JABGA News

Congratulations to the JABGA Board of Directors that were elected in 2019! Area 1 - Rachel Burke, Area 2 - Natalye Scholl, Area 3 - Eden Basford, Area 4 - no candidate, Area 5 - Clint Demmitt. The JABGA Board approved Morganne Savage to serve in the Area 4 seat for one year.

Congratulations to the Area 3 Indiana JABGA Regional Winners
Top 10 Overall – Matthew Westfall, Eden Basford, Boston Stapleton, Logan Hollen, Brylee Bateman, Aaron Yoakum, Giovanni Beretta, Tanner Dahnke, Rachel Hankes, Cathryn Swartz
Top 5 Junior – Boston Stapleton, Brylee Bateman, Giovanni Beretta, Riley Witherspoon, Cooper Ostrom
Top 5 Intermediate – Matthew Westfall, Tanner Dahnke, Cathryn Swartz, Cannon Wilhoit, Brent Witherspoon
Top 5 Senior – Eden Basford, Logan Hollen, Aaron Yoakum, Rachel Hankes, Tate Bittner

Fitting Contest – (This contest does not count toward Regional Award)
Junior Team - Champion – Brent Witherspoon/ Tanner Dahnke
Reserve – Giovanni Beretta/Eli Chaplain
Senior Team – Champion – Tate Bittner / Evan Trent
Reserve – Aaron Youkum / Ray Duncan

Congratulations to the Area 2 Illinois JABGA Regional Winners
Top 10 Overall – Natalye Scholl, Tanner Dahnke, Giovanni Beretta, Eden Basford, Matthew Westfall, Koltyn DuBose, Riley Witherspoon, Aaron Yoakum, Seth Goodwin, Cathryn Swartz
Top 5 Junior – Giovanni Beretta, Koltyn DuBose, Riley Witherspoon, Briley Bateman, Eli Chaplain
Top 5 Intermediate – Natalye Scholl, Tanner Dahnke, Matthew Westfall, Cathryn Swartz, Evan Trent
Top 5 Senior – Eden Basford, Aaron Yoakum, Seth Goodwin, Cecelia Knott, Rachel Hankes

Fitting Contest – (This contest does not count toward Regional Award)
Junior Team - Champion – Cathryn Swartz / Emma Violet
Reserve – Brent Witherspoon / Tanner Dahnke
Senior Team – Champion – Erica McWhirt / Mackenzie McWhirt
Reserve – Bailey Brumfield / Aaron Yoakum
Congratulations to the Area 3 Eastern Regional JABGA Regional Winners

Top 10 Overall – Cathryn Swartz, Eli Chaplain, Eden Basford, Lane Fitzwater, Logan Hollen, Catherine Miller, Sarah Rehmeyer, Cabell Knotts, Jacob Weist, Jadyn Klinger
Top 5 Junior – Eli Chaplain, Lane Fitzwater, Cabell Knotts
Top 5 Intermediate – Cathryn Swartz, Catherine Miller, Jadyn Klinger, Cannon Wilhoit, Leah Walters
Top 5 Senior – Eden Basford, Logan Hollen, Sarah Rehmeyer, Jacob Weist, Sophia Chaplain

Fitting Contest – (This contest does not count toward Regional Award)
Junior Team - Champion – Leah Walters / Cathryn Swartz
Reserve – Catharine Miller / Alyvia Lankey
Senior Team – Champion – Sophia Chaplin / Lacey Newton
Reserve – Evan Ditzler / Shelvin Arey

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The newly elected ABGA Directors are Region 1 – Madison Fenton, Region 2 – Ken Baty, Region 9 -Deric Wetherell. The Region 8 was a tie vote, so ballots have been sent out again to Region 8 members for another vote. Please remember to vote if you are eligible. The new directors will take their seat at the July Face to Face meeting scheduled for Denver, CO.

Committee appointments will be made at the July meeting. All members are encouraged to become active and consider volunteering to serve on committees that they have a specific interest in, and/or have skills that can contribute to the fulfillment of the committee’s goals. The committee descriptions can be found on the website. CLICK HERE TO VOLUNTEER FOR A COMMITTEE

National Show

Visit us on Facebook:

25th ABGA and JABGA National Show

Updates will be posted in the Facebook group to assist with arrival and other show details.

The address for the National Show is Fonner Park, 700 E Stolley Park Rd, Grand Island, NE 68801. Please enter from E. Fonner Park Road due to the process we will be using upon arrival. The truck event is being held in the parking lot in front of the Cattle Barn so we must enter from the opposite side of the fairgrounds on Saturday and Sunday. When you arrive, you will be directed to a staging line. We realize there will be vehicles arriving overnight on Friday and ask that all vehicles abide by these procedures. Please be sure a driver remains with the vehicle at all times.

Arrival times are Saturday 3 pm - 9 pm, Sunday 8 am - 4 pm, and Monday 8 am - 12 Noon. Arrivals after 12 Noon Sunday and on Monday must unload outside the barn doors. All JABGA exhibitors must arrive and paperwork in the office by 8 pm Saturday.

You must have completed a medication report for each entry and have a paper form of your health certificate to submit to the office upon arrival.
JABGA Contest Schedule
Be sure to review the rules for each of the contests so you are prepared.

**Sunday**
- Public Speaking - 8 am to 12 pm
  - Topics:
    - Junior Division: How do you tell if your goat is sick?
    - Intermediate: How do you administer medications to your goats?
    - Senior: How do you maintain a proper vaccination and deworming program?

**Sunday**
- Skillathon - 8 am to 12 pm
- Sales Talk - 3 pm to 6 pm

**Monday**
- Goat Judging - 3 pm
  - Senior Reasons follow contest

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NOTE:
The American Boer Goat Association Facebook page cannot answer questions specific to member accounts. If you need information about your account, you must contact the office.

There will be 2 separate Silent Auctions at the National Show. We will continue to have the Live Auction at the Banquet on Wednesday. All the proceeds will go to the JABGA General Fund. If you wish to donate an item, please bring to the National Show.

Monday is the BBQ Contest. Cooking is done during the day, and judging will be 6:30-8:30. Contest guidelines are available under Exhibitor Info tab on the National Show Site.

Tuesday is the Elite Doe Sale and presentation of Ennoblements beginning at 6 pm.

The End Cap and Pen Decorating judging will be Wednesday at noon. Decorate using the Show Theme “Keeping the Drive Alive for 25”.

Wednesday evening begins with the ABGA General Membership meeting at 6 pm. You do not have to buy a ticket for the banquet to attend the meeting. At 6:30 pm, we will begin our evening of recognition. You may purchase tickets for $15 at the National Show, if tickets are available.

**ABGA / JABGA SANCTIONED SHOWS**

June 2019
- 6/9-11 – JABGA NATIONAL SHOW – Grand Island, NE
- 6/12-14 – ABGA NATIONAL SHOW – Grand Island, NE
- 6/15 – Pike Co Classic – Piketon, OH
- 6/21 – Shasta District Fair – Anderson, CA
- 6/22 – Butler County Boer Goat Classic – Hamilton, OH
- 6/22 – Walton Co. FFA Alumni Boer Goat Show – Monroe, GA
- 6/22-23 – Keystone Classic Boer Goat Show – Elizabethtown, PA
- 6/22-23 – New England Boer Bash – Topsham, ME
- 6/29 – IBGC #4 – Argos, IN
- 6/29 – MPC Red, White, Black – St Paul, NE
- 6/29-30 – Firecracker Classic – Kearneysville, West Virginia
- 6/29-30 – Little Sioux Showdown – Spencer, IA
- 6/29-30 – The Summer Shindig – New Plymouth, ID
- 6-30 – Henry County Fair – Cambridge, IL

July 2019
- 7/4 – Schuyler Co. Fair – Rushville, IL
- 7/6 – Bluestone Boer Bash – Walton, NY
- 7/6 – Doddridge County Backwoods Showdown – West Union, WV
- 7/6-7 – 49r Jubilee – Angels Camp, California
- 7/6-7 – OBGA Summer Classic – Guthrie, OK
- 7/13 – Franklin Co. Show – Hilliard, OH
- 7/13 – Stephenson Co. Fair – Freeport, IL
- 7/13-14 – All Iowa Boer Goat Show – West Union, IA
- 7/13-14 – Great American BGS – Corvallis, OR
- 7/13-14 – Preble Co. Battle – Eaton, OH

**UPCOMING SALES**
- 6/9 – National Elite Doe Sale – (Grand Island, NE)
- 6/29 – Boers by Hobby 17th Annual Sale (Modesto, CA)