

DEPARTMENT 6

GOATS

ENTRY FEE - \$4.00 per animal
Entries not limited to Westmoreland County

HEALTH RULES FOR GOATS

1. A Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) issued after May 1, of the current year is required.
2. All animals must be free of infectious and contagious diseases and a statement of this is required on the CVI (the statement is pre-printed on the CVI). Animals appearing unhealthy upon arrival may not enter the exhibition grounds. **Animals are not to be unloaded until health requirements are checked.**
3. An Animal Owner or Caretaker's Verification of Veterinarian-Client-Patient Relationship (VCPR) statement for the animals being exhibited must be included on the fair registration form. (A separate VCPR form is no longer required)
4. Individual official animal identification is required for health rules. Official ID includes:
 - An official USDA scrapie ear tag. Contact the USDA to obtain scrapie ear tags at 1-866-873-2824, weekdays from 9AM to 5PM. Your order may take several weeks for processing, so order tags early; or
 - An ISO-compliant 15-digit ear tag (including RFID); or
 - A USDA-approved custom scrapie ear tag; or
 - A USDA-approved scrapie tattoo. Goats with an official scrapie tattoo must also have a unique individual animal ID (tattoo) to meet the scrapie ID requirement; or
 - Goats having a breed registration tattoo and accompanied by a registration certificate are exempt from the scrapie ID requirement if the tattoo is legible and a registration certificate (copy acceptable) or a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection issued after May 1, of the current year which lists the tattoo and registry must accompany the animal at all times during transport from the premises of birth.

Out of State Goats: Animals originating from out of state must comply with the Westmoreland Fair Health Rules and the requirements set forth by the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture at <https://www.agriculture.pa.gov/Animals/AHDServices/Documents/2018%20Animal%20Health%20Rules%20for%20PA%20Fairs.pdf>

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DAIRY GOATS

Limit of 15 Goats per Family, Residence or Farm

1. Original Registration and health papers must be available upon arrival at the fairgrounds.
2. Registered grades will be accepted.
3. **Group Class Definitions**
 - GET OF SIRE: To consist of three animals, both sexes, one entry per exhibitor, one exhibitor need not own all animals.
 - PRODUCE OF DAM: Two doe of different ages, produce of same dam. One entry from same dam per exhibitor, maximum two entries per exhibitor.
 - BEST 3 FEMALES: 3 animals, any age, all owned by one exhibitor, 1 entry per exhibitor.
 - BEST DOE BRED BY EXHIBITOR: Doe bred and owned by exhibitor. Does may be of any age and each exhibitor is limited to two entries.
4. All goats must be registered in exhibitor's names and stamped by A.D.G.A.
5. Class age will be determined as of August 1.

6. Recorded grades must have current registration.
7. All animals must be dehorned. Scurs will be permitted.
8. All dairy goats must be registered and recognized with ADGA.
9. **All livestock exhibitors are responsible for their own bedding.**
10. Classifications and premiums are to apply to each of the following breeds:

SECTION	BREED
A	Alpine
B	LaManchia
C	Nubian
D	AOP
E	Toggenberg
F	Recorded Grade

Example entry: Dept. 6, Section A, Class 1 – Dairy Goats, Alpine, Kid under 4 months

CLASS	DESCRIPTIONS	1 ST	2 ND	3 RD	4 TH	5 TH
		\$11	\$9	\$8	\$7	\$5
1.	Kid under 4 months					
2.	Kid 4 months old and under 8 months					
3.	Jr. Yearling 8 months under 16 months					
4.	Doe 16 months under 24 months, not in milk					
	Junior Champion					Rosette
	Reserve Junior Champion					Rosette
7.	Doe under 2 in milk					
8.	Doe 2 years old and under 3 in milk					
9.	Doe 3 years and under 5 in milk					
10.	Doe 5 years old and over in milk					
	Senior Champion					Rosette
	Reserve Senior Champion					Rosette
	Champion					Rosette
	Reserve Champion					Rosette
15.	Best 3 Females, 3 animals, any age, all owned by one exhibitor, 1 entry per exhibitor					
16.	Dam and Daughter					
17.	Produce of Dam					
18.	Get of Sire					
19.	Best doe bred by exhibitor					
20.	Best udder in breed					
	Supreme Champion (to consist of champions of each breed)					Rosette

**DEPARTMENT 6
BREEDING MEAT GOATS
Limit of 15 Goats per Family, Residence, or Farm**

1. Original Registration and health papers must be available upon arrival at fairgrounds.
2. An animal may show in one division only, meat breeding does may not show in Market or Dairy Goat show or vice versa.
3. Goats do not have to be dehorned but it is recommended.
4. All purebred goats must be registered in their respective breed organizations in exhibitor's name.
5. Registered animals may not be entered in crossbred class.
6. Class age will be determined as of August 1.
7. Two entries per exhibitor per class except group classes.
8. **All livestock exhibitors are responsible for their own bedding.**
9. Group classes
 - Get of Sire: To consist of three animals, one entry per exhibitor, one exhibitor need not own all animals.
 - Produce of Dam: Two doe of any age, produced by the same dam.
 - Bucks are only permitted in the Get of Sire and Produce of Dam group classes
 - Dam and Daughter
 - Best 3 Females, 3 animals, any age, all owned by one exhibitor, 1 entry per exhibitor

SECTION	BREED
G	Boer (Purebred, Full blood, Percentage)
H	Other Meat Breeds (Pygmy, Spanish, Kinko, etc.)
I	Crossbred
N	Fiber

	Award	1 ST	2 ND	3 RD	4 TH	5 TH
CLASS	DESCRIPTIONS	\$11	\$9	\$8	\$7	\$5
1.	Does 0-6 months					
2.	Does 6-9 months					
3.	Does 10-12 months					
	Junior Champion	Rosette				
	Reserve Junior Champion	Rosette				
4.	Does 13-18 months					
5.	Does 19-24 months					
6.	Does 25-36 months					
7.	Aged Does over 36 months					
	Senior Champion	Rosette				
	Reserve Senior Champion	Rosette				
	Grand Champion	Rosette				
	Reserve Grand Champion	Rosette				
12.	Get of Sire					
13.	Produce of Dam					
14.	Dam and Daughter					
15.	Best 3 Females					
	Supreme Champion	Rosette				