

Department 27 Open Sheep

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- The Animal's date of birth must be included on entry form.
- Registered animals **must** have a copy of registration papers submitted with entry form. September 1 is to be used as a base date for computing ages of sheep in all classes but only those animals that have lamb teeth will be eligible to show as lambs.
- Blanket's must be removed by 8:00 am. All exhibitors are expected to groom and care for their animal(s) when at fair.
- Individual animals shown in group classes must first have been entered and shown in individual classes.
- Best Pair, Get of Sire, Young Flock & Flock must be bred and owned by the exhibitor.
- Natural Colored Only: N.C.W.G.A. flock registration numbers shall be presented on all Natural Colored entry cards.
- Exhibits will be limited to space available.
- Do Not Pre-enter Championship Classes. No premiums paid to Championship classes.
- All Leased Animals must have a lease agreement turned into the Exhibitors Office by August 5th.

Division

Breeding Classes Registered

A – Columbia - Registered

B - Dorset - Registered

C - Hampshire - Registered

D - Rambouillet - Registered

E - Suffolk - Registered

F - Other Meat Breed (specify) - Registered

G - Other Wool Breed (specify) - Registered

Class

1. Ram, 1 year old and under 2 years
2. Ram Lamb, under one year
3. Pair of Ram Lambs
4. Ewe, one-year-old and under two
5. Ewe Lamb, under one year
6. Aged Ewe, 2 years or older
7. Pair of Yearling Ewes
8. Spring Ewe Lamb
9. Fall Ewe Lamb
10. Pair of Ewe Lambs

Grand Champion – Ram, any age
Grand Champion – Ewe

11. Young Flock, 1 Ram Lamb & 2 Ewe Lambs
12. Get-of-Sire, four sheep, either sex, yearlings, or lambs, sired by the same Ram, all bred, and owned by exhibitor
13. Best Pair, two Ewes, two Rams or one Ewe and one Ram
14. Flock, 1 Ram any age, Yearling Ewes & 2 Ewe Lambs
15. Young Flock consists of Ram lamb and two Ewe lambs

Reserve Champion – Ram
Reserve Champion – Ewe

Division

Non-Registered Sheep

H – Columbia – Non-Registered

I - Dorset – Non-Registered

J - Hampshire – Non-Registered

K - Rambouillet – Non-Registered

L - Suffolk – Non-Registered

M - Other Meat Breed (specify) – Non-Registered

N - Other Wool Breed (specify) – Non-Registered

On these classes, grade animals are shown by the sire.

Class

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ram, one-year-old and under two years 2. Ram Lamb, under one year 3. Pair of Ram Lambs 4. Ewe, one-year-old and under two 5. Pair of Yearling Ewes 6. Ewe Lamb, under one year 7. Pair of Ewe Lambs | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 8. Young Flock, 1 Ram Lamb & 2 Ewe Lambs 9. Get-of-Sire, 4 sheep sired by the same Ram. 10. Flock, 1 Ram any age, Yearling Ewes & 2 Ewe Lambs 11. Best Pair, 2 sheep any age, either sex, shown in individual classes |
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Grand Champion – Ram, any age

Grand Champion – Ewe

Reserve Champion – Ram

Reserve Champion – Ewe

Grand and Reserve Supreme Champion – Registered and Non-Registered

Division

O - Feeder/Market Sheep

Class

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Feeder lambs under 110 pounds | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Market lambs over 110 pounds |
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Division

P – Alumni and Pee-Wee Fitting and Showmanship Class

Parents and advisors are encouraged to participate. Animals will be provided. Preregistration is not required. – Ribbon Only

Class

1. Alumni Fitting and Showmanship
2. Pee-Wee Fitting and Showmanship Contest- Held in the sheep barn.
Open to children 8 years old and under. See Superintendent for more details.