KENTUCKY GOAT PRODUCER ASSOCIATION YOUTH POINTS AWARD PROGRAM 2017 RULES

- 1. In order to receive points, a youth exhibitor must be a current member of KGPA: Youth (\$20) or added to a current family membership (additional \$5.00) **prior to the show from which he or she receives points.**
- 2. Youth members will compete for points based on the member's age as of January 1, 2017 for Novice (8 years and younger as of 1/1/17) Junior (9 to 12 years as of 1/1/17), Intermediate (13-16 as of 1/1/17) and Senior (17 to 21 years as of 1/1/17). Points will be totaled from the following forms: Video, KY Proud, Leadership & Community Service, Showmanship, and Show Placings.
- 3. **VIDEO CONTEST:** Each youth <u>MUST</u> turn in a short 5 minute video to be qualified for the youth points program. Youth will be awarded 20 points for doing this video, topic to be "What My Goat Project Has Taught Me". Videos will be judged in each age division and given additional points for top three videos in each division. (1st: 25, 2nd: 20, 3rd: 15 points.) <u>Video must be emailed to Kentucky Goat</u> Producers Youth Chairman, Beth Johnson, (bethc.johnson@ky.gov) by September 17, 2017.
- 4. **KENTUCKY PROUD POINTS** -- Points are given for promotion of Kentucky Bred Market Goats. Complete form for "2017 KY PROUD GOATS" and <u>mail by June 30, 2017</u>.
- 5. **LEADERSHIP & COMMUNITY SERVICE** -- Points are given for activities involving goats and/or goat products. Complete form for "2017 KGPA LEADERSHIP & COMMUNITY SERVICE" and **mail by September 15, 2017**.
- 6. **SHOWMANSHIP POINTS AWARDS** -- points will be calculated at the KDA District/Livestock Expo shows as follows:
 - 1st 10 points, 2nd 9 points, 3rd 8 points, 4th 7 points, 5th 6 points
- <u>Overall Showmanship Winner</u>: Additional 5 points. All other placings will receive 3 points. These points will accumulate for individual awards.
- 7. **SHOWING MARKET/COMMERCIAL DOES** -- points will be accumulated on the **two (2) highest** market/commercial doe placing at each of the KDA District goat shows/expos (**except KY state fair two highest market/commercial doe points are listed below).** Need to check the rules for each show on number of goats, which may be shown. Points will be calculated as follows:
 - 1st 10 points, 2nd 9 points, 3rd 8 points, 4th 7 points, 5th 6 points
 - 6th 5 points, 7th 4 points, 8th 3 points, 9th 2 points, 10th 1 point

Additional five (5) points will be given for MARKET GOAT/COMMERCIAL DOE CHAMPION and additional three (3) points will be given for MARKET GOAT/COMMERCIAL DOE RESERVE CHAMPION.

<u>Kentucky State Fair</u> class points will be as follows:

- 1st 15 points, 2nd 14 points, 3rd 13 points, 4th 12 points, 5th 11 points
- 6th 10 points, 7th 9 points, 8th 8 points, 9th 7 points, 10th 6 point

All others in ring will receive 3 points.

<u>POINT SHOWS</u> -- All KDA District goat shows, Kentucky State Fair and KDA Breeding/Market Goat Show – A complete list of shows will be on the form. The Show/Showmanship form must be completed and <u>mailed by September 15, 2017</u>.

<u>Questions????</u> Contact Beth Johnson, DVM at <u>bethc.johnson@ky.gov</u>, or 859-583-5655(C), 859-332-2270(H).