Goat Skillathon Questions - 2011

Junior 4-H Questions

1. What is the sex of your goat?
2. What do you call the opposite sex?
3. What is the breed of your goat?
4. Name another breed of goat?
5. What vaccinations has your goat received?
6. What wormer has your goat received and how was it administered?
7. Name body parts of a goat.
8. Name wholesale cuts of a goat carcass.
11. What has your goat been eating?
12. How much do you feed it per day?

Intermediate/Senior 4-H Questions
Any of the Junior 4-H Questions Plus:

1. What do you call an intact male goat?
2. What are female goats called?
3. Name 5 key nutrients.
4. What is a normal body temperature for goats?
5. What is gestation length in goats?
6. What is the estrus cycle length?
7. What percentage protein is in your feed?
8. What is a subcutaneous (s.c., SubQ) injection and where do you give it?
9. What is an intramuscular (IM) injection and where do you give it?
10. What is the meaning of withdrawal time for a drug?
11. What is a meat breed of goat?
12. What is a fiber breed of goat?
13. What is a dairy breed of goat?
14. Why are goats not fed animal protein by-products?
15. What is scrapie?
16. What is a normal birth weight for a goat?
17. What would be an average life expectancy for a doe?
18. How many stomachs does a goat have?
19. What do you call an animal with four stomachs?
20. Name two grains.
21. Can you safely feed beef feed to your goat? Why or why not?
22. Can you safely feed swine feed to your goat? Why or why not?
23. Name one vitamin and one mineral contained in your goat feed.
24. What do you like or dislike about your goat?
25. If you could improve your goat, what part or attribute would you change?
26. How do you prepare your goat for the show?
27. Define Veterinary-Client-Patient Relationship
28. Name one (or more) goat disease and tell me what you know about it?
29. What is a prolapse? Symptoms? How to treat? (There is more than one type)
30. What is coccidiosis? Symptoms? How to treat?
31. What is mastitis? Symptoms? How to treat?
32. What is pneumonia? Symptoms? How to treat?
33. What is white muscle disease? Symptoms? How to treat?
34. What is grass tetany? Symptoms? How to treat?
35. What is the ideal market weight (or fat thickness or ribeye area)?

Other questions:

Market Goats
1. Name 2 breeds of goats that are most commonly used for meat in the United States.
2. What is the main source of energy for a goat?
3. What are 3 things you would find on a feed tag?
4. What is the most common type of forage that is fed to a goat?
5. At what age (in days) should a goat be dehorned?
6. Why do we need to trim a goat’s hooves?
7. Name 3 of the wholesale cuts of chevon
8. Quality Assurance practices guarantee that your market animal project will be safe for human consumption. T or F

Dairy Goats
1. What is the main source of energy for a goat?
2. What is the most common type of forage that is fed to a goat?
3. Quality Assurance practices guarantee that the milk you produce will be safe for human consumption. T or F
4. Why do we need to trim a goat’s hooves?
5. What is the gestation period for a goat?
6. When does the typical breeding season of a doe start?
7. Name 3 breeds of dairy goats.
8. What should you do with your hands before milking a goat to help prevent mastitis?
9. What are some other products that goat milk can be used for? Name 2.

Specialty Goats (Harness, Pack)
1. What is the main source of energy for a goat?
2. What is the gestation period for a goat?
3. What are some things you should consider when picking out a harness goat? Name one.
4. Where should your goat be when you are in the show ring in front of the Judge?

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5. What is the most common type of forage that is fed to a goat?
6. Why do we need to trim a goat’s hooves?