## Sierra Pacific Pygmy Goat Association 2024 High Sierra Madness Aug. 16, 17 & 18th Lassen County Fairgrounds 195 Russell Ave. Susanville, Ca.

Time:	Show starts Friday 5:00pm Saturday and Sunday 9:00 am	
Judges:	<b>Fri</b> day-Karen Colwell-Legacy Farms Saturday-Bryson Staley-Bryson Staley Sunday-Sarah Read-Old Orchard	
Chairperson:	JT Struthers - (530) 310-4001 mobile 466-045 Lindbloom Ln. Janesville, Ca. 96114 E-mail: jtstruthers@yahoo.com	
Arrival/Check-in:	Friday-Arrival-after 12:00pm <b>Please</b> Friday-2:00-4:45pm Saturday & Sunday Check-in: 7:30 - 8:45 am	
*NO CHECK-IN AFTER SHOW STARTS*		
Judging Order:	Friday-5:00pm (Show 1) Does and Bucks	
	Saturday 9:00am (Show 1) Wethers Followed by (Show 2) Showmanship, Wethers, does & bucks(Show 3) Bucks	
Sunday 9:00am (Show 3) Showmanship, wethers, does		
	Make Checks Payable to SPPGA (Sorry No Refunds on Fees) Entry fees must accompany entry. Fees can be paid by check or can be paid through Paypal on clubs SPPGA web site	
Pre-Entry Fee:	\$10.00 per goat, per class, per show (Entries postmarked 8/9/24 and before)	
Late Entry Fee:	\$12.00 per goat, per class, per show (Entries postmarked 8/9/24 and later)	
Showmanship:	No entry fees for showmanship (Age of youth is as Jan. 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2024)	
Pen Fees:	\$10 per pen for the entire weekend (includes straw). Pen size is Large 6' x 7'. Pens are limited. NO tack pens please! The isles are very wide plenty of room for tack, stanchions, etc. Bring tarps/covers and/or plastic netting for goat babies or for goats that are "jumpers." <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. **Please note that the cost to enter this class has been reduced to \$4.50**. Late entry \$6.50

<u>Master Champion</u>: *SPPGA* shows will be having the *Master Champion* competition offered at the end of each full show. 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. The fee to enter this class is \$8.00 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 so they don't need to bring their PGCH basically for nothing.

**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 at the end of the show. Please attach your name so we know whom to thank!

**Auction:** We will also be holding an auction after the raffle. Feel free to bring a special item for this. Everyone is welcome to join the fun with bidding.

**Fairgrounds Camping:** Cost: RV's \$25/night. Dry \$10/night. Bathrooms and showers are available. Electricity available. Please note on entry if staying at the fairgrounds.

**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.

Food: There are several restaurants nearby. .

Motels: Super 8	Best Western	Red Lion Inn & Suites
2975 Johnstonville Road	2785 Main Street	3015 Riverside Dr.
Susanville, Ca. 96130	Susanville, Ca. 96130	Susanville, Ca. 96130
530-257-2782	530-257-4123	530-257-3450

## **Directions to Fairgrounds:**

From Reno take US395 north to Susanville. As you are nearing Susanville, follow signs into town, rather than staying on US 395 which actually loops to the west and misses town. Just after passing the second traffic light on Main Street turn onto Russell Ave. Approximately 2-3 blocks past the National Guard Armory, turn right at the livestock gate into the fairgrounds.

From Redding/Chico, take Hwy 36 to Susanville. Take Main street south through town to the Spirit Gas station. Turn left onto Fair Drive. Turn left again onto Russell Ave., and go 2-3 blocks to the livestock gate on your right. Turn right to enter the fairgrounds.