

DEPARTMENT #27 – OPEN SHEEP

OPEN BREEDING SHEEP

Exhibitors limited to United States Residents
Breeding Animals: Registered Purebred
Judge: Skip Anderson, Fargo, ND

Entries Close:	Sunday, June 30, 11:59 p.m.
Arrival Time:	Friday, August 9, 8:00 - 10:00 a.m.
Entry Fee:	\$5.00 per entry per class, including groups.
Limit:	None
Weigh-In:	Unregistered ewe lambs only - Upon arrival
Judging Times:	Saturday, August 10, 12:00 p.m. – Wilford Ring Breeds shown to be determined after close of entries. Sunday, August 11, 11:00 a.m. – Wilford Ring Breeds shown to be determined after close of entries.
Exhibitor Meeting:	TBA – Wilford Ring
Departure Time:	Sunday, August 11, 5:00 p.m.

Note

- **Social Security number or Federal Tax ID number must be on entry form at time of entry.**
- **W-9 form must be completed before receiving premium check.**
- Please refer to 2024 State Rules, page 24, Sheep and Goat rules for scrapie identification requirements.
- Exhibitors may fill out a breeding partnership with Sonoma County Fair if ALL animals are housed at one physical location. This form must be filled out and completed by the close of entries each year.
- Fair may combine Divisions if number of entries falls below 3 breeders and 20 head.
- No washing of livestock within Lyttle Cow Palace.
- **STATE RULE:** Substitutions can only be made within a division. Substitutions must be made when the exhibit arrives at the fairgrounds. A minimum \$20 penalty must be paid prior to judging for each substitution made by the exhibitor in excess of two in the division.

Supreme Young Flock Previous Winners

1998	Waddington's, Ukiah	Corriedales	2011	Kelly Lee O'Brien, Bloomington	Oxfords
1999	Fielder Farms, Santa Rosa	Southdowns	2012	Robby Masera, Le Grand	Hampshires
00-02	Albert Prather, Cottonwood	Columbias	2013	Kenneth Wagner, Le Grand	Dorsets
03-04	Waddington's, Ukiah	Corriedales	2014	Albert Prather, Boonville	Columbias
2005	Fielder Farms, Santa Rosa	Southdowns	2015	Steven Urenda, Knightsen	Oxfords
2006	David Seals, Morgan Hill	Shropshires	2016	Todd Maddux, Mariposa	Southdowns
2007	Kevin Seals, Morgan Hill	Corriedales	2017	Ken Wagner, Le Grand	Dorsets
2008	Tesconi Farms, Santa Rosa	Hampshires	2018	Ken Wagner, Petaluma	Dorsets
2009	Chuck Ream, Willits	Suffolks	2019	Chuck Ream, Willits	Suffolks
2010	Eldridge Cheviots, Winters	Cheviots	22-23	Amanda King, Petaluma	Hampshires

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American System of Judging Cash Awards Offered per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
\$45	\$35	\$30	\$25	\$20	\$15	\$10	\$10	\$10	\$10

There will be a maximum of 6 divisions. The breeds having the largest number of entries will decide the 6 divisions. All others will be combined into the All Other Meat or All Other Wool Breed divisions.

- 2701 – Cheviot**
- 2702 – Columbia**
- 2703 – Corriedale**
- 2704 – Cotswold**
- 2705 – Dorper**
- 2706 – Dorset**
- 2707 – Hampshire**
- 2708 – Icelandic**
- 2709 – Merino**
- 2710 – Montadale**
- 2711 – Natural Colored Wool**

- 2712 – Oxford**
- 2713 – Rambouillet**
- 2714 – Romney**
- 2715 – Shetland**
- 2716 – Shropshire**
- Featured Southdown Show on next pg.**
- 2718 – Suffolk**

- Please List Breed**
- 2719 – All Other Meat Breed**
- 2720 – All Other Wool Breed**

Ram Classes

- | | Date of Lambing | |
|--|-----------------------------|---------|
| 1. Yearling Rams | (Sept. 2022 thru Aug. 2023) | |
| 2. Fall Ram Lambs | (Sept. 2023 thru Dec. 2023) | |
| 3. Spring Ram Lambs | (Jan. 2024 thru Apr. 2024) | |
| 4. Pair of Ram Lambs: Two ram lambs, Bred by exhibitor | | |
| 5. *Champion Ram..... | | \$50.00 |
| 6. Reserve Champion Ram | | Rosette |

Ewe Classes

- | | Date of Lambing | |
|--|-------------------------------|---------|
| 7. Yearling Ewes | (Sept. 2022 thru Aug. 2023) | |
| 8. Pair of Yearling Ewes: Two yearling ewes, Bred by exhibitor | | |
| 9. Fall Ewe Lambs | (Sept. 2023 thru Dec. 2023) | |
| 10. Early Spring Ewe Lambs | (Jan. 2024 thru Feb. 15 2024) | |
| 11. Late Spring Ewe Lambs | (Feb. 16 2024 thru May 2024) | |
| 12. Pair of Ewe Lambs: Two ewe lambs, Bred by exhibitor | | |
| 13. *Champion Ewe..... | | \$50.00 |
| 14. Reserve Champion Ewe..... | | Rosette |

Breed Division + .5

Groups (Limited to one entry per exhibitor per class) All owned by one exhibitor, entered as individuals, and of one breed. All group classes must be shown in ring.

- 15. *Young Flock: One ram lamb and two ewe lambs, bred by exhibitor
 - 16. Get of Sire: Four sheep sired by same ram, bred by exhibitor
 - 17. Flock: One yearling or ram lamb, two yearling ewes, and two ewe lambs
 - 18. Premier Breeder
 - 19. Premier Exhibitor
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| | \$50.00 |
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*** All registered exhibitors are required to participate in the supreme champion ram, ewe & young flock drives or premium money will be withheld.**

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FEATURED SOUTHDOWN SHOW

American System of Judging Cash Awards Offered per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
\$65	\$50	\$40	\$25	\$20	\$15	\$10	\$10	\$10	\$10

Division 2717 – Southdown

Ram Classes	Date of Lambing	
1. Yearling Rams	(Sept. 2022 thru Aug. 2023)	
2. Fall Ram Lambs	(Sept. 2023 thru Dec. 2023)	
3. Spring Ram Lambs	(Jan. 2024 thru Apr. 2024)	
4. Pair of Ram Lambs: Two ram lambs, Bred by exhibitor		
5. *Champion Ram.....		\$50.00
6. Reserve Champion Ram.....		Rosette

Ewe Classes	Date of Lambing	
7. Yearling Ewes	(Sept. 2022 thru Aug. 2023)	
8. Pair of Yearling Ewes: Two yearling ewes, Bred by exhibitor		
9. Fall Ewe Lambs	(Sept. 2023 thru Dec. 2023)	
10. Early Spring Ewe Lambs	(Jan. 2024 thru Feb. 15 2024)	
11. Late Spring Ewe Lambs	(Feb. 16 2024 thru May 2024)	
12. Pair of Ewe Lambs: Two ewe lambs, Bred by exhibitor		
13. *Champion Ewe.....		\$50.00
14. Reserve Champion Ewe.....		Rosette

Division 2717.5 – Southdown

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15. *Young Flock: One ram lamb and two ewe lambs, bred by exhibitor		
16. Get of Sire: Four sheep sired by same ram, bred by exhibitor		
17. Flock: One yearling or ram lamb, two yearling ewes, and two ewe lambs		
18. Premier Breeder		\$50.00
19. Premier Exhibitor		\$50.00

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OPEN WETHER SIRES & DAMS

Wether Sires and Dams Rules

1. Weigh - in must be completed by 10:00 a.m. on Friday, August 9th.
2. Unregistered sheep will be eligible to compete for Supreme Champion, Ram or Ewe.

Division 2722 – Open Wether Sires & Dams

Class	Date of Lambing	
1. Yearling Rams	(September 2022 to August 2023)	
2. Ram Lambs	(September 2023 to April 2024)	
3. Pair of Ram Lambs		
4. Champion Unregistered Ram.....		\$10.00
5. Reserve Unregistered Ram.....		\$5.00
6. Yearling Ewes	(September 2022 to August 2023)	
7. Pair of Yearling Ewes		
8. Ewe Lambs (All ewes born after Sept. 1, 2023 - <i>Classes will be split after weigh-in</i>)		
9. Pair of Ewe Lambs		
10. Champion Ewe.....		\$10.00
11. Reserve Ewe.....		\$5.00