

2011 Boone County 4-H/FFA & Open Meat Goat Show

- Pen Set Up:** Tuesday, July 19 @ 5:30 pm
- Arrival Time:** Friday, July 22 between 8:00 am and 10:00 am
NO arrivals before 8:00 am
 Must be in place by Friday, July 22 @ 10:00 am
- Weigh-In:** Friday, July 22 @ 2:00 pm
- Exhibitor Meetings** Friday, July 22 following weigh-in
 Friday, July 29, 9:30 am, All Species
 Saturday, July 30, 1:00 pm, Mandatory for Sale Exhibitors
- Show:** Saturday, July 23 @ 6:30 pm
- Release Time:** Sunday, July 24 @ 6 pm. Market Goats must return no later than noon,
 Thursday, July 28. Pens will be available for those goats who wish to stay
 after the show, or return earlier.
 Friday, July 29 after the completion of the sale for all sale animals
- Superintendent:** **Jo Britt-Rankin 573-239-8399**

Meat Goat Show Rules:

1. Rules listed in the **General Rules section in addition to following rules will apply to the Meat Goat Show.**
2. All market wethers must be owned and under the care of the Boone County 4-H/FFA member enrolled in the project by Friday, May 13, 2011.
3. Market goats/breeding stock goats may be of any meat breed or crossbred. Kinder wethers may be shown in the market Meat Goat class. Kinders used for dairy purposes show in the Dairy and Working goat show.
4. All Boone County market class goats **must attend a mandatory weigh-in and nose printing on (Note Change of Date) Monday, May 16, at 5:00 pm.** Males must be castrated prior to weigh-in. Wethers (castrated males only – no does) will be shown in market class.
5. In accordance with Missouri Department of Agriculture and Missouri State Fair health guidelines, all goats (including wethers) must have a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (health certificate) to be eligible to show. This health certificate must have been written within 30 days of exhibition. All goats must also be identified either by ear tag or tattoo.

6. Goats in the market class must be born after July 31, 2010.
7. Market goats must weigh a minimum of 60 pounds to be eligible to sell at the Junior Livestock Auction. No white ribbon animals will sell.
8. All market goats must be ear tagged or tattooed for identification.
9. Slick shearing is required for market goats, prior to weigh in on July 22. No shearing required for the Monday, May 16 weigh-in.
10. An exhibitor may show a total of **two market goats**.
11. **Only two entries per breeding stock classes.**
12. All goats will be checked by a veterinary before unloading. The veterinary will have the authority to have any animal deemed a health risk and removed from the fairgrounds. Goats may also be removed by the Meat Goat Chairperson, due to health risks.
13. Pen assignments will be made for each club by the Meat Goat Chairman. Any changes in pen assignments by be approved by the Chairman.
14. Herdsmanship will be judged daily by Club.
15. **It is required that all exhibitors complete the necessary Show Me Quality Assurance training.**
16. All 4-H and FFA members in Missouri are eligible to show goats in all classes except the Home Raised Meat Goat Class. Only Boone County exhibitors may show in the Home Raised Class. The definition of Home Raised can be found in the General Rules section.

SHOWMANSHIP

Showmanship will be for Boone County exhibitors only. Showmanship will be judged at the discretion of the judge. The exhibitor winning showmanship in the market lamb class will not be eligible to compete in the breed show for showmanship.

See General Rules for age break downs.

MARKET GOAT CLASSES

M1 **Market Goat** (Will split classes after weigh in) *Market goats must be under one year of age.*

Home Raised

BREEDING STOCK CLASSES (females only)

- D1 0 – Under 3 months**
- D2 3 months – under 6 months**
- D3 6 months – under 9 months**
- D4 9 months – under 12 months**
- D5 12 months – under 16 months**
- D6 16 months – under 20 months**
- D7 20 months – 24 months**
- D8 24 months – under 36 months**
- D9 36 months & older**
- Home Raised**

Bucks

- B1 0 – Under 3 months**
- B2 3 months – under 6 months**
- B3 6 months – under 9 months**
- B4 9 months – under 12 months**
- B5 12 months – under 16 months**
- B6 16 months – under 20 months**
- B7 20 months – 24 months**
- B8 24 months – under 36 months**
- B9 36 months & older**
- Home Raised**