

SHEEP

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PARKING: Parking will be available for livestock vehicles in the sheep classes outside the fenced area at the South entrance. Please contact the superintendent to obtain a parking permit for your livestock vehicle. Only vehicles carrying livestock will be allowed to park in this designated area. No vehicles will be allowed to park inside the fair grounds.

WHO MAY ENTER: Connecticut residents only.

ENTRY BLANKS: Mail Entry Blank and a copy of Health Papers to the show secretary, Martha Rice, 128 High Street, Terryville, CT 06786. Entries close September 7th, 2009.

DELIVER EXHIBIT To sheep barn Friday from 5 PM to 9 PM or by agreement with Superintendent. Enter through the South gate. Animals must remain until 5:00 PM Sunday.

DEPARTMENT RULES

1. CONNECTICUT REQUIREMENTS: All exhibitors are required to show to the Secretary a RABIES VACCINATION CERTIFICATE SIGNED BY AN ACCREDITED VETERINARIAN indicating the name of the vaccine & serial number.. Animals must have been vaccinated 30 days prior to the first show date. Exhibitors will be required to display to the Secretary, health certificates as required by the Connecticut Department of Agriculture. **New USDA Health Requirement:** Official I.D. premise number or scrapie certification tag number. NO ANIMALS ARE TO BE UNLOADED UNTIL THE SECRETARY HAS SEEN THESE DOCUMENTS. ANIMAL'S EAR TAG MUST MATCH CERTIFICATES.
2. The committee reserves the right to decline any entry when in the opinion of the committee it would be in the best interests of the Fair to do so.
3. Exhibitors will be required to display, to the Secretary, health certificates as required by the Connecticut Department of Agriculture.
4. One bale of straw for bedding will be provided for each pen.
5. All animals must be free of disease upon entry to the fair grounds. Diseased animals will be rejected.
6. Entries in all classes must be shown in owner's name only, as it appears on registration papers.
7. Registration papers must be available and shown upon request of show officials.
8. Sheep must be in show conditions, blocked and fitted. Dirty or unfit sheep will not be accepted. Premiums may be withheld from exhibitors who violate the rules and regulations
9. Adult and Youth exhibitors age 21 and under will compete separately, except Class #s 4, 9, 14, 15, 17, & 18.

Entries are limited to a total of 15 head of sheep per farm unit.

Purebred classes for the following: Cheviots, Corriedales, Dorsets, Hampshires, Shropshires, Southdowns, Suffolks and all other breeds.

Junior Showmanship Saturday 10 AM.

Premiums for this class:

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th
	\$25.00	\$20.00	\$18.00	\$15.00	\$12.00	\$8.00	\$5.00

All breeds show to follow showmanship.

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PUREBRED SHEEP

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
1. Yearling Ram	\$25.00	\$20.00	\$18.00	\$15.00	\$12.00
2. Senior Lamb	25.00	20.00	18.00	15.00	12.00
3. Junior Lamb	25.00	20.00	18.00	15.00	12.00
4. Pair Ram Lambs	25.00	20.00	18.00	15.00	12.00
5. Champion Ram	Rosette				
6. Yearling Ewe	\$25.00	\$20.00	\$18.00	\$15.00	\$12.00
7. Pair Yearling Ewes	25.00	20.00	18.00	15.00	12.00
8. Senior Lamb	25.00	20.00	18.00	15.00	12.00
9. Junior Lamb	25.00	20.00	18.00	15.00	12.00
10. Pair Ewe Lambs	25.00	20.00	18.00	15.00	12.00
11. Champion Ewe	Rosette				
12. Breeders Young Flock - 1 Ram, 2 Yearling Ewes & 2 Ewe Lambs, Bred & Owned by Exhibitor	\$30.00	\$25.00	\$18.00	\$15.00	\$12.00
13. Exhibitor's Flock -1 Ram & 3 Ewes	\$30.00	\$25.00	\$18.00	\$15.00	\$12.00
14. Produce of Dam	\$30.00	\$25.00	\$18.00	\$15.00	\$12.00
15. Breeder's Pen of 3 Lambs, either sex, sired by the same Ram	\$30.00	\$25.00	\$18.00	\$15.00	\$12.00
16. Market Lambs					
A. Lightweights	\$25.00	\$20.00	\$18.00	\$15.00	\$12.00
B. Heavyweights	25.00	20.00	18.00	15.00	12.00
17. Champion Market Lamb	\$30.00				
18. Reserve Champion Market Lamb	\$20.00				
19. Sheep Farm display, Judged on attractiveness, quality, neatness of farm sign, show boxes and educational value.	\$30.00	\$25.00			
20. Supreme Champion Ram (all breeds)	\$30.00				
21. Supreme Champion Ewe (all breeds)	\$30.00				
22. Best of Fleece (Adult & Youth)	\$30.00				