

JUNIOR MARKET WETHER LAMB SHOW

Divisions 156-165

Sheep Committee

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Judge

Caleb Boardman – Laramie, WY

May Begin Arrival: Monday, October 5, 12 pm

In Place By: Monday, October 5, 10 pm

Showmanship: Monday, October 5, 7 pm

Classification: Tuesday, October 6, starting at 10 am in the following order: Southdown, Shropshire, Dorset, White Face Cross, Hair Sheep, Hampshire, Suffolk, Natural Colored, Crossbred

Judging: Wednesday, October 6, 8 am in the Ranger Arena.

Released: Wether lambs will be released upon conclusion of their breed show. All wether lambs must be out of pens by 8 pm Wednesday, October 7.

Entry Deadline: Entry and payment must be submitted online by August 28, 2020, 12 midnight. Legal Release Form must be submitted online with entry or emailed to the Livestock Office no later than September 1, 2020. Nomination does not constitute entry.

Processing Fee: \$20

DIVISION RULES

1. **Non Terminal Show:** The Tulsa State Fair Junior Market Wether Lamb Show is a non-terminal show, with the exception of the Grand Champion and Reserve Champion Lambs.
2. **Read General Rules:** Junior exhibitors are expected to adhere to the General Rules and Regulations, Show Ring Code of Ethics, and Animal Health Regulations.
3. **Nominations:** Wether Lambs showing at the Tulsa State Fair must have nomination information submitted online and mail DNA sample to the Tulsa State Fair office postmarked by July 1, 2020. For junior market animal nomination and entry procedure, please refer to Junior General Rules and Regulations and the Nomination page on the Tulsa State Fair website.
4. **Classification:** All Junior Wether Market Lambs will be mouthed and classified by the classification committee made up of three classifiers appointed by Show Management. If a lamb does not meet breed classification, it will move to the appropriate division by the classification committee. The judgment of the classification committee is final and not subject to protest.
5. **Shearing:** Prior to classification, all wethers must be slick shorn to the skin. No flank, fore arm, or twist wool. No spot shearing.
6. **Weigh Cards:** All weigh cards must be turned in during classification. Do not print breed on card until the lamb has been classified.
7. **Show Limit:** An exhibitor may show a total of three (3) wethers. (No ewes will be permitted in the Market Show)
8. **Ownership:** Exhibitor must have owned, cared for and fed daily the wethers from date of nomination.
9. **Teeth:** All wethers must have lamb's teeth with no visible signs of permanent teeth.
10. **Ear Tags:** All market wethers entered will be issued an ear tag at the show and must have the ear tag properly in the ear when entering the show ring.
11. **Weight:** Minimum weight limit is 85 lbs. There is no maximum weight limit.
 - a. There will be no official weigh-in of wethers
 - b. Unofficial scales in the Super Duty Barn will be available for weighing daily from 7 am to 11 pm. Scales will be calibrated by show officials daily. Weighing on the official scales in the show ring will not be permitted.
12. **Weigh Back:** Upon completion of each class, the Superintendents will weigh a minimum of the top five (5) wethers. Any wether which has gained more than 5 pounds from the weight listed on the official weight card will be disqualified.
13. **Tables:** Grooming tables are permitted, but are not allowed in any aisle or walkway. Must be used in stall only.
14. **Grooming Equipment:** Cordless clippers will be permitted for grooming purposes only. No clippers requiring an electrical outlet are permitted.
15. **Grooming:** Animals are to be shown in natural conformation and color. Artificial coloring, paint, or powder will not be permitted for use on wethers during the entire show.

16. **Muzzles:** Soft muzzles are permitted in the stalls only. Soft muzzles must be removed from lamb any time they are taken from their stall for any reason. Failure to use soft muzzles in the stall only will constitute disqualification.
17. **Prolapse:** Any visible prolapse in the showring will automatically be disqualified by the show superintendent.
18. **Selection of Night of Champions and Premium Sale:** The number of lambs that qualify will be based on the total number of lambs entered in the show. The first wether lambs to be sold will be the breed champions and reserve breed champions of each breed shown. When selecting the sale order, the judge shall select all breed champions. The reserve breed champions will follow in the same breed order. The number of wethers selected by the judge in each breed for the premium sale will be on a percentage basis of the total number shown with a minimum of 2 per breed.
19. **Striking/Slapping:** An exhibitor, or anyone assisting an exhibitor, is not allowed to aggressively or loudly pop, slap or strike their sheep at any time during the show or at any place on the fairgrounds property. Failure to abide by this rule will result in disqualification.
20. **Sheep Barn:** All sheep must reside in the Sheep Barn, Super Duty Barn, during the duration of the Tulsa State Fair.
21. **Class Breaks:** Wethers will be divided into weight classes within breeds according to the following schedule:

HEAD	CLASSES
Less than 75	2
76 - 100	3
101 - 125	4
126 - 150	5
151 - 175	6
176 - 200	7
201 - 225	8
226 - 250	9
251 - 275	10
276 - 300	11
301 - 325	12
326 - 350	13
351 - 375	14
376 - 400	15
401 - 425	16
426 - 450	17
Over 450	18

22. **Premiums:** 1st - \$50, 2nd - \$45, 3rd - \$40, 4th - \$35, 5th - \$35, 6th - \$30, 7th - \$25, 8th - \$25, 9th - \$20, 10th - \$20

Breed Champion	Banner & Award
Reserve Breed Champion	Banner & Award
Grand Champion	Banner , Traveling Trophy & Award
Reserve Grand Champion	Banner & Award