

**DIVISION 1310
OPEN BOER GOAT SHOW**

**DOUG BAYLISS AND CAROLE
PONTIOUS**

Department Directors

LOCATION
O'Neill Swine Barn

ONLINE ENTRY INFORMATION

**You must enter online at www.ohiostatefair.com.
Exhibitors should keep their exact login information
(user name/password).**

**If entering under farm name, please utilize team/
company information line to list your farm name.**

All terms and conditions are subject to change,
including, but not limited to premiums.

Department Staff

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Schedule

Monday, July 15

ABGA, Buckeye Classic, and Junior Breeding

Check in

9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

5:00 p.m.

Buckeye Classic Show

Exhibitors Reception following the Buckeye
Classic

Tuesday, July 16

10:00 a.m. Barn Meeting Junior Breeding
(MUST ATTEND)

11:00 a.m. Junior Breeding Showmanship

1:00 p.m. Junior Breeding Show

Immediately following the Junior Breeding
Showmanship

Ohio State Fair Open ABGA Show

Release immediately following the

Open ABGA show

Open Breeding Entry Fee -

\$25.00 per head

Late Entry – Any entries made after June 21 at 1:01 p.m. will be charged \$75 late fee, plus animal charge. Contact the Entry Department at 614-644-4052 to late enter. Late entries can be made from June 21 at 1:01 p.m. to July 11.

RULES

1. All entries and awards in the department will be subject to the General Rules and Regulations published in the exhibitor's information, including the following rules.

2. **Entries:** The show is open to all exhibitors. There is a limit of (4) four animals that can be entered in an individual class by an exhibitor. Exhibitors will be restricted to (2) two placings in each individual class.

3. **Eligibility of Animals:** All breeding goats must be registered in the Herd Book of the American Boer Goat Association. The original registration certificate is required. Animals must be registered and owned in the exhibitor's name.

4. **Ennobled Herd Book Points:** Goats entered under its ABGA registration number and presenting its ABGA Certificate of Registration will be eligible to earn points for its actual placing in the show as described in the ABGA "Criteria for the Ennoblement of a Boer Goat."

5. **Tattoos:** All goats must have legible tattoo(s) or other means of permanent identification consistent with its registration certificate. Illegible tattoos or tattoos inconsistent with registration papers will result in disqualification. If the animal has a microchip as its permanent identification, the exhibitor is responsible for providing a microchip reader.

6. **Computing Ages:** Birth dates, as listed on the registration certificate, will be used to determine the class division. The base date is the date of the show.

7. **Classes:** All animals must be registered purebred, full blood, or percentage blood boer goats. Percentage doe classes are for goats 25% to 87.5% (1/4 to 7/8 blood) boer; full blood classes are for does that are 93.7% and higher; and 96.8% and higher for bucks. Progeny of fresh does will not be allowed in the ring. The Champion and Reserve classes will be chosen from the first and second place animals in that division of the show.

8. **Disqualification:** Any goat showing any pronounced defect or abnormality will be barred from the show in any of the breeding classes. Artificial coloring will be a disqualification. Illegible tattoos or tattoos inconsistent with registration papers will result in disqualification. Any doe over 24 months of age that

has not kidded and cannot prove a current pregnancy will not be allowed to show.

9. Only one person per goat is permitted in the ring.

10. Substitutions are allowed in the same class and same show as the original entry. Please make substitutions at check-in. Group class entries are to be made at check in.

11. Exhibitors will check registration papers at the office upon their arrival. The certificate of registration for the animals shall stand in the individual or family farm name making the entry of which the exhibitor is a participant.

12. All goats must be housed in pens assigned to exhibitors. Any exhibitor failing to house their entries in the goat barn from the time of arrival until the shows have been completed will be ineligible to compete.

13. Health Regulations can be found at the Ohio Department of Agriculture website, www.agri.ohio.gov, click on the Division of Animal Health.

14. Ohio's Livestock Tampering Exhibition Rules can be found at the Ohio Department of Agriculture website, www.agri.ohio.gov, click on the Division of Animal Health.

15. For protest procedure please see General Rules.

DIVISION 1310

OPEN BOER GOAT SHOW OSF

Premiums will be awarded following the conclusion of the fair. 1st - \$30, 2nd - \$25, 3rd - \$20

PERCENTAGE BOER DOES

(25% to 93.75% Blood)

Premiums will be calculated at the conclusion of entry deadline

Class No.

- 1— % Doe Kids 0-3 months, born April 17 — July 16, 2024
- 2— % Doe Kids 3-6 months, born Jan. 17 —April 16, 2024
- 3— % Doe Kids 6-9 months, born on Oct. 17, 2023—Jan. 16 2024
- 4— % Doe Kids 9-12 months, born July 17, 2023—Oct. 16, 2023
- 5- Pair of Percentage Doe Kids
- 6- Junior Champion Percentage Boer Doe
Rosette
- 7-Reserve Junior Champion Percentage Boer Doe
Rosette
- 8- % Yearling Does 12-16 Months, born March 17, 2023, to July 16, 2023
- 9- % Yearling Does 16-20 Months, born Nov. 17, 2022 to Mar. 16, 2023

10.- % Yearling Does 20-24 Months, July 17, 2022, to Nov.16, 2022

11 – Champion Yearling Percentage Doe
Rosette

12- Reserve Champion Yearling Percentage Doe Rosette

13- % Two-Year-old Does 24 to 36 months, born July 17, 2021, to July 16, 2022

14 – % Aged Does – 36 months & over, born on or before July 16, 2021

15 – % Pair of Does over 12 months, owned by exhibitor, limited one entry

16- Senior Champion Percentage Boer Doe
Rosette

17- Reserve Senior Champion Percentage Boer Doe
Rosette

18 – Grand Champion Percentage Boer Doe
Banner

19- Reserve Grand Champion Percentage Boer Doe
Banner

20- Premier Exhibitor
Banner

(See full blood section for the method of calculation)

FULL BLOOD BOER DOES

(15/16 to Full Blood)

Class No.

- 21- Doe Kids 0-3 Months, born April 17, 2024 to July 16, 2024
- 22 – Doe Kids 3-6 months, born Jan. 17, 2024 to April 16, 2024
- 23 – Doe Kids 6-9 months, born Oct. 17, 2023, to Jan. 16, 2024
- 24 – Doe Kid 9-12 months, born July 17, 2023, to Oct 16, 2023
- 25 – Pair of Doe kids, owned by exhibitor. Limited to one entry.
- 26—Junior Champion Fullblood Boer Doe
Rosette
- 27—Reserve Junior Champion Fullblood Boer Doe
Rosette
- 28—Yearling Does 12-16 months, born March 17, 2023 to July 16, 2023
- 29—Yearling Does 16-20 months, born Nov. 17, 2022 to —March 16, 2023
- 30—Yearling Does 20-24 months born July 17, 2022, to Nov.16, 2022
- 31—Champion Yearling Fullblood Boer Doe
Rosette
- 32—Reserve Yearling Fullblood Boer Doe
Rosette
- 33 – Pair of Yearling Does, owned by exhibitor, Limited

to one entry.

34—Two-year-old Does 24-36 months, born July 17, 2021, to July 16, 2022

35—Aged Does – 36 months & over, born on or before July 16, 2021

36- Pair of Fullblood Senior Does

37—Senior Champion Fullblood Boer Doe

Rosette

38—Reserve Senior Champion Fullblood Boer Doe

Rosette

39—Grand Champion Fullblood Boer Doe

Banner

40—Reserve Grand Champion Fullblood Boer Doe

Banner

FULLBLOOD BOER BUCKS

(31/32 to Fullblood)

Class No.

41—Buck Kids 0 to 3 months, born after April 17 — July 16, 2024

42—Buck Kids 3 to 6 months, born Jan. 17 —April 16, 2024

43—Buck Kids 6 to 9 months, born Oct. 17, 2023 — Jan. 16, 2024

44—Buck Kids 9 to 12 months, born July 17 — Oct. 16, 2023

45- Pair of Buck Kids, owned by exhibitor, limited to one entry.

46—Junior Champion Fullblood Boer Buck

Rosette

47—Reserve Junior Champion Fullblood Boer Buck

Rosette

48—Yearling Buck 12-16 months, born March 17 — July 16, 2023

49—Yearling Buck 16 to 20 months, born Nov. 17, 2022—March 16, 2023

50- Yearling Buck 20 to 24 months, born July 17, 2022 – Nov. 16, 2022

51 – Yearling Champion Fullblood Boer Buck

Rosette

52- Reserve Yearling Champion Fullblood Boer Buck

Rosette

53—Two-year-old Buck 24-36 months, born July 17, 2021 - July 16, 2022

54—Aged Buck – 36 months & over, born on or before July 16, 2021

55—Senior Champion Fullblood Boer Buck

Rosette

56—Reserve Senior Champion Fullblood Boer Buck

Rosette

57—Grand Champion Fullblood Boer Buck

Banner

58—Reserve Grand Champion Fullblood Boer Buck

Banner

59- Young Herd – One buck kid and two doe kids, owned by the exhibitor, limited to one entry.

60 - Get of Sire - Four animals, the get of one sire, both sexes to be represented. Owned by exhibitor. Each exhibitor limited to one entry sired by the same buck. Indicate name of sire on entry form.

Updated: 2/28/2024

61— Premier Exhibitor—Points computed from winnings —5 points for first place; 4 points for second place; 3 points for third place; 2 points for fourth place; 1 point for fifth place. Points will be computed from full-blood classes and will be awarded only to the registered name appearing on the records of the breed association. Animals do not have to be bred by exhibitor. Only the exhibitor's two highest placings in any one class will be counted. In case of tie, the exhibitor winning the most firsts will receive the award. If tie still exists, the one with the most seconds will win.

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62—Reserve Premier Exhibitor

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63—Premier Breeder

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64—Reserve Premier Breeder

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All goats must be shown in individual classes to be in group classes.

If breeding show averages less than ten head for a period of two consecutive years, it may be placed on probation for removal of exhibition at the fair.

DIVISION 1311

Open Show

Wether Sire, Slick Shorn Dams, and Fitted Dams

SPECIAL AWARDS

Champion Wether Sire – **John Braddock Memorial Rotating Trophy**

Champion Wether Dam – **Van Horn Boer Goats Rotating Trophy**

Wednesday, July 17

Arrival and Check in
1:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Thursday, July 18

Weigh In for Commercial Breeding
9:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Friday, July 19

Open Class Wether Sires, Slick-Shorn Wether Dams, & Commercial Fitted Doe Show

9:00 a.m.

1. No registration papers are required for the wether sire and dam classes.

2. There will be three divisions; wether sires, slick-shorn wether dams, and commercial does.

3. Wether Sire and Slick Shorn dams must be slickshorn to 3/8 inch or less (equivalent to Lister Cover Cote blade). Wether Sires and Dams must be slick shorn to even length from the knees and hocks up excluding the head and tail switch. No blocking will be permitted and will be grounds for refused entry into the ring.

4. Fitted Wether Dams will show in their own division with hair.

5. All entries must be presented to the official weigh in.

6. Entry fee is \$25. You must enter online at www.ohiostatefair.com. Exhibitors should keep their exact login information (user name/password)

7. **Entry Deadline** - June 21 at 1:00 p.m. Any entry made after June 21 at 1:01 p.m. through July 11 will be charged a \$75 late fee, plus animal charge. Contact the Entry Department at 614-644-4052 to make late entries.

8. Premiums determined by number of entries.

9. Open to all exhibitors.

10. This is not an ABGA sanctioned show. Therefore, it is up to the judge to determine his own criteria for sound mouths, teats, testicles, and pigment.

11. This show is provided as an opportunity for those involved in the wether business to showcase animals responsible for creating the next generation of wethers and the entries will be evaluated with this sole purpose in mind.

Class No.

01- Slick Shorned Wether Dams — Premiums determined by the number of entries.

02 — Fitted Commercial Does — Premiums determined by the number of entries

03 — Wether Sires — Premiums determined by the number of entries.

BANNERS

Grand Champion Slick – Shorned Wether Dam
Reserve Grand Champion Slick – Shorned Wether Dam

Third through Fifth Place Overall Slick – Shorned Wether Dams

Grand Champion Commercial Fitted Doe
Reserve Grand Champion Commercial Fitted Doe

Third through Firth Place Overall Commercial Fitted Does

Grand Champion Wether Sire
Reserve Grand Champion Wether Sire

If commercial breeding show averages less than ten head for a period of two consecutive years , it may be placed on probation for removal of exhibition at the fair.

DIVISION 1312 **BUCKEYE CLASSIC** **Monday, July 15,** **2024** **PERCENTAGE BOER** **DOES**

(25% to 93.75% Blood)

Class No.

1— % Doe Kids 0-3 months, born April 16— July 15, 2024

2— % Doe Kids 3-6 months, born Jan. 16 —April 15, 2024

3— % Doe Kids 6-9 months, born on Oct. 16, 2023 — Jan. 15, 2024

4— % Doe Kids 9-12 months, born July 16, 2023 - Oct. 15, 2023

5- Junior Champion Percentage Boer Doe
Rosette

6- Reserve Junior Champion Percentage Boer Doe
Rosette

7- % Yearling Does 12-16 Months. Born March 16, 2023 to July 15, 2023

8- % Yearling Does 16-20 Months, born Nov. 16, 2022 to Mar. 15, 2023

9—% Yearling Does 20-24 Months, July 16, 2022 to Nov. 15, 2022

10 – Champion Yearling Percentage Doe

Rosette

11- Reserve Champion Yearling Percentage Doe

Rosette

12- % Two-Year-old Does 24 to 36 months, born July 16, 2021 to July 15, 2022

13 – % Aged Does – 36 months & over, born on or before July 15, 2021

14- Senior Champion Percentage Boer Doe

Rosette

15- Reserve Senior Champion Percentage Boer Doe

Rosette

16 – Grand Champion Percentage Boer Doe

Banner

17- Reserve Grand Champion Percentage Boer Doe **Banner**

18- Premier Exhibitor

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(See full blood section for the method of calculation)

FULL BLOOD BOER DOES **(15/16 to Full Blood)**

Class No.

19- Doe Kids 0-3 Months, born April 16,

2024 to July 15, 2024

20 – Doe Kids 3-6 months, born Jan. 16, 2024 to April 15, 2024

21 – Doe Kids 6-9 months, born Oct. 16, 2023 to Jan. 15, 2024

22– Doe Kid 9-12 months, born July 16, 2023 to Oct 15, 2023

23—Junior Champion Fullblood Boer Doe

Rosette

24—Reserve Junior Champion Fullblood Boer Doe

Rosette

25—Yearling Does 12-16 months, born March 16, 2023 to July 15, 2023

26—Yearling Does 16-20 months, born Nov. 16, 2022 to —March 15, 2023

27—Yearling Does 20-24 months born July 16, 2022 to Nov 15, 2022

28—Champion Yearling Fullblood Boer Doe

Rosette

29—Reserve Yearling Fullblood Boer Doe

Rosette

30-Two-year-old Does 24-36 months, born July 16, 2021 to July 15, 2022

31—Aged Does – 36 months & over, born on or before July 15, 2021

32—Senior Champion Fullblood Boer Doe

Rosette

33—Reserve Senior Champion Fullblood Boer Doe

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34—Grand Champion Fullblood Boer Doe

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35—Reserve Grand Champion Fullblood Boer Doe

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FULLBLOOD BOER BUCKS

(31/32 to Fullblood)

Class No.

36—Buck Kids 0 to 3 months, born after April 16 — July 15, 2024

37—Buck Kids 3 to 6 months, born Jan. 16 —April 15, 2024

38—Buck Kids 6 to 9 months, born Oct. 16, 2023—Jan. 15, 2024

39—Buck Kids 9 to 12 months, born July 16 — Oct. 15, 2023

40—Junior Champion Fullblood Boer Buck

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42—Yearling Buck 12-16 months, born March 16 — July 15, 2023

43—Yearling Buck 16 to 20 months, born Nov. 16, 2022 — March 15, 2023

44- Yearling Buck 20 to 24 months, born July 16, 2022 – Nov. 15, 2022

45 – Yearling Champion Fullblood Boer Buck
Rosette

46- Reserve Yearling Champion Fullblood Boer Buck

Rosette

47—Two-year-old Buck 24-36 months, born July 16, 2021 - July 15, 2022

48—Aged Buck – 36 months & over, born on or before July 15, 2021

49—Senior Champion Fullblood Boer Buck

Rosette

50—Reserve Senior Champion Fullblood Boer Buck

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51—Grand Champion Fullblood Boer Buck

Banner

52—Reserve Grand Champion Fullblood Boer Buck

Banner

53—Premier Exhibitor

Points computed from winnings—5 points for first place; 4 points for second place; 3 points for third place; 2 points for fourth place; 1 point for fifth place. Points will be computed from full-blood classes and will be awarded only to the registered name appearing on the records of the breed association. Animals do not have to be bred by exhibitors. Only the exhibitor's two highest placings in any one class will be counted. In case of a tie the exhibitor winning the most firsts will receive the award. If a tie still exists, the one with the most seconds will win.

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Late Entry – Breeding shows only. Any entries made after June 21 at 1:01 p.m. until July 11th will be charged a \$75 late fee per show entered, plus the animal charge. Contact the Entry Department at 614-644-4052 to late enter.

Ennobled Herd Book Points: Goats entered under it's ABGA registration number and presenting its ABGA Certificate of Registration will be eligible to earn points for its actual placing in the Buckeye Classic as described in the ABGA "Criteria for the Ennoblement of a Boer Goat."

If breeding show averages less than ten head for a period of two consecutive years, it may be placed on probation for removal of exhibition at the fair.

Exhibitor's Reception will be immediately following the Buckeye Classic. Catered by Schmidt's and Sponsored by the South Central Ohio Boer Goat Classic.

Division 1313

SCARLET AND GRAY JUNIOR OPEN INVITATIONAL WETHER SHOW

Saturday, July 20, 2024

Immediately following the Scarlet and Gray Junior Open Invitational Commercial Show

1) Competition open to juniors ages 5 -21.

2) Maximum of 4 entries per individual

3) Entry Fee \$25, per head

- 4) All entries show slick sheared to an even length of 3/8 inch or less above the knee and hock.
- 5) Wethers must have milk teeth intact. Any animal missing teeth will be disqualified.
- 6) All Ohio Department of Agriculture fitting rules will be in effect for this show.
- 7) Official weigh-in will take place between 11 a.m. – 1 p.m., Thursday, July 18th.
- 8) Show will take place Saturday, July 20, following the Scarlet and Gray Junior Invitational Commercial Breeding Show. The Grand & Reserve Grand from the Junior Fair Wether Show are not eligible for this Wether Show.
- 9) Champions are not terminal in this show.
- 10) If wether show averages less than 10 head for a period of two consecutive years, it may be placed on probation for removal of exhibition at the fair

Division 1314

SCARLET & GRAY JUNIOR OPEN INVITATIONAL COMMERCIAL BREEDING SHOW

Wednesday, July 17

Arrival and Check In

1:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Thursday, July 18

Weigh In for

Commercial Breeding

9:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Saturday, July 19

Scarlet & Gray Junior Open Invitational

9 a.m.

Show order:

Showmanship

Wether Sires, Slick-Shorn Wether Dams, & Commercial Fitted Doe Wether Show

1. No registration papers are required for the commercial breeding classes.
2. Competition open to juniors ages 5-21.
3. Wether Sire and Slick Shorn dams must be slickshorn to 3/8 inch or less (equivalent to Lister Cover Cote blade). Wether Sires and Dams must be slick shorn to even length from the knees and hocks up excluding the head and tail switch. No blocking will be permitted and will be grounds for refused entry into the ring.
4. Fitted Commercial Does will show in their own division with hair.
5. All entries must be presented to the official weigh in.
6. Entry fee is \$25. You must enter online at www.ohiostatefair.com. Exhibitors should keep their exact login information (user name/password)
7. Entry Deadline - June 21 at 1:00 p.m. Any entry made after June 21 at 1:01 p.m. through July 11 will be charged a \$75 late fee, plus animal charge. Contact the Entry Department at 614-644-4052 to make late entries.
8. Premiums determined by number of entries.
9. This is not an ABGA sanctioned show. Therefore, it is up to the judge to determine his own criteria for sound mouths, teats, testicles, and pigment.
10. This show is provided as an opportunity for juniors involved in the wether business to showcase animals responsible for creating the next generation of wethers and the entries will be evaluated with this sole purpose in mind.

Scarlet & Gray Jr Open Invitational Commercial Breeding Show

Class No.

01 - Slick-Shorned Wether Dams -Premiums determined by the number of entries.

02 - Fitted Commercial Does -Premiums determined by the number of entries.

03 - Wether Sires - Premiums determined by the number of entries.

BANNERS

Grand Champion Slick-Shorned Wether Dam

Reserve Grand Champion Slick-Shorned Wether Dam

Third through Fifth Place Overall Slick-Shorned Wether Dams

Grand Champion Commercial Fitted Doe

Reserve Grand Champion Commercial Fitted Doe

Third through Fifth Place Overall Commercial Fitted Does

Grand Champion Wether Sire

Reserve Grand Champion Wether Sire

Note: If commercial breeding show averages less than ten head for a period of two consecutive years, it may be placed on probation for removal of exhibition at the fair.

DIVISION 1315

SCARLET & GRAY JUNIOR OPEN INVITATIONAL SHOWMANSHIP

Saturday, July 20

9:00 a.m.

The purpose of showmanship is to encourage young exhibitors to acquire skill and know-how in the handling of animals and to obtain information and practice in fitting and grooming them for show.

Exhibitors must show their own animal in showmanship. The judge may ask that exhibitors show another exhibitors animal during the course of the show.

Advanced entry in showmanship is available online and will be confirmed at check in.

Exhibitors are to fit their own animal.

All animals shown in showmanship must be entered and shown in the Scarlet & Gray Junior Open Invitational Commercial Breeding Show.

Wethers, Wether dams, and Commercial Fitted Does are permitted to be shown in the Scarlet & Gray Junior Open Invitational Showmanship, however, no wether sires are permitted in showmanship.

Judges will consider: the general ability and know-how of exhibitors in training and handling of animals, the manner in which he/she presents their animal, how they handle themselves in the ring, how to fit and groom their animal (while the grooming alone will not be emphasized), knowledge and use of good show ring equipment and correct use of equipment, accepted show ring practices, customs, and exhibitors general knowledge about their animal and the species.

Scarlet and Gray Junior Open Invitational Showmanship will be by age division (age as of January 1, 2024).

Show Order:

PeeWee Division - Ages 5-8

Junior Division – Ages 9-10

Intermediate Division – Ages 11-14

Senior Division - Ages 15-18

Super Senior Division – Ages 19-21

CAMPING

Due to limited space for the 2024 Ohio State Fair camping will go to a lottery system. All camping reservations will be for Livestock Exhibitors only in 2024. Entries will be verified after the entry deadline on June 21 at 1 p.m. If you do not have entries you will be contacted to release your spot and receive a refund. All camp spots are full hook up and located in Korbel North. The camping lottery form will be available from May 6 - May 17. The first round of lottery winners will be contacted via email the week of May 27. Winners will receive emailed directions of how to pay for their spot. It is your responsibility to be checking your email, including the junk/spam folders. The second round of lottery winners will be contacted via email the week of June 3. If there is a need for further lottery winners to be contacted this will take place the week of June 10. Please read the 2024 Camping Rules listed below:

Reservation limits/subleasing

Each person may make no more than one (1) site reservation. Reservations are for the individual who placed the reservation and their associated camper/vehicle only for the length of time necessary. "Subleased" spots, in which the individual making the reservation allows a third party to later occupy his or her spot after he or she exits the Ohio State Fair, are strictly prohibited. This means that individuals cannot make a reservation, stay for a portion of the leased time, pull out and then let his or her friend pull in. Violators may be towed and prohibited from booking future camping reservations.

Hours and check-in/check-out

- Campground is open from July 15 – Aug. 4, 2024.
- All campers must vacate campground no later than 6 p.m. on Aug. 5, 2024.
- Check-in time begins at 3 p.m. If RV/camper will be late on arrival, they must notify the camping office at 614-644-4191 no later than 6 p.m. on the day of check-in. Otherwise, the reservation will be forfeited the following day and an automatic one-night charge of \$60 will apply. The remaining reservation amount will be refunded to the original form of payment.
- Check-out time is no later than noon. All campers must exit the campgrounds no later than noon on their scheduled departure date. Check-in and check-out times will be strictly enforced. Guests who do not move their camper by the required check-out time will automatically be assessed a \$100 penalty. Violators will be towed. Please see below for information on extended stays.
- The campgrounds will be patrolled. If a purchased spot is found to be vacant or being leased to another camper fraudulently using another owner's permit and reservation, both violators may be prohibited from booking future camping reservations.

Cancellations/forfeitures

- No call, no show results in automatic one-night charge of \$60, with remaining reservation amount refunded to the original form of payment. In addition they will be banned from entering future Ohio State Fair camping lotteries.
- Campers must notify the camping office at 614-644-4191 of reservation cancellation no later than 24 hours prior to the reservation's scheduled start time in order to receive a full refund.

Prohibited items and activities

- TENTS ARE PROHIBITED — We are strictly RV-type camping ONLY.
- Charcoal grilling is permitted.
- Absolutely NO fire pits/bonfires, etc.
- Absolutely NO pools or water sprinklers of any kind.
- NO dumping of gray or black water on the grounds. All violators will be ejected from the premises without a refund.
- Unmanned aircraft systems (drones) are PROHIBITED in the campground and throughout the fair.
- The use/possession of Segways/hoverboards is strictly prohibited.
- You must be a licensed and insured driver to operate any motorized vehicle including golf carts, scooters, gators, 4-wheelers, cars and trucks. Patrons with golf carts/4-wheel devices must adhere to the [rules and regulations](#) of the Ohio State Fair including [permits](#), which can only be purchased pre-fair in 2024. Violators will answer to the Ohio State Highway Patrol on the premises.
- No bicycles are permitted to be ridden after 10 a.m. within the grounds of the Ohio State Fair.
- No skateboards are permitted within the grounds of the Ohio State Fair.
- Please dispose of trash in the provided receptacles.
- Please report any unlawful activity!

IMPORTANT

If you receive premiums of \$499 and over, the State of Ohio requires you to register as a "new supplier" at www.supplier.obm.ohio.gov. This MUST be done before any payment will be processed. Please be aware you will be asked for banking information, as your payment will be direct deposit. You may use either a checking or savings account. If you have won \$499 or more in the past, and have already set up a supplier account, you do not need to register again. However, you are responsible for making any address or name changes, by going to <https://ohiopays.ohio.gov/> and updating any necessary information. If you need assistance with the online registration process, please [view this tutorial](#) or call the "help desk" at 1-877-644-6771.

Premiums

Premiums are processed and mailed at the conclusion of the fair. Any exhibitor who has not received due money by October 31, 2024, should notify the Entry Department at 717 E. 17th Ave., Columbus, OH 43211, phone 614-644- 4052; e-mail b.prince@expo.ohio.gov or 614-644-4049; a.hershey@expo.ohio.gov.

Golf Carts

Golf Cart / Side-by-Side Rules and Restrictions

The use of Golf Carts, Side-by-Sides, or other similar all-terrain vehicles, is limited to golf carts, gators or similarly manufactured vehicles. Use of ATV's that do not meet those listed are not allowed. Use is limited to special circumstances where a need has been demonstrated (such as delivering feed to

animals, trash removal, or on-grounds delivery to vendor booth locations during restricted hours), and only when an Ohio State Fair Golf Cart Permit has been issued. No vehicles with performance packages are permitted. All other electric or motorized vehicles are prohibited, including but not limited to: electric or motorized scooters, motorized bicycles, mini-bikes, slingshot trikes, dune buggies, hoverboards, and Segways.

Permitted	Prohibited
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Golf Carts • Gators or similarly-manufactured vehicles without performance packages 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Any vehicles with performance packages • Four-wheelers • Electric or motorized scooters • Motorized bicycles • Mini-bikes • Slingshot trikes • Dune buggies • Hoverboards • Segways • Other electric or motorized vehicles

Violators will have their vehicle confiscated and impounded.

Any Permit holder found in violation of any policy pertaining to golf cart use will automatically forfeit their golf cart permit as well as be subject to golf cart confiscation by the Ohio State Highway Patrol. The golf cart will be confiscated, and the owner must remove the cart from the Fair no later than midnight on the day of the impoundment. Owner/applicant will be held responsible.

Permit applications are due June 21 at 1 p.m.

All golf carts must be registered with the Ohio Expo Center & State Fair Finance Office by completing the Golf Cart Application. **New this year, golf cart permits must be pre-ordered online during the entry process which closes June 21, 2024 at 1 p.m.** Payment for the permit will be required at the time of purchase on the entry site. 2024 golf cart permits will cost \$30 per day or \$300 for the full fair. **NO ONSITE GOLF CART SALES WILL TAKE PLACE IN 2024.**

A 2024 permit must be attached to the front of the cart AND REMAIN CLEARLY VISIBLE AT ALL TIMES. Golf cart permit applications will only be reviewed for those who have submitted the following via the Ohio State Fair Website:

- A copy of auto liability insurance and
- A copy of the driver's license(s) for all approved drivers
- A golf cart information form (Google Form)

Rules and Restrictions

- Cart rules apply to dates starting Monday, July 15 and ending Sunday, August 4.
- Golf carts can be operated in a safe manner ONLY by a pre-approved, licensed driver. Drivers must be 16 years or older and have a valid driver's license.

- Golf carts can be driven ONLY on the blue line shuttle path around the perimeter of the grounds as indicated by the dotted line on the included map between 10 a.m. and midnight. This path is designed with the safety of the fairgoer in mind.
- Carts must be kept secure at all times, especially at night.
- Drivers and passengers are not allowed to consume alcoholic beverages on carts.
- Golf cart speed limit is 10 mph.
- Having more individuals in a golf cart or side-by-side than seats in the vehicle is strictly prohibited.
- Carts are for official use only.
- No joyriding or racing will be allowed.
- When parking your cart, be careful to avoid blocking access to concessions, walkways, doorways, or roadways.
- Carts are not permitted anywhere beyond the blue shuttle path, including on the grassy areas of the grounds and the paved path between the Bricker Building and the Gilligan Complex.
- VIOLATION OF ANY OF THE ABOVE RULES WILL RESULT IN IMMEDIATE AND FINAL REVOCATION OF PERMIT & CART AND APPLICANT WILL BE HELD RESPONSIBLE.

Ticketing and Parking

Admission – Junior Fair admission tickets will be provided at check in

Pass type	Amount
Single Entry	\$8
6 Punch – Entry (multi punch ticket)	\$40

Parking – Available with an Open Entry ONLY – Junior Fair ONLY Exhibitors cannot purchase a parking pass

Gate/Number of Days	Species to Utilize Pass	Amount
Pre-Fair on Grounds	Any exhibit between July 15 and July 23	\$10 per day per vehicle – pay at the gate – paid daily
Gate 10 – 4 days	Rabbit, Ag/Hort	\$40
Gate 10 – 5 days	Poultry, Ag/Hort	\$50
Gate 9 – 1 day	Swine – First Session	\$10
Gate 9 – 4 days	Swine – Second and Third Session	\$40
Gate 10 – 1 day	Beef – Session 1	\$10
Gate 10 – 2 days	Sheep – Market Session, Santa Gertrudis/Mini Hereford Beef Session, Commercial Cattle	\$20
Gate 10 – 3 days	Beef – Session 2, Beef Prospect Cattle, Sheep – Session 2 Breeding	\$30
Gate 10 - 4 days		\$40

Gate 10 – 5 days	Sheep – Session 1 Breeding, Dairy – Session 1, Session 2, Draft Horse	\$50
Any Second Sticker	Only with an open class entry and for the number of days required to be on the grounds	\$75

Additional Items to Note

- Admission and Parking starts on July 24, 2024 and extends until August 4, 2024.
- Parking is in the area designated on the back of the specific pass purchased. If you are parked in the wrong location for your pass vehicle is subject to being towed.
- If the parking area noted on your pass is full additional free parking is available North of 17th Avenue.
- Purchased admission and parking will be mailed in early July. Junior Fair Exhibitors will receive tickets for the days they are required to be on the fairgrounds upon check in with the respective barn of their entries.
- Livestock trailer parking is available North of 17th Avenue free of charge on a first come first serve basis. Livestock trailer parking is limited so please be courteous of others when parking.

Feed, Bedding and Supplies

First Bedding will be furnished for beef, poultry, and rabbits. Sawdust and sand are not to be used for bedding, due to the difficulty in disposing of manure containing these materials.

As a service to exhibitors, Management has contracted with a vendor to make available for purchase grain, hay, straw, and some miscellaneous supplies. The store is located under the viaduct across from the Gilligan Livestock Complex (Horse Barn). Prices must be posted and be in line with the retail market of this general trade area. All purchases made during the show must be from the feed vendor. No outside vendors will be permitted to make deliveries on the fairgrounds.

Exhibitors may provide their own feed, but are **not permitted** to sell to others, **nor** may they store feed in aisles or block aisles with service vehicles.

Exhibitors purchasing feed and bedding from the vendor must not have a remaining balance. All items should be paid for upon initial purchase. Any remaining balance with vendor will result in release slip not be given until balance is paid.

Exhibitors must keep pens and aisles clean and in order, along with keeping their animals clean and well cared for, as a part of their contribution to the Ohio State Fair. Exhibitors must place manure outside of the building in area provided for loading. Manure **must not** be left on the ramp or platform. Exhibitors neglecting to do this will be warned for the first offense. Premiums and special awards won shall be forfeited for further neglect and lack of cooperation.

Late Arrival/Early Release

One late arrival or early release will be granted per exhibitor. Late arrivals and early releases are granted for county fairs, other livestock shows, and emergency situations. In the event of a county fair or other livestock show please email your request for late arrival or early release to Andrea Hershey, Ag/Livestock Manager, at a.hershey@expo.ohio.gov. Requests must be emailed by July 15, 2024. Emergency situations will be dealt with on a case-by-case basis.

Buildings and Grounds Regulations

To maintain our buildings and grounds and provide public safety the Ohio State Fair has the following regulations:

- Advertisements can not be displayed on the walls, doors, or windows of buildings.
- Signage that is hung on the building surfaces must be adhered with gaffer's tape.
- Lawn signs must be approved by Ohio State Fair management. Any signs not having prior approval will be removed.
- Ohio State Fair management reserves the right to remove signage and advertisements from any building surface.
- Tents must be staked down and adhere to the species-specific policy on location and hours of use.
- Tents can not block doorways, driveways, shuttle paths, or public traffic flow.
- Ohio State Fair is not responsible for damage to tents due to inclement weather or sudden weather changes.
- Ohio State Fair reserves the right to ask that tents be removed.