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# DAIRY GOATS SCHEDULE

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Westpoint Arena, Exeter

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## **Dairy Goats Back to Back Show**

**Entries close Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March 2026**

Please make sure you have read the General Rules and Regulations available in the downloads schedule of the website

### **Special Regulations applying to the Dairy Goat Section**

1. The Goat Classes are held under the Rules, Regulations and Recognition of the British Goat Society. All exhibits must be registered with the British Goat Society as in the ownership and in the name of the exhibitor, the registered name, number and identification mark being quoted on the entry form plus the kidding date for goats in milk. No entries will be accepted unless CAE blood test results are on BGS submission forms or Premium Sheep and Goat Health Scheme forms. This is to enable quick and accurate confirmation of the status of the goats attending a show. Entries for all kids must be accompanied by the necessary valid certificate for their dams."
2. MILKERS - All goats in milk must have kidded or aborted a minimum of 30 days previous to the day of the Show.
3. KIDS - Kids in classes 530-535 not registered by the first day of the Show will not be eligible for competition. All kids must be born by closing date of entries. The registered number of any goat initially entered as "RAF" (registration applied for) must be submitted to the Show organisers before that goat competes. Kids under 2 months of age may accompany the herd by no extra accommodation will be provided for them.
4. PREGNANT GOATS - No pregnant goats are to be present on the showground.

**5. INSPECTION /PRODUCTION COMPETITION** - All in milk goats placed for a prize or reserve in any recognised Inspection Class and entered in the Milking Competition must be paraded and compete in the inspection/production competition.

**6. TIMES OF ARRIVAL** - All goats shall be on the showground not later than 5.30pm on Wednesday 20th May.

**7. STRIPPING OUT** - Milkers will be stripped out under the supervision of the appointed stewards at 6.30pm on that day. Any milking goats arriving later than this will run the risk of disqualification  
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**8. ENTRY FEES** - All entry fees include VAT @ 20%. If there are two or less entries, the class will be cancelled. The same entry fee applies to classes on both days.

	<b>Members Rate</b>	<b>Non Members Rate</b>
<b>Entry Fee</b>	<b>£6.00</b>	<b>£11.00</b>

**9. PRIZE MONEY** - Prizes offered relate to the number of entries catalogued in each class. Rosettes will be awarded to fourth place in all classes regardless of the number of entries catalogued.  
**Day two will see no prize money awarded, rosettes only.**

No. Entries	<b>1<sup>st</sup></b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>4<sup>th</sup></b>
1 - 3	£15	£12		
4 - 5	£15	£12	£10	
6 - 11	£15	£12	£10	£8
12 or more	£15	£12	£10	£8

**10. CAPRINE ARTHRITIS ENCEPHALITIS** - Entries to be taken from BGS monitored accredited or privately tested goats only. Entries from DEFRA accredited goats cannot be accepted. Exhibitors must indicate the status of their entries on the entry form and veterinary certificates **MUST** be presented for inspection at the Livestock Gate prior to admission and a copy of the form must be sent with entry forms.

**11. DEPARTURE** - All livestock must remain until 4.30pm on the last day of the show, Saturday 18th May, or longer, as the Stewards require. Livestock cannot be removed earlier without written consent of the Chief Steward/ the Honorary Veterinary Officer and the Devon County Show Manager. Such consent will only be granted under exceptional circumstances.

## DAY 1 - THURSDAY CLASSES

### Female Goats

**Judge: Mr David Brace, Huntingdon**  
Thursday at 10:30am in Dairy Goat Judging Ring

- 510**    **Saanen or British Saanen Female Goat**, that has borne a kid, any age, in-milk, entered in the Saanen or British Saanen section of the Herd Book.
- 511**    **Toggenburg Female Goat**, that has borne a kid, any age, in-milk, entered in the Toggenburg section of the Herd Book.
- 512**    **British Toggenburg Female Goat**, that has borne a kid, any age, in-milk, entered in the British Toggenburg section of the Herd Book.
- 513**    **British Alpine Female Goat**, that has borne a kid, any age, in-milk, entered in the British Alpine section of the Herd Book.
- 514**    **Anglo-Nubian Female Goat**, that has borne a kid, any age, in-milk, entered in the Anglo-Nubian section of the Herd Book.
- 515**    **Golden Guernsey or British Guernsey Female Goat**, that has borne a kid, any age, in-milk, entered in the Golden Guernsey or British Guernsey sections of the Herd Book.
- 516**    **Any Other Variety Female Goat**, that has borne a kid, any age, in-milk.
- 517**    **Saanen or British Saanen Milking Competition, quality (Butterfat), quantity and time.**
- 518**    **Toggenburg Milking Competition, quality (Butterfat), quantity and time.**
- 519**    **British Toggenburg Milking Competition, quality (Butterfat), quantity and time.**
- 520**    **British Alpine Milking Competition, quality (Butterfat), quantity and time.**
- 521**    **Anglo-Nubian Milking Competition, quality (Butterfat), quantity and time.**
- 522**    **Golden Guernsey or British Guernsey Milking Competition, quality (Butterfat), quantity and time.**
- 523**    **Any Other Variety Milking Competition, quality (Butterfat), quantity and time.**

### Special Awards offered by the British Goat Society

- DG1**    **The British Goat Society Challenge Cup, to be confirmed**
- DG2**    **British Goat Society Challenge Certificate**, to the best female goat that has borne a kid
- DG3**    **British Goat Society Challenge Certificate**, to the best Inspection/Production goat
- DG4**    **British Goat Society Breed Challenge Certificate**, to the best Saanen goat that has borne a kid.

- DG5**    **British Goat Society Breed Challenge Certificate**, to the best Toggenburg goat that has borne a kid.
- DG6**    **British Goat Society Breed Challenge Certificate**, to the best Anglo-Nubian goat that has borne a kid.
- DG7**    **British Goat Society Breed Challenge Certificate**, to the best British Alpine Goat that has borne a kid.
- DG8**    **British Goat Society Breed Challenge Certificate**, to the best British Saanen goat that has borne a kid.
- DG9**    **British Goat Society Breed Challenge Certificate**, to the best British Toggenburg goat that has borne a kid.
- DG10**   **British Goat Society Breed Challenge Certificate**, to the best Golden Guernsey goat that has borne a kid.
- DG11**   **British Goat Society Breed Challenge Certificate**, to the best British Guernsey goat that has borne a kid.
- DG12**   **British Goat Society Certificate of Merit**, to the best British Milker that has borne a kid.

### **Special Awards offered by the Devon County Agricultural Association**

- DG13**   **Best Milker**  
Winner to receive a Devon County Show Special rosette  
The Tracey Perpetual Challenge Trophy given by Miss Y Weldon (87).
- DG16**   **The Highest Number of Points Gained by a First Kidder in the Milking Competition**  
Winner to receive a Devon County Show Special rosette  
The Mylor Perpetual Silver Challenge Trophy given by Mrs R Hope (90).
- DG17**   **The Highest Number of Points Gained by a Second or Subsequent Kidder in the Milking Competition.**  
Winner to receive a Devon County Show Special rosette  
The Lowton Perpetual Challenge Cup given by the late Mr and Mrs Kennard (91).

## Goatlings & Kids

Thursday, following on from the conclusion of the milking class judging.

- 524 Saanen or British Saanen Goatling**, that has borne a kid, over one but not exceeding two years entered in the Saanen or British Saanen section of the Herd Book.
- 525 Toggenburg or British Toggenburg Goatling**, that has not borne a kid, over one but not exceeding two years, entered in the Toggenburg or British Toggenburg section of the Herd Book.
- 526 British Alpine Goatling**, that has not borne a kid, over one but not exceeding two years, entered in the British Alpine section of the Herd Book.
- 527 Anglo-Nubian Goatling**, that has not borne a kid, over one, but not exceeding two years, entered in the Anglo-Nubian section of the Herd Book.
- 528 Golden Guernsey or British Guernsey Goatling**, that has not borne a kid, over one but not exceeding two years, Golden Guernsey or British Guernsey.
- 529 Any Other Variety Goatling**, that has not borne a kid, over one, but not exceeding two years.
- 530 Saanen or British Saanen Female Kid**, over two calendar months but not exceeding one year, entered in the Saanen or British Saanen section of the Herd Book.
- 531 Toggenburg or British Toggenburg Female Kid**, over two calendar months but not exceeding one year, entered in the Toggenburg or British Toggenburg section of the Herd Book.
- 532 British Alpine Female Kid**, over two calendar months but not exceeding one year, entered in the British Alpine section of the Herd Book.
- 533 Anglo-Nubian Female Kid**, over two calendar months but not exceeding one year, entered in the Anglo-Nubian section of the Herd Book.
- 534 Golden Guernsey or British Guernsey Female Kid**, over two calendar months but not exceeding one year, Golden Guernsey or British Guernsey.
- 535 Any Other Variety Female Kid**, over two calendar months but not exceeding one year.

## Champion & Special Awards

- DG18 Champion Dairy Goat**  
Winner to receive £35, a Champion sash, rosette, prize card and a British Goat Society rosette  
Reserve Champion Goat  
Devon County Show award £15, a Reserve Champion rosette and prize card
- DG19 Best Goatling**  
Winner to receive a Devon County Show Special rosette  
The Boveycombe Perpetual Challenge Trophy given by the late A N Gould (88).
- DG20 Best Kid**  
Winner to receive a Devon County Show Special rosette  
The Parford Perpetual Silver Challenge Trophy given by the late Miss J L Depree (89).

- DG21 Best Toggenburg Goat**  
Winner to receive a Devon County Show Special rosette
- DG22 Best Golden or British Guernsey Goat**  
Winner to receive a Devon County Show Special rosette
- DG23 Best British Alpine Goat**  
Winner to receive a Devon County Show Special rosette
- DG24 Best Anglo-Nubian Goat**  
Winner to receive a Devon County Show Special rosette
- DG25 Best British Toggenburg Goat**  
Winner to receive a Devon County Show Special rosette
- DG26 Best British Saanen Goat**  
Winner to receive a Devon County Show Special rosette
- DG27 Best Saanen Goat**  
Winner to receive a Devon County Show Special rosette
- DG28 Best Any Other Variety Goat**  
Winner to receive a Devon County Show Special rosette
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## Junior Dairy Goat Young Handler

**Judge: Mr David Brace, Huntingdon**

Thursday to follow at the conclusion of Dairy Goat classes

**562 Junior Dairy Goat Young Handler**

**Open to exhibitors who are aged between 5 and 16 years old on the Thursday of the Show, showing a dairy goat (any age) of any breed**



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## DAY TWO - FRIDAY CLASSES

### Female Goats

**Judge: Mrs Margaret Hardman, Sheffield**  
Friday at 10:30am in Dairy Goat Judging Ring

- 536 Saanen or British Saanen Female Goat**, that has borne a kid, any age, in-milk, entered in the Saanen or British Saanen section of the Herd Book.
- 537 Toggenburg Female Goat**, that has borne a kid, any age, in-milk, entered in the Toggenburg section of the Herd Book.
- 538 British Toggenburg Female Goat**, that has borne a kid, any age, in-milk, entered in the British Toggenburg section of the Herd Book.
- 539 British Alpine Female Goat**, that has borne a kid, any age, in-milk, entered in the British Alpine section of the Herd Book.
- 540 Anglo-Nubian Female Goat**, that has borne a kid, any age, in-milk, entered in the Anglo-Nubian section of the Herd Book.
- 541 Golden Guernsey or British Guernsey Female Goat**, that has borne a kid, any age, in-milk, entered in the Golden Guernsey or British Guernsey sections of the Herd Book.
- 542 Any Other Variety Female Goat**, that has borne a kid, any age, in-milk.
- 543 Saanen or British Saanen Milking Competition, quality (Butterfat), quantity and time.**
- 544 Toggenburg Milking Competition, quality (Butterfat), quantity and time.**
- 545 British Toggenburg Milking Competition, quality (Butterfat), quantity and time.**
- 546 British Alpine Milking Competition, quality (Butterfat), quantity and time.**
- 547 Anglo-Nubian Milking Competition, quality (Butterfat), quantity and time.**
- 548 Golden Guernsey or British Guernsey Milking Competition, quality (Butterfat), quantity and time.**
- 549 Any Other Variety Milking Competition, quality (Butterfat), quantity and time.**

### Special Awards offered by the British Goat Society

- DG14 First Kidder with the highest number of Production/Inspection points.**  
Winner to receive a Devon County Show Special rosette
- DG15 Best Milker exhibited by an Exhibitor resident in Devon**  
Winner to receive a Devon County Show Special rosette

- DG29 British Goat Society Challenge Certificate**, to the best female goat that has borne a kid
- DG30 British Goat Society Challenge Certificate**, to the best Inspection/Production goat
- DG31 British Goat Society Breed Challenge Certificate**, to the best Saanen goat that has borne a kid.
- DG32 British Goat Society Breed Challenge Certificate**, to the best Toggenburg goat that has borne a kid.
- DG33 British Goat Society Breed Challenge Certificate**, to the best Anglo-Nubian goat that has borne a kid.
- DG34 British Goat Society Breed Challenge Certificate**, to the best British Alpine Goat that has borne a kid.
- DG35 British Goat Society Breed Challenge Certificate**, to the best British Saanen goat that has borne a kid.
- DG36 British Goat Society Breed Challenge Certificate**, to the best British Toggenburg goat that has borne a kid.
- DG37 British Goat Society Breed Challenge Certificate**, to the best Golden Guernsey goat that has borne a kid.
- DG38 British Goat Society Breed Challenge Certificate**, to the best British Guernsey goat that has borne a kid.
- DG39 British Goat Society Certificate of Merit**, to the best British Milker that has borne a kid.

## Goatlings & Kids

Friday, following on from the conclusion of the milking class judging.

- 550 Saanen or British Saanen Goatling**, that has borne a kid, over one but not exceeding two years entered in the Saanen or British Saanen section of the Herd Book.
- 551 Toggenburg or British Toggenburg Goatling**, that has not borne a kid, over one but not exceeding two years, entered in the Toggenburg or British Toggenburg section of the Herd Book.
- 552 British Alpine Goatling**, that has not borne a kid, over one but not exceeding two years, entered in the British Alpine section of the Herd Book.
- 553 Anglo-Nubian Goatling**, that has not borne a kid, over one, but not exceeding two years, entered in the Anglo-Nubian section of the Herd Book.
- 554 Golden Guernsey or British Guernsey Goatling**, that has not borne a kid, over one but not exceeding two years, Golden Guernsey or British Guernsey.
- 555 Any Other Variety Goatling**, that has not borne a kid, over one, but not exceeding two years.

- 556     Saanen or British Saanen Female Kid**, over two calendar months but not exceeding one year, entered in the Saanen or British Saanen section of the Herd Book.
- 557     Toggenburg or British Toggenburg Female Kid**, over two calendar months but not exceeding one year, entered in the Toggenburg or British Toggenburg section of the Herd Book.
- 558     British Alpine Female Kid**, over two calendar months but not exceeding one year, entered in the British Alpine section of the Herd Book.
- 559     Anglo-Nubian Female Kid**, over two calendar months but not exceeding one year, entered in the Anglo-Nubian section of the Herd Book.
- 560     Golden Guernsey or British Guernsey Female Kid**, over two calendar months but not exceeding one year, Golden Guernsey or British Guernsey.
- 561     Any Other Variety Female Kid**, over two calendar months but not exceeding one year.

### **Champion & Special Awards**

- DG40    Champion Dairy Goat**  
 Winner to receive £35, a Champion sash, rosette, prize card and a British Goat Society rosette  
 Reserve Champion Goat  
 Devon County Show award £15, a Reserve Champion rosette and prize card
- DG41    Best Goatling**  
 Winner to receive a Devon County Show Special rosette
- DG42    Best Kid**  
 Winner to receive a Devon County Show Special rosette
- DG43    Best Toggenburg Goat**  
 Winner to receive a Devon County Show Special rosette
- DG44    Best Golden or British Guernsey Goat**  
 Winner to receive a Devon County Show Special rosette
- DG45    Best British Alpine Goat**  
 Winner to receive a Devon County Show Special rosette
- DG46    Best Anglo-Nubian Goat**  
 Winner to receive a Devon County Show Special rosette
- DG47    Best British Toggenburg Goat**  
 Winner to receive a Devon County Show Special rosette
- DG48    Best British Saanen Goat**  
 Winner to receive a Devon County Show Special rosette
- DG49    Best Saanen Goat**  
 Winner to receive a Devon County Show Special rosette
- DG50    Best Any Other Variety Goat**  
 Winner to receive a Devon County Show Special rosette