



Superintendent: Cammie Janssen

**Department- 4-H Goats (Market & Dairy)**

Entries: **Online Only - <http://adco.fairentry.com>**

Deadline: June 29, 2018      Entry Fee: \$3.00 Per Entry

Arrival: Monday, July 30, 5:30-8PM

Tuesday, July 31, 5:30-8PM

All Goats must be in place by 8pm Tuesday, July 31

Weigh-In: Wednesday, Aug 1, 1-3:00pm

Judging: Dairy - Wednesday, August 1, 2018; 9:00 a.m.

Showmanship, Market, Breeding Boers-Thursday, August 2, 2018; 9:00 a.m

Departure: Sunday, August 5, 2018 at 3:00 p.m.

Open Minis (Age 5-7): Use Open Mini Department for registration

Non-Sanctioned Show

Premium Scale:

1st - \$10.00 | 2nd - \$8.00 | 3rd - \$6.00 | 4th - \$4.00 | 5th - \$2.00

**Goat Project members who intend to exhibit their animals at the County Fair must complete the following to remain eligible for fair entry and exhibition:**

1. Enroll in the Goat Project by enrollment deadline.
2. Attend Meat Quality Assurance Training (MQA) annually.
3. Complete and file an Animal Care and Housing Form (Primary Care) on 4HOnline (leased animals and animals not housed at home must turn form into Extension Office)
4. Tag all market goats at mandatory County Tag-in day.
5. ID all animals in 4HOnline by June 1 deadline.
6. Attend Livestock Record Book Interviews and present an up-to-date E-Record Book.
7. Enter fair classes online by entry deadline.
8. Complete and turn in E-Record Book the Friday following Labor Day to the Extension Office.

**RULES: (also see Livestock, Equine & Small Animal Rules)**

1. Collar required, any material, can use hand leads but no leashes, chain collar preferred.
2. Market goats must be owned by member by Adams County Tag-In day. All other non-market goats must be owned by member by June 1 of current 4-H Year.
3. DO NOT milk out on morning of show.
4. All dairy goats must be dehorned. Horned pygmies, boers, and market goats shall have their horn tips tipped or taped for the exhibitors' safety.
5. Shavings or straw are to be used as bedding.
6. **No bucks allowed (any age), no exceptions.**
7. Superintendent or judge reserves the right to change or omit classes as entries dictate, with approval of Extension Agent.
8. Classes or breeds in which less than three (3) are entered may be combined, with approval by Extension Agent.
9. Exhibitors may use meshed or plastic muzzles on lambs and goats at the Adams County Fair. The style used must allow the animal to drink water.
10. Dairy and market goats must be clipped to show standards before entering the ring.
11. Barn Closes at 10:00 p.m. nightly and reopens at 5:45 a.m. daily



**RECORD BOOKS**

**\*No Entry Fee\***

**Please refer to the General Rules for 4-H Record Book requirements.**

1. Members must complete and turn in (by deadline) a record book for each species in which they exhibit at Fair. If a record book is not completed for each species exhibited, the member will forfeit premiums and be ineligible to exhibit that species at the next year's Fair.
2. Goat members complete Livestock E-Record and any necessary supplements.

**DIVISION: RECORD BOOK**

**CLASS:**

1. **Goat Record Book – Junior 8-10 years**
2. **Goat Record Book – Intermediate 11-13 years**
3. **Goat Record Book – Senior 14-18 years**

**AWARDS:**

Champion Record Book- Rosette  
 Reserve Champion Record Book- Rosette  
 (Junior, Intermediate, and Senior Record Books)

**4-H DAIRY GOATS**

**Judging: Wednesday, August 1, 2018 at 9:00 a.m.**

**DIVISION: SWISS TYPE DOES (SAANEN, TOGGENBURG, ALPINE, AND OBERHASLI)**

**DIVISION: NUBIAN TYPE DOES (NUBIANS, LAMANCHA)**

**DIVISION: NIGERIAN DWARFS DOES (FEMALES ONLY)**

**CLASS:**

1. **3 Years and Over - Before August 5, 2015**
2. **2-3 Years - August 5, 2015 to August 2016**
3. **Lactating Yearlings - August 5, 2016 to August 2017**
4. **Non-Lactating - August 5, 2016 to August 2017**
5. **Senior Kid - September 2017 to February, 2018**
6. **Intermediate Kid - March 1 to May 30, 2018**

**AWARDS:**

Grand Champions Junior and Senior Doe of Show- Awards  
 Champion of Breed Jr. and Sr. Doe of Show - Trophy/Rosette  
 Res. Champion of Breed Jr. and Sr. Doe of Show - Trophy/Rosette  
 Best of Breed Champion and Reserve - Award/Rosette  
 Reserve Best of Breed Jr. and Sr. Doe - Award/Rosette  
 Best Udder - Award/Rosette



**4-H FIBER GOAT**  
**Wednesday, August 1, 2018**  
**(Following Dairy Goat Show)**

**DIVISION: FIBER GOAT**

**CLASS:**

1. Jr. and Sr. Kid Combined (Born 8/1/2016-6/1/2017)
2. Yearling and Older Does (Born 7/30/2016 or Before)

**4-H PYGMY GOAT**  
**Does Only**  
**Wednesday, August 1, 2018**  
**(Following Fiber Goat Show)**

**DIVISION: PYGMY GOAT**

**CLASS:**

1. Pygmy – Jr. and Sr. Kid Combined (Born 8/1/2016- 6/1/2017)
2. Yearling and Older Does (Born 7/30/2016 or Before)

**AWARDS:**

Champion Non-Dairy - Trophy/Rosette Reserve

Champion Non-Dairy - Trophy/Rosette

**4-H CART AND PACK GOAT**  
**Wednesday, August 1, 2018**  
**(Following the Pygmy Goat Show)**

**DIVISION: CART & PACK GOAT**

Any goat can be used: Market, Dairy, or Pygmy/Dwarf, wether or doe.

There will be an obstacle course. These are agility courses, not 'fun' classes.

**CLASS:**

1. Pack Goat
2. Cart Goat

**4-H FUN TIME GOAT DRESS-UP**  
**Wethers and Does**  
**Wednesday, August 1, 2018**  
**\*No Entry Fee\***  
**Not a Premium Class**  
**\*For Mini's see Department 999\***

**DIVISION: FUN TIME GOAT DRESS-UP**

**CLASS:**

1. Dress up your goat anyway you would like, and dress up yourself if you wish.



**4-H GOAT SHOWMANSHIP**  
**Thursday, August 2, 2018 at 9:00 a.m.**

**DIVISION: SHOWMANSHIP**

- Dress whites are required to show dairy goats (White shirt & black pants are acceptable).
- Follow 'dress code' in Premium book for market/breeding boer exhibitors.

**CLASS:**

1. Junior Goat Showmanship – 8-10 years
2. Intermediate Goat Showmanship – 11-13 years
3. Senior Goat Showmanship – 14 years and over

**4-H MARKET GOAT**  
*Weigh-In: Wednesday, August 1, 2018 from 1:00 - 3:00 p.m.*  
**Judging: Thursday, August 2, 2018 at 10:00 a.m.**

**DIVISION: MARKET GOAT**

**Class 1: Market Goat Entries**

Each exhibitor will be given a sale declaration card with instructions of how to declare online. This card designates which animal they would like to send to the Jr. Livestock Sale. This card must be submitted online no later than 6:30PM the day before the sale, (Friday). Late submissions will not be accepted. Market goat minimum weight is 50lbs, and maximum weight is 125lbs.

**AWARDS:**

Champion Market Goat – Buckle and Banner  
Reserve Champion Market Goat – Buckle and Banner

**DIVISION 010: RATE OF GAIN** – No Entry Fee

**Class 1: Market Goat entries are eligible if they weighed in at spring weigh-in.**  
**Based on weight gained between May and Fair weigh-in.**

**AWARDS:**

1st - \$30 / 2nd \$20 / 3rd \$10

**CARCASS CONTEST**  
**Entry Fee: \$5.00**  
*Final Date/Time TBD*  
**Maximum two (2) entries per exhibitor**

**DIVISION: CARCASS CONTEST**

**CLASS:**

1. Goats must weigh 50-115Lbs. Sonoray will be used to examine carcass.

**AWARDS:**

1st- \$75/ 2nd \$50/ 3rd \$25



**4-H MEAT GOAT BREEDING SHOW - BOER AND PERCENTAGE BOER**  
**Thursday, August 2, 2018**  
**(Following Market Goat Show)**

**DIVISION: MEAT GOAT**

1. 3 Years and Over - Before August 5, 2015
2. 2-3 Years - August 5, 2015 to August 2016
3. Lactating Yearlings - August 5, 2016 to August 2017
4. Non-Lactating - August 5, 2016 to August 2017
5. Senior Kid - September 2017 to February, 2018
6. Intermediate Kid - March 1 to May 30, 2018

**AWARDS:**

Champion Meat Type - Trophy/Rosette

Reserve Champion Meat Type - Trophy/Rosette

**4-H GOAT PRODUCER**  
**Thursday, August 2, 2018**  
**(Following Meat Goat Breeding)**

**DIVISION: ADAMS COUNTY PRODUCER CLASS**

**CLASS: 1 - Producer Class – This class is for 4-H exhibitors who are breeding and raising their own market or breeding stock. Exhibitor must have bred and own the entered animal.**

**RULES:**

1. Extension Agent or their designee must visit the premise where the producer animal is housed prior to weaning and before spring tag-in. No producer animals may be nominated after the market tag-in date for the particular species.
2. The Extension Office shall keep a record of all visits made to premises and identified animals; only exhibitors and animals following this process will be allowed entry into this class.
3. Exhibitors may nominate up to three animals but show only one.
4. Animals nominated for producer may be market or breeding and must be entered in another regularly scheduled class for the department.
5. All producer nominated animals, must have identifying tags or tattoo's in order to verify identity. The Extension office can provide tags if needed during the premise visit.
6. Producer animals need not attend market tag-in's. It only must if the animal is also a market animal and must be tagged and identified for the market classes.

**SCORING:**

This DIVISION is scored and placed based upon three different criteria. All criteria must be met and entered by all stated deadlines in order to be eligible for placing.

1. Enter and show identified Producer lambs in the producer class. Class is placed from top to bottom.
2. Interview – Each exhibitor must have a personal interview with the Goat Judge. The judge will give the exhibitors a score between 0-20. The score numbers will correspond to the number of points the members earn on their interview.
3. Record Book - Complete and Enter Project Record Book by stated deadline. Members planning to exhibit in the producer class must submit a record for the species in which they're entered in order to be eligible (this is in addition to the requirement as stated for sale animals). Members will earn points based on their score on the dutch scoring scale. They can also earn 'bonus' points for placing in the top five of their age and species division, scored on the American system of judging.
4. Points are distributed as follows:

**RECORD BOOK POINTS:**

Score	Points	Placing	Points
Blue	5	1	5
Red	3	2	4
White	1	3	3
		4	2
		5	1

**LIVE PLACING POINTS:**

Placing	Points
1	10
2	9
3	8
4	7
5	6
6	5
7	4
8	3
9	2
10	1
11 + Below 0	



PREMIER GOAT EXHIBITOR CONTEST
\*NO ENTRY FEE\*

DIVISION: PREMIER GOAT EXHIBITOR CONTEST

CLASS 1: All Exhibitors

Rules:

- 1. The purpose of this contest is to recognize exhibitors that excel in the areas of care, knowledge, and presentation of their projects.
2. The contest will have the following divisions: Beef, Goat, Sheep, Swine, Poultry and Rabbits.
3. Exhibitors may have breeding or market projects or both. All ages will compete together within each species area. Exhibitors are allowed to enter the Premier Exhibitor Contest in as many species as they are enrolled in. One winner per species will be awarded.
4. Exhibitors must pre-enter this contest along with their regular fair entries. Please see department for further entry information.
5. All entrants will identify themselves by placing a Premier Exhibitor ID on your stalls/cages.
6. The Contest will be judged on the following Criteria:

a. Herdsmanship - 30 points possible

There are five major judging criteria that you will be judged on for herdsmanhip. Identification of animals (stall cards), care and maintenance of animals while at fair (do they always have water?), stall cleanliness, stall decorations, and educational information (poster or other item). You must have your Premier Exhibitor ID on your stall sign to be judged and earn points for these criteria.

b. Knowledge Test - 30 points possible

Exhibitors will be required to take a 30 question, multiple choice test, designed to evaluate knowledge of their project in areas such as: health, feeding, breeding, selection, handling, carcass, and industry related issues. All questions will be taken from the recognized 4-H project manuals.

All entrants must take their specific species knowledge test at the time specified. Tests will be given at Record Book Interviews. This is the ONLY opportunity for participants to complete this test.

c. Showmanship - 30 points possible

Points given for showmanship placing will be broken down according to the following point chart.

d. Carcass Class - 20 points possible

Points given for carcass class placing will be broken down according to the following point chart. Rabbit and Poultry Exhibitors are not awarded points for this criteria.

e. Class Placing - 10 points possible

Each exhibitor will receive points for his/her highest placing animal. Only one animal per exhibitor (market or breeding) will be used for class placing points. Points will be broken down according to the following point chart.

f. Number of Animals Exhibited - 6 points possible

Exhibitors will receive one point for each market animal they exhibit (up to 3 points). Exhibitors will receive one point for each breeding animal they exhibit (up to 3 points)

g. Record Book - 10 points possible

Points will be awarded on the following sliding scale found in the following chart:

h. Bonus Points - 5 points possible

Exhibitors will receive 5 bonus points for exhibiting animals in both the market class and producer class division.

i. Tie Breaker

Exhibitors will fill out a short essay answer at the end of their test. This essay will be used in the event of a tie to determine a winner.

- 7. Points will be awarded for placing within each class based on the exhibitor's actual placing within the class regardless if all exhibitors in the class are participating in the Premier Exhibitor class.

AWARD:

\$125 Cash Award

Winners will be announced at the October Achievement Banquet.

Table with 10 columns: Knowledge Test (Score, Points), Showmanship (Score, Points), Carcass Class (Score, Points), Class Placing (Score, Points), Record Book (Score, Points). Rows show point values from 30 down to <=15 and corresponding placement ranks.