

**Mayberry Show**  
**Friday June 19 @ 1:00 pm**  
**\*Sponsored by Shady Oak Ranch\***  
**Kern County Fairgrounds**  
**1142 South P Street Bakersfield, CA 93307**

Goats can be checked in from 11:30 am to 12:30 pm on Friday June 19, 2020 for the 1:00 pm show. Judge will be Shelly Strahan (MGR).

**MGR SANCTIONED SHOW RULES**

1. Goats must be registered by the Myotonic Goat Registry. The ORIGINAL registration certificate MUST accompany the goat during check-in. Kids under three (3) months of age must be registered for any sanctioned classes. No pending registrations will be accepted at check-in.
2. Age eligibility for classes will be determined by date of birth on the registration certificate.
3. The full correct registered name of goat must be used on the entry forms.
4. The goats permanent ID (USDA scrapie tag, tattoo, or microchip) must be on the Health Certificate and the registration from the MGR.
5. The correct Breeder/Exhibitor name as on the Reg. Certificate must be on the entry form, unless you have a signed transfer application that is dated 45 days or less before the show date and the breeder that is on the transfer application is a current MGR breeder.
6. Substitutions will be allowed at Check-in within the same class at no charge.
7. Goats will be released immediately after the show but may stay until June 21, 2020.
8. All goats entering California MUST have a health certificate not within 30 days of the show and include the show address as your destination. Scrapie rules apply. If you use microchips, you must furnish a reader. Tattoos MUST be legible. Scrapie tags are acceptable. You MUST bring an extra copy of your goat's health certificate that will be retained by the show secretary.
9. All goats must be shown with collar. Bucks must be secure at all times.
10. Show secretary reserves the right to split large classes.
11. Entry fee: **\$10.00** per goat/ per show including kids in sanctioned classes.
12. Entries must be received no later than **May 30, 2020** to be in the show book, entries will be accepted up till the start of the show as long as they are listed on your health certificate. **There will be a late charge on entries not received by May 30th of \$2 additional per goat per class.**
13. MGR Rules to govern and to take precedence over all others
14. No refunds of entry fees under any circumstances.
15. This is a ribbon and points show. Any available awards will be announced at the show.
16. Goats may be sold by private treaty. Any goats sold must be entered in the show.
17. Any item that comes up that is not specifically covered by these rules will be decided by the show committee and their decision will be final.

18. All goats entering (CA) for exhibition must meet all the requirements for entry into (CA). Goats may be examined on grounds by show personnel or state Veterinarian. Goats showing evidence of disease, particularly foot rot, sore mouth, abscesses will not be allowed to enter the barn or show and may be released by officials.
19. No animal with an open wound shall be allowed to be unloaded on the showground. The organizers of this show and the facility will not be liable for any loss, damages or accidents to animals, persons or property while at the show grounds. Youth exhibitors are to be accompanied by a responsible adult.
20. No alcoholic beverages or smoking in the barns or arena allowed.
21. Good Sportsmanship is expected to be shown at all times to judges and fellow exhibitors. Poor sportsmanship instances will be properly handled by Show Host.
22. Wood chips are the acceptable forms of bedding. Each pen will receive 1/2 of a bag of shavings. If you would like additional shavings they will be available at \$8.00 per bag.
23. Pens are \$10ea for the duration of the weekend and will be cleaned by Facilities Crew at conclusion of the shows.
24. Entry fees are due at time of entry, NO EXCEPTIONS!
25. RV Camping is available, no tents

### **Kern County Fair History**

The official birth of the Kern County Agricultural Fair was on August 5, 1916. It was located on 106 acres at Chester Avenue, two blocks north of 34th Street and just south of the Kern River Bridge. There were no buildings at that time so they used tents. The Kern County Museum and Clock Tower now stand in that location.

The Kern County Fair held on October 6, 1925 had 20,000 county school children and a total of 65,000 individuals pass through the gates for the six day fair. Governor's Day was October 8th, with festivities centered on Governor Richardson. Governor Richardson was unable to attend due to the sudden illness of his daughter.

Some of the activities held during 1925 included parachute jumps, aerialists, a balloon ascension, motorcycle races and a 15 mile sweepstakes race.

The Sixth Annual Kern County Fair opened on September 24, 1930 opening at 11' clock. A big parade, headed by Captain Leslie S. Robinson as our grand marshal, formed an escort of honor for the day's principle guest, Mayor James Rolph Jr. of San Francisco, Republican nominee for governorship of California. The parade started at City Hall to the Fairgrounds. The opening was simple after giving a speech Mayor Rolph threw the latch to the main gates open.

There were 14 community exhibits, 112 Kern County school exhibits, and 100 individual commercial exhibitors. The first prize for the Best Community Exhibit went to McFarland Farm Center and was chosen to represent Kern County at the 1931 State Fair. It was also the Fair's first oil and mineral exhibit that year.

Later during the Depression in the 1930's there was no Fair held for two years. Then in 1952 the Fair was moved from the North Chester location to the present grounds.

In 1952 the Fair was a 5 day event, in 1956 was extended to 7 days, 1967 was extended to 9 days, 1977 was extended to 10 days, 1979 to 11 days, and starting in 1983 the Fair was extended to 12 days.

The 15th District Agricultural Association known as the Kern County Fair consists of 160 acres, 4 large exhibit buildings, auction barn, sheep and swine show rings, grandstand

arena, north arena, horse stalls, outdoor theater and a large well-groomed outdoor display area. The grounds are maintained all year long with blooming flowers and various large trees and shrubs. The parking lots surrounding the grounds can accommodate 7,000 vehicles. The grounds also are set up for recreational vehicle camping along with shower facilities.

In 1987 the Kern County Fair added Satellite Watch and Wager Racing. The building being used is the Albert S. Goode Auditorium. One of the big highlights of horse racing is the Kentucky Derby.

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