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## STAND TOGETHER: WANT TO POSITIVELY AFFECT MORE PEOPLE'S LIVES?

MIDWEST BUCK SALE JUNE 1 - 4, 2022. WHERE THE MEAT MEETS THE MONEY



FOR LEADERS, MISSION DRIVEN BUSINESSES, CHANGE MAKERS OF ALL KINDS, STAND TOGETHER AND HELP TRANSFORM THE INDUSTRY. ENTER TODAY!

WHATS NEW FOR 2022 GOAT PRODUCER'S COURSE ADDED VALUE DAY MEET THE BREEEDERS CONSERVATION OF GOAT BREEDS

PEOPLE'S CHOICE DAIRY, FIBER, & MEAT

## **FEATURED**



Events June 1-4, 2022 Sedalia, Missouri State Fairgrounds Member: MO State Fair Foundation Professionals, Professors, Business Owners, Producers and Genetics. What do you want to do? Check the back page of this publication and for more information: midwestbucksale.com



DAIRY YOUTH **GOAT CAMP** 

June 1-3, 9:00 am daily, lunch noon to 1:00 pm. Shannon Ellis is the instructor for this 3 day dairy goat showmanship camp.



VALUE ADDED

DAY



camp.

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MARKET YOUTH

**GOAT CAMP** 

June 1-3, 900 am daily, lunch noon to

1:00 pm. Terry Burks is the instructor

June 1-3, 9:30 am daily. Dr. Homero Salinas and Jennifer Lutes have developed an educational event with speakers

and hands-on demos, each day.

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**PRODUCERS COURSE** 

FAMACHA Course with certificate and card. \$10. limited to 20, sign up online: midwestbucksale.com Dr. Homero Salinas, Lincoln University

**FAMACHA COURSE** 



#### **MEET THE BREEDS**

Saturday is meet the breeds day. We have several new breeds attending and this is your opportunity to meet the breeds.

#### **MIDWEST BUCK SALE**

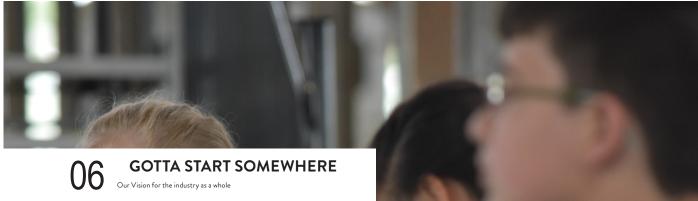
June 4, 4:00 pm is the opportunity for breeders to present their quality replacement stock. This is for registered and nonregistered composite stock.



Value Added Day is for goat farmers This is your opportunity tohave your and producers. This opportunity for Boer goat comapered fairly, based upon businesses that produce products for phenotype. Stock should be presented the consumer market, is free. as natural as possible.

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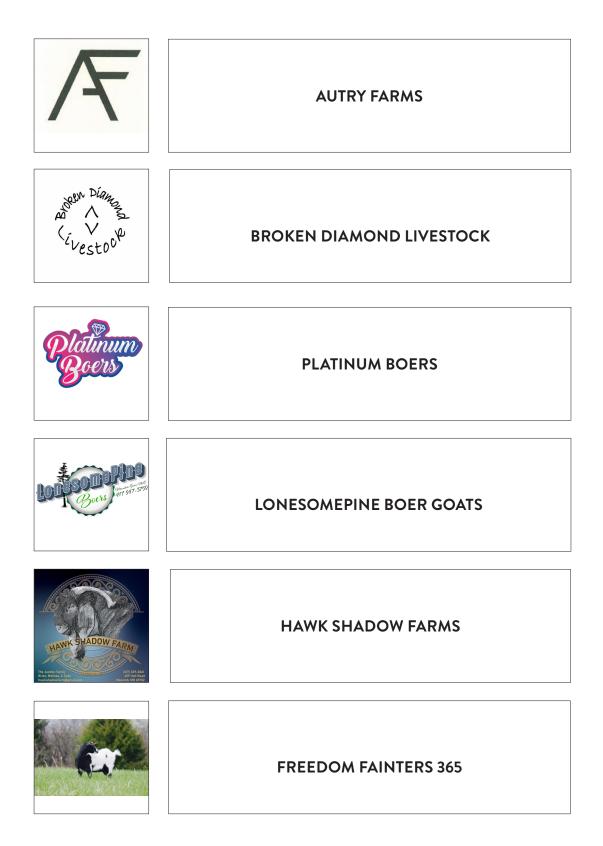
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#### **SCHEDULE**

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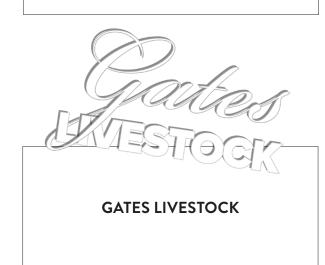
## CONSERVATION

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#### **CUMMINGS RANCH**



#### BREED CONSERVATION

After 43 years in the oil industry, working all over the world, Preston and Sarah Sawyer Neely returned to their part of the family ranch. The Sawyer family has been in the ranching business in Sutton County since the late 1800's when Sarah's grandfather, Edwin E. Sawyer Sr. came from Maine to Texas to seek his fortune.

Uncle Wesley Sawyer, like many ranchers in West Texas, kept Spanish Goats. Upon Wesley's death, his nieces and nephews inherited his ranch and his livestock. Eddie Sawyer, Sarah's brother, managed his father's ranch after his



NEELY-SAWYER RANCH

death, developing an interest in the Spanish Goats and began to breed those Spanish goats to bring out their strengths. He used a very respected herd consultant and started culling on undesirable traits. When Angelo State University started a billie performance test, he began sending the Sawyer bucks to the test. Upon the death of Lura Sawyer, the Sawyer ranch and the livestock, including the superior Spanish Goat herd, were divided among the four Sawyer children. With 21 years of selective breeding behind us, we are proud of our progress, and continue to work to improve our herd.

We run between 700 and

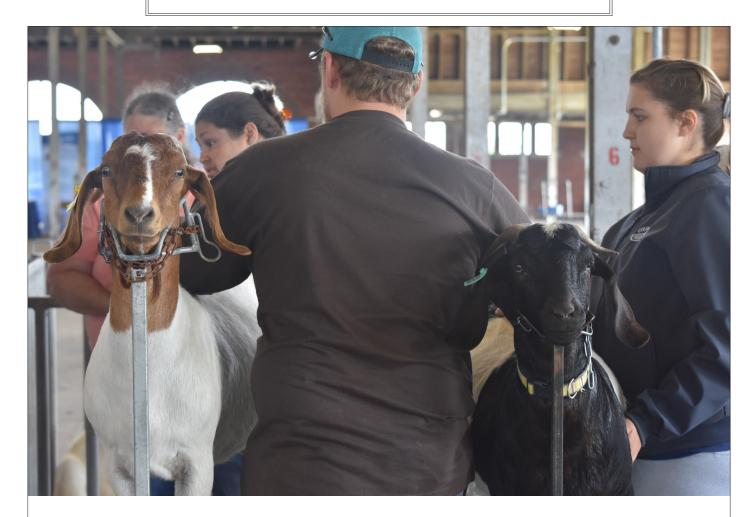
800 pure Sawyer Bloodline Spanish nannies. When the kids are weaned, we separate all the buck kids and select the top 125 or so to participate in a on the ranch Performance Test. The primary purpose of the test is to identify which billies have the ability to gain the most weight in their first 9 months of age. The reason for this is because most ranchers/farmers sell their male goats at about 9 months so maximizing their weight by this time maximizes your income. Our billie kids weight gain on test average as high as 0.7 lbs/day. At current pricing that amounts to as much as 35lbs or \$140 extra per kid.

For the past several years we have weaned in the pasture a kid crop of 156% to 176% depending on the winter weather. Our nannie kids are for sale shortly after weaning. Our Spanish herd has never been mixed with any other breed. We have 100% pure Spanish goats. We are a certified DNA tested herd.

Other ranchers are recognizing the advantages of Sawyer Bloodline Spanish Goats and have started breeding them for sale. We encourage this spreading the genetics to allow new buyers to find the goats available to them in their area.

#### THE BEGINNING

#### GOTTA START SOMEWHERE



#### VISION

Midwest Buck Sale:

Bringing the breeding community together to learn more about the industry, to raise, buy and sell meat, dairy, and fiber goats.



## MISSION

By creating a platform that empowers the goat breeder to learn, grow and shape the market, we are ensuring consumers across the country have access to high-quality, affordable and delicious lean meat, goat dairy and fiber goat products.

To promote the continued improvement in the breeding, raising, and marketing of meat, dairy, and fiber goats and to encourage the pursuit of excellence throughout the livestock and agricultural industries.

To organize and administer, each year, a world-class, national goat event, composed of various public competitions, exhibitions, speakers, and a purebred production sale, that the event enhances interest, encourages participation, and the sharing of ideas and information in the goat livestock industry and by recognizing and rewarding the achievements of breeders and marketers alike. To include activities that continue encouragement for the youth to pursue careers in the American goat industry and agribusiness fields through events and incentives especially tailored to their interests.

To advance education by providing learning opportunities, as an ongoing part of the Midwest Buck Sale event.

To ensure that the American goat industry grows and adapts to the ever-changing needs of the industry.

To help facilitate the goat breeder in providing a consistent product, share genetics, and learn how to improve the goat across America, to preserve their value as a major income-producing asset for the farmer/rancher.

#### ENTER TODAY

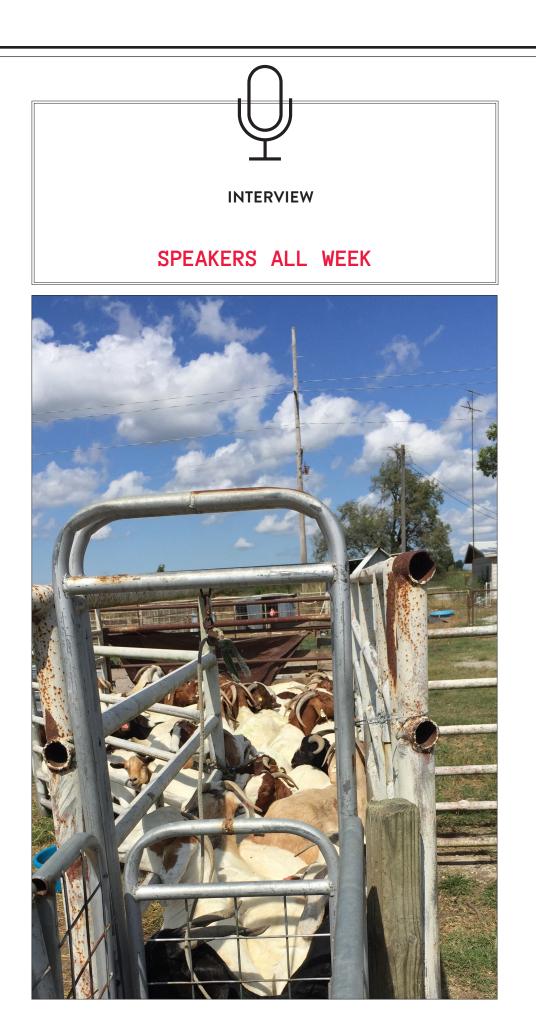


Entering is easy. The event week offers a variety of educational opportunities for everyone in attendance. While your children learn about selection, preparation and presentation, parents will learn the same things from professors and professionals in the industry.



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## ABOUT THE MIDWEST BUCK SALE

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The goat industry is growing and the demand for quality production stock has grown exponentially. Many people purchase stock not really knowing what to buy or lack experience in animal husbandry when getting started. The industry needs one event where meat, dairy, and fiber goat producers may come together to discuss the ideas and needs of the industry.

This event is easily accessed from anywhere across the Nation. The Missouri State Fairgrounds is a historic facility that is in a central location for the United States.

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Strengthen and enhance the production and marketing of goats and goat products in the United States through the improvement of infrastructure, business, resource development and the development of innovative approaches to solve long term problems.

Provide leadership training and education to industry stakeholders.

Assist all segments of the industry in addressing sustainable production and marketing of goats and goat products. Promote marketing of goats and goat products through an organized method that can measure tangible results.

Enhance the goat industry by coordinating information exchange and seeking mutual understanding and marketing within the industry community.



Event week is always the first Saturday in June each year.

Speakers and learning opportunities are through the week.

Adding the Dairy Goat breeds to the Midwest Buck Sale week has provided and additional opportunity for dairy goat breeders to promote the breeds and products produced in the dairy goat industry. You will want to be there.

The week will be filled with speakers on topics. There will also be an opportunity to learn how to market your farm and coop with others across the country. There is a host of vendors and professionals that will be there to help breeders on their way to success in raising dairy, fiber, and meat goats for the consumer market. Anything a goat produces is part of the consumer market. There is something for everyone in the goat industry during the week.

This is about building the goat community and bringing the production breeders together, to create a strong market for the goat industry as a whole. Pricing, selling, producing, getting stock to market, and health care are all strong topics to be discussed at the daily round tale in the afternoons at 4:00 pm.

Anyone may participate and attend. All are welcome.

## ALL ABOUT PRODUCTION GOAT FARMERS BREEDERS

#### MIDWEST GOAT PRODUCERS COURSE

"This is a full range training program with classes on pasture management, marketing, herd health, nutrition, bio-security, importation, exportation, quality assurance, reproductive care and so much more. The class set also includes hands-on demonstrations and training correctly assessing body condition, selection of stock, along with meeting producers and discussing their successes in business related goat entities."

> Goat producers need concrete business opportunities. With an increased interest in meat goat production, small family farms are becoming more prevalent. Farmers have to find a way to diversify their operations and increase the family farm income. There are alternative and innovative ways to achieve this.

> The Midwest Buck Sale event week has continued to improve upon learning opportunities during the event week. With the assistance of Dr. Homero Salinas of Lincoln University and Jennifer Lutes of the University of Missouri, they have developed an extensive multi

day Goat Producers Course. Fellow University professional, business professionals in the goat industry and goat production specialists have joined in to help produce this special event.

The main portion of the class is June 1-3, but continues into Saturday, June 4 with breed speakers and samples of goat products produced by Missouri Dairy farms. These professionals have played a leading role in assisting small and minority farmers involved in goat production, both dairy and meat. Our intention is to provide an annual event for new and already established producers the opportunity to access up-todate, innovative, and accurate information on raising healthy, productive goats.

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These types of training classes are important for the goat industry to survive, thrive, and grow. Whether you are a dairy, meat, or fiber goat producer, all aspects produce meat for the market. All producers have the same types of concerns. It is important to have good animal husbandry and this course will help all to secure the future for goat producers.

A complete schedule will be posted soon. A modest cost of \$15.00 per day helps to cover the costs of the program. An individual may sign up for the days they would like to attend. If an individual attends all three days, a certificate of completion for the Midwest Goat Producers Course will be awarded.



#### 3 DAY COURSE CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION





#### **IT'S YOUR TIME TO SHINE!**

## YOUTH GOAT CAMPS DAIRY CAMP: SHANNON ELLIS MARKET CAMP: TERRY BURKS

"2022 is our third year for the Market Youth Goat Camp with Terry Burks. He has helped build an event that the parents and youth really look forward to each year. The families enjoy returning as the kids get more experienced."

It is an exciting year in 2022. We have had such a great response to the Market Goat Camp, we were asked to have a Dairy Youth Camp, so we said, "YES!" The Midwest Buck Sale announces the addition of the Youth Dairy Goat Camp with Shannon Foster Ellis.

Mrs. Ellis comes highly recommended as an instructor to provide the dairy youth with a specialized course in showmanship, including selection, preparation, and presentation. The kids will have a wonderful time.

We are excited to have Mr. Terry Burks returning as the instructor for the Youth Market Goat Camp. His knowledge and in-depth instruction provide each student with a new perspective and to pair the reasons 'why' with functionality. This is a showmanship clinic you don't want your child to miss. Kids are already signed up for a third year, with Mr. Burks. Siblings are now getting old enough to participate and it is a few days of family fun.

We have a great week planned for some family fun!

#### Sign Up Today!

Please use the website form to enter the parent information. Please use the form on the website, to enter the information for the youth attending.

Each instructor will provide us with copy of their booklet to



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publish, that each child will receive, along with a personalized t-shirt to wear the first day to camp.

Other fun activities are the Obstacle Course, Scavenger Hunt, Puzzles and Games, along with a Pizza Party the first night with the Quiz Bowl. For 2022, we have added a "Best Fitter" award. Please bring a goat unclipped for that part of the event.

One of the best aspects of these camps is that the instructors donate their time. Every entry paid by the child is donated to the Missouri State Fair Foundation, in their name. The Midwest Buck Sale provides a banner to the MO state Fair Foundation listing the children that attend each camp. The banner is hung each year during the state fair. The donated funds are earmarked for the new goat pavilion, and these same children will continue to show and show through their lifetime.

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Entry fee is \$125.00.

Limited to 30 children in each camp. The camp is filling up fast and we expect it to be full soon.

ALL CAMPERS: Come and Have Fun!

Rules for attendance: Children 8 years old to 18 years old, on the day of the camp are eligible to enter.

Check in before unloading.

Health papers even if in state resident.

Children check in 8:00 - 8:30 am at the Youth Goat Camp

Red Canopy by the office.

We start at 9:00 am each morning

Lunch is noon to 1:00pm

Our intentions: Showmanship is a competition. Children in particular, can be easily distracted by parents, trying to coach their children over the rail, on the sidelines. When parents coach from the sidelines, their child is focused on them. If a parent remarks, or reaches over the rail, it is a distraction for their child and all the other children in the arena. Other parents will also have a reaction. At the camps, we avoid this situation by asking parents to be otherwise occupied when the children are in the arena practicing, until the final showmanship. We ask parents to not set in the bleachers or stand at the railing. We do not deprive the parents from watching from

#### WATCH YOUR CHILDREN GROW AND IMPROVE

#### SELECTION PREPARATION

PRESENTATION





#### SCAVENGER HUNT

#### **OBSTACLE COURSE**

#### QUIZ BOWL



afar. This is an opportunity for your child to grow. We hope all will respect what the intentions are of the camps, which is for your children to connect with the instructor and learn from them, with no distractions. Our committees work hard to provide a wonderful and memorable experience for your children, creating a environment that is inviting and will give them lasting connections with their peers. Opportunities for parents to work along side their children are during the hands on grooming/fitting segment, and selection, where the parents learn about selection with the children. Please check the Midwest Buck Sale website for the scheduled opportunities, such as the A.I. Clinic, FAMACHA, Speakers on Nutrition, and much more. (schedule will be updated through the end of January).

Parents are required to attend a short meeting with our USDA representative on the scrapie program updates and tracking of diseases, bio security, June 3, (tentatively) (kids are practicing in the arena)

We ask parents to attend other workshops and speakers during the practice sessions so the kids are focused on the instructors when they are in the arena.

Goats for Camp: Two head. Market Camp: Pick one example: Two Wethers, or Two Does, or One Wether and One Doe, all should have their milk teeth or be under 125 pounds. No adult stock.

Dairy Camp: Pick one example: Children should bring what they have. Please try to have the goat in proportion to the child (small child=smaller goat, Taller, larger child=larger goat).

This does not include stock for other events, and these animals may be entered in other shows, evaluations, or the sale. Enter through the forms online. Pay promptly to secure the spot.

Limited to thirty in each camp (total of 60 youth).

Children that win the Champion Showmanship belt buckle in their respective age group, may return the following year. The child must move up into the next division to participate again. This only applies to the overall Champion in their age group. The Youth Goat Camp will provide professional photographs. YGC uses them for promotional ads and articles on the websites. Parents are welcome to use all photographs of their

children, for personal use.

#### REPRODUCTION

### AI CLINIC REPRODUCTION DR. D. VOLSKAY DIAMOND, MO

Dr. Delinda Volskay of County Line Veterinary Clinic, Diamond, MO, will be our instructor. We are excited to add this event to the week. Limited to 20 participants.

Please bring your stand with a head restraint. If you do not have one please let us know. Bring your other Al supplies.

If spending the night and a pen is required, please add a pen fee \$5.00 per night. If you are enrolled in other activities and have already paid a pen fee, there is no requirement to pay



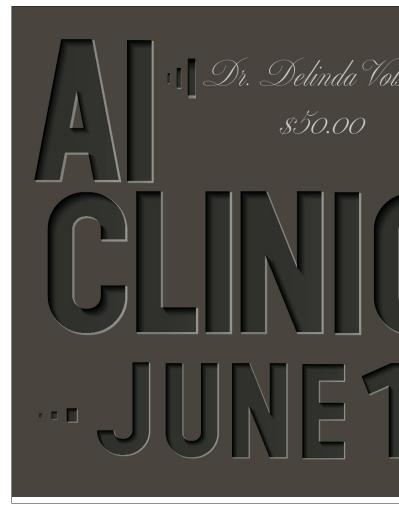
JUNE 1 10:00 AM SEDALIA, MISSOURI

Please come early to set up. 8:00 am gates open. Attendees may arrive May 31, after 5:00 pm. Please be sure to have all health papers in order before unloading. (Missouri residents have to have health papers also)

an additional fee.

Market your genetics and sell semen at your display pen by your buck. click here. We have a Dairy, Fiber and Meat Buck winner. There is also a 50/50 give away from the tickets sold to vote People's Champion Choice, Buck Alley winner. QUESTIONS:

How many does may I bring? Each paid participant may bring up to



two does in heat. What does it cost? \$50.00 per person. Where do l get the protocol for the heat cycle? You will receive an email with plenty of time to get the supplies you will need to cycle your doe(s).

If I do not have any semen for the A.I Clinic, may I purchase some while there? Yes, semen will be available. Anyone may sell their semen during the A.I. Clinic.

Please email us and we will advertise for you. Please bring your own if available. Buck Alley will also be taking place and breeders will have semen for sale, at their prices. Other Semen services are available through vendors attending. Those purchases may be made directly from the vendors on site or call ahead of time. Both dairy and meat goat semen available.

Please make sure all health papers are in order if you are coming from out of state or selling stock in Missouri. In state stock will be required to have health papers for the AI Clinic. Please follow all state of Missouri veterinary laws.

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#### **PEOPLE'S CHOICE**

#### BUCK ALLEY

#### **BRING YOUR BUCKS**

2022 is open for enrollment Online! Get your good bucks/billies listed in the People's Choice Buck Alley! Enter by filling out the form online.

People's Choice is a 50/50 Fund Raiser for the Youth Goat Camps, so vote often for your favorite Buck/Billy. Tickets \$2.00 at the event. Drawing for the 50/50 is 50% to the ticket purchaser that is drawn from the tickets in the box, on Friday at 6:00 pm. 50% to the Youth Goat Camp account for 2023. Billy/Buck owners receive an award and banner, this is "People's Choice".

The Midwest Buck Sale will advertise your buck/billy, farm/ranch, on the website and social media, along with other publications. Entry is \$15.00.

New for 2022, "People's Choice, Best Display". We will have a special award for the very best display, which will also be done by ticket voting, along with a 50/50 for the ticket purchaser and the Youth Goat Camps.

People's choice Champion Meat Billy and Dairy Buck 2021 (photos)

Meat Goat: Spanish Billy / Jericho bloodlines / Broken Diamond Livestock / Shan & Courtney Norman Dairy Goat: Alpine / Hickman Farm Clyde / Liberty Farms / Ted & Wendy Boatman

#### HEALTH PAPERS STATE VETERINARIAN PLEASE CONTACT YOUR STATE VETERINARIAN FOR HEALTH PAPERS.

All stock entered must be healthy and productive. Each animal must be listed on a health certificate from the originating state, even in Missouri, since stock is being sold and may be transported out of state.

Sellers guarantee they are selling sound productive stock. Culls will not be sold.

All stock will be inspected prior to the sale. Culls include, bad mouths, cluster teats, malformed scrotum, big structural defects like wry tail, etc.

All sales are final. Buyer/bidders are responsible for the final bid when the hammer falls.

Entry is \$15.00 Commission is 7% of the final bid. PO fee is 7% of the final bid.

Stock in place by Friday noon.

Shavings for bedding, no hay or straw. No Alley/barn Sales. Breeders conducting alley sales will be asked to remove their stock immediately. No refunds.

The Midwest Buck Sale is a platform for all production breeders to exhibit and present their best replacement production stock, to the public.

ALL GOATS MUST BE PROPERLY IDENTIFIED. Get health papers from a veterinarian in the state where you reside, for any stock being brought onto the Missouri State Fairgrounds. STATE VETERINARIANS.

CHECK WITH THE STATE VET-ERINARIAN IN MISSOURI TO BE SURE ALL CRITERIA IS MET FOR SELLING YOUR STOCK IN THE STATE. ANIMAL HEALTH RE-QUIREMENTS FOR EXHIBITION: Animal Health Requirements for exhibition regulations. Contact the Missouri State Veterinarian's office at (573) 751-3377 for clarification if need.

#### GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

 All animals must have a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection unless specifically exempted. The Certificate of Veterinary Inspection shall state that the animals are free of visible signs of contagious, infectious, or communicable disease, and describe the animal(s) by species, breed, sex and age. The Certificate of Veterinary Inspection shall reflect all data for required test and vaccinations, all dates, results, and the name of the laboratory.

2. The Certificate of Veterinary Inspection is valid for thirty (30) days.

3. Animals with active lesions of ringworm with resulting loss of hair or warts easily visible without close examination will not be permitted to exhibit and shall be subject to isolation or expulsion depending upon the nature and seriousness of the disease.

4. An accredited veterinarian will examine animals and process a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection for change of ownership.

5. The following are valid forms of official ID: 840 RFID/EID tags, 8 or9 character NUES tags, Scrapie tags, Brucellosis tags, or a tattoo if purebred and with proof of registration accompanying the animal.

6. Alteration or substitution of any information on any VS Form 10-11or any officially recognized federal/state EIA test chart or Certificate of Veterinary Inspection shall cause the document to be invalid and in violation of sections 267.010 to 267.730, RS Mo, and may result in civil penalties not to exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) per violation and subject to expulsion.

7. Any goats originating from a county in which there is a premises under quarantine for Vesicular Stomatitis shall obtain an entry permit and must include the statement on the Certificate of Veterinary Inspection that "the goat" listed have not been exposed to Vesicular Stomatitis within the past fourteen (14)days, and do not originate from the premises quarantined for Vesicular Stomatitis."



#### History of the Spanish Goat breed

In the 16th century the Spanish came to the Americas, bringing goats.

We can assume that the goats chosen for Spain's early trips overseas represented the average all-purpose Spanish goat before selective breeding and breed differentiation became popular. We might guess that the Royal Purse would pay for top-quality goats to send on such a voyage, but chances are that no one in Spain had a 'better quality' goat to sell. Cattle and sheep gained fairly early popularity with selective breeders in Europe, and would show on livestock census reports, but goats have been overlooked for centuries—a goat was just a goat, and would not have been particularly noticed or documented beyond its immediate use until 300 years later.

Still, we should not be deceived by the simplicity of the goats brought to the Americas. They originated in the days of natural sustainable agriculture, and represented genetic lines that could stand up to the simple care and knowledge of the 1500's. This guaranteed that only the hardiest goats survived to breed. Spanish goats in the Americas are now some of the few goats that still reflect the ancient, efficient Spanish genes—it has become increasingly difficult to

#### SPANISH GOATS WERE ALL WE HAD

the United States.

The Spanish colo-

nized the Americas

from both sides. They

left a goat trail. Some

goats were brought

from Spain to the

find such goats, even in Spain. But until British voyagers hit America, Spanish goats were the only goats we had. Let's focus on the Spanish goats that made their way to what is now

#### SPANISH GOAT PRESERVATION CONSERVATION

DISCUSS THE GENETIC LINES AND HERITAGE OF THE SPANISH GOATS. MEET THE SPAN-ISH GOAT REP-RESENTATIVES AND BREEDERS, IN 2022.

Caribbean, through Florida, and onto Mississippi, Alabama, and Georgia. In the west, the goat trail runs from Mexico to California and Texas. So we have a mix of origins and possibly a little interbreeding in the middle. Remember that goats never received much documented attention, so the history is hard to verify, but Spanish goats in this country show their DNA to be of Iberian origin.

For the next couple of centuries the goats were used for milk, meat, hair, and hides. The goats survived well with minimal management, and those that became feral survived with no human management at all. They adapted well to their regions, and natural selection was the norm, producing a breed of goat that was an exceptionally well-adapted survivor.

Goats were some of the last animals to captivate the interest of large-scale livestock breeders and commercial markets.

Complete story: spanishgoat.org

#### **BUCKLE SPONSOR**

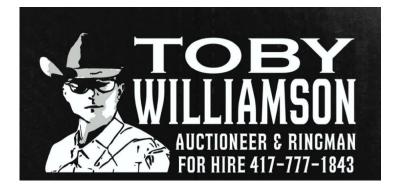
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#### AUCTIONEER

## PROFESSIONAL AUCTIONEER TOBY WILLIAMSON

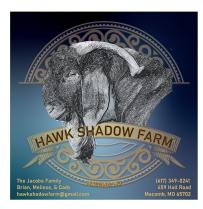
#### A PREMIERE GOAT INDUSTRY EVENT THE FIRST SATURDAY IN JUNE EACH YEAR SELLING PRODUCTION STOCK OF THE HIGHEST QUALITY.











#### A PREMIER GOAT INDUSTRY EVENT JUNE 4 4:00 PM

#### TOBY WILLIAMSON, AUCTIONEER

Toby Williamson, a 2003 graduate of Wheatland R-2 schools, Wheatland, MO and self-taught auctioneer was born and raised in Elkton, MO. He lives on his paternal grandparents farm where he raises commercial cattle and registered quarter horses. Toby is excited to be the auctioneer for this years Midwest Buck Sale

One of the best things about Sedalia, Missouri, is that it is centrally located in the USA. Easily accessible in any direction. The beauty of the Ozarks is an added pleasure as we are in the center of Spring and headed into Summer. The temperatures are just right for our event each year, the first Saturday in June.

We expect to have a full house in 2022, as we are including all breeds of goats, Meat, Dairy, and Fiber. it is a way to market your genetics, in a live sale that may be viewed online, bid online, and transportation arranged prior to or after the sale. All goat stock is inspected and culls will not sell. That includes structural faults.

Consignors are responsible to help advertise their stock in the sale, where, when, and the website links and social media sites. We advertise also, but each individual should advertise their goat stock also. The larger the audience, the better the prices.

View the Sale Live: June 4, 4:00 pm (tentative)

Wes Autry: 731-549-0210

Evie Gates: 918-944-3067

Shan Norman: 334-207-1258

Auctioneer: Toby Williamson, 417 777-1843

Entry fee is \$15.00

One entry may be: Buck, Doe, Doe w/kid, or 3 Yearling Does sold as a group (3X's the money)

Commission is 7%

P.O. Fee 7% final bid

Consignor Goat stock must arrive be in place: Friday June 3, noon. Please check in before unloading.

Please contact us with any questions: midwestbucksale@gmail.com

# BOER GOAT CONGRESS 2022 ALL COLORED CONGRESSES

SUPREME OVER-ALL CHAMPIONS IN EACH OF THESE CLASS CATEGORIES: BUCK, DOE, DOE & KID(S), ALL BOER GOATS, DIVIDED INTO COLORED CONGRESSES, BEGIN JUNE 4, WITH THE TRADITIONAL AND 3 YEARLING DOES. BUCKLES AND BANNER AWARDS. BOER GOAT. 8:00 AM (SUBJECT TO CHANGE).

BOER GOAT CONGRESS KALAHARI CONGRESS SAVANNA CONGRESS DAPPLE CONGRESS CHROMA CONGRESS BLACKBEERRY CONGRESS COMPOSITE CONGRESS SUPREME GRAND

CHAMPION DOE & KID(S) CHAMPION 3 YEARLINGS CHAMPION BUCK CHAMPION DOE









This is a National competition and a stock evaluation, over-all, as they fit the phenotype of the Boer Goat, divided by color coat and pattern. We will use the term "American Kalahari Red" for the solid red goats. White/Grey Boer Goats will be classified as Savanna.

Dividing stock by color color coat gives the stock an opportunity to be evaluated by like animals. The Boer, Savanna, Kalahari Red, are all animals developed by selection, it is by phenotype. We are thankful that the South African Boer people took the time to developed the stock and our event is the opportunity for those American breeders that want a fair comparison of their stock, where they truly are being compared. Our mission isn't to tell anyone else what to do, but to bring people together that can share their information and help others on their way. If you want to help, join the fun, because that is what it is. It is a learning opportunity. The point of this is to acknowledge the breeder. We want you to bring your stock. What you use as production stock, and the kids you raise as replacement stock. You will share your lineage of goats. At the same time, we show how everyone can work together to move a phenotype forward, based upon selection. Sharing ideas about management, feeding, and genetics used are part of the event along with so much more. GROOMING: Grooming is limited to washing, drying, and clipping.

No product, other than simple spray oil on the horns and hooves, is allowed. Fly spray is allowed. No other chemicals are allowed.

No adhesives, baby powder, no external products other than mentioned above on horns and hooves.

We appreciate everyone partic-

ipation in this rule for the Boer Goat Congress.

CLASSES: Classes are divided by sex and then tooth rule and weight.

#### DOES MUST HAVE KID-DED BY TWO YEARS OLD

MILK TOOTH: All baby teeth are in place. No primaries have erupted.

All entries are weighed. Classes will be grouped and divided, not to exceed a minimum of 10 pounds and a maximum of 20 pounds. YEARLING: First two perma-

nent teeth will be erupted. Entries will be weighed and not exceed 50 pounds difference for class.

TWO YEAR OLD: Four permanent adult teeth will be visible, or erupting in the correct order. Does must have kidded by this time or exhibit being in production by carrying at the time of the evaluation. Sonograms are not admissible. Visual inspection and determination by the judge is final.

SENIOR: Six tooth and older. Does must be in productive and show signs of kidding.

Yearling Does: Set of Three Object is to have three yearling does that are consistent and best represent the breed.

One entry fee of \$15.00 for the class. Enter online

Must be penned together through the event.

Entry fee: \$15.00

If selling, they will sell three X (times) the money and the 7% commission is charged as it would be on any other entry.

They enter the arena to sell together.

Best Doe & Kid(s) Any age Doe with kid(s) still obviously nursing on the does side. Age limit on age for the kid is 3 months (90 days). Kids will have to be weighed after check in.

All general Boer Goat standards apply

Stock are evaluated loose. The judges do not know who owns the stock. Handlers are provided in the arena and breeders watch from the sidelines.

This is a fun and exciting way to have stock evaluated. It is judging, just like any other show, with a twist. You set on the side lines and learn to evaluate the stock by the standard.

National titles and awards for the winners. Come have some fun. We want you to bring the stock you raise.

Stock may arrive WEDNESDAY, MAY 31, after 5:00 pm. When entering, please include a \$5.00 pen fee. Stock must be in place Friday noon.

Health papers are required from the state of origin, even if originating from Missouri. USDA will be on premise.

#### **SCHEDULE 2022**

### SPEAKERS DEMOS HANDS-ON

A.I. & Reproductive Clinic: June 110:00 am Delinda Volskay, DVM

Midwest Goat Production Course: June 1-3, 9:30 am daily Lincoln University and University of Missouri, certificate of completion for those that attend all three days.

Youth Goat Camps: June 1-3, 9:00 am each morning. Final Showmanship June 3 after lunch. Scavenger Hunt Youth Event: June 1, 8:30 am pick up paper with list and sign in.

Obstacle Course Youth Games: June 2, 4:00 pm, under the pavilion. Kids run the obstacle course and prizes are given by age groups. Sign up is 8:30 am that day. Quiz Bowl: June 1, 5:30 pm with Pizza Party for the Youth Goat Camp kids. Sponsored by:

Fitting Clinic and Competition for the Youth: June 2, 5:30 pm

FAMACHA Course: June 3, 1:00 PM

Meet the Breeders: June 3, 5:30 PM Wine, cheeses, meats, and fruit.

Buck Alley – June 3, 5:00 pm – People's Choice Award winners announced. Spanish Goat Association: Annual meeting, June 3, 5:00 pm. Meet the breeders 3:00 pm before the sale, June 4.

Boer Goat Congress: June 4, 8:00 am

All other Colored Congresses: June 4, following the Boer Goat Congress. CLICK HERE

Breed Speakers: June 4, after the Congresses

Midwest Buck Sale, June 4, 4:00 pm Purebred and composite replacement production goats sell: Buck, Doe, Doe & kid, or 3 Yearling Does as a group (3X's the money). Sellers may set a reserve for their stock. This includes all Dairy, Meat, & Fiber stock. CONSIGN CLICK HERE

Dairy Goat Shows: Youth Show, Only (tentative) June 3, 5:30 pm, June 4, 8:00 am

Dr. Phil Sponenberg June 3 & 4, topics to be announced

Special thank you to Dr. Homero Salinas of Lincoln University and Jennifer Lutes, Missouri Extension Specialist.

Morning Speakers and afternoon demonstrations with panel conservation. June 1st-3rd, June 4th Special Value Added Vendors. Goat Farmers and Goat Breeders will market and sell their products. Sign up by emailing Dr. Homero Salinas.

Forage & Nutrition Day

Speakers

Planting annuals and warm-season grasses

Goat nutrition

Hay production, storage, and feeding

Demo

Body condition scoring & feeding

Economics & Marketing Day

Speakers

Meat goats economic outlook

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Contract grazing

Panel Discussion

Marketing your products Moderator: H. Salinas

Herd Management Day

Speakers

Kidding and Being Prepared

Goat diseases & medicine box

Scrapies & export regulation

FAMACHA training - Certificate and FAMACHA Cards

June 3, tentative: 2:00 pm- \$10.00 pay at the event Limited to 20

June 3, 5:00 pm Dr. Phil Sponenberg will discuss color genetics.

Friday and Saturday June 3 & 4, 2022

Degustation and valued-added products Booths

June 4, after noon: Goat Breed Speakers: Dr. Phil Sponenberg will discuss preservation of the breeds.

Begin after the Boer Goat & Colored Congressess

The website has a complete listing





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#### DUAL PURPOSE GOAT

The Dual Purpose Goat Project is a group of breeders dedicated to breeding a better dual purpose goat using data collection to make educated breeding decisions to improve both the milk and meat ability of the goat.

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Learn selection of the Boer Goat by professionals in the industry.

#### MYOTONIC GOAT

Myotonic goats are one of the few goats native to North America.

#### SPANISH GOAT

Discuss the genetic lines and heritage of the Spanish goats. Meet the Spanish Goat representatives and breeders, in 2022.

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