

Swiss Belle Award Program Guidelines

The following are the requirements for the OBA Production Awards:

- Fill out an individual application for each doe.
- Attach the nominated doe's individual DHIA record for lactations beginning January 1st at the earliest and completed by March 31st the following year at the latest.
- Does will be evaluated on their production, fat, and protein for the **full length** of their lactation, NOT on the 305-day ME.
- Please include the entry fee of \$2.00 per animal. Cash and checks are acceptable. Checks should be made out to the OBA.
- The awards are open to American, Purebred, Recorded Grade, and Experimental Oberhasli.
- Eligible does must be owned by a current member of the OBA.
- Entries must be postmarked by April 1st.
- Certificates are awarded for qualifying animals, and the results will be published on the OBA website, in the OBA newsletter, and in other various dairy goat publications.
- Please provide a picture of the doe if not found on a personal website. If a picture of the doe is online, please provide permission to use the doe's picture in the publication.
- For sire awards, please include individual DHIA records of the qualifying daughters.
- Please mail entries with **individual DHIA record** and **payment** to:

Abby Ball
109 N. Spooner St.
Madison, WI 53726

Doe Awards

Lifetime Production Award (1 time award; any number of lactations)

*8000 lb. milk and 300 lb. fat **OR** 8000 lb. milk and 250 lb. protein*

Golden Bucket Award

*Permanent Champion (CH, GCH, SGCH, MCH) **AND** Platinum Belle Award **AND** LA Score ≥88*

Diamond Belle Award (1 time award)

*Permanent Champion (CH, GCH, SGCH, MCH) **AND** Gold **or** Platinum Belle Award*

Platinum Belle Award

*3200 lb. milk **OR** 120 lb. fat **OR** 100 lb. protein*

Gold Belle Award

2600 lb. milk **OR** 100 lb. fat **OR** 80 lb. protein

Silver Belle Award

2100 lb. milk **OR** 90 lb. fat **OR** 70 lb. protein

Copper Belle Award (Does freshening at 1-06 or less)

1600 lb. milk **OR** 60 lb. fat **OR** 50 lb. protein

Bronze Belle Award (Does 6 years and older)

1800 lb. milk **OR** 70 lb. fat **OR** 60 lb. protein

Mini Belle Certificate

One-day official ADGA or AGS milk competition point total of **21 or greater**

Buck Awards

Diamond Sire Award

At least 3 daughters qualifying for Gold, Platinum, **or** Diamond Belle Awards

Silver Sire Award

At least 3 daughters qualifying for Silver Belle Awards