



Saanens for Dairy Farmers

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Caprikorn Farms 2023 Bucks for Sale

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We believe all of these buck kids will have a negative CL test as soon as we can draw blood and ship it.

(meaning they are clean)

If you want one, send a deposit of 10% (or a \$100 minimum) and a contract2

*Contract2 is behind the button, "Order Forms," on the website. Or call us (301) 834-8030 and we will fill it out!

THANKS!!

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Here is a list of the 2023 bucks, listed in birthday order.

Warning: CAPRIKORN yearling bucks are usually ugly. Pretty as babies. Very handsome as older bucks.

| <u>NAME</u> | | TAG# | BORN | <u>PRICE</u> |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| CAPRIKORN LOBO dam: #1158 | T RUDYARD sum 1107 | 301 | 01/03/23 RESERVED B Y P | . , |
| CAPRIKORN LOBO dam: #1160 | ot RED BOOK sum 473 | 305 | 01/04/23 RESERVED B Y D | * |
| CAPRIKORN LOBO dam: #1127 | OT RAISIN sum 2054 | 309 | 01/14/23 RESERVED B Y P | * |
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| CAPRIKORN LOBO dam: #149 red | OT ROCKNROLL sum 963 | 317 | 01/18/23 RESERVED B Y W | |
| CAPRIKORN LOBO dam: #166 | T DARK STAR sum 1398 | 320 | 01/20/23 RESERVED BY BI | * |
| CAPRIKORN LOBO dam: #166 | OT ROYAL STAR sum 1398 | 321 | 01/20/23 RESERVED BY AI | * |
| CAPRIKORN NUKE dam: #27 | E RISING STAR sum 1718 | 323 | 01/22/23 RESERVED B Y P | \$2,995 E RRY |

| CAPRIKORN I dam: #8183 WAS \$1,595 | HONDO RED NUT sum 1169 | 325 | 01/22/23 | \$1,595 SOLD |
|--|---|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| CAPRIKORN I | HONDO RED NUTT | 326 | 01/22/23 | \$1,295 X |
| dam: #8183 | sum 897 | RE | ESERVED BY V | VESLEY |
| CAPRIKORN I dam: # 479 | HONDO REZTAR sum 1852 | 328 W | 01/23/23 AS RESERVEI NOW AVA | |
| CAPRIKORN | PHARAOH RED PEPPER | 330 RE | 01/23/23 | \$1,750 |
| dam #646 | sum 2058 | | ESERVED BY A | A. BLANK |
| dam #646 | PHARAOH RISOTTO sum 2244 riginally registered with AI | 332 Formerly reserved OGA as a DOE* | • | \$2,950 W AVAILABLE ly recommends |
| CAPRIKORN I dam: 654 | HULA'S RHYTHM sum 2612 The Hube | 333 rs of CAPRAVILI | | \$5,695 ing RHYTHM LABLE |
| dam: #654 | HULA'S RINGO sum 2612 & NFS. Grew up and More! | 334 We are using him. | 01/23/23 | \$11,950 |
| CAPRIKORN I | LOBOT RIGEL | 335 | 01/24/23 | \$950 |
| dam: #164 | sum 1386 | RE | ESERVED BY A | A. BLANK |
| CAPRIKORN s | SPICE ROMANO | 341 RE | 01/25/23 | \$1,995 |
| dam: 537 | sum 2340 | | ESERVED J. ST | OLTZFUS |
| CAPRIKORN I | NUKE REBUTTAL | 345 | 01/26/23 | \$1,895 |
| dam: 6152 | sum 1122 | RE | CSERVED J. ST | OLTZFUS |

| CAPRIKORN SPICE dam: #9205 | E RENNET sum 2595 | BUT HE HAS | 01/30/23 RESERVED BY N'T SENT A CH O, He's AVA WAS \$12 WE ARE US | IECK YET ILABLE! 2,695 |
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| CAPRIKORN NEZT dam: #904 | CAR ROCK DANCER sum 1643 | 355 W I | 02/02/23 INGING OUT - | \$ SALE BARN |
| CAPRIKORN NEZT dam: #217 | CAR RAMONES sum 636 | 363 RE | 02/09/23 ESERVED B Y F | \$IA Auction PERRY |
| CAPRIKORN CBP I dam: #405 | RUFFIAN sum889 | | 02/12/23 HOW PEOPLE SERVED BY N | |
| CAPRIKORN SPICE dam: #8205 DAM BEAUTIFUL Daughter winning | sum 1097 | 373 | 02/14/23 RESERVE I | \$995 D BY FUMMY |
| CAPRIKORN HAW | K CHEESE RULER | 376 | 02/15/23 | NFS; sick right now |
| dam: #786 | sum1622 | RE | ESERVED B Y I | PERRY |
| CAPRIKORN LOBO dam: # 6141 | OT ROQUEFORT sum | 388 RE | 02/21/23 ESERVED J. ST | \$ 2,155 OLTZFUS |
| CAPRIKORN LP REdam: # 9185 | EGAL NUT sum 1482 | 3102 | 03/06/23 AV | \$2,495 AILABLE |
| CAPRIKORN LP ROdam: # 634 | OLLS ROYCE sum 2756 | 3111 | 03/11/23 form AVAILA | \$2,995 erly \$4,295 BLE |
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| CAPRIKORN KEBA dam: #751 | AB RON SUMMERS sum2975 | 3125 Dar | 04, n-5,000 lt | /24/23 o in 305 | \$9,50 days ANI | |
| CAPRIKORN NEZT dam: #232 | AR RAGSTONE sum 1714 | | 3130 RESERVI | | /29/23 Y ODER | \$895 |
| CAPRIKORN LOBO dam: #12 | OT SPICEY ROMEO sum 3493 | 3132 | 0. AVAILA | 4/29/23 BLE | \$2, | 950 |
| CAPRIKORN LOBO dam: #12 | OT REAL SPICE sum 3493 | | 3133 RESERV | | 1/29/23 MORT | \$3,495 |
| CAPRIKORN KEBA dam: #526 | AB RAVIOLI sum 2280 | 3140 | 0 | 5/04/23 | \$1, | 950 |
| CAPRIKORN LOBO dam: # 486 | OT LT RIKER sum 1942 | | 0 MALL SE nidget - Ja | | ER '23 - | \$ \$2,995 |

"Reserved by _____" means NOT AVAILABLE.

Someone else has already put their money down.

If you'd like to be *that someone* next year when someone else looks at these lists, YOU can reserve a baby in advance by going to "Advance Baby Sales."

Thank you for looking!

We use the term "Percentile" or "Rank" or "%ile" frequently - What does that mean?

All of the does on test in the U.S. are linked by the USDA computers.

If the doe has big numbers but all the other does in her "management group" ALSO have big numbers, the doe is not highly rated by the USDA.

If the doe has weak numbers but every one of her relatives has strong numbers compared to their management groups, the doe IS highly rated.

PERCENTILE is the only number you can count on for YOUR HERD.

a NUMBER LIKE 4500 POUNDS is about 45% determined by how good the management was when the doe made the record, 35% determined by how good the owner was at cheating on test, and 20% how much milk/fat/protein the doe actually has.

A dairy farmer wrote in with the question:

"Is it really worth paying more for the more expensive buck?"

Scott wrote back, in Spring 2016:

"The answer is I don't know.

Here is one dollar and cents approach I thought of.

There are 16 99th %ile does. The average PTAM of those 16 is 333.

There are 16 95th %ile does. The average PTAM of those 16 is 230.

So it looks like for every one percentile drop the milk goes down by 26 pounds. HENOOSKI had a dam with a PTAM of a 93 so that would be 6 percentiles down from HAN SHOT FIRST.

26 pounds times 6 percentiles = 156 lb /year. So that would mean on average his daughters will give you 156 less pounds every year, year after year. And his granddaughters will give you one half of 156 pounds year after year. So if you are milking 80, then $80 \times 26 \times 7 \times .41$ /pound = \$5,970

 $80 \text{ does } \times 156 \text{ pounds} = 12,480 \text{ pounds per year.}$

12,480 pounds per year @ \$40cwt = \$4,992.

5 years of milk from each doe equals \$24,960.

That's my guess."

A lot of work needs to be done to make this computation more accurate.

First, what about the granddaughters and great granddaughters? Nothing was added to the \$24,960 for them.

Second, probably starting by comparing the 99th percentile to the 95th percentile is not right. Because the 99th percentile will have a few that are REALLY crazy for milk.

So, if we found 16 does in 85th percentile and averaged their milk (PTAM). Then subtracted that number from 230, which is the average for the 16 in the 95th percentile. That would give us the drop for 10 percentiles. Dividing that by 10 would probably give us a more accurate figure than 26 pounds per percentile.

TESTIMONIALS

"The Caprikorn does are amazing. They so out class the rest of the herd it's not funny."

-Trent Hendricks, MO

"A big congratulations to your TOP TEN DOES last year. I keep reading on and on and kept seeing all your listed. Yea Caprikorn!"

-Tom & Roni, CA

"We have 144 CAPRIKORN HOT SAUCE daughters. The YEARLINGS from him tower over a lot of the older does."

Keith from New England

"We LOVE our Caprikorn Farm goats – they are not only very productive, they are lovely personalities – smart, but not overly pushy."

-Bedford Blueberry Goat Farm, MA

"I would say you are probably the top herd in the nation now with those classification scores and that milk production."

-Janelle Anderson, 30-year Saanen Breeder, NE

"Our KID ROCK daughters are milking 10 pounds at 10 months of age!"

-Emanual Schneider, PA

"By the way, HOT ROD is doing great. His girls have had their first kids. He definitely improved our genetic pool."

-Andrea Gauvreau, Quebec

"Scott, bought seven does from OK. Had never seen such milk or quality in a goat herd. When asked about the genetics he said they were Caprikorn."

"They are doing 18 pounds a day. The yearlings are doing 13 pounds a day."

-Thomas Childress, Hereford Breeder, TX

"I am overly pleased with EARTHMAN and the improvements that I can already see that he has made to our farm."

-Wendy, Bootleg Farm, GA

"My name is Shereen and I bought a buck from you a couple years ago. Fantastic buck - I love this buck!"

- Shereen Wilcox, PA

"We have 105 does..Just so you know the Caprikorns are the nicest and largest ones. We can always pick them out just by looking at them."

-Lori Lyons, WI

"Dear Scott, that is some Sales List! I know your goats are the BEST!"

-Brad Parker, Pipe Dreams Fromage, PA

"Hey Scott, I got to milk some of your best goats when Alice was here; was impressed!"

-Levi Peterscheim, IA

"The Caprikorn girls are doing FANTASTIC! They are exceeding our expectations. They are always coming in with full bags and they don't want to slow down production very quickly when it is time to start drying up."

-Jared Rebling, Brighton, IA

"AMBER is a milk machine. I appreciate the temperament of all your goats; they are so nice and loving!" -Scarlett Payne, Utica, OH

"A lot of the ones we have from your bucks freshened at 11 months and they're just fantastic."

-Keith Tifft, VT

"DILL and DYLEX are **amazing**, and as milking yearlings were amazing also..."

-Lila Streff, SD

"I appreciate that you are willing to refund our deposits; we have decided to back out of all 11 dairy goat kids."

- Trisha Bickel, Hamburg, PA

"I have appraised all the major Saanen herds and you have the best feet and legs."

-Linear Appraiser, American Dairy Goat Assn., 2013

"I am so very glad to be able to work with you as you are one of the most reliable and honest goat breeders I know. It is such a pleasure to have complete confidence in a purchase to know that it will be totally as represented."

-Teddy West, OH

The 95th percentile does average 243 per PTAM.

The 98th percentile does average 302 per PTAM.

Increase of 59 pounds per year.

There are 3 percentage points between 95 & 98.

Therefore each percentile translates into **20** pounds of milk per doe per year.

So, for example, if you have a normal non-tested herd, that MIGHT be 40th percentile.

If you use 90th percentile bucks, you move up by 1,000 pounds per doe per year. (20 pounds times 50 percentiles)

If you are getting \$53 cwt, your income goes up by \$39,000 for every 100 does you milk.

CAPRIKORN LOBOT RUDYARD

#301

AS2274947

Born 01/01/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R1

SS: SG ZEPPO +*B

Young Stock Final Score "V"(Just missed Ec)

#3 All-time on the USDA Top Buck List DEC 2016 LA-90 #11 on Dec

ZEPPO's dau's are BIGGER, AND THAT IS IMPORTANT TO US. Because a 16 lb milker that is small is more likely to give a dairy farmer health problems. But a 16 Lb. Milker that is BIG can handle it. ZEPPO is Mr. Protein. He has the second highest protein % of any of our bucks, ever. The winners of the Four Milk and Fat Awards at the 2016 Nationals were both ZEPPO dau's. Also the 2017 Milk & Fat Awards, and the 2017 Lifetime Awards.

S: CAPRIKORN ZEPPO LOBOT

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SD: SG CAPRIKORN RENOV'S ZTARTREK #991 - (some say our best doe)

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D: CAPRIKORN LS NEXT BOOK (#1158) 14*M AS2176206

DD: CAPRIKORN KEBAB LEXA "LEXI" 13*M was 99th

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DDD: CAPRIKORN ECLIPSE HIGHLEXA 12*M #6177 97th%ile *LONG TEATS!*

DDDD: SG CAPRIKORN STARBY EYLEX 11*M

Anyone could have reserved RUDYARD in advance for \$985. But they couldn't let go of that \$100 REFUNDABLE deposit. Then his dam beat the whole herd except one on the February 17, 2023 test. On March 30th Scott said: "This might be the best rear leg set of any of this years bucks, AND his dam has big protein, AND he is very friendly. Walks right up to you!"

The USDA computer has NEXT BOOK at 98nd percentile. That computer program undervalues protein. So probablyNEXT BOOK is actually 99th.

CAPRIKORN LOBOT RED BOOK

#305

AS2274950

Born 01/04/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R5

SS: SG ZEPPO +*B

We always have to go out to get an out-cross buck. If we don't, the herd becomes too inbred, losing size and production, as well as creating other problems. So each year, Scott goes through the USDA records, focusing on the 99th %ile does and writes letters asking "Is (name) still alive? If so, who is she bred to? How much are you asking for the first buck kid?" One year, we were fortunate enough to find SARAH in California. Not only was she a 99th %ile doe but she also had an LA-91.

We reserved a son from her before he was born and that turned out to be ZEPPO.

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This is the prettiest kid out of the 38 that Scott judged on Feb. 17th. Now lives in the Carribean.

CAPRIKORN LOBOT RAISIN #309

AS2276091

Born 01/14/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R9

SS: SG ZEPPO +*B

We got a fabulous break when SARAH's owners said, "I have semen from a famous old buck or there is a local buck who is a CLINTON son out of PRIME RATE. Which would you prefer I breed SARAH to?" We chose the CLINTON son out of the PRIME RATE daughter. The sire of your new buck kid is half the story! The Saanen breed as a whole has come a long way up production-wise since the days of the famous old bucks.

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DDS: CAPRIKORN ZECRET KEEPER *B P.33 Recent Bucks

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DDD: SGCH CAPRIKORN WEALTH XTORT LA-91 32,444lb at death

Scott says "RAISIN is ugly. Nothing really wrong with him. Nothing really right with him."

On the positive side, NAUGHTY beat the entire herd on the Feb. 18th test.

Aug. 2023 - the new USDA DHIA ratings were released and NAUGHTY is #1 in the USA!

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AS2276092

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On December 17, 2023, Scott said: "Very good looking,"

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R17

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knocking down an amazing 2,876 lb in 303 days STARTING AT ONLY 11 MONTHS OLD

DDSS: CAPRIKORN CZARGATE HOT ROCKS

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DDSD: CAPRIKORN ZECRET CUMIN 305 5,042 LB

DD: SG CAPRIKORN KING MACARENA

DDDS: CAPRIKORN ZR FRA DIABLO

DDD: CAPRIKORN FRA HULA 305 days, over 5,000 LB!

DDDD: CAPRIKORN CZARGATE FOXTROT

Feb. 18, 2023 - NO HO starts her 2-yo lacttation with 16.5, THIRD in the herd!

Aug. 25, 2023 - she is outmilking the entire herd so far this year AS A TWO YEAR OLD!

CAPRIKORN LOBOT DARK STAR #3

#320

AS2276991

Born 01/20/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R20

SS: SG ZEPPO +*B (SEE PREVIOUS PAGE)

S: CAPRIKORN ZEPPO LOBOT

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D: CAPRIKORN JARLS NOBLE STAR 5*M AS2154484

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04-11 305 **4010** 154 122 **Top ten pending!**

DDD: SG CAPRIKORN ZEPPO CZTAR 3*M – above LA-90 top ten 99TH PERCENTILE

Scott looked at the does who were already fresh as of February 17, 2023 and said: "Almost all of these teats are set too far out on the mammaries. The only one that are really in the right place are from NOBLE STAR."

On February 17, 2023, Scott said: "320 is light brown and white."

The same night he sais "EZTAR's rear pasterns are straight up AT NINE YEARS OLD!

CAPRIKORN LOBOT ROYAL STAR

#321

AS2276989

Born 01/20/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R21

SS: SG ZEPPO +*B

Each year, Scott goes through the USDA records, focusing on the 99th %ile does and writes letters asking "Is (name) still alive? If so, who is she bred to? How much are you asking for the first buck kid?" One year, we were fortunate enough to find RON-TOM SARAH, a giant doe in California. Not only was she a 99th %ile doe but she also had an LA-91. We reserved a son from her before he was born and that turned out to be ZEPPO.

S: CAPRIKORN ZEPPO LOBOT AS1998239 Really well built! LA-93

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05-02 315 3336 111 3.3% 96 2.9% This is the heaviest milking herd in the country; CUMIN beat the whole herd 3 years in a row.

D: CAPRIKORN JARLS NOBLE STAR 5*M #166 5*M Protein 3.15%, max is 3.2% AS002154484 Linear Appraiser said "Final Score 86." Scott said: "Should be 89, but we're not arguing."

DD: SG CAPRIKORN COBALT EZTAR 4*M #479

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It's hard to tell how much milk NOBLE STAR has because she has been bagged tight 8 times for shows. Bagging tight always lowers production.

On August 15th Scott scored him as a 6.5 on a scale of 1-10 and said "lots of dairy character, steep rump with a ridge. Would be a good deal for a dairy farmer."

CAPRIKORN NUKE RISING STAR

AS2277984

Born 01/22/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R23

SS: LEEANN'S SON AS2030714 Milk-wise - PROVEN. PTAM Plus 230 Show-wise - not proven, however, his 4 full siblings average +0.23 PTAFS

#323

SSDD: SHERRY'S HOT ITALEE

1-03 305 3210 3.7 119 3.0 95 341 3480 3.7 130 3.0 104

2-04 304 **4560** 3.8 172 3.0 136

3-04 285 **4250** 3.9 165 2.9 124

S: CAPRIKORN LS NUCLEUS

SD: CAPRIKORN HERC KASHTA 305 5,000

As of Dec. 2022, #1 DOE in U.S. on the current Elite Doe List!

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D: CAPRIKORN JARLS MISS STAR #27

DD: CAPRIKORN ZURICH JOY STAR #759 LA-91! A very strange doe. All her relatives are VERY highly rated. She herself is 97th %ile, but all her lactations are weak.

A 99th %ile doe - MISS STAR - bred to the son of the #1 doe in the US - NUKE - A.K.A. NUCLEUS. KASHTA's not only 99th, she's the VERY TOP of the 99th.

On February 17, 2023, Scott said about 323: "Finally, the escutcheon I've been waiting for!"

On the minus side, we foundered MISS STAR. Walking on her front knees, she will never again turn in a bomb lactation.

In her 2-vo lactation she was leading the entire herd when we foundered her.

Scott says: "RISING STAR IS A BARGAIN because his dam MISS STAR actually has more milk than her records will ever show!"

It's not HER fault we foundered her.

CAPRIKORN HONDO RED NUT #325

AS2277965

Born 01/22/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R25

SSS: SG ZEPPO +*B

SS: CZARGATE

SSD: SG CAPRIKORN KRUG'S STARGATE "393" Our best ever

23.5 lb official test June 30 '06 a 24.0 lb official test Aug. 26 '06

05-10 305 3653 109 2.9 04-08 377 **6105** 176 2.9

04-08 305 **5367** 150 2.8 #1 in the USA AGAIN (over all breeds) NSBA GOLD SEAL

02-08 305 **5140** 160 3.1 #1 in the USA (over all breeds)NSBA GOLD SEAL

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S: CAPRIKORN FLINT HONDURAS *B #609 - a proven Elite level buck

SDS: CAPRIKORN ZEPPO CZARGATE

SD: SG CAPRIKORN CZARGATE FLORENCE 6*M 99th%ile

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SDD: CAPRIKORN YELSON CHEYENNE

DS: CAPRIKORN CZARGATE HOT ROCKS only 75th%ile. Improves udders. Takes milk down. D: CAPRIKORN HOT KOCONUT #8183 Won the Summer Doe Show 2021

DD: SG CAPRIKORN BIZ HAZELNUT #646 99th %ile and shows OK.

03-01 305 4145 130 3.1% 116 2.8%

DDD: EXTRACT - also 99th %ile - exceeded 4,0001b in 305 days as a TWO YEAR OLD LA-91. We will use her son big time in Fall 2023.

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Bagged up for show KOCONUT looks like a Monster milker, but the computer knows everything and 95%ile means "better than 19 of 20 **tested** Saanens."

The one 2-year-old Scott chose to take to the Delaware show in Spring 2020. She was second in a class of about 6. Over-bagged though we milked her out at 9:30 PM.

On February 17, 2023, Scott said about 325: "Really nice escutcheon, and that's our confirmational value system at Caprikorn." On May 18, 2023, Scott says "He has 2 small scurs and he is wilder than his brother RED NUTT, but he is more powerful and has a slightly better build and is slightly bigger."

CAPRIKORN HONDO RED NUTT #326

AS2277966

Born 01/22/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R26

SSS: SG ZEPPO +*B

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SSD: SG CAPRIKORN KRUG'S STARGATE "393" Our best ever

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On February 17, 2023, Scott said: "326 has a classic Saanen nose; a very intelligent look, but the left ear is crimped; very friendly."

On May 18, 2023, Scott says "He's a pretty good looking buck, showier than his brother RED NUT, and VERY FRIENDLY. However, Scott's instinct is that, on average, RED NUTT's daughters will slightly outmilk RED NUT's daughters.

CAPRIKORN HONDO REZTAR #328

AS2277970

Born 01/23/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R28

SSS: SG ZEPPO +*B

We always have to go out to get an out-cross buck. If we don't, the herd becomes too inbred, losing size and production, as well as creating other problems. So each year, Scott goes through the USDA records, focusing on the 99th %ile does and writes letters asking "Is (name) still alive? If so, who is she bred to? How much are you asking for the first buck kid?" One year, we were fortunate enough to find SARAH in California. Not only was she a 99th %ile doe but she also had an LA-91. We reserved a son from her before he was born and that turned out to be ZEPPO

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SDD: CAPRIKORN YELSON CHEYENNE

D: SEE NEXT PAGE

On February 17, 2023, Scott said: "328 was the best looking kid in a pen of 10; very friendly."

Anyone could have made a \$149 **REFUNDABLE** deposit on REZTAR before or after he was born. And if he was a girl, or if he was ugly, we would have immediately refunded the deposit.

Finally Scott checked him out. He looked **great**, and the price is now \$1,000 higher.

AS1683177

Dam of REZTAR (previous page)

DSS: SG CAPRIKORN SNOW'S ZURICH +*B highest rated living Elite Buck as of Feb. 2017

DS: SGCH CAPRIKORN ZURICH COBALT LA-91 *B #230 – PTAM PLUS 121, REL 52 DSD: SGCH CAPRIKORN RAMSES VVS1 5*M "ROCKET" 5*M p.1 LA-91 2x 4 LACTATIONS OVER 3300

WINNER OF LIFETIME MILK AWARD over all Saanens July 2013*M

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Lifetime 2,445 days 27,114 milk and climbing.

DDS: SG ZEPPO +*B LA-90 Elite Buck List #5 Aug. 2015.

DD: SG CAPRIKORN ZEPPO CZTAR 3*M – above LA-90 top ten 99TH PERCENTILE DDD: SG CAPRIKORN RENOV'S ZTARGATE 2*M top ten – 98%

EZTAR 4*M TOP TEN was the Appraiser's #3 doe kid and EZZTAR was his #4. Out of about 60 does. Years ago we said: "They are certain to have awesome milk, especially COMPONENTS." EZTAR has a very nice rump angle which comes from her granddam SGCH CAPRIKORN RAMESES VVS1, LA -91 2x and 6 3,000+ lactations.

We actually showed her as a 3 y o in three rings and she was last in two of them but the competition was two great show herds- Scotty Broaddus - ARABY, and Janice Kessler - C CREEK SAANENS.

Summer of 2019-As a five year old we dragged EZTAR out again and she won her very small class every time August 3. The judge in the last show was a dairy farmer and made her RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION over JWALA! She beat all the two year olds for that lactation.

November 2016 - EZTAR 4*M TOP TEN is a 99th percentile doe, but so are 16 other Saanens in the U. S. But look at her components! They are positive, whereas most of the 99th percentile does are negative. OUR DAIRY FARMERS GET PAID BY FAT AND PROTEIN. At least, almost all of them. On adgagenetics the computer prints A 2:1 RATIO. EZTAR #479 has the highest one in the country as of January 2 2018 at 243. She and her doe kids will always stay at CAPRIKORN unless someone pays a huge price.

Ben Rupchis reserved EZTAR's 2021 Buck Kid in advance.

She has the rump angle show people love. In her first outing, she was so unhappy being led into the show ring that she ran the entire length of the Howard County Fairgrounds, approximately 600 meters!

Buyers Tip:

"When you snooze, you lose." Waiting until breeding season to buy your buck(s) means - the four P's: "Piss Poor Prior Planning."

CAPRIKORN PHARAOH RED PEPPER #330 AS2279196 Born 01/23/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R30

SS: WINKEEPER: *B a proven buck with numbers that could be enought to be #4 in the U.S.

SSD: WINSINGER 5*M

S: CAPRIKORN KOLO'S PHARAOH

SD: CAPRIKORN J2 KOLO 5*M #834 99th %ile PTAM

DSS: SG CAPRIKORN MEADOW SNOW +*B P.22 Recent Bucks **LA-91** former "ELITE BUCK" aka Top Buck by USDA.

DSSD: CAPRIKORN MEADOW NYMPH 8*M LA-90

DS: SG CAPRIKORN SNOW BIZNES (LA-90) *B

BIZ's PTAM of 300 and something was higher than any buck on the Elite Buck List as of October 2017.

DSD: SG CAPRIKORN TZAR'S ZINUSKA 11*M #957. LA-86 96%ile 305 3982 3.0% fat 2.3% protein

D: CAPRIKORN BIZ HAZELNUT 4*M #646 99th %ile

HAZELNUT may beat 4,000 AS A 2 YO just like her dam did.

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Went Reserve Grand versus 18 on June 12, 2021. Her dau KOCONUT was Grand.

Went Reserve again on August 13, 2021. Versus at least ten each time.

DD: SG CAPRIKORN STARBY EXTRACT - see previous page. #3 Doe in U.S.

CAPRIKORN PHARAOH RISOTTO

#332

AS2279198

Born 01/23/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R32

Long teats for our hand-milking customers

SS: WINKEEPER: *B a proven buck with numbers that could be enought to be #4 in the U.S.

SSD: WINSINGER 5*M

S: CAPRIKORN KOLO'S PHARAOH

SD: CAPRIKORN J2 KOLO 5*M #834 99th %ile PTAM

Previously, Scott felt J2 KOLO was our best doe...a PTAM of +380 and Mr. Conlan placed her first of all the yearlings.

SDD: SG CAPRIKORN FRA HULA 4*M #654 99%ile, TOP TEN 305 days, 5,000 LB

DSS: SG CAPRIKORN MEADOW SNOW +*B P.22 Recent Bucks LA-91

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07-01 151 1832 54 50 IN PROGRESS

Lifetime 1.988 days 23,926 milk 765 fat 674 protein. AND CLIMBING!

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DD: SG CAPRIKORN STARBY EXTRACT - see previous page. #3 Doe in U.S.

On February 17, 2023, Scott said: "332 was the second-best looking kid in a pen of 10."

His dam almost made 4,000 as a 2yo.

Her dam DID make 4,000 as a 2yo!

We are using the son of EXTRACT heavily this fall (2023).

There are 16 99th %ile does, but 14 of them are not built as well as HAZELNUT.

Her lactations would be higher if she were not shown so often.

He looks about as good as you want a dairy buck to look. Strong, well-angulated rear legs and a decent Rump Angle on the move.

HAZELNUT was treated unfairly in the DHI records. When we discovered that her tag (#646) had been put on a yearling. The yearling's tattoo was 66N and the person that found the tags on the ground did the best he could.

When you consider that, at the Maryland Dairy Goat Association big summer show, HAZELNUT's daughter went Grand and HAZELNUT went Reserve. So you see RISOTTO is the buck for the kind of buyer who is looking for more milk, yes, but also wants good looking milkers.

CAPRIKORN HULA'S RHYTHM

#333

AS2277968

Born 01/23/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R33

SS: SG ZEPPO +*B

We got a fabulous break when SARAH's owners said, "I have semen from a famous old buck or there is a local buck who is a CLINTON son out of PRIME RATE. Which would you prefer I breed SARAH to?" We chose the CLINTON son out of the PRIME RATE daughter. The sire of your new buck kid is half the story! The Saanen breed as a whole as come a long way up production-wise since the days of the famous old bucks.

S: CAPRIKORN ZEPPO LOBOT

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DSS: CAPRIKORN TZAR'S ZR

DS: CAPRIKORN ZR FRA DIABLO MILK PLUS 319 PTAFS Minus 0.4

D: SG CAPRIKORN FRA HULA 4*M #654 99%ile, TOP TEN 305 days, 5,000 LB

01-00 280 2567 91 3.5% 73 2.8% awesome baby lactation.

01-11 686 **4344** 146 3.0% 132 3.0%

PTAM Plus 393 as of August 2023!

We took her to one show but there were no other 3 y o 's entered. Not a show doe.

She COMPLETELY out-milked all our 2 y.o.'s through August 2018!!

DD: CAPRIKORN CZARGATE FOXTROT

We ruined HULA two different ways, and the USDA computer lowered her rating. In July 2023 we compared RHYTHM and his brother RINGO (see next page) to HULA's last year's boy PROUD TANGO. It was close looks-wise. We chose RINGO to breed our does.

Slightly higher in the hips than withers. As Rump Angle flattens with age, showier.

He's the biggest of the remaining 11 by far. He has a couple 2-inch scurs but he's not mean.

CAPRIKORN HULA'S RINGO

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AS2277969

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American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R34

SS: SG ZEPPO +*B

We got a fabulous break when SARAH's owners said, "I have semen from a famous old buck or there is a local buck who is a CLINTON son out of PRIME RATE. Which would you prefer I breed SARAH to?" We chose the CLINTON son out of the PRIME RATE daughter. The sire of your new buck kid is half the story! The Saanen breed as a whole as come a long way up production-wise since the days of the famous old bucks.

S: CAPRIKORN ZEPPO LOBOT

SDS: SGCH RENOVATOR LA-92 PTAM +235

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DSS: CAPRIKORN TZAR'S ZR

DS: CAPRIKORN ZR FRA DIABLO MILK PLUS 319 PTAFS Minus 0.4

D: SG CAPRIKORN FRA HULA 4*M #654 99%ile, TOP TEN 305 days, 5,000 LB

01-00 280 2567 91 3.5% 73 2.8% awesome baby lactation.

01-11 686 4344 146 3.0% 132 3.0%

PTAM Plus 393 as of August 2023!

We took her to one show but there were no other 3 y o 's entered. Not a show doe.

She COMPLETELY out-milked all our 2 y.o.'s through August 2018!!

DD: CAPRIKORN CZARGATE FOXTROT

We ruined HULA two different ways, and the USDA computer lowered her rating. After they get a little bigger we will compare RHYTHM and his brother RINGO (see next page) to HULA's last year's boy PROUD TANGO, and keep one, and drop the price on the other two.

Slightly higher in the hips than withers. As Rump Angle flattens with age, showier.

RINGO was too small as of the day after he was born. So we are not going to offer him for sale right now.

UPDATE: he grew and caught up with his brother (previous page).

CAPRIKORN LOBOT RIGEL

#335

AS2277976

Born 01/24/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R35

SS: SG ZEPPO +*B - see previous pages

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DS: CAPRIKORN CZARBUCK KLINGON *B:

DSD: CAPRIKORN BE EKORIA

30,000 life time and still milking @ 9 years old

D: CAPRIKORN KLINGON NOVELLA 5*M #164 **97%ile** - more milk/fat/protein genes that 32 out of 33 **TESTED** Saanans.

DD: SG CAPRIKORN ECLIPSE HELIO DOE 4*M #6165 98%ile

02-11 305 **4075** 163 **4.0%** 122 3.0%.

DDD: SG CAPRIKORN ZEPPO CZTAR 3*M #248– LA-90 99TH PERCENTILE top ten second highest rated Saanen in U.S. on August 2019 Elite Doe List

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04-01 659 **8661** 337 255

NOVELLA was our second showiest yearling and she is 97th %ile. So that we are always honest with you, our "2nd showiest yearling" is maybe going to be the "4th or 5th" showiest yearling in a National Show herd. We don't breed for show. BUT it tells you that you will have a VERY nice mammary and a doe that lasts for more years than most..

Up until this spot on the list, you may notice that we used LOBOT heavily.

What's up with that?

We had to bring in outside bucks. They made our Rear End Assemblies too narrow for Scott, the "Big Arc" freak.

Ben Rupchis once said "Perhaps the best Rear Udder Arc of any doe of any breed" about ZTARTREK.

Also, the Appraisers numbers of all her relatives give her PLUS 2.3!

We do give up some milk as her rating has dropped from 99 to 88. Maybe LOBOT will bring it back up. Of course ZEPPO is half the story and his RUA is plus 0.8.

CAPRIKORN SPICE ROMANO #341

AS2277987

Born 01/25/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R41

SS: CAPRIKORN BE KZTARR #898 AS1918485

KZTARR died young and NET SPICE is our only son from a proven doe.

SSD: SG CAPRIKORN ZEPPO CZTAR 3*M

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S: CAPRIKORN KZTARR NET SPICE #1151 his full sister was our best yearling by far.

SD: CAPRIKORN'S WIN MARJORAM - a 99th %ile doe!

MARJORAM's PTAM is plus 537, TOP BUCK IN U.S. ONLY PLUS 330.

MARJORAM easily passed 4,000 in 305 at only 2 years old.

Placed towards the back of the Yearling Milking Class at Nationals

SDD: SG CAPRIKORN ZECRET CUMIN 3*M

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4-00 **5142**

Top ten third time

DS: CAPRIKORN ZEPPO CZARGATE *B

DSD: SG CAPRIKORN KRUG'S STARGATE 1*M #1 in U.S. 2 DIFFERENT YEARS! D: CAPRIKORN CZARGATE FROMAGE *3M OUR BEST BROOD DOE BY FAR!

01-00 305 2476 83 3.4% 77 3.1%

02-00 286 2314 89 3.8% 76 3.3%

03-00 305 3227 117 3.6% 102 3.2%

You may ask "how does the computer give this doe a 98% based on those lactations?" the answer is that the computer knows all of her RELATIVES' lactations. It is measuring her GENES. So her OWN lactations hold her score down, but the relatives are so good the computer knows she could do better if she had both halves working right. Now this is a half sister of CUMIN.

DDS: CAPRIKORN KAHUNA WEALTH MAKER

DD: SGCH CAPRIKORN WEALTH XTORT 2*M #756 - above

Top lifetime Milk in the herd ever. Top lifetime fat in the herd.

DDD: CAPRIKORN SNOW'S VANILLA GS1324559

93rd %ile her 305 M.E. was 4750! 164! 122

01-01 232 2780 3.4% 95 2.6

On Jan. 1, 2023 we owned three 5,000 LB does. **Two of the three** are FROMAGE daughters.

CAPRIKORN NUKE REBUTTAL

#345

AS2277980

Born 01/26/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R45

SS: LEEANN'S SON AS2030714 Milk-wise - PROVEN. PTAM Plus 230 Show-wise - not proven, however, his 4 full siblings average +0.23 PTAFS

SSDD: SHERRY'S HOT ITALEE

1-03 305 3210 3.7 119 3.0 95 341 3480 3.7 130 3.0 104

2-04 304 **4560** 3.8 172 3.0 136

3-04 285 **4250** 3.9 165 2.9 124

S: CAPRIKORN LS NUCLEUS

SD: CAPRIKORN HERC KASHTA 305 5,000

As of Dec. 2022, #1 DOE in U.S. on the current Elite Doe List!

DS: SG ECLIPSE +*B AS1501878 LA-89 Died February 20, 2016

When we bought him in Fall 2015 he was NUMBER ONE on the Elite Buck List.

As of Feb 2019 he s back in the Number One spot

D: CAPRIKORN ECLIPSE HONEST JURY

99th Rank (percentile) as of August 2017! Fell to 98 Dec 2017

We said, "Probably go back up based on her 2019 lactation." She did.

01-10 305 3545 107 3.0% 96 2.7%

01-10 397 4115 129 116

03-00 305 3894 127 3.3% 109 2.8%

03-00 315 3966 130 112

Starting her 4yo lactation with a first test of 18.0 April 29, 2020.

97th %ile AND a decent Arc. "She got it from her MOMMA."

DD: SG CAPRIKORN ZECRET BAR EXAM *M 95%ile formerly 97%

3rd at Nationals

 $01\text{-}07\ 328\ 3147\ 113\ 3.6\%\quad 91\ 2.9\%$

02-07 305 3540 112 3.2% 101 2.9%

03-09 305 3925 128 3.3% 102 2.6%

04-08 305 **4221** 128 3.0% 108 2.6%

04-08 324 4336 133 3.0% 112 2.6%

WIDEST udder in the herd. VERY IMPORTANT. You can't make them too low. You can't make them stick out in the back or they pee on them. So make them wide! " See more on BAR EXAM a few pages back. If you could see BAR EXAM's udder where she freshened at NINE years old!

DDD: CAPRIKORN SNOW ADJUDICATE

HONEST JURY slipped to 98th %ile in August 2018. But when you do the math, her score is higher than some of the 99th %ile does.

HONEST JURY has a full brother same get, HIGH BAIL. He is #1 all time for MILK/FAT/PROTEIN!

CAPRIKORN SPICE RENNET #349

AS2279297

Born 01/30/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R49

SS: CAPRIKORN BE KZTARR #898 AS1918485

KZTARR died young and this is our only son from a proven doe.

SSD: SG CAPRIKORN ZEPPO CZTAR

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SD: CAPRIKORN WIN'S MARJORAM 4*M 99th %ile!

Not only was she our selection to be our yearling at the National Show, she also has a staggering Predicted Transmitting Ability Milk of 643 (the top buck on the Elite Buck List is only 300-something)

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4-00 first two tests 17.5 and 22.0

D: CAPRIKORN DE LE FROMAGE (SEE NEXT PAGE)

Better built than 333, but smaller and less masculine.

CAPRIKORN COBALT DE LE FROMAGE a KASHTA dau

DSS: CAPRIKORN SNOW'S ZURICH LA-90

DS: CAPRIKORN ZURICH COBALT LA-91

DSD: SGCH CAPRIKORN RAMESES VVS1"ROCKET," foundation doe of the

Rocket Family.

1st Place at Nationals

Lifetime Milk Award at Nationals

D: CAPRIKORN COBALT DE LE FROMAGE 99th %ile

DDS: CAPRIKORN ECLIPSE HERCULES proven!

DD: CAPRIKORN HERC KASHTA 99%ile

DDD: CAPRIKORN CZARGATE FROMAGE 98th %ile

99%ile

THE USDA DHIA COMPUTER PROGRAM MAKES FROMAGE 99TH

PERCENITLE!!

Because she has great lactations? NO! Because the computer knows the lactations of all her relatives and they are beating their herdmates. FROMAGE 99TH percentile

GENETICALLY!

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No use looking at her lactations, one side of mammary ruined. Computer knows her relatives. So computer knows her percentile is 98!! Better genes than 49 of 50 Saanens. Most dairy farmers don't understand "GENES." So they don't buy her kids. So we have a lot of kids left here and they are doing great for us.

She has the highest protein of any doe in the U.S.

And we are moving towards more protein, even if we have to give up some milk.

And thanks to COBALT, she is much better looking than her dam.

The Mammary is still probably not going to impress the kind of appraiser who is basically a 4-H Judge. There is not the wide area of attachment.

We are using RENNET heavily this Fall, but you can buy him.

01-08 341 3327 140 4.2% 106 3.1% 02-09 302 4456 203 4.5% 148 3.3% *

^{*}previously Scott believed that if a Saanen went over 3.2% protein, it was a lab error.

CAPRIKORN NEZTAR ROCK DANCER #355

AS2280926

Born 02/02/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R55

SS: LEEANN'S SON *B

S: CAPRIKORN LS NEZTAR *B full brother bought by Linear Appraiser

SD: SG CAPRIKORN ZEPPO CZTAR

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DSS: SG CAPRIKORN ECLIPSE HERACLES

HERACLES' dam WIARA was Scott's favorite Saanen. She freshened at only 8 months and did 3,200 pounds. She was still milking well at ten years of age.

DS: CAPRIKORN HERACLES JARLSBERG *B proven PTAM 389

DSD: SG CAPRIKORN ZECRET CUMIN 3*M LA VEEV 89

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D: CAPRIKORN JARLS LINE DANCER 99th %ile before we foundered her.

DDS: CAPRIKORN BAIL JALEX2

DD: CAPRIKORN J2 KOLO

Also 99th%ile 3rd highest on March 2020 test.

DDD: SG CAPRIKORN FRA HULA - TOP TEN, 99th%ile #1 on March 2020 test.

305 Day **5,000 lb.**

If the numbers don't mean anything to you, Scott says "He's LOADED, maybe more so than any buck on this list."

LINE DANCER is a Fourth Generation 99th percentile Doe.

CAPRIKORN NEZTAR RAMONES

#363

AS2281333

Born 02/09/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R63

SS: LEEANN'S SON *B proven with a PTAM of plus 230.

S: CAPRIKORN LS NEZTAR *B full brother bought by Linear Appraiser

SD: SG CAPRIKORN ZEPPO CZTAR

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DS: WINKEEPER *B a proven buck with numbers that could be enough to be #4 in the U.S. plus 331 milk.

D: CAPRIKORN KOLO'S PROMENADE #217

DD: CAPRIKORN J2 KOLO 5*M #834 Highest PTI in the U.S.

J2 KOLO is 98th %ile. She jas the big arc that we want. Mr. Conlan placed her first over 17 yearlings in November.

DDD: HULA 305 days 5,000 lb.

Positives:

We were using her full brother PROUD TANGO 215 as a herd sire. PROMENADE beat the other yearlings on her very first DHI test.

Negatives:

- 1. Scott does not like teats being that far out (probably ok for the judges.)
- 2. In the old days we never sold a buck from a first freshener.

Positive:

NEZTAR may fix that. CZTAR's test placement is positive 0.4.

LEEANN's is positive 2.0.

HOLT's is positive 1.2.

Negative:

The udder does not milk down to nothing. It is so big that it looks like it is BEFORE milking when it is AFTER milking.

Positive:

Tests plenty long for our hand milkers.

CAPRIKORN CBP RUFFIAN

#369

AS2313355

Born 02/12/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R69

SS: CHENE BLANC HER DUKE

S: CHENE BLANC PUISSANCE

SD: CHENE BLANC NSL KAITLYN

DS: CAPRIKORN DAVIDITE

D: SGCH CAPRIKORN DAVID EXTRA ALOHA # 405 LA-92 6*M

12th Place Milking 2 y.o. at Nationals

Crosses a lot to ALOHA, top Saanen show doe in last 30 years.

DD: SG CAPRIKORN DANCER'S IMAGE

CAPRIKORN SPICE REESES

#373

AS2280921

Born 02/14/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R73

SSS: CAPRIKORN YELSON BULGING EYE formerly #1.

SS: KZTARR- full sister 2nd heaviest milking yearling & VERY SHOWY.

SSD: CAPRIKORN ZEPPO CZAR #248 longtime 99th%ile doe still millering at ELEVEN YEARS OLD.

SSDD: STARGATE OVER 5,000LB IN 305 DAYS TWICE

S: CAPRIKORN KZTARR NET SPICE #1151 S002176190

SD: CAPRIKORN WIN'S MARJORAM

DSS: CAPRIKORN ZEPPO CZARGATE- a son of STARGAZE above

DS: CAPRIKORN CZARGATE HOT ROCKS- the weakest link in pedigree

DSD: CAPRIKORN BIZ FLASH OPAL- fabulous mammary

D: CAPRIKORN HOT KANDY 5*M #8205 AS1933587

DD: CAPRIKORN ECLIPSE HABANERO 4*M #6141 TOP TEN!

00-11 305 2569 79 B.F. 73 protein - Rockin' baby lactation!

02-00 294 3905 96 2.5% 106 2.7%

03-00 305 **4281** 121 2.8% 120 2.8% **TOP TEN PENDING**

Lead the entire herd on two monthly tests as a mere 2 y.o. components are weak.

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This is the heaviest milking herd in the country; CUMIN beat the whole herd 3 years in a row.

The dam is only 93^{rdo}/sile. That means more milk/fat/protein than 93 out of 100 **tested** Saanens.

He could be "the one" but she has a fabulous rear and is the dam of our top show doe.

REESES IS a linebreeding on STARGATE.

Most of the Saanen teats are either positioned too far out or stick too far out. KANDY'S are perfectly placed. KANDY'S milk, fat and protein could be way higher then 92 but she has been bagged 8 times for show.

NET SPICE was Jim Conlan & Ben Rupchis's first place out of 10 yearling bucks.

CAPRIKORN HAWK CHEESE RULER

#376

AS2281310

Born 02/15/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R76

SS:ECLIPSE +*B AS1501878 LA-89

As of Dec 2015 plus 257 PTAM -0.10 b.f -0.04 protein He was NUMBER ONE on the Elite Buck list when we bought him. Died February 20, 2016

S:ECLIPSE MEADOW HAWK #6155 AS2030714 PTAM 230

SD: SGCH CAPRIKORN YEL'S MEADOW ZEPHYR 11*M #915 LA-92

01-00 305 2718 3.5% 3.0% 81

01-00 400 3490 137 3.9% 108 3.1% 3 y.o. EEEE LA-**92**

02-03 268 2967 107 3.6% 84 2.8% 2 y.o. VEEV 87

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DS: CAPRIKORN FLINT HONDURAS *B #609: We took HONDURAS to a show years ago and he was 4th of 4 in one ring and 2nd of 5 in the other. But in 2021 he went Grand versus 12. Very friendly, Excellent escutcheon. VG rump angle. But, we want you to know, his full sister HAITI was a dud as a milker.

D: CAPRIKORN HONDO JWALA 5*M #786 AS1843040

JWALA IS FABULOUS. She used to be 99th percentile before we gave her a weird kind of permanent mastitis that hardened the top of her udder.

Ben Rupchis is certainly one of the top Saanen breeders and he once reserved her future buck kid. In 2022 we took her to four shows and she was Grand Champion in two of them. 02-00 288 3466 121 3.5% 109 3.2

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04-00 257 3164 86 2.7889 2.8% Short lactation

04-10 307 3815 103 2.8% 105 2.8% Not enough dry period

CAPRIKORN LOBOT REMANDED

#381

AS2288224

Born 02/17/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R81

SS: SG ZEPPO +*B

Young Stock Final Score "V"(Just missed Ec)

#3 All-time on the USDA Top Buck List DEC 2016 LA-90 #11 on Dec

ZEPPO's dau's are BIGGER, AND THAT IS IMPORTANT TO US. Because a 16 lb milker that is small is more likely to give a dairy farmer health problems. But a 16 Lb. Milker that is BIG can handle it.

ZEPPO is Mr. Protein. He has the second highest protein % of any of our bucks, ever. The winners of the Four Milk and Fat Awards at the 2016 Nationals were both ZEPPO dau's. Also the 2017 305 Milk & Fat Awards, and the 2017 Lifetime Awards.

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DS: CAPRIKORN ECLIPSE MEADOW HAWK

D: CAPRIKORN HAWK MAGISTRATE

DD: SG CAPRIKORN ZECRET BAR EXAM 1*M 97%ile

3rd at Nationals

04-08 305 **4221** 128 3.0% 108 2.6%

04-08 324 4336 133 3.0% 112 2.6%

WIDEST udder in the herd. VERY IMPORTANT. You can't make them too low. You can't make them stick out in the back or they pee on them. So make them wide!

CAPRIKORN LOBOT ROQUEFORT

#388

AS2282152

Born 02/21/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R88

SS: SG ZEPPO +*B

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DS: CAPRIKORN ECLIPSE former #1 Buck on "Top Bucks"

D: CAPRIKORN ECLIPSE HABANERO #6141 TOP TEN!

00-11 305 2569 79 B.F. 73 protein - Rockin' baby lactation!

02-00 294 3905 96 2.5% 106 2.7%

03-00 305 **4281** 121 2.8% 120 2.8% **TOP TEN PENDING**

Lead the entire herd on two monthly tests as a mere 2 y.o. components are weak.

DD: SG CAPRIKORN ZECRET CUMIN 3*M 0-11 319 2663 89 3.4% 77 3.0%

2-00 305 **4354** 124 2.8% 125 2.9% TOP TEN

Top 305 Lactation at Caprikorn Farms in 2014

2-00 321 **4527** 130 2.8% 130 2.8%

3-00 305 **4861** 141 2.9% 138 2.8% top ten again

4-00 **305 5142 142** 2.8% 141 2.2% **Top ten Third Time**

05-02 315 3336 111 3.3% 96 2.9%

This is the heaviest milking herd in the country; CUMIN beat the herd 3 years in a row.

CAPRIKORN LP REGAL NUT

#3102

AS2286279

Born 03/06/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R102

SS: HOLT LEEVI number good enough to be 92%ile

S: PROSECCO - we bought from California

SD: COMET KARASI a 93rd percentile doe - more milk/fat/protein than 16 out of 17 tested Saanans

KARASI has a plus 0.8 PTAFS, but the REL is only 36, so it's almost meaningless **LA-92** VEEE feet were not scored high.

DS: CAPRIKORN FLINT HONDURAS *B #609

HONDO is proven! His Plus 180 Milk, plus 10.4 fat, and plus 5.6 protein easily put him in the Elite Buck Category. Shown in 3 rings. GCH in 1 versus 13.

D: CAPRIKORN HONDO LOVE NUT

LOVE NUT's PTI of plus 250 makes her #30 on the list of top U.S. Saanens as of June 30, 2023. Seven of them were dead as of 6/30/23, so she was actually #23.

DD: SG CAPRIKORN BIZ HAZELNUT

01-03 284 2565 89 3.5% 81 3.2% excellent for a yearling

02-01 305 3955 115 2.9% 110 2.8% fabulous in a 2-year old

02-01 342 4220 125 2.9% 120 2.9% 4,000 is the Magic Number

03-01 305 4145 13 301% 116 2.8%

As of July 2023, REGAL NUT was one of the only 23 98th Percentile Saanens in the U.S. and a few of them were Plus 0.4 for type.

MORE INFO ON REGAL NUT'S DAM, LOVE NUT, IS ON THE FOLLOWING PAGE.

CAPRIKORN HONDO LOVE NUT

#9185

AS2018821

Born March 24, 2019

American Saanen

DAM OF REGAL NUT

98%ile. ALSO plus 0.4 PTAFS!

0-10 305 2204 94 4.3% 67 3.0% excellent starting at only ten months old.

1-09 305 2538 100 3.9% 79 3.1%

2-10 199 2312 91 **4.2%** 95 3.0%

S: CAPRIKORN FLINT HONDURAS *B #609 AS1761587

PROVEN! #'s good enough for Elite List.

SDS: CAPRIKORN ZEPPO CZARGATE *B, a STARGATE son

SD: SG CAPRIKORN CZARGATE FLORENCE 6*M 99th%ile

She had it all. 99th PERCENTILE! Big butterfat. 4th place Milking yearling at Nationals.

SDD: SGCH CAPRIKORN YELSON CHEYENNE 5*M #2143

02-06 306 3617 122 3.4% 103 2.9% 2nd place Dam and Dau at Natl's.

Best in Show Queen Anne's 2019

DSS: SG CAPRIKORN MEADOW SNOW +*B P.22 Recent Bucks LA-91 VEE former "ELITE BUCK" aka Top Buck by USDA. SMH 91 code SR

DSSD: CAPRIKORN MEADOW NYMPH 8*M LA-90

DS: SG CAPRIKORN SNOW BIZNES (LA-90) *B page 35 of Recent Bucks BIZ's PTAM of 300 and something was higher than any buck on the Elite Buck List as of October 2017.

DSD: SG CAPRIKORN TZAR'S ZINUSKA 11*M #957. LA-86 96%ile 305 3982 3.0% fat 2.3% protein

D: CAPRIKORN BIZ HAZELNUT 4*M #646 99th %ile

HAZELNUT may beat 4,000 AS A 2 YO just like her dam did.

02-01 305 **3955** 115 2.9% 110 2.8%

03-01 305 **4145** 130 3.1% 116 2.8%

Went Reserve Grand versus 18 on June 12, 2021. Her dau KOCONUT was Grand.

Went Reserve again on August 13, 2021. Versus at least ten each time.

DD: SG CAPRIKORN STARBY EXTRACT - see next page - #3 Doe in U.S.

LOVE NUT left before she could make a big milk record. Alice told Scott she was sick. Scott didn't know he was now suddenly in charge of veterinary. Alice got mad because no one treated LOVE NUT and sent her to the Sale Barn.

We want to be honest with you at all times. This doe and her sister had three of the ugliest babies of 2020. #89 was so ugly Scott sent the kid to the sale barn, even though the big milk should be there. Lifetime fat % 4.2! Protein 3.1, 0.1 off the max of 3.2!

LOVE NUT was probably the second best milking yearling. We had many! She had **LONG TEATS** which are wide and really good shoulders which is rare.

SG CAPRIKORN STARBY EXTRACT 3*M #490 AS1667624

Born February 11, 2014 La-**91** too high?

American Saanen

DAM of REGAL NUT'S GRANDAM

LONG TEATS

And they point downward in, not the East West teats we hate.

00-11 332 3199 114 3.6% 94 2.9% TOTALLY AWESOME BABY LACTATION

01-11 305 **4273** 134 3.1% 119 2.8% TOP TEN AS A 2 Y O??

03-00 305 3415 105 3.1% 101 3.0%

03-11 305 **4221** 126 3.0% 121 2.9% with a short dry period

05-01 305 **4049** 133 3.3% 116 2.9%

05-01 320 4141 136 3.3% 119 2.9%

06-02 292 3827 118 3.1% 109 2.8%

SS: YELSON +*B -approx. 90th %ile

S: CAPRIKORN YELSON STARBY *B #1149 – son of STARGATE, our best doe ever The new USDA ratings came out August 2014 and STARBY is #5 All Time Saanen Buck!

SD: SG CAPRIKORN KRUG'S STARGATE 1*M LA-90 & LA-89

1ST PL 3 y.o. & BU vs 24 Milkers June 24, 2006

305 days 5,140 pounds #1 in USA NSBA GOLD SEAL

305 days 5,367 pounds #1 in USA 2x NSBA GOLD SEAL

One of only two Saanens in the history of the U.S. that had two lactations of over 5,000 pounds in 305 days

05-10 305 3653 109 2.9 04-08 377 6105 176 2.9

04-08 305 **5367** 150 2.8 **#1** in the USA (over all breeds)

02-08 305 **5140** 160 3.1 **#1** in the USA (over all breeds)

01-08 305 3220 87 2.7

Best Udder in Show vs 24 milkers!

DS: CAPRIKORN KAHUNA WEALTH MAKER *B

D: SGCH CAPRIKORN WEALTH XTORT 2*M - page two of this Fam. 32,000 lifetime

DD: CAPRIKORN SNOW'S VANILLA 1*M

Scott "Mammary VG or lower - not wide enough." Appraiser said: "E"

Loose shoulders, bulging rear. We use a complex In House rating system. She is the highest rated doe born in 2014 that we have. Maybe the dam of our next herdsire for this family. code smh 85 ks 2vo 91 BB 3vo

Nov, 4 2018 Beat the whole herd on official test even though she freshened way back in January.

WINTER MILK! YEA! One of only 2 living CAPRIKORNS with THREE 4,000 305 lactations.

As of August 2020 **EXTRACT IS NUMBER THREE** ALL TIME on the USDA-DHIA GENETIC EVALUATIONS!!

She is a small doe like her dam and dau. WHAT IF WE CAN FIND A BUCK WHO WILL CRANK UP THE SIZE AND YET KEEP THE POUND FOR POUND MILK PRODUCTION? In other words, if her offspring weighed 50% MORE, which is certainly attainable, would the 4221 lactation become 6332?

CAPRIKORN LP ROLLS ROYCE

#3111

AS2288002

Born 03/11/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R111

SS: LEVI- Dam LA-92 97th%ile PTAFS minus 0.2 dam LA-92

S: PROSECCO

SD: STARLET LACE COMET KARASI- LA-92 91st%ile PTAFS **plus 0.8**. Only REL 36 on that PTAFS. Feet were not scored high.

D: SGCH CAPRIKORN ZURICH HALLOUMI 7*M #634 99th percentile LA-92

HALLOUMI is the showiest of the yearlings as of June 2017.

Therefore her kids are overpriced from the perspective of a commercial dairy farmer. On August 4, 2018, even though she was only a 2-year-old, the judge made HALLOUMI Grand over an AOP class of around 17 does. September 15, 2018 - HALLOUMI goes Grand vs. 14 for her second Leg.

HALLOUMI gets dragged out to five shows a year by Alice. One per month in the Summer. Each time her DHI projection drops because she is bagged up. Surely she would have more than one 4,000lb laction to her name if we had a different show doe in her age class.

03-11 305 338 42.53 166 3.90 133 3.1%

05-00 4,099 148 3.6% 121 3.0%

06-01 285 3,882 153 4.0% 120 3.0%

December '22- HALLOUMI is the only 99th%ile doe that is also a GCH.

CAPRIKORN LP REGAL HAWAII

#3113

AS2286347

Born 03/11/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R113

SS: LEVI- Dam LA-92 97th%ile PTAFS minus 0.2

S: PROSECCO

SD: STARLET LACE COMET KARASI- LA-92 91st%ile PTAFS **plus 0.8**. Only REL 36 on that PTAFS. Feet were not scored high.

DS: CAPRIKORN ZEPPO KENYA *B #8141

KENYA is huge, but we want you to know our in-house judge placed him LAST of the 2018 bucks. We want SIZE because a 5,000 lb udder looks entirely stupid to show goat people when it is attached to a medium sized body.

D: CAPRIKORN KENYA MORE ALOHA 7*M #120 BLUE AS2078491 96^{TH} %ILE

More milk/fat/protein genes than 24 out of 25 TESTED Saanens.

Good looking enough so that Scott took her to Nationals.

DD: SGCH CAPRIKORN DAVID EXTRA ALOHA 6*M #405 LA-92

9 place at Nationals!

02-01 305 3047 92 3.0% 86 2.8%

12 place 2 yo. At Nationals, defeating HEAT WAVE, who was 13th.

Did 16.8 lb on 4/27/22, maybe still have milk at Nationals.

CAPRIKORN LP ROYAL HAWAII

#3114

AS2286348

Born 03/11/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R114

SS: LEVI- Dam LA-92 97th%ile PTAFS minus 0.2

S: PROSECCO

SD: STARLET LACE COMET KARASI- LA-92 91st%ile PTAFS **plus 0.8**. Only REL 36 on that PTAFS. Feet were not scored high.

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We tell you the bad stuff!

With three 92's in his close up pedigree, this was our ugliest buck kid as of August 2023.

A lot of milk though.



As of May 5, 2023 he is not yet named and registered.

DS:

D: STAR PRODUCER #286

She is kicking the other yearling's butts on test so far. Except perhaps PROMENADE #217, who is a J2 KOLO dau.

DD:

CAPRIKORN NUKE RICH STRIKE

#3123

AS2287996

Born 03/17/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R123

SSS: SUV HOLT

SS: LEEANN'S SON AS2030714

*His 3 sisters average 91.7%ile as of March 2022

*His 4 full sibs average +0.23 PTAFS

SSDD: SHERRY'S HOT ITALEE

1-03 305 3210 3.7 119 3.0 95 341 3480 3.7 130 3.0 104

2-04 304 **4560** 3.8 172 3.0 136 3-04 285 **4250** 3.9 165 2.9 124

S: CAPRIKORN LS NUCLEUS

SD: CAPRIKORN HERC KASHTA

Highest PREDICTED TRANSMITTING ABILITY Milk OF ANY Saanen by far. HIGHEST PTI of any Saanen in US by far.

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D: CAPRIKORN KENYA LOVELY MARIA

DD: SG CAPRIKORN DAVID HALMA

CAPRIKORN KEBAB RON SUMMERS

#3125

AS2318003

Born 04/24/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R125

SS: SG ZEPPO +*B LA-90

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S:CAPRIKORN ZEPPO KEBAB #848

SDS: CAPRIKORN ECLIPSE HIGH BAIL *B #2 ALLTIME ELITE BUCK AS OF FEB 2019

SDSD: SG CAPRIKORN ZECRET BAR EXAM 1*M 97%ile

3rd at Nationals

04-08 305 **4221** 128 3.0% 108 2.6% 04-08 324 **4336** 133 3.0% 112 2.6%

SD: CAPRIKORN BAIL JUNIPER 3*M #787 out milking all 35 yearlings 2018.

JUNIPER is still #7 All Time. Entire PTI 2:1 list.

SDD: SGCH CAPRIKORN WEALTH XTORT 2*

32,444 lb lifetime. Tops in U.S. for Saanens at the time of her death.

D: SG CAPRIKORN FLINT JE FROMAGE (WRITEUP ON NEXT PAGE)

SG CAPRIKORN FLINT JE FROMAGE, DAM OF RON SUMMERS

DS: CAPRIKORN YELSON FLINT #576

DSD: SGCH CAPRIKORN KRUG'S XING 6*M #705 - pronounced "ZING"

15th milking yearling at Nationals (not shown as 2 or 3 y.o).

6th 4 y.o. at Nationals, 9th 5 y.o. at Nationals, 4th 6 y.o. at Nationals, 5th 7 y.o. at Nationals

2-01 361 **4262** 109 2.6% 108 2.5% NSBA GOLD SEAL

XING was SAANEN TOTAL PERFORMER at Nationals in 2011!

"Total Performer" is a combination of milk fat protein Linear and show. XING was TOTAL PERFORMER AGAIN IN 2014! But her dam beat her for the lifetime milk award!

DSDD: **ROCKET** - Matriarch of The Rocket Family

D: SG CAPRIKORN FLINT JE FROMAGE #751

0-11 305 2270 101 4.4% 72 3.2%

2-00 289 3269 121 3.7% 100 3.0%

On track for 4,000 as a 3 yo, but got deathly sick. She came back next year and;

3-11 331 4,947 165 3.3% 146 3.0%

5-00 305 5,093 190 3.7% 150 3.0%

DD: FROMAGE 99tho%ile

TA DA -August 2021

THE USDA DHIA COMPUTER PROGRAM MAKES FROMAGE 99th PERCENITLE!

Because she has great lactations?

NO!

Because the computer knows the lactations of all her relatives and they are beating their herdmates.

FROMAGE 99th percentile GENETICALLY!

01-00 305 2476 83 3.4% 77 3.1%

02-00 286 2314 89 3.8% 76 3.3%

03-00 305 3227 117 3.6% 102 3.2%

No use looking at her lactations, one side of mammary ruined. Computer knows her relatives. So the computer knows her percentile is 99!! Better genes than 99 of 100 Saanens. Most dairy farmers don't understand "GENES." So they don't buy her kids. So we have a lot of kids left here and they are doing great for us.

You may ask "how does the computer give this doe a 99% based on those lactations, which are nothing special for CAPRIKORN?"

The answer is that the computer knows all of her RELATIVES' lactations. It is measuring her GENES. So her OWN lactations hold her score down, but the relatives are so good the computer knows she could do better if she had both halves working right.

DDD: XTORT

32,444 lb lifetime.

CAPRIKORN NEZTAR RAGSTONE

#3130

AS2318107

Born 04/24/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R130

SS: LEEANN'S SON *B

S: CAPRIKORN LS NEZTAR *B full brother bought by Linear Appraiser

SD: SG CAPRIKORN ZEPPO CZTAR

#248- LA-90 99TH PERCENTILE Top Ten

second highest rated Saanen in U.S. on December 2020 Elite Doe List

00-11 305 2696 109 4.0% 82 3.0% COMPONENTS. Awesome baby lactation.

01-11 253 2923 87 3.0% 86 2.9% in progress - thought she would finish at 3200, but

actually 01-11 305 3315 104 3.1% 100 3.0% this doe milks strong in late lactation, winter milk is more valuable than summer milk and USDA's excellent formula does not measure that.

01-11 319 **3411** 108 3.2% 104 3.0%

02-11 302 4123 157 3.8% 123 3.0%

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D: CAPRIKORN HAWK PIMENTA #232

DD: D: CAPRIKORN CZARGATE FROMAGE #537 98th percentile #1 doe in the 98th%ile on the USDA-DHIA genetic evaluation as of March 2021.

Made it to 99th Aug. 2021 Run

What's so great about PIMENTA that we would hold onto a buck kid from a First Freshener? Every dau of FROMAGE has been great!

On December 31 we had THREE LIVING 5,000 LB DOES. TWO were FROMAGE dau's

CAPRIKORN LOBOT SPICEY ROMEO #3132

AS2318108

Born 04/29/23

American Saanen

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SS: SG ZEPPO +*B

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DD: SG CAPRIKORN ZECRET CUMIN 3*M

LA VEEV 89 A little high. In 2017, LA-90

TOP TEN AS 2y.o.! AND AGAIN AS A 3 Y.O! AND AGAIN as a 4 y o.!

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CAPRIKORN LOBOT REAL SPICE

#3133

AS2318109

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DD: SG CAPRIKORN ZECRET CUMIN 3*M

LA VEEV 89 A little high. In 2017, LA-90

TOP TEN AS 2y.o.! AND AGAIN AS A 3 Y.O! AND AGAIN as a 4 y o.!

0-11 319 2663 89 3.4% 77 3.0%

2-00 305 4354 124 2.8% 125 2.9% TOP TEN

Top 305 Lactation at Caprikorn Farms in 2014

2-00 321 4527 130 2.8% 130 2.8%

3-00 305 4861 141 2.9% 138 2.8% Top ten again

4-00 5142 Top ten third time

4-00 first two tests 17.5 and 22.0

CAPRIKORN KEBAB RAVIOLI

#3140

AS2318111

Born 05/04/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R140

SS: SG ZEPPO +*B LA-90 - see previous page

S:CAPRIKORN ZEPPO KEBAB #848

SDS: CAPRIKORN ECLIPSE HIGH BAIL *B #2 ALLTIME ELITE BUCK AS OF FEB 2019

SDSD: SG CAPRIKORN ZECRET BAR EXAM 1*M 97%ile

3rd at Nationals

04-08 305 **4221** 128 3.0% 108 2.6%

04-08 324 4336 133 3.0% 112 2.6%

WIDEST udder in the herd. VERY IMPORTANT. You can't make them too low. You can't make them stick out in the back or they pee on them. So make them wide!

SD: CAPRIKORN BAIL JUNIPER 3*M #787 out milking all 35 yearlings 2018.

SDD: SGCH CAPRIKORN WEALTH XTORT 2*

32,444 lb lifetime. Tops in U.S. for Saanens at the time of her death.

D: SG CAPRIKORN BE FUSILLI #526 (SEE NEXT PAGE FOR WRITEUP)

SG CAPRIKORN BE FUSILLI #526, DAM OF KEBAB RAVIOLI

SG CAPRIKORN BE FUSILLI 4*M #526 AS1715018 Born January 23, 2015

American Saanen

7th place at Nationals!

Lifetime Milk Award at the National Show!

Lifetime Butterfat Award at the National Show!

98th Percentile as of June 2023

Yearling LA ++VE 85

VEEE 91 @6 yo

kindly observe the yearling LA categories. What they are trying to tell you in English is: Fab udder, not body.

FUSILLI beat all of the other 3-year-olds on our March 11, 2018 test at only 8 days fresh

01-01 305 2356 93 3.9% 77 3.3% (mastitis)

02-01 305 3283 135 4.1% 102 3.1%

03-00 305 3482 124 3.6% 106 3.0%

04-01 240 3009 119 4.0% 88 2.9%

05-00 305 3777 146 3.9% 111 2.9%

05-00 334 **3999** 156 119

06-00 247 3045 116 3.9% 86 2.8%

07-01 309 3075 125 4.1% 89 2.9%

FUSILLI got Best Udder 2 straight years at Howard County

SS: YELSON -rates around 90th percentile now..ugly but with The Big Arc.

SSD: HELSA-a 98th percentile doe 305 4990 139 2.8% 140 2.8%

#1 on the Elite Doe List 2 straight years TOP TEN

S: SGCH CAPRIKORN YELSON BULGING EYE LA-90 **2x NUMBER ONE ALL TIME JUNE 2022** SDS: SG CAPRIKORN MEADOW SNOW - Elite Buck -LA-90

SD: SG CAPRIKORN SNOW'S ZANONI 5*M~#917~99th PERCENTILE- as high as they go. 01 02 361 2309 77 3.3% $\,68~3.0\%$

SDD: SG CAPRIKORN RENOV WINNEMUCCA 4*M TOP TEN 99th%ile

2-09 305 3729 **153** 4.1% 119 3.2% LA-87 & LA-90

153 can be #1 in U.S. Saanens for fat some years

SMH code 87EJ 90 EH

DS: CAPRIKORN YELSON STARBY *B #1149 – son of STARGATE, our best doe ever The new USDA ratings came out August 2014 and STARBY was #5 All Time Saanen Buck! D: SG CAPRIKORN STARBY DONUT 3*M #343 AS1628756

0-11 305 3046 115 3.8% 93 3.0% FABULOUS! 0-11 means starting at 11 months

DD: SGCH CAPRIKORN WEALTH XTORT 2*M

This is the **XTORT** Family

Style, but loose shoulders, friendly. In April 2017, we said "Very nice looking mammary maybe EX" And in fact the Appraiser did go with "E." WE WILL TAKE ALL THE DONUT DAUGHTERS WE CAN GET. In September 2016 the beautiful mammary was a perfect size - for a mature doe. We said "What that means is this awesome doe's kids will be a good deal for dairymen. Because the mammary will grow too big for the American Show Goat Assn scorecard by the time she is two. So she will never have the really high placing that drives the prices up." code smh 85 ks 90BB

In August of 2017, the judge at the Howard County Fair made FUSILLI Best Udder versus around 15 does. But not Grand. On August 3, 2018 a different judge exactly the same thing. That should give you a profile of what FUSILLI looks like. *Consistent with yearling appraisal scores above*

She isn't going to make 4,000 so we need a Dairy Farmer that wants:

- 1. beautiful udder and
- **2. 4.0%** lifetime b.f.

HER SON WOULD BE PERFECT FOR ONE OF OUR CUSTOMERS THAT SELLS FLUID MILK! Cause guess what ? High fat tastes gooooooooooo!

To be fair she has been our Aged Doe Entry at 4 shows a year for about three years. So all that bagging up has definitely hurt her total milk production. AND her two dau's on the next page PROVE that she has the milk and the USDA computer knows that and makes her 98th percentile - MORE MILK/FAT/PROTEIN than 49 out of 50 TESTED Saanens!

NEWS FLASH! GRAND vs 10 at a little county Fair Show on August 13, 2021 quickly followed by LA-91 on August 21st. BUYER'S TIP: KEEP THAT SLOPEY RUMPED DOE WITH THE FAB MAMMARY. The RA gets better with every year of age.

NEWS FLASH #2 - FUSILLI defeats Anne McKeever's great show doe EILEEN and goes on to become RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION versus 17 Saanen Milkers on June 4, 2023 at the MDGA Spring Show.

CAPRIKORN LOBOT LT RIKER #3151

AS2325636

Born 05/21/23

American Saanen

TATTOO: RE:SHC2 LE:R133

Lieutenant Riker was the Executive Offices of Starfleet Ship Enterprise

SS: SG ZEPPO +*B

Young Stock Final Score "V"(Just missed Ec)

#3 All-time on the USDA Top Buck List DEC 2016 LA-90 #11 on Dec

ZEPPO's dau's are BIGGER, AND THAT IS IMPORTANT TO US. Because a 16 lb milker that is small is more likely to give a dairy farmer health problems. But a 16 Lb. Milker that is BIG can handle it.

ZEPPO is Mr. Protein. He has the second highest protein % of any of our bucks, ever. The winners of the Four Milk and Fat Awards at the 2016 Nationals were both ZEPPO dau's. Also the 2017 305 Milk & Fat Awards, and the 2017 Lifetime Awards.

S: CAPRIKORN ZEPPO LOBOT

SDS: SGCH RENOVATOR LA-92 PTAM +235

SD: SG CAPRIKORN RENOV'S ZTARTREK #991 - (some say our best doe)

2-00 299 3947 113 2.9% 108 2.7% NSBA GOLD SEAL 99th Percentile Elite

2-11 305 3951 102 2.6% 107 2.7% Missing Top Ten by 41 lb. Not a proper dry period.

Missed Top Ten with her 3951 because full Sister ZTARGATE pushed her out with 3992.

04-00 302 3836 96 2.5% 103 2.7%

04-10 280 3333 72 2.2% 91 2.7%

05-09 305 4375 103 2.4% 103 2.5% will be Top Ten? Find out in August

05-09 436 **5136** 125 2.4% 135 2.7%

Life 2,133 days 24,419 pounds

We took her to the Nationals in Colorado and sh was around 14th

You can see her on one of the videos

Still milking on her 10th birthday

Formerly NUMBER ONE on the Elite Doe List

D: SG CAPRIKORN BE EKORIA (SEE WRITEUP ON NEXT PAGE)

Too small in September 2023. This might be our Jr. Herd Sire in 2024 if:

1. He grows up

AND

2. No one buys him

On December 17, 2023, Scott said: "still a midget."

SG CAPRIKORN BE EKORIA, DAM OF LOBOT LT RIKER

SG CAPRIKORN BE EKORIA 5*M

#486 AS1681760

Born February 10, 2014

Too high, but loving the body

VEEV 90 @ 7 yo

American Saanen

a 99th Percentile doe at 9 years old

02-01 305 **4124** 153 3.7% 119 2.9%

03-02 259 3358 100 3.0% 94 2.8% Short Lacation

03-11 305 4275 118 2.8% 120 2.8%

05-00 305 4154 131 3.2% 119 2.9%

6-01 305 4323 133 3.1% 122 2.8%

AMAZING BACK-to-BACK-toBACK lactations!!!

As of August 2023, EKORIA has 31,929 pounds lifetime!

S: SGCH CAPRIKORN YELSON BULGING EYE *B LA-90 TWICE out of only two times appraised. He is number 3 All Time on the SHIA GENETIC EVALUATIONS FOR AUGUST 2020.

Now witness the power of the USDA Genetic Evaluations computer program. We have 100 buck kids to choose from each year. We chose BULGING EYE from a dam that was only 01-02 361 2309 77 3.3% 68 3.0%. But she was rated 99%ile.

SDD: SG CAPRIKORN RENOV WINNEMUCCA 4*M TOP TEN 99th%ile

2-09 305 3729 **153** 4.1% 119 3.2%

LA-90 VEEE

153 can be #1 in U.S. Saanens for fat some years

Smh code 87 J 90 EH

DS: SG CAPRIKORN MEADOW SNOW +*B LA-90

D: SG CAPRIKORN SNOW BONES 4*M LA-88 96%ile

01-07 327 3064 101 3.3% 80 2.7%

02-08 307 3598 96 2.7% 100 2.8% awesome for a 2 y o.

A big doe. Maybe the best looking of the "Class of 2011". E Mammary.

DDS: RON TOM SARA'S ZEPPO LA-90 Elite Buck List dam LA-91 & Top Ten

DD: SG CAPRIKORN LT AYALA 3*M

02-07 304 **4476** 120 2.7% 125 2.8% **Top Ten**

DDD: CAPRIKORN RENOV'S ZTARTREK 2*M 99th %ile prelim TOP TEN 05-09 305 **4375** 103 2.4% 103 2.5%.

Judge Katie Wolf put EKORIAup as our showiest doe kid out of around 70. And the judges at the Memorial Day show in Leetown agreed with her.

She led all our yearlings in milk and protein after first five tests.

The mammary is NOT pretty so this was a great chance for a dairy farmer to get a son of hers at a very reasonable price. She has the body. Her close relatives have nice udders. Her son KLINGON beat the other 2 year old bucks for conformation on June 14, 2020.

The last DHI test of the year for us in 2016 was October 15. EKORIA was number ONE in the entire herd. The first DHI test for us in 2017 was March 9, and again EKORIA was number ONE out of all of the milkers! On her first test of 2020 she beat them all again as a six-year-old!

On March 30th, 2022 at the age of 8 years old EKORIA dropped an amazing 23.2 pounds on official DHI test.

Out of 22 milking yearlings, her two dau's were highest and third on the September 21, 2023 DHI Test. On May 21 2023 EKORIA kidded at nine years old. Something happened and she when down. Her legs were thrashing and she could not get up. Scott thought it was a stroke. Several times Scott dragged her and made her walk a little. Then, SHE WALKED BY HERSELF! Back to the Milking Herd! Skin and Bones. Tester came. 3 pounds. Urggh. Next month - 10.4 pounds!

On Sept 22, '23 we had twenty two milking yearlings on test. The two daughters of EKORIA, PANAKA, AND PANAKKA were first & third place does at the milk production that day.

Basic Stuff - Introduction

(Rev. 07/7/2022)

CF/wp: INTRODUCTION (in "sales2thru10" folder)

We are not a show herd. We breed for milk/fat/protein.

Thank you for your interest! We have the heaviest milking herd in the United States.

What's different about Caprikorn Saanens? THEY MILK MORE THAN ANY U.S. HERD. For our foundation stock we used Top Ten does and sons of Top Ten milkers. Then we spent 43 years Official DHI testing and discarding.

We also breed for strong back pasterns, ease of kidding, and FRIENDLINESS. All of our goats descend from Top Ten does.

The Caprikorn kid you order will probably radically out-milk any other kid you ever buy.

What else is different? About 20 years ago we started breeding for components instead of just milk. Now, a lot of them have a hefty butterfat percent and protein percent. Especially PROTEIN.

Your kids are hand-raised C. A. E. Free. They get milk FOUR times a day!

Since 1977, we have adhered to a "Full Refund on Return Policy." You do not need to think of a reason to return your animal for a full refund. Unlike most other breeders, Caprikorn Farms does NOT reserve the right to keep kids – you get the kid you reserve even if it turns out to be the best kid of the crop.

We have a 4-H discount of 15% and a \$50 rebate program for when the first official DHIR lactation is completed.

We welcome visits from buyers (especially at milking time). Feel Free to BRING YOUR SCALE AND WEIGH THE MILK FOR YOURSELF! Please contact us anytime us if you would like further details on any of our animals.

Farm Phone (301) 834-8030 Scott Hoyman (husband) office 301-432-8048 Alice Orzechowski (wife), Board Member, Maryland Dairy Industry Association cell (301) 639-9925 Kevin McGee helping buyers (304) 820-6433

Shoppers are welcome to drop by any time!

It's so easy to be #1. The other Saanen breeders have to breed for white hair, concave noses, erect ears, etc. All we have to do is be true to the Percentiles (also called Ranks) derived from our DHI records.

We have been on DHI since 1976, gradually moving up in production one generation at a time.

**** SHIPPING ****

Kids can go by plane. Others must go by land or sea.

We pay for vet fees and shipping papers. It costs \$85 to get your kid to the airport, AND HANG AROUND WHILE Air Freight checks the weather at your airport o see if your high is going to be over 80 degrees F. The plane ticket and kennel are your costs. Extra vet fees for export are \$275. We have to deal with 6 veterinarians for export.

Usually someone you know is going to the Convention or the National Show.

Previously the situation was -

Either your regional airport has United Airlines or they don't. The other airlines are too expensive. Three recent tickets were \$247 San Francisco, \$226 Minneapolis and \$219 Tampa, but it requires split second timing. We say the kid is 8 weeks when it is just 4 weeks old. They quote us a \$300 (medium) crate price. When we arrive, they sometimes make us get a \$400 (large) but they let us pay the quoted price. United Airlines typically ships to any U.S. Airport that does cargo. The only way to find this out is to call and make a reservation and see if they have a plane with enough room.

| WEIGHT | RATE (*rates are subject to change at any |
|------------|---|
| | time) |
| 10-50 LBS | \$259 |
| 51-70 LBS | \$314 |
| 71-100 LBS | \$384 |

Now the situation is - Call Delta Air Freight

We charge you \$60 to \$100.00 for the shipping kennel. Whatever it costs us. When returning the crate, you unscrew the screws and put them in a ziploc bag, tape the bag of screws to the inside of the top, turn the top upside down, tape the 2 halves together with duct tape, and take the crate to any UPS place. Or Greyhound. When we get the crate back, we send your purchase price back.

OR, if you want to own a kennel, that works much better. You can call Pet Smart (1-800-872-3773) and give them your credit card number. You want a "Great Choice Dog Carrier - 32" L x 22.5" W x 24" H," IF YOUR KID IS STILL 4 WEEKS, WHICH IS THE EARLIEST WE SHIP. Or, if you already own a kennel, you can ship it to us.

If you delay paying for your kid, your kid will get bigger. The air freight airline cost increases from \$239-\$349, and the kennel cost increases as well because you need a "large." With a doe, around six to seven weeks is where your kid moves up to a "large" crate and that plane ticket can jump up to \$289. If you wait around long enough, some airports and planes cannot handle the Extra Large crate.

These days we also have to buy something called an "Airline Kit" which is around \$10.

Or you pay us 75 cents per mile round trip.

****GLOSSARY****

What does S: mean? Sire (Father)
What does D: mean? Dam (Mother)

What does SG mean? Superior Genetics What does GCH mean? Grand Champion

What does SGCH mean? Both of the above

SG, GCH, and SGCH are pretty much meaningless initials dreamed up by the American Dairy Goat Association.

The SG designation is an especially poorly conceived award recently invented by the Board of Directors of ADGA instead of the scientists. If the doe is in the 86th percentile she gets SG. If more LA's and DHI tests come in and she drops to the 26th she is still SG. But 26th means 3 out of 4 Saanens are better than the doe. Is that "superior?"

The scorecard

This is the point system that underlies what the ADGA judges are looking for. Considering it has no scientific studies to support it, the scorecard does a pretty good job of predicting longevity.

But what CAPRIKORN is after is **PROFITABILITY**, not LONGEVITY.

According to the July 2020 issue of HOARD'S DAIRYMAN Page 390, "The average productive life for a dairy cow in the U. S. is 2.8 lactations."

Loose Shoulders: Are your does housed in a few acres? Loose Shoulders means this doe is at a

> bargain price FOR YOU. (Because the Show People hate them, so the price is lower). Are your does being "pastured out"? Do they walk long distances? Loose

Shoulders are a disaster for you.

Top Buck: same thing as "Elite Buck" and "Sire Summary"

same thing as "Sire Summary." 85th thru 99th %ile are called Elite. The USDA Elite Buck:

computer program comes up with "Top Buck". It appears on the cdcb.us website.

95th through 99th Elite Doe:

%ile: abbreviation for percentile.

Imagine a stack of 100 pennies. Top penny is 99. Bottom penny is zero.

Rank: same thing as percentile.

The important scientific numbers are Percentile and PTAM - developed by USDA scientists and in use by thousands of serious cow dairymen. The "Bull Proof" numbers.

First a computer sets everyone to "Mature Equivalent." Then each doe is compared to the does IN THE HERD that kidded around the same time. The doe already has a score from her sire and dam's score. The computer changes the doe's score up OR DOWN depending on how much milk/fat/protein she gives compared to her herd mates. Then it finds all her relatives on test anywhere in the US and adjusts her score some more.

How much can a percentile change? In other words, how wrong can it turn out to be? That depends on the REL. In practical terms, a Saanen with an REL of 70 or up will never change by more than 5 points. For example, your 85% ile doe with an REL 73 COULD REALLY be a 90%ile or he/she could REALLY be an 80th %ile. But 9 out of 10 times he/she is REALLY 87, 86,85,84 or 83. Now with an REL of 36 or, or less, he/she could REALLY be almost ANYTHING.

PTAM: Predicted Transmitting Ability Milk Starting at 1 yr and 9 months of age the doe, in 305 days, made 2500 pounds of milk and 70 pounds of butterfat. (Seventy divided by 2500 is 2.8%.) 305 days is

the standard measurement. She made 75 pounds of protein.

We use real "Standard DHI Testing" - Just like cows. BE AWARE THAT ADGA NOW ALLOWS PEOPLE TO INVENT THEIR OWN RECORDS!!

b.f.: Butterfat

American Saanens: The Togg Top Ten is on page 25 of the March 2015 *United Caprine News*.

Only number one with 4190 would have a chance at making Saanen Top Ten. Number 2 at 3620 is way out of range. The Oberhasli Top ten is on page 20 of the July 2017 *United Caprine News*. The 1st place doe milked 1-11 305 3810. The 2nd place doe milked 4-11 305 3030. The 3810 cannot come close to making

Saanen Top Ten.

VEEV: General Appearance: Very Good

Body Capacity: **E** for Excellence Dairy Character: **E** For Excellent Mammary: **V** for Very Good

Beneath V for Very Good comes "+" for "Good Plus"

LA: Linear Appraisal.

The American Dairy Goat Association has a free booklet explaining the program. Most Appraisers are dairymen, so they have a little better value system than plain old judges. But in 2016 ADGA ran out of dairy farmers that wanted to do the job, so they put a 4-H type judge in to fill the need. Still, the LA "ideal ranges" were selected by senior judges, not by computer programs that had the milk records built in. So, it is still a bunch of old wives tales with no scientific studies to back it up.

Take your big powerful ugly **money-making** doe that barely loses to a small beauty queen with a perfect small mammary in the show ring. The big doe has a chance to get a HIGHER Appraisal score than the show queen mini. But, if the big doe's udder has a tilt, forget it. She will be 8 to 10 points lower than "Mini".

In 2015 we had to hire 9 people to work at Caprikorn to do LA, and we paid ADGA \$1,295 for a single day. Another year when Eric came, we paid ADGA \$2,000 for a single day of his work. But we got a lot of PTAs and that data still impacts today's PTAs.

Hopefully all these LA sessions mean that your mega milker will live longer and bring in more milk check money or cheese.

What does V Ec Ec Ec mean? That is a "Young Stock Appraisal" score. In 2016, ADGA stopped doing babies. General Appearance V body Capacity Ec Dairy Character Ec Overall=Ec Note: different categories than LA above. The 4th letter in LA for big goats is not "Overall." It's "Mammary."

ADGA = American Dairy Goat Association

DHI = Dairy Herd Improvement

MDIA = Maryland Dairy Improvement Association

CGS = Canadian Goat Society

NSBA = National Saanen Breeders Association

DGSA = Dairy Goat Society of Australia

What does Scott mean by an ADGA "NSBA Type Doe"? "SHOW and milk"

NSBA stands for **National Saanen Breeders Association**. Every member is different. But the AVERAGE member is: SERIOUS about breeding, willing to lose money to improve their herd. has a different source of income than goats, says they breed for "show and milk," dreams of winning the National Show, usually win their local show(s), believes in the importance of DHI but often has a set of

reasons why they cannot do it, chooses their next herd sire based on his relatives' show wins, but if two buck kids are available and very close in show will choose the milkier one, HAS NEVER MADE A SINGLE BREEDING BASED ON B.F% OR PROTEIN %, can place a class almost as well or even better than a licensed judge, participates in Linear Appraisal, knows the strong points and weak points conformationally of each of their Saanens, will get rid of a doe that has black color or roman nose or droopy ears even if she milks GREAT, and has an average of about 20 Saanens. Now, 6 or so of them are commercial herds. Different.

SAANENS vs. LAMANCHAS

As a Dairy Farmer, you have to be aware that only TWO out of about 35 Directors of the American Dairy Goat Association are actually commercial dairy farmers. The rest breed for show. Page 4 of the United Caprine News for June of 2020 published the ADGA LaMancha Top Ten Records. The number 1 doe did 4,170 lbs in 304 days. That record won't even come close to making the last place on the Saanen Top Ten, which will usually be around 4,400 lbs! See also AMERICAN SAANENS above.

"PUREBRED" vs. "AMERICAN" vs "GRADE"

In 2016, ADGA registered 33,500 dairy goats. Only 3,800 were Saanens. Almost none of them were "Purebred Saanens." Almost all of them were "American Saanens." Very few were "Grades."

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ADGA stands for American Dairy Goat Association.

ADGA has about 35 Directors. They are hobbyists with full-time jobs not in goats. Or they are full-time in goats but their spouses have "real" jobs. They are breeding for BEAUTY, not milk/fat/protein.