**THE BASICS:**
- **BUCK or BILLY**: male goat
- **WETHER**: castrated male
- **DOE or NANNY**: female goat
- **KID**: baby goat
- **GESTATION PERIOD**: 5 months
- **AVERAGE LITTER SIZE**: 2-3 kids
- **ADULT SIZE**: varies greatly
- **There are over 100 breeds of goats.**
- **Goats are cud chewing animals or RUMINANTS with a 4-chambered stomach and a ‘split’ hoof.**

**THE EXTRAS:**
- Goats are friendly animals, intelligent, curious, mischievous and playful.
- Goats are raised for their MEAT, MILK, HAIR and SKINS.
- Millions more people in the world drink goat’s milk than cow’s milk. It is much easier to digest. It can also be made into cheese and other dairy products.
- Goats produce an average of 1 gallon of milk per day for 8-10 months of the year.
- Goat meat is called “chevron.”
- Cashmere goats produce cashmere wool. (only about 2-3 ozs per goat)
- Goats are one of the oldest domesticated animals.