

Norwood Fair

Fleece Wool & 4-H Sheep Show

Sunday October 9th (Enter via Alma St. - Gate #1)

www.norwoodfair.com

Class 23 White Wool
Class 24 Naturally Coloured Wool
Class 25a Sheep Industry Display

Chairperson: John Steele (705) 696-1491

IMPORTANT NOTICE

We do not charge membership.

We do not withhold "entry fees" from your prize money.

We charge everyone, 13 and over, entering the fair grounds, daily admission of \$10.00

Entries must be submitted on line and must be received by September 30th.

All 4-H Sheep Clubs are welcome. Please see 4-H Section for details, page 24.

All entries MUST be on the grounds by 10 a.m. on Sunday. Judging will begin at 12:30 p.m.-with the 4-H Conformation and Showmanship classes. **SHEEP WHICH DO NOT CONFORM TO THE NATIONAL FARM ANIMAL CARE COUNCIL'S CODE OF PRACTICE FOR TAIL DOCKING WILL BE DISQUALIFIED.**

All entries MUST remain on the grounds until 5 p.m.

RULES & REGULATIONS

1. No exhibitor may make more than two entries in any class. Please use the entry form on pg 23 of the prize book or download from the website, www.norwoodfair.com
2. Exhibitors are requested to indicate the breed or cross of the sheep from which the fleeces were shorn. Please indicate the name of the shearer.
3. Exhibits shipped by express should be addressed to the Committee Chairman, John Steele, 1571 Centre Line, R. R. # 2, Norwood, ON K0L 2V0. All charges must be prepaid.
4. Only fleeces, in the grease, are eligible for competition. Manufacturers and dealers are not eligible to show. All fleeces must be tied with paper twine.
5. Fleeces must have been shorn from sheep owned by exhibitor during the current year.
6. Fleece length must be a minimum of 2 inches.
7. All fleeces will be Classified into their proper Classes before the judging commences.
8. Fleeces may be opened at the time of judging at the judge's discretion.
9. All fleeces not picked up by exhibitors at the end of the show, will be bagged and shipped to the Canadian Co-operative Wool Growers Limited

PRIZE MONEY

1st \$20; 2nd \$15; 3rd \$10; 4th \$5

CLASS 23 Section A – White Wool – Fine to Medium, (25 – 32 microns)
e.g. Merino, Corriedale.

CLASS 23 Section B - White Wool - Medium Longwool (33 - 38 microns)
e.g. Leicester, Romney, Borderdale

CLASS 23 Section C - White Wool - Strong Longwool (38 - 42 microns)
e.g. Lincoln, Cotswold

CLASS 23 Section D - White Wool - Down Type (26 - 33 microns)
e.g. Dorset, Suffolk, NC Cheviot, Texel

CLASS 24 Section A - Naturally Coloured Wool - Fine to Medium, (25 – 32 microns)
e.g. Merino, Corriedale.

CLASS 24 Section B - Naturally Coloured Wool - Medium Longwool (33 - 38 microns)
e.g. Leicester, Romney, Borderdale

CLASS 23 Section C - Naturally Coloured Wool - Strong Longwool (38 - 42 microns)
e.g. Lincoln, Cotswold

CLASS 24 Section D - Naturally Coloured Wool - Down Type (26 - 33 microns)
e.g. Dorset, Suffolk, NC Cheviot, Texel

GRAND CHAMPION FLEECE \$20 AND RESERVE \$15

Fleece Score Card

Uniformity: Strength, staple length, crimp overall of fleece.....	35
Staple Length, Fleece Weight: Appropriate to breed (1 year growth).....	20
Lustre: Lightness, colour, handle.....	20
Presentation: Skirting, 2nd cuts, tying, branding paint, stains.....	25
Disqualification Factors: Kemp, cotts, black fibres, wetness, mold, moths, excessive vegetable matter and burrs.	

SHEEP INDUSTRY DISPLAY (Class 25a)

NO COMMERCIAL SERVICE BUSINESSES WILL BE PERMITTED. This is your opportunity to advertise your breed or club. Open to **breeders**, breed societies, sheep clubs and 4-H clubs. Booth space will be 16' X 8' deep. A 6' square pen will be provided by the Agricultural Society. Displays must be assembled by 10:30a.m. and are not to be taken down until after 5 p.m. The display must have a minimum of 3 **sheep** on display.

SHEEP WHICH DO NOT CONFORM TO THE NATIONAL FARM ANIMAL CARE COUNCIL'S CODE OF PRACTICE FOR TAIL DOCKING WILL BE DISQUALIFIED. Displays will be judged on overall appearance, the quality of the information available, and the educational value. It would be advantageous to have some one "man" your display between 12 and 2 p.m.

PRIZE MONEY

1st \$100; 2nd \$90; 3rd \$80; 4th \$70; 5th \$60; 6th \$50