

Department F – Sheep

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- Assistant Superintendent:** Lindsey Sechrest
- Show Date:** Tuesday, August 3, 2010 **Show Times:** 10 AM
- Total Premiums Offered:** \$1620.00
Exhibitor Fee: \$0
- Pen Rent:** \$5.00 per head. Number of Animals will be checked against entry form.
- Pen Reservations:** Pen Reservations must be made with the Superintendent by July 15, 2010. Pen assignments will only be made by the Sheep Superintendent.
- Entries Taken:** Entries and pay fees on Saturday, July 31 from 12 Noon- 2 PM at the barns.
- Number of Class Entries:** Entries are limited to two (2) entries per class per exhibitor, unless noted otherwise. Animals must show in their proper classes, according to type, age, sex and breed.
- Exhibiting Rule:** All entries must be exhibited by the exhibitor. Exhibitor owning the animal must be present and in the show ring showing the animal in their classes.
ONLY EXCEPTION: Exhibitor having 2 entries in same class.
- Arrival of Animals:** All Sheep will be on the fairgrounds by 12 Noon Saturday, July 31, 2010.
- Bedding:** Exhibitor is responsible for providing own bedding.
All pens are to be cleaned before animals leave the fairgrounds.
- Livestock Health Requirements:** Health certificates are required as set forth in the State of Illinois 2010 Livestock Exhibition Regulations (Please read). Certificates will be checked at sign-in.
- Livestock Premises ID:** Premises Registration is voluntary to exhibit sheep at the 2010 county fair.
- Ownership Dates:** All sheep must be in sole possession and personally cared for by the exhibitor by June 1, 2010. None of these animals can be exhibited at any other fair after June 1, 2010, by any other exhibitor.
- Registration Papers:** Not Required.
- Weighing of Animals:** Market Animals will be weighed on Saturday, July 31 starting at Noon.
- Release of Animals:** All livestock (except auction animal) and equipment will be released from the fairgrounds On Wednesday, August 4th from 9 PM until 9 AM on Thursday morning, August 5th. After 9:00 AM no animals or equipment will be allowed to leave until one (1) hour after the auction.
- Rules:**
1. The General Rule and Regulations of the Fair apply in this department.
 2. Entries are open to boys and girls who are 8 years of age or in the third grade by September 1, 2009 and not yet 19 years of age, on or before September 1, 2009.
 3. Animals not presented in the show ring at the time of show will forfeit their right to show.
 4. During judging, no one is allowed in the show ring except Judge(s), Exhibitors, and Ring Assistants (who are selected by the superintendent).
 5. Premium checks will be released after pens/stalls and barns are cleaned and checked by the Superintendent. (NO EXCEPTIONS). Exhibitor must sign a Premium statement to receive check.

Breeding Sheep Show

Junior Open: Entries are open to all junior exhibitors.

Class Descriptions:

1. Ram or Ewe Lamb – Born on or after September 1, 2009 (All Lambs must have their lamb teeth.)
2. Yearling – Born 09/01/08 to 08/31/09
3. Market Lambs cannot show in breeding classes and breeding stock cannot show in market classes.

Premiums: Entry Fee: \$15 (Winners Only)

1st-\$30, 2nd-\$28, 3rd-\$26, 4th- \$24, 5th-\$22, 6th-\$20

Junior Open

All Breeds: (Registration Papers not required)

- 400-1 Ram Lamb
- 401-1 Yearling Ram
- 402-1 Ewe Lamb
- 403-1 Yearling Ewe

Champions: Overall Breed

- 430-2 Grand Champion Ram – Plaque
- 431-2 Reserve Champion Ram – Ribbon
- 432-2 Grand Champion Ewe – Plaque
- 433-2 Reserve Champion Ewe – Ribbon

Market Lamb Show

Junior Open: Entries are open to all junior exhibitors.

Market Lambs – Ewe or Wether – Born on or after September 1, 2009

1. Market lambs will be weighed and then broke into lightweight and heavyweight classes after all have been weighed.
2. All Market lambs will be tagged when weighed.
3. All market lambs must be shorn.
4. Breeding stock cannot be shown in market classes and market lambs cannot show in breeding classes.

Premiums:

Market Classes:

Entry Fee: \$15 (Winners Only)

1st- \$30, 2nd-\$29, 3rd-\$28, 4th-\$27, 5th-\$26, 6th-\$25, 7th-\$24, 8th-\$23, 9th-\$22, 10th-\$21

Junior Open

Market Lamb - All Breeds: (Up to 3 Weight Classes)

- 504-5 Market Lamb (Entry Class)
- 505-5 to 507-5 Market Lamb –wether or ewe

Champions: Overall

- 510-6 Grand Champion Market Lamb – Plaque
- 511-6 Reserve Champion Market Lamb – Ribbon

Super Wether Classic:

(Limited to 1 entry per exhibitor)

- 520-7 Super Wether Classic

Showmanship – Open

(Must be an exhibitor of sheep)

- 560-11 Junior Showmanship (Ages 8 -12) Plaque Only
- 561-11 Senior Showmanship (Ages 13-18) Plaque Only

Sheep Farm Exhibit

Based on Neatness and Attractiveness of the exhibit and the condition of all animals. To be judged during the entire fair by someone not connected with the Sheep Department. Award to be given at the 4H Livestock Auction on Thursday.