

BOER GOATS HANDBOOK

ENTRY DEADLINE IS AUGUST 15

LOCATION: SHEEP, SWINE & GOAT BUILDING

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SHOW DATE: September 15th 9 AM and 5 PM shows and September 16th 9 AM Show

PEN FEE:.....\$10.00 per pen

ENTRY FEE:.....\$2.00 per head per show

Entries are subject to the Kansas State Fair General Information and Rules

1. All entries must meet the Kansas State Fair General Rules and Health Requirements - **all out-of-state entries are required to have health papers.**
2. Schedule: Boer Goats must arrive from Noon to 5 pm., Monday, September 14. Boer Goats must remain in place until show is finished. Boer Goats must be removed by 9 pm September 16th . The barns on the grounds will not be open for the arrival of Boer Goats before Noon on Monday, September 14. All goats must be checked in by 6:00 pm – weigh in will be at 6:00 pm.
3. This is an ABGA sanctioned show and will follow ABGA rules and regulations.
4. Registration: Recognized association is American Boer Goat Association. Original registration papers are required at check-in. Information on transfers is not acceptable. No faxes will be accepted.
5. Pens will be assigned by the Boer Goat Superintendent. The pens are 5' x 5' in size. Not more than two senior does or four junior does are allowed to be stalled in one pen.
6. Feed and Bedding: Initial bedding is provided by the Kansas State Fair. Any change of bedding is at the expense of the exhibitor. Any exhibitor may bring in feed and forage for their use during the Fair. All aisles shall be kept clear at all times.
7. Age of Animals: Birth dates as listed on the registration papers will be used to determine class divisions. The show date will be the base in computing all ages.
8. Bucks must be washed daily while on the grounds.

10. Breeding: All animals must be registered purebred, full-blooded or percentage blood Boer Goats and the registration papers and tattoos or other means of permanent identification approved by the Superintendent before the animal enters the show ring. **Please put left and right ear tattoos on your entry forms.**
11. Tattoos: All goats must have legible tattoos or other means of permanent identification that matches the ones on its registration certificate. If the animal has a microchip as its permanent identification, the exhibitor is responsible for providing a microchip reader.
12. Check-In: All exhibitors not checked in, or that have not notified the Superintendent with sufficient cause by in place time, will be disqualified.
13. Stalls - dismantling or tampering with any stall panels or pens is prohibited due to safety concerns and may jeopardize exhibitor participation at the Kansas State Fair.

Commercial Does Show

The commercial does will be shown in Divisions by age. Class breaks within the divisions will be calculated by weight. Show management reserves the right to adjust the class numbers and breaks as needed.

Classes will be divided into three divisions

Class 1 JR Does - will be for does that have all milk teeth in place

Class 2 Yearling Does - will be for does with 2 adult teeth in place

Class 3 Senior Does - will be for does with 4 tooth and older

Champion & Reserve in each Division will compete for Grand and Reserve Champion commercial doe.

Rules:

1. Commercial doe must have ownership declared before weigh-in and may not be entered or shown in another exhibitor's name after being weighed in.
2. Commercial Does may be exhibited with hair.
3. Does exhibited in the commercial doe show are not permitted to be exhibited in the ABGA sanctioned show.
4. All Commercial does must have scrapie tag in place.
5. Must show one purebred for every one Commercial doe
6. \$10 entry fee must be paid at time of entry

Market Goat Show

Market goats will be shown in classes by weight. Show Management reserves the right to adjust the class numbers and breaks as needed.

Classes will be divided evenly into three divisions

- Light
- Medium
- Heavy

Champion & Reserve in each Division will compete for Grand & Reserve Champion Market Goat

Rules:

1. \$10 Entry fee must be paid at time of entry - Wethers and does can be exhibited in Market show.
2. Market goats must have ownership declared before weigh-in and may not be entered or shown in another exhibitor's name after being weighed in.
3. Wethers may not have testicular tissue or exhibit behavioral signs of still being intact male
4. All market goats must have a scrapie tag in place.