

RULES AND REGULATIONS

The AMERICAN DAIRY GOAT ASSOCIATION (ADGA) rules shall govern.

1. **ENTRY FEES:** Entry fees include all 3 rings for either the Senior Doe, Junior Doe, or Sr/Jr Combined Buck Show

Postmarked on or before **March 20, 2019**

Non-Member (FDGA) \$18.00 per entry

FDGA Members* \$13.50 per entry (25% discount)

*Membership forms and payment must be received (not just postmarked) by March 10, 2019 (or with your entries if submitted prior to March 10th) to be eligible for the FDGA member discount. Forms are available online at <http://fdga.org/home/contactjoin/>.

Memberships are valid from July 1st each year to June 30th the following year. Memberships initiated in February and March 2019 will expire on June 30, 2019.

2. LATE ENTRIES

Postmarked March 21 - 23, 2019

Non-Member (FDGA)

\$27.00 per entry (50% increase)

FDGA Member

\$20.25 per entry (50% increase)

After the March 23, 2019 deadline**

Non-Member (FDGA)

\$36.00 per entry (100% increase)

FDGA Member

\$27.00 per entry (100% increase)

Entries made after the March 23, 2019 deadline may be emailed to edke@ufl.edu and payment made by PayPal before 1 PM on Friday March 29, 2019. **ABSOLUTELY NO ENTRIES ACCEPTED ON THE DAY OF THE SHOW.

PLEASE NOTE: ENTRY FEES MUST ACCOMPANY ENTRIES. For entries to be considered “on-time”, payment must be postmarked or received before March 20, 2019. Entries and/or payments received on or after March 21, 2019 will be considered late and late entry fee will apply. Entry fees are non-refundable. There will be NO REFUNDS of entry fees if an exhibitor chooses to leave the show early. NO EXCEPTIONS. The show committee reserves the right to waive entry fees and/or late fees at their discretion. The show committee reserves the right to refuse entry forms based on prior non-payment of entry fees.

3. ARRIVAL AND VET CHECK:

Early arrival will begin Friday, March 29, 2019 from 5:30 PM until 8:00 PM. Please notify Elizabeth Kennelley edke@ufl.edu if you plan on arriving Friday. **The State Vet will be on-site from 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM.**

Regular arrival: Saturday, March 30, 2019 will be from 6:00 AM - 7:30 AM. **The State Vet will be on-site from 6:00 AM - 7:30 AM.**

Regular arrival Sunday March 31, 2019 from 7:30 AM to 9 AM. **The vet will be on-site from 7:30 AM to 9:00 AM.**

An accredited state veterinarian will be checking animals **BEFORE** they are **UNLOADED** and allowed into the barn/show arena between the vet hours listed above. If you are renting stalls on-site, you may set up your pens and/or tack area prior to the vet check but your animals must be vet checked before being off-loaded into the stalls. If you are setting up pens in the parking area, you may set up pens prior to vet check and off-load your animals to those pens as they are checked.

4. REGISTRATION CHECK IN:

Check-in schedule for registration of animals is as follows:

Friday, March 29, 2019: 6:00 PM to 8:30 PM

Saturday, March 30, 2019: 6:30 AM to 8:00 AM

Sunday, March 31, 2019: 7:30 AM to 9 AM

PLEASE NOTE: A maximum of **3 substitutions** will be allowed at check-in (a change in class is not considered a substitution).

IT IS THE EXHIBITORS RESPONSIBILITY TO MAKE SURE HIS/HER ANIMALS ARE CHECKED IN BEFORE THE BOOKS CLOSE AT THE TIMES LISTED ABOVE. NO CHANGES WILL BE MADE AFTER THAT TIME.

5. PENS:

The facility has permanent solid-wall horse stalls (12x12) available. You may lease a stall for \$35.00 for the weekend (Friday night thru Sunday end of show). Stalls and the area outside the stalls **MUST** be cleaned and all hay and debris **MUST** be removed and placed in the proper receptacle prior to departure. If you lease a horse stall, you **MUST** check out with a member of the show committee before leaving the grounds. **Failure to do so may result in the exhibitor being banned from future FDGA shows.**

This is still considered a tailgate show and you may set up your own pens. If owner sets up his/her pens all bedding, all hay and debris **MUST** be removed and placed in the proper receptacle prior to departure. You **MUST** check out with a member of the show committee before leaving the grounds. **Failure to do so may result in the exhibitor being banned from future FDGA shows.**

6. SHOW ATTIRE:

White or black pants/capris/skirts and plain white-collared shirts are mandatory for the open senior and junior doe shows. 4-H and FFA attire is also acceptable for the youth showmanship and the open doe shows. Herd/club logos and pin-stripping on collar/sleeve is acceptable. No short shorts, tank tops, leggings, or yoga pants are allowed as show attire. Closed toed shoes or boots are required, and hats or caps are not allowed in the show ring. In the event of inclement weather, jackets and/or coats will be allowed. Exhibitors not conforming to the dress code will not be allowed to enter the ring.

The dress code for the buck show is casual but neat attire. White or black pants/capris/skirts and plain white-collared shirts are preferred but jeans and other shirts (including t-shirts) will be allowed. No short shorts, tank tops, leggings, or yoga pants are allowed as show attire. Closed toed shoes or boots are mandatory. Hats or caps are not allowed in the show ring. In the event of inclement weather, jackets and/or coats will be allowed. Exhibitors not conforming to the dress code will not be allowed to enter the ring. Political, offensive, or other otherwise inappropriate designs on shirts will not be allowed in the showring. The show committee reserves the right to determine if shirt designs are inappropriate.

7. JUDGING:

Judging will begin at 9:00 AM on Saturday, March 30, 2019 starting with the Senior Doe Show, followed by Youth Showmanship, and concluding with the Junior Doe Show.

Judging for the Sr/Jr Combined Buck show will begin at 9:30 AM on Sunday, March 31, 2019.

The judges and their secretaries will begin in the rings listed below and move to the next ring upon completion of judging of the breeds assigned to each ring. Animals for each breed assigned to a ring should remain at ring side as the judges and secretaries move from one ring to the next.

RINGS

The breeds listed below will show in one ring for all shows; judges and secretaries will move. The Senior and Junior doe shows are separately sanctioned.

The breeds sanctioned for Senior Doe Shows are: **L**= LaMancha, **N**=Nubian, **ND**=Nigerian Dwarf, **O**=Oberhasli, **RG**=Recorded Grade, and **AOP**=All Other Purebreds (Alpine, Saanen, and Toggenburg)

The breeds sanctioned for Junior Doe Shows are: **L**= LaMancha, **N**=Nubian, **ND**=Nigerian Dwarf, **RG**=Recorded Grade, **O**= Oberhasli, and **AOP**=All Other Purebreds (Alpine, Saanen, and Toggenburg)

The breeds sanctioned for Combined Buck Shows are: **L**= LaMancha, **N**=Nubian, **ND**=Nigerian Dwarf, and **AOP**=All Other Purebreds (Alpine, Oberhasli, Saanen, and Toggenburg)

The order of the show is subject to change. The show committee reserves the right to change the order in which the breeds are judged to keep the show moving in a timely manner. Exhibitors with more than one breed need to be prepared to have additional handlers or to rely on the Show Committee to provide handlers so that classes are not delayed. ***The order of the show may be subject to change by the Show Committee at the request of exhibitors Showing multiple breeds or in the event of unforeseen circumstances. ***

Senior Doe Shows

RING 1 - SENIOR DOES	RING 2 - SENIOR DOES	RING 3 - SENIOR DOES
Nigerian Dwarf	Nubian	LaMancha
Recorded Grade	AOP	Oberhasli

Junior Doe Shows

RING 1 - JUNIOR DOES	RING 2 - JUNIOR DOES	RING 3 - JUNIOR DOES
Nigerian Dwarf	Nubian	LaMancha
Recorded Grade	AOP	Oberhasli

Combined Buck Shows

RING 1 - COMBINED BUCK	RING 2 - COMBINED BUCK	RING 3 - COMBINED BUCK
Nigerian Dwarf	Nubian	LaMancha
	AOP	

8. SHOWMANSHIP

Showmanship has been moved and is now between the Senior and Junior Doe shows. There will be three divisions:

- Junior: ages 10 and under
- Intermediate: ages 11 to 14
- Senior: ages 14 and 18 (19 if still in high school)

Age group is determined by the base date of the show (March 30, 2019). The show committee reserves the right to change the age breaks depending on the number of entries per divisions. Please use entry form and list the child's name, age, division. The animal must be registered in the open show to be used in showmanship.

9. HEALTH RULES:

All goats must have a certificate of veterinary inspection and a scrapie premise number (call 352-333-3120 or visit www.aphis.usda.gov/vs/scrapie for information). A health certificate current within 90 days for goats originating in the State of Florida or 30 days for goats originating from out of state. Goats originating in the State of Florida no longer require testing for tuberculosis or brucellosis. Goats originating from out of state must have been tested for tuberculosis and brucellosis within 90 days of the show.

10. LIABILITY FOR LOSS OR THEFT

The owner or custodian of property of any kind brought to the Fairgrounds; either for exhibit or for other purposes, assumes as a condition of its admission to the grounds, all risk and/or responsibility for its loss, damage or theft.

The Florida Dairy Goat Association, Inc., its officers, members and volunteers cannot and will not accept responsibility and liability for any damage or injury resulting from theft, fire, the elements, accidents, or other conditions or causes; whether to exhibits, property of exhibitor, vehicles on the grounds and articles left therein or any other property of any nature whatsoever.

10. GENERAL:

The American Dairy Goat Association registration certificate is required on all animals 6 months of age or older. A duplicate application for registry stamped by the ADGA office is permissible for animals under 6 months of age. The registration or stamped duplicate application must be available to the show secretary at the time of arrival.

Please make sure your animals are correctly tattooed. Failure to do so makes your dairy goat ineligible to receive credit for their win.

All dairy goats must be dehorned, disbudded, or naturally polled.

The show chairperson will designate where to dump milk at check-in.

No awards will be given to any animal in any class, if in the opinion of the judge said animal does not meet breed standards.

Over-uddering of dairy goats is frowned upon. The judge shall have the authority to excuse animals from the ring for removal of excess milk.

It is the responsibility of each exhibitor to properly feed, water, milk, and care for their animals. Failure to do so will result in exhibitor's immediate expulsion from the premises.

The Florida Dairy Goat Association, Inc. will use every precaution in their power to protect the animals, but they will not be held responsible for injury, fire, theft, or death.

The Show Committee shall have the authority to expel any exhibitor or any in their company for failure to abide by these rules contained herein, or for unacceptable conduct. The exhibitor and/or any in their company will also be prohibited from showing at this venue the following year. By application for admission, each exhibitor and any in their company agree that they have read, understood, and will abide by these rules and the General Rules of the FDGA (including the IAFE National Code of Show Ring Ethics and items within the "Health Regulations" section of the General Rules).

PLEASE NOTE: Dogs are not allowed at the show!

11. RELEASE:

Please leave the grounds as you found them. All bedding and trash must be removed and put into designated containers before you may leave the grounds. All exhibitors MUST check out with a member of the show committee before leaving the grounds.

Dairy goats and exhibitors will be released following the last class in which you are showing, **unless you must remain for Best in Show.** All Best of Breeds for the Senior Doe Shows must remain for Best in Show.

NOTE: If your doe was Grand Champion and there was not a Champion Challenger, then she is automatically Best of Breed and must remain for Best in Show.

All exhibitors MUST check out with a member of the show committee before leaving the grounds.

FLORIDA DARY GOAT ASSOCIATION

GOATS IN GATORLAND and RUTFEST

3-RING OPEN DARY GOAT SHOWS

March 30, 2019 and March 31, 2019

Canterbury Show Grounds, 23100 W. Newberry, FL 32669

Base Date Senior and Junior Doe Shows: March 30, 2019

Base Date Youth Showmanship: March 30, 2019

Base Date Buck Show: March 31, 2019

SENIOR DOES: Any doe that has freshened or that is being milked regularly shall compete in the Senior Doe Show. This includes dry and precocious milkers.

S1. MILKERS - under 2 years of age (03/31/2017 or later)

S2. MILKERS - 2 & under 3 years (03/30/2017 - 03/31/2016)

S3. MILKERS - 3 & under 5 years (03/30/2016 - 03/31/2014)

S4. MILKERS - 5 years & over (03/30/2014 or before)

Senior Grand Champion

Senior Reserve Grand Champion

S5. CHAMPION CHALLENGE

Best Senior Doe in Show

JUNIOR DOES: Any doe under 24 months that has never freshened

J1. JUNIORKIDS - under 6 months (10/01/2018 or later)

J2. SENIOR KIDS - 6 months & under 12 months (09/30/2018 - 03/31/2018)

J3. JUNIOR YEARLINGS - 12 months & under 18 months (03/30/2018 - 10/01/2017)

J4. SENIOR YEARLINGS - 18 months & under 2 years (09/30/2017 - 03/31/2017)

Junior Grand Champion Junior

Reserve Grand Champion

Best Junior Doe in Show

COMBINED BUCKS - Sr/Jr Combined Show

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| B1. JUNIOR BUCK KIDS - under 4 months | (12/01/2018 or later) |
| B2. SENIOR BUCK KIDS - 4 months & under 8 months | (11/30/2018 - 08/01/2018) |
| B3. BUCKLINGS - 8 months & under 12 months | (07/31/2018 - 04/01/2018) |

Junior Champion

Junior Reserve Champion

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| B4. BUCKS - 12 months & under 2 years | (03/31/2018 - 04/01/2017) |
| B5. BUCKS - 2 years & under 3 years | (03/31/2017 - 04/01/2016) |
| B6. BUCKS - 3 years & under 5 years | (03/31/2016 - 04/01/2014) |
| B7. BUCKS - 5 years & older | (03/31/2014 or before) |

Senior Champion

Senior Reserve Champion

OVERALL GRAND CHAMPION

OVERALL RESERVE CHAMPION

B8. CHAMPION CHALLENGE

Best Buck in Show

FDGA GOATS IN GATORLAND AND RUTFEST OPEN DAIRY GOAT SHOW

****ENTRY FORM****

Saturday and Sunday, March 30-31, 2019* Canterbury Show Grounds, 23100 W. Newberry, FL 32669

Class	Senior doe in milk Yes/No	Breed	Animal Name	Registration Number	DOB	Exhibitor Name	Owner ADGA#

Entries For: _____ Phone# _____ Check# _____

Address: _____ Email _____

Postmarked on or before March 20, 2019 (Senior Doe, Junior Doe or Buck Show): **FDGA Members** _____ X \$13.50 per entry = \$ _____

Postmarked on or before March 20, 2019 (Senior Doe, Junior Doe or Buck Show): **Non-Members** _____ X \$18.00 per entry = \$ _____

Postmarked on or After March 21, 2019 (Senior Doe, Junior Doe or Buck Show): **FDGA Members** _____ X \$20.25 per entry = \$ _____

Postmarked on or After March 21, 2019 (Senior Doe, Junior Doe or Buck Show): **Non-Members** _____ X \$27.00 per entry = \$ _____

On or After March 23, 2019 (Senior Doe, Junior Doe or Buck Show): **FDGA Members** _____ X \$27.00 per entry = \$ _____

On or After March 23, 2019 (Senior Doe, Junior Doe or Buck Show): **Non-Members** _____ X \$36.00 per entry = \$ _____

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: Florida Dairy Goats Association or FDGA

Mail Entry with ALL FEES to: Elizabeth Kennelley
11622 SW 154th Street
Archer, FL 32618

Please state if need RV camping site needed _____ @ \$30 / night, tax included.

Please state how many stalls you would like to lease _____ @ \$35 / stall for weekend.

I the undersigned, release The Florida Dairy Goat Association, Inc., its officers, members and volunteers from any Liability whatsoever due to injury and as outline in the Rules of this show

X _____:

EXHIBITOR MUST SIGN ENTRY FORM*

