

# Monthly Goat Droppings

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## FIRESIDE CHAT WITH DORI

January 2014

Happy New Year to everyone!!

Here we go again gearing up for another year of goatie fun. Our first order of business is our March Show. Amy Burt is our show chair for this event and would love to hear from any of you wishing to volunteer to help or donate to the raffle. This will be Amy's first show to chair so I hope you all will pitch in and give her lots of help. We also will need a chair for the June and October shows, so you can be thinking about volunteering for one of those too!

January 31st is the deadline to get your EPGA Futurity nominations in. If you have a doe that is bred and will kid between February 15th and April 30th you can nominate her. Also remember if you had a weanling in the Futurity last year, you can nominate her for the Yearling Futurity this year. In the case

of the Yearlings, you can pay all three payments at once (\$15 total) or in \$5.00 installments. The Futurity Forms were in the last newsletter or you can find them on the EPGA Website under the shows listings.

Our next meeting will be held at the Wade Home on the 18th. If you have any ideas for activities for 2014, bring them to the meeting so we can discuss it. Remember it is your club and you all have a voice in what we do.

- Dori



## THE NEXT EPGA MEETING WILL BE HELD AT THE HOME OF COLLEEN WADE ON JANUARY 18, 2014 AT 6:00 WITH A 5:00 HAPPY HOUR

5581 Old Hwy 99 N. Rd.

Burlington, WA 98233

(360) 724-0345

For directions, see end of newsletter.

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# Announcements

JANUARY 2014

Please think about volunteering to help out at the March EPGA show “Another Blooming Goat Show”! Contact Amy Burt if you would like to help!

2014 DUES ARE DUE! Please send them to:

Colleen Wade  
5581 Old Hwy 99 N  
Burlington, WA 98233

## FUTURE MEETINGS

Date	Host
February 8th	Staci McStotts
March 8th	Debbie Bond
April 12th	Amy Burt

## 2014 DUES ARE DUE

\$15.00 – Family Membership (2 Votes)

\$10.00 – Single Membership (1 Vote)

\$ 5.00 – Youth Membership (No Vote)

Mail to: Colleen Wade  
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# Announcements

## New Arrivals



12/01/13

### Z Bar Z Farm

MCH PGCH Z Bar Z Diamond Joe and Falling Stars Sierra welcomed a single caramel doe with black markings.

12/06/2013

### Critics Choice

Critics Choice A Perfect Passion welcomed a buck and a doe.

12/13/2013

### Little Treasures

Dogwood Acres Cleo and Little Troopers A MQ-9 Reaper welcomed twin bucklings. Light caramel will be for sale as a wether.



## For Sale

Amy Burt has a light caramel buckling that will be for sale as a wether upon weaning (pictured).

B-S Acres is having a herd reduction sale!  
Check out <http://www.bsacres.com/> for goats available.

Julie Davis has multiple goats for sale:

19 month old black buck. Sire is PGCH Country Critters Second Edition and dam is Bizbomb Acres Shay. \$150.

9 month old caramel buck. Sire is PGCH Country Critters Second Edition and dam is RNJ'S Kid's Guadalaharah. \$300.

8 month old purebred, unregistered Nubian. Exposed to Pygmy buck for first generation kinders. If bred, due 4/29/2014. Doe can be registered. \$200. Will be ultrasounded at the end of January.

9 month old Boer/Lamancha cross. Exposed to Boermy buck. If bred, due at the end of April. Mother was a fantastic milker, giving a gallon a day plus raising her own kids. \$200. Will be confirmed by ultrasound at the end of January.

E-mail Julie at [clearvalleyfarm@hotmail.com](mailto:clearvalleyfarm@hotmail.com)



# Announcements

## Show Results



### OPGA's Season's Bleatings (December 6th-8th) Fir Meadow Results

1st show — Judge: Terry Heath

Fir Meadow Dibs – Best Wether

Fir Meadow Asja – Master Doe

3rd show — Judge: Sharon Perry

Fir Meadow Dibs – Best Wether

Fir Meadow DiMaggio – Junior Champion Buck

## Show Schedule

**This is tentative. Information is subject to change.**

March 22nd - Another Blooming Pygmy Goat Show—Monroe

April 11th - 14th - Spring Fair—Puyallup

May 31st - June 1st - Scholars for Dollars—Longview

June 7th - All Breed Show—Monroe

June 28th & 29th - Red, White and Hulla Blue - Monroe

July 11th-13th - Marion County Fair—Salem, Oregon

August 1st-5th - Clark County Fair

August 15th - SWWA Fair - Chehalis

August 27th - Sept. 1st - Evergreen Fair - Monroe

Sept. 19 - 22 - Puyallup Fair - Puyallup

October 10 - 12 - Oktoberfest – Longview

October 25th & 26th—Frostbite Classic - Monroe

# Extra, extra!

## Helpful Websites

### **INFORMATIONAL:**

<http://fiascofarm.com/>

<http://www.goatworld.com/articles/>

<http://www.tennesseeatgoats.com/articles2/articlesMain.html>

<http://kinne.net/articles.htm>

### **PRODUCT:**

<http://www.enasco.com/action/default>

<http://jefferslivestock.com/>

<http://hoeggerfarmyard.com/xcart/>

<http://www.caprinesupply.com/>

<http://www.valleyvet.com/>

<http://goatsupplies.netfirms.com/>

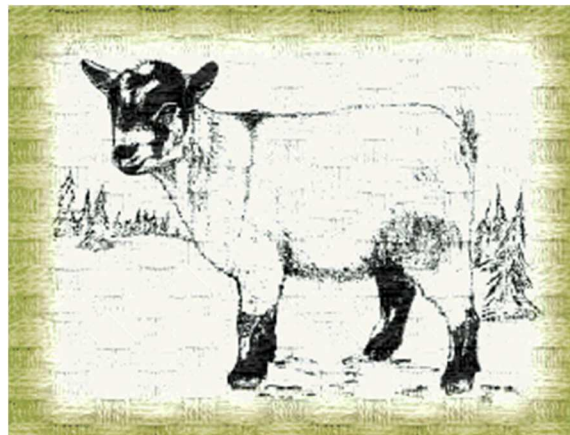
<http://www.kvsupply.com/>

<http://www.americanlivestock.com/>

<http://www.chicksaddlery.com/>

<http://www.wigginsinc.com/>

## WE'RE ON THE WEB!



[HTTP://EVERGREENPYGMYGOATASSOCIATION.COM](http://evergreenpygmygoatassociation.com)

**The next meeting will be held at the home of Colleen Wade**

**January 18, 2014 at 6:00PM with a 5:00PM Happy Hour**

*5581 Old Hwy 99 N. Rd.*

*Burlington, WA 98233*

*(360) 724-0345*

Take Bow Hill Road exit, EXIT 236

Head East on Bow Hill Road (approximately .8 miles)

At stop sign, turn left onto Old Hwy 99 N (approximately .5 miles)

We are on the right just past Pamona Grange Park

5581 Old Hwy 99 N

If you start going uphill, reach Friday Creek Road or Skagit Speedway,  
you have gone too far

When you come into the hatchery, we are the house on the left