

2023 BDGA NUTS ABOUT MINIS SHOW

June 8th, 2024

Ravalli County Fairgrounds 100 Old Corvallis Rd Hamilton, MT

1. The BDGA Nuts About Minis Show is dual sanctioned by The Miniature Dairy Goat Association and The Miniature Goat Registry. The Miniature Dairy Goat Association rules will govern the Nuts About Minis Show. Junior and Senior Does are Combined Sanctioned and there are NO Buck to be shown.
2. BASE DATE: The base date for these shows will be the show date: June 8th, 2024.
3. SHOW TIMES: Mini show will begin promptly after the completion of the ADGA Show.
4. This start time will depend on number of entries and may not start until the afternoon. Please monitor your udders and relieve udders as needed to prevent over-uddering.
5. Both the ADGA and Miniature Dairy Goat shows will use the same judges. The Miniature Dairy Goat Shows will be held in Rings 1 and 2. The 2 judges will rotate to the different rings. When all of the senior does have been judged the Junior does will start with the same pattern as the Senior Does.
6. The original registration certificate is required for all animals over 6 months of age. A stamped duplicate or original registration certificate is acceptable for goats under 6 months of age, good for only 30 days past issue. These certificates MUST be shown to the show committee prior to show.
7. CHECK-IN: Exhibitors are encouraged to check in Friday afternoon June 9th, 2023. The fairgrounds will be open Friday June 9th at 10:00 AM. Friday check-in will begin at 12:00 PM and close at 8:00 PM (PST). Check-in will begin at 6:00 AM and close at 7:30 AM the day of the show. ALL ANIMALS must be checked in no later than 7:30 AM the day of the show. We will have to scratch your entry, if not checked in. Late check-in will be at the discretion of the show committee; only unforeseen circumstances will be considered.
8. NO TATTOOING ALLOWED ON SHOW DAY.
9. Help us keep the show running smoothly by having your goat ringside during the class before your goat's class. A second handler is recommended for those showing multiple breeds. Your class will be called 3 times. Exhibitors not IN the ring at the 3rd announcement will be scratched from the class. NO EXCEPTIONS. Be courteous to other exhibitors, do not hold up the show. We must keep classes entering the ring efficiently.
10. PRE-SHOW MILK OUT: None will be held. Be fair to your does - AVOID OVER UDDERING. In consultation with Judges, this may be considered mistreatment of animals and the doe will be excused from the class.
11. ENTRY FEES: \$8.00 per show per does. Payment must accompany entry form.
12. NO REFUNDS, animal substitutions permitted with notification prior to show.
13. HEALTH CHECK: It is the responsibility of each exhibitor to know the requirements of transporting animals into and within the state of Washington. Health papers are not required by our show. Exhibitors will be asked to remove any animal that has been found to be ill and/or contagious. Disputes will be resolved by a licensed veterinarian at the exhibitor's expense. Please be considerate of the other exhibitors.
14. PENS: Pens are available and will be assigned on a first paid, first assigned basis. Cost per pens \$6.00.
15. SHOWING FROM TRAILERS IS PERMITTED BUT YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR CLEANING YOUR AREA BEFORE LEAVING THE FAIRGROUND LOCATION:
16. The show is held at the Ravalli County Fairgrounds 100 Old Fairgrounds Road Hamilton, MT 59828

17. **CAMPING/PARKING:** Parking in designated areas only. Overnight camping is available on the fairground in designated areas. Camping outside of those areas is prohibited. Camping and RV sites will be assigned on a first come first service basis
18. Camping sites must be reserved through the Ravalli County Fairgrounds. RV Camping sites will be reserved on a first paid, first reserved basis. Restrooms facilities will be available. There are no showers at this location.
19. **DOGS:** No dogs will be allowed in the barns or show area. If you need to bring your dog, please respect the concerns of others and keep them penned or enclosed away from the barn. Dogs must be leashed at all times. Dog waste must be cleaned up immediately.
20. **LODGING, FOOD & GROCERIES:** There are numerous hotels, restaurants and a grocery store located near the fairgrounds.
21. **CONDUCT:** Any exhibitor behaving in an ill-mannered way toward their animals, other exhibitors, the judges, the show committee or show volunteers will be asked to leave by the show committee with no entries being refunded.
22. **LIABILITY:** BDGA, ADGA, MDGA, TMGR, the show committee, show volunteers and/or the Ravalli County Fairgrounds will not be held liable or responsible for any damage, loss, injury or illness to persons, animals or property in connection with this show.

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JUNE 8th, 2024

HOSTED BY BDGA

Location: 100 Old Corvallis RD, Hamilton, MT 59840

Contact Christine Nutt for any questions; akdelta@hotmail.com or 406-214-0484

CLASSES and WINNERS for MDGA/TMGR MINIATURE SANCTIONED SHOW.
TWO RINGS

The base date for computing the age of the animal shall be the day the animal is to be judged. Judging date is June 8th, 2024.

1. COMBINED JUNIOR and SENIOR SHOW

The Junior Division consists of does under 24 months of age that are NOT in milk and have never freshened.

MA. (Junior Kids) under 4 months

MB. (Junior Kids) 4 months & under 8 months

MC. (Junior Yearlings) 8 months & under 12 months

MD. (Senior Yearlings) Dry 12 months & under 24 months

The Senior Division consists of does 24 months of age or over that have ever freshened or are in milk.

This includes dry milkers.

ME. Under 2 years in milk

MF. 2 years in milk

MG. 3 years in milk

MH. 4 years in milk

MI. 5 years & over in milk

MJ. Champion Challenge

A Grand Champion and Reserve Senior Grand Champion shall be selected at an MDGA Sanctioned Junior and Senior Doe Show. A Champion and Reserve Senior Champion (eligible to compete for Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion) shall be selected in the MDGA/TMGR sanctioned show.

Best Udder

Best In Show

There will be no Miniature Buck Show for 2024.