

# 54th Annual REDGA Memorial Doe Show 2023

## Saturday & Sunday, May 27 & 28

4 Rings ~4 Senior Doe Shows ~4 Jr. Doe Shows ~Embedded Youth Show ~Two Day RAFFLE ~ Silent Doeling Auction ~ Semen Auction

**The show will follow the CDC & CA Health Dept. recommendations for mask and social distancing protocols.**

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Hello Dairy Goat Exhibitors!

Welcome to the 2023 REDGA Doe Show. In this flyer you will find all the information you need to get ready for a great time at the show! This is the 54th anniversary of the Redwood Empire Dairy Goat Association Show!

This year we are back at the **SONOMA COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS in Santa Rosa, CA**. Goats will be housed and Shown in the Pig Barns and Dorfman Ring with parking for trailers and trucks around the paved barnyard roads and on the grassy areas as well. There will be camping available this year however there will be NO sleeping in the barn and no tent camping will be permitted but sleeping in your trailer is allowed. Pens will be assigned but distributed on a first entered, first served basis.

Youth are very important to the REDGA community -- we appreciate their support and dedication to our show. Again, we will have *Best Doe In Show owned & Shown by a Youth* under one of the judges each day. Additionally, there will be free special youth shirts for youth exhibitors that should be worn while showing.

**We will only be accepting ONLINE ENTRIES this year!**

**Please visit [www.redga.org](http://www.redga.org) for a link to the Entry Site!**

### **REDGA SHOW POLICIES**

**Pen Fee:** The \$15 pen fee will cover the cost of the pen as well as cleaning. FIRST STRAW IS NOT INCLUDED. You can order straw from one of the vendors on the ADDITIONAL INFORMATION page, or bring your own. Pens usually use 1/3 to 1/2 of a bale of straw per pen. Pens are large with wooden slat sides and can be split down the middle if needed.

**Dogs:** No dogs will be allowed in the BARN 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. There is plenty of area for them to run and play outside. Please keep them on a leash and clean up after your animals. Thank you.

# Schedule

<b>Friday, May 26th</b>	<b>3:00 pm</b> – Gates open for arrival <b>4-8 pm</b> – CHECK IN – in the Dorfman Ring. If you arrive Fri, please check in Friday. <b>10:00 pm</b> – Fair gate closes <b>NO ENTRY POSSIBLE ON TO FAIRGROUNDS</b>
<b>Saturday, May 27th</b>	<b>6:30 am</b> -- Morning check-in for shows <b>(MUST BE CHECKED IN BY 8:00 AM!!)</b> <b>9:00 am</b> – Ring 1- the show will start in ring 1, after the completion of the first breed, they will move to Ring 2 and the second breed will start in ring 1 <b>1 pm or following the completion of the Sr. Doe shows</b> – Jr. Does will be shown in rings 1, 2, 3, & 4. Breeds will be assigned a show ring and the judges will rotate <b>3:00 pm</b> -- Raffle Closes
<b>Sunday, May 28th</b>	<b>7:00 am</b> - Showmanship sign ups if not already signed up online <b>7:30 am</b> -- Morning check-in for shows if not already checked in <b>8:00 am</b> - Showmanship <b>9:00 am</b> – Ring 3- the show will start in ring 3, after the completion of the first breed, they will move to Ring 4 and the second breed will start in ring 3 <b>6:00 pm</b> – Everyone <b>MUST</b> be off the fairgrounds

## Youth

### **Embedded Youth Show**

Under 1 judge each day (Thompson & Matthys) there will be a selection of BEST Senior and Junior Does owned by Youth. No separate entry fee required. Youth must be under 20 years old on the day of the show. Youth must show their own animals unless they have multiple animals in the ring at the same time. Then the animal must be shown by another youth.

A ribbon will be awarded to the 1st place youth exhibitor in every class, 1st place animals will compete for youth breed champion. The champion youth doe from each breed will be brought back to compete for the Best Youth Doe in Show.

Free shirts will be given to the youth and should be worn while showing to help distinguish youth animals for the embedded youth show.

# Additional Information

## Camping

- Camping will be available on the fairgrounds this year for a \$45 fee, must be paid separately from entry fees so that we can pay the fairgrounds.
- However, there will be no camping in the barn or tent camping permitted, but you can camp out of your trailer.

## Straw, Feed, and other goat items.

Straw and hay will not be available through REDGA this year so be sure to pre-order straw and hay from one of the many local feed stores in Petaluma. They will deliver to the fairgrounds if you order ahead of time.

- **Hunt & Behren's** (707)762-4594
  - They will be open Friday and Saturday for deliveries as well as in store, but will be closed Sunday.
- **Western Farm Center** (707)545-0721
  - Western Farm Center will be open all weekend for your feed and supply needs.

## Miscellaneous Items

- Per Fairground rules – NO Alcoholic Beverages are allowed on the fairgrounds.
- All exhibitors and animals must be off the grounds by 6:00pm Sunday May 28<sup>th</sup>.

# REDGA Memorial Show 2023

## ADGA RULES SHALL GOVERN

### Judges

Ring 1: Emily Thompson - WI (Youth Ring)

Ring 2: Dustin Noble - TN

Ring 3: Julie Matthys – IN (Youth Ring)

Ring 4: Jenn Tereba – CA

Show Co- Chairs:

Carrie Paulson ~ [carriepaulson0@gmail.com](mailto:carriepaulson0@gmail.com)

Krista Myers ~ [kastdemurs@gmail.com](mailto:kastdemurs@gmail.com)

### ENTER BY:

ENTER ONLINE at [redga.org](http://redga.org)

You can email entry questions to Rebecca Kracker at [laceyoak04@gmail.com](mailto:laceyok04@gmail.com)

**We are only accepting online entries this year. You can avoid late fees by entering by 11:59 PM on May 22nd. On the new entering system you can make substitutions and edit entries until the day of the show!**

Location:

Sonoma County Fairgrounds

1350 Bennett Valley Rd, Santa Rosa, CA 95404

**Enter through Gate 7 on Aston Ave**

### SHOW ORDER

**Senior Doe** –Alpine, Recorded Grade, Oberhasli, LaMancha, Toggenburg, Saanen, Nubian, Nigerian

Show order is **NOT** subject to change. The first breed will start in Ring 1 and then move to Ring 2 when complete, the second breed will immediately start in Ring 1.

**Junior Doe** – LaMancha, Nigerian, AOP, Nubian, Grade, Alpine

Show order is subject to change. Ring 1, 2, 3, & 4 will judge simultaneously. Animals will be assigned to a showing and judges will rotate.

### Entry Fees

Senior and Junior Doe entry fees - \$8.00 per ring

Late fees go into effect if you have not gotten your entries in by 11:59 PM on May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2023

Price per ring will go up to \$12 per ring

### Pen Fees

\$15 per pen – Fee does not include first straw, but does include clean-up after the show. **In past years we have filled up very quickly! Please only request the MINIMUM amount of pens you think you will need.** These pens can house 3-4 mature full size does. No tack pens will be assigned.

## Classes

<b>Senior Doe Show</b>	<b>Junior Doe Show</b>
<b>Class</b>  1. Yearling Milker – born in 2022 2. Two years & under 3 – born in 2021 3. Three years & under 4 – born in 2020 4. Four years & under 5 – born in 2019 5. Five years & over – born in 2018 or before  <b>Senior Grand Champion</b> <b>Reserve Senior Grand Champion</b>  <b>Best Senior Doe in Show</b>	<b>Class</b>  6. Junior Kid – 4/1/23 to 5/26/23 7. Intermediate Kid – 3/1/23 to 3/31/23 8. Senior Kid – 1/1/23 to 2/28/23 9. Dry Yearling – born in 2022  <b>Junior Grand Champion</b> <b>Reserve Junior Grand Champion</b>  <b>Best Junior Doe in Show</b>

Ribbons and awards are provided for Best of Breed winners, Junior Champions, and Best Does in Show  
**Senior and Junior Doe Shows are separately sanctioned. No Pre-Show Milk Out**

**\*\* The original registration certificate is required for all animals six months of age or older, and this must be shown to the show secretary before the start of the show. The original registration certificate or stamped duplicate stamped by the ADGA office is required for all animals, and must be shown to the show secretary before the start of the show. We will accept stamped duplicates per ADGA rules for all aged animals in 2023. No copies of the registration certificate, the stamped duplicate, telegrams, faxes, or phone calls will be accepted in lieu of the original certificate.**

**\*\* NO ANIMAL will be allowed to remain on the grounds with any sign of contagious disease including but not limited to abscesses, sore mouth, ringworm and pink eye.**

**DECISIONS OF THE SHOW COMMITTEE ARE FINAL.**