

LEICESTERSHIRE COUNTY SHOW

Saturday 25th and Sunday 26th August 2018

The Showground, Gallowfields Road, Market Harborough, Leics LE16 7RL



Established 1833

Sheep Section

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Showground, Gallowfields Road,

Market Harborough,

Leicestershire, LE16 7QB

Holding Number 22/254/8105

Please note that the sheep will only be shown on the Sunday 26th & are not required on the Saturday. This does not prevent you arriving on Saturday

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These Specific Rules and Regulations are supplementary to the General Show Rules for all Livestock Exhibitors.

The time of arrival must be before 8.00 am. All animals must be penned by 9am.

Departure will be after 4 pm when you will receive your return movement license.

All Sheep must be shown to their Society Rules.

This competition is open to accredited and non-accredited sheep. Exhibitors with accredited sheep must indicate this status on the entry form(s)

All Maedi Visna accredited sheep must be accompanied with a valid green SAC certificate of status, which must be handed in on arrival.

Overnight accommodation for exhibits can be made available by prior booking – please make it clear on the entry form if this is required.

Sheep must be eligible for their respective breed register.

If sufficient breeds forward, at least 3 in each class, Separate Breed classes might be amalgamated. And if insufficient numbers forward further amalgamation may occur.

Classes to start at 10.00am

All pens are to be kept tidy and rubbish put in the bins provided.

Pens are allocated on the day on arrival.

Closing day for entries Monday 6th August 2018

Entry Fees, Prize Money and Vehicle Passes

Entry Fee: £6 per entry.

Prize money - 1st: £15; 2nd: £10; 3rd: £6

All classes require at least two entries in order to run.

Prize money & rosettes will be issued to 3rd places in each class, Prize money to be collected from the Showground office on the day

Vehicle Pass, free of charge

DOWNBREEDS

JUDGE: Rita Peace

Champion & Reserve Champion Rosettes will be awarded.

Trophy S3. The Kimball perpetual salver kindly presented by The Lord Kimball to the Champion Hampshire Down.

Trophy S15. The Leicestershire Agricultural Society Rose Bowl is offered to the overall Champion.

A Special Rosette, kindly presented by the Southdown Sheep Society, is offered for the Breed Champion.

Trophy S17: The Stoneridge Cup, kindly presented by K&A Stickels, is offered for the Champion Southdown.

Class 1: RAM

Class 2: RAM LAMB.

Class 3: SHEARLING EWE OR OLDER

Class 4: EWE LAMB.

Class 5: GROUP OF THREE, not all of the same sex, owned by the Exhibitor, having been shown in the previous classes.

JACOBS

JUDGE: MR ROBERT WISE

All sheep to be shown under **Jacob Sheep Society Rules.**

Special Award: A Rosette, kindly presented by the **Jacob Sheep Society**, is offered for the Champion. Champion & Reserve Champion Rosettes will be awarded.

Trophy S10: Leicestershire Agricultural Society Perpetual Jacob Cup is offered for the Champion.

Trophy S11: A.E. Cooper Aylestone Ltd, Chemists, kindly offer a Trophy for the best animal of the opposite sex to the Champion.

Class 6: RAM

Class 7: RAM LAMB.

Class 8: SHEARLING EWE OR OLDER

Class 9: EWE LAMB.

Class 10: GROUP OF THREE, not all of the same sex, owned by the Exhibitor, having been shown in the previous classes.

ANY OTHER LONGWOOL BREEDS

JUDGE: MR PHILLIP HODGES

Champion & Reserve Champion Rosettes will be awarded.

Trophy S13: The Mill on the Soar Challenge Trophy is offered for the overall Champion.

Trophy S14: The Loughborough Cup is offered for the best animal of the opposite sex to the Champion.

Class 11: LONGWOOL RAM

Class 12: LONGWOOL RAM LAMB

Class 13: LONGWOOL SHEARLING EWE OR OLDER

Class 14: LONGWOOL EWE LAMB.

Class 15: GROUP OF THREE, not all of the same sex, owned by the Exhibitor, having been shown in the previous classes.

LEICESTER LONGWOOL

JUDGE: MRS ANNE LACY

Leicester Longwool SheepBreeders' Association Champion & Reserve Champion Rosettes will be awarded.

Trophy S12: Perpetual Cup presented by the late Mr E Bard

Trophy S16: The Leicestershire Agricultural Society Longwool Ram Trophy presented to the winner of classes 11/12

Special Award: A Rosette, kindly presented by the Leicester Longwool Sheep Breeders' Association, is offered for the Champion and Reserve Champion. The Leicester Longwool Cup presented by the late M.E. Barr

Class 16: RAM

Class 17: RAM LAMB

Class 18: EWE, having suckled in current year

Class 19: YEARLING EWE, (shearling, been shorn in current year)

Class 20: EWE LAMB

Class 21: GROUP OF THREE, not all of the same sex, owned by the Exhibitor, having been shown in the previous classes.

PRIMITIVE BREEDS, INCLUDING SHETLANDS & PORTLANDS

JUDGE: MRS ANNE LACY

Class 22: RAM

Class 23: RAM LAMB

Class 24: SHEARLING EWE OR OLDER

Class 25: EWE LAMB

Class 26: Group of Three, not all of the same sex, owned by the Exhibitor, having been shown in the previous classes.

HILL & HEATH BREEDS

JUDGE: MR TIM LUGSDEN

- Class 27:** RAM
Class 28: RAM LAMB
Class 29: SHEARLING EWE OR OLDER
Class 30: EWE LAMB
Class 31: GROUP OF THREE, not all of the same sex, owned by the Exhibitor, having been shown in the previous classes.

ANY OTHER NATIVE BREEDS

JUDGE: MR PHILLIP HODGES

Trophy S1: The Levy Perpetual Trophy, kindly presented by the Late Sir Ewart Levy Bt, is offered for the Champion Suffolk.

Trophy S2: The Perpetual Trophy, kindly presented by the late Mr T Harding, is offered for the best animal of the opposite sex to the Champion Suffolk.

Special Award: A Rosette, kindly presented by the Suffolk Sheep Society, is offered for the Breed Champion.

- Class 32:** RAM
Class 33: RAM LAMB
Class 34: SHEARLING EWE OR OLDER
Class 35: EWE LAMB
Class 36: GROUP OF THREE, not all of the same sex, owned by the Exhibitor, having been shown in the previous classes.

TEXEL

JUDGE: TOM ELLIOTT

- Class 37:** RAM
Class 38: RAM LAMB
Class 39: SHEARLING EWE OR OLDER
Class 40: EWE LAMB
Class 41: GROUP OF THREE, not all of the same sex, owned by the Exhibitor, having been shown in the previous classes.

CHAROLLAIS

JUDGE: AMY PEDRICK

Trophy S5: The Headley Perpetual Salver is offered for the Champion Charolais

- Class 42:** RAM
Class 43: RAM LAMB
Class 44: SHEARLING EWE OR OLDER
Class 45: EWE LAMB
Class 46: GROUP OF THREE, not all of the same sex, owned by the Exhibitor, having been shown in the previous classes.

OTHER PURE BRED CONTINENTAL BREED

JUDGE: TOM MAWER

Champion & Reserve Champion Rosettes will be awarded.

Trophy S6: The Gardiner Perpetual Trophy, kindly presented by Mr D L Gardiner, is offered for the Champion other Continental.

- Class 47:** RAM
Class 48: RAM LAMB.
Class 49: SHEARLING EWE OR OLDER
Class 50: EWE LAMB.
Class 51: GROUP OF THREE, not all of the same sex, owned by the Exhibitor, having been shown in the previous classes.

COMMERCIAL SHEEP CLASSES

JUDGE: TOM ELLIOTT

- Class 52:** TWO SHEARLING EWES: MULE or MASHAM
Class 53: TWO CROSS BRED SHEARLING EWES.
Class 54: THREE LAMBS: Suitable for the Retail trade Sired by Continental RAM
Class 55: THREE LAMBS: Suitable for the retail Trade Sired by Native RAM

CHILDREN'S CLASSES

JUDGE: BARRY EVANS

These classes will be run after the Interbreed

Any breed of sheep best presented and handled by a child.

There is no entry fee. Prior entries would be appreciated, but entries will be accepted on the day.

Trophy S8: The Clarke Cup is offered for the winner of Class 55.

Trophy S9: The Joanna Clarke Trophy is offered for the winner of Class 56.

The prize money for these classes is: 1st: £5; 2nd: £4; and 3rd: £3. Prize money will be paid out on the day.

All Exhibitors will receive a Rosette.

- Class 56:** 10 YEARS AND UNDER.
Class 57: 11 YEARS AND UNDER 15 YEARS.

INTER-BREED GROUP OF THREE

JUDGE: ALL JUDGES FROM THE PREVIOUS SHEEP CLASSES TO JUDGE THE INTERBREED GROUP OF THREE

1st PRIZE £25.00 2nd 15.00 3rd £10.00.

This class is open to all Breed Group winners of their class.

The group of animals is to be the property of one exhibitor

Trophy S4: The Gifford Salver, kindly presented by **Mr & Mrs Gifford**, is offered for the best exhibitor-bred group of three.

SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP

JUDGE: ALL JUDGES FROM THE PREVIOUS SHEEP CLASSES TO JUDGE THE SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP

Judging will commence after the Inter-Breed Group of Three Championship.

The prize money for the Supreme Championship is: Champion £50.00 and Reserve £25.00

Supreme Champion and Reserve Champion Rosettes will be awarded.

Trophy S7: The Lambert Perpetual Salver, kindly presented by the late **Mr P Lambert**, is offered for the Supreme Champion.