

### Milk Production Records (use for dairy goats)

Doe's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Registration number \_\_\_\_\_

Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Kidding Date \_\_\_\_\_

Weigh the amount of milk produced by your doe a few times each month in order to estimate the average pounds of milk produced per day. Then multiply by the number of days in the month to get a total number of pounds produced that month.

January \_\_\_\_\_ Average lbs/day x 31 days = \_\_\_\_\_ lbs

February \_\_\_\_\_ Average lbs/day x 28 days = \_\_\_\_\_ lbs

March \_\_\_\_\_ Average lbs/day x 31 days = \_\_\_\_\_ lbs

April \_\_\_\_\_ Average lbs/day x 30 days = \_\_\_\_\_ lbs

May \_\_\_\_\_ Average lbs/day x 31 days = \_\_\_\_\_ lbs

June \_\_\_\_\_ Average lbs/day x 30 days = \_\_\_\_\_ lbs

July \_\_\_\_\_ Average lbs/day x 31 days = \_\_\_\_\_ lbs

August \_\_\_\_\_ Average lbs/day x 31 days = \_\_\_\_\_ lbs

September \_\_\_\_\_ Average lbs/day x 30 days = \_\_\_\_\_ lbs

October \_\_\_\_\_ Average lbs/day x 31 days = \_\_\_\_\_ lbs

November \_\_\_\_\_ Average lbs/day x 30 days = \_\_\_\_\_ lbs

December \_\_\_\_\_ Average lbs/day x 31 days = \_\_\_\_\_ lbs

**Yearly Total Milk Produced** ( add total milk produced for each month and put it in the box at the right).....  lbs

### Total Value of Milk Produced for the Year

Yearly Total Produced \_\_\_\_\_ lbs X \$ \_\_\_\_\_ value/lb. =  
*from above*

**\$**

*Transfer this value to income on pg. 16*

## Market Animal Record: Weight Gain and Feed Records (use for meat goats)

Keeping accurate weight gain and feed records is important. Reviewing this information will enable you to determine: how much feed was fed to your market animal; and if this market animal's rate of gain was equal to, greater than, or less than the average market animal's rate of gain. If you have a large number of market animals, you should maintain these records for your "4-H project animals."

Animal Name \_\_\_\_\_ Identification \_\_\_\_\_

Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Date Weaned \_\_\_\_\_

**Weight** (pounds)

Birth	Month												Final	
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec		

### Feed Records\*

	Month												Total	
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec		
<b>Grain<sup>1</sup></b> (pounds)														
<b>Grain<sup>1</sup></b> (cost)														
<b>Hay<sup>2</sup></b> (pounds)														
<b>Hay<sup>2</sup></b> (cost)														
<b>Pasture<sup>3</sup></b> (# of days)														
<b>Pasture<sup>3</sup></b> (cost)														

\*A good way to keep track of feed use, put a calendar in the barn and write down the amount and the kind of feed used each day. At the end of each month, total each kind of feed used and record the information in the Feed Records Table.

<sup>1</sup> To calculate the cost of grain for each goat/month:

- Divide the cost of the grain by the amount of grain purchased (i.e. \$8.50 ÷ 50 lbs. = 17 cents/lb.)
- Multiply the cost of the grain by the amount fed to the goat (i.e. 17 cents x 30 lbs./month = \$5.10/month)

<sup>2</sup> To calculate the cost of hay for each goat/month

- Weigh several bales of hay to determine the average weight (i.e. 25 lbs. + 35 lbs. + 30 lbs./month = 90 lbs. ÷ 3 bales = 30 lbs./bale)
- Multiply number of bales eaten by the goat by the cost per bale (i.e. 4 bales/month x \$2.50/bale = \$10.00/month)

<sup>3</sup> Use 2¢ a day/goat for cost of the pasture. If pasture has been improved, increase amount.

(You may add more copies of this page if necessary.)

