

2026 Memorial Classic Open Dairy Goat Show

Co-hosted By: South Central Texas Goat Club & the Texas Mini Milkers

Location: Washington County Fairgrounds, Brenham, Texas

Saturday, May 30, 2026, at 8:30 AM

**ONE DAY – THREE SENIOR DOE SHOWS, THREE JUNIOR DOE SHOWS,
and YOUTH SHOWMANSHIP CLASSES**

EMBEDDED YOUTH SHOW IN RING 1

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SHOW RULES

Entry Fees: \$10 per head per ring. The Showman app will be used for entries (<https://showman.app>), and all entries must be completed prior to May 30, 2026.

Please contact Caroline Lawson, Kerry O'Neal, or Cheryl Lloyd with questions regarding entries (see contact information above).

This show is sanctioned by the American Dairy Goat Association (all sanctioned breeds), and their rules shall govern. The Senior open shows are separately sanctioned for Alpines, LaManchas, Nigerian Dwarfs, Nubians, Toggenburgs, All Other Purebreds (AOPs), and Recorded Grades. The Junior open shows are separately sanctioned for Alpines, LaManchas, Nigerian Dwarfs, Nubians, Toggenburgs, All Other Purebreds (AOPs), and Recorded Grades.

A separately sanctioned show for AOM (All Other Minis) will be held in conjunction with the ADGA-sanctioned show. This show is sanctioned by the Miniature Dairy Goat Association, and MDGA show rules shall govern. Junior and Senior Doe shows are separately sanctioned for AOM.

Registration certificates or a stamped duplicate are required for all animals entered in the show. No photocopies or electronic copies allowed. **Original registration certificates or a valid stamped duplicate must be presented to the Show Secretary before judging shall begin (ADGA rule X1-A-6).**

Champion Challenge entries: Proof of Championship is required and shall be either: (1) The prefix CH, GCH or SGCH as affixed by ADGA on the animal's registration or recordation certificate; or (2) Presentation of the Permanent Champion Certificate Notification Letter issued by ADGA in conjunction with the original registration or recordation certificate (considered valid only until December 31 of the year issued); or (3) a self-reported Show Wins Record downloaded through the ADGA website and filled out by the animal's owner.

Please bring extra handlers – Rings will be run simultaneously.

Arrival: The showgrounds will be open at 2 pm on Friday, May 29, 2026, for early arrivals. The registration table will be open from 6-9 pm on Friday, and 6-7:30 am on Saturday. Animals participating in the show must be in place and checked in no later than 7:30 am the day of the show.

Base Date: Base date for calculating age shall be May 30, 2026.

Health Requirements: All animals must be free of draining abscesses, pink eye, ringworm, external parasites, and sore mouth. If the animal is questionable, please leave it at home.

Substitutions: within the same breed will be allowed. These animals must be entered with the Show Secretary prior to the beginning of the show.

Winners: Please keep 1st and 2nd place class winners near the ring for selection of Grand Champion and Reserve Champion. In the Senior Breed Divisions, a Champion Challenge class is offered, and the breed champion must return to the ring to compete against other entries in the class for the title "Best of Breed." **Best of Breed senior doe winners will need to be milked out before selection of the Best Doe in Show. Junior and Senior Best of Breed winners must be exhibited in the "Best in Show" class. If you leave before this class is held, you will forfeit the Championship leg earned at this show (ADGA rule X1-J-9).**

Champions, Reserve Champions, Best of Breed, and Best Doe/Best Junior Doe in Show winners – please take a moment to carefully review the information on the Official Report of Awards prior to signing it. Our Show Secretaries and Show Chair strive to complete these forms correctly, but mistakes do happen and we don't want you to forfeit a leg on your animal due to an inadvertent error.

Embedded Youth Show Entries: Animals must be registered in child's name only, not the family. Entries are \$2.00 per class, and the animal must be entered in the Open Shows as well, since it is an embedded show. Total entry fee will be \$12 (\$2 youth + \$10 open). Exhibitors may enter multiple does in a class as long as they are handled by another youth exhibitor. Judging for Embedded Youth Show Championship and Reserve Championship will take place after selection of Open Show Grand and Reserve in each breed, and after Open Show Best In Show selection. As with the open show, please keep 1st and 2nd place class winners near the ring for selection of Grand Champion and Reserve Champion.

Showmanship: Showmanship classes will take place between the Senior and Junior Doe Shows. There is no fee for Showmanship classes; however, you must sign up when you check animals in by 7:30 am on May 30, 2026. Showmanship is open to all exhibitors regardless of who owns the animal they are exhibiting.

Overuddered Does: Overuddered does may be discriminated against by the judges. If you need to relieve your doe of excess milk, please do so into a pail and not on the ground. If your doe leaks milk onto the concrete, please clean up after her. Please be considerate of other exhibitors and their animals. Do not leave animals for extended periods of time in the holding pens that have no bedding in them.

Pens and Fees: There will be a \$4 per pen non-refundable fee, charged by the fairgrounds for cleaning the facility after the show is over.

Miscellaneous Rules: The SCTGC, TMM, and the Washington County Fairgrounds will not be held responsible for any losses or damages incurred by exhibitors or visitors; all animals will be shown at owners' risk. Parents will be held responsible for the actions of their children. Exhibitors are requested to be neatly and appropriately attired, preferably in white; however, dark pants/skirt and a white shirt are acceptable.

Please do not bring beer, wine, or other alcoholic beverages onto the showgrounds. Please consider our youth and set a good example for them. Anyone who is found with alcoholic beverages in their possession will be asked to relinquish them (they will be returned when you leave the showgrounds at the end of the day on Saturday).

Receipt of entry will be an agreement by the exhibitor to abide by the show rules. Make sure your does are tattooed and that their tattoos match their registration papers. We do have a microchip reader available for those animals that may have faded or illegible tattoos and are also microchipped; however, the microchip number must be listed on the animal's registration papers, and it must match the microchip that is being read.

Order of Show: *Please note – the South Central Texas Goat Club Show Committee reserves the right to change the breed order of the show if deemed necessary to accommodate the timely progression of judging in each ring.*

Senior Doe Show ** Showmanship ** Junior Doe Show

INTENDED BREED ORDER FOR SENIOR DOES:

Alpine, LaMancha, Nigerian Dwarf, Nubian, Toggenburg, AOP, Recorded Grade, and MDGA AOM.

INTENDED BREED ORDER FOR JUNIOR DOES:

MDGA AOM, Alpine, LaMancha, Nigerian Dwarf, Nubian, Toggenburg, AOP, and Recorded Grade

Area Hotels:

Comfort Suites, 2350 S. Day (at Bus. 36), Brenham, Texas, 979-421-8100

Holiday Inn Express, 555 Hwy. 290, Brenham, Texas, 979-836-4590

Best Western Inn, 1503 Hwy. 290, Brenham, Texas, 979-251-7791

The Washington County Fairgrounds are located at 1305 East Blue Bell Road, Brenham, TX 77833-2436. Their website with directions is at www.washingtoncofair.com.

| Showmanship | Age Group | 1st | 2nd | 3rd |
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| Senior | 14-19 | \$20 | \$10 | \$5 |
| Junior | 9-13 | \$15 | \$10 | \$5 |
| Pee Wee | 8 & Under | Special Awards | | |

