Market Goat- Junior

Division HH

Weigh-in Show

Monday, 6:00pm, Market Goat Barn Tuesday, Livestock Arena Showmanship Starting at 1:00pm Market Wethers after conclusion of Breeding Does Megan Batson (479) 871-9745 Ricky Carte (479) 263-5409

Superintendents:

Rules:

In addition to general and health rules:

- Final decisions, relative to Goat Department will be made by the Goat Superintendents.

Ownership:

- I. Exhibitors must maintain continuous ownership, possession and provide daily care for each breeding doe entered in the show from the time of validation until show day.
- 2. Animal Entry Information Required:
 - a. Animal Name
 - b. Scrapie Tag#
 - c. Type of Animal: Doe or Wether- If Doe: Haired or Slick
 - d. Washington County Born

Horns:

Dehorning of goats in this show is not mandated; however, horns should be tipped and rounded. Goats with horns sharper than deemed safe by the show superintendent or staff will be required to be tipped or rounded or isolated and not shown.

Weight:

There is no weight limit. The official weigh-in of all Market Goats will be Monday at 6:00pm in the Market Goat barn. There will be a mandatory exhibitor meeting after weigh-in.

Shearing:

Slick does must be shorn to a maximum of 3/8" residual hair length.

Bracing:

Bracing will be allowed in all shows.

Health and Testing:

Any animal with abscesses will NOT be allowed to remain on the fairgrounds. Goats must be free from external parasites, ringworm and warts. All breeding does are subject to be tested for unauthorized compounds.

Generators:

No generators will be allowed to operate inside the goat barns, although they are allowed outside the barns. No fans will be allowed in the aisles at any time. No bucket heaters are allowed inside, or within 50 feet of barns.

Breeding Doe Show Rules

Divisions of Breeding Doe Show:

- I. Does may be shown as:
 - a. Slick Wether Dams
 - b. Haired Dams
- 2. Does shown as Slick Does in the Slick Doe show are NOT eligible to show in the Market Wether show.
- 3. The Champion Slick Wether Dam and The Champion Haired Dam will compete for Supreme Doe.
- 4. Five does will be selected for the premium sale. Grand Champion Slick Doe (wether dam) & Grand Champion Haired Doe will automatically make the sale. During the champion drive for Supreme Doe the top three does selected will make the sale. In the event the Grand Champion Slick Doe and/or the Grand Champion Haired Doe are selected in those top three, we will continue lining up does until the three spots are filled.

Premiums: Blue \$12 Red \$10 White \$9 Champions- Rosette Reserves- Rosette

Market Goat Show Rules

Definition of Market Goat:

- A goat selected and raised for the purpose of selling as a meat animal. Typically, they are under I
 year of age and can be wethers, males or females.
- 2. Does (that were not shown in the Slick Doe Show), and Wethers will be allowed in the Market Show
- 3. During the champion drive for Market Goats the top nine goats selected will make the premium sale. IF there are duplicates kids in the top nine the duplicate will be removed, and alternates will move up in sale order.

Market Goat Premiums

Blue Ribbon	\$25
Red Ribbon	\$15
White Ribbon	\$10
Grand Champion	ROSETTE
Reserve Champion	ROSETTE

Washington County Born & Raised

Any goat possessing a Scrapies or 840 tag from a flock in Washington County is eligible for this show. Exhibitors must make superintendent aware of your Washington County bred animals at weigh-in and a verification letter signed by the breeder. The verification letter must be turned in by August 1st at presented at check-in. The verification letter to be used can be found on the fair website under the Fair book tab. The show will be held concurrently with the Market Goat show. If necessary, a separate drive to determine Grand and Reserve Washington County Bred will be held immediately following the Market Goat Grand Drive.

Grand Champion- Rosette Reserve Champion- Rosette

Showmanship

Ages for showmanship are as of January Ist of the current year. Only exhibitors that exhibit in the junior department during the fair are eligible to show in the showmanship classes except Pee Wee. Market and Breeding exhibitors will show together in one combined showmanship show.

"Kids" - Anyone 4 years old and under, who would like to enter this contest may do so. They do not have to be entered in any other class in the fair. They do not have to own the animal. It may be borrowed from one entered in the show. All participants will receive a Washington County Fair T-shirt.

Pee-Wee - Those youth who are less than 5-9 years old as of January Ist of the current year, may compete in this division. They do not need to be an exhibitor in the fair to participate. They may borrow an animal from an exhibitor. All Pee Wee participants will receive a T-Shirt from the Washington County Fair Association.

Juniors - Those Junior exhibitors 9-13 years old as of January 1st of the current year, who have not previously won the Junior Showmanship Contest at the Washington County Fair. Juniors who have previously won shall show in the Senior Showmanship.

Senior - Those Junior exhibitors 14-18 years old as of January Ist of the current year, (and Juniors who have won previous junior contest) who have not previously won the Senior Showmanship Contest are eligible.

Advanced - Only those Junior exhibitors of the WCF who have won a Senior Showmanship are eligible.