

Open & Junior Sheep Department Rules

1. Please read the Open & Junior Class Livestock General Rules in front of this book. They apply to all departments. All Open sheep classes will show at 8:00 am on Saturday.
2. Animals must be in place by Noon on Tuesday, July 19. Weigh in will begin at 9:00 am. Priority weigh-in will be given to FFA animals.
3. Feed and water troughs must be furnished by exhibitors.
4. Open Class Entry fee shall be \$7.00 per entry in each class. Junior Class entry fee is \$4.00. Pen rent shall be \$4.00 per head. All fees must be paid at time of entry. Exhibitors may make two entries in each premium number. No more than two monies will be paid in any one premium number.
5. All sheep must be docked.
6. All animals, except wethers and market ewe lambs, are to be purebred and registered in name of exhibitor. Registration papers need to remain on fairgrounds.
7. In case of disputes, the Superintendent's decision shall be final.
8. Illinois Sheep must have a CVI and include "The sheep listed above were not exhibiting clinical signs of scrapie at the time of examination." Owner must also state on the CVI that the animals are not scrapie positive, suspect, high risk, or exposed and are not from an infected source or exposed flock. Out-of-State sheep are to be accompanied by an entry permit and a CVI.
9. Intermediate ram and ewe lamb classes will be born between Sept. 1 of previous year to Jan. 1 of current year. Junior lambs on or after Jan 2nd of current year.
10. All Carcass and Wether Lambs must show no sign of testicular tissue or they will be disqualified.
11. All Carcass and Wether Show Lambs must be weighed to be eligible to show. Check with Superintendents for time of weigh-in. Two classes to weigh will be allowed. All wethers must weigh 80 pounds or more.
12. A young flock shall consist of 1 ram lamb, 1 yearling Ewe, and 1 Ewe Lamb.
13. A pen of breeding lambs consists of 3 head (both sexes represented).
14. Best 4 Head can be Rams and/or Ewes.
15. Market ewe lambs cannot be shown in breeding classes.

ALL JUNIOR SHEEP WILL SHOW ON THURSDAY

1. Exhibitors are encouraged to castrate all surplus ram lambs to show in the Wether Class at the County Fair. All Wether Lambs must be weighed to be eligible to show. Ram lambs must have been raised by the exhibitor.
2. The judge will select the champion and reserve champion from 1st place yearling ewe, ewe lamb and ram lamb classes for each breed and all other breeds.
3. Pair of Breeding Lambs can be: Ram & Ewe or Two Ewes or two Rams.

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\$5926.00 Offered in this Department

Section A – WETHER LAMB

1. Only 2 entries for wethers.
2. NO Maximum Weight – Minimum Weight 80 lbs.
3. 7 sub classes divided by weight after weigh-ins.
4. Premiums for each sub class are \$22 \$21 \$20 \$19 \$18 \$17 \$16

301 Single Wether Lamb

Section B – Pair of Wether Lambs

1. 3 sub classes divided by weight after weigh-ins.
2. Limit of one pair of wethers.
3. Premiums for each sub class are \$23 \$22 \$21 \$20 \$19 \$18

302 Pair of Wether Lambs

Section C – Market Ewe Lamb

1. Total of 2 single ewes.
2. No maximum weight – minimum of 80 pounds.
3. 4 sub classes divided by weight after weigh ins.
4. Premiums for each sub class are \$22 \$21 \$20 \$19 \$18 \$17 \$16 \$15

303 Market Ewe Lamb

Section D – Pair of Market Ewe Lambs

1. 1 Pair of lambs must be identified at time of Weigh-in.
2. Ewe lambs cannot be shown in breeding classes.
3. 3 sub classes will be offered.
4. Premiums for each sub class are \$23 \$22 \$21 \$20 \$19 \$18 \$17

304 Pair of Ewe Lambs

Section E – Pair of Market Lambs (1 Ewe & 1 Wether)

1. Pair of lambs must be identified at time of Weigh-in. 2 pairs may be exhibited.
2. Ewe lambs cannot be shown in breeding classes.
3. 3 sub classes will be offered.
4. Premiums for each sub class are \$23 \$22 \$21 \$20 \$19 \$18 \$17 \$16

305 Pair of Market Lambs

Breeding Stock

Premiums for the following classes will be

Hampshire, Suffolk & Shropshire Classes - \$21 \$20 \$18 \$17 \$15 \$14

Dorsets Classes - \$22 \$20 \$17 \$16 \$14 \$13

Columbia, Oxford, & AOB Classes - \$22 \$20 \$17 \$16

Commercial Classes Yearling Ewe & Yearling Ewe & Ewe Lamb - \$22 \$20 \$18 \$17 \$15 \$14 \$13 \$12

All other Commercial Classes - \$22 \$20 \$18 \$17 \$15

Cheviot & Southdown Classes - \$22 \$20 \$17 \$16

Section

	F	G	H	I	J	K	
	HAMPSHIRE	COLUMBIA, OXFORD & AOB	DORSETS	SUFFOLK & SHROPSHIRE	COMMERCIAL	CHEVIOT & SOUTHDOWN	
306	315	324	333	xx	348	Ram Lamb	
307	316	325	334	xx	349	Champion Ram Rosette	
308	317	326	335	xx	350	Reserve Champion Ram Rosette	
309	318	327	336	342	351	Yearling Ewe, over 1 year & under 2	
310	319	328	337	343	352	Ewe Lamb	
311	320	329	338	344	353	Yearling Ewe and Ewe Lamb	
312	321	330	339	345	354	Pair of Breeding Lambs	
313	322	331	340	346	355	Champion Ewe Rosette	
314	323	332	341	347	356	Reserve Champion Ewe Rosette	

Section L – CHAMPIONSHIP DRIVE

357 Champion Wether - \$45.00

358 Champion Market Ewe - \$45.00

359 Champion Pair of Wethers - \$45.00

- 360 Champion Pair of Market Ewes - \$45.00**
- 361 Champion Pair of Market Lambs - \$45.00**
- 362 Champion Ram - \$45.00**
- 363 Champion Ewe - \$45.00**

Section M SHOWMANSHIP

1. Enter show day.
2. Exhibitors 12 and under can enter in the junior division.
3. Exhibitors 13 and over can enter in the senior division.
4. Once an exhibitor has won first place in that division you will be ineligible to participate in that division again. If an exhibitor has won Junior Showmanship but does not meet the age requirements for Senior Showmanship, they are not eligible to show in Senior Showmanship for awards.

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| 364 Junior Showmanship | Trophy donated by Dave Arseneau Family |
| 365 Intermediate Showmanship | Trophy donated by |
| 366 Senior Showmanship | Trophy donated by Carol Cyrier |