

<b>RRVF DAIRY GOAT SHOW – Department 109</b> <b>Patrick Bachmeier, Chair</b> <a href="mailto:patib@srt.com">patib@srt.com</a> or 701.833.0257	
<b>ENTRY DEADLINE:</b>	June 27, 2025
<b>~~~ ONLINE ENTRIES ONLY! ~~~</b>	
<b>ENTRY FEE:</b>	\$7.00 per class
<b>RECEIVING DATE:</b>	Friday, July 4, 2025 8:00AM – 8:00 AM - 6:00 PM
<b>JUDGING:</b>	Saturday, July 5, 2025 @ 9:00 AM
<b>RELEASE DATE:</b>	One Hour After Completion of the Show
<b>SYSTEM OF JUDGING:</b>	American
<b>LOCATION:</b>	Ellingson Livestock Barn

## RULES AND INFORMATION:

- Class order is subject to change
- The Red River Valley Fair reserves the final and absolute right to interpret these rules and regulations and arbitrarily settle and determine all matters, questions, and differences.
- **Dairy Goat entries** will be online only.
- Entries will be taken on-line until **June 27 2025.**
- Barn space is limited and when the barns are full all other entries will be returned.
- Exhibitors are responsible for entering their animals in the appropriate shows.
- **Protest:** All protests must be made in writing and accompanied by a deposit of \$100. Deposit will be forfeited if the protest is not sustained. Such protest must state plainly the cause of complaint or appeal and must be filed with the fair manager within 24 hours of show completion. All expenses incurred because of protest will be the responsibility of protester regardless of results. No complaint or appeal based upon the statement that the judge or judges are incompetent will be considered. Where a protest is made against competition of an animal, notice should be filed with the Superintendent of the department before the class is passed upon, so that the judges may be instructed to place a reserve award, that premiums be properly distributed in the event the protest is sustained.
- **Bedding:** Woodchips may be purchased on the grounds. Purchases can be made in respective barns with times posted in respective barns. **Straw is not allowed in barns.** Shavings are \$8.00/bags.
- The space and stalls in the barns are for exhibit purposes and must not be filled with feed. **Straw is not allowed in barns.**
- The management will in no case assume or pay transportation charges on animals sent for exhibit.
- The management will use diligence to ensure safety of exhibits after their arrival and placement, but in no case will they be responsible for any loss or damage occasioned by or arising from any animal or article on exhibition, and the exhibitors shall indemnify the Fair management against all legal or other proceedings in regard thereto.
- **Release of Exhibits:** All exhibits must remain in place until the release time given under its section in this book except livestock moving to home county fairs that are held on conflicting dates with prior approval from Superintendent.
- **Premiums:** Will not be paid if exhibits are removed before stated time of release, unless authorized by the Superintendent. No premiums will be paid to any exhibitor unless the full and complete requirements as to pedigree numbers, registration, etc., are complied with.
- **Premium checks may be prorated according to number of animals shown to stay within the budget. Red River Valley Fair premiums will be paid after judge's reports and show records have been verified.** In the case where special premiums, trophies or awards are offered by breed associations or others, detailed reports must be filled out by the superintendent indicating the source of the award, the winner of the award, and the distribution of the award. In the instance where a premium is figured on a percentage basis the complete breakdown and formula used must be filed with the Fair office.
- **Judges:** Judges are requested to carefully read the general rules under the head of the department in which they are to serve before they begin their duties and to especially note and mark the rules bearing on the classes judged by them. Ignorance of the rules is inexcusable.
- Judges must not award prizes to an unworthy animal or exhibit. It is the intention of the Fair Board that no premium or distinction of any kind shall be given an animal that is not deserving. This rule must be strictly adhered to whether there is competition or not.
- Where there are fewer entries in a class than the number of premiums offered, judges may, at their discretion, award a prize or prizes of such grade as the animals deserve.
- Judges shall report to the Superintendent any exhibitor who in any way, whether in person, by agents, or assistants, interferes during the adjudication, or shows any disrespect to them. The Superintendent shall, at his/her discretion, demand a proper apology from such exhibitor, or he/she may be excluded from such competition and the Board may withhold any premiums that have been awarded him/her, and expel him/her from further competition at the Fair.
- The judge and the person acting as clerk to the judge must enter awards properly in the award book and ensure that registered names and numbers of all animals are given.

- The Judges and Superintendents of the departments shall sign each award book immediately after the awards have been made in the class contained therein. No appeal of the decisions of the judges will be considered by the Board except in the case of fraud.
- **All Alleys Must Be Clean and Accessible to the Public Between 8:00 am and 10:00 pm. Failure to do so could result in premiums withheld by the Fair and/or suspension from future shows.**
- Satisfactory evidence to the Superintendent in charge will be required that the animals exhibited as breeders are not barren. No awards will be made where there is unsoundness in breeding animals, or where there is any question as to its transmissibility.
- Each Superintendent must take charge of the books and return them promptly to the Fair Manager's office as soon as each is judged. No changes will be allowed in the judge's book unless by order of the Board. It shall be the duty of the Superintendent at the close of the Fair to make such suggestions for improvements as said occur to them during the Fair.
- Fast Driving or Riding of any description will not be permitted within the grounds. Any violation of this rule will be severely dealt with by the Management and the guilty person removed from the grounds. Automobiles are prohibited in any section of the grounds whenever safety demands.
- **No smoking in the barns or area around the barns**
- The Red River Valley Fair is a member of the North Dakota Junior Point Show Program. For information on the program log onto: [www.ndjpsa.com](http://www.ndjpsa.com).
- Health certificates from licensed veterinarians are required on all out of state animals.
- North Dakota Origin Livestock - Health Certificates not required.
- Registration papers are required on all animals
- State health standards must be met. Refer to Livestock Section Rules for regulations & health rules. Contact your local veterinarian for regulations on bringing cattle into North Dakota.
- All entries that leave the show prior to its completion without Superintendent's approval will forfeit all premium money.
- All Dairy Goat entries must be ADGA registered goats
- Junior and senior shows are separately sanctioned shows
- Show order is subject to change
- ADGA rules apply
- **NEW! We ask that you please clean your stalls prior to leaving the grounds.**

**On behalf of the Red River Valley Fair Association, we ask that you keep your livestock areas clean and well maintained. We recommend that the majority of your cleaning is done prior to 8:00 am or after 8:00 pm. This will help us prevent the possible transmission of E. Coli to our guests.**

**Thank you  
Red River Valley Fair Management**

# SATURDAY, JULY 5, 2025 @ 9:00 AM

Division/Class Order is subject to change to help shows run smoothly

PREMIUMS OFFERED PER CLASS					
1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>	6 <sup>th</sup>
\$15.00	\$13.00	\$11.00	\$9.00	\$7.00	\$5.00

## RING ONE

### SENIOR DOE

**DIVISION 1:** ALPINE  
**DIVISION 2:** LAMANCHA  
**DIVISION 3:** NIGERIAN DWARF  
**DIVISION 4:** NUBIAN  
**DIVISION 6:** ALL OTHER PUREBRED  
**DIVISION 7:** RECORDED GRADE

**CLASS:**

1. Yearling Milkers Any doe born on or after 7/5/23 that has freshened
2. 2 Year & Under 3 7/5/22 – 7/4/23
3. 3 Years & Under 4 7/5/21 – 7/4/22
4. 4 Years & Under 5 7/5/20 – 7/4/21
5. 5 Years & Older Prior to 7/4/20
6. **Senior Doe Grand Champion & Reserve Grand Champion (do not pre-enter)**
7. **Best Senior Doe (do not pre-enter)**
8. **Best Udder in Show (do not pre-enter)**
9. **Champion Challenge – Finished Champions Compete Against Champion of the Day**

### JUNIOR DOE

**DIVISION 8:** ALPINE  
**DIVISION 9:** LAMANCHA  
**DIVISION 10:** NIGERIAN DWARF  
**DIVISION 11:** NUBIAN  
**DIVISION 13:** ALL OTHER PUREBRED  
**DIVISION 14:** RECORDED GRADE

**CLASS:**

1. Junior Doe Kid May – July 2025
2. Intermediate Kid (4-8 months) March – April 2025
3. Senior Doe (8 months & Under Year) January – February 2025
4. Yearling Dry (1 Year & Under 2) 7/5/23 – 12/31/24
5. **Junior Doe Grand Champion & Reserve Grand Champion (do not pre-enter)**
6. **Best Junior Doe in Show (do not pre-enter)**

### BUCK

**DIVISION 15:** NIGERIAN DWARFS  
**DIVISION 16:** ALL OTHER PUREBRED

**CLASS:**

1. Junior Buck Kid May – July 2025
2. Intermediate Buck Kids March – April 2025
3. Senior Buck Kid 7/8/24 – February 2025
4. **JUNIOR BUCK CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION (do not pre-enter)**
5. 1 Year & Under 2 7/5/23 – 7/4/24
6. 2 Year & Under 3 7/5/22 – 7/4/23
7. 3 Year & Under 4 7/5/21 – 7/4/22
8. 4 Year & Under 5 7/5/20 – 7/4/21
9. 5 Years & Older Prior to 7/4/20
10. **Senior Buck Champion & Reserve Champion (do not pre-enter)**
11. **Grand Champion & Reserve Grand Champion (do not pre-enter)**
12. **Best Buck in Show (do not pre-enter)**

## RING TWO

### SENIOR DOE

<b>DIVISION 17:</b>	<b>RECORD GRADE</b>
<b>DIVISION 18:</b>	<b>ALL OTHER PUREBRED</b>
<b>DIVISION 20:</b>	<b>LAMANCHA</b>
<b>DIVISION 21:</b>	<b>NUBIAN</b>
<b>DIVISION 22:</b>	<b>NIGERIAN DWARF</b>
<b>DIVISION 23:</b>	<b>ALPINE</b>

#### CLASS:

1. Yearling Milkers Any doe born on or after 7/8/23 that has freshened
2. 2 Year & Under 3 7/8/22 – 7/7/23
3. 3 Years & Under 4 7/8/21 – 7/7/22
4. 4 Years & Under 5 7/8/20 – 7/7/21
5. 5 Years & Older Prior to 7/7/20
6. **Senior Doe Grand Champion & Reserve Grand Champion (do not pre-enter)**
7. **Best Senior Doe (do not pre-enter)**
8. **Best Udder in Show (do not pre-enter)**
9. **Champion Challenge – Finished Champions Compete Against Champion of the Day**

### JUNIOR DOE

<b>DIVISION 24:</b>	<b>RECORD GRADE</b>
<b>DIVISION 25:</b>	<b>ALL OTHER PUREBRED</b>
<b>DIVISION 27:</b>	<b>LAMANCHA</b>
<b>DIVISION 28:</b>	<b>NUBIAN</b>
<b>DIVISION 29:</b>	<b>NIGERIAN DWARF</b>
<b>DIVISION 30:</b>	<b>ALPINE</b>

#### CLASS:

1. Junior Doe Kid May – July 2025
2. Intermediate Kid (4-8 months) March – April 2025
3. Senior Doe (8 months & Under Year) January – February 2025
4. Yearling Dry (1 Year & Under 2) 7/8/23 – 12/31/24
5. **Junior Doe Grand Champion & Reserve Grand Champion (do not pre-enter)**
6. **Best Junior Doe in Show (do not pre-enter)**

### BUCK

<b>DIVISION 31:</b>	<b>ALL OTHER PUREBRED</b>
<b>DIVISION 32:</b>	<b>NIGERIAN DWARFS</b>

#### CLASS:

1. Junior Buck Kid May – July 2025
2. Intermediate Buck Kids March – April 2025
3. Senior Buck Kid 7/8/24 – February 2025
4. **JUNIOR BUCK CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION (do not pre-enter)**
5. 1 Year & Under 2 7/8/23 – 7/7/24
6. 2 Year & Under 3 7/8/22 – 7/7/23
7. 3 Year & Under 4 7/8/21 – 7/7/22
8. 4 Year & Under 5 7/8/20 – 7/7/21
9. 5 Years & Older Prior to 7/7/20
10. **Senior Buck Champion & Reserve Champion (do not pre-enter)**
11. **Grand Champion & Reserve Grand Champion (do not pre-enter)**
12. **Best Buck in Show (do not pre-enter)**