

# Sheep Show

## Department 230

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### Sheep Advisory Committee

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**Entry Deadline: Friday, August 25, 2017**

### **All Exhibitors Please Read!**

- **All entries accepted on a first come first served basis.**
- **Pens limited to 215, Open and Jr. Show combined**
- **Only ONE pen per exhibitor for Herdsman Award**

### Special Rules

1. Exhibitors may substitute an owned/leased animal if an entry is sick or died. Proper paperwork must be provided. No additions!
2. All entries must be made on the Livestock "Open Show" Entry Form may be downloaded from at: [www.tnvalleyfair.org](http://www.tnvalleyfair.org). Entries may be submitted on-line after July 1st by visiting [www.tnvalleyfair.org](http://www.tnvalleyfair.org). If information is not complete, animals will not be entered.
3. A charge of \$12.00 per pen will be required (pen size 6' x 6'). Each exhibitor must purchase a \$10.00 Exhibitor Ticket when submitting entries. **All late entries, those made after August 25, 2017, will be required to pay a late entry fee of \$24.00 per pen (6ftx 6ft).**
4. Exhibitors may not show more than two entries in one lot. Animal may be bumped up in age class if exhibitor has 2 animals in same lot.
5. All Open Show Wool-Breed Sheep will be received after 6:00 p.m., Thursday, September 7th. All Wool-Breed Sheep must be on the grounds no later than 11:00 a.m., Friday, September 8th. All other sheep must be on grounds by noon, Sunday, September 10th.
6. All exhibition animals must be recorded by recognized breed associations. If requested, registration or transfer certificate showing the exhibitor to be the owner must be produced. When showing a flock one sheep must be registered to the exhibitor showing.
7. Animals to compose a competitive group are not required to be named when making entries, but the exhibitor must indicate the group lot they wish to enter. All entries in group lots must also be shown in individual lots.
8. Lambs, including senior lambs, must possess a lamb mouth or in the judgment of the show judge be in the early stages of developing their yearling teeth. The decision of the judge shall be final.
9. Flock to consist of two yearling ewes, two ewe lambs and one ram.
10. Ear tag must be made legible before the time of exhibition in order that the superintendent may easily check flock and/or registration number after the judge has made the placings.
11. Animals not groomed appropriately to breed standards will not be allowed to show.
12. The Fair Management reserves the right to discontinue a separate classification for any breed of sheep if in the current show there are less than three (3) exhibitors and twenty-five (25) animals participating. Discontinued classes will be moved to Other Breed Meat/Wool.
13. All animals may be released after the show of the particular class or may stay longer at the discretion of the exhibitor with approval of Sheep Superintendent.
14. No tents are allowed to be set up in the barn due to limited space. Also, exhibitors are not allowed to block the aisles throughout the barn. If tackpen space is needed, exhibitors must get an additional pen to hold tackpen supplies. Only one per exhibitor!
15. Exhibitors five years and under are encouraged to have an adult/teen in the ring with them. Exhibitors should be able to show their animals.

#### **A. Carter Myers Memorial Trophy**

In recognition of the contribution that A. Carter Myers made to the sheep industry, to the Tennessee Valley Fair and to the growth and development of East Tennessee, the Board of Directors of the Tennessee Valley Fair will present a memorial trophy to the Premier Exhibitor of Hampshire Sheep.

This presentation is to be made at the close of the Hampshire Judging. Trophy provided by Mrs. Jack (JoAnna Myers) Montgomery.

#### **Thomas Montgomery Memorial Trophy**

One of the first 20 breeders to receive a polled ram from North Carolina State University in the fifties, Mr. Montgomery was an active member in the sheep industry for more than 60 years. He was a great friend to 4-H and always willing to help youth. Many of the sheep shown at the Tennessee Valley Fair can be traced back to his "Sheepstreet" flock. This award for Polled Dorset Premier Exhibitor is in recognition of his contributions to the sheep industry.

Trophy provided by Jim Bell

**Class 1 - Natural Colored**

Judging - Friday, Sept. 8th at 5:00 p.m.

**Class 2 - Border Leicester**

Judging - Friday, Sept. 8th following Natural Colored

**Class 3 - Other Breeds - Wool**

Judging - Friday, Sept. 8th following Border Leicester

**Class 4 - Hampshire**

Judging - Monday, Sept. 11th at 10:00 a.m.

**Class 5 - Suffolk**

Judging - Monday, Sept. 11th following Hampshire

**Class 6 - Shropshire**

Judging - Monday, Sept. 11th following Suffolk

**Class 7 - Dorset**

Judging - Monday, Sept. 11th following Shropshire

**Class 8 - Southdown**

Judging - Monday, Sept. 11th at 6:00 p.m.

**Class 9 - Other Breeds - Meat**

Judging - Tuesday, Sept. 12th 9:00 a.m.

**Class 10 - Oxford**

Judging - Tuesday, Sept. 12th following AOB Meat

**Class 11 - Katahdin**

Judging - Tuesday, Sept. 12th following Oxford

**Class 12 - Other Breeds - Hair**

Judging - Tuesday, Sept. 12th following Katahdin



Farm Credit Services is sponsoring \$250.00 toward Open Show.

**Premiums for Classes 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 & 12  
Hampshire, Suffolk, Shropshire, Dorset,  
Southdown, Oxford, Other Breeds - Meat & Hair**

**A**

1st - \$28.00 2nd - \$24.00 3rd - \$20.00 4th - \$18.00  
5th - \$12.00 6th - \$10.00 7th-8th - \$8.00  
9th-10th - \$7.00 11th-12th - \$5.00

**B**

1st - \$28.00 2nd - \$24.00 3rd - \$20.00 4th - \$18.00  
5th - \$12.00 6th - \$10.00 7th-8th - \$8.00 9th - \$7.00

**Premiums for Classes 1, 2, 3, 11  
Natural Colored, Border Leicester, Katahdin,  
Other Breeds - Wool**

**A**

1st - \$28.00 2nd - \$24.00 3rd - \$20.00 4th - \$18.00  
5th - \$12.00 6th - \$10.00

**B**

1st - \$28.00 2nd - \$24.00 3rd - \$20.00

Lot

- 01 - Senior Ram Lamb, born Sept. 1 - Dec. 31, 2016 \_\_\_\_\_ A
- 02 - Early Junior Ram Lamb, born Jan. 1 - Feb. 15, 2017 \_\_\_\_\_ A
- 03 - Late Junior Ram Lamb, born after Feb. 16, 2017 \_\_\_\_\_ A
- 04 - Pair of Ram Lambs \_\_\_\_\_ B
- 05 - Grand Champion Ram (Lots 1, 2 & 3) \_\_\_\_\_ Rosette
- 06 - Reserve Grand Champion Ram \_\_\_\_\_ Rosette
- 07 - \*Senior Yearling Ewe, born Sept. 1, 2015 - Feb. 15, 2016 \_\_\_\_\_ A
- 08 - \*Junior Yearling Ewe, born Feb. 16 - Aug. 31, 2016 \_\_\_\_\_ A
- 09 - Pair Yearling Ewe \_\_\_\_\_ B
- 10 - Senior Ewe Lambs, born Sept. 1 - Dec. 31, 2016 \_\_\_\_\_ A
- 11 - Senior Champion Ewe (Lots 7, 8 & 10) \_\_\_\_\_ Rosette
- 12 - Reserve Senior Champion Ewe \_\_\_\_\_ Rosette
- 13 - Early Junior Ewe Lambs born Jan. 1 - Jan. 31, 2017 \_\_\_\_\_ A
- 14 - Intermediate Jr. Ewe Lambs born Feb. 1 - Feb. 28 2017 \_\_\_\_\_ A
- 15 - Late Junior Ewe Lambs born on or after Mar. 1, 2017 \_\_\_\_\_ A
- 16 - Pair of Ewe Lambs \_\_\_\_\_ B
- 17 - Junior Champion Ewe (Lots 13, 14 & 15) \_\_\_\_\_ Rosette
- 18 - Reserve Junior Champion Ewe \_\_\_\_\_ Rosette
- 19 - Grand Champion Ewe (Lots 11 & 17) \_\_\_\_\_ Rosette
- 20 - Reserve Grand Champion Ewe \_\_\_\_\_ Rosette
- 21 - Pen of Four Lambs (both sexes represented) \_\_\_\_\_ B
- 22 - Flock (to consist of 2 yearling ewes, 2 ewe lambs & 1 ram) \_\_\_\_\_ B
- 23 - Premier Exhibitor \_\_\_\_\_ Banner

Exhibitor that wins the most money in each breed. Does not include group lots. In case of a tie the winner of the Flock lot will be the tie breaker.

*\*An exhibitor may enter a total of two yearling ewes. They may be in the same lot or in different lots.*

**Tennessee Valley Fair**

**Class 13-Open Sheep Herdsmen Award**

Individual farm/breeder exhibits will be judged each day they are on the grounds by judges who will be selected by the Tennessee Valley Fair management. The judges will be working independently of each other in evaluating the exhibits at different times during the day. Their evaluations will be compiled to determine scores. The farms/exhibitors scoring the highest over the duration of their stay in the barn will be named the Superior Herdsmen and will receive a banner and the following dollar amounts:

**Premiums - Superior Herdsmen**

**1st - \$100.00 2nd - \$75.00 3rd - \$50.00**

Criteria for selecting Herdsmen Award winners:

- I. Appearance & Cleanliness \_\_\_\_\_ 45%
  - A. Aisles must be kept clean. Food & water pails should be neat and clean. \_\_\_\_\_
  - B. Identification such as stall cards should be displayed.
  - C. Additional decorations will count towards Herdsmen Award.
  - D. Appearance of animals should be clean and well groomed at all times.
- II. Educational Value for General Public \_\_\_\_\_ 40%
  - A. Any display of educational information concerning the species or breed being shown will count towards the Herdsmen Award.
  - B. The more attractive the educational display the higher the display score.
- III. Conduct \_\_\_\_\_ 15%
  - A. Someone should be present at all times to man the exhibit area.
  - B. Courtesy to other exhibitors, spectators and show officials will count toward award. Roughhousing, foul language and loud noises will count against display.
  - C. Exhibitors must be on time for judging lots.

# Tennessee Valley Fair Livestock "Open Show" Entry Form

**Mail To:** Tennessee Valley Fair  
 P.O. Box 6066  
 Knoxville, TN 37914  
 Phone No. (865) 215-1484  
 Fax No. (865) 215-1483  
 Website: [www.tnvalleyfair.org](http://www.tnvalleyfair.org)  
 E-mail Address: [contests@tnvalleyfair.org](mailto:contests@tnvalleyfair.org)

**Mail to Fair Office by Friday, August 25, 2017**

**Please Print**

Dept. Number \_\_\_\_\_ Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Farm Name \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Soc. Sec. No. \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No. (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

(Must Have)

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Tie With Request \_\_\_\_\_

\*We Will Try To Honor All Requests. However Space Is Limited. Assignments Will Be Made On A First-Come-First Serve Basis

### Exhibitor Entry Statement

Please accept the following entries subject to rules and regulations governing exhibits as published in your Livestock Exhibitor Catalog. I hereby release the Tennessee Valley Fair from any liability from loss, damage or injury to person, livestock or other property, while said property is on Fairgrounds. I have read the Tennessee Department of Agriculture Livestock Health Requirements for Fairs and all Livestock Entry Rules including the IAFE (International Association of Fairs and Expositions) National Code of Show Ring Ethics as stated in the catalog, and agree to abide by them as published.

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Exhibitor (owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible person) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**See Back For Payment Information**

**Exhibitor Tickets And Entry Fees:** Payment for tickets and fees must be submitted with entry form. Check, money order or credit card payments accepted. Late entries, those made after August 26, 2016 will be required to pay the late entry fee. Please see department rules.

No. of Exhibitor Tickets \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$10.00 ea = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Anyone entering the Fairgrounds must have a ticket)

No. Stalls for Beef Cattle (4' wide) \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$13.00 ea = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Late Entry Fee (if accepted) \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$26/stall = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

No. Stalls for Dairy Cattle (4' wide) \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$10.00 ea = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Late Entry Fee (if accepted) \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$15/stall = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

No. Pens for Sheep (6' x 6') \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$12.00 ea = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Late Entry Fee (if accepted) \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$24.00 ea = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

No. Fleeces \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$3.00 ea = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Late Entry Fee (if accepted) \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$6.00 ea = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

No. Goats (per head) \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$7.00 ea = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Late Entry Fee (if accepted) \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$14.00 ea = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

No. Pens Needed for Goats \_\_\_\_\_

Class No.	Lot No.	Sex M/F	Breeder Y/N	Name Of Animal (Please indicate breed for Any Other Breed - Sheep Only)	Registration No.	Date Of Birth	Name of Sire/Dam (For Beef and Dairy Cattle Only)
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 3 Digit Security Code \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_    Cardholder Name \_\_\_\_\_    Signature \_\_\_\_\_