

# TROY FAIR OPEN SHEEP SHOW

THURSDAY, JULY 27<sup>TH</sup>, 2017

George Demas, Marjorie Fritsch, Superintendents

Sheep Show Committee: George Demas, Marjorie Fritsch,

Becky White, Jon Jenkins, Fair Manager

## Rules

1. Entry forms are to be returned by July 10, 2017. THERE WILL BE NO EXCEPTIONS TO THIS DEADLINE. ENTRY FORM ON LINE.
2. All entries to be on the fairgrounds by Sunday, July 23, 2017 by 7:00 p.m.
3. Animals will be removed by Thursday, July 27, 2017 4:00 p.m.
4. The sheep show will start at approximately 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, July 27, 2017.
5. All sheep must be accompanied by a certificate of health signed by a licensed veterinarian indicating he/she has inspected the flock and found them free from scabies and other transmissible diseases and be dated within 30 days of entry into the show.
6. Any animal of unthrifty nature, unsuitable condition or which cannot be satisfactorily handled under show conditions must be removed from the fairgrounds. No sheep showing clinical signs of infectious, contagious or external parasitic disease including foot rot and sore mouth will be admitted to any show.
7. All sheep must be individually identified by an ear tag or tattoo and this identification must be listed on the health certificate.
8. All sheep must bear an official U.S.D.A. / A.P.H.I.S. ear tag. Sheep from flocks on the voluntary scrapie program must bear the official ear tag, tattoo or electronic ear implant.
9. Junior classes are open to **Youth, 18 and under**, of Bradford County only.
10. The junior show will be coordinated with the open show.
11. Pen space priority will be given to Bradford County breeders. The balance of the remaining pens will be allocated to all other exhibitors up to a limit of 100 total head. Send entries to Becky White, 940 Antler Rd, Columbia Crossroads, PA 16914
12. The entry fee of \$ 3.00/head shall be returned with the entry forms. There is no entry fee for the youth show.
13. Checks should be made payable to Troy Fair.
14. Fair passes can be purchased for \$ 1.00/day for the exhibitor and family members working with the animals. Return the pass payment with your entry forms. "new pass form" check for quantity with number of animals.
15. The exhibitors will not be eligible for premiums on more than two entries in each individual class or one entry in each group class.
16. Lambs shown in breeding classes may not be shown in market classes and vice versa.
17. All exhibitors are responsible for bringing their own bedding and feed.
18. All breeding sheep must be registered and owned by the exhibitor and registration papers will be checked at the same time as the health certificates.
19. All pens must be cleaned to bare concrete upon animals' departure.
20. Pen of lambs consists of two ram lambs and two ewe lambs.
21. Flock consists of one ram, two yearling ewes and two ewe lambs.
22. Breeder's young flock consists of one ram lamb and two ewe lambs all bred and owned by the exhibitor.
23. Get of sire consists of four breeding animals the get of one sire. Get need not be owned by the exhibitor.

**SECTION 1-BREEDING SHEEP**

Pen of lambs consists of two ram lambs and two ewe lambs.

Flock consists of one ram, any age; two ewes, one year and under two; two ewes under one year.

Breeder’s young flock consists of ram lamb and two ewe lambs-all bred and owned by exhibitor.

A Get of Sire shall consist of four breeding animals, any age or sex, the get of one sire. Get need not be owned by the exhibitor.

**SECTION**

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| 1A-Cheviot    | 1G-Suffolk             |
| 1B-Corriedale | 1H-Tunis               |
| 1C-Dorset     | 1J-Rambouillet         |
| 1D-Hampshire  | 1K-Montadale           |
| 1E-Shropshire | 1L-Others-(give breed) |
| 1F-Southdown  | No Cross breeds        |

**CLASSES**

**PREMIUMS \$12 \$11 \$10 \$9 \$8**

1. Ram 1 year and under 2
2. Senior Ram Lamb and Junior Ram Lamb
3. Grand Champion Ram.....ROSETTE
4. Reserve Grand Champion Ram.....ROSETTE
5. Two Ram Lambs
6. Ewe 1 year and under 2
7. Senior Ewe Lamb and Junior Ewe Lamb
8. Grand Champion Ewe.....ROSETTE
9. Reserve Grand Champion Ewe.....ROSETTE
10. Two Ewe Lambs
11. Pen of Lambs
12. Flock
13. Breeder's Young Flock
14. Get of Sire
15. Pair of Yearling Ewes
16. Aged Ewe (**Youth Only**).

**SECTION 2-OPEN CLASS MARKET LAMBS**

All Market Lambs will be weighed and placed in a specific class at the fair.

Only Wether or Ewe Lambs may be entered as Market Lambs.

Owner is responsible for care until animals are removed from grounds.

**CLASSES**

**PREMIUMS \$12 \$10 \$9 \$8 \$7**

- Class 1 - Light Weight
- Class 2 - Heavy Weight
- Class 3 - Pen of Lambs
- Class 4 - Champion Market Lamb

**SECTION 3-GOOD HOUSEKEEPING**

1. Sheep exhibitors who maintain the most attractive and sanitary exhibits will be eligible for special daily premiums. All animals in the barns must be identified exactly as entered on entry blanks to qualify for Good Housekeeping awards. Premiums will be awarded at end of week.

2. All sheep exhibits will be scored on the following basis (total of 100 points):

Cleanliness of animals -	15 points
Cleanliness of bedding -	15 points
Entry Card & Ribbons won properly displayed with animal -	20 points
Keeping grain and hay feed presentable -	10 points
Keeping all equipment sanitary and neat -	10 points
Safety and keeping aisles clean -	15 points
Courtesy to people -	15 points

3. Inspection to be made daily, unannounced.

4. Awards will be made for Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday.

5. Premium amounts:

First Place - \$5.00

Second Place - \$4.00

Third Place - \$3.00

Cumulative prize limit - \$10.00

**SECTION 4-WOOL**

Entry application with entry fee of \$1.00 per fleece due by July 11, 2016 to Marjorie Fritsch, 6441 Austinville Road, Columbia Cross Roads, PA 16914.

Wool exhibited must be produced by exhibitor. No premiums will be awarded in any class unless the exhibits are worthy. The judges may withhold any premium for lack of merit.

<b>CLASSES</b>	<b>PREMIUMS</b>	<b>\$10</b>	<b>\$9</b>	<b>\$8</b>	<b>\$7</b>
Class 1 - Fine wool - 64's to 80's					
Class 2 - Half and Three-Eights blood 56's to 62's					
Class 3 - Quarter & Low Quarter - 46's to 54's					
Class 4 - Black Spinning Wool					
Class 5 - Champion fleece.....					Rosette