

# Department F - Sheep Show

SUPERINTENDENT: Elmer Rankin  
ASST. SUPERINTENDENTS: Windell Milner &  
Doug McDaniel  
JUDGING: WEDNESDAY, JULY 20, 2011, 7:30 a.m.  
ENTRY FEE: \$3.00  
PEN RENTAL: \$2.50 per head  
EXHIBITOR'S TICKET \$15.00  
OPEN PREMIUMS: \$2,545.00  
JUNIOR PREMIUMS: \$2,545.00  
**Entries close JULY 16, 2011**

1. Sheep with any of the following conditions shall not be exhibited and must be removed from the fairgrounds immediately.
  - a) Lesions of contagious ecthyma (sore mouth);
  - b) Active lesions or ringworm with resulting loss of hair
  - c) Caseous lymphadinitis as evidence by draining abscess;
  - d) Pinkeye.
2. All animals must be on the grounds by 4:00 p.m. on TUESDAY, JULY 19, 2011.
3. Animals will be released immediately after the Sheep Show on Wednesday.
4. An entry fee of \$3.00 will be charged in this department at the time of entry.
5. An exhibitor will be allowed two entries in each class, except wethers.
6. Pen rental is \$2.50 per head. **NO MORE THAN TWO SHEEP PER PEN.**
7. All entries in this department are subject to the General Rules.
8. Showmanship Class will be held at the end of the Show. **MENARD COUNTY ONLY!**
9. **NO SHIRT, NO SHOES, NO SHOW!**
10. Exhibitors using show ring to shear sheep **must rake** up their wool.
11. Junior and Open are separate classes therefore if you enter in Open and Junior you will be required to pay an entry fee for each.
12. **EACH CLASS HAS AN ENTRY FEE THIS INCLUDES GROUP / PAIR CLASSES. YOU MUST ENTER THE GROUP / PAIR CLASSES TO EXHIBIT. LIVESTOCK ENTRIES WILL BE POSTED IN THE BARN AREA AT THE TIME THE LIVESTOCK IS TO BE ON THE GROUNDS FOR CHECK IN. THERE WILL BE A TWO (2) HOUR PERIOD IN WHICH THE EXHIBITORS ARE TO CHECK THE POSTING FOR ERRORS. AT THE END OF THE TWO (2) HOUR PERIOD ENTRIES WILL STAND AND NO CHANGES WILL BE MADE TO THE CLASSES. NO ONE WILL BE ABLE TO SHOW IN A CLASS IF THEY ARE NOT ENTERED.**
13. **All sheep must be taken to the show ring and be judged regardless of the number of animals entered in the class.**
14. All Market lambs must be slick shorn. Slapping lambs or lifting lambs is prohibited.
15. No ewes may be shown in the market wether lamb classes. The market ewe class is not eligible for the breed classes.
16. Each 4-H Class will show and be judged prior to Open & Junior Class as the 4-H show is a separate show.
17. **All registration papers will be checked of ALL purebred livestock in both Open and Junior shows. The papers must be registered under the exhibitor's name. The Menard County Fair will adhere to mandated State guidelines.**
18. The committee highly recommends that sheep for showing be washed within the last week before show.
19. Sheep ears and tags should be clean for inspection of numbers and tattoos.
20. Flock class - we prefer helpers to assist when needed.
21. Commercial ewes should be slick shorn.
22. Wethers will be divided into three classes: light, medium and heavy. One wether per class per exhibitor, except the pair class.

## MARKET LAMBS (WETHER OR EWE)

MAY BE PUREBRED, CROSSBRED OR GRADE. MARKET LAMBS WEIGHED & CLASSED BY WEIGHT. Market lambs will be weighed 5:00-6:00 p.m. on TUESDAY, JULY 19, 2011. Wethers must be dry and their backs shaved at weigh in time. Blankets should be removed before weighing.

Show order is as follows: Market Lambs, Oxfords, Shropshire, Hampshire, All other Purebreds, Suffolks, Montadales, Southdowns, Dorsets and Commercial.

Pair of Lambs can be rams, ewes, or both; Flock is to be ram, any age & 3 ewes. Spring lambs must be born after January 1, 2011.

## OPEN CLASSES

Junior Division & 4-H are in separate sections of the fairbook.

### **SECTION 1-MARKET LAMBS:**

- F-1-101 Wether lamb, light
- F-1-102 Wether lamb. medium
- F-1-103 Wether lamb, heavy
- F-1-104 Market ewe - (not eligible for breeding classes)
- F-1-105 Pair of market lambs - Market ewe or wether

\* Exhibitor may have only one lamb per class, except the pair class.

### **SECTION 2 - CHEVIOT:**

- F-2-106 Yearling Ram
- F-2-107 Ram Lamb
- F-2-108 Yearling Ewe
- F-2-109 Pair Yearling Ewes
- F-2-110 Fall Ewe Lamb
- F-2-111 Spring Ewe Lamb
- F-2-112 Pair lambs

### **SECTION 3 - SHROPSHIRE:**

- F-3-113 Yearling Ram
- F-3-114 Ram Lamb
- F-3-115 Yearling Ewe
- F-3-116 Pair of Yearling Ewes
- F-3-117 Fall Ewe Lamb
- F-3-118 Spring Ewe Lamb
- F-3-119 Pair Lambs

### **SECTION 4 - HAMPSHIRE:**

- F-4-120 Yearling ram
- F-4-121 Ram lamb
- F-4-122 Yearling Ewe
- F-4-123 Pair Yearling Ewes
- F-4-124 Fall Ewe Lamb
- F-4-125 Spring Ewe Lamb
- F-4-126 Pair Lambs

### **SECTION 5 - ALL OTHER PUREBREDS:**

- F-5-127 Yearling Ewe
- F-5-128 Pair Yearling Ewes
- F-5-129 Fall Ewe Lamb
- F-5-130 Spring Ewe Lamb
- F-5-131 Pair Lambs

### **SECTION 6 - SUFFOLKS:**

- F-6-132 Yearling Ram
- F-6-133 Ram Lamb
- F-6-134 Yearling Ewe
- F-6-135 Pair Yearling Ewes
- F-6-136 Fall Ewe Lamb
- F-6-137 Spring Ewe Lamb
- F-6-138 Pair Lambs

### **SECTION 7 - MONTADALES:**

- F-7-139 Yearling Ram
- F-7-140 Ram Lamb
- F-7-141 Yearling Ewe
- F-7-142 Pair Yearling Ewes
- F-7-143 Fall Ewe Lamb
- F-7-144 Spring Ewe Lamb
- F-7-145 Pair Lambs

**SECTION 8 – SOUTH DOWNS:**

F-8-146 Yearling Ram  
F-8-147 Ram Lamb  
F-8-148 Yearling Ewe  
F-8-149 Pair Yearling Ewes  
F-8-150 Fall Ewe Lamb  
F-8-151 Spring Ewe Lamb  
F-8-152 Pair lambs

**SECTION 9 – DORSETS:**

F-9-153 Yearling ram  
F-9-154 Ram Lamb  
F-9-155 Yearling Ewe  
F-9-156 Pair Yearling Ewes  
F-9-157 Fall Ewe Lamb  
F-9-158 Spring Ewe Lamb  
F-9-159 Pair Lambs

**SECTION 10 – COMMERCIAL:**

F-10-160 Yearling Ewe  
F-10-161 Pair Yearling Ewes  
F-10-162 Fall Ewe Lamb  
F-10-163 Spring Ewe Lamb  
F-10-164 Pair Lambs

\* Commercial ewes must be slick shorn to show in the ring.

**OPEN PREMIUMS**

\$11.00 \$9.00 \$8.00 \$7.00

**BREED CHAMPIONS**

Champion Ram – \$5.00 & Rosette  
Reserve Champion Ram – Rosette  
Champion Ewe – \$5.00 & Rosette  
Reserve Champion Ewe – Rosette

**CHAMPION CLASSES**

Grand Champion Ewe Over All Breeds – \$50.00 & Rosette  
Reserve Grand Champion Ewe Over All Breeds – \$25.00 & Rosette  
Grand Champion Ram Over All Breeds – \$50.00 & Rosette  
Reserve Grand Champion Ram Over All Breeds – \$25.00 & Rosette  
Grand Champion Market Wether Lamb – \$50.00, Plaque & Rosette  
Reserve Grand Champion Market Wether Lamb – \$25.00 & Rosette  
Grand Champion Market Ewe Lamb – Rosette  
Reserve Grand Champion Market Ewe Lamb – Rosette  
Senior Showmanship – Plaque (Age 14 – 19)

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Senior Sheep Showmanship  
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