



TEXAS LIVESTOCK

— VALIDATION —

SHEEP AND GOAT VALIDATION PROCEDURES

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THIS IS A BRIEF EXPLANATION OF THE
SHEEP AND GOAT VALIDATION
PROCEDURES. FOR MORE DETAILS
REGARDING VALIDITION, PLEASE REFER TO
THE TEXAS 4-H/FFA SHEEP AND GOAT
VALIDATION PROGRAM GUIDELINES.

IMPORTANT DATES

STATE FAIR VALIDATION

- ✓ April 1st – tag orders open
- ✓ May 1st – late tag orders begin
- ✓ June 30th – REGISTERED BREEDING SHEEP/GOAT OWNERSHIP DEADLINE
- ✓ June 1st-30th – physical validation period
- ✓ July 8th – ALL VALIDATION MATERIALS MUST BE POSTMARKED AND VALIDATION DATA MUST BE ENTERED ONLINE

MAJOR SHOW VALIDATION

- ✓ Aug. 1st – tag orders open
- ✓ Sept. 1st – late tag orders begin
- ✓ Oct. 1st – REGISTERED BREEDING SHEEP/GOAT OWNERSHIP DEADLINE
- ✓ Oct. 1st-31st – physical validation period
- ✓ Nov. 8th – ALL VALIDATION MATERIALS MUST BE POSTMARKED AND VALIDATION DATA MUST BE ENTERED ONLINE

Before validation...

- Ensure that you have received all the following materials from the Sheep and Goat Validation Office:
 - Validation tags
 - Validation Forms
 - DNA Sample envelopes
 - Nose print cards
 - Ethics Policy – found online and in guidelines



TEXAS 4-H AND FFA SHEEP AND GOAT VALIDATION FORM

County Name _____ County Tattoo # _____ Date _____

Name(s) _____ or _____
(Last) (First) (MI) (Last) (First) (MI)

or _____ or _____
(Last) (First) (MI) (Last) (First) (MI)

or _____ **Family Email Address** _____
(Last) (First) (MI)

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

MARKET LAMB AND GOAT SECTION
 PROJECTS ARE FAMILY VALIDATED

Validation #	TIBA/TGBAA If Applicable	Lamb Breed/ Goat	Validation #	TIBA/TGBAA If Applicable	Lamb Breed/ Goat	Validation #	TIBA/TGBAA If Applicable	Lamb Breed/ Goat

WETHER/COMMERCIAL DAMS AND DOES / BREEDING SHEEP AND GOAT SECTION
 PROJECTS CAN BE FAMILY VALIDATED

Validation #	Exhibitor Name(s)	Breeding Sheep or Goat OR Wether/Commercial Dams or Does	Registration # (If Applicable)	TIBA/TGBAA (Wether/Commercial Dams/Does If Applicable)	Flock Tag / Tattoo

By signing this document, the exhibitor and parent/guardian, recognize his/her responsibilities for the primary and continuous care of livestock projects throughout the feeding period and hereby authorizes the State Validation Coordinator or designated representatives and/or State Validation Compliance Team, supervising AST/CEA, and the "Species Specific County Level State Validation Committee" the right to inspect your livestock project(s), along with any other state validated livestock projects on premises, at any time during the feeding period with or without prior notice. State validated livestock must be made available for inspection at any time requested at the address listed on validation record or any other property (public or privately owned) where the livestock may be located. Failure to make inspection available as requested will constitute a violation of validation rules and may lead to disqualification of the livestock in question and any other validated livestock. Additionally, any exhibitor in violation of the primary and continuous daily care rule is subject to disqualification. **ATTENTION:** Exhibitor, parent/guardian, supervising teacher/agent, and committee members are equally responsible for making sure sheep/goats are validated properly and that all information found on this validation form is correct. It should be noted that validation is a proof of ownership as required by major livestock shows in Texas. It does NOT automatically enter exhibitors in a major livestock show or county show.

Exhibitor Signature(s) _____
 Validation Chairman Signature _____
 Supervising CEA/VAT Signature _____
 Parent or Guardian Signature _____ Print Name _____

**TEXAS 4-H & FFA VALIDATION
HAIR SAMPLE**

DATE	COUNTY NAME OR NO.	SPECIES	EAR NOTCHES
			TAG NO./UIN
			REPL. TAG NO.

EXHIBITOR PRINTED NAME(S)* _____
 EXHIBITOR SIGNATURE(S)* _____
 PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN SIGNATURE _____ SUPERVISING CEA/VAT SIGNATURE _____
 TECHNICIAN PRINTED NAME _____ TECHNICIAN SIGNATURE _____

Please obtain at least 40 hairs with the follicles intact (do not cut). Avoid contamination with other hair samples and keep dry. Sign and seal envelope in the presence of exhibitor. It should be noted that validation is a proof of ownership as required by major livestock shows in Texas. It does NOT automatically enter exhibitors in a major livestock show or county show.
 *Breeding animals must be validated according to individual show rules.

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NAME(S) _____
VALIDATION # _____
BREED _____
COUNTY # _____

Before validation...

- You will need to gather:

- Ear tagger(s)
- Tattoo pliers, numbers, and ink (green)
- Pliers to pull DNA samples
- Ink pad(s) for nose prints (blue or red)
- Disinfectant for equipment
- Paper towels/rags



Validation Form

- Completed at validation by CEA or AST
- Must include all the following information:
 - County name
 - County Tattoo #
 - Date
 - Exhibitor name(s)
 - Family email address
 - Address and phone number
 - Validation information for each animal validated
 - Signatures for EACH exhibitor
 - Signature for Validation Chairperson
 - Signature for CEA/AST
 - Signature for parent/guardian

TEXAS 4-H AND FFA SHEEP AND GOAT VALIDATION FORM

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Name(s) _____ or _____
(Last) (First) (MI) (Last) (First) (MI)

or _____ or _____
(Last) (First) (MI) (Last) (First) (MI)

or _____ **Family Email Address** _____
(Last) (First) (MI)

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

MARKET LAMB AND GOAT SECTION
 PROJECTS ARE FAMILY VALIDATED

Validation #	TLBA/TGBA# If Applicable	Lamb Breed/ Goat	Validation #	TLBA/TGBA# If Applicable	Lamb Breed/ Goat	Validation #	TLBA/TGBA# If Applicable	Lamb Breed/ Goat

WETHER/COMMERCIAL DAMS AND DOES / BREEDING SHEEP AND GOAT SECTION
 PROJECTS CAN BE FAMILY VALIDATED

Validation #	Exhibitor Name(s)	Breeding Sheep or Goat OR Wether/Commercial Dam or Doe	Registration # (If Applicable)	TLBA/TGBA# (Wether/Commercial Dam/Doe If Applicable)	Flock Tag / Tattoo

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Exhibitor Signature(s) _____

Validation Chairman Signature _____

Supervising CEA/VAT Signature _____

Parent or Guardian Signature _____ Print Name _____

Validation Form

TEXAS 4-H AND FFA SHEEP AND GOAT VALIDATION FORM

County Name Tom Green County Tattoo # 226 Date 10/15/2022

Name(s) Goebel Dottie M or Goebel Lauren A
(Last) (First) (MI) (Last) (First) (MI)

or Scott Robert W or _____
(Last) (First) (MI) (Last) (First) (MI)

or _____ Family Email Address txlambgoatval@ag.tamu.edu
(Last) (First) (MI)

Address 123 Tom Green Rd City San Angelo Zip 76904 Phone 325.657.7323

- Be sure each eligible exhibitor is listed.
- *Family Email Address* – important it is correct and checked often
 - You will enter this email address in the online validation system for the family; each family will receive a receipt for each entry submitted.
 - Exhibitors should double check the information included in the receipt received is correct.

Validation Form

MARKET LAMB AND GOAT SECTION

PROJECTS ARE FAMILY VALIDATED

Validation #	TLBA/TGBA# If Applicable	Lamb Breed/ Goat	Validation #	TLBA/TGBA# If Applicable	Lamb Breed/ Goat	Validation #	TLBA/TGBA# If Applicable	Lamb Breed/ Goat
92020	2870	SD	92026	0123	Goat			
92021	2871	SD	92027	0124	Goat			
92022	4374	FW	92028	N/A	Goat			
92023	5678	FWX						
92024	3112	MW						
92025	3113	MW						

- This section is used for MARKET ANIMALS ONLY!
- You should include:
 - 5-digit validation tag number
 - TLBA # or TGBA # (if applicable)
 - Specify lamb breed or goat
 - Including the breed of lamb is to make identification of a lamb that loses a tag easier; this does not clarify what breed the lamb will show as at a major show.

*Wether/Commercial dams or does that are included in this section will **not** be enrolled in the Breeding Roll-Over Program.*

Validation Form

WETHER/COMMERCIAL DAMS AND DOES / BREEDING SHEEP AND GOAT SECTION
PROJECTS CAN BE FAMILY VALIDATED

Validation #	Exhibitor Name(s)	Breeding Sheep or Goat OR Wether/Commercial Dam or Doe	Registration # (If Applicable)	TLBA/TGBA# (Wether/Commercial Dam/Doe If Applicable)	Flock Tag / Tattoo
92029	Dottie or Lauren Goebel or Robert S	W Dam	N/A	2671	226
92030	Robert Scott	BS	E2601111	N/A	516
92031	Dottie or Lauren Goebel	BS	R5128796	N/A	211
92032	Dottie or Lauren Goebel or Robert S	W Doe	N/A	4115	226
92032	Dottie Goebel	BG	787956234	N/A	BR5/1234

- This section is for BREEDING ANIMALS ONLY!
- You should include:
 - 5-digit validation tag number
 - Name of Exhibitor(s) that are eligible to exhibit the project
 - Wether/Commercial dams/does are considered family validated, like a market animal, unless specified otherwise.
 - Specify Breeding Sheep or Goat, Wether/Commercial Dam or Doe
 - Registration # - only used for Registered Breeding Sheep and Goats
 - TLBA # or TGBA # (if applicable) - only used for Wether/Commercial Dams and Does
 - Flock Tag - Registered Breeding Sheep / Tattoo - everything else

Validation Form

- ALL SIGNATURES MUST BE COMPLETED AT THE TIME OF VALIDATION
 - Each exhibitor listed at the top of the *Validation Form* MUST sign the *Validation Form* as an exhibitor.
 - If the Validation Chairperson is the Supervising CEA/AST, please have the Co-Chair sign as the chairperson.
- **INITIALS ARE NOT ACCEPTED AS SIGNATURES!**
- Exhibitors and parents should sign the *Validation Form* **AFTER** validation is complete. **DO NOT REQUIRE FAMILIES TO SIGN THE VALIDATION FORM PRIOR TO VALIDTION.** Their signature verifies that validation of those animals was completed correctly.

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Exhibitor Signature(s) Dottie Goebel Lauren Goebel Robert Scott

Validation Chairman Signature Josh Blaneck

Supervising CEA/VAT Signature Marty Gibbs

Parent or Guardian Signature Bob Goebel Print Name Bob Goebel

Ethics Policy

- **ONLY ONE EXHIBITOR PER FORM**
- Must include all the following information:
 - Physical Address – where livestock is housed
 - Exhibitor Mailing Address
 - Exhibitor name and signature
 - Family email address
 - Parent/Guardian name and signature
 - Supervising CEA/AST name and signature
 - Validation Chairman name and signature
 - FFA Chapter/County 4-H Name
 - County Name



2022-2023 TEXAS 4-H/FFA LIVESTOCK PROGRAM ETHICS POLICY

(Updated April 2022)



This ethics policy applies to any 4-H/FFA member planning to exhibit animals at livestock shows in Texas. All classes of livestock offered at the livestock event are included: Cattle, Goats, Sheep, Swine, and any other livestock classes offered. This "Texas 4-H/FFA Livestock Program Ethics Policy" will be enhanced with additional rules and guidelines which individual fairs and livestock shows adhere to on the local, county, regional, and state levels. The provisions contained in this policy do not constitute a contract, express or implied, between Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service, Texas 4-H, Inc., or Texas FFA and any applicant, participant, or parent. Additionally, the terms and conditions contained herein do not create or expand legal rights already existing under the law.

4-H and FFA livestock project exhibitors are under the supervision of an Agricultural Science Teacher or County Extension Agent who serves as the advisor for that project. The Major Livestock Shows of Texas support the educational content and leadership provided by the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service, and the Texas Education Agency/ATAT. Also, the Texas Major Livestock Shows fully support the administrative authority of Agricultural Science Teachers and County Extension Agents to certify the fulfillment of all validation protocols and appropriate paperwork between the exhibitor, Texas 4-H/Texas FFA, the major livestock shows and the supervising educator. Exhibiting livestock is a privilege, and exhibitors must comply with this document and respect the authority granted to his/her supervisor.

The following practices or procedures are unacceptable and are defined as being deceptive, fraudulent, unethical, and inhumane in the care, fitting, preparation and showing of all classes of livestock. The use of any illegal drug is prohibited. Any practice used to alter the appearance of an animal entered in livestock events is prohibited (See Rule #9 & #10). Proof of any animal being subjected to illegal and/or unethical practice(s) and/or procedure(s) described herein subjects the animal to immediate disqualification from the state validation program. If a violation is found of any of the following rules, this may result in a cancelled validation record or future validation records.

All 4-H/FFA exhibitors must follow these rules to enter livestock at organized competitive events.

1. Exhibitors must be bona fide members of a 4-H Club or FFA Chapter in the State of Texas and be in good standing and eligible to compete in accordance with each respective organization. The exhibitor must care for their animals under the direct supervision of a County Extension Agent or Agricultural Science Teacher. Exhibitors must be enrolled in, and attending, public or private and/or home school elementary or secondary schools in Texas. Exhibitors must be Texas residents. State validated livestock must be housed and cared for in Texas.
2. County-Level State Validation serves as proof of ownership for state validated livestock. Market animals (Beef, Sheep, Swine, Goats) must be owned and under exhibitor's daily care by the following deadline dates: June 30 – All major Steers and State Fair/HOT Fair Lambs, Goats, Swine; October 31 – Lambs and Goats; November 30 – Swine; to be eligible to participate at any major livestock show within Texas. For breeding animals, the official ownership date is the date reflected on the registration papers. This date is the specific date for each breed of record as recognized by the validation program. (Individual show rules may determine ownership requirements for non-market animals.) Registered breeding heifers must show the exhibitor as the sole owner of the animal on the breed association papers. Breeding animals with additional registration papers within the breed association of validation record or in another breed association may be evaluated for multiple ownership. If additional registration papers are found active within an association indicating ownership information conflicting with the exhibitor's sole ownership designation, the breeding animal may be considered multiple-owned and subject to disqualification. Breeding animal validation deadlines dates: June 30 – Spring Heifer Validation, State Fair and Heart of Texas Breeding Gilts, State Fair Market Lambs and Goats and Breeding Sheep and Goats; October 31 – Market Lambs and Goats, Wether Dams and Does, Breeding Sheep and Goats (October 1 ownership); November 1 – Fall Heifer Validation and November 30 – Registered and Crossbred Gilts for San Antonio Livestock Show, San Angelo Stock Show, Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, and Texas' Elite Showcase.
3. To gain the life skills developed through the livestock project; exhibitors must be closely engaged in the continuous feeding, maintenance, training, grooming and overall welfare of his/her animals. Exhibitors and immediate family/guardians are responsible for providing the primary and continuous daily care of livestock projects throughout the validation period. The validation period begins immediately following the county-level state validation date (not the validation deadline date listed previously) through exhibition at all livestock shows (*exhibitors must provide continuous care for breeding heifers, sheep, swine and goats throughout the animal's eligibility to show*). Facilities and location/space are a major determining factor in livestock species selection by the exhibitor. In some instances, it may be in the best interest of the exhibitor and his/her learning experience to select a species project that is best suited for his/her facilities and feasibility of housing projects.

a. **4-H and FFA livestock project exhibitors are under the supervision of an Agricultural Science Teacher or County Extension**
2022-2023 Ethics Policy

Ethics Policy

- Physical address MUST be where the livestock are kept. If this changes at any time during the feeding period, the County-Level Validation Chairperson MUST be notified immediately, and a Change of Address Form must be completed and submitted to state office.
- This address must be approved by the local validation committee.

2022-2023 Texas 4-H/FFA Livestock Program Ethics Policy Acknowledgement/Signature Form

I, the parent/guardian and exhibitor, am verifying that I have read the "Texas 4-H/FFA Livestock Program Ethics Policy" and understand the consequences of and penalties involved for illegal, unethical, inhumane, and unfair practices in livestock competition. I am also verifying knowledge that my family and I may be prohibited from future participation in organized validation programs in the State of Texas and could face possible criminal prosecution and/or civil penalties if implicated in any of the aforementioned acts.

ATTENTION: Please list the address the livestock will be housed below. The address where the animal(s) will be located should be approved by the local validation committee. If a housing address change occurs during the feeding period, the exhibitor is responsible for notifying their supervising CEA/AST who-in-turn must notify the county-level state validation committee for approval. It will be the responsibility of the county-level state validation chair to notify the State Specie Specific Validation Chair of the address upon arrival.

IMPORTANT: Only one exhibitor per form.

123 Tom Greed Rd

Physical Address (Livestock Housing)

P.O. Box 10601

Exhibitor Mailing Address

San Angelo

City

San Angelo

City

76904

Zip Code

76904

Zip Code

Ethics Policy

- ONLY ONE EXHIBITOR PER ETHICS POLICY FORM
- By signing this form, the exhibitor and parent/legal guardian are acknowledging that they have read the *Texas 4-H/FFA Livestock Program Ethics Policy* and understand the consequences of and penalties involved for illegal, unethical, inhumane, and unfair practices in livestock competition.
- **INITIALS ARE NOT ACCEPTED AS SIGNATURES!**

Signatures of Acknowledgement: These signatures verify you have read the 2022-2023 Texas 4-H/FFA Livestock Program Ethics Policy in its entirety (Pages 1-3). Please return this page completed and signed.

Dottie Goebel *Dottie Goebel* 10/15/2022
Exhibitor (Printed Name) Exhibitor (Signature) Date

Exhibitor Family Email Address: txlambgoatval@ag.tamu.edu

Bob Goebel *Bob Goebel* 10/15/2022
Parent/Guardian (Printed Name) Parent/Guardian (Signature) Date

Ethics Policy

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Marty Gibbs
Supervising CEA/AST (Printed Name)

Marty Gibbs
Supervising CEA/AST (Signature)

10/15/2022
Date

Josh Blaneck
Validation Chairman (Printed Name)

Josh Blaneck
Validation Chairman (Signature)

10/15/2022
Date

Tom Green County 4-H
FFA Chapter and/or County 4-H Name

Tom Green
County Name

State Validation Deadline Dates (These are state deadlines only, local deadlines take priority over the dates listed below):

State Fair and Heart of Texas:

June 30 for steers, heifers, lambs, goats, breeding sheep and goats, and swine

All Other Major Shows:

June 30 for steers

October 31 for lambs and goats

October 31 breeding sheep and goats

November 1 breeding heifers

November 30 for swine

DNA Sample Envelope

- ONE DNA SAMPLE MUST BE SUBMITTED FOR EACH ANIMAL VALIDATED

TEXAS 4-H & FFA VALIDATION HAIR SAMPLE

10/15/2022 Tom Green 226 Mkt Lamb

DATE COUNTY NAME OR NO. SPECIES

Dottie Goebel, Lauren Goebel, Robert Scott

EAR NOTCHES	
TAG NO./UIN	92020
REPL. TAG NO.	

EXHIBITOR PRINTED NAME(S)*

Dottie Goebel *Lauren Goebel* *Robert Scott*

EXHIBITOR SIGNATURE(S)*

Bob Goebel

Marty Gibbs

PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

Whitney Whitsel

SUPERVISING CEA/VAT SIGNATURE

Whitney Whitsel

TECHNICIAN PRINTED NAME

TECHNICIAN SIGNATURE

Please obtain at least 40 hairs with the follicles intact (do not cut). Avoid contamination with other hair samples and keep dry. Sign and seal envelope in the presence of exhibitor. It should be noted that validation is a proof of ownership as required by major livestock shows in Texas. It does NOT automatically enter exhibitors in a major livestock show or county show.

****Breeding animals must be validated according to individual show rules.***

DNA Sample Envelope

- **Double and triple check that the tag number recorded on the DNA sample envelope matches the tag number in the animal's ear.**
- ALL SIGNATURES MUST BE COMPLETED AT THE TIME OF VALIDATION
- If an animal is family validated, each exhibitor listed at the top of the *Validation Form* MUST be listed on each DNA envelope and MUST sign each DNA envelope.
 - All market animals are considered family validated if more than one exhibitor is listed at the top of the *Validation Form*.
- Each DNA sample envelope must include a signature from:
 - Each exhibitor eligible to exhibit the project
 - Parent/guardian
 - Supervising CEA/AST
 - Technician
- **INITIALS ARE NOT ACCEPTED AS SIGNATURES!**

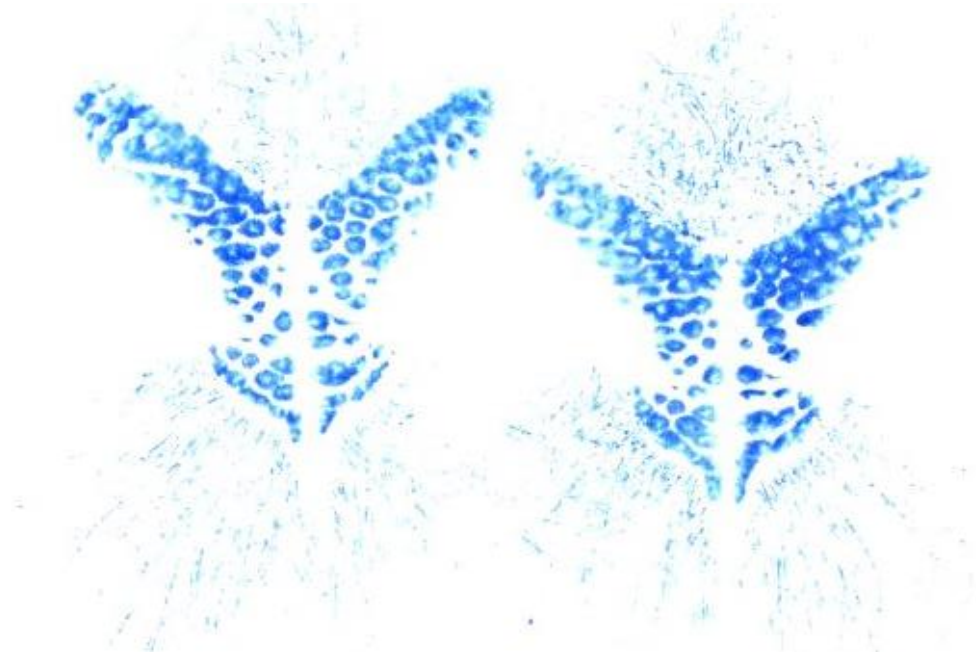
DNA Sample Procedures

- Record all information required on the DNA sample envelope.
- Remove hair from the hair-line of the foot with bent needle nose pliers.
 - **The main concern in collecting hair samples is that the root bulb **MUST** be attached to the hair.**
- Each sample must contain approximately 40 hair follicles, this should be accomplished in about 4 pulls of hair.
 - *DO NOT CUT THE HAIR TO OBTAIN A SAMPLE.*
 - Do not touch the follicles and be sure to clean the pliers between animals.
- Double check all information on the envelope is correct once you have collected the DNA sample.
- All signatures should be collected after the hair sample has been pulled, placed in the envelope, and the envelope has been sealed.
 - DNA samples should be pulled in front of the exhibitor(s) and his/her parent/legal guardian.

Nose Print Card

- TWO LEGIBLE NOSE PRINTS PER CARD (ON SAME SIDE), TWO CARDS PER LAMB

NAME(S) Dottie or Lauren Goebel or Robert Scott
VALIDATION # 92020
BREED Southdown
COUNTY # 226



Nose Print Cards

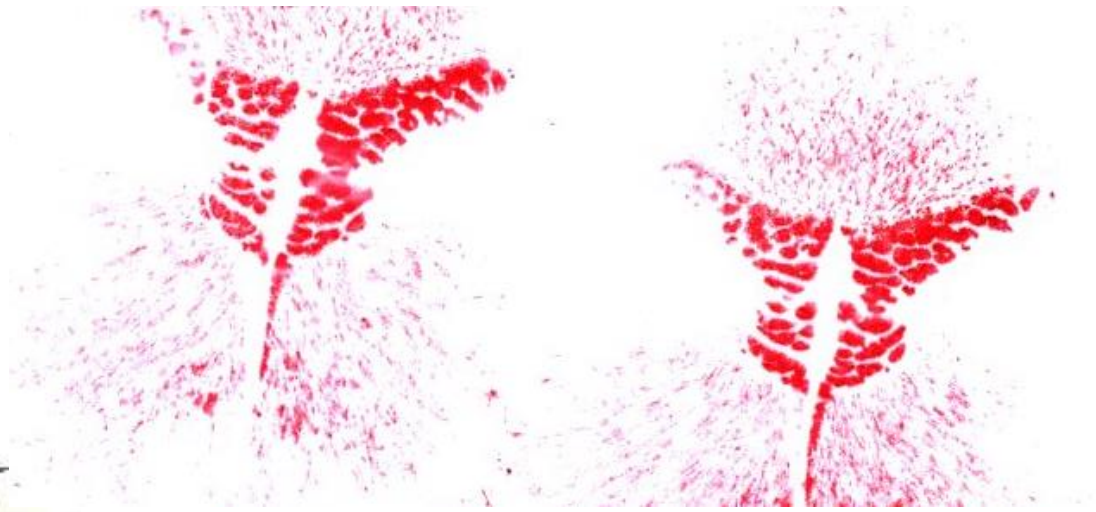
- Double and triple check that the tag number recorded on the nose print card matches the tag number in the animal's ear.
- **Make sure that nose prints are CLEAR and LEGIBLE.**
 - Nose prints should not be smeared or smudged.
- Nose prints should be dark. It is hard to read light nose prints once they are scanned.
- You should keep one nose print card for your records and send one nose print card to the Sheep and Goat Validation Office.
- Acceptable Nose Prints
 - Individual dots are easy to identify on both nose prints. To ensure that you have acceptable nose prints, you should be able to match the nose prints on both cards.
- Unacceptable Nose Prints
 - Individual dots are **not** easy to identify. If you are getting a print that is smeared or too light, start over with cleaning the nose and reapplying ink.

Nose Print Procedures

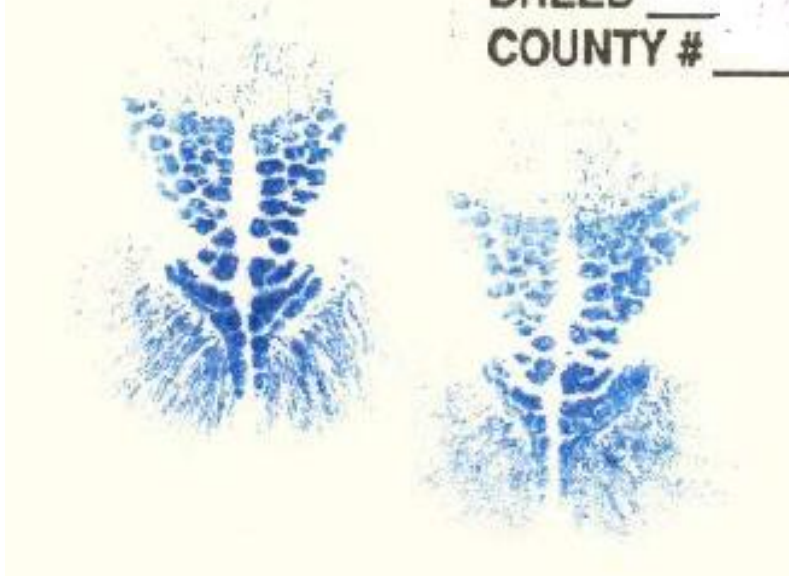
Only required for sheep.

- Record all the required information on the nose print card.
- Clean the nose of any nasal mucus, dirt, or feed materials before applying ink. You want to ensure the nose is DRY before applying ink.
 - For best results, use Carter's Pre-Inked Micropore Stamp Pad TM (Blue or Red Colored Ink shows up the best).
- Quickly touch the card to the animal's nose consecutively to collect two nose prints on the card. For best results, have extra cards behind the card you are recording the nose prints on for support.
 - TWO NOSE PRINTS PER CARD – NOSE PRINTS MUST BE LEGIBLE
 - TWO CARDS PER ANIMAL
- You can have too much ink on the nose, which will result in a smudged or not legible print! Lightly dab the nose with the ink pad and then quickly touch the card to the nose to collect the prints.
- Double check all information once you have collected nose prints on both cards.

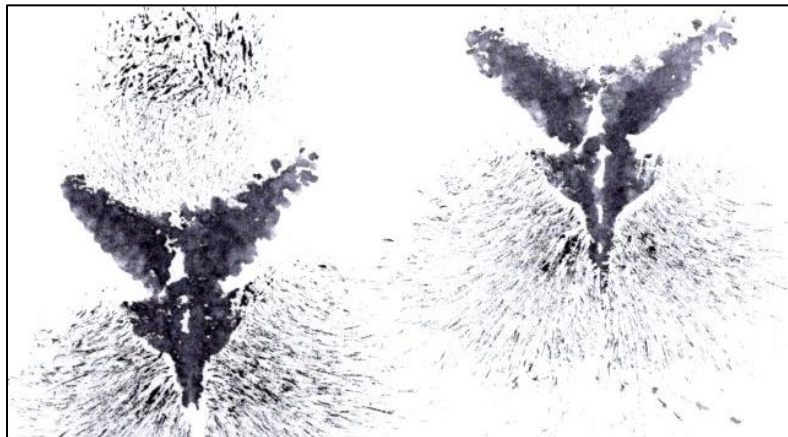
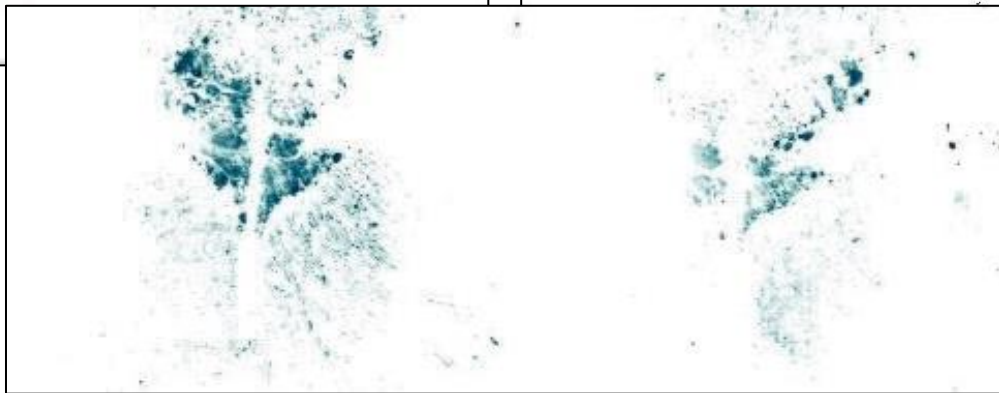
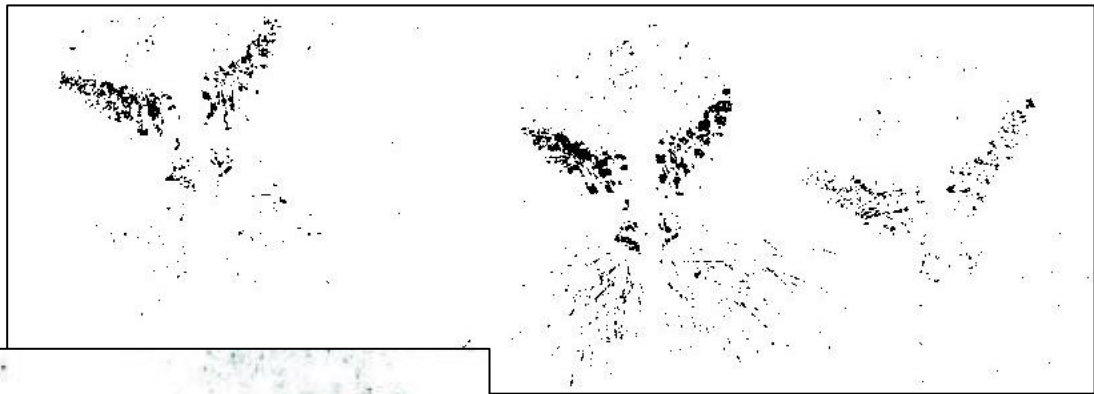
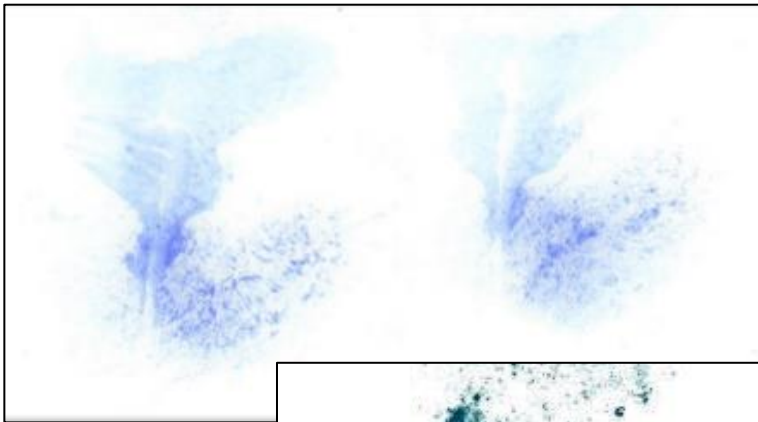
Acceptable Nose Prints



BREED _____
COUNTY # _____

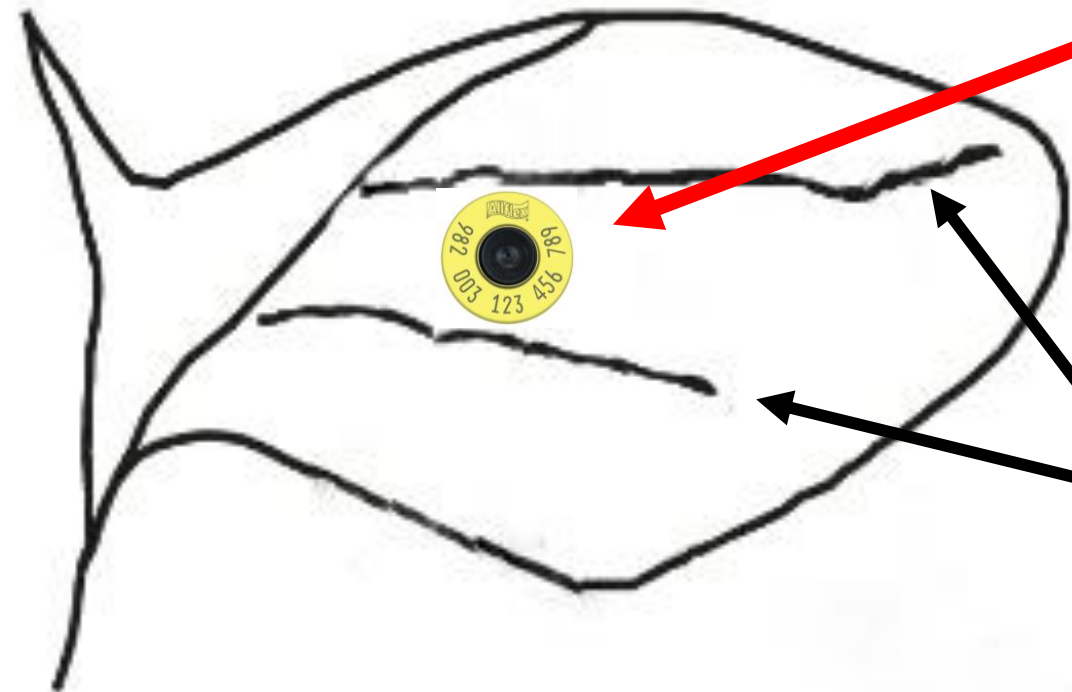


Unacceptable Nose Prints



Ear Tag Placement

- Look for the mid-rib, *between* the rises of cartilage, in the center of the ear, you will place the ear tag in the inner one-third of the mid-rib of the ear.
 - You want to ensure that you do not hit a vein while tagging the animal.
- Clean the left ear with disinfectant where the ear tag will be placed to help minimize infections.



State validation tag should be placed in the animal's left ear. The EID button should be placed on the inside of the ear, and the visual tag number on the back side of the ear.

Cartilage ribs

Make sure the last five digits of the EID button match the visual tag number!

Loading the Tagging Pliers

- Remove the state validation tag and EID button from the package and ensure that the tag number corresponds to the last five digits of the EID button.
- Place the tag on the male end of the tagging pliers and the EID button on the female end of the tagging pliers.
- Disinfect tagging pliers and tag between every animal.

State validation tag



EID button



Make sure the last five digits of the EID button match the visual tag number!

DO NOT REMOVE ANY TAGS

- Texas Sheep and Goat Validation Guidelines **DO NOT** require **removal of tags** from sheep and goats at the time of validation.
- It is unlawful to remove a USDA scrapie tag. **DO NOT REMOVE SCRAPIE TAGS!** The committee should not remove any tags.
- Our only commitment to TLBA and TGBA is to record the associated tag number on the *Validation Form* and the online system.

Plastic Flock ID Tags:



Scrapie 840 RFID Ear Tags:



Metal Flock ID Tags:



Serial Tags:



*All Ear Tags must have the US Shield to be Considered Official

Tattoo Placement

If a tattoo is NOT legible at time of show, the project is subject to disqualification.

- Look for the mid- or lower-rib, *between or beneath* the rise of cartilage, in the center of the ear, you will place the tattoo in the middle of the mid- or lower-rib of the ear.
 - You want to ensure that you do not hit a vein while tattooing the animal.
- Clean the right ear with disinfectant where the tattoo will be placed to help minimize infections.

Your county number should be tattooed in the animal's right ear. The tattoo **MUST be clear and legible at the time of show. For a better tattoo, apply the ink, tattoo the animal, and rub in the ink with a towel or toothbrush.**



ONLY TATTOO MARKET LAMBS/GOATS AND WETHER/COMMERCIAL DAMS/DOES

Acceptable Tattoos



Validating Market Lambs

- Collect DNA
 - Collect one hair sample per animal. Be sure to use a separate envelope for each animal.
- Nose Print
 - Collect two legible nose prints on one side of the nose print card. Collect two nose prints on two cards for each lamb.
- TLBA Tag Information
 - TLBA tags are provided by the breeder and **MUST** be in the lamb's ear at the time of validation.
 - TLBA tags should be in the animal's right ear.
 - San Angelo Stock Show requires all market lambs to have a TLBA tag to be eligible to show.



Validating Market Goats

- Collect DNA
 - Collect one hair sample per animal. Be sure to use a separate envelope for each animal.
- TGBA Tag Information
 - TGBA tags are provided by the breeder and **MUST** be in the goat's ear at the time of validation.
 - TGBA tags should be in the animal's right ear.
 - Beginning in 2024, the San Angelo Stock Show will require all market goats to have a TGBA tag to be eligible to show.



Validating Wether/Commercial Dams

- Collect DNA
 - Collect one hair sample per animal. Be sure to use a separate envelope for each animal.
- Nose Print
 - Collect two legible nose prints on one side of the nose print card. Collect two nose prints on two cards for each lamb.
- TLBA Tag Information
 - TLBA tags are provided by the breeder and **MUST** be in the lamb's ear at the time of validation.
 - TLBA tags should be in the animal's right ear.



Validating Wether/Commercial Does

- Collect DNA
 - Collect one hair sample per animal. Be sure to use a separate envelope for each animal.

- TGBA Tag Information
 - TGBA tags are provided by the breeder and **MUST** be in the goat's ear at the time of validation.
 - TGBA tags should be in the animal's right ear.



Validating Breeding Sheep

• Nose Print

- Collect two legible nose prints on one side of the nose print card. Collect two nose prints on two cards for each sheep.



• Registration Papers

- Registration papers for each registered animal should be checked at validation.
- Verify that registration papers are in the exhibitor's name(s) prior to the ownership deadline.
- Record the registration number on the *Validation Form*.

EW E American Dorper Sheep Breeders' Society **EW E**
REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE

Flock Name and Number	Registration Number	Permanent ID (if any)	Color Type
Icon B C063	EF157284		Dorper

Birth Date	Type of Birth	Service	Embryo	Inspection Type	Percentage
3/15/2021	Twin	Natural Insemination	Not Applicable		Fullblood

SIRE:

Icon 6156 RP107455	13 - Fullblood	Icon B 4218 Icon 1253	RP085951
Upham Ranch 701 RP113602	13 - Fullblood	Icon B 4218 Icon 4237	RP085951 EP095629

DAM:

Icon B 6144 EP107461	13 - Fullblood	Icon 2190 Mason Prowell Ranch 9087	RP061115 EP1075721 RP057436
	13 - Fullblood	Icon 2531 EP083109	Prowell Ranch 6019 TX107773 EP086727

Breeder: Bayle Roeder, 6918 White Oak Rd, Frodochburg TX 78624

Previous Ownership: Bayle Roeder, 6918 White Oak Rd, Frodochburg TX 78624 (6/21/21)
Haley Moore, 6911 Stone Rd 961, Frodochburg TX 78624-6757

Present Ownership: Bayle & Bealle Roeder, 2654 Fairchild Rd, Frodochburg TX 78624 (3/29/22)

Certificate Originally Issued: 9/22/2021 **Re-Issued:** 6/20/2022

The above pedigree is on record in the office of the American Dorper Sheep Breeders' Society.

Ronda Severen
ADSSB Registrar

• Flock Tag

- The flock tag should be in the animal's ear and the number on the tag should correspond to the animal's registration papers.
- Record the flock tag number on the *Validation Form*.



Types of Registration Papers

American Dorper Sheep Breeders' Society

REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE

EW E **EW E**

Flock Name and Number	Registration Number	Permanent ID (if any)	Color Type
Icon B C063	EF157284		Dorper

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SIRE

Icon 6156 EF107455	D - Fullblood	Icon B 4218 RF085951
Upham Ranch 701 RF113692	D - Fullblood	Icon 1253 EF068817

DAM

Icon 3237 RF082784	D - Fullblood	RF 5381 RF061115
Icon B 6144 EF107401	D - Fullblood	Icon 2190 RF075721
Icon y231 EF063192	D - Fullblood	Mansar Powell Ranch 9087 RF057436
		Powell Ranch 6019 TX10777 3 EF040727

Breeder: Brylie Roeder, 6918 White Oak Rd, Fredericksburg TX 78624

Previous Owner(s): Brylie Roeder, 6918 White Oak Rd, Fredericksburg TX 78624
Hadley Manor, 6971 Ranch Rd 965, Fredericksburg TX 78624-6757 [8/21/21]

Present Owner(s): Brylie & Brodie Roeder, 2858 Friedrich Rd, Fredericksburg TX 78624 [5/29/22]

Certificate Originally Issued: 9/22/2021 **Re-Issue:** 6/20/2022


Ronda Seversen
ADSBS Registrar

The above pedigree is on record in the office of the American Dorper Sheep Breeders' Society.

American Southdown Breeders' Association
P.O. Box 556 • Otterbein, IN 47970

Certificate of Registry **FF3400** **EW E**
ASBA #

NAME Private Flock Tag **FRITZ 22R-118** **LAMBED** 2/6/2022 **TW**

SIRE BB8107 FRITZ 15B-479 SG

DAM DD9235 FRITZ 18PR-119 SG

BREEDER KEVIN AND SUSAN FRITZ FREDERICKSBUR TX

OWNER KEVIN AND SUSAN FRITZ FREDERICKSBUR TX

DATE RECORDED 5/18/2022 *Executive Secretary Ann M Fry*


THIS FIVE GENERATION PEDIGREE IS PROVIDED FOR YOUR RECORDS.
If there are any blanks on this record indicates that some of the history of this animal was recorded prior to computerization. If you would like the completed record you may order it for an additional charge, by calling the ASBA office.



American Southdown Breeders' Association
P.O. Box 556
Otterbein, IN 47970
(765) 237-2576
ann@southdownsheep.org

Established in 1882

Types of Registration Papers



HAMPSHIRE
Serving Since 1889

American Hampshire Sheep Association
PO Box 231, 420A Lincoln • Wamego, Kansas 66547

Certificate of Registry AHS A EWE #

97082 D Ewe

NAME
Private Flock Tag **YATES HCY-2-098**

BORN 04/23/2022

Twin

SIRE 604577 YATES HCY 8-424 TW

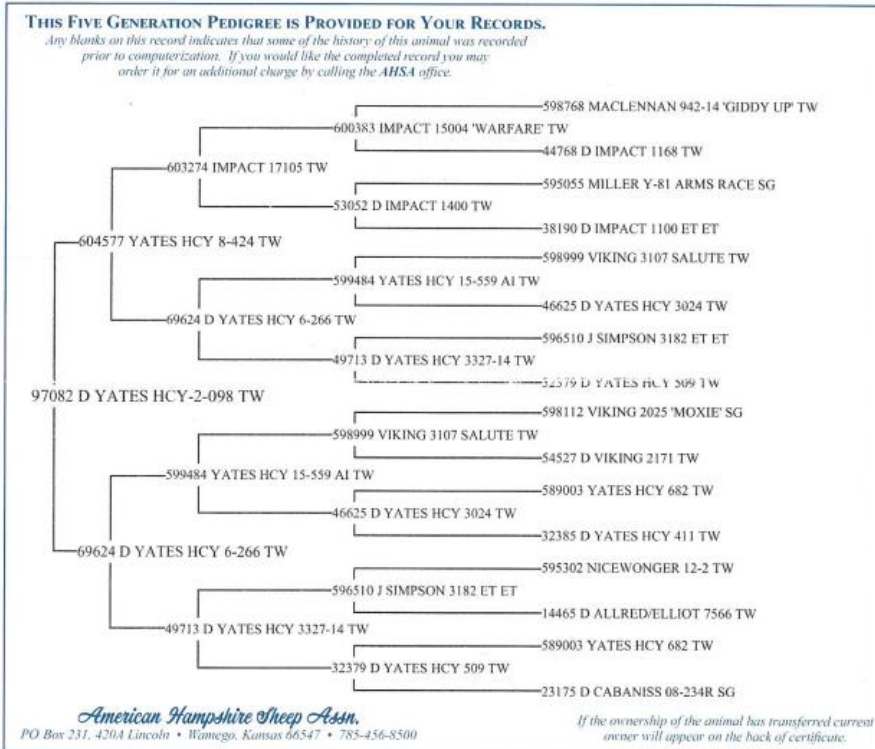
DAM 69624 D YATES HCY 6-266 TW

BREEDER HILL COUNTRY SHOW LAMBS RODNEY & SHERRI YATES BOERNE, TX

OWNER HILL COUNTRY SHOW LAMBS RODNEY & SHERRI YATES BOERNE, TX

DATE RECORDED 06/13/2022

REGISTRAR *Jeff Ebert*



Certificate of Registration

United Suffolk Sheep Association

EWE Flock Name & Number **Slack 9442**

USSA Registration Number **659099**

Date of Birth	Type of Birth	Type of Service	Permanent ID - Type and Number
01/17/2019	Single	Natural	

SIRE Slack 8451
658773

McIrlath 1022 Orange
593888

McIrlath 2021G
501141

Slack 3270
625139

Slack -6657
647933

Slack 3419
625075

Slack A1441
609197

Slack A1397
609224

Slack 1171
609196

Slack A3205
625046

Slack H7207
568148

DAM Slack A7257
654187

Certificate Originally Issued
04/29/2019 JKJ

Reissue Date
07/28/2021 AKRE Transfer

BREEDER Tom Slack 1022 W 1300 N, North Manchester IN 46962 USA

PRESENT OWNER Paige Anne Dittmar 155 Aqua Vista Dr. Kerrville TX 78028 has 100% purchased on 05/08/2021


PREVIOUS OWNERS Kenzie Kimbrough 198 CR 1315 Mt. Pleasant TX 75455 purchased on 04/06/2019

Tom Slack 1022 W 1300 N North Manchester IN 46962 USA

EWE

Slack 9442

659099



Amanda Everts
Secretary

Validating Breeding Goats


- Registration Papers

- Registration papers for each registered animal should be checked at validation.
- Verify that registration papers are in the exhibitor's name(s) prior to the ownership deadline.
- Record the registration number on the *Validation Form*.

- Tattoo

- Breeding goats should have a tattoo in each ear that corresponds to their registration papers.
- Record the tattoos on the *Validation Form*.

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION



ISSUED: May 25, 2022
OWNED: March 25, 2022
OWNER(S): Lilly Lunsday
8636 FM 1117
Seguin, TX 78155
77237

CLASSIFICATION: AMERICAN
REGISTRATION NO: 10912804

PERCENT BOER: 87.50%
TATTOOS: LEFT EAR: M500
RIGHT EAR: BNMG
EXTERNAL ID: 500

SEX: Doe
DOB: 03/25/22

CHIP #:
HORNS: Horned
DNA: Not Verified

BREEDER: Lilly Lunsday
8636 FM 1117
Seguin, TX 78155
77237

NAME: BNMG BAR NONE BOLERO

COLOR: CORRECT

SIRE: 10764738 JOEY7 MYP MAKERS MARK (SQ)
10486648 2SIS POWELL/HOLMAN TEQUILA
10531750 2SIS POWELL/HOLMAN SHAZAM (OT)
10442767 2SIS POWELL/HOLMAN X411
10532403 WTSI ONE GOOD COWBOY *ENNOBLED*
10637815 TAL4 BAR NONE SIX SHOOTER
10584939 BNMG BAR NONE DOUBLE TAP *ENNOBLED*

DAM: 10767815 BNMG BAR NONE CHA CHA'S FANTASIA
10486648 2SIS POWELL/HOLMAN TEQUILA
10531750 2SIS POWELL/HOLMAN SHAZAM (OT)
10442767 2SIS POWELL/HOLMAN X411
10532403 WTSI ONE GOOD COWBOY *ENNOBLED*
10657563 TAL4 BAYOU BOYS BAR NONE CHA CHA
BOER

The * before the registration number indicates a foreign registration number.

DNA CODES: (SQ) SIRE DNA QUALIFIED (OT) ORIGINAL DNA TEST (DE) DAM DNA EXCLUDED
FOUNDATION CODES: SP - SPANISH NU = NUBIAN LA - LAMANCHA SS = SAANEN AL - ALPINE O = OTHER

** Without consideration of the dam *** Without consideration of the sire

330631-103



Types of Registration Papers

- For each Registration Certificate, you need to check the following:
 - Animal is ONLY in the eligible exhibitor's name(s).
 - Date of ownership is on or before ownership deadline.
 - Transfer information on the original paper is acceptable when it is signed and completed by the association.
- Temporary certificates are NOT accepted, and the project will be disqualified.

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION

American Boer Goat Association
4258 S. Jackson St., San Angelo, TX 76903

Certificate Valid until: Jul 29, 2022

This temporary Registration Certificate may be used until the expiration date shown below. The original Registration Certificate will be mailed from the ABGA office.

BOER GOAT ASSOCIATION

CLASSIFICATION: AMERICAN
REGISTRATION NO: **10909185**

ISSUED: May 03, 2022
OWNED: June 13, 2022
OWNERS(S): Kodie Landers
506 S Main St
Ravenna, TX 75476
78830

PERCENT BOER: 50.00%
TATTOOS: LEFT EAR: L2
RIGHT EAR: SNKI
EXTERNAL ID:
CHIP #:
HORNS: Horned
DNA: Not Verified

BREEDER: Memories Ranch
Kenneth & Susan Sandberg
32639
81 Cundiff Drive
Sherman, TX 75092

NAME: SNKI MEMORIES RANCH STORMY

COLOR: CORRECT

10361429 1MCB REN'S NICK *ENNOBLED
10602564 JAG2 NICK'S CODI CHECKMATE SA (OT)
10494065 JAG2 CODI CHEYENNE SA
SIRE: 10679237 JAG2 CODI TENNER-C SA (SQ)
10350150 CJR LTEN CIRCLE, BUFFALO CODI SCOUT
10511155 JAG2 CODI MYSTIQUE SA
10464290 JDG CUDI SPITFIRE SA

DAM: BOERX


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DNA CODES FOUNDATION CODES
(SQ) SIRE DNA QUALIFIED (DQ) DAM DNA QUALIFIED SP - SPANISH NU - NUBIAN
(PQ) PARENTS QUALIFIED (OT) ORIGINAL DNA TEST LA - LAMANCHA SS - SAANEN
(SE) SIRE DNA EXCLUDED (DE) DAM DNA EXCLUDED AL - ALPINE O - OTHER

220629-021

Types of Registration Papers

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION



ISSUED: May 25, 2022
 OWNED: March 25, 2022
 OWNER(S): Lilly Lunday
 8636 FM 1117
 Seguin, TX 78155
 77237

CLASSIFICATION: AMERICAN
 REGISTRATION NO: 10912804

PERCENT BOER: 87.50%
 TATTOOS: LEFT EAR: M500
 RIGHT EAR: BNMG
 EXTERNAL ID: 500
 CHIP #: _____
 HORNS: Horned
 DNA: Not Verified

SEX: Doe
 DOB: 03/25/22

BREEDER: Lilly Lunday
 8636 FM 1117
 Seguin, TX 78155
 77237

NAME: BNMG BAR NONE BOLERO

COLOR: CORRECT

SIRE: 10764738 JOEY7 MVP MAKERS MARK (SQ)
 10486648 2SIS POWELL/HOLMAN TEQUILA
 10531750 2SIS POWELL/HOLMAN SHAZAM (OT)
 10442767 2SIS POWELL/HOLMAN X411

DAM: 10767815 BNMG BAR NONE CHA CHA'S FANTASIA
 10532403 WTSJ ONE GOOD COWBOY *ENNOBLED*
 10637815 TAL4 BAR NONE SIX SHOOTER
 10584939 BNMG BAR NONE DOUBLE TAP *ENNOBLED*
 10486648 2SIS POWELL/HOLMAN TEQUILA
 10531750 2SIS POWELL/HOLMAN SHAZAM (OT)
 10442767 2SIS POWELL/HOLMAN X411

BOER


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DNA CODES		FOUNDATION CODES	
** (SQ) SIRE DNA QUALIFIED	*** (DQ) DAM DNA QUALIFIED	SP = SPANISH	NU = NUBIAN
(PQ) PARENTS QUALIFIED	(OT) ORIGINAL DNA TEST	LA = LAMANCHA	SS = SAANEN
(SE) SIRE DNA EXCLUDED	(DE) DAM DNA EXCLUDED	AL = ALPINE	O = OTHER

** Without consideration of the dam *** Without consideration of the sire

220531-102

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION



ISSUED: June 30, 2020
 OWNED: August 31, 2020
 OWNER(S): JORDAN LUNDAY
 8636 FM 1117
 Seguin, TX 78155
 67206

CLASSIFICATION: FULLBLOOD
 REGISTRATION NO: 10847200

PERCENT BOER: 100.00%
 TATTOOS: LEFT EAR: K489
 RIGHT EAR: BNMG
 EXTERNAL ID: 489
 CHIP #: _____
 HORNS: Horned
 DNA: _____

SEX: Doe
 DOB: 06/03/20

BREEDER: Bar None Meat Goats
 Robin L. Walters
 8636 FM 1117
 SEGUIN, TX 78155
 12319

NAME: BAR NONE CANT HELP MYSELF

COLOR: CORRECT

SIRE: 10764738 JOEY7 MVP MAKERS MARK (SQ)
 10486648 2SIS POWELL/HOLMAN TEQUILA
 10531750 2SIS POWELL/HOLMAN SHAZAM (OT)
 10442767 2SIS POWELL/HOLMAN X411

DAM: 10696514 FFB FIRE CREEK MISS TUCKER
 10452729 WARD'S CAT IN THE HAT X111 (OT) *ENNOBLED*
 10565091 SSMB STAR TRAIL TUCKER (SQ) *ENNOBLED* 6/2015
 10524192 S G R PACKAGE'S FASHION PLATE
 10405280 C S B RUGER RELOADED *ENNOBLED*
 10486663 SDBH DIAMOND'S LIT'L DELILAH
 10392745 C S B W48

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DNA CODES		FOUNDATION CODES	
** (SQ) SIRE DNA QUALIFIED	*** (DQ) DAM DNA QUALIFIED	SP = SPANISH	NU = NUBIAN
(PQ) PARENTS QUALIFIED	(OT) ORIGINAL DNA TEST	LA = LAMANCHA	SS = SAANEN
(SE) SIRE DNA EXCLUDED	(DE) DAM DNA EXCLUDED	AL = ALPINE	O = OTHER

** Without consideration of the dam *** Without consideration of the sire

300821-064

VALIDATION IS NOT COMPLETE UNTIL ALL
VALIDATION INFORMATION HAS BEEN
ENTERED ONLINE AND ALL VALIDATION
MATERIALS HAVE BEEN MAILED TO THE
SHEEP AND GOAT VALIDATION OFFICE:

7887 US HWY 87 N
SAN ANGELO, TX 76901