

The background image shows two young women in teal t-shirts and jeans working with goats in a metal pen. The woman on the left is holding a brown goat, while the woman on the right is holding a white goat. The scene is set in a well-lit indoor arena with wooden beams visible in the background. The entire image has a light blue dot-matrix pattern overlaid on it.

89TH ANNUAL OZARK EMPIRE FAIR BOER GOAT HANDBOOK



OZARK EMPIRE
FAIRGROUNDS & EVENT CENTER

GOATS | REGULATIONS FOR ALL GOAT SHOWS:

1. Exhibitors entering open classes in this division must comply with Ozark Empire Fair General Rules and Regulations, Animal Health Requirements, Livestock Entry Rules and Show Ring Code of Ethics.
2. Exhibitors entering junior classes in this division must comply with Ozark Empire Fair Junior Show Rules and Regulations, General Rules, Livestock Entry Rules and Show Ring Code of Ethics.
3. All entries are to be submitted through our online entry portal, ShoWorks. Link can be found at www.ozarkempirefair.com.
4. Entries must be turned in by June 15th to avoid late entry fees. Entries with late entry fees will be accepted by July 1st.
5. Substitutions will be allowed within the division.
7. Registration and health papers must be in order as they will be checked against the information given on the entry form upon arrival on the Fairgrounds. All exhibitors must comply with animal health regulations as provided in the Exhibitors Handbook.
8. **No exhibitor shall occupy stalls without prior approval from superintendent. Exhibitor and animals may be removed from non-assigned stalls.**

JUNIOR BOER GOAT SHOWMANSHIP:

Three Classes will be offered based on age of youth as of January 1, 2025. Classes; **Junior** (Ages 8-11); **Intermediate** (Ages 12-15); **Senior** (Ages 16-21)
Sign up for showmanship will happen among arrival.

YOUTH DAIRY GOAT SHOWMANSHIP:

Three Classes will be offered based on age of youth as of January 1, 2025. Classes; **Junior** (Ages 8-11); **Intermediate** (Ages 12-15); **Senior** (Ages 16-21)
Sign up for showmanship will happen among arrival.

BOER GOAT SHOW PRIZE MONEY			
	1st	2nd	3rd
Junior Show	\$ 8	\$ 7	\$ 5
Open Show	\$18	\$15	\$12

DAIRY GOAT OPEN SHOW PRIZE MONEY			
Individual Classes	1st	2nd	3rd
Youth	\$ 6	\$ 4	\$ 2
*All youth entries will be paid a minimum of \$2			
Open	\$16	\$12	\$ 9
Group classes	\$11	\$ 9	\$ 6

BOER GOATS | Division 10

Junior Breeding Show: 8 a.m., Friday, August 1 | Diamond Open Show: 4 p.m., Friday, August 1 | Emerald Open Show: 8 a.m., Saturday, August 2

ARRIVAL: Must be in place by noon on Thursday, July 31. No arrival prior to 6 a.m., July 31. **RELEASE:** 7 p.m., Saturday, August 2.

The 2025 Ozark Empire Fair Boer Goat Shows are sanctioned by the **American Boer Goat Association (ABGA)**.

1. Eligibility - Boer Goats must be registered in the name of the owner. All animals must have a legible tattoo or other means of permanent identification. If a microchip is the permanent identification, it is the responsibility of the exhibitor to provide a microchip reader for verification of animal identity. If permanent identification does not match the information presented on the registration certificate, the animal will be ineligible to compete. Permanent ID will be re-checked by the judge on the Grand and Reserve Grand Champions.
2. A registration certificate is required for all animals six months or older.
3. The base date for computing ages shall be the date of judging. Dates shown are calculated with the Open Show date.
4. Complete reports of show results will be filed with the ABGA and points (and resultant titles) may be earned as may be set forth by the ABGA.
5. Animals with natural horns or disbudded or dehorned may be shown without discrimination.
6. An exhibitor shall not present an animal to be shown under a judge from whom it was purchased within 90 days of show.
7. Bucks must be controlled. No breeding is allowed on premises. Superintendent has discretion to order bucks restrained or removed.
8. Every Boer Goat must be properly fitted for show and equipped with a chain or collar.
9. **There will be an entry fee for BOTH open shows. If you want to show in both, enter into both and pay each entry fee.**
10. **Junior exhibitors must enter into at least ONE open show in order to be eligible for the junior show.**

JUNIOR SHOW: Use class numbers in left-hand column below.

Junior animals are not automatically entered into open show.

JR	OPEN		JR	OPEN	
Percentage Does			32	31	Fullblood Senior Champion
01	01	0 - under 3 months 5/3 - 8/2/25	33	32	Reserve Fullblood Senior Champion
02	02	3 - under 6 months 2/3 - 5/2/25	34	33	Fullblood Grand Champion Doe
03	03	6 - under 9 months 11/3/2024- 2/2/25	35	34	Reserve Fullblood Grand Champion Doe
04	04	9 - under 12 months 8/3 - 11/2/24	36	--	4-H/FFA District Grand Champion Fullblood Doe
05	05	Percentage Junior Champion	Fullblood/Purebred Bucks		
06	06	Reserve Percentage Junior Champion	37	35	0 - under 3 months 5/3 - 8/2/25
07	07	12 - under 16 months 4/3 - 8/2/24	38	36	3 - under 6 months 2/3 - 5/2/25
08	08	16 - under 20 months 12/3/23 - 4/2/24	39	37	6 - under 9 months 11/3/24 - 2/2/25
09	09	20 - under 24 months 8/3 - 12/2/23	40	38	9 - under 12 months 8/3 - 11/2/24
10	10	Percentage Yearling Champion	41	39	Junior Champion Buck
11	11	Reserve Percentage Yearling Champion	42	40	Reserve Junior Champion Buck
12	12	24 - under 36 months 8/3/22 - 8/2/23	43	41	12 - under 16 months 4/3 - 8/2/24
13	13	36 months plus n/a - 8/2/22	44	42	16 - under 20 months 12/3/23 - 4/2/24
14	14	Percentage Senior Champion	45	43	20 - under 24 months 8/3 - 12/2/23
15	15	Reserve Percentage Senior Champion	46	44	Yearling Champion Buck
16	16	Percentage Grand Champion Doe	47	45	Reserve Yearling Champion Buck
17	17	Percentage Reserve Grand Champion Doe	48	46	24 - under 36 months 8/3/22 - 8/2/23
18	--	4-H/FFA District Grand Champion Percentage Doe	49	47	36 months plus n/a - 8/2/22
Fullblood/Purebred Does			50	48	Senior Champion Buck
19	18	0 - under 3 months 5/3 - 8/2/25	51	49	Reserve Senior Champion Buck
20	19	3 - under 6 months 2/3 - 5/2/25	52	50	Grand Champion Buck
21	20	6 - under 9 months 11/3/23 - 2/2/24	53	51	Reserve Grand Champion Buck
22	21	9 - under 12 months 8/3 - 11/2/23	54	--	4-H/FFA District Grand Champion Buck
23	22	Fullblood Junior Champion			
24	23	Reserve Fullblood Junior Champion			
25	24	12 - under 16 months 4/3 - 8/2/24			
26	25	16 - under 20 months 12/3/23 - 4/2/24			
27	26	20 - under 24 months 8/3 - 12/2/23			
28	27	Fullblood Yearling Champion			
29	28	Reserve Fullblood Yearling Champion			
30	29	24 - under 36 months 8/3/22 - 8/2/23			
31	30	36 months plus n/a - 8/2/22			

2 OPEN SHOWS | The Green Emerald Show and the Diamond Show

Both shows are sanctioned through the American Boer Goat Association. By entering into both shows, you can possibly win 2x the points at the Ozark Empire Fair! To participate in both shows, please enter and pay entry fees to both shows by the indicated entry deadlines. Both shows will have the same class numbers listed above.



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DAIRY GOAT HANDBOOK



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DAIRY GOATS

Youth Show: 2 p.m., Sun., July 27 | **Open Junior Doe Show:** 6 p.m., Sun., July 27 | **Open Senior Doe Show:** 9 a.m., Mon., July 28

ARRIVAL: 7:00 a.m., Sun., July 27. Must be in place by 10:00 a.m., Sun., July 27 **EARLIEST RELEASE:** 6 p.m., Mon., July 28

Dairy Goat shows will be separately sanctioned Junior/Senior Shows by **American Dairy Goat Association**.

ADGA and **Ozark Empire Fair** rules shall govern the show. www.adga.org the order of this show could change due to entry count.

1. All animals must be registered with a recognized organization. Proof of ownership registration certificate and tattoo requirements will be needed. **All goats shown must exhibit well-healed tattoos and must be correctly tattooed.**
2. All animals 6 months of age or older must show registry certificate. A stamped or fax duplicate application showing date received by registry office is required on all animals under 6 months of age. Animals must be owned by exhibitor. Exhibitor is the name which appears on registry certificate.
3. **All goats shown must be owned by the exhibitor or must show transfer of ownership to exhibitor by July 1, 2025.**
4. Every goat must be properly fitted for show and provided with a collar. All exhibitors must be neatly and properly dressed (preferably in white) while in show ring.
5. **No milkout will be required. However, over-extended udders will be discriminated against.**
6. Animals to be shown in group classes must be entered and shown in individual classes.
7. No dairy goat bucks allowed on the Fairgrounds.
8. Tack pens are not guaranteed or may be shared with other exhibitors.
9. Youth Show will begin at 2 p.m. with showmanship classes first.
10. All group classes are \$5 to enter. No ringside entries will be accepted upon arrival of the fairgrounds.

DAIRY GOAT SECTIONS AND CLASSES
 Class numbers are the same for all breeds. Mark entry form with the appropriate class number AND a division number.

A.O.P.	NUBIAN
ALPINE	RECORDED GRADES
LaMANCHA	SAANEN
NIGERIAN DWARF	SABLE

The show order is NOT subject to change.

YOUTH CLASS	OPEN CLASS		YOUTH CLASS	OPEN CLASS	
01	01	Junior doe, born on or after 4/1/2025	--	17	Champion Challenge
02	02	Doe kid, 3/1 - 3/31/2025	--	--	Best Doe in Show (breed champions competing)
03	03	Doe kid, 1/1 - 2/29/2025	--	--	Best Udder in Show (all breeds considered)
04	04	Doe, 5/1 - 12/31/2024	(Animals in group classes must all be owned by exhibitor. Limit one group per exhibitor in each class.)		
05	05	Doe (never freshened) under 2 years of age on 8/2/2025 (does in milk will show in class 08)	--	19	Mother and Daughter
06	06	Junior Grand Champion	--	20	Produce-of-Dam: two does, the produce of one dam, at least one to be in milk
07	07	Reserve Junior Grand Champion	--	21	Get-of-Sire: three does, the get of one sire, at least one to be in milk
08	--	4-H/FFA District Junior Grand Champion	--	22	Dairy Herd: four does in milk.
--	08	Junior Get-of-Sire - three does, the get of one sire, all from above classes			
--	09	Best Junior Doe of Show			
09	10	Yearling milker, under 2 years of age on 8/2/2025			
10	11	2 years and under 3			
11	12	3 years and under 4			
12	13	4 years and under 5			
13	14	5 years and over			
14	15	Senior Grand Champion			
15	16	Reserve Senior Grand Champion			
16	--	4-H/FFA District Senior Grand Champion			