

## Goat Show

The Royal Agricultural Winter Fair and Ontario Goat will be partnering to host elements of the International Goat Symposium at the RAWF this year. The RAWF is proud to support this developing world class goat event for our exhibitors and guests.

**Chairman:** Cheri Penny  
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### Committee

Sheelagh Callaghan	Ed Franken
Grant Howley	Lynn Lightbody
Joanne McNeil	Cheri Penny
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Goat Superintendent: Mark Keir

### Dairy Goats

**Entry Closing Date:** Monday, October 3, 2011  
**Entry Fee:** \$7.50 per entry  
\*\*\* Late Entries will be accepted at a cost of \$15.00 per entry  
**Arrival:** Thursday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>, 1:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.  
Friday, November 4<sup>th</sup>, 12:00 a.m. to 7:30 a.m.  
**Release:** Sunday, November 6<sup>th</sup>, 4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

### Judging Information

**Date:** Saturday, November 5<sup>th</sup>  
**Time:** 9:00 a.m.  
**Location:** Goat Ring, Lower East Annex  
**Judge:** Sally Callahan, McKinleyville, CA  
**Exhibitor Meeting:** Friday, November 4<sup>th</sup> 8:00pm Lower East Annex

### Rules and Regulations

1. This show (section 600-615) is recognized as a purebred show (unless specific classes state otherwise) and as such, registrations will be governed by Livestock Rules and Regulations number 4.
2. Entry fees must be paid in all classes, except for the Best Udder Class and the Breed Cup classes. ***Please make your entries to the Breed Cup class in advance.***
3. This is an officially sanctioned show of the Canadian Goat Society (C.G.S.) and C.G.S. Rules shall govern. Copies of C.G.S. rules may be obtained from the Canadian Goat Society. All transfer papers are to be completed before the show and submitted to the Entry Office by fax at 416-263-3468, the original papers are to be brought with the exhibitor to the show.
4. There shall be no limit on the number of entries that may be made by an Exhibitor. Pen space will be allotted according to the number of animals brought to the RAWF, and space available.
5. Substitutions will be allowed as follows:
  - a. Two substitutions within a breed per Exhibitor.
  - b. Substitutions must be made within the same age class, and must be made by 6:00 p.m., November 4<sup>th</sup>.

6. No animal may be shown in more than one class except for a Championship or Special Class. All animals shown in Special Classes must have been shown in their regular classes.
7. Animals must be legally tattooed.
8. All Canadian owned goats must be registered or recorded with the Canadian Goat Society. Original registration certificate for animals must be shown when tattoos are checked and available in the ring for Championship classes. All animals must be legibly tattooed; tattoos must match the original papers. Certificates for all animals regardless of age must be shown. No papers, no show. NO EXCEPTIONS!
9. All goats will be checked by a committee of three C.G.S. members in good standing, conducting the required health check. Any animal not passing inspection will be asked to leave the facilities. There will be no kidding or recent signs of parturition at the RAWF. C.G.S. health rules apply. Cross checks of animals at the show and animals presented will be done by the chairperson.
10. If an exhibitor does not agree with the health check results they may have a vet check the animal at their own expense.
11. In order to maintain a clean and professional show, exhibitors are discouraged from sleeping in and around the pens and isles.
12. **\*NEW\*** It is preferred that all Dairy Exhibitors must be dressed in white bottoms (pants or skirt), though black pants will be accepted as the alternative, and white shirts (with collar) when showing in the ring. No Hats or Caps are to be worn in the show ring.
13. Each entry is to be handled by a single exhibitor who is to be competent as per rule #2 in the Livestock rules.
14. Numbers may only be displayed in a harness on the front of the exhibitors and must identify all animals in the show ring. No ear tags that identify the exhibitor will be allowed.
15. The base date for computing the age of the animal is November 1<sup>st</sup>.
16. No accommodation will be provided for goats not properly entered and shown.
17. Absolutely no dairy bucks allowed at the Dairy Goat Show.
18. If two or more breeds have less than 10 animals, the breeds involved will be judged in the AOP (Any Other Purebred).

## Sections

### Junior Show

The Junior Show consists of Does less than two (2) Years that are not in milk and have never freshened.

600 – Alpine	604 – Nubian
601 – Saanen	605 – Oberhasli
602 – Toggenburg	606 – Recorded Grade
603 – La Mancha	607 – Nigerian Dwarf
	616 – AOP (Any Other Purebred)

**Class 1** – Doe Kid, 3 – 6 months (May 1 /11 – July 31/11)

**Class 2** – Doe 6 – 12 months (November 1/10 – April 30 /11)

**Class 3** – Doe 12 – 24 months (November 1/09- October 31/10)

**Class 4** – Grand Champion ..... Rosettes

**Class 5** – Reserve Grand Champion ..... Rosettes

## Senior Show

The Senior Show consists of Does that are in milk.

608 – Alpine	612 – Nubian
609 – Saanen	613 – Oberhasli
610 – Toggenburg	614 – Recorded Grades
611 – La Mancha	615 – Nigerian Dwarf
	618 – AOP (Any Other Purebreed)

**Class 6** – Milkers, 1 Year and Under 2

**Class 7** – Milkers, 2 Years and Under 3

**Class 8** – Milkers, 3 Years and Under 5

**Class 9** – Milkers, 5 Years and Over

**Class 10** – Grand Champion ..... Rosettes

**Class 11** – Reserve Grand Champion ..... Rosettes

## Ontario Goat Futurity

The Royal Agricultural Winter Fair would like to thank **Ontario Goat** for their sponsorship of the new Futurity Class.

### Class 12 – Ontario Goat Futurity

Open to does born in November 1, 2010 to October 31, 2011, which will be eligible to compete as 2-year olds at the 2013 RAWF.

<b>Entry Closing Date:</b>	January 1st, 2012 (for first two years, October 1st on year of show)
<b>Entry Fee Schedule:</b>	January 1st, 2012 - \$5.00 January 1st, 2013 - \$10.00 Final Payment of \$15.00 due by the closing date of the 2013 Royal Goat Show

1. All does nominated must be eligible to compete as 2-year olds. This show is open only to Does that are Canadian bred and owned.
2. All does must have a tattoo by the deadline for the second payment.
3. This show is open to Alpine, La Mancha, Nubian, Saanen, Toggenburg and Recorded Grades. Each breed will show separately.
4. This is an officially sanctioned show of the Canadian Goat Society (C.G.S.) and C.G.S. Rules shall govern. Copies of C.G.S. rules may be obtained from the Canadian Goat Society. All transfer papers are to be completed before the show and submitted to the Entry Office by fax at 416-263-3468, the original papers are to be brought with the exhibitor to the show.
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9. The base date for computing the age of the animal is November 1<sup>st</sup>.
10. Prize money for each breed will depend on the number of entries received.
11. Anyone may enter a Doe by submitting a completed entry form along with the specified entry fee. The following year all entrants will receive a notice for their second entry payment. This procedure will continue for a third payment.
12. When all three futurity payments have been made the animal is eligible to be shown in the Futurity class that year. The first futurity will take place at the RAWF in 2012.
13. When a female entered in the futurity is sold, it is the responsibility of the owner to notify Ontario Goat of the change of ownership and to inform the buyer that this animal has been entered in the futurity. It is the responsibility of the buyer to submit subsequent fees in accordance with the rules and closing dates.
14. There will be no refunds made, the only exception is that, should any occasion arise which prevents the showing in this Futurity, the right is reserved to cancel the event and pay to the persons of cancellation their prorated share of all monies accrued in the Futurity after deduction of the actual expenses incurred in the administration of it.

**Prize Money** – the prize money for each breed will be determined by using a percent scale that is listed below.

1<sup>st</sup> – 30%    2<sup>nd</sup> -25%    3<sup>rd</sup>- 20%    4<sup>th</sup>- 15%    5<sup>th</sup> – 10%

Send all entries and fees to Ontario Goat, 449 Laird Rd. Unit 12, Guelph, ON. N1G 4W1.  
1-519-824-2942.

Please make all cheques out to Ontario Goat Breeders Association.

### **Class 13 - Best Udder (No entry fee)**

#### **Sponsored by the Ontario Dairy Goat Cooperative**

The judge will select the Best Udder in each Milking Class. From these will be selected the Best Udder in each Breed.

### **Class 14 - Breed Challenge Trophies (Perpetual):**

A cup will be awarded annually for the Best Dam and Daughter of Any Age, owned by the exhibitor. (No entry fee).

Entry for this section must be made at the time of making entry and is only available for the following breeds.

- The Alpine Cup in memory of Stan Dinsdale
- The Saanen Cup in memory of Evelyn McCutcheon
- The Toggenburg Cup in memory of Betty McKenzie
- The La Mancha Cup in honour of Keri Kelso
- The Nubian Cup in memory of Jeanne Farron
- The Recorded Grades in memory of Marcy Kurmev

**Class 15 – Premier Exhibitor:** awarded to the individual, partnership or institution winning the largest number of points. A maximum of 5 head exhibited by an exhibitor will be used in calculation of Premier Exhibitor. In case of a tie the following procedure will be used: A) the exhibitor with the most first place animals in the senior only. B) the exhibitor with the most second place animals in the senior class only.

Juniors: 1st – 5    2nd – 4    3rd – 3    4th – 2    5th – 1

Seniors: 1st – 10    2nd – 8    3rd – 6    4th – 4    5th – 2

**Class 16 – Premier Breeder:** awarded to the individual, partnership or institution winning the largest number of points. A maximum of five (5) animals will be used in calculation of points for the Premier Breeder titles. In case of a tie the following procedure will be used: A) the exhibitor/breeder with the most first place animals in the senior only. B) the exhibitor/

breeder with the most second place animals in the senior class only. Note: Breeder not required to exhibit at the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair Goat Show in order to be eligible.

Juniors: 1st – 5 2nd – 4 3rd – 3 4th – 2 5th – 1

Seniors: 1st – 10 2nd – 8 3rd – 6 4th – 4 5th – 2

**Class 17 – Best Doe In Show:** The Grand Champion from each breed with be eligible to compete.

**Attention Exhibitors:** We are looking for new sponsors for the 2011 Breed Challenge Trophies. Please contact Caitlin O'Neill at 416-263-3440.

**Prize money sponsored by Woolwich Dairy Inc.**

Juniors			
1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>
\$25.00	\$20.00	\$15.00	\$10.00

Seniors			
1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>
\$35.00	\$30.00	\$25.00	\$20.00

**Specials**

**Overall Premier Exhibitor Award:** The **Ontario Dairy Goat Co-operative** offers a Premier Exhibitor banner to the individual, partnership, or institution winning the largest number of points. The Premier Exhibitor from each breed is eligible for this class. Points will be awarded as follows:

Juniors: 1st – 5 2nd – 4 3rd – 3 4th – 2 5th – 1  
Seniors: 1st – 10 2nd – 8 3rd – 6 4th – 4 5th – 2

Total points shall be computed on the 5 highest scoring animals of one breed. In case of a tie, the 6th animal placing will be the deciding factor. An exhibitor must show at least five (5) head owned by himself/herself.

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**Premier Herdsman Award:** The award will be based on the best display not including the quality of animals. Preference will be given to displays that educate the public on the Canadian Dairy Goat Industry. 50% of the total score will be for general neatness of the exhibit and grooming of the animals, the remaining points will be allotted for courtesy displayed in providing information to the public and sportsmanship. Every exhibitor showing will be deemed a competitor.

**Toggenburg Breeder's Herd Award (Perpetual):** Breeders herd must be owned by the exhibitor. Entry consists of four (4) animals: one kid, one dry yearling, one junior milker (yearling or 2 year old) and one senior milker (3 years and over). All of the above must have been shown in their individual sections. Presented by Amanda and Linda Lindsay, Burlington, ON.

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