

JUNIOR BREEDING EWE SHOW

Divisions 153-160

Superintendents

Darin Annuschat – Stillwater, OK
Dr. Jerry Fitch – Stillwater, OK
Summer Leister – Stillwater, OK
Randy Pirtle – Copan, OK

Judge

Preston Lawrence – Pottsboro, TX

Commercial Ewe Nomination Deadline: Friday, July 1, 2023

Entry Deadline: Friday, August 25, 2023

May Begin Arrival: Thursday, September 28, 6 am

In Place By: Friday, September 29, 6 pm

Junior Breeding Registered Ewes Check in Deadline: Friday, September 29, by 6 pm

Showmanship: Friday, September 29, 6 pm

Commercial Ewe Weights Due: Saturday, September 30, 8 am online

Judging: Saturday, September 30, 9 am in the Ranger Arena.

Show Order: Hair, Southdown, Shropshire, Dorset, Dorset-Advantage, Hampshire, Suffolk, Commercial

Released: Ewes will be released on Saturday, September 30, upon conclusion of the supreme drive. **ALL sheep MUST BE OUT** by 8 pm on Saturday, September 30.

DIVISION RULES

1. **Read General Rules:** All exhibitors and participants are required to read and comply with the General Rules and Regulations, Show Ring Code of Ethics, Animal Health Regulations, and the Division Rules.
2. **Show Limit:** Each exhibitor may only show a total of two purebreds per class and a total of three commercials. Any one animal may not show in two different breeds.
3. **Purebred Ewe Registration Papers:** All entries must be registered and recorded by a recognized breed association in the name of the exhibitor. Ewes owned jointly are not eligible to show. No pending papers will be accepted at the time of entry. Registration papers must be checked prior to showing.
4. **Ownership:** Registration papers must show the ewes were owned by the exhibitor prior to July 1 of the current year. The ewes must have been owned, cared for daily and fed by exhibitor beginning on July 1.
5. **Commercial Ewe Nominations:** Commercial Ewe Lambs showing at the Tulsa State Fair must have nomination information submitted online and mail DNA sample to the Tulsa State Fair office postmarked by July 1.
6. **Commercial Ewe Ear Tags:** All commercial ewes entered will be issued an ear tag at nomination time and must have the ear tag properly in the ear when entering the show ring.
7. **Commercial Ewe Weigh Cards:** All weights must be turned in online by 8 am Saturday, September 30.
8. **Commercial Ewe Weight:** The minimum weight is 90 pounds. There is no maximum weight.
9. **Commercial Ewe Weigh Back:** Upon completion of each class, the Superintendents will weigh a minimum of the top five (5) commercial ewes. Any ewe which has gained more than 5 pounds from the weight listed on the official weight card will be disqualified.
10. **Fungus Inspection:** All sheep will be checked for fungus.
11. **Teeth:** Ewe lambs must have lambs teeth with no visible signs of permanent teeth.
12. **Tags:** Flock tags, tattoos, and/or registry association tags must be in the ear of the ewe **NO EXCEPTIONS**.
13. **Grooming Stands:** Grooming stand permits may be purchased for \$10 at the time of entry or in the Livestock Office. For safety purposes, grooming stands will not be allowed in any walking area or aisles. All grooming stands will be issued an official identification tag, which must be displayed on the grooming stand. Space will not be guaranteed for grooming stands.
14. **Grooming:** Artificial coloring, paint, or powder will not be permitted for use on ewes during the entire show. If such is detected by a show official or through a protest, the exhibitor, organized group or individual involved will be disqualified and barred from exhibiting for one year.
15. **Shearing:** All lambs must be slick shorn to the skin. Shropshire sheep will be allowed to shear according to the American Shropshire Registry breed standards. Shearing will be allowed on the fairgrounds for Breeding Sheep **ONLY**.
16. **Purebred Ewe Bred & Owned:**
 - a. To be eligible for the B&O class, the breeder and the owner of the animal must be one and the same.
 - b. Registration papers will serve as proof for entering the class.
 - c. Ewes eligible for the B&O class must show in their respective age class prior to competing for the B&O awards.
 - d. The highest place B&O ewes in their respective age class will return to be placed in the B&O class.
 - e. All purebred ewe exhibitors who are going to show in the B&O class must indicate their intentions upon entry.

Purebred Ewe Class Breaks

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| 1. | Yearling Ewe | September 1, 2020 - September 1, 2021 |
| 2. | Ewe Lamb | September 1 - December 31, 2021 |
| 3. | Ewe Lamb | January 1 - January 31, 2022 |
| 4. | Ewe Lamb | February 1 - February 28, 2022 |
| 5. | Ewe Lamb | March 1 - March 31, 2022 |
| 6. | Ewe Lamb | April 1, 2022 or after |
| 7. | Pair of Ewe Lambs | |
| 8. | Pair of Yearling Ewes | |

Commercial Ewe Class Breaks: Ewes will be divided into weight classes according to the following schedule.

| NUMBER OF HEAD | CLASSES |
|----------------|---------|
| Less than 75 | 2 |
| 76 - 100 | 3 |
| 101 - 125 | 4 |
| 126 - 150 | 5 |
| 151 - 175 | 6 |
| 176 - 200 | 7 |
| 201 - 225 | 8 |
| 226 - 250 | 9 |
| 251 - 275 | 10 |
| 276 - 300 | 11 |
| 301 - 325 | 12 |
| 326 - 350 | 13 |
| 351 - 375 | 14 |
| 376 - 400 | 15 |
| 401 - 425 | 16 |
| 425 - 450 | 17 |
| Over 450 | 18 |

Awards

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| Class Premiums | 1 st - \$50, 2 nd - \$40, 3 rd - \$30, 4 th - \$20, 5 th - \$10 |
| Breed Champion | Banner & Buckle |
| Reserve Breed Champion | Banner & Buckle |
| Bronze Breed Champion | Banner |
| Champion Bred-and-Owned | Rosette |
| Reserve Champion Bred-and-Owned | Rosette |
| Supreme Ewe | \$750, Banner, Buckle |
| Reserve Supreme Ewe | \$500, Banner, Buckle |
| Bronze Supreme Ewe | \$250 & Banner |