

2019 Highland County Goat Ambassador Contest

When: August 9th, 2019 at 6 P.M.

Where: 4-H Food Booth at the Highland County
Fairgrounds

Each Ambassador will have their Junior Fair Pass paid for and will receive a \$30.00 food voucher for the fair!!!

Contest Rules:

1. Applicant must be between the age of 8 (and in 3rd grade) and 18 as of January 1 of the current year (4-H age).
2. Applicant must be (and must remain if selected) an active 4-H and/or FFA member in good standing and have a goat project registered for the current year at the Highland County Jr. Fair.
3. The same title cannot be held for 2 consecutive years if previously chosen to be a Highland Co. Goat Ambassador.
4. Applicant must be unmarried and childless.
5. Complete the attached application and submit with the signed agreement to the listed person(s) on or before August 6th. Both mail and e-mail submissions will be accepted.

Ambassador Duties:

1. Participate in award presentations during the Jr. Fair and Open class goat shows at the Highland County Fair. This includes the Dairy Goat Show on Sunday and the 4-H show on Monday. (A schedule will be made before the show to ensure ambassadors will have time to prep their project animal(s))
2. Assist with the skill-a-thon and be present for the goat sale.
3. Promote the goat industry. – Ambassadors are encouraged to offer assistance at any open class goat show they attend.
4. Assist the goat barn superintendents in daily activities and shows.
5. Ambassadors are expected to present themselves in a professional manner at all times as they are representing not only themselves, but the goat industry in Highland County as well.

Contest Information

Contestants will be judged on their knowledge of goats, personality, poise, and their ability to express themselves orally.

A contest will take place on August 9th, 2019 in the 4-H Food Booth at the Highland County Fairgrounds at 6 p.m.

Two awards will be given. Junior Ambassador will be awarded to a contestant from ages 8 and in 3rd grade to 13 as of January 1, 2019. Senior Ambassador will be awarded to a contestant from ages 14 to 18 as of January 1, 2019.

Contestants must be prepared to give a speech (Jr. 1-3 minutes, Sr. 3-5 minutes) and answer questions from the Judges.

Speech Topic: Imagine a person has walked into the goat barn at the fair. They have just moved to the area and they have some land and a barn. They ask for advice about what type of livestock they should raise. How would you convince them that goats would be the best option?

I acknowledge that I have read the above description and understand what is expected of me if I am chosen as Goat Ambassador.

Signature: _____

Name: _____

I, the parent/guardian of _____,
consent to him/her participating in the Goat Ambassador contest and should he/she be selected, I agree to assist him/her in any way necessary to ensure he/she is able to complete the duties expected of him/her.

Signature: _____

Name: _____

Please return completed form & this signed agreement to:
Highland Co. Goat Association, c/o Mary and Amy Hagar, 3161 Hereford Rd. Sardinia, OH 45171. Or email to corapira@gmail.com. Any questions can be directed to Mary Hagar (937)446-2755 or Amy Hagar (937)205-7219

Name: _____

Address _____

City/State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Date of birth _____ Age as of 1/1/19 _____

How long have you been involved with goats? _____

Please answer the following questions **only** in the space provided.

Why do you want to be the Goat Ambassador?

What makes you qualified to be the Goat Ambassador?

What are some of your school activities?

What are some of your other activities?
