#### **Ohio State University Extension**



Shelby Co. Extension

#### **Market Goats**

FairEntry Entries Due: Thursday, June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023 by 4:30 PM Mandatory Tag-In: Sunday, May 7<sup>th</sup>, 2023, 12-2 PM

Optional Weigh-In During Tag-In

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To: Shelby County Junior Fair Market Goat Exhibitors

Re: Market Goat Registration Procedures, Dates, and More

This packet contains information regarding market goat registration procedures, rules, and dates for the 2023 Shelby County Junior Fair.

If you know of new 4-H or FFA members planning to exhibit market goats, please pass along these procedures and dates. Information regarding entering market goats for exhibition at the 2023 Ohio State Fair is also enclosed.

### **Important Dates**

- All market goats must be under the care of the exhibitor by Sunday, May 7<sup>th</sup>, 2023.
- Market goat entries are due on FairEntry no later than Thursday, June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023, at 4:30 PM.
- Market goat mandatory tag-in and optional weigh-in will be held on Sunday, May 7<sup>th</sup>, 2023, from 12:00 to 2:00 PM at the Shelby County Fairgrounds.
- ALL livestock exhibitors (market and lactating species) MUST attend a Quality Assurance or successfully test out of QA to be eligible to compete at the 2023 Shelby County Junior Fair.
  Please visit http://go.osu.edu/shelbyQA for details about Quality Assurance.

### Registration

- If market goats are **NOT** entered on *FairEntry* by June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023, exhibitors will **NOT** be permitted to show or sell market goats at the 2023 Shelby County Junior Fair.
- **New for 2023:** Junior Fair Board will take the required photo IDs for market goats and lambs at the mandatory tag-in/optional weigh-in on May 7<sup>th</sup>, 2023.
  - Exhibitors will not be required to upload additional photos of market goats and market lambs.
  - Exhibitors ARE still REQUIRED to make those market goat/market lamb entries on FairEntry by June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023.

# **Important Information**

- Goats must be born on or after January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023
- All male goats must be castrated and have NO testicular tissue: non-castrated goats won't be able to show.
- Does that will be shown in the Boer/Boer Cross Breeding Show CANNOT be shown in the Market Goat Show
- Minimum weight for eligibility to show- 40 pounds; minimum weight to sell- 50 pounds.
- Adding any substance externally to build up, change, or alter the shape or conformation of the livestock, including by the way of but not limited to rope, false hair, graphite, hemp, and powders (ORC 901-19-33).
  - o 1st and 2nd place in each class will be wiped down to check for powders



# **Important Information Con.**

If you have questions specific to weighing, tagging or the livestock sale, please call one of the following Livestock Sale Market Goat sub-committee members:

> Goat Chair: Andy Yenser (937) 693-7626

> > Kelli Brunson (937) 726-7593 Megan Hengstler (419) 953-5049 Carmen Canan (937) 726-3286

# **DUNF Forms**

- Completed Drug Use Notification Forms (DUNF) are required for each animal shown at the Shelby County Junior Fair. Once again, the ODA will be requiring online submission of these forms. More information will be sent out prior to the fair.
- ALL animals MUST be **free** of **any** medication **prior** to submission of the DUNF **before** the animal crosses the scale at weigh-in for the 2023 Shelby County Junior Fair!

## **Ohio State Fair**

- Entries are due online by June 21st, 2023, by 1:00 PM. Absolutely no late entries will be accepted!
- You will be required to provide information for either your 4-H County Extension Professional or your FFA advisor
- Entries can be made online at www.ohiostatefair.com (Exhibitors should keep their exact login information)

If you have any questions regarding the Ohio State Fair, please contact Katie Hughes at 937-419-7127 or email hughes.1784@osu.edu.



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