

Department F - Sheep

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JUDGING: WEDNESDAY, JULY 17, 2019, 7:30 a.m.

ENTRY FEE: \$3.00

PEN RENTAL: \$2.50 per head

EXHIBITOR'S TICKET \$20.00

OPEN PREMIUMS: \$2,420.00

JUNIOR PREMIUMS: \$2,420.00

Entries close JULY 13, 2019

1. **Menard County Fair, Inc. reserves the right for the superintendent of each department to combine classes if the number of entries justifies so.**
2. 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.
3. All animals must be on the grounds by 4:00 p.m. on TUESDAY, JULY 16, 2019.
4. Animals will be released immediately after the Sheep Show on Wednesday.
5. An entry fee of \$3.00 will be charged in this department at the time of entry.
6. An exhibitor will be allowed two entries in each class, except wethers.
7. Pen rental is \$2.50 per head. NO MORE THAN TWO SHEEP PER PEN.
8. All entries in this department are subject to the General Rules.
9. Showmanship Class will be held at the end of the Show. **MENARD COUNTY ONLY!**
10. **NO SHIRT, NO SHOES, NO SHOW!**
11. Exhibitors using show ring to shear sheep **must rake** up their wool.
12. 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.
13. **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.**
14. **All sheep must be taken to the show ring and be judged regardless of the number of animals entered in the class.**
15. All Market lambs must be slick shorn. Slapping lambs or lifting lambs is prohibited.
16. No ewes may be shown in the market wether lamb classes. The market ewe class is not eligible for the breed classes.
17. Each 4-H Class will show and be judged prior to Open & Junior Class as the 4-H show is a separate show.
18. **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. Menard County Fair, Inc. 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 16, 2019. 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, 2019.

OPEN CLASSES

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

SECTION 1-MARKET LAMBS:

- F-1-1 Wether lamb, light
 - F-1-2 Wether lamb. medium
 - F-1-3 Wether lamb, heavy
 - F-1-4 Market ewe – (not eligible for breeding classes)
 - F-1-5 Pair of market lambs – Market ewe or wether
- * Exhibitor may have only one lamb per class, except the pair class.*

SECTION 2 - CHEVIOT:

- F-2-1 Yearling Ram
- F-2-2 Ram Lamb
- F-2-3 Yearling Ewe
- F-2-4 Pair Yearling Ewes
- F-2-5 Fall Ewe Lamb
- F-2-6 Spring Ewe Lamb
- F-2-7 Pair lambs

SECTION 3- OXFORD

- F-3-1 Yearling Ram
- F-3-2 Ram Lamb
- F-3-3 Yearling Ewe
- F-3-4 Pair Yearling Ewes
- F-3-5 Fall Ewe Lamb
- F-3-6 Spring Ewe Lamb
- F-3-7 Pair Lambs

SECTION 4 - SHROPSHIRE:

- F-4-1 Yearling Ram
- F-4-2 Ram Lamb
- F-4-3 Yearling Ewe
- F-4-4 Pair of Yearling Ewes
- F-4-5 Fall Ewe Lamb
- F-4-6 Spring Ewe Lamb
- F-4-7 Pair Lambs

SECTION 5 - HAMPSHIRE:

- F-5-1 Yearling ram
- F-5-2 Ram lamb
- F-5-3 Yearling Ewe
- F-5-4 Pair Yearling Ewes
- F-5-5 Fall Ewe Lamb
- F-5-6 Spring Ewe Lamb
- F-5-7 Pair Lambs

SECTION 6-

ALL OTHER PUREBREDS:

- F-6-1 Yearling Ram
- F-6-2 Ram Lamb
- F-6-3 Yearling Ewe
- F-6-4 Pair Yearling Ewes
- F-6-5 Fall Ewe Lamb
- F-6-6 Spring Ewe Lamb
- F-6-7 Pair Lambs

SECTION 7 - SUFFOLKS:

- F-7-1 Yearling Ram
- F-7-2 Ram Lamb
- F-7-3 Yearling Ewe
- F-7-4 Pair Yearling Ewes
- F-7-5 Fall Ewe Lamb
- F-7-6 Spring Ewe Lamb
- F-7-7 Pair Lambs

SECTION 8 - MONTADALES:

- F-8-1 Yearling Ram
- F-8-2 Ram Lamb
- F-8-3 Yearling Ewe
- F-8-4 Pair Yearling Ewes
- F-8-5 Fall Ewe Lamb
- F-8-6 Spring Ewe Lamb
- F-8-7 Pair Lambs

SECTION 9 - SOUTH DOWNS:

- F-9-1 Yearling Ram
- F-9-2 Ram Lamb
- F-9-3 Yearling Ewe
- F-9-4 Pair Yearling Ewes
- F-9-5 Fall Ewe Lamb
- F-9-6 Spring Ewe Lamb
- F-9-7 Pair lambs

OPEN PREMIUMS

\$11.00 \$9.00 \$8.00

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)

TROPHY & PLAQUE SPONSORS

- Grand Champion Market Wether Lamb
Schneider Crane Service, Inc.
- Senior Sheep Showmanship
Hurley Funeral Home - Petersburg & Greenview

SECTION 10 - DORSETS:

- F-10-1 Yearling ram
- F-10-2 Ram Lamb
- F-10-3 Yearling Ewe
- F-10-4 Pair Yearling Ewes
- F-10-5 Fall Ewe Lamb
- F-10-6 Spring Ewe Lamb
- F-10-7 Pair Lambs

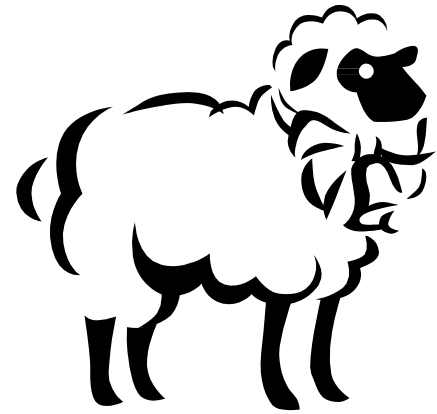
SECTION 11 - COMMERCIAL:

- F-11-1 Yearling Ewe
- F-11-2 Pair Yearling Ewes
- F-11-3 Fall Ewe Lamb
- F-11-4 Spring Ewe Lamb
- F-11-5 Pair Lambs

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

SECTION 12 - HAIR:

- F-12-1 Yearling Ram
- F-12-2 Ram Lamb
- F-12-3 Yearling Ewe
- F-12-4 Pair Yearling Ewes
- F-12-5 Fall Ewe Lamb
- F-12-6 Spring Ewe Lamb
- F-12-7 Pair lambs





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