

DAIRY GOAT

Sonoma County 4-H

Name: _____ Date: _____

Guidelines for Project Proficiency Award
Intermediate (3rd and 4th Years):

	<u>Date</u> <u>Completed</u>	<u>Leader's</u> <u>Initials</u>
1. Tell the history of your breed.	_____	_____
2. Describe the faults and strong points of one of your does.	_____	_____
3. Give reasons for your buck selection.	_____	_____
4. What are the four sections of the digestive system in a dairy goat?	_____	_____
5. Know how to give an injection and oral medicine.	_____	_____
6. Explain the symptoms and treatment of mastitis, bloat, sore mouth, Coccidiosis.	_____	_____
7. Be able to follow a treatment program set up by a vet. Keep records of such a treatment.	_____	_____
8. Show how to disbud, castrate, trim hoofs and tattoo your own animals.	_____	_____
9. Own your own milking stanchion.	_____	_____
10. Exhibit an average of three times a year.	_____	_____
11. Use proper showing techniques.	_____	_____
12. Volunteer to help a show committee.	_____	_____
13. Visit a grade A or B dairy currently marketing milk.	_____	_____
14. Memorize the ADGA scorecard.	_____	_____
15. Keep milk weights two times a week, morning and night for 13 weeks.	_____	_____
16. Keep records of heat cycles, breeding dates, kidding dates, and other kid and delivery information.	_____	_____
17. Keep individual doe records and use in breeding and culling programs.	_____	_____
18. Build a personal reference library.	_____	_____
19. Give a demonstration on dairy goats at the County Presentation Day.	_____	_____
20. Write an article or give a talk on Dairy Goats.	_____	_____
21. Explain *M, +*B and OCR.	_____	_____

Project Leader's Signature of Completion: _____

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Club Leader's Signature of Completion: _____

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