

The Canadian Boer Goat

... the only breed in this country that is routinely involved in performance tests for meat production and in continuing genetic evaluation programs.



"The outstanding characteristics of the Boer goat as a meat goat, make the breed a primary choice when selecting a breed for **hardiness, adaptability, fertility** and **growth potential**."

The Boer Goat – The Potential for Cross Breeding,
by D. M. Barry and R. A. Godke, Department of Animal Science,
LSU Agricultural Center, Louisiana State University

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to locate a breeder near you!

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- ~ Be listed in our annual Members' Directory in the Canadian Meat Goat Journal and on the website
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Canadian-bred purebred Boer goats

...one of the *hadiest*,
most *adaptable* stock breeds.



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The **superior genetics** of the **Canadian Boer Goat** provide **opportunities for sales** of breeding does, herd sires, embryos and semen.

The Canadian Meat Goat Association's purebred registry is world-class, featuring random DNA verification testing.

Chevon
... the most widely eaten red meat in the world.

The improved Boer goat was originally developed in South Africa by selecting for:

- hardiness and adaptability
- heavy muscling
- high carcass dressing percentage
- high fertility
- high percentage of multiple births

Boer does can breed out of season, so could potentially produce three kid crops in two years.

Shows expose buyers to many different breeders with quality animals and top genetics, as well as providing breeders a venue for education, advertising and potential sales.



"[Boer] Goats possess characteristics including versatility in harvesting forage and ability to survive under adverse foraging conditions that set them apart from other livestock species."

Boer Goat Production: Progress & Perspective, by Christopher D. Lu, University of Hawai'i

Join the Canadian Meat Goat Association

... be involved in paving the way of the future for the meat goat industry!

Types of CMGA Memberships:

Active Members:

- have the right to vote, hold office and give notice to amend the CMGA bylaws
- can register and transfer animals at members' rates
- can advertise in the Canadian Meat Goat Journal at members' rates
- receive the Canadian Meat Goat Journal and are listed in the annual Membership Directory in the Journal

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