

The Madison County Summer Goat Classic

**Sponsored by Heritage Cooperative– June 9, 2018
Showmanship / Wether Sires & Dams/ Jackpot Wethers
Madison County Fairgrounds – London, Ohio**

Show starts approx. 8:30am - Show Order: Showmanship / Wether Sires & Wether Dams / Wethers

Judge for All Classes will be Austin Chandler

Show Committee Chairman: Dave Monnin & Tina Seaburn

Wood shavings / Concession will be available for purchase on the grounds.

The following rules apply:

1. A Junior must be under the age of 19 on January 1st of the current year.
2. All animals must be in place and entry forms checked in with the show secretary by 8:30 AM the day of the show.
3. All entries at \$25.00.
4. All animals must be healthy. No visible signs of abscesses or other contagious diseases will be allowed. Any unhealthy or questionable animals will be checked by the veterinarian at the owner's expense.
5. All out of state animals must have health papers and proper tests required by the state of Ohio. Health papers must be dated within 30 days of the show. All out of state exhibitors must be at the fairgrounds at 7 AM on the day of the show with health papers checked in or they will not be permitted to show and forfeit all entry fees. No health papers are required for Ohio goats.
6. All goats must comply with the Ohio scrapie rules. Ohio State Vet: 614-469-5602.
7. The Madison County Fairgrounds will not be held responsible for loss, damages, or accidents. Any person or family not acting in an honorable manner will be required to leave immediately and will not be allowed to return for the remainder of the show. There will be no alcohol or drugs allowed on the fairgrounds.
8. Wether Sires, Wether Dams and Wethers will be weighed in at check-in time and will be divided as equally as possible into classes determined by weight with no more than 15 per weight class.
9. Payouts for the Wether Show as well as the Commercial Classes will be determined by the number of entries and are subject to change. ***NOTE Grand Champion Market Goat will be a guaranteed payout of \$300.00 and Reserve \$150.00 and will receive banners!!
10. The scales for the wethers, commercial sires & dams will be open from 7:00am-8:30am on the morning of the show. They will close promptly at 8:30am (or when all goats in line have been weighed). If you are not in line to be weighed by 8:30am, you will not be weighed – NO exceptions.
11. Wethers must still have their milk teeth.
12. Please check the Midwest Wether Goat Series website for official rules and regulations

****Please Note**** Youth must be a member to the Midwest Wether Goat Series in order to accumulate points for the awards at the final show at the Ohio State Fair in July. Membership is \$20 and more information can be found on their website (www.midwestwgs.com) or at a show. Points are only accumulated with Showmanship and the Wether show and not with Wether Sires or Wether Dams. Membership is not required to be able to show wethers.

Wether Sires and Dams

1. No registration papers are required for the wether sire and dam classes.
2. All entries at \$25.00.
3. There will be two divisions; bucks and does.
4. All entries must be slick shorn to 3/8 inch or less (equivalent to Lister Cover Cote blade). Wether Sires & Dams must be slick shorn to an even length from the knees and hocks up excluding the head and tail switch. No blocking will be permitted and will be grounds for refused entry into the ring.
5. All entries must be presented to the official weigh in. Those with all of their kid teeth will be weighed and split into classes. Those that have lost any kid teeth will show in the Sr. class.
6. All Wether Sire & Dams will be weighed starting at 7:00 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. Saturday June 24th, *with the exception of the Senior Division entries*

Class List

Jr Classes – by weight breakouts based on entries

Seniors (those entries without all of their kid teeth regardless of weight)

7. Entries accepted until weigh-in closes
8. Premiums determined by number of Pre-entered entries.
9. Open to all exhibitors.
10. This is not an ABGA sanctioned show. Therefore it is up to the judge to determine his own criteria for sound mouths, teats, testicles, and pigment.
11. This show is being provided as an opportunity for those involved in the wether business to showcase those animals responsible for creating the next generation of wethers and the entries will be evaluated with this sole purpose in mind.

Showmanship

1. Showmanship show will start directly after all goats have been weighed. (Approximately 10 minutes after all goats have been weighed.)
2. Any junior exhibitor can enter showmanship and must show one of their own goats.
3. To enter, exhibitor must pay \$5.00 at time of entry. Exhibitors can enter the same day as the show. All entry fee money collected will be given back in showmanship rewards the day of the show.
4. **Refer to the MWGS website <http://midwestwgs.com/> for official rules about showmanship and membership.**

The Madison County Summer Goat Classic Showmanship Entry/Wether Show Entry Form/Wether Sire & Dam Entry Form

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Show: Saturday, June 9, 2018
Registration: Saturday 7:00-8:30 a.m.
Weigh-in: Saturday 7:00 a.m.-8:30 a.m.

(Fill out one form per exhibitor)

Name: _____ If Jr. Exhibitor, Age (as of Jan. 1st) _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Email: _____

Wether (# of entries) _____

Wether Dams (# of entries) _____

Wether Sires (# of entries) _____

Total # of Entries _____ x **\$25.00** = _____ (limit 4 wethers per person)

**No limit on Wether Sires or Dams per person*

Showmanship \$5.00 _____

Total Enclosed = \$ _____

Exhibitor Signature: _____

(Entry form must be signed – By signing, the exhibitor agrees to all rules and regulations for the Madison County Show as stated and the Midwest Wether Series. No refunds.)

Please make checks payable to: Tina Seaburn

Send Entries and Fees to:

4485 Chrisman Road

Mt. Sterling, Ohio 43143

For more information: Dave Monnin @ 614-361-9605 or

Tina Seaburn @ 740-506-3380