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# 4-H Pygmy, Pack, & Novelty Goats

**August 7 – August 16, 2025**

**Exhibit: August 7-11, 2025**

# 4-H PYGMY GOATS

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**Entries can be placed online until July 8.**

ALL ENTRIES MUST BE PLACED AT: <http://nwwafair.fairwire.com/>

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| <b>4-H &amp; FFA EXHIBITORS:</b>   |
| 4-H and FFA gate passes must be purchased online by July 20                        |
| Parents of 4-H & FFA Season Pass \$30  |
| 4-H & FFA Exhibitors - \$20.00 for a 4-H/FFA Season Wristband                      |
| 4-H Club Leaders & FFA Advisors will receive (1) Complimentary 4-H/FFA Season Pass |

Late entries will be charged a fee of \$25.00 per head through July 12<sup>th</sup>. Late entries may not be accepted.

| 4-H PYGMY, NOVELTY, & PACK GOAT CALENDAR |                              |
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| <b>Thursday August 7</b>                 |                              |
| 9:00 AM                                  | 4-H Goat Exhibitor Meeting   |
| 12:30 PM                                 | 4-H Goat Knowledge Bowl      |
| <b>Friday August 8</b>                   |                              |
| 7:00 PM                                  | 4-H Goat Costume             |
| <b>Saturday August 9</b>                 |                              |
| 3:00 PM                                  | 4-H Goat Driving Performance |
| 5:00 PM                                  | 4-H Goat Pack Performance    |
| <b>Sunday August 10</b>                  |                              |
| 1:00 PM                                  | 4-H Pygmy Goat Fit & Show    |
| 4:00 PM                                  | 4-H Pack Goat Fit & Show     |
| 5:00 PM                                  | 4-H Novelty Goat Fit & Show  |
| 6:00 PM                                  | 4-H Cloverbud Fit & Show     |
| <b>Monday August 11</b>                  |                              |
| 10:00 AM                                 | 4-H Pygmy Goat Type          |
| 3:00 PM                                  | 4-H Novelty Goat Type        |

**Showmanship Attire:** Collared shirt, jeans, belt, shoes with closed toe AND closed heel (slip on or lace up), leather boots preferred.

1. All project animals must be owned by June 1st. Please refer to 4H rules if borrowing an animal.
2. Each 4-H member may enter 7 animals in the pygmy goat show (stall space permitting). Exhibitor entry limit of two animals per class.
3. 4H members must show in fitting and showing to earn premiums. Exhibits must choose at least one goat fitting and showing contest to participate in from pygmy, pack, and novelty provided they are also showing in type/pack/driving. For example an exhibitor showing a Mini Silky in Novelty Type and Pack Goat Performance may enter either one or both Novelty Fitting and Showing and Pack Fitting and Showing.
4. Overall 4-H pygmy goat show (pygmy, pack, and novelty) showman will compete in 4-H Large Animal Round Robin Competition on Saturday.
5. Grand and Reserve Champion rosettes will be awarded. Showmanship and Overall Type Trophies will also be given during Awards Ceremony.
6. Vets and superintendent reserve the right to refuse entry to fair based on health or safety reasons.
7. All goats must be removed from the fairgrounds during Monday haul out.
8. No does allowed past 3 months pregnant. No Bucks will be allowed.
9. Water must be always in pens.
10. No horns.
11. A novelty goat is defined as a small goat that is purebred or cross-bred lineage; is up to 23 inches in height and weighs no more than 65 pounds.

#### **DIVISION A – PYGMY GOAT FITTING AND SHOWING**

PREMIUMS: Blue \$27.00 Red \$22.00 White \$17.00

##### CLASS NUMBER

1. Junior 8-10 years of age, as of October 1 of previous year
2. Intermediate, 11-13 years of age, as of October 1 of previous year
3. Senior, 14 to less than 19 years of age, as of October 1 of previous year
4. Novice, first year fitting and showing goats

#### **DIVISION B – NOVELTY GOAT FITTING AND SHOWING (including Mini Silky)**

PREMIUMS: Blue \$27.00 Red \$22.00 White \$17.00

##### CLASS NUMBER

1. Junior 8-10 years of age, as of October 1 of previous year
2. Intermediate, 11-13 years of age, as of October 1 of previous year
3. Senior, 14 to less than 19 years of age, as of October 1 of previous year
4. Novice, first year fitting and showing goats

#### **DIVISION C – PACK GOAT FITTING AND SHOWING**

PREMIUMS: Blue \$27.00 Red \$22.00 White \$17.00

##### CLASS NUMBER

1. Junior 8-10 years of age, as of October 1 of previous year
2. Intermediate, 11-13 years of age, as of October 1 of previous year
3. Senior, 14 to less than 19 years of age, as of October 1 of previous year
4. Novice, first year fitting and showing goats

#### **DIVISION D – CLOVERBUD FITTING AND SHOWING**

Cloverbud Fitting and Showing is open to Cloverbud 4-H members (5-7 years old) registered with a goat project. Cloverbuds will need to borrow a Novelty Goat 65 pounds or less (example Pygmy or Nigerian Dwarf) to use from another exhibitor.

PREMIUM: \$5.00

##### CLASS NUMBER

1. Cloverbud

**DIVISION E – NOVELTY GOAT TYPE (including Mini Silky)**

PREMIUMS: Blue \$16.00 Red \$13.50 White \$11.00

CLASS NUMBER

1. Junior Doe
2. Senior Doe
3. Wethers

**DIVISION F - PYGMY GOAT WETHER TYPE**

Age of animal determined by age as of first day of fair.

PREMIUMS: Blue \$16.00 Red \$13.50 White \$11.00

CLASS NUMBER

1. Prospect wethers- not eligible for best wether
2. Baby wethers, birth to 6 months
3. Junior wethers, 6 to 12 months
4. Wethers, 1-2 years of age
5. Wethers, 2-3 years old
6. Wethers, 3-4 years old
7. Wethers, 4 years and older

Champion and Reserve Champion Wether- rosette only award

**DIVISION F - PYGMY GOAT JUNIOR DOE TYPE**

Age of animal determined by age as of first day of fair.

PREMIUMS: Blue \$16.00 Red \$13.50 White \$11.00

CLASS NUMBER

8. Baby doe kids, birth to 2 months
9. Junior doe kid, 2 to 4 months
10. Intermediate doe kids, 4 to 6 months
11. Intermediate doe kids, 6 to 8 months
12. Senior doe kid, 8 to 10 months
13. Senior doe kid, 10 to 12 months
14. Junior yearling doe, unfreshened 12 to 16 months
15. Intermediate yearling doe kid unfreshened 16 to 20 months
16. Senior yearling doe, unfreshened 20 to 24 months

Jr. and Reserve Jr. Champion Doe- Rosette awards

**DIVISION F – PYGMY GOAT SENIOR DOE TYPE**

Age is determined by age as of first day of fair.

PREMIUMS: Blue \$16.00 Red \$13.50 White \$11.00

CLASS NUMBER

17. Freshened yearling and younger does
18. 2 year old doe, 24 to 30 months
19. 2 year old doe, 30 to 36 months
20. 3 year old doe
21. 4 year old doe
22. 5 year old doe and older
23. Does in milk, any age, not shown in any other class.

Senior and Reserve Sr Champion Does and Grand and Reserve Grand Champion Doe Rosette

## **DIVISION F - PYGMY GOAT GROUP TYPE CLASSES**

PREMIUMS: Blue \$16.00 Red \$13.50 White \$11.00

### CLASS NUMBER

24. Dam & Daughter
25. Produce of Dam (Different Sire) (2 does)
26. 2 Breeders Trio (3 does bred by exhibitor)
27. Get of Sire (2 does, different dams)

## **DIVISION G – PACK GOAT PERFORMANCE**

PREMIUMS: Blue \$6.00 Red \$5.00 White \$4.00

### CLASS NUMBER

1. Junior, 8-10 years of age
2. Intermediate, 11-13 years of age
3. Senior, 14 to less than 19 years of age

## **DIVISION H – DRIVING GOAT PERFORMANCE**

PREMIUMS: Blue \$6.00 Red \$5.00 White \$4.00

### CLASS NUMBER

1. Junior, 8-10 years of age
2. Intermediate, 11-13 years of age
3. Senior, 14 to less than 19 years of age

## **DIVISION I – BEST DECORATED GOAT CONTEST**

No premium, ribbon only. Cloverbuds may borrow a pygmy or novelty goat to enter.

### CLASS NUMBER

1. Best Decorated Goat Contest
2. Cloverbud Best Decorated Goat

## **DIVISION J – KNOWLEDGE BOWL**

PREMIUMS: Blue \$6.00 Red \$5.00 White \$4.00

### CLASS NUMBER

1. Goat Knowledge Bowl
2. Cloverbud Goat Knowledge Bowl (Premium \$3.00)

## **DIVISION K - CLUB HERDSMANSHIP – REQUIRED BY EACH CLUB**

To be entered by Club Leader ONLY

PREMIUMS: 30.00/ 29.00/ 27.50/ 26.00/ 25.00/ 24.00/ 22.50/ 21.50/ 20.50/ 19.00/ 18.00/ 17.00/ 16.00

### CLASS NUMBER

1. Herdsmanship

## **DIVISION L - SELF DETERMINED PROJECT**

Bring into the Jansen Building to be judged the first Thursday of the fair. Contact person is Joyce Hubbard. This class is for any project made that is associated with your 4-H project. Items will be displayed all 10 days of Fair. **4-H Self Determined Projects for all goats, swine, dairy cattle, llamas, alpacas, sheep, and beef cattle should be entered in this Division.**

PREMIUMS: Blue \$ 9.00 Red \$ 7.00 White \$ 6.00

### CLASS NUMBER

1. Projects costing over \$5.00 to make

PREMIUMS: Blue \$ 5.00 Red \$ 4.00 White \$ 3.00

### CLASS NUMBER

2. Projects costing under \$5.00 to make

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## Northwest Washington Fair Small Ruminant/Camelid Veterinary Checklist (& Suggested Health Records)

Owner's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Animal ID/Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Breed: \_\_\_\_\_ Color: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_

### BE PREPARED TO KNOW THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS FOR YOUR VET

Weight in Pounds: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Last Deworming: \_\_\_\_\_ Product Used: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Last Fecal Exam: \_\_\_\_\_ Results: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Recommended Vaccinations:

- CDT/Clostridial Disease Complex

*Product names and dates of administration of all vaccines:*

#### Recommended Vaccinations:

- BVD Types I & II
- IBR
- BRSV
- Pinkeye
- Leptospirosis Disease Complex
- Rota-Corona
- P13
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

*Product names and dates of administration of all vaccines:*

*MOST VACCINES NEED TO BE BOOSTERED TO BE EFFECTIVE, HAVE YOU FOLLOWED LABEL DIRECTIONS?*

#### FOR VETERINARIAN USE ONLY – CHECKLIST TO BE MET FOR THE NORTHWEST WASHINGTON FAIR

##### **ID Prior to arrival MUST meet USDA requirements for Scrapie ID Program**

- Call: 1-800-USDA-TAG for information
- See Flow Chart with USDA requirements (\*See Attached) – Will be posted on the Kulshan Vet and Northwest Washington Fair websites

##### **The goal of the Veterinary Inspection is to minimize the potential for contagious and infectious diseases (including parasites). Examples of Infectious Disease and Parasites include:**

- ORF
- Infectious Foot Rot
- Ring Worm
- Warts
- High Fever
- Respiratory Disease

##### **No Visible External Parasite Burden (or related clinical signs):**

- Lice
- Evidence of Diarrhea
- Dry, Hoarse Cough
- Mange
- Pale Mucous Membranes

##### **Adequate Body Condition – Minimum BCS of 2.5/5**

- 1: Emaciated
- 2: Thin
- 3: Good Condition
- 4: Overweight
- 5: Obese
- Feed and water should be available at the Fair at all times

##### **Castrated Properly**

- Do your best to have castration done ahead of time so the site has time to heal properly

##### **Dehorned properly and completely healed**

# FOR MORE INFORMATION ON 4-H & GOATS

## **USDA SCRAPIES PROGRAM:**

<https://www.aphis.usda.gov/aphis/ourfocus/animalhealth/animal-disease-information/sheep-and-goat-health>

## **Michigan STATE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE:**

<https://www.canr.msu.edu/search?siteContext=&siteTitle=College+of+Agriculture+%26+Natural+Resources&q=goats>

## **USDA- WASHINGTON STATE**

<https://agr.wa.gov/departments/animals-livestock-and-pets/animal-health/import-requirements/goat,-sheep,-llamas,-and-alpacas-import>

## **USDA- WASHINGTON STATE GOAT INFORMATION**

[https://www.aphis.usda.gov/aphis/ourfocus/animalhealth/monitoring-and-surveillance/nahms/nahms\\_goat\\_studies](https://www.aphis.usda.gov/aphis/ourfocus/animalhealth/monitoring-and-surveillance/nahms/nahms_goat_studies)

## **WHATCOM COUNTY WSU 4-H EXTENTION OFFICE**

<https://extension.wsu.edu/whatcom/4h/>