

35th ANNUAL
NORTH EAST YOUTH SHEEP SHOW
JULY 18, 19, 20 & 21, 2019



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WEST SPRINGFIELD, MASSACHUSETTS
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A complete list of specific breed sponsors will be included in the exhibitor-list packet available at the show.

Show Chairpersons: Sarah Jakeman & Chip Hallet

Sheep Judges: Tim Gadsby, Bruce Betts, Alex Wolf

Fleece Judge: Alex Wolf

Camping Supervisor & Tote Bag Sales: Tony & Sammye Patti

Showmanship Chairperson: Jill Morton & Emma Rogers

Skill-a-thon Coordinators: Sarah Jakeman

Photo Coordinator: Jack Jakeman

Photographers: Christopher Hopkins & Nancy Minit

Clinic Coordinator: Katherine Nicholson

Penning Coordinator: Chip Hallet

Announcer: Sig Brousseau & Janet Hukowicz

Promotion Coordinator: Nancy Minit

Quiz Bowl Contest Coordinator: Julie Severance

Market Lamb Coordinator: Andrew Hukowicz

Fleece Show Coordinator: Rick Trojanoski

Website: Jessica Minit & Christopher Hopkins

Rule Enforcement Committee: Debra Hopkins, Sarah Jakeman, Chip Hallet and Jack Jakeman

PLEASE BE SURE TO READ AND FOLLOW ALL RULES. THERE WILL BE A LARGE BULLETIN BOARD WITH RULES POSTED, AS WELL AS ADDITIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS, CLASS BREAK INFORMATION, ETC. IT IS THE YOUTH EXHIBITOR'S RESPONSIBILITY TO READ, HAVE KNOWLEDGE OF AND FOLLOW THE RULES!

MONDAY, JULY 15, 2019

6:00 PM = Pen set up - Volunteers welcome. There will be NO TAGGING of pens until completion of all pens being set up. If any pens are tagged before completion, the tags will be removed.

THURSDAY, JULY 18, 2019

5:00 PM = SIGN UP and CHECK-IN Teams for Quiz Bowl - Mallory North

5:30 PM = CLOVERBUD QUIZ BOWL - Mallory North

6:00 PM = QUIZ BOWL CONTEST (Novice, Junior and Senior Divisions) - Mallory North

11:00 PM = ALL SHEEP MUST BE PENNED. *YOUTH SHOW RULES APPLY NOW*

FRIDAY, JULY 29, 2019

8:00 AM = Breed Secretary Meeting - Mandatory for all Breed Secretaries

8:30 -9:30 AM = MANDATORY: CHECK-IN of registration papers;

CHECK-IN OF FLEECES, and CHECK-IN & WEIGHING of MARKET LAMBS

Walk around Vet check of animals by member(s) of the Tufts Veterinary Field Service

10:00 AM = EXHIBITOR & PARENT ORIENTATION MEETING - attendance required by all Exhibitors;

followed by PARENT/ADULT MEETING (attendance REQUIRED) in Mallory North Complex

11:00 AM -12:00 PM = SHOWMANSHIP CLINIC in show ring, details will be announced at Orientation Meeting

11:30 AM - 2:00 PM = FITTING CLINIC walk around help provided, sign up and get flag at Check-in

12:00 Noon - 2:00 PM = SKILL-A-THON - Mallory North

3:00 PM = MARKET LAMB SHOW / SUPREME MARKET LAMB SELECTION - John Passwaters, Judge

4:30 PM = Annual Meeting New England Sheep & Wool Growers Association

5:00 to 7:00 = "Friday Night - Fun Night" - Pizza Party and water slide - all invited.

7:00 PM = NESWGA Scholarship Raffle drawing; NESWGA Ice Cream Social sponsored by John Buffington;

presentation of Harry Hardwick Scholarship Awards, NESWGA Youth Grants, Skill-a-thon Awards, and Quiz Bowl Awards. (The waterslide will reopen after awards & ice cream social)

SATURDAY, JULY 21, 2019

9:00 A.M = FLEECE SHOW JUDGING, followed by discussion of placings by Judge with exhibitors and any interested parties - Alex Wolf, Judge

10:00 AM = NESWGA Used Equipment Auction

Approximately one-half hour after conclusion of Used Equipment Auction = Fitting and Showmanship Classes shown in 3 rings. MANDATORY PARTICIPATION REQUIRED OF ALL EXHIBITORS - show order for the entire evening will be posted.

Ring 1 - NOVICE and JUNIOR FITTING & SHOWMANSHIP Classes, followed by Supreme Showman Selection - Alex Wolf, Judge (* be sure to read Rule 16)

Ring 2 - INTERMEDIATE FITTING & SHOWMANSHIP Classes, Followed by Supreme Showman Selection - Tim Gadsby, Judge (* be sure to read Rule 16)

Ring 3 - SENIOR FITTING & SHOWMANSHIP Classes, followed by Supreme Showman Selection - Bruce Betts, Judge (* be sure to read Rule 16)

Followed by judging the following breed classes in three rings: **AOB WOOL, AOB MEAT, COTSWOLD, TUNIS and OXFORDS.**

SUNDAY, JULY 21, 2019

8:00 AM - Judging of all breed classes in three rings (show order to be posted); Selection of Supreme Champion Ram, Supreme Champion Ewe, & Supreme Flock at end of show; FOLLOWED BY Final Exhibitors' Meeting and presentation of Spirit Award Winners = MANDATORY ATTENDANCE REQUIRED OF ALL EXHIBITORS.



FUNDRAISING: As always, a big **THANK YOU** goes out to all our T-shirt sponsors - please take the time to read the back of your 2019 NEYSS T-shirts for all the names! Premiums for this show come from: proceeds of items sold in the Promo Booth, donated equipment sold in the Used Equipment Auction, and funds received from The Big E Fiber Nook. There will be items for sale in the Promotional Booth at the show. **VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED.** Interested? Please contact Nancy Minter at (508)653-3212 or email JNEN@aol.com. **Anyone wishing to donate** money towards this show may contact Scott Poitras, NESWGA Treasurer, at (413)244-8968 or email ppoitras@charter.net.

Another fundraising event for this show is the sale of tote bags at THE FIBER FESTIVAL OF NEW ENGLAND held each year the first weekend in November at the Eastern States Expo fairgrounds. The best results have been when the youth sell the bags themselves to festival goers. The Youth Show Committee urges that local youth spend some time at the Festival selling bags to keep this fundraiser going. For more information and to sign up for a time slot, contact Tony Patti at AJPatti31@gmail.com or call him at 401-439-5551. This is an important fundraiser, local youth exhibitors are encouraged to participate.

Another fundraiser is the sale of festival T-shirts at THE FIBER FESTIVAL OF NEW ENGLAND. These will be available in the NEYSS/NES&WG promo booth at the festival. Again this Committee urges youth exhibitors to spend time in the booth to help sell these shirts. (See above for information to contact Tony Patti to sign up for a block of time.)

Did you show at the NEYSS in 2009 - 2018? Pictures are available on the NES&WG's website: go to www.nesheep.org - click on "Events" and go to the North East Youth Sheep Show page. Also check out our Facebook page!

CODE OF CONDUCT

The North East Youth Sheep Show has become, over the last 35 years, a very successful and large event. In order to ensure the quality of this event, the education of the youth and their families and promote sheep and agriculture to the general public, the show's sponsors are endorsing the National Show Ring Code of Ethics. It is each family's responsibility to read this Code and follow these guidelines. The Rule Enforcement Committee will review any complaints or actions deemed to violate these ethics. **ANY EXHIBITOR, PARENT, OR LEGAL GUARDIAN, MAY BRING A CONCERN OR PROBLEM TO ANY YOUTH SHOW COMMITTEE MEMBER. THAT COMMITTEE MEMBER MAY ADDRESS THIS, OR IF NEED BE, BRING IT TO THE RULE ENFORCEMENT COMMITTEE. THE RULE ENFORCEMENT COMMITTEE HAS FINAL SAY ON ANY SITUATION.** It is very important to the show management that youths conduct themselves with respect for themselves, their animals and people around them. Any action that violates these ethics will be grounds for disqualification from the show and possible immediate dismissal from the show grounds:

(a) Direct criticism or interference with the judge, fair or livestock show management, other exhibitors, breed representatives or show officials, before, during or after the competitive event is prohibited. In the furtherance of their official duty, all judges, fair and livestock show management, or other show officials shall be treated with courtesy, cooperation and respect, and no person shall direct abusive or threatening conduct toward them.

(b) No owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolute responsible person shall conspire with another person or persons to intentionally violate this Code of Conduct or knowingly contribute or cooperate with another person or persons either by affirmative action or inaction to violate this Code of Conduct. Violation of this Rule shall subject such individual to disciplinary action.

(c) THERE WILL BE NO alcohol or drug use by youth show exhibitors for the duration of the event at the show facilities. If a youth show exhibitor is caught consuming either of these substances or found inebriated or in an intoxicated state, he or she will not be allowed to participate and will forfeit any premiums earned.

MASSACHUSETTS ANIMAL HEALTH REGULATIONS

In addition to complying with all laws and regulations governing animal health issues all fairs must adopt and enforce the following rules for governance of the fair:

2019 Fairs - Animal Health Rules

NO animal will be admitted to the fairgrounds unless it meets the requirements below. NO animal is to be unloaded or enter a barn or tie-out stall until the animal and its paperwork have been inspected and approved for entry.

General Rules for All Animals

1. All animals must be in proper physical condition, be properly identified and free of visual evidence of infectious, contagious or parasitic disease at time of arrival. Specific diseases and conditions which will disqualify an animal for entry are identified for each species in the following sections of the rules. Animals of any species with open or draining wounds will not be approved for entry.
2. Evidence of infectious, contagious or parasitic disease or failure to produce the necessary documents for health certification, vaccination or testing will result in the animal's rejection for entry. THE INSPECTOR'S DECISION IS FINAL.
3. Any surgical procedure or injection of any foreign substance or drug or the external application of any substance (irritant, counterirritant, or similar substance) which could affect the animal's performance or alter its natural contour, conformation or appearance, except external applications of substances to the hoofs or horns of animals which affect appearance only, and except for surgical procedures performed by a duly-licensed veterinarian for the sole purpose of protecting the health of the animal, is prohibited.
4. Official ID: See Final Rule: Summary of Traceability for Livestock Moved Interstate (Summary of general Requirements by Species)
All livestock must have proper official, individual ID as required for the species, e.g. official metal ear tag, tattoo, scrapie tag, or microchip. Breed registration forms must accompany health certificates when used as part of official identification.
5. Health Certificates: -One Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (OCVI) may be allowed for animals of the same species to be exhibited at fairs or shows in any of the New England states (CT, *ME, MA, **NH, RI, and ***VT) when submitted with an itinerary of the dates and locations of the events at which the listed animals are expected to be shown. Only animals that are healthy at the time of shipment

may be moved. Note that *ME, **NH, and ***VT have additional requirements. Certificates of veterinary inspection in these states are valid for a shorter period of time and may have additional language, movement and permit requirements.

For the 2019 Show and Fair Season, livestock animals being exhibited in New England states must have official certificates of veterinary inspection (OCVIs) that meet the following requirements:

a. CT, MA, and RI: OCVIs issued on or after January 1, 2019 may be used for those animals being shown at multiple fairs and shows in CT, MA, and RI through the 2019 show/fair season ending October 31, 2019.

i. ME: An importation permit for exhibition animals is also required. Contact ME State Veterinarian's Office (207-287-3701) for permits/questions

ii. MA Special Note: The Big E Fairgrounds in West Springfield requires a CVI issued within the prior 30 days for all horses entering the premises for any show, fair, or exhibition.

iii. NH: To qualify for the extended CVI, animals exhibited in NH must originate in a New England state and move on OCVIs issued on or after April 1, 2019 to participating NH fairs and shows from July 1 to October 31. The extended CVI is not available for animals that do not reside in New England. Contact NH State Veterinarian's Office (603) 271-2404 for details and permits.

iv. VT: Contact the VT Animal Health Office (802-828-2421) for specific import requirements that deviate from the general information in this letter and must be met for legal import of livestock.

b. A single OCVI from the animals' home state may be completed for travel to and from the New England states in which the animals will be exhibited. MA animals being shown ONLY in MA may substitute a signed, dated letter on the letterhead of an accredited veterinarian for an OCVI if all required information is included and all additional requirements are met.

c. Multiple animals of the same species may be listed on one health certificate with appropriate individual IDs and descriptions. Animals of different species may not be listed on the same official health certificate.

d. An itinerary of the names and locations for each New England fair or show at which owner expects to show the listed animals and the dates when each animal are expected to be on each site, must be prepared by the owner and presented to the veterinarian at the time the OCVI is written.

i. A copy of this planned itinerary must be attached to the official health certificate (import and export) for it to be used for more than one fair or show.

ii. That proposed list should be signed by the veterinarian and the owner/ exhibitor and reference the relevant OCVI number(s).

e. The name and address of the first show or fair where the listed animals will be exhibited is to be used as the "destination" on the OCVI form. In addition, "See attached list" or a similar statement directing Animal Health Officials or Fair Inspectors to the attached proposed itinerary must be included.

f. Exhibitors must keep an accurate list of the show locations and dates when their animals were actually on the show/fairgrounds. This record must be available to fair inspectors at each inspection and check-in.

g. Any animal listed on an OCVI that becomes sick must remain home. If the animal is refused entry to any exhibition during 2019 for health reasons it must have a new health certificate issued by an accredited veterinarian within 30 days of the next interstate movement.

h. Any New England state may end their participation in this agreement and revert to the standard published requirements for livestock imports in the state at any time, in the event of foreign animal disease outbreak or changes to state legislation.

Sheep: See 9 CFR 79 and Massachusetts Emergency Order 1-AHO-06.

1. No sheep will be allowed entry from flocks in which Scrapie has been diagnosed or in which animals are under surveillance for Scrapie during the previous eighteen months. Based on the Federal Scrapie Eradication Program (FSEP) and the Massachusetts Emergency Order 1-AHO-06, sheep of any age or sex brought to show or exhibition from either out of state or within the state must possess a USDA approved individual identification tag, tattoo, or electronic implant consistent with requirements of the FSEP. Information on approved tags, tattoos, and electronic implants is available from the USDA APHIS office in Sutton, MA at 508-363-2290.

2. No sheep will be permitted entry from flocks in which Soremouth has existed or in which Soremouth Vaccine has been administered in the previous sixty (60) days.

3. Sheep must be free from visual evidence of foot rot, sore mouth, pink eye, ringworm, and open and draining wounds.

4. While not required, it is strongly recommended that sheep be currently vaccinated against rabies.

* * * * * **RULES & REGULATIONS** * * * * *

EACH EXHIBITOR IS RESPONSIBLE FOR READING THESE RULES & BEING FAMILIAR WITH THEM.

1. Each exhibitor will be solely responsible for any loss, injury and/or damages done by or arising from any animal exhibited by him/her and shall indemnify the New England Sheep & Wool Growers Association and the North East Youth Sheep Show against legal or other proceedings in regard thereto. Upon this condition only are entries accepted.
2. This show is open to all youths 21 years old and under **as of January 1** of the current year. Exhibitors may have non-exhibitors showing or helping to show their second animal in a class, provided the show help is 21 years old and under as of January 1st. Additional show help is required to buy a t-shirt to be worn in the show ring. Co-chairmen may ask the show help for I.D. for age verification.
3. All sheep **must be registered** in the name of the exhibitor, or owned in a Youth Partnership where all names are on the registration papers are youth. **No Partnerships** with a farm or adult(s) are accepted. Partnerships are considered one exhibitor but any party in the partnership may enter in a Fitting & Showmanship class with a different sheep than the other partner(s). **At least one partner must** enter a Fitting & Showmanship class. **NO LEASED SHEEP ACCEPTED.**
4. All sheep shown in group classes must be registered under the same name. Individuals in group classes must have been shown in single classes. Premiums limited to two per individual class and one per group class.
5. **Registration papers must be checked in between 8:30 AM and 9:30 AM on Friday** with the individual breed secretary (specific tables will be set-up for checking in papers by breed). **All Market Lambs must be checked in and weighed-in at this time.** **HEALTH AND REGISTRATION PAPERS MUST BE AVAILABLE THROUGHOUT THE WEEKEND TO BE SHOWN UPON REQUEST.** Sales receipts may be used on recently purchased sheep. All sheep must be owned by July 1st of the current year. Exhibitors are limited to two premiums per individual class.

6. All sheep must have the required identification as per order of their particular national breed organizations and the federal identification regulations. Registration papers and ear tag/tattoo numbers must match.
7. Humane treatment of animals is required at all times. The use of showing and/or handling practices or devices such as striking animals to cause swelling, use of muzzles, using electrical contrivance, or other similar practices are not acceptable and are prohibited. Any complaints will be addressed individually. Sheep should be properly handled at all times, including loading and unloading of animals, and leading on halter.
8. A walk around Vet Check will be done Friday morning by a representative from Tufts Veterinary Field Service. All animals entered in this show will be subject to the inspection for evidence of infectious or contagious diseases, i.e. foot rot, fungus, sore mouth, pinkeye, etc. Evidence of these or other contagious/infectious diseases will result in animal's removal from the barn and they will not be allowed to participate in the show. Committee's decision will be final. If disputed, the veterinarian expense will be covered by exhibitor. **ALL SHEEP MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN APPROPRIATE INTERSTATE HEALTH CERTIFICATE FROM THE STATE OF ORIGIN.** Prior entry permits are not required for show purposes. **HEALTH AND REGISTRATION PAPERS MUST BE AVAILABLE THROUGHOUT THE WEEKEND TO BE SHOWN UPON REQUEST**
9. Showing sheep on a halter is optional. (Breed Secretaries do encourage inexperienced and younger showman to use halters.) All animals must be washed, except for wool breeds which must be properly prepared for show.
10. All exhibitors must be clean and neat. **The accepted exhibitor attire for the show rings on Friday for the Market Lamb Show and Saturday for the Fitting & Showmanship Classes and Saturday night's Breed Shows will be appropriate show ring attire with shirt and long solid-colored pants in good repair.** This means no sweats and no revealing attire allowed. Also, no graphics or logos on shirts and no farm shirts. 4-H and FFA logos are accepted. **NOTE: On Sunday the proper attire for the show ring will be 2019 NEYSS issued T-shirts with long solid colored pants in good repair. This attire shall be worn by ALL EXHIBITORS ALL DAY.** Proper foot attire must be worn at all times.
11. Non-refundable entry fee is **\$5.00 per head** for all breeds and **\$2.00 per fleece** in Fleece Show. No entry fee is required for Fitting & Showmanship or Group classes. Fees are forfeited if animals do not show. Entry fee **MUST ACCOMPANY** entry form. Any entries received with no payment will be subject to **double entry fees** paid at time of check-in. **MAKE CHECKS OUT TO: "NESWGA".**
12. **ENTRY DEADLINE IS JUNE 15, 2019.** Late sheep entries will be subject to late entry fee of \$10 per head. A late entry is an entry that is postmarked AFTER June 15th or that is received by email, phone, text or Facebook AFTER June 15th. **ALL ENTRIES AND FEES ARE TO BE MAILED TO: SCOTT POITRAS, 95 HOLLOW ROAD, BRIMFIELD, MASSACHUSETTS 01010.**
13. Grain, hay, bedding and water pails ***MUST BE*** furnished by the exhibitor. All animals must be properly bedded and watered at ALL TIMES. No carpeting allowed.
14. All lambs must have lamb's teeth. Yearlings cannot have more than 4 permanent teeth in use.
15. A breed must meet the minimum requirements to show as an individual breed of three (3) exhibitors and ten (10) breeding sheep as of Thursday, July 18th at 11:00 PM.
16. Fitting & Showmanship Class participation is **MANDATORY** for all exhibitors **with an ANIMAL THEY OWN.** Exhibitors who show in the wrong class will forfeit premiums. **All breeds are shown together. Classes will be determined by age of exhibitor as of January 1st as follows:**
NOVICE will include those 9 years old and under as of January 1st; the classes will be divided by age as follows:
Class 1 = 6 years old and under; Class 2 = 7 years old; Class 3 = 8 years old; and Class 4 = 9 years old.
JUNIOR will include those 10 years old through 13 years of age as of January 1; the classes will be divided by age as follows: Class 5 = 10 years old; Class 6 = 11 years old; Class 7 = 12 years old; and Class 8 = 13 years old.
INTERMEDIATE will include those 14 years old through 17 years of age as of January 1; the classes will be divided by age as follows: Class 9 = 14 years old; Class 10 = 15 years old; Class 11 = 16 years old; and Class 12 = 17 years old.
SENIOR will include those 18 years old through 21 years of age as of January 1; the classes will be divided by age as follows: Class 13 = 18 years old; Class 14 = 19 years old; Class 15 = 20 years old; and Class 16 = 21 years old.
All showman in each Class will be placed and only the winner in each Class will come back to compete for the Overall Supreme award in that Division. The overall award of a Captain's Chair in each Division is donated by Kent Feeds.
17. **LIMITED ADULT HELP FOR EXHIBITORS IN PREPARATION FOR SHOW WHILE ON THE FAIRGROUNDS WILL BE ALLOWED WITH PERMISSION OF GUARDIAN, BREED SECRETARY AND SHOW CHAIRMEN** (*This show "officially starts" on Thursday at 11:00 PM, and therefore these rules apply beginning at 11:00 PM on Thursday and continuing Friday, Saturday, and through end of show on Sunday*). If an exhibitor feels he/she needs some instructional help, they should see the breed secretary first. Any exhibitor, parent, or legal guardian may bring a concern or problem to any youth show committee member. That committee member may address this, or if need be, bring it to the rule enforcement committee. The rule enforcement committee has final say on any situation.
18. To help defray costs of facility rental, ALL overnight camping will be charged \$25 prepaid to NESWGA c/o Scott Poitras. Electric and water hook ups will be available. Post paid fee will be \$40 and will be collected upon arrival at show, if not a prepaid camper or tent. Tony Patti will be collecting fees and verifying payment at the show, please go to DOOR 5 to check in your camper or tent. To pre-register, see form enclosed.

19. EACH EXHIBITOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR SHOWING AT THE HEAD OF AT LEAST ONE OF HIS OR HER ANIMALS IN ALL CLASSES. (This means each exhibitor must be holding the head of one of his or her own animals in all classes in which his or her animals are shown.)
20. It is the responsibility of the youth exhibitor to participate in **ALL** required events. This includes the final exhibitors meetings, fitting & showmanship class, and any championship drive the exhibitor qualifies for. If the youth does not participate in ALL required events, ALL premiums will be forfeited.
21. **NO DOGS ALLOWED IN THE BARN.** Owner at risk.
22. Animals must remain penned until the Final Exhibitor's Meeting is concluded or premiums will be forfeited and/or future entry denied.
23. All Judges' decisions are final.
24. **NO SCOOTERS OR BIKES ALLOWED IN SHEEP AREAS.**
25. Rule Enforcing Committee has the final say on all rules and regulations, and is responsible for enforcing the same.

* * * **SPIRIT AWARDS** * * *

The North East Youth Sheep Show Committee will award up to five \$50 monetary awards to deserving North East Youth Sheep Show exhibitors that display the following attributes during the show: (1) Appropriate physical presentation of their sheep and themselves in the show ring; (2) Neatness and cleanliness of their penning and trimming areas; (3) Appropriate care and handling of their animals at all times during the show weekend; (4) Willingness to assist fellow exhibitors in and out of the show ring; (5) Cordialness and respect to show management and officials; (6) Participation in educational activities outside of the showing (i.e. quiz bowl, skill-a-thon); and (7) Willingness to help out the NEYSS Committee in special activities and events (i.e. assistance during the used equipment auction). Participation in the fundraiser held at the New England Fall Fiber Festival will also be considered. Nominations for this award are to be made by NEYSS Show Committee members and breed secretaries to the Spirit Awards Selection Committee for final approval/selection. Announcement and presentation of these awards will be made at the Final Exhibitors' Meeting Sunday afternoon

* * * * * **SUPREME CHAMPION AWARDS** * * * * *

The Supreme Champion Market Lamb will receive a Banner given in Memory of Ed Peckham, who was a founding member of the North East Youth Show, along with \$100 cash award donated by Don Chase. Twist of Fate Spinnery donates blankets for the winning Reserve Champion Market Lamb, Highly Commended Market Lamb and Commended Market Lamb. Supreme Champion Ram, Supreme Champion Ewe and Supreme Flock selections will be made following the breed classes on Sunday afternoon. All Champion Rams from each breed will be competing for the Supreme Ram award; all Champion Ewes from each breed will compete for the Supreme Ewe award; and all first place Flocks in each breed will compete for the Supreme Flock award. The Supreme Champion Ram and Supreme Champion Ewe winners each receive \$100 cash donated by Don Chase. The Supreme Flock winner also receives \$100 donated by Claudette Choma. The Supreme Ram winner receives a banner in Memory of Ernest Flebotte, and the Supreme Ewe winner receives a banner in Memory of Phyllis Flebotte. Mr. and Mrs. Flebotte were founding members of the North East Youth Show. The Supreme Flock winner receives a banner in Memory of Dan Korngiebel, a great supporter of this show. Grand Champion Fleece will receive a \$75 cash award donated by Don Chase and a banner, and the Reserve Champion Fleece will also receive a banner. All Supreme banners are made and donated by Claudette Choma. Thank you all !

* * * * * **CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION BREED AWARDS** * * * * *

All Breed Champion Ewe and Champion Ram banners are made and donated by Claudette Choma, of Connecticut.

All Breed Reserve Champion Ewe and Reserve Champion Ram sashes are donated by Hopkins Southdowns, of Rhode Island.

Youth Exhibitors, please be sure to thank these people for their continued donations and support of this show!

* * * * * **CLINICS** * * * * *

CLINICS: Friday July 19th Coordinator: Katherine Nicholson, jknicholson28@gmail.com

11:00 AM to 12:00 PM there will a showmanship clinic in the show ring area, details to be announced at Orientation Meeting.

12:00 PM to 2:00 PM will be a 'walk around' Fitting Clinic. Designated Mentors will go around the barn to help and give pointers to exhibitors while they are fitting their own animals. Those who are interested in receiving guidance, should sign up at check-in Friday morning and receive a flag to hang on their pens.

* * * * * **SEVENTEENTH ANNUAL QUIZ BOWL CONTEST** * * * * *

COORDINATOR: Julie Severance, weldsheep.mom23@gmail.com. This fun and informal event is held Thursday, July 18, 2019. The entire team needs to check in by 5:00 PM. The Cloverbud Quiz Bowl starts at 5:30 PM for youth ages 4 to 7 yrs in Mallary North. This non-competitive event geared toward this age group will a fun event, with all participants receiving an award. Although not mandatory, we ask that the youths sign up ahead of time so we have enough awards for all. Following at 6:00 PM the Quiz Bowl competition starts with three divisions: Novice: 8 to 9 years old as of Jan 1st; Junior: 10 thru 14 yrs as of Jan 1st; and Senior: 15-21 yrs as of Jan. 1st. The references used will be the SID book and various 4-H sheep project books and materials. Each division will participate in at least two rounds of play to determine the winner. The team with the most points at the end of the rounds will be the winner. Electronic buzzer boxes will be used. Prizes will be awarded to the top team in each division. Teams consist of any four youths that are within the same age division. Youth do not have to be exhibiting sheep to participate. An adult does need to assume the "coach" role to help facilitate this event. Coaches must be present at this event and may be 4-H leaders, parents, or other interested adults. The coach will be the contact to help keep things running smoothly and to be sure that their team participates appropriately. Teams may pre-register, however, walk-in teams and singles will be taken. Members of the team may be determined at the show, but the team members' names must be submitted when the team checks in on Thursday. Awards for this contest are sponsored by Farm Credit Northeast Ag-Enhancement.

* * * * * **TWENTIETH ANNUAL SKILL-A-THON** * * * * *

COORDINATOR: Sarah Jakeman, cheviot99@gmail.com. Skill-a-thon Program will be available for *all* youths (you need not be a NEYSS Exhibitor), and runs on Friday, July 19, 2019, from 12:00 Noon to 2:00 P.M. in Mallary North. Stations will vary according to youths' ages. Awards will be given to the three highest scores in the four age groups (see Rule #16 for age groups) at the Ice Cream Social Friday night. Catherine Snook sponsors cost of sheep halters for each participant. Awards for this contest are sponsored by Farm Credit Northeast Ag-Enhancement. Additional cash awards in Memory of Shane Faveau given by Dr. Michaela Krafve for top placing winners will also be given.

***** **ELEVENTH ANNUAL FLEECE SHOW** *****

COORDINATOR: Rick Trojanoski, twistoffatespinnery@hotmail.com. Fleeces must be from the current wool crop and represent no more than 12 months growth. Each fleece must be clean and skirted, free of chaff, burrs, tags and second cuts. They should be rolled, untied and presented in a clear plastic bag. Included in the bag should be an index card with the exhibitor's name, address on the inside, then folded with the breed, sex, age of sheep, months of wool growth, and class entering on the outside. Entries limited to one fleece per class per exhibitor. **Entry fee is \$2.00 per fleece entered.** Entry fees will be doubled on all entries postmarked after June 15, 2019. Fleeces will be accepted/checked in (at the Fleece Show Table) Friday morning from 8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. Judging of the fleeces will take place on Saturday 9:00 a.m. at the 'fleece table' with discussions of the placings by Judge with exhibitors and interested parties following completion of judging. Fleeces will be released & checked-out on Sunday from 12 noon to 1:00 pm. Fleeces entered for competition **may not** be removed from the exhibit area prior to 12:00-Noon on Sunday, but must be picked up by 1:00 pm. Sunday. NEYSS will make every effort to display and care for the entered fleeces, but assumes no responsibility for damaged, lost or stolen fleeces. Grand Champion Fleece and Reserve Champion Fleece will each receive a banner made and donated by Claudette Choma. Grand Champion Fleece will receive \$75 cash award donated by Don Chase. Awards for this contest are sponsored by Farm Credit Northeast Ag-Enhancement. Classes offered:

Division I – Natural Colored Fleece:

- Class 1** – Fine (i.e. Merino, Rambouillet, Targhee)
- Class 2** – Medium (i.e. Cheviot, Columbia, Corriedale, Montadale, Tunis)
- Class 3** – Long (i.e. Coopworth, Cotswold, Leicester, Lincoln, Romney)
- Class 4** – Double-coated (i.e. Karakul, Navajo-Churro, Scottish Blackface)

Division II – White Fleece:

- Class 5** – Fine (i.e. Merino, Rambouillet, Targhee)
- Class 6** – Medium (i.e. Cheviot, Columbia, Corriedale, Montadale, Tunis)
- Class 7** – Long (i.e. Coopworth, Cotswold, Leicester, Lincoln, Romney)
- Class 8** – Double-coated (i.e. Karakul, Navajo-Churro, Scottish Blackface)



Premiums will be awarded on a point scale as follows: 1st – 10, 2nd – 8, 3rd – 7, 4th – 6, 5th – 5, 6th – 4, All others – 2

MARKET LAMB SHOW

COORDINATOR: Andrew Hukowicz, Hadley, MA hukowicza@helenachemical.com

Market lambs need not to be purebred. Market lambs may be used in Fitting & Showmanship. Only wethers (NO TESTICULAR TISSUE PRESENT) and ewe lambs will be accepted – **NO RAMS**. All Market Lambs will be weighed and checked in on Friday morning between 8:30 am to 9:30 am. A Market Lamb must weigh at least 65 pounds to be shown; any lamb weighing in at 64 pounds and under will be disqualified and will not be shown at this event. Market Lambs will be shown by weight, all breeds including crossbreds will be shown together. Each exhibitor is limited to entering and showing up to six (6) market lambs with all six lambs being premium eligible. After check-in, Market Lamb Coordinator will split classes by weights with no more than eight (8) lambs in a class. These classes will be posted on the information board. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to find out which class his/her lambs are in and to arrange for extra showmen, if need be. Exhibitor must be at the head of one of his/her lambs, if more than one of his/her lambs fall in the same class. Market lamb show and selection of Supreme Market Lamb will take place Friday afternoon.

Premiums will be awarded on a point scale as follows: 1st – 10, 2nd – 8, 3rd – 7, 4th – 6, 5th – 5, 6th – 4, All others – 2

Awards: Supreme Champion Market Lamb will receive a \$100 cash award donated by Don Chase, and a banner made and donated by Claudette Choma given in Memory of Ed Peckham. Sheep Blankets donated by Twist of Fate Spinnery will be awarded to the Reserve Champion Market Lamb, Highly Commended Market Lamb, and Commended Market Lamb.

Suffolk Market Lambs: The Northeast Suffolk Sheep Breeders, Andrew Hukowicz, Nichole Hirt and Lesley Merritt donate funds to give each exhibitor showing a **REGISTERED** Suffolk Market Lamb a \$15 participation award. Registration papers **must be** shown at weigh-in to receive the award.

Southdown Market Lambs: Immediately following the NEYSS Market Lamb Show on Friday afternoon, the purebred Southdown Market Lambs will compete together in a class with premiums paid and the selection of a Champion and Reserve Champion Southdown Market Lamb made.

ALL OTHER BREEDS (A.O.B.) SHOW

BREED SECRETARY: Catherine Snook, Stormville, NY (845) 221-2595 / catherine.snook@gmail.com .

This show is being offered for All Other Registered Breeds which do not have their own individual show listed below. This breed division will be divided into "AOB Meat" and "AOB Wool" shows, if there are enough to qualify.

The premiums will be awarded on a point system as follows: 1st - 10, 2nd - 8, 3rd - 7, 4th - 6, 5th - 5, 6th - 4, All others - 2

Yearling Ram (one per youth)

Sr. Ewe Lambs (9/1 to 12/31)

Sr. Ram Lambs (9/1 to 12/31)

Jr. Ewe Lambs (1/1 & after)

Jr. Ram lambs (1/1 & after)

Pair of Ewe Lambs

Pair of Ram Lambs

Exhibitor Flock (1 ram & 2 ewes any age)

Yearling Ewes

For AOB Wool = Best Fleece = \$25 donated by Snook Farm and

Pair of Yearling Ewes

Gift Certificate from Twist of Fate for discount processing

BORDER LEICESTER SHOW

BREED SECRETARY: Stephanie LaRochelle

(1.) This show is open to all registered Border Leicesters - white and colored. Classes **WILL BE OFFERED FOR EACH** as long as there are at least three exhibitors and at least 10 head in each color, if not the classes will be combined after check in (see Rule 15). (2.) **ALL WHITE** Border Leicester classes will be shown first, followed by **ALL Colored** Border Leicester classes. Champion and Reserve Champion drives for both rams and ewes will be held in both color categories, if numbers are enough to be shown separately, with the winners being eligible for the NEYSS Supreme Champion Drives.

The premiums will be awarded on a point system as follows: 1st - 10, 2nd - 8, 3rd - 7, 4th - 6, 5th - 5, 6th - 4, All others - 2

White Yearling Ram (one per youth)

Colored Yearling Ram (one per youth)

White Sr. Ram Lambs (9/1 to 2/15)

Colored Sr. Ram Lambs (9/1 to 2/15)

White Jr. Ram Lambs (2/16 & after)

Colored Jr. Ram Lambs (2/16 & after)

Pair of White Ram Lambs

Pair of Colored Ram Lambs

Best Head White Ram – \$20 to class winner

Best Head Colored Ram – \$20 to class winner

White Yearling Ewes

Colored Yearling Ewes

Pair of White Yearling Ewes

Pair of Colored Yearling Ewes

White Sr. Ewe Lamb (9/1 to 2/15)

Colored Sr. Ewe Lambs (9/1 to 2/15)

White Jr. Ewe Lambs (2/16 & after)

Colored Jr. Ewe Lambs (2/16 & after)

Pair of White Ewe Lambs

Pair of Colored Ewe Lambs

Best Head White Ewe – \$20 to class winner

Best Head Colored Ewe – \$20 to class winner

White Exhibitors Flock (1 ram any age and 2 ewes any age)

Colored Exhibitors Flock (1 ram any age & 2 ewes)

Best White Border Leicester Fleece - Gift Certificate

Best Colored Fleece Border Leicester-Gift Certificate

from Twist of Fate for discount on processing

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COTSWOLD SHOW

BREED SECRETARY: Catherine Snook, Stormville, NY (845) 221-2595 / catherine.snook@gmail.com

White and Black Cotswolds will be shown together unless there are at least three exhibitors and at least 10 head in each color, in which case the colors will be split after check in (see Rule 15).

All awards will be divided on a point system: 1st - 10, 2nd - 8, 3rd - 7, 4th - 6, 5th - 5, 6th - 4, All others - 2

Yearling Ram (one per youth)

Sr. Ewe Lambs (9/1 to 12/31)

Sr. Ram Lambs (9/1 to 12/31)

Jr. Ewe Lambs (1/1 & after)

Jr. Ram Lambs (1/1 & after)

Pair of Ewe Lambs

Pair of Ram Lambs

Exhibitor Flock (1 ram & 2 ewes any age)

Yearling Ewes

Best Fleece - \$25 donated by Snook Farm and

Pair of Yearling Ewes

Gift Certificate from Twist of Fate for discount processing

DORPER SHOW

BREED SECRETARY: Duckey Chute, Lempster, NH (603)306-6328 / juliachute@gmail.com

Premium money to be divided on the point system as follows:

1st - 10, 2nd - 8, 3rd - 7, 4th - 6, 5th - 5, 6th - 4, 7th - 3, 8th - 3, All others - 2

Yearling Rams

Pair of Yearling Ewes

Sr. Ram Lambs (9/1 to 12/31)

Sr. Ewe Lambs (9/1 to 12/31)

Jr. Ram Lambs (1/1 & after)

Jr. Ewe Lambs (1/1 & after)

Pair of Ram Lambs

Pair of Ewe Lambs

Yearling Ewes

Exhibitor Flock (1 ram & 2 ewes any age)



NATIONAL NEW ENGLAND REGIONAL DORSET SHOW

BREED SECRETARY: Dr. Rachel Gately, Somers, CT (860) 202-4490 regately@gmail.com

Youths entering this Dorset Show must be a junior member of the North East Dorset Assoc. (\$3/yr) OR a member of a family membership of the Association (\$7/yr). Youths must also be a member of the Continental Dorset Club for a onetime enrollment fee of \$5.00. Youth enrollment forms are available to the CDC website: www.dorsets.homestead.com. Any changes in the lamb classes will be announced in a cover letter with this form to Dorset breeders, and will be posted on bulletin boards at the show. PLEASE INCLUDE BIRTHDATE ON ALL LAMBS FOR BOOKKEEPING PURPOSES. There will be Senior and Junior Champion Polled Ewe Drives. Additional classes have been offered for slick shorn "Dorset Advantage" animals registered with the Continental Dorset Club. These animals are not eligible for group classes but will have separate Champion Drives and will be eligible for the NEYSS Supreme Champion Drives.

The premiums will be awarded on a point system as follows:

1st - 12 points, 2nd - 10 points, 3rd - 9 points, 4th - 8 points, 5th - 7 points, 6th - 6 points, 7th - 5 points, all others - 4 points.

Showmanship Classes (15 points to highest showman ONLY showing a Polled Dorset or Dorset Advantage in a class and 10 points to other Polled Dorset or Dorset Advantage participants.)

Yearling Ram	Slick Shorn Fall Ewe Lamb (9/1-11/30)
Senior Ram Lamb (9/1 to 11/30)	Winter Ewe Lamb (12/1-1/31)
Junior Ram Lamb (12/1 & later)	Spring Ewe Lamb (2/1 & later)
Slick Shorn Ram Lamb (9/1 & later)	Slick Shorn Winter/Spring Ewe Lamb (12/1 & later)
Pair of Ram Lambs	Pair of Ewe Lambs
Best Headed Polled Dorset Ram (12 points to Winner ONLY)	Best Headed Polled Dorset Ewe (12 points to winner ONLY)
Yearling Ewes	Best Pair Bred & Owned
Slick Shorn Yearling Ewe	Exhibitor Flock (1 ram & 2 ewes any age)
Pair of Yearling Ewes	Dorset Advantage Ram Lamb (9/1 & later)
Early Fall Ewe Lamb (9/1/ to 9/30)	Dorset Advantage Yearling Ewe
Late Fall Ewe Lamb (10/1 -11/30)	Dorset Advantage Ewe Lamb (9/1 & later)

NATIONAL NEW ENGLAND REGIONAL HORNED DORSET SHOW

BREED SECRETARY: Mike & Kelly Wright, Westmoreland, NH (603) 852-8241 mkwright.sheep@gmail.com

Youths entering this Dorset Show must be a junior member of the North East Dorset Assoc. (\$3/yr.) OR a member of a family membership of the Association (\$7/yr). Youths must also be a member of the Continental Dorset Club for a onetime fee of \$5.00. Youth enrollment forms are available to the CDC website: www.dorsets.homestead.com. Any changes in the lamb classes will be announced in a cover letter with this form to Dorset breeders, and will be posted on bulletin boards at the show. PLEASE INCLUDE BIRTHDATE ON ALL LAMBS FOR BOOKKEEPING PURPOSES.

The premiums will be awarded on a point system as follows:

1st - 12 points, 2nd - 10 points, 3rd - 9 points, 4th - 8 points, 5th - 7points, 6th - 6 points, 7th - 5 points, all others - 4 points.

Showmanship Classes (15 points to highest showman ONLY showing a Horned Dorset in a class and 10 points to other Horned Dorset participants.)

Yearling Ram	Senior Ewe Lamb (9/1/ to 11/30)
Senior Ram Lamb (9/1 to 11/30)	Junior Ewe Lamb (12/1 & later)
Junior Ram Lamb (12/1 & later)	Pair of Ewe Lambs
Pair of Ram Lambs	Best Headed Horned Dorset Ewe (12 points to winner ONLY)
Best Headed Horned Dorset Ram (12 points to Winner ONLY)	Best Pair Bred & Owned
Yearling Ewe	Exhibitor Flock (1 ram and 2 ewes any age)
Pair of Yearling Ewes	

HAMPSHIRE SHOW

BREED SECRETARY: Lara Sullivan

All Hampshire exhibitors must be a member of the New England Hampshire Breeders Assoc. (Jr Membership=\$10 or Family Membership=\$20 payable at time of entry) Jr. Ram Lambs, Jr. Ewe Lambs & Yearling Ewes may be evenly split by birth date after check in at the discretion of breed secretary. The New England Hampshire Breeders Assoc offers \$25 for Champion Ram and Champion Ewe. New England Hampshire Breeders Assoc offers a \$25 bonus award if the winner of Supreme Fitting & Showmanship competition is showing a Hampshire. This bonus is offered in all four categories.

Premium money to be divided on the following point system: 1st-10, 2nd-8, 3rd-7, 4th-6, 5th-5, 6th-4, 7th-3, 8th-3, All others-2

Yearling Rams	Pair of Yearling Ewes
Sr. Ram Lambs (9/1 to 12/31)	Sr. Ewe Lambs (9/1 to 12/31)
Jr. Ram Lambs (1/1 & after)	Jr. Ewe Lambs (1/1 & after)
Pair of Ram Lambs	Pair of Ewe Lambs
Yearling Ewes	Exhibitor Flock (1 ram & 2 ewes any age)



KATAHDIN SHOW

BREED SECRETARY: Duckey Chute, Lempster, NH (603)306-6328 / juliachute@gmail.com

Premium money to be divided on the point system as follows:

1st - 10, 2nd - 8, 3rd - 7, 4th - 6, 5th - 5, 6th - 4, 7th - 3, 8th - 3, All others - 2

Yearling Rams

Pair of Yearling Ewes

Sr. Ram Lambs (9/1 to 12/31)

Sr. Ewe Lambs (9/1 to 12/31)

Jr. Ram Lambs (1/1 & after)

Jr. Ewe Lambs (1/1 & after)

Pair of Ram Lambs

Pair of Ewe Lambs

Yearling Ewes

Exhibitor Flock (1 ram & 2 ewes any age)

LINCOLN SHOW

BREED SECRETARY: Catherine Snook, Stormville, New York (845)221-2595, Catherine.snook@gmail.com

White and Colored Lincolns will be shown together unless there are at least three exhibitors showing at least ten head of sheep in each color, at which time they will be split by breed secretary after check in (see Rule 15).

Premium money to be divided on the following point system: 1st - 10, 2nd - 8, 3rd - 7, 4th - 6, 5th - 5, 6th - 4, 7th - 3, 8th - 3, All others - 2

Yearling Rams (one per exhibitor)

Pair Yearling Ewes

Sr. Ram Lambs (9/1 to 12/31)

Sr. Ewe Lambs (9/1 to 12/31)

Jr. Ram Lambs (1/1 & after)

Jr. Ewe Lambs (1/1 & after)

Pair of Ram Lambs

Pair Ewe Lambs

Yearling Ewes

Exhibitors Flock (1 Ram & 2 ewes any age)

Best Fleece – Gift Certificate from Twist of Fate Spinnery

NATURAL COLORED SHOW

BREED SECRETARY: Sarah Jakeman, cheviot99@gmail.com

Jr. Ram Lamb, Jr. Ewe Lamb, & Yearling Ewe classes may be split evenly at the discretion of breed secretary after check in & will be posted on bulletin board. All Natural Colored wool sheep in this show are required to have registration or certification papers. All Natural Colored wool sheep shown must have sufficient length of fleece to be capable of being judged.

Premium money to be divided on a point system: 1st - 10, 2nd - 8, 3rd - 7, 4th - 6, 5th - 5, 6th - 4, 7th - 3, 8th - 3, All others - 2

Yearling Rams

Sr. Ewe Lambs (9/1/17 to 12/31/17)

Sr. Ram Lambs (9/1/17 to 12/31/17)

Jr. Ewe Lambs (1/1/18 & after)

Jr. Ram Lambs (1/1/18 & after)

Pair of Ewe Lambs

Pair of Ram Lambs

Exhibitors Flock (1 ram & 2 ewes any age)

Yearling Ewes

Best Fleece – Gift Certificate from Twist of Fate Spinnery

Pair of Yearling Ewes

OXFORD SHOW

BREED SECRETARY: Kelly Wright, Westmoreland, NH (603)852-8241, mkwright.sheep@gmail.com

Jr. Ram Lamb, Jr. Ewe Lamb and Yearling Ewe classes will be split evenly by birth date & posted on bulletin board.

Premium money divided on the following point system: 1st - 10, 2nd - 8, 3rd - 7, 4th - 6, 5th - 5, 6th - 4, 7th - 3, 8th - 3, All others - 2

Yearling Rams (one per youth)

Pair of Yearling Ewes

Sr. Ram Lambs (9/1/17 to 12/31/17)

Sr. Ewe Lambs (9/1/17 to 12/31/17)

Jr. Ram Lambs (1/1/18 & after)

Ewe Lambs (1/1/18 & after)

Pair of Ram Lambs

Slick Sheared Ewe Lambs

Best Headed Ram – Award for winner

Pair of Ewe Lambs

Yearling Ewes

Best Headed Ewe – Award for winner

Slick Sheared Yearling Ewes

Exhibitor Flock (1 ram & 2 ewes any age)



ROMNEY SHOW

BREED SECRETARIES: Emma Rogers, Danielson, CT emmamorton246@gmail.com and
Charlene Carlisle, Moorestown, New Jersey, ccshep1@aol.com

(1) EXHIBITORS ARE REQUESTED TO ENTER THEIR COLORED ROMNEYS UNDER THIS BREED SECTION WHEN THE ANIMALS ARE REGISTERED ROMNEYS.

(2) This show is open to all registered Romneys - white and colored - classes WILL BE OFFERED FOR EACH as long as there are at least three exhibitors and at least 10 head in each color, if not they will be combined at check in (see Rule 15).

(3) ALL WHITE Romney classes will be shown first, followed by ALL Colored Romney classes. Champion and Reserve Champion drives for both rams and ewes will be held in both color categories, with the winners being eligible for the NEYSS Supreme Champion Drives.

(4) Jr. ram lamb, Jr. ewe lamb and Yearling ewe classes may be split evenly at the discretion of the breed secretaries after check in and will be posted on the bulletin board.

Premium money to be divided on the following point system: 1st-10, 2nd-8, 3rd-7, 4th-6, 5th-5, 6th-4, 7th-3, 8th-3, All others-2

White Yearling Rams

White Sr. Ram Lambs (9/1/18 to 12/31/18)

White Jr. Ram Lambs (1/01/19 & after)

White Pair of Ram Lambs

White Yearling Ewes

White Pair of Yearling Ewes

White Sr. Ewe Lambs (9/1/18 to 12/31/18)

White Jr. Ewe Lambs (1/01/19 & after)

White Pair of Ewe Lambs

White Exhibitors Flock (1 ram & 2 ewes any age)

Colored Yearling Rams

Colored Sr. Ram Lambs (9/1/18 to 12/31/18)

Colored Jr. Ram Lambs (1/01/19 & after)

Colored Pair of Ram lambs

Colored Yearling Ewes

Colored Pair of Yearling Ewes

Colored Sr. Ewe Lambs (9/1/18 to 12/31/18)

Colored Jr. Ewe Lambs (1/01/19 & after)

Colored Pair of Ewe Lambs

Colored Exhibitors Flock (1 ram & 2 ewes any age)

Best Romney Fleece – Gift Certificate from Twist of Fate for discount on processing

Best Headed Romney (ram or ewe) - Revolving trophy awarded in Memory of Sue Stewart

SHROPSHIRE SHOW

BREED SECRETARIES: Britt Hallet, Sterling, Massachusetts, Tel: 978-962-2121, smudgesheeps@yahoo.com

All Shropshires must be slick shorn to be eligible to show, in compliance with national association guidelines.

Premiums will be divided on a point system: 1st - 10, 2nd - 8, 3rd - 7, 4th - 6, 5th - 5, 6th - 4, 7th - 3, 8th - 3, All others - 2

Yearling Rams

Sr. Ram Lambs (9/1/17 to 12/31/17)

Int. Ram Lambs (1/1/18 to 2/15/18)

Jr. Ram Lambs (2/16/18 & after)

Pair of Ram Lambs

Yearling Ewes

Pair of Yearling Ewes

Sr. Ewe Lambs (9/1/17 to 12/31/17)

Int. Ewe Lambs (1/1/18 to 2/15/18)

Jr. Ewe Lambs (2/16/18 & after)

Pair of Ewe Lambs

Exhibitor Flock (1 ram & 2 ewes any age)

SOUTHDOWN SHOW

BREED SECRETARY: Kelly Wright, Westmoreland, NH (603)852-8241, mkwright.sheep@gmail.com

NOTES: (1) All Southdowns must be slick shorn to be eligible to show. (2) All participants in the Southdown Show must be paid members of the North East Southdown Breeders Association. Dues are \$25 per family or \$10 for anyone under the age of 21 as of January 1st. Please make a check out to NESBA and send to Claudette Choma, Treasurer, 216 Monson Rd., Stafford Springs, CT 06076. If dues are not paid as of check-in at the show, they will need to be paid at time of check-in to breed secretary. Yearling ewes and junior ewe lambs will be evenly divided by birth date at the show after check-in and posted on the bulletin board. Exhibitors may enter up to two yearling ewes and four junior ewe lambs.

The premiums will be awarded on a point system as follows with a guaranteed premium of at least \$2.00 per point:

1st - 10 points, 2nd - 9 points, 3rd - 8 points, 4th - 7 points, 5th - 6 points, all others - 5 points.

Showmanship Classes (10 points to highest showman ONLY showing a Southdown in a class)

Yearling Ram

Senior Ram Lamb (9/1 to 12/31)

Intermediate Ram Lamb (1/1 to 2/15)

Junior Ram Lamb (2/16 & later)

Pair of Ram Lambs

Best Headed Southdown Ram (10 points to Winner ONLY)

Yearling Ewe (will be divide equally into two classes)

Pair Yearling Ewes

Senior Ewe Lamb (9/1/ to 12/31)

Junior Ewe Lamb (1/1 & later, will be divide equally into two classes)

Pair of Ewe Lambs

Best Headed Southdown Ewe (10 points to winner ONLY)

Exhibitor Flock (1 ram & 2 ewes any age)



SUFFOLK SHOW

BREED SECRETARY: Janet Hukowicz, Hadley, MA (413) 204-7248 / jhukowic@smith.edu

All youth exhibitors must be members of the Northeast Suffolk Breeders Assoc. (\$5/yr or family member \$25/yr). Northeast Suffolk Sheep Breeders offers to all exhibitors showing a Suffolk in any of the fitting and showmanship classes a \$20 gift certificate for NEYSS apparel. This certificate is valid for the 2019 show only.

Premium money to be divided on the point system: 1st - 10, 2nd - 8, 3rd - 7, 4th - 6, 5th - 5, 6th - 4, 7th - 3, 8th - 3, All others - 2

Yearling Rams

Pair of Yearling Ewes

Sr. Ram Lambs (9/1 to 12/31)

Sr. Ewe Lambs (9/1 to 12/31)

Int. Ram Lambs (1/1 to 2/10)

Int. Ewe Lambs (1/1 to 2/10)

Jr. Ram Lambs (2/11 & after)

Jr. Ewe Lambs (2/11 & after)

Slick Shorn Ram Lambs (9/1 & after)

Slick Shorn Ewe Lambs (9/1 & after)

Pair of Ram Lambs

Pair of Ewe Lambs

Best Headed Ram – Award for winner

Best Headed Ewe – Award for winner

Yearling Ewes

Exhibitors Flock (1 ram & 2 ewes any age)

TUNIS SHOW

BREED SECRETARY: John Buffington, Dighton, Massachusetts, alandatunis@yahoo.com

Yearling Ewe, Jr. Ewe Lamb and Jr. Ram Lamb classes may be divided equally by birth date at the discretion of the breed secretary after check-in at the show and, if so, will be posted on the bulletin board.

Premiums will be awarded on a point system as follows: 1st - 10, 2nd - 8, 3rd - 7, 4th - 6, 5th - 5, 6th - 4, All others - 2

Yearling Rams

Pair of Yearling Ewes

Sr. Ram Lambs (9/1/17 to 12/31/17)

Sr. Ewe Lambs (9/1/17 to 12/31/17)

Jr. Ram Lambs (1/1/18 & after)

Jr. Ewe Lambs (1/1/18 & after)

Pair of Ram Lambs

Pair of Ewe Lambs

Best Head Ram – Award for winner

Best Head Ewe – Award for winner

Yearling Ewes

Exhibitor Flock (1 ram & 2 ewes any age)





2019 NORTHEAST YOUTH SHEEP SHOW ENTRY
(Must be pre-entered to show)



EXHIBITOR'S NAME _____

ADDRESS: _____

EMAIL: _____

TELEPHONE: _____ EXHIBITOR'S BIRTHDATE: _____

ESTIMATED DATE AND TIME OF ARRIVAL: _____

CLASSES: (Indicate number of entries you will have in each class)

Breed: _____ PLEASE, ONLY **ONE BREED** PER ENTRY SHEET

(PLEASE SPECIFY COLOR, IF APPLICABLE)

NOTE – All Groups, Best Headed, and Best Fleeced Classes will be entered automatically

DORSET EXHIBITORS – Please note your lamb birth dates

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| _____ Yearling Ram | _____ Early Fall (Sept) Ewe Lamb (Dorset only) |
| _____ Sr. Ram Lamb | _____ Late Fall (Oct/Nov) Ewe Lamb (Dorset only) |
| _____ Int. Ram Lamb (Rom/Shrop/Southdown/Suf only) | _____ Winter (Dec 1 – Jan 31) Ewe Lamb (Dorset only) |
| _____ Jr. Ram Lamb | _____ Spring (Feb 1 + after) Ewe Lamb (Dorset only) |
| _____ Ram Lamb Slick Shorn (Dorset/Suffolk only) | _____ Int. Ewe Lamb (Rom/Shrop/Suffolk only) |
| _____ Ram Lamb - Dorset Advantage | _____ Jr. Ewe Lamb |
| _____ Yearling Ewe | _____ Fall Slick Shorn Ewe Lamb (Dorset only) |
| _____ Yearling Ewe Slick Shorn (Dorset/Oxford/Suffolk only) | _____ Winter/Spring Slick Shorn Ewe Lamb (Dorset only) |
| _____ Yearling Ewe - Dorset Advantage | _____ Slick Shorn Ewe Lamb (Oxford/Suffolk only) |
| _____ Sr. Ewe Lamb | _____ Ewe Lamb – Dorset Advantage |
| | _____ Market Lamb |

Entry fee is \$5.00 per head for all breeds.

Make all checks payable to the “NESWGA”. Include breed association dues where applicable.

WE HAVE READ THE CODE OF CONDUCT, RULES & REGULATIONS FOR THE NORTH EAST YOUTH SHEEP SHOW, AND AGREE TO ABIDE BY THEM. WE UNDERSTAND A VIOLATION MAY RESULT IN FORFEITING PREMIUMS AND/OR IMMEDIATE DISMISSAL FROM SHOW FAIRGROUNDS.

ALL ENTRY FEES ARE DUE AT TIME OF ENTRY, HOWEVER, IT IS UNDERSTOOD BY THE EXHIBITOR AND PARENT/GUARDIAN THAT ANY OUTSTANDING DUES AND FEES AS OWED AT TIME OF CHECK IN WILL BE DEDUCTED FROM THE EXHIBITOR'S PREMIUM CHECK.

WE GRANT THE NORTH EAST YOUTH SHEEP AND NEW ENGLAND SHEEP & WOOL GROWERS ASSOC. PERMISSION TO TAKE PHOTOS AND TO USE SUCH PHOTOS WITH OR WITHOUT YOUTH'S NAME FOR PUBLICITY, PROMOTION AND WEB CONTENT PURPOSES.

_____ I would like to volunteer: (a Chairperson will contact you prior to show).

My telephone and/or email is: _____

_____ I would like to donate (circle one): \$25, \$50, \$75, \$100, or \$_____ towards this year's show. My check is enclosed.

*EXHIBITOR'S SIGNATURE: _____

*PARENT/GUARDIAN'S SIGNATURE: _____

MAIL ENTRIES TO: Scott Poitras, 95 Hollow Road, Brimfield, MA 01010

******* ENTRIES CLOSE — JUNE 15, 2019 *******



NEYSS FLEECE COMPETITION



Exhibitor's Name: _____

Address: _____

Place a checkmark in the class entering; exhibitor may enter more than one fleece, but may only enter one fleece per class. [For example, you may enter one Natural Colored Long Wool fleece (class #3) and one White Long Wool fleece (class #7)]. **Entry fees are \$2.00 per fleece entered.** Entry fees will be doubled on all entries postmarked after June 15, 2019.

Division I:

Division: II

Class 1: _____

Class 5: _____

Class 2: _____

Class 6: _____

Class 3: _____

Class 7: _____

Class 4: _____

Class 8: _____

Total: _____ Fleece @ \$2.00 per fleece = \$ _____

Enclose check make payable to "NESWGA"

NEYSS Quiz Bowl Contest Pre-registration Form

Team Name _____

Team Coach _____ Telephone: _____

Email: _____

(Names may be filled out at Registration Time: July 19, 2019 by 5:00 PM)

Senior Team (15-21 years)		Junior Team (10-14 years)	
Name	Age	Name	Age

Novice Team (8-9 years)		Cloverbud Participants (7 yrs & under)	
Name	Age	Name	Age

Pre-registration is NOT NECESSARY, BUT HELPFUL to Coordinator. If wish to pre-register your Team, please return form by June 15, 2019: Scott Poitras, 95 Hollow Road, Brimfield, MA 01010



CAMPER/TRAILER RESERVATION

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

_____ I enclose my check in the amount of \$25 as camper/tent fee for my stay at the North East Youth Sheep Show held at Eastern States Exposition fairgrounds. (Make check out to "NESWGA"). I will check in at Door 5 of Mallary Complex upon my arrival.

_____ I will be towing or driving the following trailer or camper:

Make/model: _____ Length (ft): _____

License plate #: _____

OR

_____ I will be setting up a tent.

_____ I will pay the fee of \$40 when I arrive at the fairgrounds for my stay at the North East Youth Sheep Show at Eastern States Exposition fairgrounds. I will check in at Door 5 of Mallary Complex when I arrive.
