

**2022 ADGA ANNUAL MEETING AND CONVENTION - SYRACUSE, NEW YORK**  
**Ramada by Wyndham Liverpool/Syracuse**  
**GENERAL PROGRAMING DAILY SCHEDULE**

\*Please note, workshops with \* have limited space and require advance sign-up. They may have additional fees associated with them. *Schedule is subject to change as we will be adding a few more workshops.*

| <b>Saturday October 1<sup>st</sup></b> |  |   |
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| 1pm – 1:55pm                           | Yogurt Making: We'll discuss the secrets of yogurt making as we start & finish yogurt in an instapot                   | Jessica Waltemyer, Cornell Dairy Sheep Flock & Livestock Farm Manager                                       |
| 2pm – 4pm                              | How to Reduce Your Herd Numbers the Easy Way   | Cathy Pindell, Pindell Farms  |
| 3pm – 4pm                              | IntraNem: a possible organic dewormer for the future   | Brian Pusch, Welcome Goats and CEO Microbes, Inc  |
| <b>Sunday October 2<sup>nd</sup></b>   |  |   |
| 9am – 9:55am                           | Forage Evaluation for Milk Production: Matching your forages and concentrates for optimal yields                       | Rich Toebe, Watershed Livestock Specialist, Cornell Coop. Ext. (CCE) of Delaware County                     |
| 10am – 10:55am                         | Raising Kids to Reach Their Full Potential   | Don George, Majenli Dairy Goats   |
| 11am – 11:55am                         | Setting Up a Goat Value-Added Business: the stories of Alpine Made & Let's Goat Buffalo                                | Jennifer Zeitler, Let's Goat Buffalo  |
| 1pm – 2:55pm                           | *Working with Your Herd to Maximize Profits: On-farm and off-farm resources  | Jennifer Zeitler, Let's Goat Buffalo  |
| 1pm – 4pm                              | Understanding Your Linear Appraisal Scores   | Jim VanDerlinde, ADGA Performance Programs Manager  |
| <b>Monday October 3<sup>rd</sup></b>   |  |   |
| 9am – 12pm                             | Getting the Most Out of Your DHIR Records  | Jim VanDerlinde, ADGA Performance Programs Manager  |
| 9am – 10:10am                          | Integrated Internal Parasite Workshop/FAMACHA: Know your enemies (Open to all but mandatory for FAMACHA certification) | Janice Liotta, Dwight Bowman Parasitology Lab, Cornell & Dr. tatiana Stanton, Cornell NYS Goat Extensionist |
| 10am – 10:55am                         | Farm Income Taxes 101: Income and expense reporting and your Schedule F  | Christen Adels, MBA, Munchin Hill Farm, an ADGA District 2 Director   |
| 10:15am – 11:25am                      | Integrated Internal Parasite Workshop/FAMACHA: Know your weapons (Open to all but mandatory for FAMACHA certification) | Dr. tatiana Stanton, Cornell NYS Goat Extensionist & Janice Liotta, Dwight Bowman Parasitology Lab, Cornell |

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| 11 am – 12pm                            | American Goat Federation: Who we are, what we do  | Melissa O'Rourke, represents ADGA on AGF Board of Directors   |
| 11:30am – 12pm                          | Integrated Internal Parasite Workshop/FAMACHA: Innovations in Parasite Management (Open to all but mandatory for FAMACHA certification) | Dr. tatiana Stanton, Cornell NYS Goat Extensionist & Janice Liotta, Dwight Bowman Parasitology Lab, Cornell |
| 1pm – 2:55pm                            | *Integrated Parasite Workshop/FAMACHA: Hands-on FAMACHA and microscope parasite egg ID (Mandatory for FAMACHA certification)            | Janice Liotta, Dwight Bowman Parasitology Lab, Cornell & Dr. tatiana Stanton, Cornell NYS Goat Extensionist |
| 1pm – 1:55pm                            | Preserving the Working Livestock Guardian Dog   | Ashley Clement-Clark, & Heidi Krol,   |
| 2pm – 2:55pm                            | Five Fundamental Steps to Manage Your Farm Risk   | Melissa O'Rourke, Farm & Ag. Business Mgmt. Specialist, Iowa State Coop. Ext.                               |
| 3pm – 4pm                               | Ready, Set, Goat: Using your goats for vegetation management  | Jenn Balch, Fat & Sassy Goats   |
| 3pm – 4pm                               | IntraNem: a possible organic dewormer for the future  | Brian Pusch, Welcome Goats and CEO Microbes, Inc  |
| <b>Tuesday October 4<sup>th</sup></b>   |   |   |
| 9am – 10:55am                           | Top 10 Decisions to Prepare Your Farm for the Future: Transition & succession considerations  | Melissa O'Rourke, Farm & Ag. Business Mgmt. Specialist, Iowa State Coop. Ext.                               |
| 9am – 9:55am                            | Preventing, Identifying and Treating Mastitis in Dairy Goats  | Michael Zarakowski, DVM, Cornell Quality Milk Production Services   |
| 10am – 10:55am                          | Prevention, Control and Eradication Programs for CL, CAE and Johnes in Goats  | Erin Goodrich, DVM, Cornell Animal Health Diagnostic Center   |
| 11am – 11:55am                          | Small Ruminant Medicine Legislation   | Chad Wall, DVM, NYS Dept Ag & Mkts. Field Veterinarian  |
| 1pm – 1:55pm                            | Diagnosing Infectious Causes of Abortions in Goats  | Elisha Frye, DVM, Cornell Animal Health Diagnostic Center   |
| 2pm – 2:55pm                            | Status of Disease Management and GI Parasites on U.S. Goat Operations   | Natalie Urie, DVM, APHIS National Animal Health Monitoring System   |
| 2pm – 3:30pm                            | *Making a Macrame Goat Collar   | Kathy Kelley, Hawk's Hill Farm  |
| 3:30pm – 5pm                            | *Goat Cheese & NYS Hard Cider Pairings  | Lively Run Goat Creamery & Eve's Cidery   |
| <b>Wednesday October 5<sup>th</sup></b> |   |   |
| 9am – 9:55am                            | On-Farm Dairy Processing Food Safety: Prevention and lessons learned  | Robert Ralyea, Milk Quality Improvement Program Sr. Ext. Assoc. Cornell Univ.                               |

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| 9am – 9:55am                           | Artificial Insemination (AI) in Goats: Introduction and Preparing Your Herd (Open to all but mandatory for Hands-on AI participants) | Betsy Hodge, Livestock educator Cornell Coop. Ext. of St. Lawrence County   |
| 10am – 10:55am                         | Decision Points: Optimizing profits for a small commercial goat dairy  | Stacy Roussel, All We Need Farm   |
| 10am – 10:55am                         | AI in Goats: Goat Reproduction, Synchronization and Heat Detection (Open to all but mandatory for Hands-on AI participants)          | Fauna Smith, DVM, UC Davis  |
| 10am – 11:55am                         | *Making Felted Soaps (will use melt and pour but same felt technique for lye soaps, youth welcome)                                   | Jill Kutz Swartley, Viva Villa Farm   |
| 11am – 11:55am                         | Dairy Product Incubator Program  | Robert Ralyea, directs Cornell Food Production and Development Lab  |
| 11am – 11:55am                         | AI in Goats: Mechanics of AI and Equipment Needs (Open to all but mandatory for Hands-on AI participants)                            | Betsy Hodge, CCE St. Lawrence County & Brandon Snyder, Blue Mountain Genetics   |
| 1pm – 2:25pm                           | Running an ADGA Sanctioned Show  | Jennifer Mellet, Berrywood Goats  |
| 1pm – 5pm                              | *Hands-on Artificial Insemination: handling repro tracks, semen tanks, and practicing AI   | Megan Bernard, DVM, Cornell (repro tracks), Brandon Snyder, Blue Mountain Genetics w/ Betsy Hodge & Mike Fiorentino (CCE Nassau County) |
| 1pm – 2:55pm                           | *Introduction to Lotion Making   | Jill Kutz Swartley, Viva Villa Farm   |
| 2:30pm – 4pm                           | Nepal Goat Project   | Dan Laney, Worldwide Goat Project Nepal, Slinker Ridge  |
| <b>Thursday October 6<sup>th</sup></b> |  |   |
| 9am – 9:55am                           | Panel on “Using Social Media to Promote Your Dairy Goat Business & the Goat Industry   | Danielle Carolei (King’s Rock Farm), Jon Kain (Hillaire Farm of Scott’s Circle), Grace Toy (Hops N Lops Farm)                           |
| 10am – 11:55am                         | *How to do a Field Necropsy  | Mary Smith, DVM, Cornell Univ. Veterinary Ambulatory Clinic   |
| 10am – 10:55am                         | Pasture/Forage Management for Dairy Goats  | Aaron Santangelo, Agronomist CSS Farms LLC, Bellhurst Farm Creamery   |
| 11am – 11:55am                         | Panel on “Starting a Commercial Goat Dairy”  | Michele Kline (Nellie’s Knoll Creamery), Aaron & Carly Santangelo (Bellhurst Farm Creamery)   |
| 1pm – 3pm                              | *Beginning Cheese Making: Chevre, Instarella Mozzarella, etc.  | Michele Kline, Nellie’s Knoll Creamery  |

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| 1pm – 1:55pm                         | Coping with Deer Worm (Meningeal worm, <i>P.tenuis</i> ) in Goats                       | Mary Smith, DVM, Cornell Univ. Ambulatory Clinic  |
| 2pm – 2:55pm                         | The Future of Agriculture: Inspiring the next generation through agricultural education | Carly Santangelo, 2022 NYS Teacher of the Year  |
| 3pm – 3:55pm                         | Ringside Live: A conversation with Farmer John of Beekman 1802 Farm                     | Farmer John, Beekman 1802 Farm & Danielle Carolei (Ringside: an Amer. Dairy Goat Podcast) |
| 3pm – 4:30pm                         | *Goat Cheese & NYS Craft Beer Pairings  | Sarah Starace, The Cheese Nerd  |
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| <b>Friday October 7<sup>th</sup></b> |   |   |
| 8am – 1:30pm                         | Type Conference   | Trinity Malmanis. Goat-San, District 8 Director   |
| 8am – 9:55am                         | Making Goat Milk Soaps  | Caroline Lawson, TLC Farms, District 6 Director   |
| 10am – 10:55am                       | Brief Review of Zoonotic Diseases   | Maribeth Andresen, L.I. Scapegoats  |
| 10am – 12pm                          | Making Goat Milk Lotions  | Caroline Lawson, TLC Farms, District 6 Director   |
| 11am – 11:55am                       | Money Saving Barn Hacks   | Cathy Pindell, Pindell Farms  |
| 1pm – 1:55pm                         | Preserving the Working Livestock Guardian Dog   | Ashley Clement-Clark, Exponential Blessings Farm & Heidi Krol, Stonecoat Farm Anatolians  |
| 2pm – 3pm                            | *Paint N Sip  | Kathy Kelley, Hawk's Hill Farm and Bridget Mare, artist                                   |
| 3pm – 3:55pm                         | Breeder Panel: Your chance to pick the brains of renown dairy goat breeders!            | TBA   |
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