

**DIVISION NO. 40 - 49  
OPEN SHEEP SHOW**

Premiums Contributed by Mississippi Valley Fair .....\$4,976.00

Superintendent  
Co-Superintendent ..... Chad Dexter  
Asst. Superintendents ..... Brad Cox, Jim Gruenhagen, Wayne Diericks

**Judging Purebreds- Tuesday, July 31st, 8:00 A.M.**

**RULES**

1. Entries close July 15. Entry fees are: All Purebred divisions are \$2.00 per head. The pen fees are \$10.00 per pen (Limit 3 animals per pen). The pens are large pens and tack pens are supplied. The number of animals per pen is not restricted but for appearance sake we encourage exhibitors not to put too many animals in each pen.
2. Exhibitors shall be limited to 2 monies per class in individual classes and one money per class in group classes.
3. An exhibitor may only take one money in any class without competition. This is per class. To receive money, the animals must be brought to the show ring. Superintendent may opt for a group showing of all animals at once in breeds with one exhibitor.
4. Sheep entered in lamb classes must show lamb teeth. The teeth will be used to determine the age of any animal. Teeth age will take precedent over the date of birth shown on registration papers.
5. All sheep must be washed and trimmed with the exception of the wool breeds which must be trimmed.
6. Purebreds may arrive between 10:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m., Monday, July 30. Release time is 2:00 PM Wednesday; must be out by 8:00 A.M., Thursday. Exhibitor will not receive his premium if he leaves before the release time.
7. All sheep to be entitled to a premium must be entered in their class and must be registered in their respective breed association. All registration papers must be shown to the superintendents at time of entry.
8. Animals may be shown in one division only.
9. All animals are subject to rejection for unhealthy condition at the discretion of the Fair Veterinarian. All animals must have current health certificate within 14 days of check-in. All animals must be identified with USDA scrapie tags.
10. In Division 49 "other breeds", different breeds of sheep do not show against other breeds. This listing is to keep from listing all the different breeds of sheep.
11. Premium list for Purebred division,  
1st - \$22 2nd - \$20 3rd - \$15 4th - \$10 5th - \$8 6th - \$5  
Champion - Ribbon + \$10.00  
Reserve Champion - Ribbon \_ \$6.00  
Supreme Champion Ewe - Director Chair  
Supreme Champion Ram - Director Chair
12. All Purebred Divisions will have the following classes. When you enter your sheep - please specify which animals are to be shown in which class.

**Division**

- 40 Suffolks
- 41 Dorset
- 42 Columbia
- 43 Shropshire
- 44 Hampshire
- 45 Cheviots
- 46 Montadales
- 47 Southdowns
- 48 Corriedales
- 49 Other Breeds (Shown separately)

**Class No.**

1. Ram, over one year and under two years.
2. Fall Ram lamb, born between September 1, 2017 and December 31, 2017
3. Winter Ram lamb, born between January 1, 2018 and February 15, 2018.
4. Spring Ram lamb, born after February 15, 2018.
5. Two (2) Ram lambs, any age.
6. Champion Ram per breed.
7. Ewe, over 1 year and under two years.
8. Two (2) Ewes, over one year and under two years.
9. Fall Ewe lamb, born between September 1, 2017 and December 31, 2017.
10. Winter Ewe lamb, born between January 1, 2018 and February 15, 2018.
11. Spring Ewe lamb, born after February 15, 2018.
12. Two (2) Ewe lambs, any age.
13. Champion Ewe per breed.
14. Junior Flock - one ram and two ewes (any age lambs).
15. Breeder's Flock - one ram, 2 yearling ewes - 2 ewe lambs