MINIATURE DAIRY GOAT ASSOCIATION

How to Create a Non-Member Account

A **non-member account** is free. It lets you register goats, transfer goats and order papers from MDGA at non-member prices, without buying a membership. It takes about 5 minutes.

mymdga.app

Type **mymdga.app** into your web browser.
You can also go to the MDGA website and click the **Member Portal** link on the home page.

Is this the right account for you?

- **Never had an MDGA account?** Yes, keep going.
- **Already an MDGA member, or have an MDGA number** (including one that starts with **NM**)? Don't make a new account. Use the *How to Claim Your Account* guide instead.
- **Want to pick your own herd name and get member prices?** Click **Become a member** instead.

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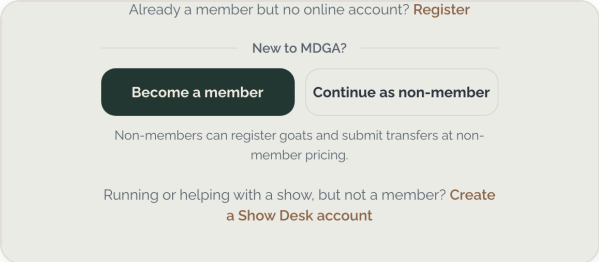
Click "Continue as non-member"

On the sign-in page, look under *"New to MDGA?"* and click Continue as non-member.



Your name & address
Where MDGA should mail your papers.

Phone & email
Your email is what you'll sign in with.

A new password
At least 8 characters. Pick one you'll remember.

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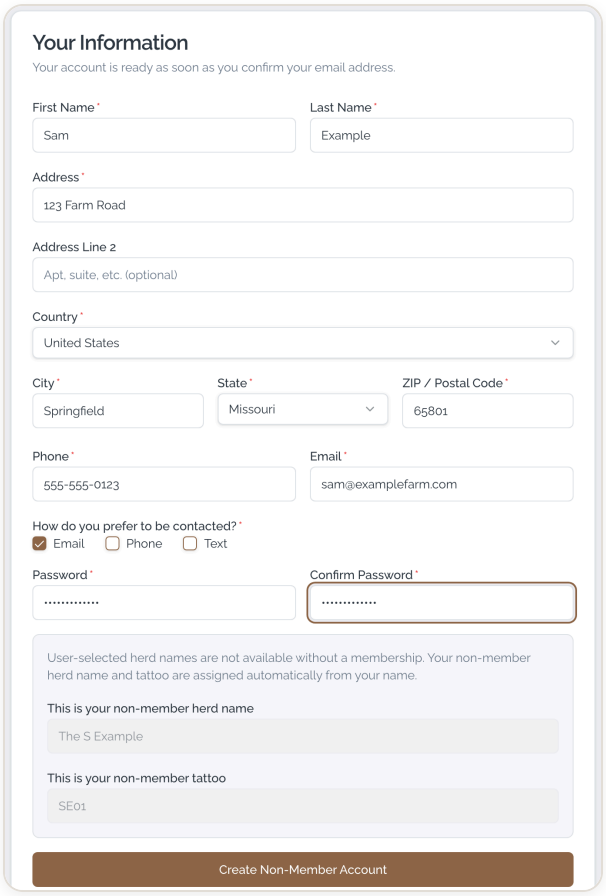
Fill in the form

Boxes with a red * must be filled in.

- **Name and mailing address.** Pick your country and state from the lists.
- **Phone and Email.** You will use this email to sign in.
- **How do you prefer to be contacted?** Tick at least one box.
- **Password.** At least 8 characters. Type it again in **Confirm Password**.

> **Your herd name and tattoo are made for you.** They come from your name and show up at the bottom of the form as you type. For example, Sam Example gets the herd name **"The S Example"** and the tattoo **SE01**. Non-members can't choose their own.

When everything is filled in, click **Create Non-Member Account**.



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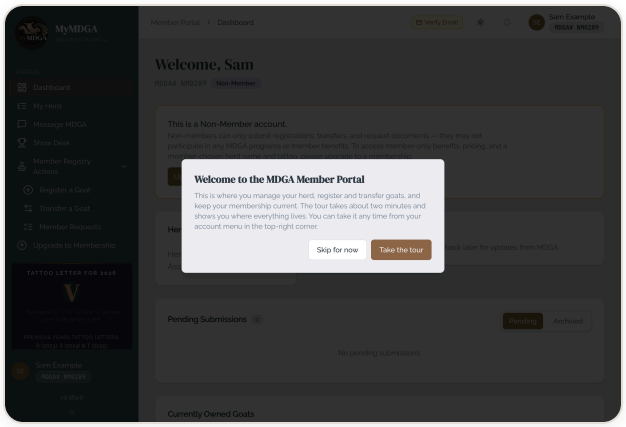
You're in!

Your account is ready right away. Your new MDGA number starts with **NM** (for example, **NM0289**). It shows at the top of the screen.

You'll see a welcome message. We recommend clicking **Take the tour**. It takes about 2 minutes.



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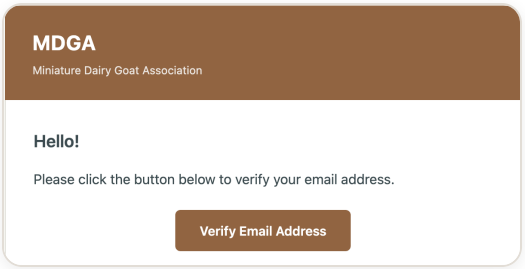
Confirm your email



We send you an email called **"Verify Email Address."** Open it and click the Verify Email Address button. **You need to do this before you can register a goat.**

> **Don't see it?** Check your spam or junk folder.
> **Need a new one?** Sign in, click **Verify Email** at the top of the screen, then click **Send a New Verification Email**. The link works for 24 hours.

What you can do with your account

Register a Goat	Register a new goat with MDGA.
Transfer a Goat	Record a goat you bought or sold.
Member Requests	Order papers, such as new certificates.
Upgrade to Membership	Become a full member any time from the menu on the left.

Next time, go to **mymdga.app**, type your email and password, and click **Sign in**. If you forget your password, click **Forgot password?**

Need help?

If the form says *"The email has already been taken,"* you already have an account with that email. Go to **mymdga.app** and click **Forgot password?** to get back in.

For anything else, email us:

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