

SOUTHWEST REGIONAL OPEN SOUTHDOWN SHOW

Gary Rochetzky, Superintendent
Jason Wade, Assistant Superintendent
Caitlyn Frederick, Assistant Superintendent

Judge: Phillip Allen

Total Premiums Offered - \$4,250.00

SPECIAL RULES

1. All entries and awards in this department shall be subject to the General Rules and Regulations published in this catalog.
2. Entries close in this division Friday, August 18, 2023. Entry fee: \$30.00 per animal for all breeds. **Late entries will only be accepted day of arrival at the barn. Late entry fee: \$60.00 per animal. Cash Only!** Initial bedding is provided.
3. All animals must be entered in the name of the owner and must have been owned not less than 60 days prior to the opening of the Fair.
4. Veterinary Inspection: All sheep must be accompanied by a health certificate issued by a licensed veterinarian. Provisions of The Texas Animal Health Commission will apply.
5. All sheep entered as purebred must be registered and papers will be checked from 1:00pm to 4:00pm on Tuesday, September 26, 2023.
6. Computing Ages:
 - a. The base date for computing ages will be September 1.
 - b. Yearling – Born before September 1, 2022
Fall lamb – Born between September 1 and December 31, 2022
Early Spring Ewe Lamb – Born between January 1 and February 14, 2023
Late Spring Lamb – February 15, 2023 and later
 - c. All lambs, in order to be eligible to compete in their respective classes, must be carrying all milk teeth at the time of entering the show ring.
 - d. Yearlings may have as many as four permanent teeth but must have been born before September 1, 2022.
7. Sheep must be in place by noon on Tuesday, September 26th and remain in place until the show is over. No empty trailers will be allowed to remain inside the fairgrounds around the barn areas; they must be parked in the designated Livestock trailer Parking Lot located off of Avenue A between 8th and 9th street after unloading.
8. Judging will start at 9:00am on Wednesday, September 27th in the order listed below.
9. Exhibitors will be limited to two placings only in each class and one placing in the group classes.
10. Each exhibitor will be mailed 1 season admission pass and 1 "Livestock" parking pass. **The "Livestock" parking pass allows you to park in the designated livestock parking area or anywhere in the general parking lot. NO internal parking is allowed on the fairgrounds by exhibitors. TOWING WILL BE ENFORCED. See map on page #3 to know where the livestock parking area is located.**
11. Sheep must be slick shorn from knee and hock up at a uniform length. Maximum of ¼ in wool permitted.
12. Herdsman Award - \$25 plus Banner
13. If class size is 12 or more, Superintendent may split classes.

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Class	Premium
01 – Spring Ram Lamb	A
02 – Fall Ram Lamb	A
03 – Pair of Ram Lambs	A
04 – Yearling Ram	A
05 – Champion Ram	\$100 + Banner
06 – Reserve Champion Ram	\$75 + Banner
07 – Texas Special Southdown Breeders Ewe Lamb Youth Futurity	B
08 – Late Spring Ewe Lamb	A
09 – Early Spring Ewe Lamb	A

SW Regional Open Southdown Show Cont'd.

Class	Premium
10 – Fall Ewe Lamb	A
11 – Pair of Ram Lambs	A
12 – Yearling Ewe	A
13 – Pair of Yearling Ewes	A
14 – Champion Ewe	\$100 + Banner
15 – Reserve Champion Ewe	\$75 + Banner
16 – Lamb Flock, One Ram & Two Ewe or Yearlings	A

Number Shown	Premium Schedule – A									
	<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>	<u>5th</u>	<u>6th</u>	<u>7th</u>	<u>8th</u>	<u>9th</u>	<u>10th</u>
13 or More	\$60	\$55	\$50	\$45	\$40	\$30	\$25	\$20	\$15	\$15
6 thru 12	\$60	\$55	\$50	\$45	\$40	\$30				
5 or Less	\$60	\$55	\$50	\$45						

TEXAS SPECIAL SOUTHDOWN BREEDERS EWE LAMB YOUTH FUTURITY CLASS

Premium Schedule – B

Premiums and Rosettes will be awarded through 8 places as follows:

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>	<u>5th</u>	<u>6th</u>	<u>7th</u>	<u>8th</u>
\$100	\$80	\$60	\$50	\$40	\$35	\$30	\$25

Junior Showmanship Award

SPF Banner

1. Ewe lambs eligible for this special class must have been purchased in the Texas Southdown Breeders' Association spring sale. Transfer papers and tattoos required.
2. Open for Junior exhibitors only. Juniors who wish to enter both may pay double entry fees, and enter both the Open Show and the Special Futurity Class.