

# DEPARTMENT D - WOOL 2024

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**ENTRY:** **Online entry** at: [www.montanafair.com](http://www.montanafair.com)  
Contact the Entry Office at (406)256-2400 for entry questions or  
Email: [entryoffice@metrapark.com](mailto:entryoffice@metrapark.com).

**EXHIBITOR FEE:** \$5.00 per exhibitor

**ENTRY FEES:** -0-

**ENTRY DEADLINE:** All entries must be received by **4:00 pm on Tuesday, August 6, 2024.**

**EXHIBIT CHECK-IN:** All wool exhibits must be delivered to the MontanaFair grounds Expo Center by 4:00 pm, Friday, August 9, 2024.

**GATE ADMISSION:** Non-refundable Exhibitor's Discount tickets and wristbands can be purchased on the online entry system if purchased at time of entry. Discount exhibitor tickets will not be available after August 1, 2024.

**JUDGING:** Saturday, August 10, 2024 – Time to be determined.

**CLASS PREMIUMS:** 1<sup>st</sup> - \$25.00, 2<sup>nd</sup> - \$20.00, 3<sup>rd</sup> - \$15.00, 4<sup>th</sup> - \$10.00  
MontanaFair will award \$100.00 for Champion Overall Fleece in show.  
Ribbons will be awarded in each class 1<sup>st</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> place.

**EXHIBIT CHECK-OUT:** Saturday, August 17, 2024.

## **RULES & REGULATIONS:**

Exhibitors must read and observe the General Information (included in the back of this handbook) at [www.montanafair.com](http://www.montanafair.com). In addition, the following rules apply:

1. All wool must be Montana or Wyoming grown.
2. Entries are limited to two (2) entries from each exhibitor in any class.
3. Entries must be made in the name of the grower.
4. Wool shorn in 2023 or 2024 is eligible.
5. Shorn wool (no more than 12 months growth).
6. Preparation – All fleeces shall be rolled flesh side out in a manner to allow their being handled without falling apart and then placed in a plastic garbage bag.
7. Definition of color: "White is white; everything else is colored."



Dept-Division-Class**DIVISION 1 - Market Wool Fleeces**

D-1-101	64's and finer
D-1-102	60/62's 1/2 Blood
D-1-103	56/58's 3/8 Blood
D-1-104	50/54's 1/4 Blood

**DIVISION 2 - Breed Ewe Fleeces**

D-2-105	Columbia
D-2-106	Corriedale
D-2-107	Hampshire
D-2-108	Suffolk
D-2-109	Targhee
D-2-110	Rambouilett
D-2-111	Long wool breeds (Lincoln, Border, Leicester, Wensleydale, etc.)

**DIVISION 3 - Breed Ram Classes**

D-3-112	Columbia
D-3-113	Corriedale
D-3-114	Hampshire
D-3-115	Suffolk
D-3-116	Targhee
D-3-117	Rambouilett
D-3-118	Long wool breeds (Lincoln, border, Leicester, Wensleydale, etc.)

**DIVISION 4 - Hand Spinning Fleeces**

(Fleeces must be skirted and shown untied in clear plastic bags.)

D-4-119	White 64's and finer
D-4-120	White 58's to 62's
D-4-121	White 56's and less
D-4-122	Colored 64's and finer
D-4-123	Colored 58's to 62's
D-4-124	Colored 56's and less
D-4-125	Hair (ex. Angora, Llama, etc.)
D-4-126	Alpaca Fleece
D-4-127	Mohair
D-4-128	Any fiber not previously listed

