

## BLUEGRASS PERFORMANCE INVITATIONAL

The Bluegrass Performance Invitational Premier Buck and Doe Sale will be held September 2-3, 2016 at Lakeview Park in Frankfort, KY. The sale will feature approximately 65 animals from the top performance testing herds in the country, regardless of breed or registry affiliation. All consignors will be participants in the 2016 Maryland Buck test. Two of the 2015 Top 10 bucks will be offered for sale, Maryland test id # 505 and 556.

The Western Maryland Pasture Based Meat Goat Performance Test is sponsored by [University of Maryland Extension](#) and is conducted at the [Western Maryland Research & Education Center](#) in Keedysville, Maryland. While on test, the goats consume a pasture-only diet and are evaluated for growth, parasite resistance, and parasite resilience. For more information regarding the buck performance test, please visit <http://mdgoattest.blogspot.com/>

If you would like to add outstanding performing genetics to your herd this is the place to be. For additional information on this premier buck and doe sale visit [www.bluegrassperformanceinvitational.com](http://www.bluegrassperformanceinvitational.com) or contact: Jarred Dennison 502-875-8857 or [Jarred@jdranchkikos.com](mailto:Jarred@jdranchkikos.com)

### Friday September 2

3:00 – 7:00	Registration, meet the consignors, and preview the goats. Several of our consignors have been participating in performance testing for many years and welcome the opportunity to share their experiences. A sampling of goat meat dishes will be provided compliments of the consignors.
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### Saturday September 3

8:00	Registration Begins
8:30 – 9:30	Production Benchmarks and Changes in Performance Over Time by Ken Andries, Ph.D., Kentucky State University
9:30 – 10:30	TSU Research Update: Multi-year Analysis on the Savanna and Creep Projects by Richard Browning, Ph.D. Tennessee State University
10:30 – 11:00	Break
11:00 – 12:00	TSU Research Update: Multi-year Analysis on the Savanna and Creep Projects by Richard Browning, Ph.D. Tennessee State University
12:00 – 1:00	Lunch break Complimentary lunch courtesy of the National Kiko Registry
1:00	Bluegrass Performance Sale