

EMPIRE CLASSIC YOUTH SHEEP SHOW

JULY 25TH, 2020

GENESEE COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS

5056 EAST MAIN STREET

BATAVIA, N.Y. 14020

COMMITTEE: Robin Swartz, Justine Swartz, Keith &
Kathy Stumbo, Norm Pimm

SUPERINTENDENT: Norm Pimm

JUDGE: TBD

FAIR WEB PAGE: www.gcfair.com – UNDER “PARTICIPATE AT THE FAIR”

MAIL ENTRIES AND FEES TO: NORM PIMM
7766 TOWNLINE ROAD
BERGEN, NY 14416

CHECKS PAYABLE TO: Genesee County Agricultural Society Inc. CO/ ECYSS

1. Please direct any inquires regarding this show to Norm Pimm @ 585-370-2777.
2. No bedding will be provided from the fairgrounds.
3. Entry Fees:\$7.00 per head
Make checks or money order payable to: Genesee County Agricultural Society CO/ECYSS
4. Exhibitor fee: \$12 per exhibitor. This will entitle each exhibitor to an Empire Classic Sheep Show shirt that will be worn for all shows.
5. All NYS Department of Agriculture and Markets rules will apply
6. All show animals must meet the USDA guidelines regarding the scrapie program.
7. Health and Registration papers must be presented to the Superintendants upon arrival to the fairgrounds. All registration papers will be checked.
8. Sheep must arrive Friday, July 24th before 7 pm. Dismissal from the grounds will be on Saturday July 25th at 6pm or 30 minutes following the conclusion of the show.
9. There is a maximum of 8 head per exhibitor.
10. Animals must be in good physical condition or they will be eliminated from the competition at the judges or vets discretion.
11. A flock consists of a yearling ram or ram lamb and 2 ewes of any age.
12. The Genesee County Fair Management and the ECYSS committee assume no responsibility in case of loss of livestock or damaged exhibits from any cause.
13. Exhibitor maximum age 21 by January 1, 2020. Exhibitor must be able to handle and control their own sheep during the show.
14. Market lambs will be weighed in at the fair.
15. Market lamb classes will be split at the discretion of the ECYSS committee.
16. Youth breed show will be on Saturday July 25th beginning at 9am.
17. Only sheep entered in the shows will be allowed to be penned.
18. Premiums to be determined. Only 2 premiums per exhibitor class will be awarded.
19. All exhibitors are responsible for cleaning pens prior to departure.
20. The 2020 Empire Classic is open to youth from New York and Pennsylvania
21. Camping will be available for \$30 per night.
22. **All exhibitors must participate in showmanship in order to receive premiums.**

ENTRY DEADLINE: JULY 5th LATE ENTRIES MAY BE ACCEPTED AT THE DISCRETION OF THE COMMITTEE.

BREEDS:

- A. BORDER CHEVIOTS
- B. DORSET
- C. DORSET ADVANTAGE
- D. HAMPSHIRE
- E. OXFORD
- F. SHROPSHIRE
- G. SOUTHDOWN
- H. SUFFOLK
- I. TUNIS
- J. NATURAL COLORED
- K. WETHER SHEEP/ CROSSES
- L. ALL OTHER WHITE FACED WOOL BREEDS
- M. ALL OTHER BLACK FACED WOOL BREEDS
- N. ALL OTHER WHITE FACED MEAT BREEDS
- O. ALL OTHER BLACK FACED MEAT BREEDS
- P. MARKET LAMB

CLASSES:

- 1. YEARLING RAM (1YR AND LESS THAN 2 YRS)
- 2. FALL RAM LAMB (9/1/19 – 12/31/19)
- 3. SPRING RAM LAMB (ON OR AFTER 1/1/20)
- 4. YEARLING EWE (1YR AND LESS THAN 2 YRS)
- 5. FALL EWE LAMB (9/1/19 – 12/31/19)
- 6. SPRING RAM LAMB (ON OR AFTER 1/1/20)
- 7. FLOCK

SHOWMANSHIP CLASSES

- 8. SENIOR – EXHIBITOR 14 YRS OR OLDER BY 1/1/20
- 9. JUNIOR – EXHIBITOR 13 YRS OR YOUNGER ON 1/1/20
- 10. NOVICE – EXHIBITOR UNDER 10 YRS ON 1/1/20 THAT IS IN THEIR FIRST YEAR OF SHOWING

ADDITIONAL AWARDS WILL BE GIVEN FOR

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION MARKET LAMB

SUPREME RAM AND RESERVE RAM

SUPREME EWE AND RESERVE EWE

SUPREME FLOCK AND RESERVE FLOCK

CHAMPION / RESERVE CHAMPION SHOWMAN – 1ST AND 2ND OF EACH DIVISION ABOVE WILL COMPETE FOR MASTER SHOWMAN

SHOW ORDER WILL BE POSTED FRIDAY JULY 24TH

Twist of Fate Show Supplies will be at the event so please feel free to contact them for any of your supply needs.

With the events that have happened the past several months we are very happy to be able to proceed with the show. This event will not be open to the public, only exhibitors and immediate family will be able to attend. There will be live streaming on the Genesee County Fair Facebook page for those unable to attend. PPE will be required to be worn by attendees when social distancing is unable to happen. All attendees will be required to sign in and temperature checks will be administered. We ask if you have a temperature of 100.4 or higher or are not feeling well that you remain home.

