat Goat Show 2pm: FFA Dairy Goat Show, followed by FFA Meat Goat Show	29 2pm: Open Class Goat Show 3pm-6pm: Staggered release of all 4-H/FFA Livestock 6pm: Release of all Open Class Livestock
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- **Entries will close July 5 at 5pm.** Entries may be made after that day by paying double the normal fees. Under no circumstances will entries be received after 11am on Friday, July 21.
- All goats must be penned by 11am Tuesday, July 25. Open class goats may not arrive prior to 6pm Monday unless prior arrangements have been made with Fair Management. Removal of goats before 6pm on the closing day of the Fair will result in forfeiture of all premiums unless given permission in writing by the Fair.
- **No early arrivals or releases.** Those wishing to arrive or depart on other times than those listed must contact the ND State Fair office: 701-857-7620. Any requests for early release must be approved by the ND State Fair Board.

UPDATED HEALTH REGULATIONS:

- **Before unloading livestock:** All animals must be inspected prior to unloading. Unloading must occur between 6 am and midnight. If exhibitors are planning to arrive prior to 7am or after 10pm, they may wish to call in advance to ensure that one of the state veterinarians is on the grounds when they arrive, except on Tuesday, when someone will already be on the grounds at 6am. Contact numbers for each date will be available from species superintendents and will be posted at the veterinary inspection tent during the Fair. Animals should NOT be unloaded directly into the tie-out area before they are inspected by the state veterinarian on duty.
 - * **Out-of-state goats** will need certificate of veterinary inspection. All goats that come to the Fair, with the exception of market wether goats, must have official scrapie identification tags. For goat breeds approved by USDA-APHIS-VS, a 'breed registration tattoo' will be accepted in lieu of a scrapie tag, provided the tattoo is legible and the exhibitor presents a copy of the registration papers listing the current owner. Goats from the former TB management zone in Minnesota must test negative for tuberculosis within 60 days prior to importation
 - * **Additional requirements for Dairy Breed Goats:** All sexually intact dairy breed goats must test negative for Brucellosis and tuberculosis within 30 days prior to importation. For more information, see "Health Requirements" section.
 - * Each animal must have its identification number listed on the health papers. It is not acceptable to list: "32 head of goats – all free of disease." List each animal separately.
- **The drug screen policy may be enforced at the 2017 ND State Fair.** Grand and Reserve Champion market beef, swine, lamb and goats will be subjected to a drug screen immediately following completion of judging. This drug screen may include tests for detection of: (1) Steroids (2) Tranquilizers (3) Antibiotics (4) Diuretics (5) Sulfas (6) Non-Steroidal Anti-inflammatory Drugs (NSAIDs) (7) Stimulants. Penalty if test comes back positive (1) Disqualification of animal (2) Forfeit of premiums (3) Exhibitor banned from exhibiting any species the following year.
- The entry fee is **\$3 per class.** Canadian friends at par for entry fees, compliments of Visit Minot. Specify special stalling needs on entry forms. Late entries will have no stall guarantees. No exhibitor will be granted a "tack stall" until all animals are housed and if room is available.
- Straw will be available for purchase.
- Only two entries in the individual rings will be accepted from any exhibitor. Premiums are paid on only 2 entries per class. Any class containing over 24 head shall be split by birthdate.
- All animals must have association registration papers. Photocopies will not be accepted.
- All registration papers must be presented when the animals are checked in at the Expo Barn Office. All goats must be entered into ABGA herd book by the opening day of the ND State Fair to be shown in Class A or B. All goats in Class A or B must be correctly tattooed and all ID numbers, name and tattoo information must be included on Fair registration papers or given at registration.
- Animals must be exhibited in the officially recorded owner's name. Get of Sire to be listed under one person's name, even though the animals may be owned by other individuals.
- **Due to limited space in the West Lot, livestock trailers will be required to park off grounds. Tow vehicle can park in West Lot with appropriate pass and providing there is space available.** Vehicle passes must be purchased in advance of the first day of Fair, and will not be available for purchase at the gate. Please order on the entry blank. Livestock vehicles will be allowed on the grounds between 8pm and 10am. No admittance between 10am and 8pm except for unloading or loading of livestock.
- **Fan Policy:** no fans or fan stands of any type will be allowed in the barn aisles.
- This is an official ABGA Sanctioned Show and their rules shall govern.

Rule Rule 1400: Sanctioned Show Rules

Eligibility of Animals

- I. All goats must be registered in the ABGA herd book by the date specified by the show.
- II. All goats entered into ABGA sanctioned shows must be registered with the ABGA in order to acquire Ennoblement points.
- III. Original registration certificates are required, except that a copy of a registration application, stamped with the date received by one of the listed associations, can be accepted for kids less than 3 months of age. Animals over the age of 3 months must have the original registration certificate in hand at time of show.
- IV. All goats must be appropriately identified and comply with USDA Scrapie Eradication Program Guidelines. Call 1-888-USDA TAG (873-2824) or visit the following website for more information: http://www.aphis.usda.gov/animal_health/animal_diseases/scrapie/

Entries

- I. Any show receiving ABGA sanctioning shall be open to all ABGA registered Boer goats. Show Representatives may use their discretion and have the right to ban an individual if they consider it necessary for the good of the show.
- II. There should be no limit on the number of animals that can be entered in a class by an exhibitor, unless the sponsoring show deems this limit necessary.
- III. Any show limiting the number of entries in any way must state this in their rules.
- IV. ABGA sanctioned shows may not require animals to sell in a sale as a condition of participating in the show.
- V. When the original registration certificates are presented at check-in, registered name, ABGA registration number and tattoos of each animal must be recorded so that they may be displayed on the results that are turned in to the ABGA office
- VI. *For further rules and regulations regarding ABGA sanctioned shows please refer to the ABGA web site

Non-sanctioned Division D & E Rules

A. Animals not meeting ABGA Eligibility

- I. Division D Commercial Does will be available for all Boer/Boer cross does that don't meet eligibility for Division A or B.
- II. Division A or B eligible does that are disqualified for a fault may immediately move to Division E.
- III. Classes for Division D will be based on weights rather than birth date, nonregistered goats that have no proof of birth date and therefore we will class animals according to weight. Classes will be determined and posted following weigh-in of animals.
- IV. Weigh-ins for open class meat goats (does and market animals) will take place on Tuesday following 4-H and FFA weigh-ins. If you have an animal showing in either 4-H or FFA that weight will be accepted.

Open Class Boer Goat Show

Saturday, July 29 • Shows start at 2pm
Judge: Josh Stephens (Elkland, MO)

	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th
1-2	\$11	\$8				
3-4	\$15	\$12	\$10	\$8		
5+	\$22	\$17	\$15	\$13	\$12	\$10

The prize money appropriated by the state budget process has been reduced by state government for our 2017 Fair. State Fair shall be required to reduce cash prizes accordingly. The State of North Dakota provides only the prizes at State Fair, all other operational funds are derived from the Fair's income. Cash awards will be mailed September 2017.

- Division A - Percentage Does**
- Division B - Fullblood/Purebred Does**
- Division C - Fullblood Bucks**

CLASS

- 1. 0 to 3 months
- 2. 4 to 6 months
- 3. 7 to 9 months
- 4. 10 to 12 months
- 5. Junior Division ChampionRibbon
- 6. Junior Division Reserve Champion.....Ribbon
- 7. 13 to 16 months
- 8. 17 to 20 months
- 9. 21 to 24 months
- 10. Yearling Division Champion.....Ribbon
- 11. Yearling Division Reserve Champion.....Ribbon
- 12. 25 to 36 months
- 13. 37 months plus
- 14. Senior Division ChampionRibbon
- 15. Senior Division Reserve ChampionRibbon
- 16. Grand Champion Rosette
- 17. Reserve Grand Champion Rosette

Division D - Commercial Does

CLASS

- 18. Weight Class

Division E - Market Goats

CLASS

- 19. Wether, any breed or crossbreed, born on or after 1/1/17
- 20. Doe, any breed or crossbreed, born on or after 1/1/17

ND Junior Goat Show

Tuesday, July 25 • Shows start at 5pm
Judge: Tommy Milligan (Perry, OK)

- 1. The show is open to youth not older than 21 by October 1, 2016.
- 2. The same weights will be used from the Open, 4-H and FFA weigh-ins.
- 3. There will be a \$6.00 entry fee per animal.

- Division F - Percentage Does**
- Division G - Fullblood/Purebred Does**

CLASS

- 1. 0 to 3 months
- 2. 4 to 6 months
- 3. 7 to 9 months
- 4. 10 to 12 months
- 5. Junior Division Champion Ribbon
- 6. Junior Division Reserve Champion..... Ribbon
- 7. 13 to 16 months
- 8. 17 to 20 months
- 9. 21 to 24 months
- 10. Yearling Division Champion..... Ribbon
- 11. Yearling Division Reserve Champion..... Ribbon
- 12. 25 to 36 months
- 13. 37 months plus
- 14. Senior Division Champion Ribbon
- 15. Senior Division Reserve Champion Ribbon
- 16. Grand Champion Rosette
- 17. Reserve Grand Champion Rosette

Division H - Commercial Does

CLASS

- 18. Weight Class

Division I - Market Goats

CLASS

- 19. Wether, any breed or crossbreed, born on or after 1/1/17
- 20. Doe, any breed or crossbreed, born on or after 1/1/17