

SHEEP

RULES

1. Sheep classes open to the province of Quebec.
2. Entry forms including applicable fees and certificate of insurance must be in the office of the secretary by August 10th, before 8:00 p.m. The post mark will not be considered.
3. A \$25 exhibitor fee must accompany each entry form along with \$20 entry fee per animal, \$15 of which will be refunded provided the animal is shown.
4. All sheep must be on the grounds by Thursday at 1:00 p.m. and must remain on grounds until 6:00 p.m. Monday. All substitutions must be made before 1:00 p.m. Thursday.
5. Registration papers to accompany each animal at the exhibition. All entries must be owned by, and registered in the name of the exhibitor.
6. All exhibits must be registered with **PEG** (genetic evaluation program). It is the breeder's responsibility to prove that his or her flock is registered with PEG.
7. Exhibitor may enter **two entries per class** for a maximum of two single classes.
8. **Three flocks per section required.** A flock consists of a minimum of four sheep and a maximum of six.
9. For the purpose of the classification, an exhibit shall be defined as follows: All purebred registered animals, whether owned by one person, or by more than one person, individually or jointly which are maintained on one farm or breeding unit, are considered to be the production of one farm or breeding unit.
10. In each classification where the same or common interests are involved in more than one breeding operation, such operations are considered as one breeding unit. In all cases where there is any doubt that more than one breeding unit exists the responsibility of proof of separation of breeding units rests with the exhibitor.
11. During judging, only the judge, the Brome Fair sheep committee members, and exhibitors will be permitted in the judging enclosure.
12. The sequence will be rotated annually: **2009 – Section 528.**
13. Judging Sunday at 9:00 a.m.
14. All breeds must be shown in short fleece, staple less than one inch, except Leicester.

CLASSES

The following classes apply to sections:

528	Suffolk
530	North country cheviot
533	Dorset
534	Border cheviot
536	Leicester
537	Hampshire
538	Oxford

Championship Ribbons:

For best ram and best ewe, any age, for each breed. Animals must be shown in regular classes.

Prizes for the following classes

\$50, \$45, \$35, \$30, \$25, \$20, \$15, \$12, \$10

1. **Ewe – two tooth**, two central permanent incisors, second pair of permanent teeth may be fully up. Another pair of temporary incisors, milk teeth, must be firmly in place. Born and bred in Canada.
2. **Ewe – full mouth milk teeth**, all eight temporary incisors. Born the propriety of the exhibitor.

3. **Ram – two tooth**, two central permanent incisors, second pair of permanent teeth may be fully up. Another pair of temporary incisors, milk teeth, must be firmly in place.
4. **Ram – full mouth milk teeth**, all eight temporary incisors. Born the property of the exhibitor.
5. **Get-of-sire**
A group of three sheep, full mouth milk teeth by the same sire. Both sexes may be presented. Animals may or may not have been shown in previous classes. Born the property of the exhibitor.
6. **Breeder's flock**
A group of four sheep, both sexes being represented and each sheep having been exhibited in one of the previous classes. All sheep in the group to be one breed, All sheep in the group to be bred and owned by the exhibitor.

Section 540 : Competition for Herdsman

This competition is open to any herdsman or owner-exhibitor showing a minimum of five animals in the sheep classes.

\$40, \$30, \$20, \$10

Basis of the award

For the best display of sheep, not including the quality of the sheep themselves. At least fifty percent to be allotted for general neatness of the exhibit and for grooming of the sheep. The remaining fifty percent to include courtesy of the herdsman and information provided to the public as well as other factors to be determined by the sheep committee. Judging will take into account all factors involved in an all-day operation of Friday, Saturday, Sunday and Monday 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

TROPHIES

John Pibus

Showmanship

Archie Lyster

Best trimmed flock of the show.

Garrett Chapman

Best flock of purebred sheep

McDougall Memorial

Best Get-of-sire of purebred sheep