

## 4-H FFA Breeding Sheep Show

1. The 4-H and FFA breeding sheep show will be held on Thursday, July 25 at 10am at the beginning of the Open Sheep Show.
2. Entries are due to the Extension office by June 1.
3. All sheep to be shown in the youth show must be owned or leased by the youth by May 15.
4. If the sheep is not owned by the youth member the lease paperwork must accompany the entry form due on June 1.
5. All 4-H and FFA breeding sheep are able to leave the grounds at the completion of the show.
6. All entries to be on the Fairgrounds by Sunday, July 21 by 7pm

### 4-H & FFA BREEDING SHEEP CLASSES (Part of Open Sheep Show)

#### CLASS:

1. Ram under 1 year	\$10	\$9	\$8	\$7	\$6
2. Ewe 2 years and over	10	9	8	7	6
3. Ewe 1 year and under 2	10	9	8	7	6
4. Ewe lamb under 1 year	10	9	8	7	6
5. Grand Champion Ewe	Ribbon or Rosette				
6. Reserve Grand Champion Ewe	Ribbon or Rosette				
7. Pair of lambs, any age, either sex	\$10	\$9	\$8	\$7	\$6

### 4-H & FFA BREEDING SHEEP FITTING

4-H club and FFA chapter members may show an animal in the fitting contest, provided it has been carried as a project and is shown by the exhibitor.

Class 1 Breeding Fitting: Exhibitors age 15 and over

Class 2 Breeding Fitting; Exhibitors age 12-14

Class 3 Breeding Fitting; Exhibitors age 8-11

### 4-H LIVESTOCK PROJECT REQUIREMENTS:

**Check with your 4-H leader to be sure you know exactly what you need to do to complete your 4-H project. Each leader has a book which contains the requirements to complete each 4-H project. You must receive at least a white ribbon on your project in order to show.**

All completed projects are due at the Fairgrounds on Saturday, July 13 by 2:00pm if you plan to interview at Round- up. If you do not plan to interview books are due in the Extension Office on Thursday, July 11 at 5 p.m. If your books are not turned in on time, you will not be eligible to show your project at 4-H Roundup.

If you want to know how you will be judged there are score sheets in the 4-H room at the Extension Office and your leader will also have these score sheets.

**\*\*Also note to be eligible for Grand Champion Project books you will need to conduct an interview on July 13 at 4-H Roundup or schedule an alternate interview by calling the Extension Office.**

**Penn State Ethics and Quality Assurance Training:**

Ethics and quality assurance training is required by all 4-H animal project members. Any youth that has not taken the training will not be allowed to show. The Training is to be completed by July 1, 2019 and the certificate must be included in ALL of your 4-H animal project books.

**General Rules:**

1. 4-H members must feed, water, and clean up for their animals during their entire stay at the Fairgrounds. If your animal is neglected, *you will not be allowed to show next year*.
2. 4-H members must clean out their stalls after their animal has left the Fairgrounds and remove all bedding to the manure pit.
3. At both the show and sale, all 4-H and FFA livestock youth must wear long dark colored pants, with closed toe and heel shoes, a navy blue, white or forest green collared shirt. There will be no shorts or tee shirts with lettering. A white shirt and black pants are recommended for both the show and sale. The buyers are business people-they want to see you at your best.
4. At NO time while in the youth are in the pens with their swine, sheep, goats or cattle are you allowed to have opened toed shoes. This includes the adults!
5. Only Sheep and Goats will be allowed to use the back of the wash rack on Monday, July 22<sup>th</sup> until 2pm.

**Health Requirements:**

Section 17: Pennsylvania Sheep Requirements:

1. Individual official animal identification is required for all sheep. Official 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.

**Recommendations:**

1. A Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) issued after May 1, 2018.
2. All animals must be free of evidence of infectious and contagious diseases and a statement of this should be written on the CVI.

3. A current rabies vaccination administered by a licensed veterinarian for animals 3 months of age and older (observe appropriate slaughter withdraw time).

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#### Section 18: Out of State Sheep Requirements:

1. Federal regulation (USDA) requires a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) issued within the 30 days prior to entry into PA.

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. All animals must be free of evidence of infectious and contagious diseases and a statement of this is required on the CVI. 4. 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.

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