

**SIERRA PACIFIC PYGMY GOAT ASSOCIATION**

**Spring Classic**

**May 17<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup>**

**Private Residence**

**8991 Leland Ave, Sacramento, CA**

- Judges:** Friday, May 17: (Youth Show): Macy Skillman  
Saturday, May 20: Doug Bragg – Burntwood Farms  
Sunday, May 21: Michael Putman – Lil' Champs & Hanging Banners
- Chairperson:** Courtnie Braziel/Julianna Messina  
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Elk Grove, CA 95624  
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(916) 214-1253
- Arrival Time:** **Friday, May 17<sup>th</sup> after 12:00 pm PLEASE.**
- Check-In Times:** **Show starts at 5:00 pm Friday and 9:00 am Saturday & 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 8:30 am **NO CHECK IN AFTER SHOW STARTS**  
Sunday, May 19<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 am to 8:30 am
- Judging Order:** Friday, 5:00 pm Youth Show Showmanship, Wethers, Does  
Saturday, 9:00 am Showmanship, Wethers, Does, Bucks, Bucks (show 2)  
Sunday, 9:00 am Showmanship, Wethers, Does
- 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, 2024\*\***
- Pre-Entry Fee:** **\$10.00 for SPPGA members, \$12 for non-SPPGA members** per goat, per class, per day entered (**Entries postmarked 5/6/2024 and before**)
- Late Entry Fee:** **\$12 for SPPGA members, \$14 for non-SPPGA members** per goat, per class, per day entered (**Entries postmarked after 5/6/2024**)
- Pens:** Exhibitors will need to bring their own pens.
- Payment:** Make Check Payable to SPPGA (Sorry No Refunds on Fees) Entry fees must accompany entry. Fees can be paid by **check, PayPal** on clubs SPPGA web site, **Zelle** with the email [sierrapacificpygmies@gmail.com](mailto:sierrapacificpygmies@gmail.com) or **Venmo:** @SPPGA-Pygmy. IF USING VENMO, please ADD an ADDITIONAL 2% to your entry. If paying digitally, please send a screenshot to show chair for proof of payment. Zelle has ZERO fees!
- 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 \$10.00 per goat, per class, per day entered for members/ \$12.00 per goat, per class, per day entered for non-members. 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 10 months that have not yet been castrated. **Please note that the cost to enter this class has been reduced to \$4.50 for members & \$6.50 for non-members (add \$2 for late entries).**
- Milking Does:** All does in the milking doe class must currently be nursing kids or being hand milked. All does not nursing or being milk must be entered in their appropriate age class.

**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 or the youth show. 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 premises. 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.

**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 & Dessert 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 dessert auction will be held after lunch on Saturday with all proceeds going toward showmanship/high point awards. Any raffle and auction donations will be greatly appreciated.

**Lunch:** There are several places to eat nearby. If you do not want to leave for lunch, there will be hamburgers and hot dogs available for purchase on site.

**Camping:** There is no charge for camping and there are no water or electrical hook ups available.

**Dogs:** Dogs are allowed on the premises 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.**

**Lodging:** There are several other choices in the area close to the facility.

**Holiday Inn Express**  
9175 W Stockton Blvd  
Elk Grove, CA 95758  
(916) 478-9000  
13 minutes away

**Hilton Garden Inn**  
9241 Laguna Springs Dr  
Elk Grove, CA 95758  
(916) 691-1900  
15 minutes away

**Comfort Inn & Suites**  
21 Howe Avenue  
Sacramento, CA, 95826  
(916) 379-0400  
17 minutes away

**Directions to Facility:**

**From the North via CA-99:** Take CA-99 S toward Fresno. Use the right 2 lanes to take exit 289 for Calvine Rd. Use the left 2 lanes to turn left onto Calvine Rd for 2.3 miles. Turn left onto Elk Grove Florin Rd for 1.6 miles. Turn right onto Leland Ave. Enter the gate past the house on the left.

**From the South via CA-99:** Take CA-99 N toward Sacramento. Take exit 288 for Sheldon Rd. Use the right 2 lanes to turn right on Sheldon Rd for 1.5 miles. Turn left onto Elk Grove Florin Rd for 2.6 miles. Turn right onto Leland Ave. Enter the gate past the house on the left.

**Show Program:** 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.