## **VACCINATION AND DOSING PROGRAM**

#### **Pasteurella**

- Vaccinate pregnant does 6-8 weeks before kidding date, follow product instructions, give booster after 4 weeks.
- Vaccinate kids 2-3 weeks after birth (Multi-vax P) and 4 weeks later booster shot.
- At 4 months of age I vaccinate Leucopast for cattle @0.5cc/goat, 4 weeks later booster shot. I vaccinate all does again when I do the kids.
- Vaccinate bucks on doe program

There are many vaccines available.

- > Onderste Poort Pasteurella vaccine for sheep and goat
- > Leucopast for cattle
- ➤ Multi- vax P
- One shot
- > Ewe-guard

There is a debate on multi – vaccines and the overload of immune systems, but unfortunately there is no clear cut opinion.

Remember that the Gauteng climate is different to ours and I'm sure that you will have to adapt accordingly. Cold nights warm days!!! Summer rain etc.

As you know stress is the main cause of Pasteurella.

#### STRESS IS!!!!

- > OVER CROWDING
- > ANY CHANGE IN DIET
- > WEANING
- > IDLENESS
- > HEAT
- > COLD
- > HANDLING

#### > TRANSPORT.

# **PULPY KIDNEY**

- > The same program as Pasteurella
- Vaccinate against pulpy kidney at least two weeks prior to dosing goats
- > Or any major change in diet.

I use Multi-vax P it is a multi vaccine and includes Pulpy kidney tetanus etc.

#### **ENZOOTIC ABORTION**

Once only 1 month before first mating

#### **BLUE UDDER**

All does old and young 8 weeks before kidding and again booster shot 4 weeks before kidding

## **DOSING FOR INTERNAL PARASITES**

I recommend that you only dose on faecal egg counts.

#### VIT A and MINERALS

**Oral Vit A monthly** 

**Embamin T. every 3 months** 

# CORYNE BACTERIUM PSEUDO TUBERCULOSIS The abcesses on the jaw line or where glands are.

I use Glan vac 3. It is a product from Pfizer.

Most herds in S.A are infected with this bacteria, but try to source from herds that are Coryne free. Or vaccinate, I vaccinate my kids 2 weeks after birth, 4 weeks later a booster shot, then 6 months later. After that they receive an annual booster shot which I give at drying up(8 weeks prior to kidding) and booster 4 weeks later.