DEPARTMENT 4 – YOUTH/OPEN – SHEEP, WOOL & FIBERS

Superintendents: Buddy Ribblet and Chuck Penich

**Entry Deadline: June 25th**

**ENTRY FEE:** $3.50 per animal

 $2.00 per class except Showmanship & Breed

 $2.00 per fleece

 **YOUTH AND OPEN -**Must pay two (2) entry fees if entering both classes

**RULES:** (In addition to General Rules)

* Entries limited to two (2) animals per class and 20 per farm/family.
* Current health papers and a Vet-Client Relationship form must be presented at check-in. CVI must be issued after May 1.
* No sheep showing clinical signs of infectious or external parasitic disease, including foot rot and sore mouth, will be admitted to the show.
* All sheep must be individually identified by an ear tag or tattoo and this identification must be listed on the health certificate.
* Pen of lambs consists of two (2) ram and two (2) ewe lambs.
* Flock consists of one (1) ram any age, two (2) ewes one year and under two years old, and two (2) ewe lambs under one (1) year of age.
* Breeders’ young flock consists of one (1) ram lamb and two (2) ewe lambs, all bred and owned by the exhibitor.
* A Get of Sire shall consist of four (4) breeding animals, any age or sex, the get of one sire.
* Animals six (6) months of age and over are required to be registered in their respective breed association.
* Animals under six months of age must be eligible for registry in their respective breed association.
* PA Scrapie guidelines apply. All animals must carry an approved Scrapie ID identifying flock of origin or proof of registration with legible tattoo.
* There will not be stalling for animals that are not entered.

**PREMIUMS:** 1st - $8.00, 2nd - $6.00, 3rd - $4.00

**Champion and Reserve Champion – Ribbons and Trophy**

**BREEDING SHEEP**

**SECTION:**

1. Cheviot H. Polypay
2. Dorset I. Shetland
3. Hampshire J. Southdown
4. Horned Dorset K. Suffolk
5. Jacob L. Crossbred Wool
6. Natural Colored M. Crossbred Meat
7. Katahdin N. All Other Purebred

**CLASS:**

1. Ram lamb under 1 year
2. Ram – 1 year under 2 years
3. Aged Ram over 2 years
4. Two (1) ram lambs
5. Ewe lamb under 1 year
6. Ewe 1 year, under 2 years
7. Aged ewe over 2 years
8. Two ewe lambs
9. Pen of lambs
10. Breeders young flock
11. Flock
12. Get of Sire

**Champion Ram and Reserve Champion Ram – Rosette Only**

**Champion Ewe and Reserve Champion Ewe –** **Rosette Only**

**SECTION O: WOOL AND FIBERS**

**RULES:** (In addition to General Rules)

* An animal owned by the exhibitor when the fleece was shorn must have produced the wool exhibited.
* Exhibits are open to both purebred and commercial flocks.

**PREMIUMS**: 1st - $4.00, 2nd - $3.00, 3rd - $2.00

**CLASS:**

1. White wool – Fine 6. Natural color – Fine
2. White wool – ½ blood 7. Natural color – ½ blood
3. White wool – 3/8 blood 8. Natural color – 3/8 blood
4. White wool – ¼ blood 9. Natural color – ¼ blood
5. White wool – Common & Braid 10. Natural color – Common & Braid

**Champion and Reserve Champion**

 11. Spinners Choice

**BEST OF SHOW – from Champion and Reserve champion from above Classes**

1. Angora – rabbit or goat

**Champion and Reserve Champion**

1. Llama fleece – in plastic bag
2. Alpaca fleece – in a plastic bag
3. 2 oz. sample class from Llama
4. 2 oz. sample class from Alpaca
5. Item made from 100% Llama, alpaca or wool or other fiber by any person is to be classed as open or youth.
6. Item made of a blend of fibers.

**Champion and Reserve Champion**

**SECTION P:** **HANDSPUN YARN**

**ENTRY FEES:** 1 - 5 entries = $3.00, 6 – 10 entries = $4.00, 11 – 15 entries = $5.00, 16 – 20 entries = $6.00

**CLASS**

1. Single ply
2. Double ply
3. Novelty
4. Felting

**PREMIUMS:** 1st - $4.00, 2nd - $3.00, 3rd - $2.00