Orangeburg County Fair

Meat Goat Project Show

Rules and Entry Form

Show Date: Saturday, October 7, 2023 at 1PM
Show location: Orangeburg County Fairgrounds, Cattle Barn
350 Magnolia St., Orangeburg, SC 29115

Show Rules and Guidelines:

1. NO ENTRY FEE. On show day, the name of each participant will be on a list at the Livestock Gate next to the swine barn. The participant may be accompanied by one adult. Additional passes may be purchased in advance or at the gate.

2. Show is open to all exhibitors ages 5-18 years old as of January 1, 2023.

3. All goats must be at the barn/arena by 12:00 PM on the day of the show.

4. All goats must be weighed to be eligible to show. Scales will close promptly at 12:30PM.

5. Judging begins at 1:00PM.

6. **Showmanship:** Showmanship is open Meat Goat Project participants. Exhibitors can show any goat in Showmanship that they have entered in Market Wethers, SC4ME (Born & Bred) Wethers or Market Doe classes. See exhibitor age classes below.

7. **Project Open Wethers (3 classes):** Only Meat Goat Project participants will be allowed to participate in Project Open Wether Classes with a wether that has a Project Open Wether ear tag. No exceptions.

8. **SC4ME (Born & Bred) Wethers (4 classes):** All SC4ME wethers must be tagged with an SC4ME tag and registered to the exhibitor through the Meat Goat Project.

9. **Market Does (3 classes):** Market does must be born between September 1, 2022 and June 15, 2023. Market does must be tagged with a Meat Goat Project doe tag and be registered to the exhibitor. Only one doe per exhibitor per class will be allowed. Each exhibitor may weigh in up to 3 does. Exhibitors with more than one doe in a class, will be required to choose which doe he/she wants to show in that class.

10. The youth must be able to maintain control their animal(s) at all times during this event. Parents are not allowed in the Show Ring during judging. Parents entering the ring during judging will result in the exhibitor being disqualified.

11. Cloverbud exhibitors may request a Senior exhibitor to accompany them in Market Wethers or Market Doe classes only. <u>NO</u> assistants will be allowed in Showmanship. The assistant is only allowed to step in and control the goat for the safety of the exhibitor(s) or the goat.

12. The Orangeburg Fair reserves the right to make decisions concerning or changing rules, regulations, and/or health requirements. Any animal exhibiting any significant visible symptoms of disease or sickness will not be allowed to be unloaded from the vehicle or remain on the fair grounds.

13. Exhibitors must furnish water for their animal(s).

14. Premiums will be paid according to the schedule on Page 2 of this Rules and Entry Form.

15. All decisions by the judge are final.

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Showmanship Class:

Class 100 - Cloverbud (5-8 yrs. Old)

Class 101 - Cloverleaf (9-10 yrs. Old)

Class 102 – Junior (11-13 yrs. Old)

Class 103 – Senior (14-18 yrs. Old)

Project Open Wether:

All participants will register their wether goat in the market class 200. Market classes will be divided into the following classes after all goats have been weighed in. (Class 201, Class 202, and Class 203)

204 Grand-Champion Project Open Wether

205 Reserve Grand-Champion Project Open Wether

SC4ME Market Wether:

All participants will register their wether goat in the market class 300. Market classes will be divided into the following classes after all goats have been weighed in. (Class 301, Class 302, 303, and Class 304)

305 Grand-Champion SC4ME Market Goat

306 Reserve Grand-Champion SC4ME Market Goat

Market Doe: <u>Only one doe</u> per exhibitor per class is allowed. Limit 3 does weighed in.

Does will be divided into the following classes after all goats have been weighed in. (Class 401, Class 402, & Class 404)

404 Grand-Champion Market Doe

405 Reserve Grand-Champion Market Doe

PREMIUMS

Class #	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
100	*All Cloverbuds will receive participation ribbons*			
101	$25	20	15	10
102	$25	20	15	10
103	$25	20	15	10
201	$25	20	15	10
202	$25	20	15	10
203	$25	20	15	10
204	Rosette			
205	Rosette			
301	$25	20	15	10
302	$25	20	15	10
303	$25	20	15	10
304	$25	20	15	10
305	Rosette			
306	Rosette			
401	$25	20	15	10
402	$25	20	15	10
403	$25	20	15	10
404	Rosette			
405	Rosette			

Ribbons will be awarded 1st through 4th place in each Class. All others will receive participation ribbons.

*Classes in which there is a single exhibit will receive 2nd Premium monies.

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Saturday, October 7, 2023 at 1:00PM

Send Entry Forms to: **Registration Deadline: September 17, 2023**

    Chris Sweatman   **USPS or email**
    2573 Lodge Hwy
    Smoaks, SC 29481
    email: csweatman@ymail.com

Exhibitor' Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____ **Age as of Jan 1, 2023:** _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____County_____

Showmanship Class   **Project Open Class**   **SC4ME Market Class**   **Doe Classes**

100 Cloverbud (5-8)   Market Class 200   Market Class 300   Market Class 400

101 Cloverleaf (9-10)

102 Junior (11-13)   (Market class divisions determined day of show according to weight)

103 Senior (14-18)

	Class #		Name of Animal	Project Ear tag # (required)	Wether/Doe
	Circle One				Circle One
Showmanship	100	101			Wether
	102	103			Doe
OpenWether	200				Wether
SC4ME Wether	300				Wether
Market Does	400		List all does tagged with project that you plan to weigh in.		Doe