

Jennings County Goat Requirements

(Please note: Mini 4-H members (grades K-2) will NOT enter their animal's information into 4HOnline, however, their animals MUST meet the Animal ID requirements listed below)

Animal ID Requirements

These requirements must be met to complete 4HOnline Animal ID and to exhibit at the county fair.

Meat goat wethers	5-digit county tag or tattoo and (retinal image if attending state fair)
Market goat does	5-digit county tag or tattoo
Boer goat females	Tattoo
Dairy goat females	Tattoo (microchip can be used in conjunction)
Dairy goat wethers	5-digit county tag or tattoo
Pygmy goats	Tattoo or microchip or 5-digit county tag or scrapie tag
Non-Registered females	5-digit county tag or tattoo or scrapie tag (not state fair eligible)

Animal ID Day(s)

Does your goat need a 5-digit county tag? <u>ONLY Goats requiring a 5-digit county tag MUST attend the Animal ID day</u> on either <u>Saturday</u>, <u>April 27</u>, <u>from 9-11 am or Thursday</u>, <u>May 2</u>, <u>from 4:30-7</u> pm at Sand Creek Elementary School. See enclosed map.

Online Animal ID

Please complete the enclosed worksheet and bring it with you to Animal ID Day. All goat animal ID information must be entered into 4HOnline by **May 15.** 4HOnline instructions are included in this mailing. For more information about 4HOnline Animal ID, contact Melessa at 812-352-3033.

Retagging- In the case of the loss of a county ear tag the County Extension Office must be notified immediately to schedule a time for the new tag to be replaced.

<u>State Fair</u> – To exhibit at the Indiana State Fair, 4-H families must complete a separate Indiana State Fair online entry in addition to the Indiana 4-H Online Animal ID.

Sincerely,

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