

DEPARTMENT 13

Open Sheep

ENTRIES ARE DUE JULY 13TH BY 5 PM

Superintendent:
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Exhibit Location: Show Arena

Premium Schedule: Schedule D

General Rules:

1. \$10 Fee per animal required to enter into open class contests.
2. Read all Rules & Regulations on livestock in the General Rules. If you have any questions please call the Superintendent.
3. All exhibitors must enter into **Department 19** to reserve a cage. Refer to page 10 rule #7 in the Generals Rules: Exhibits & Exhibitor. Do not change pens without speaking to the Superintendent (s). These pens have been assigned to you. You must have permission from the Superintendent and this change must be made with the Fair Office.
4. The Park County Fair will not condone bracing of lambs during any Park County Fair Contests. No lifting, slapping or use of abusive force to stimulate bracing of lambs will be tolerated!
5. All Lamb is to be uniformly slick shorn 3/8 inch or less. Legs may have hair up to the hock and knee only. All Market Lambs must have been shorn within seven (7) days of fair.
6. Scrapies: Sheep exhibitors at Wyoming Jackpots, County Fairs and State Fair are reminded of the Wyoming Livestock Board's requirement that all sheep and goats exhibited in Wyoming must be individually identified with a USDA -APHIS approved scrapie identification. The only exception to the tag requirement is that registered animals may be identified with a registration tattoo and must be accompanied with a photo copy of their current registration papers listing the exhibitor as owner. All sheep must be scrapie tagged regardless of registration status. Sheep not meeting these requirements will not be allowed to enter/ check -in.

Sheep

Divisions 1301-1310

- Division 1301 - Columbia**
- Division 1302 - Rambouillet**
- Division 1303 - Targhee**
- Division 1304 - Dorset**
- Division 1305 - Hampshire**
- Division 1306 - Suffolk**
- Division 1307 - Natural Colored Sheep**
- Division 1308 - Wether Sires**
- Division 1309 - Any Other Recognized Breed**
- Division 1310 - Any Crossbreed**

Class

- 1 Ram, 2 years old or older
- 2 Ram, 1 year old and under 2
- 3 Fall Ram Lamb, born Sept 1st to December 31st of previous year
- 4 Winter Ram Lamb, born January 1st to February 15th of current year
- 5 Spring Ram Lamb, born after February 16th to June 1st current year
- 6 Pair of Ram Lambs
- 7 Ewe, 2 years old or older
- 8 Ewe, 1 year old and under 2
- 9 Fall Ewe Lamb, born Sept 1st to December 31st of previous year
- 10 Winter Ewe Lamb, born Jan. 1st to February 15th of current year

Sheep (Cont'd)

Divisions 1301-1310

- 11 Spring Ewe Lamb, born after Feb. 16th to June 1st current year
- 12 Pair of Ewe Lambs
- 13 Best Four Head of Lambs, from one exhibitor, both sexes represented
- 14 Breeding Flock, all owned by same individual-flock shall be one ram and four ewes all of any age

Open Wool

Division 1312

Superintendent:
Wendy Smith (307) 202-0972
Exhibit Location: Wool Room

Premium Schedule: Schedule C

General Rules:

1. Each fleece must represent not more than twelve (12) months growth, except that in the case of yearling fleeces, sixteen (16) months growth will be allowed.
2. 1 entry per exhibitor per class.
3. Qualifications: Any fleece entered in competition shall be discriminated against if:
 - A. Showing any paint or tar brands (soluble branding fluids permissible)
 - B. Showing excessive dung locks or tags
 - C. Discolored by excessive moisture
 - D. Cotted
 - E. Showing a weak staple or break in fiber
 - F. Containing excess burns or other vegetable matter
 - G. Fleece may be shown no more than once in a Fair
4. Preparation of Fleece: Spread out the fleece on a clean surface, skin side down, do not to pull or open fleece. The fleece will look like a pelt or hide. At this stage, before rolling or tying, remove all heavy tags, stained wool, any foreign matter. Rolling the fleece takes four easy steps:
 - A. Begin at one side and loosely fold eight (8) to ten (10) inches of the edge toward the center of the fleece.
 - B. Do the same on other side, but fold toward the center two (2) times until the twice folded portion lies on top of first fold
 - C. Fold in the head wool.
 - D. Roll entire fleece from the breach toward the shoulder and long side wool. Place fleece in clear heavy duty trash bag.

Class

- 1 Rambouillet, ram fleece
- 2 Rambouillet, ewe fleece
- 3 Targhee, ram fleece
- 4 Targhee, ewe fleece
- 5 Corriedale, ram fleece
- 6 Corriedale, ewe fleece
- 7 Columbia, ram fleece
- 8 Columbia, ewe fleece
- 9 Ram Fleece, 64's -80's -Fine
- 10 Ewe Fleece, 64's -80's -Fine
- 11 Ram Fleece, 62's -60's -1/2 blood
- 12 Ewe Fleece, 62's -60's -1/2 blood
- 13 Ram Fleece, 58's -56's -3/8 blood
- 14 Ewe Fleece, 58's -56's -3/8 blood
- 15 Ram Fleece, 54's -50's -1/4 blood
- 16 Ewe Fleece, 54's -50's -1/4 blood
- 17 Colored Ewe Fleece 64's -80's - Fine
- 18 Colored Ewe Fleece 62's -60's - 1/2 Blood
- 19 Colored Ewe Fleece 58's -56's - 3/8 Blood
- 20 Colored Ewe Fleece 54's -50's - 1/4 Blood