Youth Ag Mechanics & Small Stock Auction
Youth Dairy Goat Show-YDG
Enter online at pinalfairgrounds.com

Entry Fees:	$5 per animal $10 Exhibitor fee per ONE PER EXHIBITOR
Online Deadline:	February 21, 2027, at **Midnight**
Receiving:	Tuesday, March 16, 2027, 12 pm -4:00 pm.
Location:	Pinal County Fairgrounds.
Release:	Sunday, March 21, 2027, at noon.
Credential Policy:	Refer to the 2027 Credentials Policy for Fair Pass information.

ENTRY INTO THIS DEPARTMENT, USE: Online entry plus Exhibitor Signature Form

Rules: Exhibitors entering this department must abide by the following: **General Rules and Regulations, Department Rules.** Please read and understand all rules before entering this department.

To provide your supporting documents.

1. Upload **COMPLETE** documents using form on website. Incomplete documents will render entry invalid. (You will have 24 hours to upload documents after entry.)
2. If you are in question, please contact the office at 520-723-7881

Youth Dairy Goat Department Rules

Complete entries include online entry plus Exhibitor Signature form with all signatures, copy of YQCA certificate and Seasonal Pass and entry fees. **Entries MUST be entered online and supporting documents must be uploaded (see red box). No mailed entries are accepted.** ***Incomplete entries will not be accepted.***

All dates and times are subject to change.

JUDGING: Friday, March 19, 2027, 8:30 am
SHOWMANSHIP: Friday, March 19, 2027, 8:30 am
JUDGING: Breed Divisions - 15 minutes after Dairy Goat Showmanship, going in numerical order.
PEE-WEE SHOW: After the Dairy Goat Show
Auction: Saturday, March 20, 2027, 10:00 am

Mandatory Exhibitor Meeting Tuesday, March 16th at 6:00 pm

DAIRY GOAT EXHIBITORS PLEASE NOTE:

1. This show is not an ADGA sanctioned show, however, ADGA rules shall govern. All does must be registered in the youth exhibitor's name (or family name) with either ADGA, AGS, MDGA, or CGS. Animals not meeting this criterion WILL NOT be allowed to show. Does under six months of age can be shown with an official stamped duplicate registration. Animals (kids under 6 months) waiting for registration paperwork must be able to submit proof of both parent's registration.
2. All animals must be kept in livestock area. Any exhibitor found with their animal outside livestock area will not be allowed to participate in the auction. Species coordinator may make exceptions to this rule as needed.
3. Age base is March 1, 2027. Use the base date to establish the age of the animal for proper class placement for the show.
4. The exhibitor must have an animal entered in the dairy goat department to participate in showmanship.
5. Scurs, over 2" on does, not accepted.
6. Bucks over 3 months of age and horned animals are not eligible.
7. Animals are to arrive clipped/trimmed.
8. Exhibitors are responsible for tattoos on animals entering the show ring.
9. Pens will be assigned by the coordinator based on the number of animals entered. No pen switching will be allowed. Tack pens will be assigned only if space is available. No pen consideration will be made for animals not entered in the show.
10. Pinal County Fair Dress Code required. *Refer to General Rules* ***NOTE: in addition, dairy showman may wear show whites.***
11. Dairy goats will be sold in the small auction and not the large livestock auction. **Animals must be entered and judged in Division 3208: Dairy goats for Auction, to be eligible to sell.**
12. All kids must be checked in with the coordinator by the check-in deadline.
13. Animals that are due to kid within 2 weeks of the fair are ineligible to attend the fair.

**** Nursing kids born after the deadline and before March 13, 2027 are eligible to come to fair but will not be allowed to enter to show.****

DIVISION 3215: Showmanship

Must be entered at time of Entry. All exhibitors are required to enroll in showmanship classes.

Class	Description
100	Junior Novice: Junior member - first year project
101	Junior: 8yrs -13yrs prior to Jan. 1, 2027
102	Senior Novice: Senior member - first year project
103	Senior: 14yrs -18yrs prior to Jan. 1, 2027

Winners of the novice division have the option to show in a non-novice division. Winners from class 101, 103 will represent the Dairy Goat Department in the ***Round Robin Showmanship Contest.***

Division 3210 Pet Dairy Goat Showmanship -Shared Family Entry

This division is intended for youth exhibitors who wish to participate with a family pet dairy goat that may be shared among siblings. Pet dairy goats may be shown by any youth exhibitor within the family, but only one exhibitor may handle and show the animal in the ring. Animals in this division must already be registered in a breed division by the owning exhibitor. The exhibitor in the pet class cannot be entered in any other classes within this species. Exhibitors in the Pet Division are not eligible for Round Robin Showmanship. Only the designated owner of the animal, as listed on the entry form, is eligible to enter the animal in the auction (if applicable). Animals in this division should be clean, healthy, and handled regularly. Winners in this division will receive ribbon prizes.

Class	Description
100	Junior Novice: Junior members in first year projects
101	Junior: Age 8yr – 13yr prior to Jan. 1, 2027
102	Senior Novice: Senior members in first year projects
103	Senior: Ages 14yr-18yr prior to Jan. 1, 2027

DIVISION 3209: Dairy Goats for Auction

Animals must be entered in this division if they wish to participate in the small stock Auction.

1. If the exhibitor has 2 animals entered they *MUST* inform the coordinator within one hour following the end of the show, to declare which animal will sell.

2. Exhibitors can enter 2 but are limited to selling a total of one Dairy Goat in the Auction.

Class	Description
100	Wether under 1 year of age
101	Wether over 1 year of age
102	Doe: any age

BREED DIVISIONS

DIVISION 3200: Alpine – Registered
DIVISION 3201: Guernsey-Registered
DIVISION 3202: Lamancha - Registered
DIVISION 3203: Nigerian Dwarf - Registered
DIVISION 3204: Nubian - Registered
DIVISION 3205: Oberhasli - Registered
DIVISION 3206: Saanen - Registered
DIVISION 3207: Toggenburg – Registered
DIVISION 3208: Recorded Grade

Junior Does-(Dry Does)

Class	Description
100	Junior Doe Kid: 2-3 Months
101	Senior Doe Kid: 4-6 Months
102	Junior Doe Yearling: 7-12 Months
103	Senior Doe Yearling: 13-24 months

Senior Does

***Must have freshened at least 1 time.

Class	Description
104	Milker Doe: yearling - less than 2 yr
105	Milker Doe: 2yr less than 3yr
106	Milker Doe: 3yr less than 4yr
107	Milker Doe: 4yr less than 5yr
108	Milker Doe: 5yr and over

DIVISION 3216: Dairy Goat Poster Contest - No entry fee. Must be entered as an exhibitor in this department. Poster relating to and about Dairy Goats. Two entries per exhibitor. The poster must be submitted the day of goat receiving. All posters will be displayed. Poster size 18"x 24".

Class	Description
01	Junior: 8yr to 13yr prior to Jan. 1, 2027
02	Senior: 14yr to 18yr prior to Jan 1, 2027