

ODGA Premier Youth Program
2023

The ODGA sponsors the Premier Youth Program to recognize our younger members for their outstanding accomplishments and to help spread the word about dairy goats with Ohio youth. Monetary awards are presented to the winner of each age division at the Ohio Buckeye Classic 2024 and postings will be on Facebook once the results are known (do not need to be present to win, however, points are given for attending).

The ODGA Premier Youth Program is open to Youth who are Ohio residents and members of ODGA. Age Divisions are based on the youth's 4H age as of January 1st. The divisions will be broken down as follows: 8 to 10 year olds; 11 to 12 year olds; 13 to 14 year olds; 15 to 16 year olds; and 17 to 21 year olds. An extra award will be given to the overall highest points winner.

- Those participating are required to complete the ODGA Premier Youth Application and mail the application to The Premier Youth Committee postmarked or received by **December 31, 2023 for the 2023 Premier Youth Program.**
- **Membership consists of the following: Group: This membership is open to family, farm or herd groups who support the constitutional purpose of the Association, OR Junior membership: Any reputable individual under 18 years of age may be a Junior member.**

**Mail applications to The Premier Youth Committee:
Tammy Gottfried 7249 SR 635, Kansas, OH 44841
or E-Mail: goatmom1988@gmail.com**

All information requested in the tables should be filled in. Bonus points require signatures as indicated for points to be earned. Be sure to include both pages of the form when turning in the application.

The placement column on the first page should list the placing the youth was awarded in the contest. If a placement was not awarded but the youth participated, a "P" may be listed. Points are still awarded for participating. Points are only awarded on one animal shown, so please list only your highest placing animal.

Placing scores: 1st = 100, 2nd = 95, 3rd = 90, 4th = 85, 5th = 80, "P" = 75

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Youth Exhibitor's Name: _____

Age on January 1, 2023: _____

ADGA National Show:

Event	Breed	Class	Placement	Points
Showmanship	XXXXXXXXXXXX			
Skillathon	XXXXXXXXXXXX			
Fitting	XXXXXXXXXXXX			
Breed Class				

Ohio State Fair:

Event	Breed	Class	Placement	Points
Showmanship	XXXXXXXXXXXX			
Skillathon	XXXXXXXXXXXX			
Breed Class				

ODGA Buckeye Classic Show

Event	Breed	Class	Placement	Points
Showmanship	XXXXXXXXXXXX			
Breed Class	XXXXXXXXXXXX			
Skillathon	XXXXXXXXXXXX			

Any Ohio Sanctioned Show: Name of Show: _____

Event	Breed	Class	Placement	Points
Showmanship	XXXXXXXXXXXX			
Breed Class				

County Fair Goat Show: Name of County: _____

Event	Breed	Class	Placement	Points
Showmanship	XXXXXXXXXXXX			
Skillathon	XXXXXXXXXXXX			
Breed Class				

Youth Exhibitor's Name: _____

Bonus Points: (25 points each)

Event	Detail	Signatures
Gave a demonstration on a goat topic at a 4H or FFA meeting	Name of topic	Have 4H/FFA Advisor sign
Teach Goat Clinic for county 4-H members	Name of topic:	Have County Extension Educator sign
Attend County Goat Clinic	County & Date:	Advisor sign
Was 2022 County Goat Rep	Name of Title:	Have County Extension Educator sign
Worked for a show committee	Name of Show:	Have Show Chair sign
Participated in Community Service with your goat	Name of activity:	Have Advisor sign
Participate in Judging Contest	Name of Contest:	Signature
Participate in Linear Appraisal	Date:	Signature
Participate in Milk Test	Date:	Signature
Attended ODGA Fall Conference or ADGA meeting	Date:	Signature:
Have you ever attended Nationals	Date:	Signature:

Total Bonus points: _____
 Total Points from Page1: _____
 TOTAL EARNED: _____