
DEPARTMENT 162
OPEN FLEECE SHOW
Superintendent: TBD

Show Information

Check In Location: Exhibit Building, Southwest Corner
Check in Time: Saturday, August 4th, 2018 10:00a.m.
Judging: Saturday, August 4th, 1:00 p.m.
Show / Awards: Awards will be located with Fleece
Display: After shows, Fleeces will be displayed in the Exhibit Building
Release Time: From Exhibit Building, Monday, August 13, 5:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.

Entry Information

Entry Fees: Open Show: \$1.00 per fleece (Pre-registration)
Youth Show: \$1.00 per fleece (Pre-registration)
Day of Show: Open Show: \$2.00 per fleece + \$5.00 late fee per exhibitor
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How to Enter: Entries can be made to Fair Office starting May 1st, by
Mail in; Walk in entry by July 16, 2018
Online at www.bouldercountyfair.org by July 23, 2018

Day of Show entries can be done at the Check-in table in the exhibit Building, and must be paid in cash.

This department is subject to all Boulder County Fair General Rules and all Open Class Livestock Rules in addition to those listed for the department. It is the Exhibitor's responsibility to be familiar with all rules.

RULES:

1. Read Open Livestock Rules and Boulder County Fair General Rules & Regulations found on the website.
2. All fleeces must have been shorn from the animal within the past 12 months and would represent a full cycle of growth. If your animal is shorn twice a year – either fleece would qualify so long as it's within the past 12 months.
3. Fleeces will be packaged in clear plastic bag.
4. Each submission may have a photo attached of the animal in their typical environment, along with a washed staple to represent clean fiber. All fleeces will be raw, but skirted.
5. Each submission will be given a tag to fill out detailing the breed, age, sex, and any particular health issues within the last year (including pregnancies). This will help to explain the state of the fleece or staple and will be used as a learning discussion.
6. At check-in, Exhibitor will be assigned a number. The details on Exhibitor's fleece tag will be kept anonymous until placing is made. At selection, the judge will write a short critique on the quality and state of the fleece, and recommendations (if any) for future handling.

7. There will be no limit on the number of fleece submitted for each class for entrants under age 18. For entrants over age 18, there will be a 2 fleece limit per class.
8. No fleece will be accepted that poses a risk of contamination to other fleece or that obviously has a parasite (tick, ked, or moth) infestation.
9. Judges reserve the right to combine classes if there are not enough entries. Judges reserve the right to move fleeces to appropriate class.
10. Premiums:
 - Ribbons for 1st place through 5th place will be awarded in each class
 - Champion and Reserve Champion will be awarded to 1st and 2nd place in each species of fleece
11. How to enter: Enter by Department and Class.

CLASS: Sheep – Adult exhibitor

1. Adult-White (All Sexes)
2. Adult-Colored (All Sexes)
3. Lamb-Under 1yr-White & Colored (All Sexes)

CLASS: Goats – Mohair and Cashmere (any color), Adult exhibitor

4. All adult mohair together
5. All adult cashmere together
6. Mohair Together-Under 1yr
7. Cashmere Together-Under 1yr

CLASS: Alpaca – Adult exhibitor

8. Huacaya Adult-White & Colored (All Sexes)
9. Huacaya Cria-Under 1yr White & Colored (All Sexes)
10. Suri Adult – white and colored (All Sexes)
11. Suri Cria–Under 1yr (All Sexes)

CLASS: Llama – Adult exhibitor

12. Adult – white and colored (All Sexes)
13. Cria –Under 1yr, White & Colored (All Sexes)

CLASS: Rabbit – Adult exhibitor

14. All Rabbit, white and colored

CLASS: Companion Animal – Adult Exhibitor

15. All Dog, white and colored

CLASS: Sheep – Youth exhibitor

16. Adult- White & Colored (All Sexes)
17. Lamb-Under 1yr White & Colored (All Sexes)

CLASS: Goats – Mohair and Cashmere (any color), Youth exhibitor

18. All adult- mohair together
19. All adult- cashmere together

- 20. All Kid-Under 1yr, mohair together
- 21. All Kid-Under 1yr, cashmere together

CLASS: Alpaca – Youth exhibitor

- 22. Huacaya Adult– white and colored (All Sexes)
- 23. Huacaya Cria –Under 1yr (all sexes)
- 24. Suri Adult– white and colored (all sexes)
- 25. Suri Cria–Under 1yr (all sexes)

CLASS: Llama – Youth exhibitor

- 26. Adult- White & Colored (All Sexes)
- 27. Cria – Under 1yr, White and Colored (All Sexes)

CLASS: Rabbit – Youth exhibitor

- 28. All Rabbit, white and colored

CLASS: Companion Animal – Youth Exhibitor

- 29. All Dog, white and colored