

MARKET GOATS

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Market Goat Show

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SECTION 19 - MARKET GOAT PROGRAM AWARDS

Class 1 - BEST CLUB AND/OR COUNTY BARN EXHIBIT

1st - \$75 2nd - \$50 3rd - \$30

Score Card for Determining Basis of Special Awards

1. Cooperative Efforts (30)
 - a. Willingness to cooperate with management in showing, Junior Contest, etc.10
 - b. Courtesy and willingness to follow instruction.....5
 - c. Courtesy to the general public.....5
 - d. Neat appearance to overall exhibit.....10
2. Animals (30)
 - a. Animals tied for best presentation5
 - b. Animals kept clean at all times10
 - c. Plenty of bedding used10
 - d. Information on animals and advertising value5
3. Barn (40)
 - a. Aisles kept free and clean for spectators25
 - b. Equipment kept in show boxes, etc.5
 - c. Feed kept in orderly manner5
 - d. Appeal to General Public, including booths5

TOTAL100

Class 2 - MARKET GOAT SHOWMAN

A \$20 cash award is given to the outstanding Market Goat Showman. The individual receiving this award will be announced at the end of the Market Goat show.

Section 20 - MARKET GOAT SHOWMANSHIP

Market Goat Showmanship -
5:00 p.m., Friday, August 14

RULES

1. Classes and order of show will be determined by the Superintendents and posted. Each exhibitor must show his/her own animal.
2. You must show in Market Goat Showmanship in order to receive premium monies in the Market Goat Show. Please check the Showmanship box on the entry form.

SECTION 20: Market Goat Showmanship Exhibitors -- Refer to Dept. F, General Rule 3, under Showmanship.

Classes 1 SENIOR SHOWMANSHIP
Classes 2 INTERMEDIATE SHOWMANSHIP
Classes 3 JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP

Classes 4 NOVICE SHOWMANSHIP
Classes 5 MASTER SHOWMANSHIP

2008:

NOVICE CHAMPION - **Ethan Boone**, Greenbrier Co
 JUNIOR CHAMPION - **Thomas Willis**, Greenbrier Co
 INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION - **Megan Shafer**, Lewis Co
 SENIOR CHAMPION - **Todd Ramboldt**, Greenbrier Co
 MASTER CHAMPION - **Janet Deem**, Greenbrier Co

Department F - Market Goats

Section 21 - MARKET GOAT COMPETITION

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
				10 am: Market Goats may begin to arrive	10 am: All Market Goats must be in barns 10 am: Market Goat Ultrasound 12 noon: Exhibitors Meeting 1 pm: Weigh-in 2:30 pm: Skillathon (Sr followed by Jr) Skillathon Tent 5 pm: Market Goat Showmanship	12 noon: Market Goat Show
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	6 pm: All Market Goats are Released	3 pm: YOUTH LIVESTOCK SALE				

RULES:

1. Exhibitors must have ownership by June 15, 2009.
2. Market Goats must be tagged with the Official State Fair tag by July 1, 2009. Ear tag numbers must be listed on the entry form from each exhibitor.
3. Each exhibitor may exhibit a maximum of two (2) market goats.
4. Goats must be born after January 1, 2009.
5. Goats must weigh 60 - 110 pounds to be eligible for the show. If there is any question concerning the actual weight, the goat must be re-weighed immediately before it is taken back to the barn. See rule 15.
6. Goats may be does or wethers.
7. Goats must carry all kid teeth and will be mouthed at weigh in. Wether goats will be examined at the time of weighing for the presence of testicular tissue. No animal with testicular tissue will be permitted to show.
8. All goats must have horns tipped. No sharp points allowed.
9. Goats will be assigned to weight divisions after weigh-in.



RULES (continued)

10. The 2009 Junior Show for Market Animals selected Grand and Reserve Grand Champions will be a terminal show. This means that all Grand and Reserve Grand Champions must be harvested. There are two options:
 - A) The youth may elect to consign their animal to the Greenbrier/Monroe Livestock Association, Inc., Sale. After the sale, the State Fair will assume responsibility for the animal and deliver it to a State or Federally inspected slaughter facility.
 - B) At release time, the State Fair will assume responsibility for the animal and deliver it to a State or Federally inspected slaughter facility. After harvest, the youth will be able to pick up the carcass to do with as they prefer.
- All Grand and Reserve Grand Champions will have a blood sample drawn immediately upon completion of the class. This sample will be sent to an independent lab for drug screening.
11. If, at check-in time, a concern regarding identification arises, the situation will be handled by the Department F Superintendents and the State Fair Executive Committee.
12. Goats shown in the market goat show may not be shown in the purebred Boer goat show.

NEW! 13. No non-exhibiting goats will be permitted in the barns. Only goats that will be exhibited are permitted in the barns.

Section 21-A – Light Weight Market Goat

- Classes 1-3: Premiums (except championship classes).
Class 4: CHAMPION LIGHT WEIGHT MARKET GOAT – Rosette.
Class 5: RESERVE CHAMPION LIGHT WEIGHT MARKET GOAT – Rosette.

Section 21-B – Medium Weight Market Goat

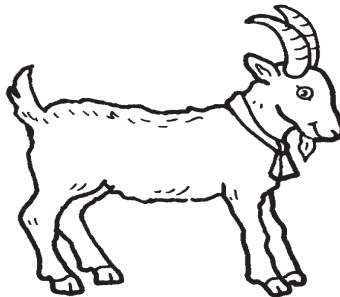
- Classes 1-3: Premiums (except championship classes).
Class 4: CHAMPION MEDIUM WEIGHT MARKET GOAT – Rosette.
Class 5: RESERVE CHAMPION MEDIUM WEIGHT MARKET GOAT – Rosette.

Section 21-C – Heavy Weight Market Goat

- Classes 1-3: Premiums (except championship classes).
Class 4: CHAMPION HEAVY WEIGHT MARKET GOAT – Rosette.
Class 5: RESERVE CHAMPION HEAVY WEIGHT MARKET GOAT – Rosette.

Section 21-D – Grand Champions

- Class 1: GRAND CHAMPION MARKET GOAT - Rosette.
Class 2: RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION MARKET GOAT – Rosette



Section 21-E - ULTRASOUND GOAT EVALUATION

1. This contest, using ultrasound carcass data, is a unique educational opportunity designed to:
 - a. Familiarize exhibitors and their families with ultrasound technology;
 - b. Provide carcass data to both the exhibitor and the original breeder of the goat;
 - c. Award exhibitors who have animals that excel in producing a carcass that meets the accepted industry standards.
2. Real-time ultrasound is a non-invasive method of estimating economically important carcass traits of the live animal. This technology is being utilized to make seedstock selections and mating decisions.
 - a. Participation is on a voluntary basis.
 - b. Only goats that have been entered in the Market Goat Show are eligible.
 - c. Goats should be clean & dry when presented for measurement.
 - d. All animals will be clipped to enhance the accuracy of the Ultrasound reading. Goats that are clipped will NOT BE DISCRIMINATED AGAINST during the show. THE EXTERNAL APPLICATION OF HAIR/OR FOREIGN SUBSTANCE IS PROHIBITED.
 - e. This procedure WILL REQUIRE THE USE OF OIL OR OTHER LUBRICANTS. The Exhibitor will be responsible for removal of residue after completion of the ultrasound measurements.
 - f. All measurements will be taken between the 12th & 13th rib area. Measurements to be taken include backfat depth and loin eye area.
 - h. Measurements will be taken on Friday, August 14th at 10am. Location will be announced.
 - i. Goat must be shown by the exhibitor in the Market Goat show to be eligible for awards.

