



# ALL-AMERICAN NOMINATION RULES

**CLOSING DATE - MARCH 1**

The American Nigerian Dwarf Dairy Association **ALL-AMERICAN PROGRAM** is a means of recognizing those Nigerian Dwarves who have proven their excellence in the show ring. Two animals in each class are chosen as the All-American and Reserve All-American winners. All entries are subject to the following rules:

- To qualify for nomination, entries must meet **ALL** of the following requirements:
  - Registered with the American Goat Society (AGS), American Dairy Goat Assn (ADGA) and/or Canadian Goat Society (CGS);
  - At the time of nomination, each animal must bear a legible tattoo;
  - Entries must have competed in an official AGS, ADGA or CGS show during the contest year and have been awarded one of the following:
    - First in an individual class,
    - Grand or Reserve Grand, Senior/Junior Champion, or
    - Second in an individual class at an official AGS, ADGA or CGS show with more than thirty female Nigerian Dwarves shown (does only).
    - Best of Breed
- All entries must be owned or co-owned by a member in good standing of the American Nigerian Dwarf Dairy Association (ANDDA), or by a minor child/children of an ANDDA member in good standing.
- Winners will be selected by a panel of three official AGS, ADGA and/or CGS judges chosen by the All-American Committee.
- ALL** AGS, ADGA and CGS shows, only, in which the nominated animal competed during the year, must be listed on the official entry form. All individual class placings 5<sup>th</sup> and higher, as well as major awards, as specified in 1.C. above, must be listed. Classification scores, DHIA records, etc. written on the form will disqualify the entry.
- One side view picture is required.** It is preferred that a rear view, a top view, and a front view also be provided in order to give the judges a more complete view of the animal. Please submit only one picture per view. Suggested size is 3 inches x 4 inches. If handlers are visible in the photos, they should not be readily identifiable. Photos, conventional or digital, must be sharp and clear; either black & white or color is acceptable. Identify the animal on the back of each photo by its complete registration number only. **All photos must have been taken during the year for which the animal is nominated. PHOTOS WILL NOT BE RETURNED.**
- The nomination form and the show win form may be photocopied for additional entries.
- It is the owner's responsibility to verify the accuracy of all information provided on the entry form. Any entries found to be fraudulent will disqualify an animal from competition in the program.
- An entry fee of \$2.00 per animal must accompany the nomination form.
- All entries must be postmarked by **March 1**.
- Winners will be announced prior to July 1.

## ALL-AMERICAN CLASSES

(Base date is June 30)

### JUNIOR DOES (dry)

- Junior kid (Under 3 months)
- Intermediate kid (3 to under 4 months)
- Senior kid (5 to under 5 months)
- Junior yearling (6 to under 12 months)
- Senior yearling (12 to under 24 months)

### SENIOR DOES

- Under 2 years in milk
- Two years & under 3
- Three years & under 4
- Four years & under 5
- Five years & over

### BUCKS

- Junior (under 1 year)
- One year & under 2
- Two years & under 3
- Three years & under 5
- Five years & over

For more information contact: Margie at [goats@blythmoor.com](mailto:goats@blythmoor.com)

**Send entries to: Margie Dykstra, 11395 Meridian Street, Independence OR 97351**

Electronic/digital versions of your photos and application may be emailed to Margie at [goats@blythmoor.com](mailto:goats@blythmoor.com)