

4-H SHEEP SHOW

SUPERINTENDENTS: Alan & Connie Yager, Jim & Sandy Manthe

All Jr. and 4-H Market Lamb weigh-ins will be Tuesday evening at 5:00 p.m.

Entry Limits: 5 total. One entry per exhibitor per class except single market lamb. 3 entries will be allowed for Single Market Lamb. If a member has more than one market lamb per weight division, the additional market lamb must be shown by a current 4-H member.

DEPARTMENT RULES: (This department is governed by the General Rules and Regulations.)

1. All sheep entered must have been owned and cared for by the exhibitor since April 1, this year.
2. Exhibitor may exhibit in only 1 category in the Breeding Classes. (i.e., Grade, Dorset, or Montadale)
3. Breeding sheep must be trimmed (if applicable for that breed) within one week prior to the show. Wethers must be slick shorn. All animals must be properly fitted and presentable for show.
4. All sheep must be docked in order to show.
5. Only wethers may be shown in the market classes. Classes split by weight & number of entries.
6. Purebred animals must be registered in the name of the exhibitor only.
7. **All sheep (breeding and wethers) must have an identification ear tattoo or official metal or plastic tag number as well as their Scrapie ID tag and health papers to be eligible to show.**
8. Registration papers will be checked by the department superintendent.
9. January 1 will divide Spring and Fall lamb classes.
10. Classes will be available for all purebred registered breeds.
11. Any animal which shows lesions of contagious ecthyma (sore mouth) may not be exhibited and must be removed from the exhibition area.
12. Illinois Humane Care for Animals Act prohibits physical mistreatment of animals. Use of electrical shock, manual striking of sheep, or withholding feed and water are considered direct violations.



BREEDING CLASSES:

Cheviot	Montadale
Columbia	Oxford
Corriedale	Polypay
Dorset	Shropshire
Grade	Southdown
Hampshire	Suffolk
Jacob	All Other Breeds

Fall Ram Lamb
Spring Ram Lamb
Yearling Ewe
Fall Ewe Lamb
Spring Ewe Lamb

Champion & Reserve Ram Lambs (Each Breed)..... Rosettes
Champion & Reserve Ewes (Grade and Each Breed) Rosettes
Grand Champion Ram and Ewe Over All Breeds Plaques

MARKET CLASSES:

Single Market Lamb	Grand & Reserve Champion Market Lambs..... Plaques
Pair of Market Lambs	Grand Champion Pair of Market Lambs Plaque
	Reserve Champion Pair of Market Lambs Rosette

SHOWMANSHIP CLASSES:

Junior Showmanship - Under 14 years of age by September 1, previous year.

Senior Showmanship - 14 years of age and over by September 1 of the previous year.

(Previous Junior showmanship winners are not eligible for showmanship until they are 14 at which time they can enter Senior

showmanship. Previous Senior showmanship winners cannot compete.)

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