

Mini Precious pockets supreme goat ribbon

Sarah McArdle

2 Sep 2016, 9:44 p.m.



A SWEET goat affectionately named Miss Precious took home the top gong in the miniature goats.





AADORABLE CHAMPION: Lee Harrison, Aadorable Mini Goats, Portland, Vic, with supreme miniature goat exhibit Miss Precious, and judge Lynn Wickenden, NSW.

The four-year-old from Aadorable Mini Goats, Portland, Vic,has competed at Adelaide previously, but this time was noticed by the judge immediately.

Owner Lee Harrison said the supreme exhibit, entered in the adult class, was her best doe.

"Miss Precious is from a long line I've been working on for 12 years, and it just oozes pizzazz," she said.

"It has the nicest nature, and I'm very pleased.

"This is its third champion win and is close to an Australian championship title."

Ms Harrison runs about 40 goats, and entered nine in the show.

Her buck Bally Park Rebel won senior champion buck.

"We come across each year and just love the Adelaide Royal, the fun and the feel of this place is just amazing, and everyone is so friendly," she said.



Judge Lynn Wickenden breeds boer goats at her Carrington View stud, Tallong, NSW, and said Precious was a "gorgeous example" of a miniature goat.

"It would be hard to find a good enough buck to produce the best it (Precious) can produce," she said.

"It is an eye-catching miniature goat, with very sleek lines and balance, is structurally correct with strong hind quarters and has a lot of presence to it."

Champion junior in show went to 2.5-year-old doe Hartelle Hills Licorice, Megan Miller, Victor Harbor.

In the kid section, best in show went to doe Poco Capra Halo, while champion kid wether was won by Poco Capra Apollo, both exhibited by Adam and Megan Coyles, Birdwood.



