

SHEEP

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Schedule		
Time	Event	Judge
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2023		
9 AM	Rambouillet, Natural Colored Lincoln, Lincoln, Columbia, Merino, Dorper	
9 AM	Oxford, Suffolk, Horned Dorset, Southdown	
1 PM	Wool Judging	
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2023		
9 AM	Border Leicester, Natural Colored Border Leicester, Corriedale, Katahdins, Tunis, Natural Colored	
9 AM	Dorset, Hampshire, Cheviot, Montadale, Shropshire	
	Supreme Open Breeding Sheep; Ram & Ewe	
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2023		
8 AM	Collegiate & Junior Livestock Judging Contest	
9 AM	Keystone Lead Line	
	Junior Breeding Sheep (following Lead Line)	
	Followed by: Showmanship	
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2023		
8:30 AM	Junior Market Lambs	
8:30 AM	Commercial Ewes (following Junior Market Lambs)	
	Followed by: Showmanship	
<i>Location of all Sheep Judging and Sales – Sheep Arena</i>		

EXHIBITOR'S MEETING – Exhibitors are encouraged to meet with a representative of Show Management in the show ring immediately following the conclusion of judging on Friday, October 6, 2023. Comments and suggestions are welcome at that time. Release time will be announced at this meeting.

ENTRY FEES – Entry fees are listed below and must be included with online registration. Payment must be received at the time of entry to be accepted. Entries will be accepted based on available space with priority going to entries made prior to September 1, 2023.

SHEEP FEE TABLE	BY 8/31/23	9/1/23 through 9/11/23
Open Breeding, <i>per pen*</i>	\$30	\$30
Junior & Open, <i>per pen*</i>	\$30	\$30
Junior Breeding only, <i>per pen*</i>	\$18	\$18
Junior Market Lamb, <i>per head</i>	\$15	N/A
Wool, <i>per fleece</i>	\$3	N/A
Late Penalty, Per Exhibitor	N/A	\$75

**Full Pens Only. Junior Sheep entries entered in the Open Show must pay the \$30 full pen fee.*

*****ALL EXHIBITORS ARE REQUIRED TO PAY A \$5 PENNSYLVANIA LIVESTOCK ASSOCIATION ADMINISTRATION FEE TO COMPETE AT KILE.*****

BARNS OPEN – *Animals may begin to arrive in barns as follows:*

BARN OPEN	
Sheep	Noon Monday, October 2, 2023
ANIMALS MAY NOT BE UNLOADED BETWEEN 11:00 PM AND 6:00 AM. GATES WILL BE LOCKED.	

ARRIVALS – *Animals must be in barns as follows:*

SHEEP	
All Open Show Sheep	By 6:00 PM Wednesday, October 4
All other sheep showing in the Junior Show ONLY	By 6:00 PM Friday, October 6
Junior Market Lambs & Commercial Ewes	Between 5 PM & 6 PM Only Saturday, October 7
NO LATE ARRIVALS ACCEPTED	
Wool	11:00 AM Thursday, October 5 (must be in place)

RELEASE TIMES – *Animals are released from the barns as follows:*

RELEASE/VACATE TIMES	
Sheep	All Open Show sheep will be given release time at the exhibitor meeting. Junior Sheep will be released at 7PM Saturday or at the conclusion of the junior Breeding Showmanship. Market lambs and Commercial ewes will be released at the conclusion of the Market Lamb Show and must vacate the grounds by 11 PM October 9, 2022. Wool Exhibits will be released on Saturday at 1 PM.

SHEPHERD AWARDS

These awards are made to encourage exhibitors to present their flock in the most attractive manner. Each exhibit will be judged daily on appearance of exhibit; availability of personnel with the flock to furnish information about their exhibit; and interest of personnel in cooperating with officials in making the best possible presentation. Every exhibit including five or more animals is eligible to compete. Overall awards for the week will be presented as follows:

Placings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Awards	\$150	\$100	\$50	\$35	\$25	\$25	\$25	\$25	\$25	\$25

SCORECARD FOR DETERMINING BASIS OF AWARDS

A. Cooperative effort	35
1. Willingness to cooperate with management in parades, showing, etc.	
2. Courtesy and willingness to follow regulations.	
3. General courtesy to the public.	
4. Neat appearance.	
B. Animals	25
1. Animals tied or penned for best effect.	
2. Animals kept properly fitted.	
3. Plenty of bedding used.	
4. Animals fed and watered regularly.	
C. Pens.....	40
1. Aisles kept free and clean for spectators.	
2. Exhibit card neatly displayed.	
3. Feed kept in feed aisles (not on top of pens).	
4. Pens kept clean and dry.	
Total.....	100

1. **HEALTH RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR SHEEP** – No animal showing signs of infectious, contagious, or external parasitic disease will be allowed into the Pennsylvania Farm Show Complex & Expo Center. However, exhibitors observing an animal that may present a health hazard to other animals are asked to report the stall location to the show committee. The official show veterinarian, in consultation with Show Management, shall be responsible for determining the health status of all animals. Animals showing evidence of infectious, contagious, or external parasitic diseases shall be removed by their owner from the show grounds at the direction of Show Management.
(a). Certificate of Veterinary Inspection: All sheep to be exhibited must be accompanied by a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection signed and dated by an accredited veterinarian with an inspection date within the 30 days prior to the date of arrival at the show. All sheep must be individually identified on the CVI. All animals must be free of evidence of infectious and contagious diseases and a statement of this should be written on the CVI.
2. **Vesicular Stomatitis (VS) Statement:** This applies to states that experienced a VS outbreak in the last 12 months. In these cases an accredited veterinarian shall determine whether the animals are free from VS, and animals shall be accompanied by a CVI with the following statement signed by the accredited veterinarian: "All animals identified on this CVI have been examined and found to be free from VS. During the past 90 days, these animals were not located within 10 miles of a site where VS has been diagnosed."
3. **Sheep Identification Requirements:** Individual official USDA scrapie animal identification is required. Official scrapie ID includes: A USDA ear tag with a US shield; or a legible tattoo with herd and individual identification recognized in an approved USDA Scrapie database a.k.a. a scrapie tattoo (only for flocks enrolled in the USDA Voluntary Scrapie Flock Certification Program); or a breed registration tattoo if the animals are accompanied by a registration certificate (copy acceptable) and the tattoo is legible.
4. **NOTE: RABIES VACCINATION WILL BE REQUIRED FOR THE 2023 KILE SHOW.** A current rabies vaccination administered by a licensed veterinarian is required for animals 3 months of age and older not consigned for market classes and immediate slaughter. This vaccination is required within 12 months of the start of the exhibition. All vaccine label directions must be followed, and all rabies vaccinated sheep must be accompanied by a rabies vaccination certificate and the vaccination information must be included on the CVI. The rabies vaccination certificate must contain legible name and contact information of the veterinarian who administered the vaccine and the veterinarian's signature, the date of vaccination, the product and serial number used, the ID numbers of the animals vaccinated, their breed, sex and age. Market sheep going directly to slaughter are exempt from this vaccination; however, if market sheep are vaccinated, the required vaccine slaughter label withhold shall be abided by.