

DEPARTMENT 42

Market Lamb Show

Wes Newby – Superintendent

Stacy Stone – Assistant Superintendent

Cody Sloan, Cameron, MO – Judge

SPECIAL AWARD: A **\$400 scholarship** will be given upon college enrollment to the exhibitor who sells the Grand Champion Lamb or Ewe. The Reserve Grand Champion Lamb or Ewe will receive a \$250 scholarship. These scholarships are donated by Arkansas-Oklahoma Regional Education and Promotion Association, Inc.

The Arkansas Oklahoma State Fair presents trophy and banner to Grand Champion Market Lamb.

Herdsmen Award – See page 6

EXHIBITOR ENTRY STATEMENT

See Exhibitors General Rules and Regulations, page 3.

The management reserves the right to remove from the grounds any exhibit or animal that may be falsely entered, or may be deemed unsuitable or objectionable, without assigning a reason therefore, and, if necessary, to return any money already paid for space or stalls which shall exonerate the Show from any claims whatsoever on the part of the exhibitor.

ENTRY FEE WILL BE REQUIRED FOR EACH ANIMAL ON ENTRY FORM. JOINT OWNERS WILL NOT BE PERMITTED. ONE EXHIBITOR PER FORM. NO DUPLICATE ENTRIES. ENTRY FEE IS \$10. ONLINE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED UNTIL MIDNIGHT SEPTEMBER 1ST. SHEEP AND GOATS MUST HAVE SCRAPIE TAG NUMBER ON ENTRY FORM.

1. All Lambs must show through champion and reserve champion. They may pull after reserve champion.

2. Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion must sell Breed Champions may pull after the Reserve Grand Champion drive.

3. Minimum 5 head for Breed Show or show in other purebreed. Entries in the Market Lamb classes are open to Wether Lambs and Ewes of:

SECTION A – Hampshire

SECTION B – Shrophire

SECTION C – Dorset Influence

SECTION D – Southdown

SECTION E – Suffolk

SECTION F – Natural Color

SECTION G – White Faced Cross

SECTION H – Black Faced Cross

SECTION I – Other Pure Breeds (5 head minimum)

4. EACH EXHIBITOR MAY SHOW (2) SHEEP IN THE SHOW, BUT MAY ENTER AS MANY AS YOU WISH.

5 All sheep must have a Scrapies Premise ID .

6. All Market Lambs must be slick shorn to the skin – no wool will be allowed above the knees or hock.

Violation will result in disqualification. **No Exceptions.**

7. Shavings only for bedding by rule of fire marshal.

8. NO SHEEP BLOCKING STANDS ALLOWED ON THE GROUNDS.

9. NO SCALES ALLOWED IN BARN.

10. Mesh Muzzles with no wire will be allowed

11. No mats or carpets allowed in pens.

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12. All pens must have shaving for bedding. All show boxes, chairs, etc. must be kept out of center aisle. All chairs, tack, etc., must remain behind yellow lines painted on aisle.
13. Show open to exhibitors who comply with Rule 40.
14. Ewes and Lambs must be owned by July 15, 2023.
15. All lambs must have a full set of lamb teeth.
16. **Any Lamb showing signs of wool fungus or ring worm will not be allowed to show and must be removed from the grounds.**
17. Minimum weight is 80 pounds. No maximum limit.
18. There will be no official weigh-in to determine weight classes for showing. Each exhibitor will weigh their lamb and submit that weight on a card to the Sheep Superintendent by **8:00 P.M., Friday, September 22**. Show classes will then be determined by that weight. Classes will be posted.

JUDGING WILL BEGIN SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 23 AT 9:00 A.M.

After judging, the top five animals in each class will again be weighed by the Superintendent on scales that have been placed in the show ring.

Any animals over or under a 5-pound variation from the weight submitted on the weight card will be disqualified.

19. No color alteration will be permitted on Junior Market Lambs. This includes all products natural or manmade.
20. Junior exhibitors are subject to adherence to the General Rules and Regulations in the front of this book as well as rules governing the Junior Division.
21. **Administration of a drug – See General Rules.**
22. All Juniors must show their own animal; all Juniors must be present for the Premium Sale.
23. **Exceptions for injury and/or illness must be approved by the superintendent prior to showing.**
24. Pen space will be assigned by Junior Sheep Superintendent. No scales other than those provided by the fair will be permitted in the barn.
25. Space for storage of show boxes will be provided, **if available**. No lamb entries will be turned down if they meet the entry deadline.
26. All market lambs will be released at 1 hour at conclusion on Saturday, September 24 and Barn 9 must be vacated by 10 P.M. All market lamb exhibitors must pull bedding out of pens into the center aisle. Failure to do so will result in forfeiture of premiums.

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Grand Champion – Spencer Warren – Russellville, AR – J B Massey, Van Buren, AR
 Reserved Champion – Jera Brown – Honobia, OK – Choctaw Nation – Durant, OK

Class	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8-10th
Classes	20	18	15	12	10	9	7	5
Class Champion	Rosette							
Res. Class Champion	Rosette							
Grand Champion	Rosette							
Res. Grand Champion	Rosette							

We sincerely appreciate the following supporters of the Lambs:

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