

MARKET GOAT ENTRY FEE: \$30



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Judge: Billy Bob Moczygemba

Entries Close: Saturday, June 24, 2023 6:00 - 9:00 AM

Arrival: Thursday, October 12, 2023 1:00 - 4:00 PM

Weight Cards Due: Thursday, October 12, 2023 5:00 PM

Judging: Friday, October 14, 2023 After Lamb Show

RULES & REGULATIONS

- All entries will be subject to the General Rules & Regulations of the Junior Livestock Show.
- 2) Exhibitor must be a bona fide Nacogdoches County 4-H, Jr.FFA, or FFA member, be continuously enrolled in or entering the 3rd through 12th grade of a public or private school in Nacogdoches County, from the required date of validation through the conclusion of either the PWF or NCSS.
- 3) This class is open to Wether goats only.
- 4) All entries must be under the care of and fed by the exhibitor from validation through the end of the show. Exhibitor must maintain control of their animal at all times in and out of the show ring.
- 5) All goats must have been validated on Saturday, June 24,2023 at the Nacogdoches County Expo between 6:00 9:00 A.M. AS PER SHOW RULES. Exhibitors may validate multiple animals; however, only (1) goat per exhibitor may be brought to the show grounds.
- 6) All Market Goats must be dehorned or have horn tipped prior to weigh in at show. Ends of tipped horns must be larger than a dime in diameter.
- 7) All Market Goats must be sheared above the knees and hock joints prior to entering the show for judging.
- 8) Exhibitors are responsible for turning in **weight card by 5:00 PM on Thursday October 12, 2023.** Validation forms will be checked on Thursday, October 12, 2023 from 4:00 till 5:00 P.M. Goats must weigh between 50 lbs to 130 lbs. They will be sifted by weight and classes will be divided as evenly as possible by weight.
- 9) A minimum of four (4) top placing Goats in each class will be subject to a weigh back. Any Goat weighing more then 5 lbs over official weigh in weight will be allowed to weigh one addition time before being disqualified.
- 10) Judging begins at immediately concluding the lamb show on Friday, October 13, 2023 concluding with the selection of Grand & Reserve Champions followed by the sale order selection of class winners and other remaining placing premium sale goats. Showmanship will follow the conclusion of the premium sale selection. All goats will be released at the conclusion of the show.
- 11) Showmanship Divisions (Ages are as of the day of the show):

Junior: 13 years and Under Senior: 14 years and Over Pee Wee: 8 years and Under and not entered in this show

Each exhibitor must exhibit his/her entry in Showmanship Classes, Pee Wee must use a goat exhibited in the show.

- 12) The Premium Sale will be held Saturday, October 14, 2023 at 6:00 pm. Grand and Reserve Champion goats ONLY will need to be present for the premium sale. All other lots will be the exhibitor only.
- 13) A market resale will not be held; each exhibitor is responsible for the resale of their animal and for the care of their animal until it reaches final destination. All animals must be removed from fairgrounds by noon Sunday, October 15th.
- 14) Market animals selected for a drug test must complete the test immediately following the sale order selection on Friday, October 13, 2023.
- 15) Shavings must be purchased from the Nacogdoches County Expo Center. No other type of bedding will be allowed.
- 16) Goats will be disqualified for: a) a non-legible tattoo, b) description of goat differs from validation form, c) exhibitor fails to provide proper documentation and signatures on validation form.

~~AWARDS~~

Grand & Reserve Champion ~ Belt Buckle & Banner

Showmanship (Junior & Senior Division) ~ Belt Buckle for Grand & Reserve Champion per Division

Ribbons awarded based on decision of the Judge