

ROYAL CORNWALL AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION
Registered Charity No. 250312



ROYAL CORNWALL
... SHOW / 2026 ...

GOAT SECTION SCHEDULE

**Incorporating
THE KERNOW DAIRY GOAT SHOW**

Entries to be sent to:
Hon. Secretary Sue Smith
Boscadjack Green, Trenear, Helston, Cornwall TR13 0HH
Tel No: 01326 563229

ENTRIES CLOSE 1st April 2026

**Entries may only be made using the entry forms provided
and you must use one entry form per goat. You may photocopy if you require more.**

Royal Cornwall Showground, Wadebridge PL27 7JE
Holding No. 07/092/8103

Showing Excellence

ROYAL CORNWALL SHOW

SINCE 1793



The Royal Cornwall Show is a fundraising activity of the Royal Cornwall Agricultural Association to help support agriculture and the countryside. Charity No - 250312

GOAT SECTION

R.C.A.A. JUDGES: Dairy Goats: Mr G Webster, Dundee
Pygmy Goats: Mrs D Brown, East Sussex

Entry Fees: £5.00 Members of RCAA. £7.50 Non – RCAA Members. (Combined fee for Inspection and Milking Goats - £12.00) All VAT inclusive

Payment by BACS – Sort Code: 30-98-76 Acct No: 42817860 Ref – Goats – exhibitor name

Annual Membership: of Royal Cornwall Agricultural Association £70.00

Prize Money: 1st £18, 2nd £13, 3rd £10, 4th £5 if over 8 entries, 5th £3.50 if over 12 entries. **(Paid by BACS only).**

KERNOW SHOW JUDGE: Mr T O'Neill, Norfolk

Entry Fees: £4.50 (No membership fees) **Payment by BACS only**

RULES AND REGULATIONS

The Goat Section will be run in accordance with the regulations governing shows as issued by DEFRA. Exhibitors will be responsible for the reporting of movements off and back onto their holding.

Licensing & Documentation

Animals entering the showground must present the following documents on arrival;

LIS-1 Movement Document. Applies to all Goats for show or exhibition. After completion, on arrival at the Goat Section, the Association will retain the white and pink copies on entry (the white copy will be forwarded to the Trading Standards Authority). The yellow copy will be returned to the exhibitor and the blue copy to the haulier.

Arrival/Departure. All goats must arrive not later than 5.00.pm on the Wednesday evening, dairy goats stripping out at 6pm. Exhibitors may not remove stock from the showground until after 4.00.pm on Saturday. Any exhibitor wishing to leave the Showground for more than 8 hours must nominate, to the Section Steward, a person to be responsible for their goats during their absence.

Car parking for stock vehicles is provided behind the goat marquee, all persons using tents or caravans must site them in the Livestock Exhibitors Caravan Park after paying the appropriate fee.

Electrical Safety. The correct maintenance and safe use of any electrical equipment brought to the show is the sole responsibility of the exhibitor, both for their own safety and that of any third party. It is highly recommended that electrical equipment is regularly PAT tested.

Please note that the Goat Tent and Kitchen area are non-smoking zones, dogs will not be admitted (assistance dogs excepted).

The Show reserves the right to return entries should goats entered exceed penning allocation. PLEASE ENTER EARLY.

Passes. All exhibitors will receive a pass which will allow entry for their vehicle and passengers on the Wednesday, any persons requiring further passes may collect these on the Wednesday, or if required in advance an explanatory letter should accompany the entries.

RCAA Privacy Policy

The Royal Cornwall Agricultural Association privacy policy sets out the basis on which any personal data we collect from you, that you provide to us or that we may receive from others about you will be processed by us. It includes data that we hold electronically and in paper files.

Names, addresses and details of entries will be published in the catalogue of entries and passed to our printers, solely for the purpose of compiling the catalogue. Results information may be published (in printed form and online) and provided to the Press and Breed Societies for publication. Information relating to Exhibitors and their animals / exhibits may be provided to Department of Environment, Fisheries and Rural Affairs (DEFRA), Trading Standards, Animal and Plant Health Agency (APHA), British Cattle Movement Service (BCMS), SAC, Breed Societies, County Councils, Veterinary Advisors and others who have regulatory access.

Please see our website www.royalcornwallshow.org for full details of our Privacy Policy

You must have entered the Royal Cornwall Show goat classes in order to enter the Kernow Show

GOAT SECTION PROGRAMME

Thursday – ROYAL CORNWALL SHOW

6.30 am	Full Udder Inspection – Dairy goats
7.30 - 8.30 am	Milking Competition – Dairy goats
10.00 am	Judging of Dairy Milkers, Goatlings & Kids to follow
11.00 am approx	Judging of Pygmy classes (to follow dairy)
5.30 - 6.30 pm	Milking Competition – Dairy Goats

Friday – KERNOW SHOW

6.30 am	Full Udder Inspection – Dairy Goats
7.30 – 8.30 am	Milking Competition – Dairy Goats
10.00 am	Judging of Dairy Milkers, Goatlings followed by Kids
Approx mid-afternoon	Grand Parade of all prize winning goats
5.30 – 6.30 pm	Milking Dairy Goats

All timings for the Kernow Show are approximate and will be confirmed on the day.

Saturday

Approx mid-afternoon	Grand Parade of all prize winning goats.
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FOR GRAND PARADE: Please note any goat handler must be capable of handling the animal, at the stewards' discretion.

PRIZE MONIES WILL BE PAID BY BACS ONLY

DAIRY GOAT SECTION

JUDGE: Mr G Webster, Dundee

STEWARDS: Sue Smith and Julia Clarke



The Goat Classes are held under the Rules, Regulations and Recognition of the British Goat Society. All exhibits must be registered with the BGS as in the ownership and name of the exhibitor, the registered name and number being quoted on the entry form. (Also the kidding date for goats in milk). All goats in milk must have kidded or aborted a minimum of 30 days previous to the day of the show. No pregnant goats may be admitted to the showground. Kids to be two calendar months on day of show.

All milkers will be stripped out under the supervision of appointed stewards by 6.30 pm on Wednesday. Milkers entered in Inspection must also be entered in the Milking Competition. In the Milking Competition prize money will not be paid to those achieving less than 13 points.

CAE. All goats (except kids) should have a negative CAE test within the last 12 months and never previously had a positive test. CAE certificate of dam to be produced for kids.

RAF Kids. The registered name of any goat, initially entered as RAF (registration applied for) must be submitted to the Chief Steward before the goat competes.

SPECIAL PRIZES OFFERED:-

A ROSETTE for the Best Goat in Show.

A CHALLENGE CERTIFICATE for the Best Goat that has borne a kid.

A CHALLENGE CERTIFICATE for the Best Inspection/Production Goat.

A BREED CHALLENGE CERTIFICATE for the best goat that has borne a kid, in each of the following breeds; Anglo Nubian, British Alpine, British Guernsey, British Saanen, British Toggenburg, Golden Guernsey, Saanen, and Toggenburg.

CERTIFICATE of MERIT for the Best British milker that has borne a kid.

Royal Cornwall Show – Toggenburg Cup

Goat Nutrition – Vouchers for Best in Show Goat Section

£20 Cash for Best Anglo Nubian in Show kindly donated by the Boscadjack Herd

DAIRY GOAT CLASSES

Milkers. A milker being a female goat that has borne a kid, any age and in milk, entered in the appropriate section of the Herd Book.

1. British Alpine
2. Toggenburg
3. British Toggenburg
4. Saanen
5. British Saanen
6. Anglo Nubian
7. Golden Guernsey/British Guernsey
8. Any Other Variety
9. Veteran Milker, over 7 years may also be entered in appropriate classes above.
- 9a. Junior exhibitor, under 16 years of age. Female goat or wether.

Goatlings. A goatling being a female that has not borne a kid, between one and two years old, entered in the appropriate section of the Herd Book.

10. British Alpine
11. British Toggenburg or Toggenburg
12. British Saanen or Saanen
13. Anglo Nubian
14. Golden Guernsey or British Guernsey
15. Any Other Variety

Kids. A female kid must be over two calendar months but not exceeding one year and be entered in the appropriate section of the Herd Book.

16. British Alpine
17. British Toggenburg or Toggenburg
18. British Saanen or Saanen
19. Anglo Nubian
20. Golden Guernsey or British Guernsey
21. Any Other Variety
22. Male Kid - any BGS registered breed.

MILKING COMPETITION

23. British Alpine
24. Toggenburg
25. British Toggenburg
26. Saanen
27. British Saanen
28. Anglo Nubian
29. Golden Guernsey or British Guernsey
30. Any Other Variety

PYGMY GOAT SECTION

JUDGE: Mrs D Brown, East Sussex

STEWARD: Mrs Julia Clarke



Judging to start at approx. 11.00am (to follow Dairy Judging)

Run under the rules and regulations and recognition of the Pygmy Goat Club

Goats in the Breed Classes to be registered in the PGC Herd Book.

Any exhibitor submitting entries stating 'Registration applied for' will need to provide proof of registration on arrival at the showground.

No pregnant goats may be admitted to the showground.

Goats to have kidded a minimum of 30 days previous to the day of the show.

All dates to be calculated to day of the show.

Please state kidding dates on adult female entry forms.

SPECIAL PRIZES OFFERED

Best Kid – The Baggerbush Trophy

(2025 Winner – MARVCOMBE DOVE – A&J BODLEY)

Best Female – The Treverbyn Trophy

(2025 Winner – MARVCOMBE MINNIE – A&J BODLEY)

Best Male – The Dowgas Shield

(2025 Winner – REDDAWN MAGPIE – A&J BODLEY)

Best in Show – The Soloman Rosebowl

(2025 Winner – REDDAWN MAGPIE – A&J BODLEY)

Reserve Best in Show – The Rowan Trophy

(2025 Winner – MARVCOMBE MINNIE – A&J BODLEY)

Best Pet Female – The Gill Ruddock Trophy

(2025 – NOT AWARDED IN 2025)

Best Wether – The Trojan Shield

(2025 Winner – ODD BOD – N JULIAN)

Best Junior Handler – The Meadowside Trophy

(2025 Winner – MERRYNN TRETTON)

The Pygmy Goat Club Trophy for Best in Show

(2025 Winner – NOT AWARDED IN 2025)

The Gallaine Morgan Trophy for the Best in Show.

(2025 Winner – REDDAWN MAGPIE – A&J BODLEY)

RUN UNDER THE RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE PYGMY GOAT CLUB

PYGMY GOAT CLASSES

All goats in the Breed Classes 31 to 40 to be registered in the Pygmy Goat Herd Book.

31. Male kid 8 weeks to 12 months.
32. Buckling 1 to 2 years.
33. Adult male over 2 years.
34. Veteran Male 7 years and over
35. Female kid, aged 8 weeks to 12 months.
36. Goatling 1 to 2 years not to have borne a kid.
37. Adult female 2-6 years old.
38. Veteran female 7 years old and over.
39. Dam & Daughter (Both to have been entered in the above breed classes).
40. Sire & Progeny – Minimum of two. (All to have been entered in the above breed classes).
41. Pair of goats.
42. Wether & Pet Female - 8 weeks and over (not eligible for registration in the PGC herd book).
43. Junior Handler – 5 to 10 years of age.
Please state name and age of handler on entry form.
44. Junior Handler – 11 to 16 years of age.
Please state name and age of handler on entry form.

Thank you for supporting the Kernow Dairy Show.
We hope to see you all again in 2027.
Cornwall Goatkeepers Association.