

## Arkansas 4-H Project Reflection

### Meat Goat Project

Year

Name



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| Objectives for All Projects           | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Apply all 4-H training and experience in choosing and preparing for a vocation</li><li>• Practice leadership skills and roles in 4-H and the community</li><li>• Take part in community affairs and demonstrate citizenship responsibility.</li><li>• Develop integrity, sportsmanship and decision-making capability, and public speaking skills through experiential learning.</li></ul>   |
| Objectives for this Meat Goat Project | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Learn basic principles of animal science by owning and/or caring for and keeping records on multiple head of livestock in multiple species. Example: you own both Beef Cattle and Meat Goats.</li><li>• Demonstrate knowledge of sound breeding, feeding, and management practices.</li><li>• Develop integrity, sportsmanship, decision-making ability, and public speaking skills through participation in demonstrations, tours, judging, and/or exhibits.</li><li>• Learn the value of scientific research and its influence upon animal industry.</li><li>• Learn to Identify Breeds, Wholesale and Retail Meat Cuts of respective species.</li><li>• Understand the important difference between animal rights and animal welfare.</li><li>• Explore career and job opportunities in animal science.</li></ul> |

**I worked toward the following objectives this year: (list)**

**List talks and illustrated presentations related to the projects reported by title.**

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### **What have you learned in this project?**

*List what you have learned as a result of participation in the project along with skills you have acquired related to the project.*

### **Leadership Experiences in this project**

4-H Leadership

Other Leadership

### **Citizenship Experiences in this project**

4-H Citizenship

Other Citizenship

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### Participation in the Meat Goat Project

*Include the amount of project work (number of items, number of times, etc.) along with related experiences such as tours, public speaking, research, career exploration, etc.)*

**EXAMPLE**

| Activity – These are examples – add or delete categories as needed | Jan. | Feb. | Mar. | Apr. | May | June | July | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. | Nov. | Dec. | Total |
|--|------|------|------|------|-----|------|------|------|-------|------|------|------|-------|
| <b>Goat Management</b>   |      |      |      |      |     |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |       |
| Hours spent on care and management (feeding, vaccines, etc)        |      |      |      |      |     |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |       |
| Management practices used  |      |      |      |      |     |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |       |
| Purchased goats  |      |      |      |      |     |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |       |
| Raised goats   |      |      |      |      |     |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |       |
| Show Goats   |      |      |      |      |     |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |       |
| Production Costs (feed, vet supplies, ID tagging, etc.)            |      |      |      |      |     |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |       |
| Income from goat sales   |      |      |      |      |     |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |       |
| Profit or Loss   |      |      |      |      |     |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |       |
| <b>Goat Inventory (# head)</b>                                     |      |      |      |      |     |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |       |
| Does   |      |      |      |      |     |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |       |
| Weathers   |      |      |      |      |     |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |       |
| Bucks  |      |      |      |      |     |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |       |
| <b>Goat Exhibits</b>   |      |      |      |      |     |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |       |
| Petting Zoos   |      |      |      |      |     |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |       |
| # of shows entered   |      |      |      |      |     |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |       |
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