## **Jackson County Agricultural Facility**

1869 County Farm Rd, Jefferson, GA 30549

# Goats 'N Ghosts Open Dairy Goat Show

October 30-31st, 2020

# Show Overview

Many people have been trying to get dairy goats widely accepted into Georgia's FFA programs. Unfortunately there has not been a lot of interest in the past so no progress has been made. However, we all know dairy goats are amazing and we want to share how amazing they are with



the future dairy goat breeders in our state!

### Profits

Some of you may be wondering where the money earned by the show is going. Currently, the Georgia Dairy Goat Breeders Association is fronting all costs and helping coordinate the show with the Jefferson Middle School FFA program. The GDGBA will be reimbursed at cost for expenses and all profits will go DIRECTLY to the JMS FFA program to be used to help promote dairy goats in their program and help educate young minds about the amazing qualities of raising dairy goats.

#### Support

Despite these trying times during Covid-19 and the precautions of recommended masking, hand washing and general bio-security, we really hope to rally a lot of support to this program and

these kids and make this show a success and show other programs out there that dairy goats are fun and a great experience for kids (and adults!)

## Costume contest

During the show we will also be hosting a costume contest! This is open to both children and adults. Dress up your goat and yourself to parade in the ring to show off your costume and be voted on who has the best costume combo!

# Details

You can sign up for the show online at <u>https://www.georgiadairygoats.com/gdgba-fall-show</u>. This page also has the rules, health certificate details and classes list etc.

Pens are 5x5 and can be combined to make 5x10 pens when you purchase 2 pens. The barn area and show ring are covered.

Trailer parking is not right next to the barn so showing out a trailer is not very easy to do. There are no trailer hookups, but you are allowed to stay overnight Friday and Saturday at the facility area, but need to have left before 10am on Sunday morning.

There is a large video screen in the barn area that shows what is going on in the show ring. Ring steward assistants will be going around and helping make sure goats in upcoming classes are ringside.

Breakfast and lunch will be sold by the JMS FFA students and will be individually wrapped for sanitary precautions.



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