

EMPIRE CLASSIC YOUTH SHEEP SHOW

JULY 23RD, 2022

GENESEE COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS

5056 EAST MAIN STREET

BATAVIA, N.Y. 14020

COMMITTEE: Robin Swartz, Justine Swartz, Norm Pimm
SUPERINTENDENT: Norm Pimm
JUDGE: Jim Stickley
FAIR WEB PAGE: www.gcfair.com – UNDER “FAIRGROUND EVENTS”
MAIL ENTRIES AND FEES TO: NORM PIMM
7766 TOWNLINE ROAD
BERGEN, NY 14416

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

1. Please direct any inquiries regarding this show to Norm Pimm @ 585-370-2777.
2. Shavings will be available for purchase at the show at \$8 per bag.
3. **Entry Fees: \$10.00 per head for classes A through O and \$20 for classes P**
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 Superintendents upon arrival to the fairgrounds. All registration papers will be checked.
8. Sheep must arrive by Saturday, July 23rd and be checked in by 7 AM. Dismissal from the grounds will be on Saturday, July 23rd 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 ECVSS committee assume no responsibility in case of loss of livestock or damaged exhibits from any cause.
13. Exhibitor maximum age 21 by January 1, 2022. 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 ECVSS committee.
16. Only sheep entered in the shows will be allowed to be penned.
17. Premiums to be determined. Only 2 premiums per exhibitor class will be awarded.
18. All exhibitors are responsible for cleaning pens prior to departure.
19. The 2022 Empire Classic is open to youth from New York and Pennsylvania.
20. Camping will be available for \$35 per night.
21. **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

Top 5 Market Lambs will get paid the following.

- \$400 for 1st
- \$250 for 2nd
- \$125 for 3rd
- \$75 for 4th
- \$50 for 5th

CLASSES:

1. YEARLING RAM (1YR AND LESS THAN 2 YRS)
2. FALL RAM LAMB (9/1/21 – 12/31/21)
3. SPRING RAM LAMB (ON OR AFTER 1/1/22)
4. YEARLING EWE (1YR AND LESS THAN 2 YRS)
5. FALL EWE LAMB (9/1/21 – 12/31/21)
6. SPRING EWE LAMB (ON OR AFTER 1/1/22)
7. FLOCK

SHOWMANSHIP CLASSES

8. SENIOR – EXHIBITOR 14 YRS OR OLDER BY 1/1/22
9. JUNIOR – EXHIBITOR 13 YRS OR YOUNGER ON 1/1/22
10. NOVICE – EXHIBITOR UNDER 10 YRS ON 1/1/22
11. PEEWEE – EXHIBITOR MUST BE A FIRST TIME SHOWING AND UNDER THE AGE OR 8

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 22ND

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

