

Darke County Goat Committee

Constitution

- Article I The name of this organization shall be the Darke County Junior Fair Goat Committee.
- Article II The object of this committee is to aid in the development of 4-H/FFA/Jr. Fair Youth
- Article III Each club and/or organization with a goat project shall have the opportunity to be represented by at least one (1) advisor. Other representatives may include a FFA representative, the Jr. Fair Goat representatives and other representatives with interest in promoting the Junior Fair Goat program.
- Article IV The officers of this committee shall be Chairperson, Vice-Chairperson, Secretary, Treasurer, Assistant Treasurer, Audit and Jr Fair Sale Committee Representatives.
- Article V There will be no discrimination against race, religion, creed, color, national origin, physical impairment or sex.

By-Laws

- Article I The offices of Secretary, Treasurer, Assistant Treasurer shall be elected each year in October. The year runs from November 1 to October 31.
- The Chairperson shall preside at all meetings of the committee and have at all times the best interest of the Jr. Fair youth members and members of the committee. The term is a two-year term.
- The Vice Chairperson shall assist the Chairperson as necessary. In absence of the Chairperson, the Vice Chairperson will preside. The Vice Chairperson moves to Chairperson after following a two-year term.
- The Secretary shall keep a record of all proceedings and handle necessary correspondence of the committee.
- The Treasurer shall receive and take care of the money belonging to the committee, shall pay it out upon order of the committee, and shall keep an accurate record of all receipts and expenditures. Records will be audited annually.
- The Sale Committee Representatives shall attend all meetings of the Sale Committee and report back to the Goat Committee of the happenings.

- Article II All current members, as of February 1, 2018, are grandfathered in as members. Persons who wish to become a member must attend either 3 meetings in the previous year or 3 consecutive post-fair meetings. The person needs to express their desire to be a member. A vote will be taken by the current members to accept the person as a member.
- Article III A committee of special purpose may be appointed by the Chairperson at any time. Said committee shall report their findings to the full committee for action.
- Article IV To have a quorum, fifty-one percent of active members must be present plus one junior fair representative.
- Article V A quorum will be necessary for anything that takes a vote such as passing a rule, conducting business and electing officers.
- Article VI Committee members, in good standing, must not miss 3 consecutive meetings. All voting privileges will be terminated until the first meeting of the new year starting in November upon approval of the committee.
- Article VII Each committee member in good standing has one vote, this includes the Chairperson. If the motion is a tie, the motion fails.
- Article VIII Robert's Rules of Order shall govern the meetings of the Darke County Junior Fair Goat Committee.