

**SIERRA PACIFIC PYGMY GOAT ASSOCIATION**  
**Gold Country Classic**  
**May 17<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> 2019**  
**Tehama District Fairgrounds - 650 Antelope Blvd, Red Bluff, CA**

**Judges:** Friday, May 17<sup>th</sup>: Shad Te Grotenhuis-Aunabela Acres  
Saturday, May 18<sup>th</sup>: Teasha Lee-Westsun Pygmies  
Sunday, May 19<sup>th</sup>: Joyce Hubbard-Animal Haven

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**Showmanship:** There will be NO Entry Fee. **\*\*Youth should stay in the same showmanship class throughout the year based on their age as of January 1, 2019\*\***

**Prospect Wethers:** \$2.50 per goat, per class, per day entered

**Pre-Entry Fee:** \$8.00 for SPPGA members, \$10 for non-SPPGA members per goat, per class, per day entered (Entries postmarked May 10, 2019 and before)

**Late Entry Fee:** \$10 for SPPGA members, \$12 for non-SPPGA members per goat, per class, per day entered (Entries postmarked after May 10, 2019) \$4.50 per prospect wether, per class, per day entered

**\*\*Futurity Classes:** Your Yearling futurity animals must be pre-entered into futurity by SPPGA deadlines to qualify for these classes. Does will be on Saturday show, bucks will be on Second buck show and wethers will be on Sunday show.\*\*

**Pens:** \$10 per pen for the entire weekend (includes bedding, ½ bale of shaving per pen). Pen size is Large 8' x 8'. The aisles are very wide so there is plenty of room for tack, stanchions, etc. Priority pen assignments will be given to those with a minimum of 10 goats entered. Pen assignments are not guaranteed and are subject to change.

**Checks payable to:** SPPGA - SPPGA has a no refund policy on fees.

**Arrival Time:** Friday, May 17<sup>th</sup> after 12:00 pm PLEASE.

**Check-In Times:** Show starts at 5:00 pm Friday, 8:00am on Saturday and 9:00 am on Sunday.  
Friday, May 17<sup>th</sup> from 2:00 pm to 4:45 pm  
Saturday, May 18<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 am to 7:45 am **NO CHECK IN AFTER SHOW STARTS**  
Sunday, May 19<sup>th</sup> from 7:30 am to 8:30 am

**Judging Order:** Friday, 5:00 pm Does, Bucks  
**Saturday, 8:00 am** Wethers (show 1), Showmanship, Wethers, Does, Bucks, Bucks (show 3)  
Sunday, 9:00 am Showmanship, Wethers, Does

**NPGA Rules:** **Goats having the herd name of the judge's herd may not be shown under that judge.** NPGA requires that all animals 6 months of age or older must have a legible tattoo and/or microchip prior to being shown. Exhibitors shall not show any doe or buck in an NPGA sanctioned show with the herd name of the judge who is judging the show. This rule does not apply to wethers. Although the show chair, secretary, or designee will check the registration papers prior to the goat being shown to ensure that each goat has been entered in the correct age class and division, it is the ultimate responsibility of the exhibitor that the exhibitor's goat(s) is/are entered and shown in the correct class and division.

**Registration Papers:** Only animals with original registration papers or transfer of ownership (less than 90 days old) and registration papers will be allowed to show (with the exception of wethers.).

**Bring Only Healthy Animals:** Only healthy animals allowed on the fairgrounds. Animals having runny nose or eyes, coughs or other obvious signs of illness will be requested to leave the grounds unless accompanied by a signed veterinarian statement that the animal is healthy. The decision of the show committee is final and entry fees will not be refunded.

**Master Champion:** *SPPGA* shows will be having the **Master Champion** competition offered at the beginning of each full show. There must be three PGCH does / bucks for each competition. Please enter your PGCH's on the entry form, and in the column for class please put MC. Entry fee is \$8.00 per goat, per class, per day entered. If you enter your animal and then are unable to bring it, please contact the show chair immediately so they can contact other owners in the event the show will not meet the required number.

**Prospect Wether Class:** The purpose of the class is for exhibitors to have the chance to show bucklings that are obviously going to be wethers, but have chosen not to castrate them at an early age. The class will be the first wether class judged, however these animals will not compete for the Best Wether and Reserve Best Wether. This class is limited to animals between the ages of 0 to 5 months that have not yet been castrated. **Please note that the cost to enter this class has been reduced to \$2.50 (\$4.50 for late entries).**

**Awards:** Class strip ribbons will be offered for first through fifth places in each class. During wethers, does, and bucks tickets for first through fifth places will be given in each class for a drawing to be held at the end of the show and cash prizes will be given. NPGA Rosette ribbons will be awarded to the Champion and Reserve Champion in each division and also to the Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion in the Registered Doe and Buck Divisions. Certificates will be awarded to Premier Breeder and Exhibitor each day.

**Supplies:** Please let the show chair know if alfalfa will be needed.

**Raffle & Auction:** There will be a raffle after the show on Saturday, with all proceeds going to S.P.P.G.A. Tickets will be on sale all day Saturday. The auction will be held after lunch on Saturday. Any raffle and auction donations will be *greatly* appreciated. Please tape your name or business card to your donations so we know who to thank!

**Fairgrounds Camping:** Cost: RV's/Trailers - \$25/night with electrical hook up. Tent Camping - \$10/night (includes sleeping in trailers/trucks) no electrical hook up. Bathrooms and showers are available. Please pay with entry if staying at the fairgrounds.

**Dogs:** Dogs are allowed on the fairgrounds only if they are on a leash at all times and provided the owner cleans up after them. **Please keep dogs away from show ring and goat pens.**

**Lodging:** There are several choices in Red Bluff.

<b>Comfort Inn</b>	<b>Best Western</b>	<b>Travel Lodge</b>
90 Sale Ln	203 Antelope Blvd	38 Antelope Blvd
Red Bluff, CA 96080	Red Bluff, CA 96080	Red Bluff, CA 96080
(530) 529-7060	(530) 527-8882	(530) 727-5189

**Directions to Fairgrounds:**

**From the North via I-5:** Take exit 649 for CA-36/Antelope Blvd toward Central Red Bluff and turn left onto Antelope Blvd. In approximately 1 mile, enter the main gate on the left.

**From the South via I-5:** Take exit 649 for CA-36/Antelope Blvd toward Central Red Bluff and turn right onto Antelope Blvd. In approximately 1 mile, enter the main gate on the left.

**New this year:** Show programs will not be made available for individual exhibitors. A master book will be made available near the show ring. Exhibitors can also find a copy of the show book on the SPPGA website (<http://www.sppga.com/>) for printing if a hard copy is desired. The program will be posted by Wednesday night prior to the show.