

YOUTH DAIRY GOAT DEPARTMENT

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Youth Dairy Goats will be stalled and shown in the Swine Barn.

SCHEDULE

Wednesday, August 14

Noon Dairy Goats may arrive
 5:00 p.m. Dairy Goats must be in
 5:00 - 6:00 p.m. Entries checked

Thursday, August 15

8:30 a.m. Youth Dairy Goat Show
 2:00 p.m. Dairy Goats (not entered in Open) released
 6:00 p.m. Dairy Goats (not entered in Open) must be out

If you have questions, please contact the Iowa State Fair Entry Department at 515-262-3111 ext. 246 or ffa@iowastatefair.org.

DEPARTMENT RULES

- General rules and regulations and health requirements listed on the Iowa State Fair website and in the FFA section apply in this department, with special emphasis on the following sections: Member Eligibility, Supervision and Lodging, Good Conduct Policy, Medication and Drug Testing, and Showing and Fitting Ethics.
- Because Iowa is a brucellosis and T.B. free state, dairy goats originating in Iowa need not be tested.
- Nominations must be submitted online on or before May 15.** A maximum of 15 head may be nominated. All goats must be identified by ear or tail tattoo by the nomination due date. No fresh tattoos will be allowed.
 Dairy goats must be owned by the nomination due date by the exhibitor, or in a partnership or a corporation. Ownership must be maintained from the nomination date through the exhibition date of the Iowa State Fair.
- SUBSTITUTIONS** - Substitutions will be allowed provided the animal was nominated online.
- Entries must be submitted online on or before July 1.** Entry fee is \$5 per head. Each exhibitor may enter two animal per class with a maximum of six animals for the entire show. A pen is large enough for three mature goats. Chapters should feel free to share a tack pen.
- FFA Dairy Goats may enter Open Classes provided additional entry is made on or before July 1 on an Open Class entry form, accompanied by an additional \$7 Open Class entry fee for each head. All such entries are subject to Open Class rules.
- Does 24 months of age or over which have never freshened shall not be shown.
- Animals with natural horns shall not be shown.
- All goats must be penned in area designated by Superintendent in the Swine Barn. **Exhibitors must contact Butch Sowers, Open Dairy Goat Superintendent, regarding pens and departure times. Contact Butch at: Butch Sowers, 67157 200th St., Nevada, IA, 50201 or email toggmanbutch@gmail.com. The information provided will assist with the stalling process.**
- All FFA dairy goats must have legible tattoos. Animals should have clipped and clean ears or tails in order to check tattoos during the check-in process. No fresh tattoos will be allowed.
- Milkout time will be at the discretion of the exhibitor. However, the judge has the right to disqualify exhibitors if animals are not handled in a humane manner.
- If a FFA exhibitor is interested in the Open Milking Competition, it is his/her responsibility to contact the Dairy Goat Superintendent to arrange for a Wednesday evening milkout.
- This show will be an ADGA sanctioned show and their rules shall govern. The Junior and Senior shows are not separately sanctioned.
- The Grades Division will be shown separately before the ADGA Sanctioned Show. The order of the show IS NOT subject to change.
- PREMIUMS AND RIBBONS** - Each entry will receive a ribbon (purple, blue, red or white) in each class. Monetary premiums will be paid to the top three entries in each class. Premiums paid will be \$20,10, 5.
- Rosettes will be awarded to the Champion and Reserve Champion, Junior and Reserve Junior Champion, Senior and Reserve Senior Champion in each division. Trophy to Champion in the following divisions: Grades, Recorded Grades, Alpine, Nubian, All Other Breeds.
- The Best Doe of Show will be selected in the ADGA Sanctioned Show from the recorded grade and purebred classes. The Best Doe of Show will be awarded a trophy by the Iowa State Fair.
- Showmanship classes will be divided as follows: Juniors - completed grades 5th and 6th; Intermediates - completed grades 7th, 8th and 9th; Seniors - completed grades 10th, 11th and 12th.

Classes Offered In These Divisions:

	Grades Div 814	Rec. Grades Div 815	Nubian Div 816	Alpine Div 817	All Other Div 818	Nigerian Dwarf Div 819
<i>JUNIOR (Does under 24 Months of age that are not in milk and have <u>never</u> freshened)</i>						
Born after April 1, 2024 (under 4 months)	22141	22161	22181	22201	22241	22191
Born March 1 - April 1, 2024 (4 months & under 5 months)	22142	22162	22182	22202	22242	22192
Born February 1 - February 29, 2024 (5 months & under 6 months)	22143	22163	22183	22203	22243	22193
Born July 31, 2023 - January 31, 2024 (6 months & under 1 year)	22144	22164	22184	22204	22244	22194
Born July 31, 2022 - August 1, 2023 (1 year & under 2 years)	22145	22165	22185	22205	22245	22195
<i>SENIOR (Does in milk or that <u>have</u> freshened)</i>						
Born after August 1, 2022 (under 2 years in milk)	22146	22166	22186	22206	22246	22196
Born July 31, 2021 - August 1, 2022 (2 years & under 3 years)	22147	22167	22187	22207	22247	22197
Born July 31, 2019 - August 1, 2021 (3 years & under 5 years)	22148	22168	22188	22208	22248	22198
Born August 1, 2019 & before (5 years & over)	22149	22169	22189	22209	22249	22199

DAIRY GOAT CHAPTER AWARD

THE SUPREME DAIRY GOAT EXHIBITOR'S AWARD recognizes the cooperative efforts of a chapter or school. The banners/ribbons are awarded to the chapters or schools with outstanding over-all exhibits of purebreds, recorded grades and grades. No entry form or entry fee will be required. The awards are based on a point system. A committee will tabulate the results during the progress of the show.

Chapter Award: 1st - Banner; 2nd through 10th place - Ribbons