2025 Dairy Goat Interview Champions and Finalists

Animal Science Interviews at the State Fair are designed to further enhance educational opportunities for young people exhibiting livestock. The interview process offers a visual philosophy of recognizing 4-Hers who have utilized their livestock project to grow and develop as young people. Livestock Interviews emphasize many life skills such as communication, responsibility, decision making, and problem-solving. The interview process is seen as a step to help insure the stability of youth livestock shows as a positive form of youth development.

Interview Champions receive a chair sponsored by the Minnesota Livestock Breeders Association. **Interview Finalists** receive coupons redeemable at the Gopher Dairy Bar and Northwest Designs.

Dairy Goat: Grades 6-8

Champions

Evelyn Sahli - Washington Jacob Klaras - Waseca

Finalists

Paizley Heinz - Wright Liam Thompson - Mower Kathleen Zoellner - Winona Colton Gunnink - Murray Aidyn Meissner - Douglas

Dairy Goat: Grades 9-13

Champions

Noah Coudron - Redwood Haley Pfiefer - Olmsted

Finalists

Alexis Myers - Waseca Wyatt Schumann - Isanti Harley Armitage - McLeod Sophia Balas - Olmsted Brianna Brogan - Winona Jackson Engelbrecht - Douglas Stacey Kangas - Pope Alex Olson - Freeborn