Breeding Sheep

Premium Schedule				
1	2	3	4	5
\$35	\$25	\$20	\$15	\$10

NOTE: All sheep must have an official USDA Scrapie Tag in their ear in order to be eligible for exhibition at The State Fair of Louisiana.

Any breed with 5 or more would get their own show and all others would fall into the AOB class.

ENTRIES CLOSE SEPTEMBER 7, 2019

Premiums to be paid for 1st and 2nd place only in classes of 10 or smaller.

Check or money order for entry fees must accompany application for entries. Entry Fee: \$20.00 per animal.

Entry fees will not be refunded unless cancellation is made in writing and received prior to closing entry date, September 7, 2019.

SPECIAL ATTENTION IS CALLED TO THE GENERAL RULES GOVERNING THE EXHIBIT OF LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY IN THIS DIVISION.

All rules, regulations, premium offerings, etc., appearing in this catalog are subject to correction in event of any printing errors that would tend to change the meaning or intent.

WE NO LONGER HAVE A RAM DIVISION

Registered breeding ewe classes are as follows:

- 1. Ewe Lamb Class Must have all their baby teeth. (No evidence of eruption of permanent teeth allowed)
- Yearling Ewe Class Must have evidence of eruption of one or both of first pair of incisors (Two tooth class) May not have evidence of more than two permanent teeth.
- 3. Aged Ewe Class Must have evidence of eruption of two permanent teeth and no more than six permanent teeth to be allowed in the class. Four to Six permanent teeth required for this class.

- 4. Champion Ewe
- 5. Reserve Champion Ewe
- 6. Parish Group (Four Breeding Sheep with three exhibitors represented)

Breeds for registered Ewes:

- Southdown
- Dorset
- Hampshire
- Suffolk
- AOB

AOB is open to any breed of sheep that is not included in the above list. These sheep must be registered with their respective breed association and certificates of registration must be available upon request by the superintendent. At such time as there are 15 or more individual animals representing a breed within the AOB section, a separate classification will be considered for them the following year.

Commercial Ewe Show and Classes:

- 1. Ewes showing in the Commercial Ewe classes cannot be entered or shown in the Market Lamb division or Registered Breeding Ewe division.
- 2. All Commercial Ewes Must Have a State Fair Ear Tag and Be DNA Tested.
- 3. All breeds and crosses are allowed in the Commercial Ewe Show.
- 4. All commercial ewes must be shown slick sheer. A maximum of seven days wool or no longer than 1/4 inch. No bleaching allowed.

Commercial Ewe classes are as follows:

- 1. Spring Ewe Lamb after Jan. 1, 2019
- 2. Yearling Ewe after Jan. 1, 2018 (Two (2) tooth ewes are allowed
- 3. Aged Ewe (4) to (6) tooth and over
- 4. Champion Commercial Ewe
- 5. Reserve Champion Commercial Ewe
- 6. Parish Group (Four Breeding sheep with three exhibitors represented)

PARISH GROUPS (<u>Must have three parishes or more to have a parish group</u> <u>Class</u>)

1. Where there are one or more Parish Groups of sheep exhibited from a Parish, only one premium will be paid and that to the group receiving the highest placing.

2. Parish groups will receive ribbons instead of premium money.

CLASS

1. Market Sheep Parish Groups, consisting of 6 market sheep, all from one parish, with not more than 3 animals entered by any one 4-H Club member or FFA member.