

— ENTRIES CLOSE SEPTEMBER 15, 2016 —

Online entries and payment will be accepted beginning August 1st at [ncstatefair.org](http://ncstatefair.org).  
Mailed or hand delivered paper entries will be charged a \$5.00 processing fee.

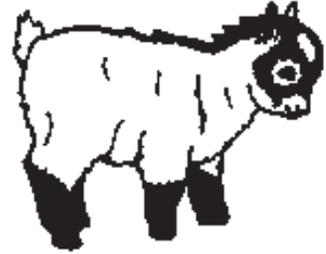
**Admission policy for livestock exhibitors!** After October 1, exhibitors who entered online will receive an e-mail with directions on printing a bar coded sheet for parking passes and admission wristbands. Exhibitors entering hard copies will receive similar bar coded sheets via US mail. All exhibitor households will receive two stickers and 5 wristbands valid for show period entered. Parking stickers and wristbands can be picked up at the livestock entry gate upon presentation and scanning of the bar coded entry sheet.

## DEPARTMENT 020 Pygmy Goats

SANCTIONED NPGA SHOW

Total Premiums Offered— \$3,121

SHOW SUPERINTENDENT: MAGGIE LEMAN - Durham, NC  
JUDGE: TEASHA LEE - CLINTON, UT



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### INFORMATION FOR PYGMY GOAT EXHIBITORS

**CHECK IN:** Pygmy Goats can be unloaded no earlier than 10:00 AM on Saturday, October 22 but must be checked in no later than 5:00 PM on Saturday, October 22. Show Superintendent will be available from 12:00-5:00 to check in goats. Goats must be checked in and health papers reviewed prior to unloading them. Animals will not be allowed to enter the barns until inspected and passed by health officials. An approval card will be issued after inspection, prior to entering the barn.

**SHOW DATE:** Sunday, October 23, the show will begin at 10:00 AM.

**RELEASE TIME:** Both out-of-state exhibitors and in-state animals are required to stay through the end of the judging or 5:00 PM, whichever is latest on Sunday, October 23. Anyone leaving prior to release forfeits premium money.

**COMPETITION:** NPGA classes open to pygmy goats registered with the National Pygmy Goat Association only. Open classes open to pygmy goats registered with IDGR, AGS and/or non-registered pygmy goats. **No NPGA registered or registerable does allowed in the open classes. Does may show in either open or sanctioned classes, not both.**

**ENTRIES:** Entries must be made online at [www.ncstatefair.org](http://www.ncstatefair.org) by 11:59 p.m. on September 15, 2016. Paper entries must be postmarked no later than September 15, 2016 and will include an extra \$5.00 processing fee. No late entries will be accepted. Entry fee is \$5.00 per animal. There are no pen fees. Pens will be assigned by the Show Superintendent. The right is reserved to reject entries after all available space has been taken.

## RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Any questionable health problems will be referred to the Show Superintendent, Show Committee and/or the State Veterinarian. Animals with obvious abscesses will not be allowed in the barn.
2. All entries must comply with both NPGA and N.C. State Fair rules. Be thoroughly familiar with both. The sanctioned show will be governed by NPGA sanction rules.
3. Enter online at [www.ncstatefair.org](http://www.ncstatefair.org). If entering by paper entry, list the class number in which the animal will be shown.
4. Substitutions of animals will be allowed only within the same class.
5. Be sure to read "Rules and Regulations of the Livestock Division" before entering. Any questionable health problems will be referred to the livestock director and/or the State Veterinarian. Animals with obvious abscesses (opened or unopened), ringworm, soremouth or any other contagious disease WILL NOT BE ALLOWED IN THE BARN. All goats must be appropriately identified and comply with USDA and NCDA&CS Scrapie Eradication Program guidelines. Call 1-866-USDA TAG (873-2824) or 919 855-7707 for more information.
6. **No drenching is allowed, unless under the direct supervision of a licensed veterinarian in the state of North Carolina, with a valid medical reason.**
7. No exhibitor may win more than two premium monies in one class (N.C. State Fair regulation).
8. When filling in the entry form, the Department is 020. The class number depends on the sex and age of the animal on the date to be shown. Be sure all spaces for each animal have been filled in on the entry form. **Your social security number must match the name of the exhibitor.**
9. There will be no fee for animals sold. However, every pygmy on the Fair Grounds must be entered and included on the health papers.

### Section 106 - HERDSMEN'S CONTEST

#### PREMIUMS

Herdsmen: 1st: \$50 2nd:\$40 3rd: \$30 4th:\$22

**HERDSMEN'S CONTEST:** All herdsmen in charge of goats entered in the State Fair will automatically be considered entrants in this contest. It is designed to promote neatness, courtesy, attention to show requirements, and all around efficiency on the part of exhibitors. The contest will start Saturday, October 22 at Noon and will continue until the animals are released.

#### Special Classes and Awards

**Costume:** 1st: \$35 2nd: \$30 3rd: \$20 4th: \$11 5th: \$11

**COSTUME CLASS:** This class is open to any age doe or wether, and any age exhibitor. Remember that the safety and health of the goat must be insured for this class and will be monitored by the Judge and Show Superintendents.

**Obstacle Course:** 1st: \$35 2nd: \$30 3rd: \$20 4th: \$11 5th: \$11

**OBSTACLE COURSE:** The Obstacle Course is open to any age doe or wether, and any age exhibitor. The course is designed to promote training and regular handling of your goat and will include "obstacles" which would be quite normal to the routine of a pygmy. "Obstacles" will include such things as loading/unloading your goat into a carrier, stepping over a "fallen log", jumping onto a bale of hay, etc.

**MASTER CHAMPION DOE:** This class is open to any NPGA PGCH Doe who has not yet achieved her Master Champion status. Only one placement is made, that of Master Champion. An NPGA Rosette will be awarded.

**Best Mother/Daughter:** 1st: \$35 2nd: \$30 3rd: \$20 4th: \$11 5th: \$11

**BEST MOTHER/DAUGHTER:** Open to any age mother/daughter pair. Should show how the dam produces better than herself, but also passes her best traits to her daughter. Need not be in the same herd name, but must be owned by the exhibitor.

**Get of Sire:** 1st: \$35 2nd: \$30 3rd: \$20 4th: \$11 5th: \$11

**GET-OF-SIRE:** Open to 3 does of any age showing consistent quality, proving the ability of the common sire to pass superior traits. Need not be in the same herd name, but must be owned by the exhibitor.

**Exhibitor's Trio:** 1st: \$35 2nd: \$30 3rd: \$20 4th: \$11 5th: \$11

**EXHIBITORS TRIO:** Open to 3 does of any age owned by the exhibitor. These goats should show consistent style, good structure and be true to the breed standard. They can be any herd name.

### PREMIUM AND AWARD SCHEDULE

Ribbons and premiums will be awarded for 1st through 5th in each age and showmanship class. NPGA Rosettes and NC State Fair Rosettes or Banners will be given for Best Wether and Reserve Best Wether, Jr. and Reserve Jr. Champions, Sr. and Reserve Sr. Champions, Grand and Reserve Grand Champions and Master Champion. NC State Fair Rosettes will be awarded to the Best Open Doe and Reserve Best Open Doe. NC State Fair Rosettes or Banners for the Champions and place ribbons and premiums for 1st through 5th place will be awarded for the Costume Class, Obstacle Course, Mother/Daughter, Get-of-Sire, and Exhibitors Trio. NC State Fair Participation ribbons will be awarded to all exhibitors.

**SHOWMANSHIP PREMIUMS** 1st: \$35 2nd: \$30 3rd: \$20 4th: \$11 5th: \$11

### Section 101 SHOWMANSHIP

#### Class

- 00001—Costume Class—does or wethers; any age exhibitor
- 00002—Obstacle Course—does or wethers; any age exhibitor
- 00003—Pee Wee Showmanship (7 yrs. & younger)
- 00004—Junior Showmanship (8-12 Years)
- 00005—Teen Showmanship (13-15 Years)
- 00006—Senior Showmanship (16 Yrs. & over)

**AGE CLASS PREMIUMS** 1st: \$24 2nd: \$22 3rd: \$20 4th: \$16 5th: \$14

### Section 102 WETHERS

- 00007—Under 1 Year
- 00008—1 To 2 Years
- 00009—Over 2 Years
  - Best Wether ..... Rosette
  - Reserve Best Wether ..... Rosette

**Section 103 OPEN DOES**

- 00012—0 - under 1 year
- 00013—1 year to under 2 years
- 00014—2 Years and Over
  - Best Open Doe ..... Rosette
  - Reserve Best Open Doe..... Rosette

**Section 104 NPGA JR. DOE DIVISION**

- 00017—Baby Kids - under 3 months
- 00018—Jr. Kids - 3 to under 6 months
- 00019—Inter. Kids - 6 to under 9 months
- 00020—Sr. Kids - 9 to under 12 months
- 00021—Jr. Yearlings - never freshened 12 to under 15 months
- 00022—Jr. Yearlings - never freshened 15 to under 18 months
- 00023—Sr. Yearlings - never freshened 18 to under 21 months
- 00024—Sr. Yearlings - never freshened 21 to under 24 months
  - Junior Champion Doe..... Rosette
  - Reserve Junior Champion Doe ..... Rosette

**Section 105 NPGA SR. DOE DIVISION**

- 00027—Yearling Doe - freshened under 24 months
- 00028—Jr. Two Year Old - 24 to under 30 months
- 00029—Sr. Two Year Old - 30 to under 36 months
- 00030—Three to under 4 years
- 00031—Four to under 5 years
- 00032—Five years and older
- 00033—Milking Doe - any age doe in milk
  - Senior Champion Doe ..... Rosette
  - Reserve Senior Champion Doe..... Rosette
  - GRAND CHAMPION DOE ..... Banner
  - RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION DOE ..... Banner
- 00038—Master Champion Doe ..... Rosette
- 00039—Best Mother/Daughter..... Rosette
- 00040—Get-of-Sire ..... Rosette
- 00041—Exhibitors Trio ..... Rosette