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BLISTER BEETLE POISONING

~Submitted by Cindy Bene

“Blister beetle” poisoning may occur when one of the various species of blister beetles are ingested by livestock. The beetles are found primarily in alfalfa, and tend to swarm when the crop is in full bloom. If the alfalfa is harvested at this time, the beetles can be trapped in the bales and contaminate the crop. Even small parts of the beetle are toxic. As little as 4-6 grams may be fatal to an 1100 pound horse.¹ If possible, you should avoid cutting hay in the areas of the field where blister beetles are present. Once the beetles leave, these areas can be harvested. Since blister beetles usually don't emerge until late May/June in the southwest USA, the first cutting is generally free of blister beetles, and by the same token, the last cutting is usually safe because the adult blister beetles are no longer active.³

This type of poisoning occurs mostly in horses, but can occur in cattle, sheep, and goats. In addition, it can also occur in people, dogs, cats, rabbits and rats.³ Blister beetles do not spread their toxin by biting. The beetles contain a substance called cantharidin. This toxic chemical causes blistering and necrosis of any mucous membranes it may be in contact with. When the beetles are mating, the male secretes this colorless, odorless toxin for the female to use to cover her eggs for protection against predators.⁴ How the cantharidin is produced by the beetle is not known. Cantharidin levels are not affected by curing the hay, and even if using

hay that was harvested years previously, the toxin is still present.¹ If ingested by livestock, the tissues most often affected are the gastrointestinal mucosa including the mouth, renal or bladder tissue and the heart muscle.² Symptoms may include salivation and anorexia (from blisters and erosions of mouth and tongue), colic (from mucosal damage), urinary infection and blood in the urine (from bladder or urethral mucosal damage), dehydration, endotoxic shock and death.¹ There is no antidote or treatment other than supportive therapy with intravenous fluid to combat the dehydration and shock. Giving mineral oil via a nasogastric tube can help clear the toxin from the gastrointestinal tract, and activated charcoal via the tube may help if given early enough.³



Pictured above: Black blister beetle (Epicauta pennsylvanica). Photo courtesy of Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

SOURCES:

¹ http://www.aeep.org/health_articles_view.php?id=254 accessed 10-24-12

² http://www.petmd.com/horse/conditions/digestive/c_hr_blister_beetle_poisoning accessed 10-24-12

³ The Merck Veterinary Manual, 8th edition, 1998

⁴ <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cantharidin> accessed 10-24-12

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FROM THE FARM...

2012 was an exciting year of growth and new programs for MGR. Our total registrations for 2012 are as follows:

Total Myotonic Goats registered in the U.S.	3421
Total Does	2205
Total Bucks	1216
Total Wethers (included in the Bucks total)	111
Total Myotonic Goats registered in Canada	95
Total Does	56
Total Bucks	39
Total Wethers (included in the Bucks total)	10
Total Myotonic Goats registered in 2012	3516

We also had over 700 active breeders on 12/31/2012!

The first Myotonic Goat Registry judging school was held in Henderson, TX on November 9, 2012. Students were taught and tested under the instruction of Dr. Frank Craddock & Preston Farris. Becoming a judge for MGR was no easy task and I would like to congratulate the following students: Sue Johnson, Pamela T. Weeks, Janice Likens, Karen Lamb, Cameron DeBorde, Tim Ervin, Debbie Mullins, Lowell Walker & Terry Alleva.

I would like to welcome Becki Anderson from TX, to the MGR Show Committee! I know she is going to be a won-

derful addition to our program. A warm welcome also goes to Diana Long from AL and Ellen Pitman from TX who have joined the MGR Youth Committee. I am so thankful for so many wonderful dedicated people who want to help MGR & our Youth!

I would like to remind all breeders that MGR has a Yahoo group and a Facebook group along with a Facebook Myotonic Goats For Sale group. If you would like to be added to any of the groups please e-mail me at:

myotonicgoatregistry@yahoo.com

All youth breeders are welcome to be part of the groups but must have a parent or legal guardian added along with them. It is our goal to offer the safest possible environment for our youth.

On December 31, 2012 our registry closed to bucks. All bucks registered must be out of (2) MGR registered parents. Non-registered reference goats in our database or goats registered with any other registry does NOT constitute MGR registered parents. Please be sure to check the paperwork on any bucks you intend to purchase as this will affect your ability to register kids.

The 2013 National show & Judges school is currently in the planning stages and hopefully will be ready to announce shortly. The expected time will be the second weekend in November. Please be sure to check the MGR website for updates.

Each spring the registry becomes extremely busy with new kid registrations. I am asking everyone to submit their kid registrations as early as they possibly can. My goal is to offer the best possible service to every breeder but that also means everyone must submit timely registration applications. Waiting until a week before your kids are ready to sell or a buyer is standing in front of you does not offer your buyers good service. I receive many calls during the year from upset buyers who were promised a registration certificate on a goat they purchased only to never receive them. If you are buying registered goats then refuse to make the purchase without the papers in hand. There is nothing MGR can do to provide you with a registration certificate after the fact! I would like to wish each of you a happy and prosperous 2013!

~Tara

NOTICE OF CHANGE

Looking to the future of the breed is very important not only for its preservation but also for the acceptance of the Myotonic as a breed. One of the ongoing problems in that acceptance is that as a landrace breed it has many different looks, and therefore cannot be given a breed standard that will cover the breed. This is the reason MGR has in the past only used a Breed Description.

How do we get this to be an accepted breed by the industry and also be able to have a breed standard that will indeed allow for a true conformation? Not a simple or quick task to do. However, we will begin on 01/01/2013 to initiate our first step by closing the registry to allow only bucks that have two (2) registered MGR parents.

How does this help? We must accept that our Bucks are one half of our herd. Therefore, if no new bucks are allowed into the MGR registry then we will begin to see a particular look begin to shape within this registry. This will not happen overnight but is a start to progressively moving the Myotonics into a breed that can be recognized instantly by breeders.

Remember: as of 01/01/2013 Bucks without TWO registered MGR parents will not be allowed to be registered---no exceptions.

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THE GOURMET GOAT: ASPARAGUS & TUNA NOODLE CASSEROLE

Recipe courtesy of Meyenberg Goat Milk Products

Ingredients:

1 lb. fresh asparagus, or 1 package (10 oz.) frozen asparagus cuts and tips
 1/2 cup boiling water
 3 Tablespoons butter or margarine
 3 Tablespoons all purpose flour
 1 1/2 teaspoons salt
 1/2 teaspoon dry mustard
 1 1/2 teaspoons Worcestershire sauce
 12 oz. MEYENBERG Evaporated Goat Milk
 1 can (6 1/2 oz.) tuna, drained
 3 cups cooked shell noodles
 3/4 cup sliced ripe olives
 2 cups (8 oz.) grated cheddar cheese, divided usage

Instructions:

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Clean and cut fresh asparagus into 1 to 2 inch pieces. In large saucepan, cook asparagus in boiling water until tender. Stir in butter. Set aside. In small mixing bowl, combine flour, salt, mustard and Worcestershire sauce. Gradually stir in evaporated goat milk. Mix until smooth. Pour milk mixture over asparagus. Cook and stir until mixture thickens. Stir in tuna, noodles, olives and 1 cup of cheese. Pour into shallow greased two quart baking dish. Sprinkle remaining cup of cheese over top. Bake 20-25 minutes or until hot and bubbly. Serve hot. Makes six 1-cup servings.



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Questions? Contact Cindy Bene at 757-357-6951 or via email at candjbene@gmail.com

WEAK KID SYNDROME

~Becki Anderson

My hope is that my experience will help someone else and save some babies. A couple of days ago I went out in the morning to feed the goats and found a 3 week old buckling totally limp in the barn. He is a triplet that I have been supplementing twice a day to avoid a bottle baby. The temperature in the night here was in the 20s. I immediately brought him into the house and the first thing I thought of was to get some warm milk in him but he was so weak he could not suck. I was about to tube him and did not see him breathing. So I walked away thinking we lost him and thought there was nothing I could do. After a couple of minutes I walked by him to go back outside and finish my chores. When I did I thought I saw him breathe. So I decided to go ahead and tube him. Luckily I had bought a weak kid syringe with tube a couple of weeks before. I have never had to tube a goat before and didn't have time to go read instructions. All I could remember was to put the tube in the left side of his mouth. After I tubed him, I put him on a heating pad on a low setting with a towel over it. Then I went online and looked up weak kid syndrome on www.tennesseemeatgoats.com. I then took his temperature and it wouldn't even register on the thermometer. I followed what the article said and immediately put him in warm water. In the mean time I injected warm lactated ringers under the skin. I gave him 60ccs (30ccs subcutaneously in each of side of his shoulders). I then tubed him again with a couple of ounces of warm water with molasses. I continued the warm water bath until his temperature reached 100 degrees. I didn't realize until I read the article that babies that have a body temperature below 100 degrees cannot

digest milk. So I don't know if that helped him or not but it was my first reaction. I gave him 1cc each of B12 and B Complex. Once his temperature reached the 100 degrees, I dried him off with a blow dryer and placed him on a heating pad again. The heating pad was on a low setting and covered with a towel. I kept checking on him and eventually he was started to cry out. After about 3 hours of the whole ordeal, I walked into the room where he was and he was standing up on the other side of the room and cried out to me. I then fixed him a bottle of milk and he took it all. I was shocked. I couldn't believe it. I really thought he was dead. I would never wish this experience on anyone. I do hope that if you have to go thru it that my experience helps you. His name is K&B Ranch Second "Chance".



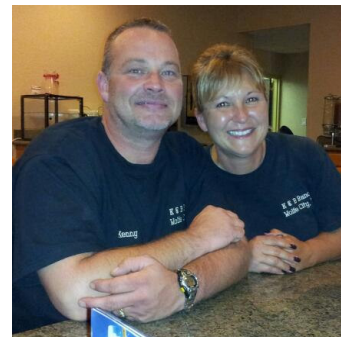
Pictured above: K&B Ranch Second "Chance"

MGR BREEDER BECKI ANDERSON

Howdy from Texas! We are located about 45 minutes east of Dallas in Wolfe City, Texas. We moved from the city to the country on 33 acres in May 2009. The following month we decided to go buy a pot bellied pig and while we were there a pygmy buckling snuck in the truck! LOL We didn't have a clue about goats. We went home and started doing some research about them and found out that we needed more than one. So we bought him two pygmy doelings. We soon fell in love with goats and wanted more. After doing some more research, we decided to buy some Myotonics. In August, we bought three of them. Soon after that we sold the pygmies and now have around 60 Myotonics. We fell in love with them and their nature!

When we first started we bought pet quality because we were mainly looking at color ; soon after that we discovered they have muscle. So we started buying and breeding for muscling. Then in 2011 we went to our first MGR show and fell in love with the people at the shows. We hosted our first MGR show that September. We had so much fun that we hosted two more this year. We are very excited about our show next year because we will have our show with The Hunt County Fair.

We love going to shows because it is not only fun talking with everyone but it gives more exposure to our wonderful breed of Myotonic goats! People get curious and come to the show to see what Myotonics are. Something else is that every time we go to a show or have a show we always learn something new. So I want to use this time to encourage everyone to support MGR sanctioned shows by either participating or monetary. Ways to do this are by sponsoring classes, donations for raffle or silent auctions, etc. We look forward to meeting and chatting with you at the next show. Be sure to check the MGR website for show information.



Kenny and Becki Anderson



K&B Ranch Abby won Senior Champion Doe and Reserve Grand Champion Doe at 2012 Louisiana Lagniappe.

Proud owners of Cottonwood Fainters Trina



Proud owners of Outlaw Farm's Katie.

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ARENDSVILLE, PA SHOW

Shows held August 25, 2012
at the South Mountain Fair in Arendtsville, PA
Judge for South Mountain Myotonic Goat Show: Lynda Gredin
Judge for South Mountain Falling Fainters Show: Todd Biddle

South Mountain Myotonic Goat Show

South Mountain Falling Fainters Show

Junior Champion Doe

Pint Size Calendar Girl	Jan Likens
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Pint Size Calendar Girl	Jan Likens
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Reserve Junior Champion Doe

B's Barn Orange Blossom Special	Judy Balmer
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Dancing Bear Etta James At Last	Susan Soeder
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Senior Champion Doe

Pint Size Ambrosia	Jan Likens
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Pint Size Ambrosia	Jan Likens
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Reserve Senior Champion Doe

B's Barn Lacy Nightie	Judy Balmer
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B's Barn Lacy Nightie	Judy Balmer
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Grand Champion Doe

Pint Size Ambrosia	Jan Likens
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Pint Size Ambrosia	Jan Likens
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Reserve Grand Champion Doe

B's Barn Lacy Nightie	Judy Balmer
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Pint Size Calendar Girl	Jan Likens
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Junior Champion Buck

Duffy Fainting Goat Farm MacRoogagh	Jason & Christina Duffy
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Duffy Fainting Goat Farm MacRoogagh	Jason & Christina Duffy
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Reserve Junior Champion Buck

Duffy Fainting Goat Farm Vincenzo	Jason & Christina Duffy
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Snickerdoodles Farm Ajax	Valerie Manley
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Senior Champion Buck

Pint Size LB Sambo	Jan Likens
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RFF Truffles Treasure	Glen Warner/Earl Gates
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Reserve Senior Champion Buck

Brassring Aengus	Jason & Christina Duffy
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Grace's Farm Galaxy	Jaime French
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Grand Champion Buck

Pint Size LB Sambo	Jan Likens
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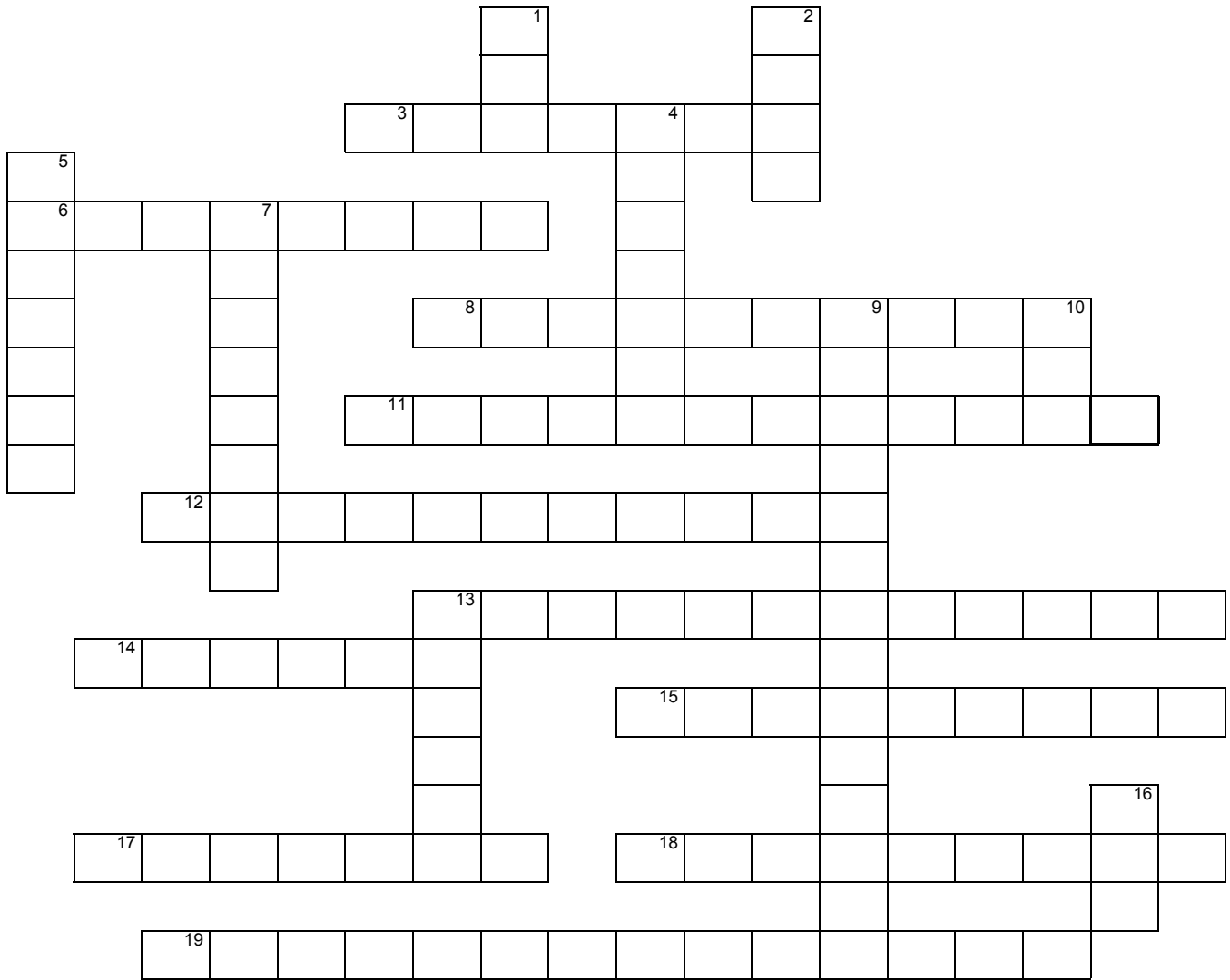
RFF Truffles Treasure	Glen Warner/Earl Gates
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Reserve Grand Champion Buck

Brassring Aengus	Jason & Christina Duffy
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Grace's Farm Galaxy	Jaime French
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GOAT & SHEEP TERMS CROSSWORD PUZZLE



ACROSS

DOWN

- 3 A small, enclosed area for grazing
- 6 An animal that lives by killing and eating other animals
- 8 Available 24 hours a day and 7 days a week
- 11 A basic shelter with a roof and three sides
- 12 The weight of a kid taken after birth
- 13 To provide supplementary feed to kids
- 14 To give liquid medicine by mouth
- 15 First milk doe gives after birth
- 17 Method of castrating a buckling
- 18 An extension of the gums on the upper jaw
- 19 A time of year when there is an increase demand for product

- 1 A ruminant's undigested food
- 2 Half Kiko and half Boer breed
- 4 Not eating as much as usual
- 5 A doe that isn't pregnant
- 7 Difficult labor or delivery
- 9 Non-prescription drug
- 10 A female sheep
- 13 Goat meat of any kind
- 16 An uncastrated male sheep

***NOTE: Some answers are two or three words; there is no space between the words in the puzzle.**

Solution on page 12

WINTERSET, IA SHOW

Shows held September 8 & 9, 2012
 at the Madison County Fairgrounds in Winterset, IA
 Judge for Covered Bridge Show A : NPGA Judge Carol Hepner
 Judge for Covered Bridge Show B: ABGA Judge Dr. Beth Walker

Covered Bridge Show A	Covered Bridge Show B
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Junior Champion Doe	
Pint Size Meiko	Jan Likens
Reserve Junior Champion Doe	
Pint Size Calendar Girl	Jan Likens
Senior Champion Doe	
Pint Size High Fashion	Jan Likens
Reserve Senior Champion Doe	
Pint Size Holly Daze	Jan Likens
Grand Champion Doe	
Pint Size Meiko	Jan Likens
Reserve Grand Champion Doe	
Pint Size High Fashion	Jan Likens
Junior Champion Buck	
Painted Rose Ranch Alex	Judy Balmer
Reserve Junior Champion Buck	
Indian Creek Fainters Boomer	Linda Ferris
Senior Champion Buck	
Sugar Creek Ranch Tank	Mark Thomaschefsky
Reserve Senior Champion Buck	
Pint Size LB Sambo	Jan Likens
Grand Champion Buck	
Sugar Creek Ranch Tank	Mark Thomaschefsky
Reserve Grand Champion Buck	
Pint Size LB Sambo	Jan Likens
Junior Champion Wether	
B's Barn Willy Nilly	Judy Balmer
Reserve Junior Champion Wether	
Grace's Farm Seneca	Grace Davidson
Senior Champion Wether	
Hanna's Brownie	Hanna Bedwell
Reserve Senior Champion Wether	
B's Barn Stewart	Macy Ferris
Grand Champion Wether	
Hanna's Brownie	Hanna Bedwell
Reserve Grand Champion Wether	
B's Barn Stewart	Macy Ferris

MILLINGTON, TN SHOW

International Goat Days Festival held September 6- 8, 2012 in Millington, TN
 W. S. Howard Memorial Myotonic Show Judge: Jesse Cornelius
 Mr. Babe's Myotonic Mania Show Judge: Wade Buntin

W. S. Howard Memorial

Mr Babe's Myotonic Mania

Junior Champion Doe

B's Barn Luna Moonrise	Lynnsey Dauer	Woody Creek Farm O'Hot Sunbird	Lynnsey Dauer
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Reserve Junior Champion Doe

Bakken's Farm Jenna	Rick & Nancy Geeslin	B's Barn Luna Moonrise	Lynnsey Dauer
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Senior Champion Doe

7 Fainting Acres Kristine	7 Fainting Acres	Brassring Sequin	Lisa Edinger
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Reserve Senior Champion Doe

Brassring Sequin	Lisa Edinger	Moonlight Farms Milan	Prissy Chilcutt
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Grand Champion Doe

7 Fainting Acres Kristine	7 Fainting Acres	Woody Creek Farm O'Hot Sunbird	Lynnsey Dauer
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Reserve Grand Champion Doe

B's Barn Luna Moonrise	Lynnsey Dauer	Brassring Sequin	Lisa Edinger
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Junior Champion Buck

Buck Creek Romeo	Lynnsey Dauer	Buck Creek Romeo	Lynnsey Dauer
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Reserve Junior Champion Buck

S.A.K.'s Sham Rock	Joseph Turney	Fern Hill Diablo	Prissy Chilcutt
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Senior Champion Buck

Jamcin's Sassparilla	Rick & Nancy Geeslin	Fern Hill Firestone	Prissy Chilcutt
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Reserve Senior Champion Buck

Hillside Acres Dinger	Rick & Nancy Geeslin	Hillside Acres Dinger	Rick & Nancy Geeslin
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Grand Champion Buck

Jamcin's Sassparilla	Rick & Nancy Geeslin	Buck Creek Romeo	Lynnsey Dauer
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Reserve Grand Champion Buck

Buck Creek Romeo	Lynnsey Dauer	Fern Hill Diablo	Prissy Chilcutt
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Junior Champion Wether

Sawtree Ridge Buddy	Robin Cotten	Sawtree Ridge Buddy	Robin Cotten
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Reserve Junior Champion Wether

7 Fainting Acres Nothing Available	7 Fainting Acres	7 Fainting Acres Nothing Available	7 Fainting Acres
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Senior Champion Wether

Outlaw Farms Octavious	Ellen Pittman	Wells Little Man Friday	Zona Johnson
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Reserve Senior Champion Wether

Brassring Big Hoss	Jasmine Pittman	Outlaw Farms Octavious	Ellen Pittman
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Grand Champion Wether

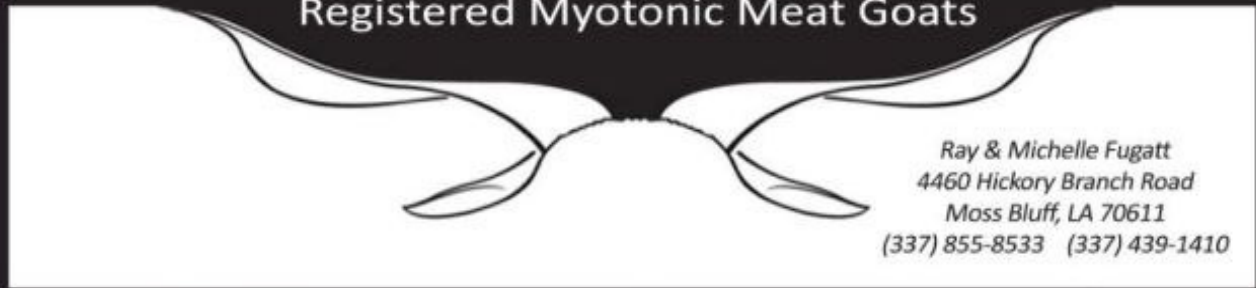
Outlaw Farms Octavious	Ellen Pittman	Wells Little Man Friday	Zona Johnson
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Reserve Grand Champion Wether

Sawtree Ridge Buddy	Robin Cotten	Sawtree Ridge Buddy	Robin Cotten
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Solution to Crossword Puzzle on Page 8:

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|---|----------|-----------|------------------|----|-----------------|
| 1 | Cud | 8 | Free Choice | 14 | Drench |
| 2 | Boki | 9 | Over The Counter | 15 | Colostrum |
| 3 | Paddock | 10 | Ewe | 16 | Ram |
| 4 | Off Feed | 11 | Field Shelter | 17 | Banding |
| 5 | Open Doe | 12 | Birth Weight | 18 | Dental Pad |
| 6 | Predator | 13 Across | Creep Feeding | 19 | Seasonal Market |
| 7 | Dystocia | 13 Down | Chevon | | |

GREENVILLE, TX SHOW

The Lone Star Fainting Goat Shows were held on September 29, 2012
 at the Hunt County Fairgrounds in Greenville, TX
 Judge Show A: Dr. Frank Craddock
 Judge Show B: Gary Whitehead

Show A		Show B	
Junior Champion Doe			
Wolf River Pretty Girl	Rick & Nancy Geeslin	Bakken's Farm Rosetta	Rick & Nancy Geeslin
Reserve Junior Champion Doe			
Shade Tree Acres Copper Bows	Rick & Nancy Geeslin	Wolf River Pretty Girl	Rick & Nancy Geeslin
Senior Champion Doe			
7F Ranch Vidalia	Parker Huddleston	Bakken's Farm Midge	Rick & Nancy Geeslin
Reserve Senior Champion Doe			
S-L Miss Debra	Jim Rosenbaum	Bakken's Farm Tinkerbelle	Rick & Nancy Geeslin
Grand Champion Doe			
Wolf River Pretty Girl	Rick & Nancy Geeslin	Bakken's Farm Midge	Rick & Nancy Geeslin
Reserve Grand Champion Doe			
Shade Tree Acres Copper Bows	Rick & Nancy Geeslin	Bakken's Farm Tinkerbelle	Rick & Nancy Geeslin
Junior Champion Buck			
AXM Ruben	Jim Rosenbaum	Wolf River Boots	Michael & Carolyn Akin
Reserve Junior Champion Buck			
Buck Creek Antony	Leonie Dysart	Wolf River Malachi	Rick & Nancy Geeslin
Senior Champion Buck			
S-L Superman Star	Jim Rosenbaum	Hillside Acres Dinger	Rick & Nancy Geeslin
Reserve Senior Champion Buck			
S-L Superman Alabama	Jim Rosenbaum	S-L Superman Alabama	Jim Rosenbaum
Grand Champion Buck			
S-L Superman Star	Jim Rosenbaum	Wolf River Boots	Michael & Carolyn Akin
Reserve Grand Champion Buck			
S-L Superman Alabama	Jim Rosenbaum	Hillside Acres Dinger	Rick & Nancy Geeslin
Junior Champion Wether			
Wolf River Red Moon	Rick & Nancy Geeslin	Wolf River Red Moon	Rick & Nancy Geeslin
Reserve Junior Champion Wether			
Bar T Ranch Logan	Glenn Larson/Tammy Martin	Wolf River Mikey	Breanna Baumeister
Grand Champion Wether			
Wolf River Red Moon	Rick & Nancy Geeslin	Wolf River Red Moon	Rick & Nancy Geeslin
Reserve Grand Champion Wether			
Bar T Ranch Logan	Glenn Larson/Tammy Martin	Wolf River Mikey	Breanna Baumeister

HENDERSON, TX FACE OFF SHOW

Shows held November 10 & 11, 2012
 at the Rusk County Expo Center in Henderson, TX
 Judge Show A: Dr. Frank Craddock
 Judge Show B: Preston Farris

Show A		Show B	
Junior Champion Doe			
S-L Miss Debra	Jim Rosenbaum	S-L Miss Debra	Jim Rosenbaum
Reserve Junior Champion Doe			
Hillside Acres Paxton	Tommy & Maggie Raby	Wolf River Belle	Rick & Nancy Geeslin
Senior Champion Doe			
Hillside Acres Bluebell	Tommy & Maggie Raby	Hillside Acres Bluebell	Tommy & Maggie Raby
Reserve Senior Champion Doe			
Hillside Acres Pepper	Tommy & Maggie Raby	Hillside Acres Pepper	Tommy & Maggie Raby
Grand Champion Doe			
Hillside Acres Bluebell	Tommy & Maggie Raby	Hillside Acres Bluebell	Tommy & Maggie Raby
Reserve Grand Champion Doe			
Hillside Acres Pepper	Tommy & Maggie Raby	Hillside Acres Pepper	Tommy & Maggie Raby
Junior Champion Buck			
Bakken's Farm Kid Rock	Tommy & Maggie Raby	Bakken's Farm Kid Rock	Tommy & Maggie Raby
Reserve Junior Champion Buck			
Buck Creek Playboy	Tommy & Maggie Raby	Buck Creek Playboy	Tommy & Maggie Raby
Senior Champion Buck			
Woody Creek Farm Straight Shot	Jim Rosenbaum	Slate Creek Farm Kieshon	Joseph Turney
Reserve Senior Champion Buck			
Slate Creek Farm Kieshon	Joseph Turney	Woody Creek Farm Straight Shot	Jim Rosenbaum
Grand Champion Buck			
Bakken's Farm Kid Rock	Tommy & Maggie Raby	Bakken's Farm Kid Rock	Tommy & Maggie Raby
Reserve Grand Champion Buck			
Buck Creek Playboy	Tommy & Maggie Raby	Slate Creek Farm Kieshon	Joseph Turney
Junior Champion Wether			
Wolf River Red Moon	Rick & Nancy Geeslin	Wolf River Red Rover	Rick & Nancy Geeslin
Reserve Junior Champion Wether			
Wolf River Red Rover	Rick & Nancy Geeslin	ET3 Hank Snow	Tim & Melissa Ervin
Senior Champion Wether			
Hillside Acres Zeus	Conner Snelling	Hillside Acres Zeus	Conner Snelling
Reserve Senior Champion Wether			
Outlaw Farms Octavious	Ellen Pittman	Wells Smitty	Grace Lawrence
Grand Champion Wether			
Hillside Acres Zeus	Conner Snelling	Hillside Acres Zeus	Conner Snelling
Reserve Grand Champion Wether			
Wolf River Red Moon	Rick & Nancy Geeslin	Wolf River Red Rover	Rick & Nancy Geeslin

MYOTONIC GOAT REGISTRY NATIONAL SHOW CHAMPIONS



Pictured above from left to right:

National Champion Buck Woody Creek Farm Daytona, owned by Jack & Prissy Chilcutt

National Champion Wether 7 Fainting Acres Hueys Hurricane, owned by Max Lawrence

National Champion Doe Pint Size Greta, owned by Jan Likens

Tara Lawrence, Owner of Myotonic Goat Registry



Pictured at left:

**Grace Lawrence
and Thomas,
who won Flashiest Goat
at the Henderson, TX show**

"Don't Delay..."



Renew Today!"

Myotonic Goat Registry
3174 Valley Ford Road
Adger, AL 35006

**2013 Annual Breeder Fee Invoice
&
Breeder Information Update**

Name:

MGR Breeder Number:

Address:

Phone:

Email Address:

Website:

Please take a moment to update your breeder information so the website and database will reflect your current information. Print legibly!

Submit this form (photocopy okay) along with your renewal fee of \$24 for the year 2013 to the address given above.

Please disregard this invoice if you have already renewed your annual breeder fee or have a different renewal date. Thank you for continuing to support Myotonic Goat Registry.

**BREEDER ANNUAL FEES ARE DUE BY JANUARY 31, 2013
IN ORDER TO RETAIN YOUR ACTIVE STATUS.**



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Website: www.myotonicgoatregistry.net

The Myotonic Goat Registry was formed in 2005 as a sole ownership registry by Gene McNutt with input from an initial Board of Advisors made up of Dr. Phil Sponenberg and Barbara Roberts. The current Board of Advisors also includes Cindy Bene, Judy Balmer, Jan Likens and Dian Naumann. The owner and Board of Advisors will make decisions concerning the registry and its procedures. This method of governance is meant to provide Myotonic Goat breeders with a registry that will not have frequent changes, and will have the longevity and consistency needed to successfully promote the Myotonic Goat breed, while at the same time make it responsive to the needs and wishes of the breeders. In 2009, Gene retired and the registry was sold to Tara Lawrence. As the Myotonic Goat Registry grows, additional Board of Advisor members may be added in order to more broadly represent the breeders. The owner, along with the Board of Advisors, will be responsible for providing for its own replacements and/or expansions.

The Myotonic Goat Registry takes into consideration all breeders, from pet owners to commercial meat growers. Regardless of which aspect of this breed appeals to you, the Myotonic Goat Registry is the place for all breeders to register their Myotonic Goats.

The Registry will help breeders promote their goats through sales, shows, and advertising, and will educate the public about the Myotonic Goat and its usefulness in a variety of settings.

WELCOME NEW MGR BREEDERS

BREEDER STATISTICS

Alpacas for Autism, MO	Connie P. Hammond, AL
David & Robin Bazille, WI	Jessyca Hedrick, TX
Don & Tahra Bedwell, IA	Kim Hicks, NC
Lee Anne Bradt, TN	Jeff Hollifield, NC
Donald & Christine Brown, IA	John & Wendy Huff, OK
Wendy Byrum, NC	Laverne Itzen, WI
Jennifer Cannon, GA	Jordan E. Judlin, PA
M. Nanette Chastine, DVM, GA	Kailyn S. Judlin, PA
Jake Chevallier, LA	EmiLeah Lexi Key, TN
Rosie Christensen, MN	Allison Brooke Klaiber, OH
Crystal Lynn Comeau, CT	Karen Klaiber, PA
Frank E. Cope, OK	Tara Lynn & Keegan Knepp, IN
Jason D. Deckard, IN	Mackenzie Kurtz, MN
David DeHart & Jodi Wray, WV	Joe, Karen & Kyle Lamb, LA
Judy Deming, MN	Mary Louise Lawrence, PA
Dustin Dishon, VA	Cindy Lillich, NC
Raylee Eberwein, LA	Walter & Melissa Long, MS
Alison Egan, WI	Chad & Molly Lowe, TX
David & Melissa Every, NH	Kerry & Cordone Lubold, NY
Earl & Connie Gates, PA	Jack & Cindy McGovern, SC
Julie Gauthier, NC	Tawnee Miller, IA
Dina Gladieux, OH	Sara Rose Murkens, PA
Lynda Gredin, PA	Terry & Charlotte Nelson, MN
Melissa Graham, PA	John W. Oliver, TN
Bunny J. Greenleaf, VT	Shelby Oliver, TN
Nolan Hadley, NC	Donna & David Olson, WI

Christy Pettes, TN
Donna Pickel, WI
Brad & Karen Pierson, TX
Jim Raven, KS
Jean M. Ritchie, MN
Jeremy & Michelle Roberts, IL
Andrew Sauder, Canada
Steve Shafer & Beth Collier-Shafer, TN
Erin C. Sharp, VA
Matthew & Kristy Shearer, OH
Haley Shetler, IA
Gillis Ray Smith, KY
Jackson Smith, LA
Marshall & Jordan Stafford, LA
Joy Nienow Stoen, MN
Daniel & Angela Strickler, IN
Matthew Thomaschefskey, IL
Rachel Thomaschefskey, IL
Sarah Thomaschefskey, IL
Linda Von Haugg, NC
Lowell T. Walker, CA
Brittany Welsh, CA
Terry & Rob Wheeler, CA
Kathy & Richard Whitford, CA
John Williams, TN
Thomas & Carrie Wilson, KS

As of
 December 31, 2012
 there were 740
 registered breeders
 in the Myotonic
 Goat
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