

# Premier Livestock Exhibitor Guidelines

- The Premier Livestock Exhibitors are chosen from a combination of Skillathon, Showmanship, & Live Animal judging.
- 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, & 3<sup>rd</sup> places are selected in each livestock area: Beef, Dairy, Equine, Goat, Poultry, Rabbit, Sheep, & Swine.
- 1<sup>st</sup> Place = \$50; 2<sup>nd</sup> Place = \$30; 3<sup>rd</sup> Place = \$20

## Goat Guidelines

Goat Award Selection: Skillathon = 40%, Showmanship = 35%, & Live Animal = 25%  
In case of tie: 1<sup>st</sup> option – ties will be broken by bonus points in Skillathon. 2<sup>nd</sup> option – actual Skillathon score. Use the tie-breakers, then if still tied, the Committee will pay the extra award money.

- ✓ **Skillathon Scoring – 40%** 40 possible points  
Youth earn one point for each point earned through Skillathon participation scoring.

Skillathon Cash prizes will be awarded in each age division:

1<sup>st</sup> place=\$10; 2<sup>nd</sup> place=\$5

Skillathon Participation = \$2 fair premium

Skillathon Participation Incentive = plaque from Goat Committees

- ✓ **Showmanship Scoring – 35%** 35 possible points  
Age Divisions: 1<sup>st</sup> year beginner (8-9), Junior (9-11), Intermediate (12-14), Senior (15 and up)  
“A” grade 25 points, plus  
Champion (age division) add 10 points  
Reserve Champion (age division) add 5 points

- ✓ **Live Animal Scoring – 25%** 25 possible points  
“A” grade 10 points, plus  
Grand Champion add 15 points  
Reserve Grand Champion add 10 points  
Champion/Reserve Champion add 5 points