Heart of Maine Dairy Goat Association
Bangor State Fair Dairy Goat Show

ADGA sanctioned Jr. Doe and Sr. Doe Shows, Sunday Aug 6th, 2023
Bangor State Fair Grounds, Bangor, ME

The Juniors and Seniors are Separately Sanctioned.

Judge: Barbara Norcross

Show Chair:  Scott Leeman, leemangoat1@gmail.com  207-341-2075
Show Secretary:  Catherine Gignac  catharine.gignac@gmail.com

Entry Fee: $6 per animal if entry postmarked by July 23, 2023.  Postmarked after July 23th, $20.00 per animal.

Make checks payable to:  HOMDGA.
Fees MUST ACCOMPANY entries and be postmarked by July 23th, 2023 or day of show rate will be charged $20 per animal.

Complete Entry:  A complete entry includes 1) proof of insurance as required by Bangor State Fair, 2) The Bangor State Fair Covenant Not To Sue, 3) HOMDGA entry form and 4) show fees.  Your entry will be returned if it is not complete.  Failure to submit any of these by the deadline will constitute a late entry and day of show rates will apply.  Failure to submit any of these forms will forfeit you ability to show at Bangor State Fair.

Mail entries to:  Cathie Gignac  45 Rowell Rd, Holden ME 04429.  Electronic entries are encouraged email:  catharine.gignac@gmail.com  Please contact Cathie for format. But you still need to mail in all forms with payment.

SHOW RULES AND GUIDELINES
ADGA Rules shall govern these shows

1. Any animals showing signs of contagious and/or infectious diseases will result in the herd being asked to leave.  Animals that become sick during the show will be removed from display pens and will not be shown.
2. Entries are accepted from all Maine counties provided the herd is not under quarantine.  Health papers are required from all out-of-state animals.  Out-of-state exhibitors must obtain a written permit from the Maine State Department of Agriculture, Division of Animal Industry, Augusta, Maine 04333.  Permit and health papers may be checked prior to unloading.
3. No exhibitor will be allowed to unload animals or show without signing the Bangor State Fair Release and Covenant Not to Sue and providing proof of insurance as required by Bangor State Fair.
4. Original registration papers must be presented on all animals over 6 months of age.  All animals under 6 months of age may be shown with a stamped duplicate registration.  A stamped duplicate is only valid for 30 days from date ADGA issues (new 2010).  No copies of registration papers will be accepted.  Persons showing animals whose papers have been signed for transfer but have not been processed for transferal by the ADGA office must show those animals as agents for the current owner shown on ADGA records.
5. Base date for age computation is date of show (Aug 6th, 2023)
6. Animals must be shown in their regular class to be eligible to compete in specialty classes.  Animals are to be shown in the same breed in the specialty classes as they were in the regular classes.  Purebreds and recorded grades may not be combined.
7. There will be no pre-show milk out.
8. Entries are unlimited (except where noted in specialty classes), however no more than two premiums will be awarded per exhibitor per class State Law with the exception of one for Best Three Females.
9. Substitutions will be allowed within a given breed only.
10. Tattoos must be legible to receive a leg on a championship.
11. Order of judging:  Nubian, Alpine, AOP (Saanen, Sable, Toggenburg), Nigerian, Lamanche, Recorded Grade, Oberhasli,. Order of judging is not subject change.
12. The Senior Doe Show will begin at 9:00 am followed by the Jr. Doe Show.  Papers will be checked between 7:00 and 8:00 on Sunday morning and on Saturday evening.
13. Exhibitors are REQUIRED to be on the fairground by 8:30 am day of show.  Early or late arrivals must be coordinated with the Show Chairperson.  The show committee will assign pens, based on registration entry, according to need and availability.  Please do not change pen assignments without consulting a member of the show committee first.  Pens will be available by Saturday night at 8pm.
14. Tack Pens may or may not be available.
15. Some pens at the fair are not built to keep kids or Nigerian Dwarfs in.  Please bring items to fill gaps should you need to.
16. Entry fee refunds will only be given when entire herd is scratched and the show secretary is notified no later than 3 days prior to the day of show. Breeders and herds leaving the show before the designated time which is after the last goat is shown will forfeit all premiums.

17. Breeders are responsible to follow the general livestock rules as outlined by Bangor State Fair.

18. Loading of animals after the show will only be done on the end of the barn opposite the show ring.

Show Guidelines:
1. All exhibitors are requested to wear white in the show ring.
2. Owners of permanent champion animals are requested to show them in the champion challenge class.
3. Please have animals ready and at ringside when breed classes are called.

CLASS NUMBERS
ON ENTRY FORM PLEASE INDICATE CLASS NUMBER AND BREED. NOTE IF YOUR BREED IS BEING SHOWN IN AOP THE BREED FOR THE ENTRY FORM IS AOP.

JUNIOR DOES
CLASS #
1. Junior kids under 4 months of age
2. Senior kids 4 months and under 8 months of age
3. Junior yearlings 8 months and under 12 months of age
4. Senior Yearlings 12 months and under 24 months of age
5. Junior Get of Sire—Three Junior does all with the same sire

6. Junior best 3 Females — One entry per exhibitor

SENIOR DOES
CLASS #
7. Milkers under 2 years of age
8. Milkers 2 years and under 3 years of age
9. Milkers 3 years and under 5 years of age
10. Milkers 5 years and older

11. Champion Challenge

SPECIALTY CLASSES
CLASS #
12. Senior Dam and Daughter
13. Senior Produce of Dam – Both animals must have freshened at least once
14. Senior Get of Sire – Three Senior does all with the same sire
15. Senior Best 3 Females (to consist of three does in milk—exhibitor owned)—One entry per exhibitor

16. Best Udder

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*Trophy and a $50 premium Awarded to Best Jr. Doe in show, Best Senior Doe in show, and Best Udder in Show.
BANGOR FAIR 2023

Exhibitor ________________________________ Phone ________________________________

Address ___________________________________ E-Mail ________________________________

_________________________________________ Farm Name _____________________________

#Jr Does _____  #Sr Does _____  TOTAL ENCLOSED _______

*Please Make all Check Payable to: HOMDGA*

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*Please use separate line for each class number.*

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