

MEAT GOATS – DEPARTMENT 13
Monroe County Fair Open Meat Goat Show
Saturday, August 6th, 2016 at 12:00pm
Superintendent: Sarah Colby
Judge: Don Borden

Rules & Regulations

- NYS Dept of Ag & Markets now requires rabies vaccination for animals as young as **four months**, but no longer requires that the vaccination happen two weeks before arrival at the fair.
- Please review General Rules for Exhibitors, where there is also superintendent contact information.
- Competition is open to all. The terms percentage and purebred (including fullbloods) refer to the amount of Boer blood.
- Multiple entries accepted. No exhibitors shall receive more than two premiums for any one class.
- Entry fee is **\$3 per class, due by 7/29** (postmarked). No entry fee for showmanship or market kid classes, or for Monroe County 4H youth.
- Late entries subject to a late fee of \$10 per exhibitor.
- No refunds, day-of-show substitutions are allowed.
- Mail entry forms & entry fee check to Monroe County Fair, 20 Office Park Way Suite 131 Pittsford, NY 14534.
- No animal will be allowed to unload without health check.
- Exhibitors can bring animals to the fair Saturday, 8/6 starting at 9am and must be in place by 11am.
- Animals will be released Saturday 8/6 at 6pm or when the show ends, whichever is later.
- Superintendent may combine or cancel classes if needed.
- The base date for computing age is August 6th.
- The Monroe County Fair requires that all goats be vaccinated against rabies, as permitted by NYS Ag & Markets rules.
- All goats **MUST** have scrapie tags, or tattoos with matching registration papers brought to the show.
- Please identify the goat entered in a class on the entry form. (Name/number and scrapie tag or registered tattoo).
- If your goat is tattooed, please be sure the tattoo is clearly legible before entering the ring.

Show Awards

Championship Rosettes, Ribbons to 5th place
1st \$10.00 2nd \$7.50 3rd \$5.00

Section Order

MK Market Kids **PD** Percentage Does **FB** Fullblood/Purebred Does **BK** Bucks

Classes

Showmanship Classes

1. Novice Showperson: 8 years old and under
2. Junior Showperson: 9 yrs through 13 yrs
3. Senior Showperson: 14 yrs through 19 yrs
 - 3a. Champion & Reserve Showperson

Market Kid Classes - Owned & showed by youth. Market kids may not be shown in breed classes. (To be divided by weight at show; middle weight class may be added if entry numbers warrant it).

1. Lightweight Market Kid
2. Heavyweight Market Kid
 - 2a. Champion & Reserve Market Kid – Rosettes

Junior Doe Classes

3. 1 – under 3 months: born 5/7 to 7/6, 2016
4. 3 – under 6 months: born 2/7 to 5/6, 2016
5. 6 – under 9 months: born 11/7, 2015 to 2/6, 2016
6. 9 – under 12 months: born 8/7, 2015 to 11/6, 2015
 - 6a. Champion & Reserve Junior Doe – Rosettes

Yearling Doe Classes

7. 12 – under 16 months: born 4/7, 2015 to 8/6, 2015
8. 16 – under 20 months: born 12/7, 2014 to 4/6, 2015
9. 20 – under 24 months: born 8/7, 2014 to 12/6, 2014
 - 9a. Champion & Reserve Yearling Doe – Rosettes

Senior Doe Classes

10. 2 years – under 3 years: born 8/7, 2013 to 8/6, 2014
11. 3 years – under 4 years: born 8/7, 2012 to 8/6, 2013
12. 4 years – and up: born on or before 8/7, 2012
 - 12a. Champion & Reserve Senior Doe – Rosettes

Junior Buck Classes (Fullblood/Purebred only)

13. 1 – under 3 months: born 5/6 to 7/7, 2016
14. 3 – under 6 months: born 2/6 to 5/7, 2016
15. 6 – under 9 months: born 11/6, 2015 to 2/7, 2016
16. 9 – under 12 months: born 8/6, 2015 to 11/7, 2015
 - 16a. Champion & Reserve Junior Buck – Rosettes

Grand Champion Class

17. Overall Grand Champion & Reserve – Rosettes