



American Boer Goat Association New Member Application

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I. Applicant Information - Complete one application for each member. [Help on Section I.](#)

First Name		Last Name		Home Phone		Office Phone	
Ranch Name - Optional		Fax		Cell Phone			
Address		City		State		Zip/Zip+4	
County of Residence							
Email Address				Your Web site address:			
Authorized Agent(s): 1st Agent Name				2nd Agent Name			
Are you a prior member of ABGA? (mark box)		Do you have ABGA registered animal(s) in your name? (mark box)		ABGA account number (list account # if known)		List my contact information ABGA Web site? (mark box)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not sure		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not sure				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
ABGA Online Premium		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes		<i>I have Read and Agree to ABGA Online Premium terms & conditions</i>			

II. Herd Prefix [Help on Section II.](#)

Members are required to have a unique herd prefix before registering an animal. You may register your herd prefix at the time you join at no charge. The prefix is 1 to 5 numbers or letters (no special characters or spaces are allowed).

First Choice	Second Choice	Third Choice

III. Optional Membership Features [Help on Section III.](#)

Herd Name \$20.00 (mark box)

Yes No Herd Name - (Note: Herd Name & Animal ID are limited to 32 characters)

IV. Applicant Profile [Help on Section IV.](#)

To better serve our members, indicate your background and interests in ABGA and the Boer goat industry.

Member Background - Check all that apply	Check the item that best applies	How did you find our about ABGA?
<input type="checkbox"/> New to Boer goat industry	<input type="checkbox"/> Interest in Meat production	<input type="checkbox"/> ABGA Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Dairy goats	<input type="checkbox"/> Interest in Purebred production	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>The Boer Goat</i> magazine
<input type="checkbox"/> Fiber goats	<input type="checkbox"/> Interest in Showing	<input type="checkbox"/> ABGA Sanctioned Show
<input type="checkbox"/> Cattle	<input type="checkbox"/> Interest in Youth Programs	<input type="checkbox"/> ABGA Affiliate Club
<input type="checkbox"/> Horses	<input type="checkbox"/> All of the above	<input type="checkbox"/> Internet
<input type="checkbox"/> Sheep		<input type="checkbox"/> Website
<input type="checkbox"/> Youth Project		

V. Payment [Help on Section V.](#)

Item	Cost	Total
ABGA Adult membership - \$60 per year	\$60.00	\$60.00
Herd Name - \$20 per name	\$20.00	
Totals		

VI. Payment Type [Help on Section VI.](#)

Amount: _____ Card Type: _____ Card #: _____
 Check #: _____ Credit Card Expiration: _____ Name on Card: _____

Undersign agrees to support and obey the Articles of Incorporation, Bylaws, Rules and Regulations of the American Boer Goat Association and to advance its purposes of ABGA. I understand and agree that my membership can be removed at any time under the bylaws of ABGA. Regular members are entitled to transac business with ABGA at members' rates, receive the official ABGA publication of "The Boer Goat" magazine, access ABGA Online Premium, and vote for leadership of their choice.

Applicant Signature

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ABGA New Member Application Form Instructions

I. Applicant Information:

Section I information applies to the person submitting the application for membership. This information will appear on your membership and on any certificate of registration, herd inventory and visual inspection. Applicants are required to list one contact person. Multiple names are not allowed in the first name and last name fields. Members desiring to list multiple names can do so in the ranch name field. Authorized agents are persons authorized to sign and conduct business through this membership. Examples of agents include: wife, husband or a partner. Include website address if you wish to have it posted on the ABGA website as a tool for other breeders/buyers to contact you. Once a membership has been established for a member they are not deleted, only made inactive. This insures accuracy in not setting up a duplicate membership. If you have had an ABGA animal registered in your name, but you are not a member, then you would have a nonmember account setup already and upon receipt of any membership application we can make the non-member account and active membership account. First name, last name, address, city, state, zip, county of residence, home phone are required fields.

ABGA Online Premium - Provides ABGA members with opportunities to research, in detail, more than 300,000 American Boer Goats. ABGA Online is the World's largest online database for Purebred Boer Goats. To sign up for ABGA Online Premium, please check the box that indicates that you have read & agreed to the following ABGA Online Premium Terms and conditions. The user information and password will be e-mailed to the subscriber after processing.

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II. Herd Prefix:

It is required that a breeder/member have an ABGA herd prefix. The herd prefix is 1 to 5 numbers or letters (no special characters or spaces are allowed) see ABGA Rules and Regulations. Each membership is limited to one herd prefix and once assigned cannot be changed. ABGA requests three selections because the prefixes cannot be duplicated. Once reserved the herd prefix is permanently maintained by the Association regardless of the members' status. A herd prefix may be transferred to another breeder only upon written request of the owner, heirs, or assigns.

III. Optional Membership Features:

Herd Name - Breeders, members may also apply to ABGA for assignment of a herd name for that breeder's exclusive use for a fee of \$20.00. A herd name may or may not be the same as the herd prefix. You must be a member of the association to reserve a herd name. Each membership is limited to one herd name and once assigned cannot be changed. Herd names are limited to a set of letters and/or numbers not to exceed 32 characters. The selection of a herd name can limit the length of an animal's name. Once reserved the herd name is permanently maintained by the Association regardless of the members' status. A herd name may be transferred to another breeder only upon written request of the owner, heirs, or assigns.

IV. Applicant Profile:

In an effort to better serve our members let us know something about your background and interests as there may be literature or information that we can provide for you.