

Keystone Goat Producers Association, Inc.

## *Keystone Premier Sale*

Saturday, April 22, 2023

1:00 pm EST

Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture - Livestock Evaluation Center

1494 West Pine Grove Road

Pennsylvania Furnace, PA 16865

Auctioneer: Todd Umbrell

Catalog: GoatPromoter.com

Narrator: Olivia Rush

Online bidding: HiBid.com

Thank you for your interest in becoming a consignor for the 2023 Keystone Premier Sale! We look forward to working with you.

### **PLEASE BE SURE TO READ THE CONSIGNOR PACKET IN ITS ENTIRETY.**

The sale will offer approximately 100 lots. All kinds and breeds of goat are welcome to be consigned, plus semen, embryo, and recip doe lots. All lots must be owned by the consignor. Registered animals must have an original certificate. Bucks will be consigned at the rate of 1 buck per 3 does from the same consignor. Registered bucks must be DNA tested. All animals over 10 months of age must be CAE tested and negative within 60 days of the sale date.

Completed consignment form and all consignment fees are due by **WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1, 2023**. Consignment fees are listed below.

- KGPA members: \$125/lot
- Non-members: \$150/lot

2023 KGPA membership can be completed online at [www.showman.app](http://www.showman.app) or via the paper form at [www.keystonegoatproducers.net](http://www.keystonegoatproducers.net).

We will also be accepting semen donation lots to benefit the JABGA and/or KGPA. There is no consignment fee associated with donation lots.

The sale will be advertised on multiple platforms. The sooner you complete and return the consignment form, the sooner we can advertise your name/farm name!

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### **CONSIGNOR RULES**

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**Animal Identification:** All registered goats must have the original certificate from the association. Kids under 3 months of age must have an original certificate or an application for registration and transfer. All registered animals must have a legible tattoo or working microchip that matches the registration certificate. If animal has a microchip, consignor must provide a reader. Kids selling with dam must have tattoos, microchip, or scrapie tag in place. All unregistered or commercial goats must have scrapie tag in place. Animal identification must match what is listed on the health papers.

**Catalog:** The sale catalog will be published through [GoatPromoter.com](http://GoatPromoter.com). Consignors will be given the information to access the sale catalog. Consignors are responsible for entering complete information for their lots. Please include the exact name as on registration papers, registration number, sex, %, DOB, teat, pigment, and mouth information. Any disqualifications based on the breed standards must be disclosed. Pictures must be good quality, include a side view, and be free of background clutter. All pictures will be reviewed by the sale committee. Multiple pictures and a video are highly encouraged. Information may be updated at any time. The catalog is expected to go live on **March 25, 2023**. The final catalog for the sale will be printed on **April 21, 2023**.

**Advertising:** KGPA is committed to growing and expanding the sale and will be advertising on multiple platforms. All consignors are highly encouraged to advertise the sale and their lots as well. When sharing on Facebook, please tag both the Keystone Goat Producers Association page and the Keystone Premier Sale event.

**Substitutions:** Substitution lots are allowed. Information must be updated as soon as possible in the catalog. No selling of extra or open sale lots by any consignor.

**No Sale or Reserves:** There will not be a fee associated with no sale lots. Consignor is responsible for listing desired reserves for their lots at check-in. Auctioneer will adhere to all reserves so please be sure to list the desired amount. Buy backs are discouraged. Consignment fees are non-refundable.

**Arrival:** Animals may arrive at Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture - Livestock Evaluation Center on Friday, April 21, 2023 after 12:00 pm. Viewing will begin Friday, April 21, 2023 from 6:00 to 9:00 pm. All goats must be in place by 6:00 pm Friday evening. Animal verification and inspection will take place at the pen. Animals must be healthy and in good condition upon arrival. KGPA reserves the right to refuse any animal(s) with no refunds if they do not meet health and visual inspection. Consignors are responsible for providing bedding. No bedding will be sold on-site. Lots will be penned by consignor, not in lot order.

**Check-in:** Consignors should have the following for each lot, if applicable:

- Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) signed by an accredited veterinarian within 30 days of the sale date. Animals must be listed by tattoo, microchip, or scrapie tag on the CVI. *Please make copies for each lot to give to the buyer(s).*
- Original registration certificate with signature and sections completed for sale of animal and any service. *Please make a copy to give to the buyer.*
- Completed application for registration and transfer for any kids under 3 months of age if animal has not been registered.
- Service memo or completed service dates on back of registration certificate for all bred and/or exposed does.
- Written vet statement or test results for any does selling as confirmed bred.
- Negative CAE test results within 60 days of the sale date for all animals over 10 months.
- Desired reserve amounts for each lot.

**Sale Day:** Consignors should be available to answer questions about their lots. Viewing will be 6:00 to 9:00 pm on Friday, April 21, 2023 and 9:00 am to sale time on Saturday, April 22, 2023. It will be the responsibility of each consignor to have their lots in line to enter the sale ring. All animals must be lead or carried to and from the sale ring. Consignors are encouraged to set the animal up in the sale ring for a better view for buyers. Washing and clipping of sale animals is highly encouraged.

**After the Sale:** Animals will not be loaded out until the conclusion of the sale and payment has been made. All animals must have a receipt to be loaded. There will be designated people to check all receipts for loading. All consignors must help load out after the sale.

**Transportation:** If buyer has not arranged prior transportation, all consignors are requested to take sold animal(s) home for 2 weeks free of charge to allow buyer(s) time to arrange transportation. After 2 weeks, seller can charge a reasonable amount for room and board. Transportation options will be posted and announced prior to and on sale day.

**Payment:** KGPA cannot make payment to consignors until all funds have cleared, regardless of buyer payment methods. KGPA will not be held responsible for bad checks, but will assist in resolving any issues. Consignors should receive payment within 2 to 3 weeks after the sale.

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### **TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

**Sale Conducted by Auctioneer:** Should any dispute arise from the taking of bids, the auctioneer's decision will be final. The catalog is believed to be accurate as of the date of printing. Additions, substitutions, and deletions may be posted to any future edition of the catalog. Any future editions of the catalog will take precedence over the prior edition. Announcements from the sale ring will take precedence over the printed material in the most current catalog.

**Terms:** Cash, cashier's check, traveler's check, business or personal check with a bank letter of guarantee at the time of the sale unless satisfactory credit arrangements have been made prior to the sale. A returned check fee of \$40 will be charged to the buyer in the event of insufficient funds. Visa, MasterCard, and Discover will also be accepted, with a 5.0% convenience fee added to the total price of the purchase paid with a credit card. The right of the property shall not pass until after settlement is made. All settlements must be made with the clerks of the sale before any lots will be released.

**Registration Certificates:** Registration certificates will be furnished to each buyer for each animal after settlement has been made and payment has cleared. Original registration certificates will be held until payment clears for all purchases made by check. All fees associated with registration are the responsibility of the buyer.

**Health Certificates:** A Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) for each animal will be completed for transportation to the sale and provided by the seller at settlement. Any further health papers will be the responsibility of the buyer.

**Bucks:** Should any buck seven (7) months of age or over fail to prove a breeder after being used on does known to be breeders, the matter should be reported to the seller in writing within five (5) months following the date of purchase. Seller will then have the right and privilege of ninety (90) days to prove the buck a breeder. No guarantee is given that semen from the buck will freeze.

**Does:** Does are guaranteed to be breeders. In the event a female is claimed to be a non-breeder, after being bred regularly by a buck known to be a breeder and after being treated by a licensed veterinarian, the matter must be reported in writing to the seller within five (5) months of sale date. Seller shall have six (6) additional months in which to prove any such females a breeder and may use any registered buck of the breed available to them. Any female returned will be at the buyer's risk. No guarantee is given that a bred female will deliver live kids or that she will carry kids full term nor the kids carried will not be mummified. Seller is not responsible for damage caused by foreign bodies after the female has been sold for sickness not apparent at sale time.

**Exception to Guarantee:** In the event where the animal is subject to any hormonal or surgical reproductive techniques after the sale, this guarantee is null and void.

**Settlement on Breeding Issues:** Transportation charges on animals returned to the seller are for account of the buyer. No incidental expenses such as feed, care, AI signing fees, interest, veterinary charges, etc will be charged by either party when making settlement. If seller is successful in proving the animal in question to be a breeder, then said animal will be reclaimed by the buyer at his/her expense. Should the seller fail to prove the animal a breeder, then the buyer is guaranteed a satisfactory replacement. In no event shall the seller be responsible for more than the purchase price.

**Accidents:** Although every precaution will be taken to protect the safety and comfort of buyers, neither the sale management, auctioneer or seller, nor any other person or organization connected with the sale assumes any responsibility in this matter and disclaims any liability, legal or otherwise, for the safety in the buildings, on the premises, or the behavior of any animal present, in the event of accident or loss of property.

**Rights and Obligations:** The above terms and conditions of the sale shall constitute a contract between the buyer and seller and be equally binding to both. Resale of animals following purchase in the sale shall constitute a separate transaction and the rights and obligations of the two parties connected and thereto not covered by the terms and conditions of this sale.

**Removal of Animals:** All animals must be removed from the premises within two (2) hours following the conclusion of the sale. There will be no overnight stays permitted after the sale. Buyer assumes all risk and responsibility thereof, and of arranging transportation and all costs associated with transportation of such. Transportation options will be posted and announced on sale day. No animals will be loaded until the sale is complete.

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Consignor - Farm Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Consignor - Individual Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Website and/or Facebook Page: \_\_\_\_\_

**By consigning lots to the 2023 Keystone Premier Sale presented by KGPA, I agree that I have read and will adhere to the Consignor Rules & Terms and Conditions of the sale. *If the consignor is under the age of 18, a parent or guardian must sign as well.***

Consignor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature (*if necessary*): \_\_\_\_\_

Please note how many of each kind of lot you will be consigning:

Registered does: \_\_\_\_\_ Registered bucks: \_\_\_\_\_ Semen: \_\_\_\_\_ Embryos: \_\_\_\_\_

Commercial does: \_\_\_\_\_ Commercial bucks: \_\_\_\_\_ Wethers: \_\_\_\_\_

**KGPA Member:** \_\_\_\_\_ lots x \$125 = \_\_\_\_\_

**Non-Member:** \_\_\_\_\_ lots x \$150 = \_\_\_\_\_

Semen Donation Lot (no fee): \_\_\_\_\_ to benefit (*circle one or both*)      JABGA      KGPA

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KGPA c/o Kelly Hetrick  
46 Sherks Church Road  
Palmyra, PA 17078

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