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Summer 2023

Thank You to the many volunteers that help make the 2023 NYSDGBA show a success!



A HUGE thank you to these two for their tireless efforts, year after year, in organizing our spring show. It's a huge undertaking to pull off a successful double ring show that pulls in well over 300 entries that so many of us look forward to and completely enjoy. Tommy Stevens and Shannon Murray Stevens your hard work, dedication and efforts are very much appreciated and dont go unnoticed!



Thank you to these two hardworking ladies who come out and work and support our club show every year. They have been at this longer than any of us, that's for sure! THANK YOU Carol Frey and Elaine Bartlett for your continued dedication to our club and shows! Your hard work makes for a pleasurable and successful day for all of us!!!

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Editors' Notes

As usual, we are all busy getting ready to go to shows, putting up hay for the winter (brrr), planning our breedings and dreaming about the spring kiddings!

We're hoping everyone has a happy, safe summer and show season. Past show results will be in the next newsletter.

We need articles for the Know Your Neighbor section. It's been great reading about other herds. Please take the time to share your farm story!

Donna and Debbie

New York State Dairy Goat Breeders Association

from Pete's desk!

Hi folks,

We had another great show this year in Syracuse. Well over 300 entries and some great competition and some really beautiful animals. Thanks to Shannon and Tommy who are there from start to finish making sure everything goes as it should. Thanks as well to so many of you who did your part to make it a very successful and pleasant show.

Our club website got a huge makeover by Danielle Carolei this spring. Thanks to Danielle for all her efforts and as well, thanks to Cathy Andera who took care of it for us for so many years. Check it out.....
nysdgba.org

I will be heading off shortly to attend and judge at the ADGA national show in Oregon. We all had a wonderful time at last years' show in Harrisburg. I doubt many from the east coast will be attending this year but you can still join in all the excitement and watch the show live on the livestreaming. Lots more info and livestreaming info can be found at www.nationalshow.adga.org I will be sure to wave to you all

Our next meeting will be held at the state fair. Sunday, September 3rd at 10am in the show ring. Hope to see you all there.....

Pete Snyder
NYS DGBA President

2023 ADGA SHOWS:

As we prepare for the first show of this show season.....

As we all know, ADGA has not been able to process show wins for the last several years. VERY frustrating.....I know!!!! And it looks like it will still be some time before they will be able to. There is currently discussion to try and find a way to, temporarily, rectify this issue so that "pending" champions can be shown in a champion challenge class.

If you have not done so in the past, I would certainly encourage anyone who has a winning animal at a sanctioned show to definitely keep good records of your wins in case they might be useful in the future. I would record the name of the show, the date, judge, type of show, CH or RCH, and numbers competing.

Just a heads up in case this information might be required and/or useful in the near future. Best of luck to you all this show season.....travel safe.....and have fun!!

Pete Snyder
District II



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Julie Matthys – Indiana
Dustin Noble – Tennessee
Kirt Schnipke – Ohio
Emily Thompson – Minnesota
Peter Snyder – New York

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MINUTES FROM BALSTON SPA MARCH 13, 2023

Attended

Trudy Lombard Carolyn Reardon

Kathy Kathy Elaine Bartlett

Peter Snyder Irene Decker

Carol Frey Lynn Fleming

Tom Regula Robert Wentz

Larry Dowe Seth Moon

Bob Bartholomew Danielle Carolei

Doni DeVincent Laura A. Lee

Caitlyn Hanlon Was another person but couldn't read

Trudy read the minutes Carol Frey made motion to accept Larry Dowe 2nd

Kathy Kelly read treasurer's report Larry Dowe made motion to accept Carol Frey 2nd

Show report: show is at NYS Fair grounds on June 10, 2023 starts at 9 am judges are for State

Jackson Noble and for central Richard Grossman

Carol Frey made motion for \$200 to buy pizza for kids in showmanship Friday night

Youth Committee is reviewing qualifying for youth to participate at fair

Open show judge at the NYS Fair will be Jennifer Lohman- Peterson We will have our Goat Pavillion this year

Daniella is redoing the Website and it looks fantastic. Thank you for all your hard work.

Person of the year needs to be to Shannon by May 1st

Convention did very well and still getting comments on how great the speakers were

Got a card from Tracy Foster thanking us for our donation to National show

Bob B. made motion to donate \$250 to National show Larry D. 2nd

Doni made motion to donate \$1000 to Jen Strickland scholarship Lynn F., 2nd

Buck Show is May 6, 2023 judges Peter Snyder, Paige Warren Tricia Allen Ricotta, and Joanne Carol

Lynn F. made motion to adjourn Carol and Larry 2nd 1:41 pm

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Udder News

July 8 - Progressive DGC Summer show, Rhinebeck, NY. Judges: Yvonne Blosser and Tim Flickinger.
July 9-11 Farmer's Museum Junior livestock Show, Cooperstown, NY. 75th anniversary
July 15-21 - ADGA National Show, Redmond, OR
July 17 - Alleghany County Fair, Angelica, NY. Judge is TBA
July 29 - Clinton County Fair, Mackeyville, PA. Judge is TBA
July 29 - Genesee County Fair, Batavia, NY. Judge is Pete Snyder
July 30 - Southern Adirondack club show, Greenwich, NY. Judge is TBA
July 30 - Otsego County Fair, Morris, NY. Judge is TBA
August 5 - Laurel Highlands DGA, Somerset, PA. Judge is TBA
August 12 - Chenango County Fair, Norwich, NY. Judge- George Andrew
August 14- Erie County Fair, Hamburg, NY. Judges are Dan Laney and TBA
August 18 Perry County Fair, Newport, PA. Judge is Pete Snyder
August 19 - Wayne County Fair, Palmyra, NY. Judge is Pete Snyder
August 26 - Northumberland County Fair, Sunbury, PA. Judge is Pete Snyder
September 1/2 - New York State Fair, Syracuse, NY. Judge is TBA
September 3 - NYSDGBA meeting, Syracuse, NY.
September 3 -- Fonda Fair, Fonda, NY, Judge is TBA. Contact Marigrace Hoag.
September 23 OR 24 - Niagara Frontier DGA combined and junior doe show. Wyoming County Fair grounds, Pike NY. Contact Michelle Kruger
October 15 - CNYDGS is hosting a seminar on Goat Husbandry topics. This will be presented by Dr. Baxendell DVM at the East Homer Grange, East Homer, NY. RSVP is needed due to limited seats. Contact Kim Harris.
October 17-23 - ADGA Convention and Annual Meeting, Tulsa, OK
October 28-29 - Cornell Sheep and Goat Symposium. Cornell University, Ithaca, NY. Contact Dr. Tatiana Stanton

Check List for the Show

A gentle reminder of a "To Do" list as you are preparing for the first show of the season. I used it for years and always did a quick check when we started preparing for a show. Hope it will be helpful especially for those who are relatively new to showing !

Milking machine, hose and bucket	Small bucket for hand milking	Chairs
Milk stand (bolts in door panel of truck) or free standing.		grain feeders and grain
water buckets	Hose for water	hay feeders
Hay for goats	Bedding hay	Tie chain
Collars on goats	Hoof trimmers	Clippers
Extension cords short and long	3 way outlet	Baby Wipes
Paper towels	snaps for stock panels if used	Show Book
Shovel, rake, tarp for cleanup	Tom-Tom	Camera & phone

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In Memory

I'm very saddened to let everyone know that a dear friend Sue Hyldahl passed away this afternoon from complications resulting from diabetes. Those of you who have been in goats for a while might remember her from her MARSHMEADOW FARM lamanchas from Frewsburg, NY. I have known her for 50 years and she and her first husband Al had some of the very first lamanchas in New York in the early 70's. She was very involved in local clubs and showing her beautiful lamanchas and had many champions. I have many many wonderful memories of this one-of-a-kind grand lady, and as someone described her..... someone that marched to the beat of her own drum! One of the best memories was our trip out to the national show in Oregon in the late 90's. They took a few does and I took my Yolanda.....a loooooong trip across the country and back in their lab van that they used to take their does to the shows. We spent some time in Yellowstone, the Grand Tetons and Mt Rushmore.....a trip I will never forget! Driving through Sturgis, South Dakota, with motorcycles lined up on both sides of the streets with our goats looking out the windows, was a sight I will DEFINITELY not ever forget!!!!

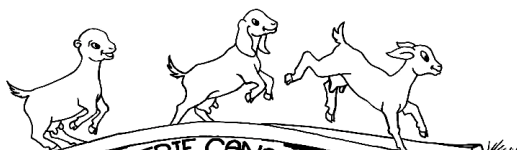


She enjoyed being at the NY state fair for many years where many of you got to know her. She spent some time as Granny Goat reading goat stories to many young fairgoers who stopped long enough to visit with her. For many years she took her herd and crossed the border to show at the Royal Winter Fair in Toronto where she did very well. And she was the announcer for the Royal Goat show for many years afterwards as well. Sadly her husband Al passed away about 25 years ago and she decided to sell the goats a few years later and then moved to Florida close to her sister where she met her second husband Roland, who she enjoyed very much for these remaining years. She was a crackerjack and I will miss my visits with her when I travel to Florida on my judging assignments. RIP my dear friend!



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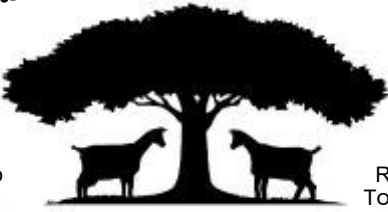



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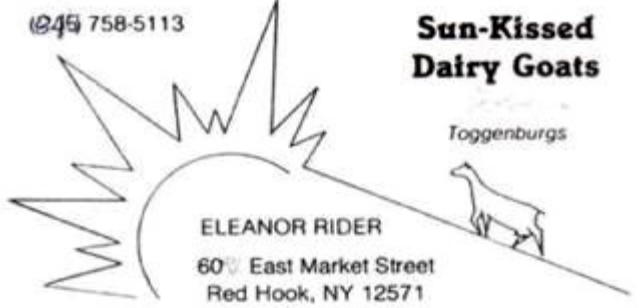
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Any questions please reach out- 518.361.0088- Kathy

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