

2023 WESTERN RESERVE DAIRY GOAT ASSOCIATION SHOW RULES

1. **THIS SHOW IS SANCTIONED BY THE AMERICAN DAIRY GOAT ASSOCIATION AND ADGA RULES SHALL GOVERN. THE JUDGES DECISION WILL BE FINAL.**

The Senior Doe and Junior Doe shows are separately sanctioned for both days and there are two separately sanctioned Buck shows on Saturday.

2. **Saturday Show Order: Senior Does** – Alpine, LaMancha, Nigerian Dwarf, Nubian, Oberhasli, Saanen, Toggenburg, Recorded Grade. **Showmanship followed by Junior Does** – Alpine, LaMancha, Nigerian Dwarf, Nubian, Saanen, AOP, Recorded Grade. **Double Ring Buck Shows Order: RING 1** - Nigerian Dwarf, AOP **RING 2** – AOP, Nigerian Dwarf.

Sunday Show Order: Senior Does - Alpine, LaMancha, Nigerian Dwarf, Nubian, Oberhasli, Saanen, Toggenburg, Recorded Grade. **Junior Does** - Alpine, LaMancha, Nigerian Dwarf, Nubian, Saanen, AOP, Recorded Grade.

THE ORDER OF THE SHOW IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE.

The Show Committee reserves the right to change the show order as needed to keep the show running in a smooth and orderly fashion.

3. Current health papers within 30 days of the show are required for out of state animals only. All animals exhibiting visible signs of infectious diseases will not be permitted to be unloaded or shown. Animals arriving will be examined by a veterinarian or show committee member. Questionable animals will not be unloaded. The decision of a veterinarian will be final. Exhibitors must present their health check-in card before checking entries at the secretary's table. All bucks over six months of age must be tied in their pens.
4. The original registration certificate is required for all animals six months of age or older. An original registration certificate or a valid duplicate application stamped by ADGA is required on all animals less than 6 months of age. No copies, telephone calls or telegrams will be accepted in lieu of original certificate. All registration papers must be shown to the show secretary before the start of the show. **Base date is the date of the show.**
5. Does entered in Saturday's or Sunday's shows must be checked in, and in place, by 8:30 a.m. the day of the show. **Check in times will be** Friday evening 6 p.m. - 10 p.m., Saturday and Sunday 7 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. Bucks must be checked in and in place by 2 p.m. Saturday.
6. There will be no charge for Showmanship classes. Showman's age will be determined as of January 1, 2023. Youth should wear white. Bucks may **not** be used.
7. There will be no pre-show milk out but over uddering is not recommended.
8. **ALL MILK MUST BE DISPOSED OF IN DESIGNATED AREA ON THE FAIRGROUNDS.**
9. Western Reserve Dairy Goat Association and Ashtabula County Agricultural Society shall not be held liable for any loss or injury to persons or property while on the Ashtabula County Fairgrounds.
10. Non sportsmanship like conduct will not be tolerated. Such conduct may result in disbarment from WRDGA shows.
11. Paid entry indicates acceptance of all show rules and regulations. The Show Committee reserves the right to interpret any show rule not adequately covered by these or ADGA rules.
12. **Entry fee is \$6.00 per animal . Pre-entry fee is \$5.00 per animal (payment can be submitted at check-in day of show).** Send pre-entries to Glenny Coughenour, 141 Road's End Lane, Butler, PA 16001 –OR- email to glennygig@gmail.com Pre-entries must be received by May 18, 2023. Fees must be paid before or at check-in or they will not be processed.