



DEPT. 4—SHEEP

Superintendents: Sam Barb & Bill Jacks (Co-Chairs)
 Matt Hoover, Jared McLaughlin, Dan Small, Roger Smith,
 Ron Thompson, Adam Wampler

Open Sheep Show – Friday, Aug 13th – 9:00 am
Old Timer Showmanship – Friday, Aug 13th – 1:00 pm

OPEN SHEEP RULES

1. Entries close Saturday, June 26, 2021 at 5:00 pm
2. Entry must be made whether a single animal or a group.
3. Entry fee is \$3.00 per lot/entry whether a single entry of one animal or a group.
4. Posted stalling assignments are final. There will be NO changes. Bedding must be straw or pine shavings. No floor fans allowed.
5. Tack is not to be stored in the pens. The Hartford Fair Board reserves the right to remove any tack from pens not being used to stall animals.
6. Check health regulations printed in this tabloid.
7. All exhibits must be in place by 2:00 pm Sat. August 7th.
8. All bedding MUST be removed from the pens before leaving.
9. Each breed must have a minimum of 5 animals and 3 families exhibiting or the following year the class will be re-evaluated by the fair board for inclusion.
10. Breeder's Flock of 5 consists of a ram (yearling or ram lamb), 2 yearling ewes & 2 ewe lambs.
11. All sheep must be owned by the exhibitor.
12. Center dividers must remain in and fastened to back of the pen if taken down. Cannot remove 2 consecutive center dividers. Hartford Fair Board reserves the right to put dividers back.
13. Open class sheep are permitted to be hauled in Friday, shown and taken home. Only those hauled in on Friday can be taken home Friday.

BREEDING SHEEP USDA IDENTIFICATION PROGRAM

All intact breeding animals entered in the Hartford Fair for the purpose of participating in the sheep breeding class shows must follow guidelines as listed below:

1. All intact breeding animals must be identified with official USDA approved identification, (USDA approved tags, USDA approved tattoos or identification in the Scrapie Flock Certification Program).
 - a. All registered animals with accompanying registration tattoos would be acceptable once flock is registered with USDA (registration tags are not acceptable);
 - b. If the breeding animal was purchased outside of Ohio, the animal must have official USDA identification as well as a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) signed by both the veterinarian and the exhibitor within 30 days of the opening of the Hartford Fair. (CVI must attest to the following: "the sheep in this shipment are not known to be under any movement restrictions because of scrapie.")

Hartford Fair Cash Premium

All Class premiums, with the exception of Goat, Llama, Draft Horse and exhibits located in the Arts/Crafts building will be paid cash premiums. Any voucher not cashed by the last day of the fair will be voided.

CLASS A – SOUTHDOWN

CLASS B – SHROPSHIRE

CLASS C – HAMPSHIRE

CLASS D – ALL OTHER WOOLED BREEDS

CLASS E – SUFFOLK

CLASS F – OXFORD

CLASS G – COLORED WOOL BREED

CLASS H – ALL OTHER MEAT BREEDS

CLASS I – WETHER BREEDING SHEEP

Whether Breeding Sheep are any purebred or commercial sheep that is bred for the sole purpose of producing show market lambs. Sheep should be shown slick sheared with butt wool optional.

CLASS A – SOUTHDOWN

Champion Ram – **Ron Potts RVS**

Champion Ewe – **Sheep Thrills Farm**

CLASS B – SHROPSHIRE

Champion Ram – **Environmental Trenching**

Champion Ewe – **Bob Rowe Realtor**

CLASS C – HAMPSHIRE

Champion Ram & Ewe – **Judge Duke Frost**

CLASS D – ALL OTHER WOOLED BREEDS

Champion Ram – **Brent & Terri Feters**

Champion Ewe – **Tornes' Dutch Acres**

CLASS E – SUFFOLK

Champion Ram – **McCombs Sheepy Hollow**

Champion Ewe – **Bob Rowe Realtor**

CLASS F – OXFORD

Champion Ram – **Larry & Bev Hansel**

Champion Ewe – **Ron Potts RVS**

CLASS G – COLORED WOOL BREED

Champion Ram – **Environmental Trenching**

Champion Ewe – **McCombs Sheepy Hollow**

CLASS H – ALL OTHER MEAT BREEDS

Champion Ram – **Bob Stradley Family**

Champion Ewe – **Environmental Trenching**

CLASS I – WETHER BREEDING SHEEP

Champion Ram & Ewe – **Forman Realtors**

Lot	Description	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th
1.	Ram 1 year under 2	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
2.	Ram Lamb	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
3.	Pen of Ram Lambs (2)	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
4.	Ewe 1 year under 2	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
5.	Pair of Yearling Ewes	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
6.	Ewe Lamb	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
7.	Pen of Ewe Lambs (2)	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
8.	Breeders Flock of 5	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6

**CLASS J – COMMERCIAL CROSSBRED
(ewes only)**

Champion Ewe – **The Dan Dickson Family**

Lot	Description	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th
1.	Ewe 1 year under 2	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
2.	Pair of Yearling Ewes	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
3.	Ewe Lamb	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
4.	Pen of Ewe Lambs (2)	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
5.	Breeders Flock of 5	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6

OPEN SHEEP AWARDS

The Bruce Baird Family – Rosettes Champion & Reserve Champion Ram and Champion & Reserve Champion Ewe in each breed Champion & Reserve Champion Flock

SUPREME CHAMPION

Jay Baird Memorial

Grand Champion Ram & Grand Champ Champion Ewe
Overall breeds

PEE WEE SHEPHERD’S LEAD CONTEST

A junior show for 8 years old and under (pre 4-H) will be held TUESDAY 4:00 PM in Grubb Arena. Rosettes sponsored by **Raindear Acres**.

PEE WEE LAMB SHOWMANSHIP

A junior show for 8 years old and under (pre-4-H) will be held Tuesday 4:00 pm in Grubb Arena following the Shepherd’s Lead Contest. This show is strictly an educational event. The lamb must be owned by the participant or belong to some member of the family. No sign up necessary. Rosettes sponsored by **Raindear Acres**.

OLD TIMERS SHEEP SHOWMANSHIP

Darrick Foster Family Ladies Division (Ages 19-35)
Judge Deborah Lang Ladies Division (Ages 36 & up)
Torens’ Dutch Acres Men’s Division (Ages 19-35)
Hummel Real Estate Invest, LLC Men’s Division (Ages 36 & up)
 Judging will be strictly on the showmanship of the individual and not the animal. The showman does not have to own the animal being shown. See Friday’s schedule for place and time