## Sierra Pacific Pygmy Goat Association 2023 National Pygmy Goat Association Convention

## Glitz, Glam and Goats Open Shows

June 10 & 11<sup>th</sup>, 2023 Tehama District Fairground 650 Antelope Blvd. Red Bluff, Ca. 96080

| Time:                    | Show Starts at 8:00 am. Both days  |
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| Judges:                  | Saturday- Corey Christoffersen- Buck Wild Kids<br>Sunday – Lisa Bragg- Burntwood Farms   |
| Chairperson:             | Tammi Josephson<br>3600 Shire Horse Cottonwood, Ca. 96022<br>E-mail: <u>Pygmysbytj@yahoo.com</u><br>Cell-530-515-5877  |
| Arrival:                 | Arrival- Any time after 12:00pm Wednesday June 7th   |
| Check-in:                | Thursday June 8th 10:00-7:00pm, Friday June 9th 10:30am-4:00pm<br>Saturday June 10 <sup>th</sup> 6:00am-7:45am Sunday June 11 <sup>th</sup> 7:00am-7:45 am   |
| Judging Order:           | Sat. June 10 <sup>th</sup> - Showmanship, Wethers, MC Does, Does, MC Bucks, Bucks<br>Sun. June 11 <sup>th-</sup> Showmanship, Wethers, MC Does, Does, MC Bucks, Bucks  |
| Payment:                 | Make Checks Payable to SPPGA or pay using Venmo or Paypal (Sorry no refunds other than the cancellation of master class)   |
| Pre-Entry Fee:           | \$10.00 per goat, per class, per show (Entries postmarked 5/25/23 and before)  |
| Late Entry Fee:          | \$12.00 per goat, per class, per show (Entries postmarked 5/26/23 and later)   |
| Showmanship:             | No entry fees for showmanship.*** AGE is as of Jan. 1st 2023 ***   |
| Pen Fees:<br>NPGA Bules: | \$10 per pen for the entire weekend which includes shavings. Pen size is 6 x 6.<br>Pens are limited. Please NO tack pens. The isles are wide enough for tack,<br>stanchions etc. Priority pen assignments will be given to those with a minimum<br>of 10 goats entered. Pen assignments are Not guaranteed and are subject to<br>change. There will not be extra pens set up so please be sure to get as many as<br>you need in advance on entry form.<br><b>The fairgrounds will be doing the pen cleaning for us</b> ! Yeah!!! |

## **NPGA Rules:**

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.)

**Prospect Wether Class:** The purpose of the class if for exhibitors to have the chance to show bucklings that are obviously going to be wethers, but have chosen not to castrate them at a very 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. Animals entered in this class may be registered as a wether already. This class is limited to animals between the age of 0 to 5 months that have not yet been castrated.

<u>Master Champion</u>. – *SPPGA* shows will be having the *Master Champion* competition offered. There must be three PGCH does and three PGCH bucks for each competition. Please enter your PGCH's in the entry and in the column for class please put MC. 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 does not meet the required number. A refund will be issued if the class is cancelled.

**Health Check:** Only healthy animals allowed on fairgrounds. Animals with obvious signs of illness -- runny noses, eyes, cough -- will be requested to leave; entry fees will not be refunded.

**Awards:** Ribbons are awarded for 1st thru 5th places in each class. NPGA rosette ribbons are awarded to the Champion and Reserve Champion in each division and to the Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion in the Registered Doe and Buck division. NPGA rosette ribbons for Best and Reserve Best Wether.

**Raffle:** A raffle will be held Saturday. Please attach your name so we know whom to thank! We appreciate every donation!

Auction: We will also be holding a silent and live auction. Please bring a special item for this. Everyone is welcome to join the fun with bidding.

**Youth section:** There will be an area set up in the show arena barn for the youth. There will be tables and chairs so the youth can play games, cards, or color in coloring books. Please feel free to bring items for the kids to play with.

**Fairgrounds Camping:** Cost: RV's \$30/night. No tent camping is allowed. Bathrooms and showers are available. Electricity available. Please note on entry if staying at the fairgrounds and pay with entry.

**People food:** There will be a food truck on the grounds for convenience. Please support them. There are several restaurants close by.

**Dogs:** Dogs are allowed at 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.

Alfalfa and supplies: There is a feed store in Red Bluff not far from the fairgrounds that has hay and other supplies.

## Convention is special. Please join the fun and include these on your entry. \*Please include the order forms. Forms can be found on the website sppga.com

**Banquet Dinner**: Saturday night BBQ Tri-tip and chicken, potatoes, beans, salad and dessert \$40 Pizza for kids \$8

Convention shirts: T-shirts and tanks tops are available \$20

Convention Banners: 2x3-\$50, 2x4-\$60, 2x5-\$75

Ad in convention program: Business card ad-\$25, ¼Page-\$50, ½ page-\$75, Full page-\$100

Pen Decorating Contest: Everyone is welcome to join in. There will be an award for the winner!