

# DAIRY GOATS

Superintendent: Sam Olsen (

## Division: DAIRY GOATS

Entry fee: \$5 per animal for individual classes and \$5 per class for group classes

### Dairy Goat Regulations:

1. All entries in this class are subject to General Livestock Regulations & Rules.
2. Ages are determined as of January 1st of the show year.
3. All goats over three months of age must have been disbudded or dehorned before exhibiting. Goats with horns will be disqualified.
4. Dairy goats do not have to be registered.
5. White costume is preferred for exhibitors with 4-H or FFA accessories as applicable.
6. Lead equipment should consist of a collar or small link chain, properly fitted.
7. Milk does are shown with full udder. Does entered in milking competition must be milked out after the show under the supervision of the Dairy Goat Superintendent.
8. No bucks or wethers will be shown.
9. Breed divisions and age lots will be established as necessary. Classes without three or more entries may be shown individually or in combined classes at the discretion of the superintendent and/or judge(s).
10. All decisions of the superintendents and judge(s) are final.

## Entries

### DAIRY GOAT CLASSES (Divisions according to breeds available)

#### Individual Classes

1. Jr. Kid Born May to July
2. Int. Kid Born March to April
3. Sr. Kid Born January to February
4. Yearling (non-milking) 1 year old and under
5. Milking Does 1 year & under 2
6. Milking Does 2 years & under 3
7. Milking Does 3 years & under 5
8. Milking Does 5 years & older

#### Group Classes

1. Get of Sire - group of 3 does by one sire
2. Dam & Daughter Class - Daughter & Dam in milk
3. Dairy Herd - at least 4 does in milk

## AWARDS

*For each division (class):*

Grand & Reserve Champion – Jr. Doe by Breed

Grand & Reserve Champion – Sr. Doe by Breed

Best in Show Jr. Doe

Best in Show Sr. Doe

Best Udder of Show

**Premiums:** Premiums are paid on classes within each division, as established by the superintendent.

1 <sup>st</sup>	\$10
2 <sup>nd</sup>	\$9
3 <sup>rd</sup>	\$8

4 <sup>th</sup>	\$7
5 <sup>th</sup> & down	\$5

**No more than 2 premiums will be awarded to an exhibitor under any one class. Premiums will be mailed.**

## **MILKING COMPETITION**

**Entry fee:** None

**Judging:** Sunday after Dairy Goat judging

1. All milking does entered in the SLV Fair are encouraged to compete.
2. Only 1 doe per exhibitor is allowed to compete.
3. Goats entered in the competition shall be on the premises by 11:00 am, Sunday, August 4 and milked dry by 1:00 pm. The Dairy Goat Superintendent shall check each doe to verify compliance with the preliminary milk out requirement. Refusal by the owner to comply with the milk out rule will eliminate the doe from the competition.
4. The exhibitor shall certify that the doe has not received Thyroprotein or any product which states on the label that it will increase milk production.
5. Milk must be weighed on a legal dairy type scale, recorded in pounds and tenths of pounds. Weighing will be done by the Superintendent or their representative.
6. Points will be awarded for the quantity of the milk for the period of time since the last kidding as follows:
  1. For each pound of milk, one point figured to the tenth pound.
  2. For each complete 10 days the goat has been in production since last kidding, 1-tenth of a point, with a maximum of 3.6 points.

## **AWARDS**

SLV Fair High-Point Milker

## **Division: DAIRY GOAT SHOWMANSHIP**

**Entry fee:** None

**Judging:** Following the Dairy Goat Show.

**See general showmanship rules and awards on [Here](#).**

## **DAIRY GOAT SHOWMANSHIP CLASSES**

1. Junior
2. Intermediate
3. Senior