

AUGUST 7-11 2024

OPEN CLASS SHEEP



**JOSEPHINE COUNTY
FAIR
OFFICIAL EXHIBIT GUIDE**



OPEN CLASS SHEEP SHOW COMPETITION RULES

THURSDAY, AUGUST 8TH 9:00 A.M.

Superintendent: Pete Tibbits 541-218-5611

RULES:

1. All Open Livestock Rules apply.
2. Entries close August 1st, 2024. Register online at <https://josephine.fairwire.com/>.
3. Pen requests must be included with entry.
4. Late entries will be accepted if pen space permits.
5. All Open Class Sheep entries must include:
 - a. Name of Owner
 - b. Name of sheep or number of sheep.
 - c. Recorded number of Sire and Dam (for Breed Classes only)
 - d. Date of birth of each animal
6. All sheep exhibited in Breed Classes must be recorded or descended directly from a recorded Sire and Dam. Registration papers must be presented to the Superintendent prior to showing. Failure to provide proper registry information will disqualify an animal. This rule does not apply to crossbred sheep.
7. Animals are accepted for exhibit from 6:00 am to 6:00 pm on Tuesday before Fair.
8. All sheep will be inspected by the Fair Veterinarian before being accepted for exhibit. All livestock must comply with the requirement for health certificates inoculations, tests and general health. Any animal with any sign of abscess, swelling, inflammation or any other health concern will be dismissed from the Fair and must be taken home. Any animal developing such a condition during Fair must be removed immediately following the Fair Veterinarian's recommendation.
9. All sheep must have a Scrapie tag or an ID tag through a breed association that provides the same type of identification as the Scrapie Eradication Program.
10. All sheep coming from an area within 20 miles of a Bluetongue outbreak must have been vaccinated not less than 30 days, nor more than 18 months, prior to entry onto the Fairgrounds.
11. Animals are not released from Fair until after 11:00 pm on Saturday.
12. Animals must be clean and in the barn on display from one hour prior to the opening of Fair each day. All animals are to be identified for the public.
13. Large classes will be split at the discretion of the Superintendent.
14. Exhibitors may show as many sheep as they wish in an Individual Class, however, they are limited to two (2) premium and/or ribbon awards in any one Individual Class.
15. Exhibitors are limited to one entry in Group Classes.
16. All sheep shown in groups, with the exception of a flock, must be bred and owned by the Exhibitor and must be entered in Individual Classes as well as Group Classes.
17. All yearling sheep must be closely shorn within the year they are exhibited.

18. Exhibitors will be required to give the date of the last shearing of all sheep exhibited. An affidavit must be supplied upon request of the Superintendent.
19. A "Pen" consists of two sheep, 1 year or under.
20. "Flocks" consist of one male (1 year or under), two females (1 year old) and two females (under 1 year).
21. "Breeder Young Flocks" consist of one ram lamb and two ewe lambs.
22. "Get of Sire" is three animals (1 year or under), either sex and by the same Sire.
23. "Best Pair" is two animals (1 year or under), either sex and bred by one Exhibitor.
24. "Champion Young Flock"- All 1st place Young Flocks from all participating breeds may show for Champion Young Flock. The Ray Warren Trophy, named for a longtime Patron of the Josephine County Fair Sheep Show, will be awarded.
25. Champion ribbons may be awarded at the discretion of the Judge, even if there is only one Exhibitor in any Breed Class.
26. Trucks and trailers may be parked only in designated area for this year's Fair.

OPEN CLASS SHEEP DIVISIONS

- 601 Romney - Individual**
- 611 Romney - Group**
- 602 Primitive Breed - Individual**
- 612 Primitive Breed - Group**
- 603 Suffolk - Individual**
- 613 Suffolk - Group**
- 604 Dorset - Individual**
- 614 Dorset - Group**
- 605 Colored Wool - Individual**
- 615 Colored Wool - Group**
- 606 Other Registered Wool Breeds - Individual**
- 616 Other Registered Wool Breeds - Group**
- 607 Other Registered Meat Breeds - Individual**
- 617 Other Registered Meat Breeds - Group**
- 608 Non-Registered Wool Breeds - Individual**
- 618 Non-Registered Wool Breeds - Group**
- 609 Non-Registered Meat Breeds - Individual**
- 619 Non-Registered Meat Breeds - Group**

DIVISION 601/ INDIVIDUAL CLASSES – ROMNEY

- 6011** Ram Yearling
- 6012** Fall Ram Yearling, born 9/1 to 12/31 of the prior year
- 6013** Spring Ram Lamb, born 1/01 to 6/01 of the current year
Champion Romney Ram & Reserve Champion Romney Ram

- 6014** Producing Ewe, yearling or older, raised a lamb in the last 12 months
- 6015** Ewe Yearling
- 6016** Fall Ewe Lamb, born 9/01 to 12/31 of the prior year
- 6017** Spring Ewe Lamb, born 1/01 to 6/01 of the current year
Champion Romney Ewe & Reserve Champion Romney Ewe

DIVISION 611/GROUP CLASSES - ROMNEY

- 6111** Pen Ram Lambs
- 6112** Pen Ewe Lambs
- 6113** Breeder Young Flock
- 6114** Flock
- 6115** Get of Sire
- 6116** Best Pair
- 6117** Ewe & Produce, Ewe of 1 offspring, any sex

DIVISION 602/INDIVIDUAL CLASSES – PRIMITIVE BREED

- 6021** Ram Yearling
- 6022** Fall Ram Yearling, born 9/1 to 12/31 of the prior year
- 6023** Spring Ram Lamb, born 1/01 to 6/01 of the current year
Champion Primitive Breed Ram & Reserve Champion Primitive Breed Ram
- 6024** Producing Ewe, yearling or older, raised a lamb in the last 12 months
- 6025** Ewe Yearling
- 6026** Fall Ewe Lamb, born 9/01 to 12/31 of the prior year
- 6027** Spring Ewe Lamb, born 1/01 to 6/01 of the current year
Champion Primitive Breed Ewe & Reserve Champion Primitive Breed Ewe

DIVISION 612/GROUP CLASSES – PRIMITIVE BREED

- 6121** Pen Ram Lambs
- 6122** Pen Ewe Lambs
- 6123** Breeder Young Flock
- 6124** Flock
- 6125** Get of Sire
- 6126** Best Pair
- 6127** Ewe & Produce, Ewe of 1 offspring, any sex

DIVISION 603/INDIVIDUAL CLASSES – SUFFOLK

- 6031** Ram Yearling
- 6032** Fall Ram Yearling, born 9/1 to 12/31 of the prior year
- 6033** Spring Ram Lamb, born 1/01 to 6/01 of the current year
Champion Suffolk Ram & Reserve Champion Suffolk Ram

- 6034** Producing Ewe, yearling or older, raised a lamb in the last 12 months
- 6035** Ewe Yearling
- 6036** Fall Ewe Lamb, born 9/01 to 12/31 of the prior year
- 6037** Spring Ewe Lamb, born 1/01 to 6/01 of the current year
Champion Suffolk Ewe & Reserve Champion Suffolk Ewe

DIVISION 613/GROUP CLASSES – SUFFOLK

- 6131** Pen Ram Lambs
- 6132** Pen Ewe Lambs
- 6133** Breeder Young Flock
- 6134** Flock
- 6135** Get of Sire
- 6136** Best Pair
- 6137** Ewe & Produce, Ewe of 1 offspring, any sex

DIVISION 604/INDIVIDUAL CLASSES – DORSET

- 6041** Ram Yearling
- 6042** Fall Ram Yearling, born 9/1 to 12/31 of the prior year
- 6043** Spring Ram Lamb, born 1/01 to 6/01 of the current year
Champion Dorset Ram & Reserve Champion Dorset Ram
- 6044** Producing Ewe, yearling or older, raised a lamb in the last 12 months
- 6045** Ewe Yearling
- 6046** Fall Ewe Lamb, born 9/01 to 12/31 of the prior year
- 6047** Spring Ewe Lamb, born 1/01 to 6/01 of the current year
Champion Dorset Ewe & Reserve Champion Dorset Ewe

DIVISION 614/GROUP CLASSES – DORSET

- 6141** Pen Ram Lambs
- 6142** Pen Ewe Lambs
- 6143** Breeder Young Flock
- 6144** Flock
- 6145** Get of Sire
- 6146** Best Pair
- 6147** Ewe & Produce, Ewe of 1 offspring, any sex

DIVISION 605/INDIVIDUAL CLASSES – COLORED WOOL

- 6051** Ram Yearling
- 6052** Fall Ram Yearling, born 9/1 to 12/31 of the prior year
- 6053** Spring Ram Lamb, born 1/01 to 6/01 of the current year
Champion Colored Wool Ram & Reserve Champion Colored Wool Ram

- 6054** Producing Ewe, yearling or older, raised a lamb in the last 12 months
- 6055** Ewe Yearling
- 6056** Fall Ewe Lamb, born 9/01 to 12/31 of the prior year
- 6057** Spring Ewe Lamb, born 1/01 to 6/01 of the current year
Champion Colored Wool Ewe & Reserve Champion Colored Wool Ewe

DIVISION 615/GROUP CLASSES – COLORED WOOL

- 6151** Pen Ram Lambs
- 6152** Pen Ewe Lambs
- 6153** Breeder Young Flock
- 6154** Flock
- 6155** Get of Sire
- 6156** Best Pair
- 6157** Ewe & Produce, Ewe of 1 offspring, any sex

DIVISION 606/INDIVIDUAL CLASSES – OTHER REGISTERED WOOL BREEDS

- 6061** Ram Yearling
- 6062** Fall Ram Yearling, born 9/1 to 12/31 of the prior year
- 6063** Spring Ram Lamb, born 1/01 to 6/01 of the current year
Champion Other Registered Wool Breeds Ram & Reserve Champion Other Registered Wool Breeds Ram
- 6064** Producing Ewe, yearling or older, raised a lamb in the last 12 months
- 6065** Ewe Yearling
- 6066** Fall Ewe Lamb, born 9/01 to 12/31 of the prior year
- 6067** Spring Ewe Lamb, born 1/01 to 6/01 of the current year
Champion Other Registered Wool Breeds Ewe & Reserve Champion Other Registered Wool Breeds Ewe

DIVISION 616/GROUP CLASSES – OTHER REGISTERED WOOL BREEDS

- 6161** Pen Ram Lambs
- 6162** Pen Ewe Lambs
- 6163** Breeder Young Flock
- 6164** Flock
- 6165** Get of Sire
- 6166** Best Pair
- 6167** Ewe & Produce, Ewe of 1 offspring, any sex

DIVISION 607/INDIVIDUAL CLASSES – OTHER REGISTERED MEAT BREEDS

- 6071** Ram Yearling
- 6072** Fall Ram Yearling, born 9/1 to 12/31 of the prior year
- 6073** Spring Ram Lamb, born 1/01 to 6/01 of the current year
Champion Other Registered Meat Breeds Ram & Reserve Champion Other Registered Meat Breeds Ram

- 6074** Producing Ewe, yearling or older, raised a lamb in the last 12 months
- 6075** Ewe Yearling
- 6076** Fall Ewe Lamb, born 9/01 to 12/31 of the prior year
- 6077** Spring Ewe Lamb, born 1/01 to 6/01 of the current year
Champion Other Registered Meat Breeds Ewe & Reserve Champion Other Registered Meat Breeds Ewe

DIVISION 617/GROUP CLASSES – OTHER REGISTERED MEAT BREEDS

- 6171** Pen Ram Lambs
- 6172** Pen Ewe Lambs
- 6173** Breeder Young Flock
- 6174** Flock
- 6175** Get of Sire
- 6176** Best Pair
- 6177** Ewe & Produce, Ewe of 1 offspring, any sex

DIVISION 608/INDIVIDUAL CLASSES – NON-REGISTERED WOOL BREEDS

- 6081** Ram Yearling
- 6082** Fall Ram Yearling, born 9/1 to 12/31 of the prior year
- 6083** Spring Ram Lamb, born 1/01 to 6/01 of the current year
Champion Non-Registered Wool Breeds Ram & Reserve Champion Non-Registered Wool Breeds Ram
- 6084** Producing Ewe, yearling or older, raised a lamb in the last 12 months
- 6085** Ewe Yearling
- 6086** Fall Ewe Lamb, born 9/01 to 12/31 of the prior year
- 6087** Spring Ewe Lamb, born 1/01 to 6/01 of the current year
Champion Non-Registered Wool Breeds Ewe & Reserve Champion Non-Registered Wool Breeds Ewe

DIVISION 618/GROUP CLASSES – NON-REGISTERED WOOL BREEDS

- 6181** Pen Ram Lambs
- 6182** Pen Ewe Lambs
- 6183** Breeder Young Flock
- 6184** Flock
- 6185** Get of Sire
- 6186** Best Pair
- 6187** Ewe & Produce, Ewe of 1 offspring, any sex

DIVISION 609/INDIVIDUAL CLASSES – NON-REGISTERED MEAT BREEDS

- 6091** Ram Yearling
- 6092** Fall Ram Yearling, born 9/1 to 12/31 of the prior year
- 6093** Spring Ram Lamb, born 1/01 to 6/01 of the current year
Champion Non-Registered Meat Breeds Ram & Reserve Champion Non-Registered Meat Breeds Ram

- 6094** Producing Ewe, yearling or older, raised a lamb in the last 12 months
 - 6095** Ewe Yearling
 - 6096** Fall Ewe Lamb, born 9/01 to 12/31 of the prior year
 - 6097** Spring Ewe Lamb, born 1/01 to 6/01 of the current year
- Champion Non-Registered Meat Breeds Ewe & Reserve Champion Non-Registered Meat Breeds Ewe**

DIVISION 619/GROUP CLASSES – NON-REGISTERED MEAT BREEDS

- 6191** Pen Ram Lambs
- 6192** Pen Ewe Lambs
- 6193** Breeder Young Flock
- 6194** Flock
- 6195** Get of Sire
- 6196** Best Pair
- 6197** Ewe & Produce, Ewe of 1 offspring, any sex

GRAND CHAMPION RAM
GRAND CHAMPION EWE
CHAMPION YOUNG FLOCK – RAY WARREN TROPHY