

ABGA BOER GOAT SHOW

SUPERINTENDENTS: Taylor Swinson & Larry Hooker

JUDGE: Randy Harp

ENTRIES CLOSE December 15, 2023

BEGIN ARRIVAL: Thursday, January 11, 12:00 p.m.

IN PLACE: Thursday, January 11, 9:00 p.m.

CHECK IN: Friday, January 12, 10:00 a.m.

SHOW: Saturday, January 13, 9:00 a.m.

BEGIN RELEASE: Saturday, January 13, After Show

ALL OUT: Saturday, January 13, 9:00 p.m.

1. Entries:

- A. All NWSS livestock entries are online at livestockentry.nationalwestern.com.
- B. Entry Fees: Entry fees are \$25.00 per head. Free parking included with entry.
- C. All entries must meet health requirements (see Health Regulations).
- D. No entries will be accepted at the gate.
- E. Only two (2) entries per individual family will be counted toward total entries in a class.
- F. Substitutions within the same class (60-day age classification for those not classified in the Premium Book) and same owner only will be accepted, in writing, up to 48 hours prior to the show. Registration papers must be presented with the substitution. There will be no substitution of animals in different classes (60-day age classification). Only one (1) substitution for original animal will be allowed. No exceptions. Absolutely no refunds or credits will be allowed on any substitution. No entries or substitutions accepted at the gate.

Special Rules:

- A. General Rules and Regulations apply to this division as well as those rules listed.
- B. Health Regs: Health Regulations apply to all open breeding goats. The certificate of veterinary inspection for all breeding sheep and goats imported into Colorado shall contain identification numbers for each animal. All sheep and goats coming to the National Western Stock Show must comply with current scrapie tagging rules. The U.S.D.A., in an effort to eradicate scrapie in the U.S., requires sheep and goats to have flock identification ear tags that list their flock of origin. Sexually intact animal's, regardless of age, must have official U.S.D.A. Scrapie Eradication Program Identification. Scrapie Eradication Program Identification numbers must be listed on the Health Certificate. Exhibitors are encouraged to contact their state Animal Health Officials for current Scrapie Eradication Program requirements.
- C. Eligibility of Animals: All goats must be registered in the herdbook of a recognized association before time specified by the show. Recognized associations include ABGA, International Boer Goat Association, USBGA and the Canadian Boer Goat Association. Original registration certificates are required, though a copy of a Registration Application, stamped with the date received by one of the listed associations, can be accepted for kids less than 3 months of age. Animals must be registered in the name of the exhibitor and must have been owned by the exhibitor on or before date to be determined by said show.
- D. Ennobled Herd Book Points: Only goats entered under their ABGA registration number and presenting their ABGA Certificate of Registration will be eligible to earn points for their actual placing in the show as described in the ABGA "Criteria for the Ennoblement of a Boer Goat".

- E. Tattoos: All goats must have legible tattoos or other means of permanent identification consistent with its registration certificate or the animal will be disqualified. The top 5 in the class plus the Champion and Reserve Champion Goat's tattoos must be read and recorded. If the animal has a microchip as its permanent identification, the exhibitor is responsible for providing a microchip reader.
- F. Computing Ages: Birth dates, as listed on the registration certificate will be used to determine the class divisions. Take the show date and count back to the birth date to determine the age and the class for the animal.
- G. Pens: No more than two (2) adult goats to a pen. Participants are responsible for keeping stalls clean. Straw is not allowed for bedding in the goat barn. Water permeable carpet or rubber mats may be used for bedding. Shavings, bedding and feed are available on the grounds from the National Western Feed Concession.
- H. Classes: All animals must be registered purebred, fullblood or percentage blood Boer Goats. Percentage doe classes are for goats 50% to 88%, Purebred/Fullblood classes are for does that are 15/16 blood (94%) and higher, 31/32 blood (97%) and higher for bucks. Progeny of fresh does will NOT be allowed in the ring. At the discretion of the judge and the superintendent, goats may be let loose in the ring as a function of judging. The Champion and Reserve Champion classes will be chosen from the first and second place animals in that division of the show.
- I. Disqualification: Any goat showing any pronounced defect or abnormality will be barred from the show in any breeding classes. Artificial coloring will be a disqualification. Illegible tattoos or tattoos inconsistent with registration papers will result in disqualification. Any doe over 24 months of age that has not kidded and cannot prove a current pregnancy will not be allowed to show.
- J. No blocking stands will be permitted in the wash racks.

CLASSES

PERCENTAGE BOER DOES (1/2 TO 7/8 BLOOD)

101	Doe Kids, 0 to 3 months.....	A: Ribbon
102	Doe Kids, 3 to 6 months.....	A: Ribbon
103	Doe Kids, 6 to 9 months.....	A: Ribbon
104	Doe Kids, 9 to 12 months.....	A: Ribbon
	Junior Champion and Reserve Champion Percentage Doe	ROSETTE
105.	Yearling Does, 12 to under 16 months.....	A: Ribbon
106	Yearling Does, 16 - 20 months	A: Ribbon
107.	Yearling Does, 20 - 24 months	A: Ribbon
	Yearling Champion and Reserve Champion Percentage Doe.....	ROSETTE
108	Two-Year-Old Does, 24 to under 36 months.....	A: Ribbon
109	Aged Doe, 36 months & Over.....	A: Ribbon
	Senior Champion and Reserve Champion Percentage Doe	ROSETTE
	Grand Champion Percentage Doe.....	BANNER
	Reserve Grand Champion Percentage Doe	BANNER

FULLBLOOD BOER DOES (15/16 TO FULLBLOODS)

201	Doe Kids, 0 to 3 months.....	A: Ribbon
202	Doe Kids, 3 to 6 months.....	A: Ribbon
203	Doe Kids, 6 to 9 months.....	A: Ribbon
204	Doe Kids, 9 to 12 months.....	A: Ribbon

	Junior Champion and Reserve Champion Fullblood Doe	ROSETTE
205	Yearling Does, 12 to under 16 months.....	A: Ribbon
206	Yearling Does, 16 - 20 months	A: Ribbon
207	Yearling Does, 20 - 24 months	A: Ribbon
	Yearling Champion and Reserve Champion Fullblood Doe	ROSETTE
208	Two-Year-Old Does, 24 to under 36 months.....	A: Ribbon
209	Aged Doe, 36 months & Over.....	A: Ribbon
	Senior Champion and Reserve Champion Fullblood Doe.....	ROSETTE
	Grand Champion Fullblood Doe	BANNER
	Reserve Grand Champion Fullblood Doe	BANNER

FULLBLOOD BOER BUCKS

301	Buck Kids, 0 to 3 months	A: Ribbon
302	Buck Kids, 3 to 6 months	A: Ribbon
303	Buck Kids, 6 to 9 months	A: Ribbon
304	Buck Kids, 9 to 12 months	A: Ribbon
	Junior Champion and Reserve Champion Fullblood Buck	ROSETTE
305	Yearling Bucks, 12 to under 16 months.....	A: Ribbon
306	Yearling Bucks, 16 - 20 months.....	A: Ribbon
307	Yearling Bucks, 20 - 24 months.....	A: Ribbon
	Yearling Champion and Reserve Champion Fullblood Bucks	ROSETTE
308	Two-Year-Old Bucks, 24 to under 36 months	A: Ribbon
309	Aged Bucks, 36 months & Over	A: Ribbon
	Senior Champion and Reserve Champion Fullblood Buck.....	ROSETTE
	Grand Champion Fullblood Boer Buck.....	BANNER
	Reserve Grand Champion Fullblood Boer Buck.....	BANNER

AWARDS AND PREMIUMS

ABGA will provide up to \$750.00 towards premiums. All premiums will be paid directly from the National Western Stock Show offices. Entries of 200 + animals - \$750.00, entries of 150-199 animals - \$500.00, entries of 149 animals or less - \$250.00.

PREMIUM SCHEDULE:					
	1 ST	2 ND	3 RD	4 TH	5 TH
A (10 or more in class)	\$35	\$30	\$20	\$15	\$10
B (9 or less in class)	\$30	\$25	\$15	\$10	\$5