Signatures for goal setting

I will work toward the above goals to the best of my ability:	s I have set for myself for the upcomi	ng 4-H year
	(Member signature)	(Date)
I will support my son's/daughter	r's goals for the upcoming 4-H year:	
	(Parent signature)	(Date)
I will help support this member's	s goals for the upcoming 4-H year:	
	(4-H Leader signature)	(Date)

Taking Inventory

As you start the 4-H year it is also a time to take an inventory of what you have for your project. For the Goat project, you will need to list all the goat project animals you own at the beginning of the year. You may also wish to do an inventory of all the equipment and supplies you own at the beginning of the year.

Barn Equipment and Supplies Inventory - Start of Project Year (Optional)

List in the appropriate sections all the equipment and supplies you own at the start of the 4-H year. Include a description of the item. If you own a lot of equipment and supplies, you do not have to record each one, i.e., list five water buckets instead of listing each water bucket separately. If the cost is not known, estimate the value. An up-to-date Barn Equipment and Supplies Inventory will be very useful if equipment is lost, destroyed, or stolen! When you purchase new equipment and supplies, list these items in the **(E1) Equipment Expenses** section on page 11.

Item	Year Acquired	Description	Cost (If Purchased)	Value	
Example: 5 water buckets	1998	1 gallon water buckets	\$25.00	\$25.00	
Total Value of Equipment and Supplies (Add all values of Equipment and Supplies and put this number in box at right.)					

Project Goat Inventory

For each goat project animal in your herd at the start of the project year, list it's name or herd number, registration number (if registered), breed, birth date or age, date of purchase (if applicable), how animal left the herd, and date, sex (use the abbreviations D for doe, B for buck, W for wether) and value (this may be the purchase price or appraised value). Throughout the year you may acquire new animals. These animals may be purchased, traded, or even born from animals you already own. Be sure to add the animals acquired during the year to the list. If you purchased the animal, the cost of the animal should be included on **page 15** of the Project Goat Record. Also indicate whether any of the animals were sold, traded, or died during the 4-H year. If you sold an animal, record the sale under (I) Income on page 16. At the end of the year you will have a complete list of the animals you owned during the year.

	Registra - tion #		Birth date/age	Date of purchase	How animal left herd & date	Sex	Value*	
							Proj. Start	Proj. End
Example: Clara	Not registered	Grade	4/18/97	Gift 2/6/99		W	\$150	\$150
Example: #15	79324	Toggen- burg	3/14/00	Herd Kid	Sold 10/25/00	D	\$300	\$350
Total Value		(Add all va boxes at r		ts and put th	nese numbers in			

^{*} If the animal was a gift or born in your herd, estimate the value.

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

^{*} If the animal was given away or traded, estimate the value.