

JR BREEDING GOAT DIVISION

ENTRY DEADLINE – January 13, 2023

ENTRY FEE - \$20 per entry

DELIVERY TO SHOWGROUNDS – 4:00 – 8:00 p.m., Thursday, March 9
8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m., Friday, March 10
8:00 – 10:00 a.m., Saturday, March 11

CHECK IN – 8:00 – 10:00 a.m., Saturday, March 11

JUDGING – 1:00 p.m., Sunday, March 12, Showmanship to follow

RELEASE – 5:00 p.m., Sunday, March 12

JR BREEDING GOAT DIVISION RULES

Sexually intact goats brought to the showgrounds must have a Premise Tag ID issued by the Texas Animal Health Commission. If an exhibitor has purchased a project from a breeder, the breeder should supply the Premise ID Tag. If animal has an official registration certificate and the tattoo matches that registration, then the premise tag requirements may be waived at the discretion of the committee chairman.

1. Each exhibitor must be a bona fide member of a 4-H Club or FFA Chapter and enrolled in elementary, secondary or home school
2. Exhibitors must be in the third grade or nine years old, but less than twenty years of age as of January 1, 2023
3. Livestock projects must be raised at the physical address of validation record. Prior approval must be granted by the “Species Specific County-Level State Validation Committee” in the event the animal will be outside the direct care of the exhibitor, immediate family/guardian, and/or the supervising County Extension Agent or Agriculture Science Teacher. Failure to gain approval from the supervising Agriculture Science Teacher/County Extension Agent and the Species Specific County-Level State Validation Committee will result in the disqualification of all state validated livestock
4. Exhibitors will not be limited to the number of entries they can enter in this division but may enter no more than two entries per class
5. Identification: Goats must have a state validation tattoo, or original registration tattoo corresponding to its registration certification number. Ag teachers and 4-H managers must check the tattoo on the animals and make sure the tattoo can be seen and identified with no problem prior to bringing entry to the Show. THERE WILL BE NO TATTOOING OF ANIMALS ON THE SHOWGROUNDS.
6. All Jr Breeding Goats must have a legible tattoo. RGVLS will adhere to all state validation guidelines and decisions.
7. A copy of registration papers must be attached to Summary Sheet and Entry Certification Form. Original registration papers must accompany animal to Show

8. Breeding goats validated as registered must have registration paperwork reflecting exhibitor ownership or on or before October 1, 2022. If proper registration was not attained a breeding goat validated as registered may enter the commercial show. Breeding goats validated as commercial do not require registration paperwork.
9. Premise Tags will be enforced. Must be in place prior to registration. This is not the responsibility of the committee. Exhibitors without premise tags will not be allowed to show.
10. Choke with spikes may be permitted during sift or during judging at the discretion of parent/guardian, 4-H leader or FFA advisor for the safety of the exhibitor
11. Horns: Full bloods need to be horned, with minor tipping. Percentages may be horned or dehorned

12. Goats entered in this division cannot be shown in the Market Goat Division

13. Fitting guidelines: Goats may be fully haired or timed to the owner's discretion. Pure water ONLY. If an exhibitor is caught at the gate with foreign substance on a goat, there will be immediate disqualification. Foreign material including (but not limited to) painting, powdering, oiling, artificial coloring, or adhesives is prohibited. No clippers requiring an electrical cord are allowed to be used once the animal has arrived on the showgrounds. Touch up clipping with cordless clippers, scissors, or hand shears will be allowed. Significant clipping/shearing on the body is NOT considered touch up clipping and the goat is subject to disqualification.
14. Abnormalities: Goats showing any pronounced defect, abnormality or open wounds will be barred from showing. Any evidence of cosmetic surgical alteration to enhance the physical conformation of an animal or dying of hair will disqualify the entry
15. Only exhibitors and show officials will be allowed in the holding areas, judging arena, or on the arena director's stand during sifting and judging
16. After an animal becomes loose from an exhibitor 3 times, the committee chair, RGVLS Management, and/or RGVLS Director will have the animal removed from the ring and disqualified from showing.
17. Goats will be shown by the age on the Registration Certificate
18. Goats in the Jr Breeding Commercial Goat Division will be classified by weight and tooth age
19. Scholarships will not be awarded when there are less than 5 head shown in competition in any breed of the Jr Breeding Goat Division. If there are 5 to 14 entries shown, 50% of the full scholarship will be awarded to the Breed Champion of each division. 15 head and more will result in full scholarship amounts.

PERCENTAGE BOER DOE CLASSES

- Class 1 – Percentage females born on or after September 1, 2022
- Class 2 – Percentage females born June 1, 2022 to August 31, 2022
- Class 3 – Percentage females born March 1, 2022 to May 31, 2022

- Class 4 – Percentage females born November 1, 2021 to February 28, 2022
- Class 5 – Percentage females born July 1, 2021 to October 31, 2021
- Class 6 – Percentage females born March 1, 2021 to June 30, 2021
- Class 7 – Born Before March 1, 2021
- Class 8 – Breed Champion Percentage Female – Scholarship, Banner & Rosette
- Class 9 – Reserve Breed Champion Percentage Female – Banner & Rosette

PUREBRED BOER DOE CLASSES

- Class 10 – Purebred females born on or after September 1, 2022
- Class 11 – Purebred females born June 1, 2022 to August 31, 2022
- Class 12 – Purebred females born March 1, 2022 to May 31, 2022
- Class 13 – Purebred females born November 1, 2021 to February 28, 2022
- Class 14 – Purebred females born July 1, 2021 to October 31, 2021
- Class 15 – Purebred females born March 1, 2021 to June 30, 2021
- Class 16 – Born Before March 1, 2021
- Class 17 – Breed Champion Purebred Female – Scholarship, Banner & Rosette
- Class 18 – Reserve Breed Champion Purebred Female – Banner & Rosette

COMMERCIAL BOER DOE DIVISION RULES

1. Commercial does in the Jr show must be state validated and have a Texas State Validation Tag. **All Commercial Does entering the showing must have validation ear tag**
2. All Commercial Does must have Texas State Premise/Scrapie Tag each year
3. If there are any questions by classifiers, then the doe will be moved to the next older doe class. All classifier decisions are final for the Show
4. Commercial Does entered in the Jr Commercial Doe Show are eligible to be shown in the RGVLS Open Boer Goat Show, however, Commercial Does are not eligible to be shown in the RGVLS Market Goat Show.
5. Classifying and sifting of Commercial Does will start at 8:00 a.m. and end at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, March 12, in the designated area by the goat committee for Jr and Open Breeding Goat exhibits
6. If greater than 10 entries are in the class, the class will be divided to its own separate class and be divided by the show committee

General Rules, Regulations and Procedures on page 42 also apply.

COMMERCIAL BOER DOE CLASSES

- Class 19 – Does with milk teeth
- Class 20 – Champion Doe with Milk Teeth
- Class 21 – Reserve Champion Doe with Milk Teeth
- Class 22 – Two Tooth Does
- Class 23 – Champion Two Tooth Doe
- Class 24 – Reserve Champion Two Tooth Doe
- Class 25 – Four Tooth & Older Does
- Class 26 – Champion Four Tooth & Older Doe
- Class 27 – Reserve Champion Four Tooth & Older Doe
- Class 28 – Overall Champion Jr Commercial Doe – Banner, Scholarship & Rosette
- Class 29 – Overall Reserve Champion Jr Commercial Doe – Banner & Rosette

SCHEDULE FOR PREMIUM AWARDS

- 1st place - \$26
- 2nd place - \$25
- 3rd place - \$24

JR BREEDING GOAT SHOWMANSHIP

All exhibitors of Jr Breeding Goats are eligible to compete. Exhibitors will be divided into three age groups. Exhibitor must show his/her own goat.

SHOWMANSHIP DIVISIONS

- Junior – Grades 3rd -5th
- Intermediate – Grades 6th – 8th
- Seniors – Grades 9th – 12th

SHOWMANSHIP AWARDS

- Champion - \$100 & Buckle
- Reserve Champion - &75 & Ribbon
- 3rd place - \$50 & Ribbon