



# So you want to take a Market Goat

Exhibitors are responsible to read and comply with all rules from ODA, Senior Fair Boards and Livestock Committees



**Enrollment Due: April 1<sup>st</sup>**

**Project Book:** #135M Goat Project & Record Book (1<sup>st</sup> year members), or Washington County Livestock Record Book (2<sup>nd</sup> year members and beyond). FFA exhibitors see your advisor for requirements.  
**ALL project books must be in print form and required for skillathon.**

**Resource Guide:** #135R Goat Resource Handbook

**Project Animal Requirements:**

- \*Born after Dec. 1<sup>st</sup>, year before fair, and before April 30<sup>th</sup> fair year
- \*Possession: By Tag-in
- \*Fair weight limits: Min. 60# Maximum 120#
- \*Wethers and does can be used for project animals
- \*Goats may be dehorned but not required

**Pre-Fair Tag-In:**

- \*First Saturday in June, 7-9 am (can tag-in maximum of 3)
- \*Washington County Fairgrounds
- \*Castrated by date of tag in

**Quality Assurance:** Exhibitor and one parent/guardian **must** attend one of the sessions offered in Washington County or any other Ohio County. **See Important Market Livestock Dates in the Junior Fair Activities Guide or 4-H Calendar available at the Extension Office or online at <http://washington.osu.edu> for dates, times and locations.**

**Skillathon:** Skillathon is **required** for exhibitor to be eligible to show and/or sell at the fair. **See Important Market Livestock Dates in the Junior Fair Activities Guide or 4-H Calendar available at the Extension Office or online at <http://washington.osu.edu> for dates, times and locations.**

**Fair:** Washington County Fair (Labor Day Weekend)

**Pen Reservations Due:** Pen reservation information for market animals will be collected at skillathon.

## What happens at the Fair?

<b>Check in</b>	7:00-8:00 pm-Friday (completed online DUNF is required before animals cross the scales)
<b>Buyer Thank you posters</b>	Make a Thank You poster to thank previous buyer. Hang it in the barn. See Jr Fair Guide for details and size.
<b>Classes</b>	To be eligible to <b>SELL</b> , exhibitor <b>must do both</b> Showmanship and Market Classes.
<b>Judging</b>	Sunday <b>See Fair Schedule for dates and times</b>
<b>Pictures</b>	Are required to sell, See Junior Fair Guide for all picture times.
<b>What is the Premier Exhibitor Award?</b>	High scoring exhibitor from skillathon (100 points), showmanship (100 points) & market class placing (50 points)
<b>Sale</b>	Tuesday, <b>See Junior Fair Activities Guide for sale order and time and location</b>
<b>Thank/contact buyers</b>	Thank buyers by note, call or in person at their business after the fair.
<b>Sale Checks</b>	Checks are available for pick up by the exhibitors after payment from buyers has been made. Livestock check pick up dates TBD, for questions about your checks call a 4-H Livestock Committee member.



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