

## 2024 COLORADO STATE FAIR MARKET GOATS

DIVISION 1

DEPARTMENT 935

Entry Fees: \$20 per entry

Entries Close: ..... Monday, July 29th  
Arrival of Goats: ..... Friday, August 23rd from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.  
Exhibitors Meeting ..... Saturday, August 23<sup>rd</sup> @ 8:45 a.m.  
Inspection & Tagging: ..... Saturday, August 23<sup>rd</sup> @ 9:00 a.m.  
Weight Declarations: ..... Saturday, August 23<sup>rd</sup> from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 a.m.  
Showmanship: ..... Saturday, August 24<sup>th</sup> @ 5:00 p.m.  
Show: ..... Sunday, August 24<sup>th</sup> @ 8:00 a.m.  
Begin Release: ..... Sunday, August 24<sup>th</sup> following Grand Drive  
Load out of Buyback Goats ..... TBD  
All non-sale Goats must be out of the barn ..... Sunday, August 24<sup>th</sup> @ 9:00 p.m.

**LIMITED TO FOUR (4) GOATS PER EXHIBITOR**

### Competition Requirements: (subject to change without notice)

1. All entrants must have read and be familiar with the Colorado State Fair General Competition Requirements, General Livestock Competition Requirements, Junior Livestock Sale Participation Requirements, IAFE National Show Ring Code of Ethics, Animal Welfare Policy, and Health Requirements. Exhibitors must comply with the Wholesome Meat provisions and the Colorado State Fair Exhibitor Code of Conduct. Exhibitors are encouraged to read and be fully informed of the contents of the Drug Residue Avoidance Guidelines.
2. All exhibitors in Open, Junior Breeding and Market shows must submit a premises identification (PID) number at the time of entry. PID may be obtained by contacting the Colorado Department of Agriculture at 303-869-9130 or online at [www.coloradodepartmentofagriculture/animals-ag.colorado.gov](http://www.coloradodepartmentofagriculture/animals-ag.colorado.gov).
3. **BEDDING:** Exhibitors are responsible for their own livestock bedding. Entry into competition at the Colorado State Fair and Industrial Exposition ("CSF") does not include bedding. Bedding may be pre-purchased on Livestock Entry forms and must be received in the Livestock Office with payment by entry deadline. Pre-purchased bedding may be picked up in the designated area on load-in days. Exhibitors must be present to claim their pre-purchased bedding. Refunds will not be issued for any pre-purchased bedding.

Straw may only be used for Dairy Cattle, Dairy Goats, Breeding Sheep and Open Breeding Cattle tie-outs. All other uses of straw are prohibited.

**Outside bedding for livestock exhibitors is permitted.**

4. Female (does) or wethers are eligible to be shown in the Market Goat Show. All Market Goats are required to have the proper scrapie identification. There is a minimum weight limit of **55 lbs.** and a maximum weight limit of **110 lbs.** for goats.
5. Market Goats can use only rubber mats, netting, or shavings for bedding, no straw, kitty litter, or other absorbent.
6. Due to limited space NO tack pens will be available. All items, e.g., feed, show boxes, trimming stands, are to be placed in areas designated by the Superintendents. Any of these items placed in pens may be removed without warning. DO NOT take pens apart; leave as assembled. Exhibitors may bring plywood for the top of their pens for storage.
7. Goats must be sheared in designated areas only. Goats must be slick-shorn and of uniform length from the knee and hock up, prior to inspection. "Blocking" or fitting in an attempt to alter or enhance a goat's appearance is not allowed. There will be no shearing allowed after processing. Only cordless clippers may be used for touch ups after inspection.
8. Any violation of the General Livestock Competition Requirements or Junior Livestock Competition Requirements regarding fitting of livestock may result in disciplinary action.
9. Clear adhesive only may be used on goat legs for show only. No adhesive may be used on goats entering the sale ring. Any adhesive used on goats should be removed immediately after show. There will be no powdering, painting, or coloring agent used on any market goat. No foreign matter added hair or artificial hair will be allowed on any entry. Exhibitors in violation will not be allowed to show. Application of any substance per rectum or topically to change the natural position of the tail is prohibited.
10. All goats will be required to have horns tipped blunt; no sharp points allowed.
11. Market Goats may be shown with collars or halters. Market Goat exhibitors may use meshed or plastic muzzles at the fair. The muzzle style must allow the goat to drink water.
12. ENTRY NUMBERS: Each entry will be assigned a number. Entry numbers will be provided to all exhibitors. These numbers must be displayed by the exhibitor when the animal is in the show ring.
13. A water container with water must be visible and available for watering on a regular basis in each penned/stalled area at all times. NO feeding or watering of livestock in show

rings, holding pens or to and from re-weigh stations will be permitted. CSF officials reserve the right, at its discretion, to contact a CSF veterinarian to determine if water should be given. **Drenching for hydration purposes will be allowed for Market Goats at the CSF. No stomach pumping devices will be allowed.** Injection, drenching, or application of any substance (including any caustic substance) per rectum is prohibited. Further, the application of any substance to or near the tail or anus is prohibited.

14. **NO** iced or wet towels allowed in the holding area. NO family members will be allowed in any of the lamb holding or staging pens at any time. NO EXCEPTIONS.
15. There will be no official weigh-in of Market Goats. Scales will be available for the exhibitors' use until the deadline for turning in the weight nomination form. An official weight nomination form must be obtained by the exhibitor when the animal is inspected. The official weight nomination form must be turned into the Livestock Office no later than the deadline listed above. The weight(s) indicated on the weight nomination form will be the official show weight. There will be no changing of weights after the weight nomination form has been turned in.
16. Classes will be separated by weight. In all Market Goat classes, the front feet of the goat must remain on the show ring floor while being shown. Judges and Superintendents are authorized to disqualify an exhibitor.
17. After each class of Market Goats has been placed, the top five animals will be weighed on the official scale by show officials. Market Goats cannot deviate more than 5% above or below the declared show weight as previously designated by the exhibitor on the weight card. If any Market Goat is weighed out, it will be disqualified, and the remaining animals will be moved up in placing. The disqualified goat is not eligible for any other class and will not be reweighed.
18. Champion and Reserve Champion of each weight division will compete for Grand and Reserve Grand Champion. The Champion and Reserve Champion in each weight division (lightweight, medium weight, and heavy weight) and the remaining 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place goats (not to exceed a total of 38 goats) will sell in the Colorado State Fair Junior Livestock Sale. Those exhibitors that have two or more sale qualified animals will only be eligible to sell (1) one animal.
19. Once the sale goats have been determined, those animals will be moved to a showcase area designated by the Livestock Superintendents. All equipment, except for those items needed to feed and water animals and clean stalls, shall be removed from the barn. The Authority will provide each exhibitor with two (2) bags of shavings for use in the new stalling area.
20. This show is a terminal show only for the Junior Market Goats selected for the Junior Livestock Sale. Animals not selected for the Junior Livestock Sale will be released to the exhibitor after the final sale order is posted. A buyback consignment is offered through

the Authority. Market Goat exhibitors are encouraged to utilize sound biosecurity practices upon departure from the fairgrounds; recommended biosecurity procedures are available in the Livestock Office.

# **JUNIOR MARKET GOAT CLASS#:**

# **PREMIUM**

*(Use the below class number only)*

3301. Market Goats (weight classes will be broken by officials after weigh-in).....A  
Rosettes to Champion and Res. Champion in each weight division.

## **PREMIUM SCHEDULE:**

No. of Entries	<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>	<u>5th</u>	<u>6th</u>	<u>7th</u>	<u>8th</u>	<u>9th</u>	<u>10th</u>
8 - 9	\$23	18	15	12	9	6				
10 - 11	\$26	21	18	15	12	9	7			
12 - 14	\$30	24	21	18	15	12	9	7	5	
15 - 19	\$32	26	23	20	17	14	11	9	7	7
20 – UP	\$34	28	25	22	19	16	13	11	9	9

## **GRAND CHAMPION JUNIOR MARKET GOAT**

**Grand Champion Drive: Sunday, August 25<sup>th</sup> – ½ hour after show**

**Champion and Reserve Champion of each weight division will compete.**

3398. GRAND CHAMPION MARKET GOAT .....Buckle by Blue Ribbon Processing  
..... Trophy by Colorado State Fair Authority  
..... Traveling trophy by CSU Animal Sciences Department  
..... Banner by Colorado State Fair Authority  
..... Quart of Lubrisyn Livestock

3399. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION MARKET GOAT.....Buckle by Blue Ribbon Processing  
..... Trophy by Colorado State Fair Authority  
..... Banner by Colorado State Fair Authority

3400. THIRD OVERALL MARKET GOAT ..... Banner by Sure Champ / Vita Charge

3401. FOURTH OVERALL MARKET GOAT..... Banner by Sure Champ / Vita Charge

3402. FIFTH OVERALL MARKET GOAT ..... Banner by Sure Champ / Vita Charge

## JUNIOR MARKET GOAT SHOWMANSHIP

**Show: Saturday, August 24<sup>th</sup> @ 5:00 p.m.**

**DIVISION 25**

**NO FEE**

**DEPARTMENT 935**

### Competition Requirements:

1. No pre-entry, no entry fee is required. Exhibitors may sign up at time of inspection or weight declaration.
2. Classes are limited to exhibitors with Junior Market Goat entries. Exhibitors must show their own animal.
3. Show order will be: Junior – Intermediate – Senior
4. Three age divisions are offered with exhibitor age considered as of December of the past year.
5. The judge will consider the appearance of the animal, showmanship ability of the exhibitor, and the exhibitor's appearance, courtesy and knowledge.
6. Rosettes will be awarded to 1<sup>st</sup> through 6<sup>th</sup> place in each division. No premiums will be paid for Showmanship.

### CLASS#:

3355. Junior Division (8 - 10 yrs of age) ..... Buckle by Hubbard Feed  
..... Award by Hummel Livestock  
..... Award by Colorado State Fair Authority

3356. Intermediate Division (11-13 yrs of age) ..... Buckle by Hubbard Feeds  
..... Award by Hummel Livestock  
..... Award by Colorado State Fair Authority

3357. Senior Division (14-18 yrs of age)..... Buckle by Hubbard Feeds  
..... Award by Hummel Livestock  
..... Framed Scholarship Certificate by N.J.C.

## JUNIOR MARKET GOAT SPECIAL AWARDS

**BLUE RIBBON PROCESSING**, Erica Mason, P. O. Box 7, Fowler, CO 81039, sponsors the buckles awarded to the Grand Champion Market Goat and Reserve Grand Champion Market Goat exhibitors.

**COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY**, Dr. Keith Belk, Animal Sciences Department, 1171 Campus Delivery, Fort Collins, CO sponsors a traveling trophy for the Grand Champion Market Goat.

**HUBBARD FEEDS**, Austin Vieselmeyer, 546 Willow Street, Fort Collins, CO 80524, sponsors the buckles awarded to the Champion Showmen in the Junior, Intermediate and Senior Showmanship Divisions.

**HUMMEL LIVESTOCK**, Dale Hummel, 3980 North 1500 E Road, Cabery, IL 60919, sponsors awards to be given to the Champion Showman in the Junior, Intermediate and Senior Divisions.

**LUBRISYN LIVESTOCK**, c/o Myca Measle, Simpsonville, KY; will provide a quart of LubriSyn Livestock to the Grand Champion Market Goat. LubriSyn Livestock is brought to you by a team of experts who pioneer and develop safe, all-natural products that dramatically improve the quality of life for all animals. Take your livestock to the peak of their performance with LubriSyn Livestock, your source for the highest level of soundness.

**NORTHEASTERN JUNIOR COLLEGE**, 100 College Ave., Sterling, CO 80751, will award a \$1,000.00 scholarship to N.J.C. to the Senior Division (14-18 yrs) Showmanship winner. Framed Scholarship Certificate will be presented at the show.

**SURE CHAMP / VITA CHARGE**, c/o Jenette Masarie, sponsors the banners awarded to the Top Third through Fifth Overall Market Goat.

**WEAVER LIVESTOCK**, sponsors two (2) \$25.00 gift cards to Stock Show Pro show supply trailer to be awarded to the two individuals selected by the Colorado State Fair Livestock Superintendents as exhibiting one of the Weaver Leather Livestock's Principles for Success Outstanding Character Traits.

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