

# DEPARTMENT 102

## OPEN SHEEP SHOW

### GENERAL INFORMATION

**Chairpersons:** Linda & Fred Schauwecker

**Judges:** To Be Announced

### IMPORTANT DATES

Entry Form Due: Saturday, September 18<sup>th</sup>, 2021

Yarn Show Entry Form Due: Thursday, September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021

Entry Receiving: After 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021 and before 10:00 a.m. Friday, October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021

Entry Pick Up: Sunday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2021 after 6:00 p.m.

Yarn Show Pick Up: Tuesday, October 11<sup>th</sup>, 2021

(4:00-6:00pm)

Entry Fee: \$3.00 PER ANIMAL

### RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. ENTRY FEE IS \$3.00 PER ANIMAL- Maximum sheep per weekend is 300 head. **Entries will be received on a first come, first served basis.** Entries without an entry fee will not be accepted.
2. Management will use care and diligence for safety and health of animals. Neither the Society nor the Committee shall be liable for any loss, injury or damage which may occur. Entries are accepted on these conditions only.
3. All animals, except market lambs, must be registered in the name of the exhibitors, and papers must be available for the Committee. All animals must have been owned by exhibitors **30 DAYS BEFORE SHOW.**
4. No pending registrations will be accepted; all animals must be EAR TAGGED OR TATTOOED. The sheep committee has the right to temporarily mark any animals that have no identification.
5. Animals will be inspected upon arrival for contagious diseases and parasites. Any animal found unhealthy will be removed from the FAIRGROUNDS immediately. All exhibitors **MUST HAVE HEALTH PAPERS.** Registration papers will be checked upon arrival.
6. All animals **MUST SHOW SIGNS OF HAVING BEEN FITTED,** and market lambs **MUST BE SHORN CLEAN.**
7. Age of animals will be figured as of September 1<sup>st</sup>, Spring Lambs as of January 1<sup>st</sup>.
8. Market lambs may be ewes, rams, or wethers and may not be shown in any other class. Market lambs will be weighed Saturday morning before show time at 8:00 a.m.
9. Exhibitors are limited to TWO entries in each class.
10. All animals in group class must have been shown in individual classes. Group classes are limited to one entry per breed, per exhibitor.
11. Sheep should arrive **AFTER** 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021 and **BEFORE** 10:00 a.m. on Friday, October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021.
12. No sheep are to leave **BEFORE** 6:00 p.m. on Sunday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2021.
13. No more than two breeds are to be exhibited by one exhibitor.
14. Initial bedding will be supplied. Hay, grain and additional bedding will be available for sale on the grounds.
15. Exhibitors must inform themselves as to when their BREED OF SHEEP are judged. Sheep must be in the ring promptly on call. A failure to comply with this order renders exhibitor liable to be ruled out of competition.
16. NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES allowed in the Sheep Barn.
17. No unsupervised minors in the barn after closing.
18. Proper dress required in show ring at all times.
19. Youth are required to wear solid color pants (in good repair) and white shirts in the show ring for Fitting & Showmanship.
20. Exhibitors are requested to display their Farm Signs.
21. THE SHOW COMMITTEE RESERVES THE RIGHT TO ADD, DELETE OR COMBINE CLASSES AT THEIR DISCRETION.

### ORDER OF JUDGING

Show Committee reserves the right to change the show order.

#### **Friday Evening, October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021 at 6:00 P.M.**

V- Obstacle Course

#### **Saturday, October 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2021 at 10:00 A.M.**

W- Fitting & Showmanship (Seniors- No Halters In Show Ring)

A- Market Lambs

D- Cheviots

(Break for Lunch)

U- Costume/Lead Line

(1 Hour After Lunch Break)

F- Dorper

G- Cotswolds

H-Dorsets

O- Tunis

P- Shetland

**Sunday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2021 at 10:00 A.M.**

- B- Natural colored
- E- Border Leicester
- M- Southdowns
- J- Lincolns
- I- Hampshires
- L- Shropshires
- N- Jacob
- T- Any Other Breed- Meat
- TW- Any Other Breed- Wool

Total Show Will Be Limited to 300 Heads.

The Fair Reserves The Right To Return Entries.

All Entries Accepted On A First Come, First Served Basis.

Open To All. Out Of State Entries Are Welcome.

**FITTING & SHOWMANSHIP CLASSES**

**Novice-** 1<sup>st</sup> year in Youth Club Work and under 14 years old

**Junior-** 2<sup>nd</sup> year, up to 13 years old

**Senior-** 14 years old up to 19 years old as of January 1<sup>st</sup>

Open to all Youth & 4-H Sheep Club Members

**OPEN CLASSES**

**CLASS A**

**Awards:**  
CHAMPION RAM- ROSETTE

1. Yearling Rams
2. Fall Ram Lambs
4. Spring Ram Lambs
5. Pair of Ram Lambs

**Awards:**  
CHAMPION EWE- ROSETTE  
BREED GRAND CHAMPION- ROSETTE & TROPHY

6. Yearling Ewes
7. Pair of Yearling Ewes
8. Fall Ewe Lambs
10. Spring Ewe Lambs
11. Pair of Ewe Lambs

14. Farm Flock- 1 Ram, 2 Yearling Ewes, 2 Ewe Lambs
15. Breeder's Flock- 1 Ram, 2 Yearling Ewes, 2 Ewe Lambs Bred and Owned by One Exhibitor
16. Get of Sire- 4 Animals, Any Age or Sex Sired by One Ram and Owned by One Exhibitor
17. Pen of Three Lambs- Bred and Owned by One Exhibitor
18. Pair of Lambs (1 Ram, 1 Ewe) Bred and Owned by Exhibitor
19. Best Three Head- Bred and Owned by Exhibitor

**PAPERS MUST BE PRESENTED IN THE RING FOR ALL BRED AND OWNED CLASSES**

**Awards:**  
CHAMPION MARKET LAMB- ROSETTE & BAG OF GRAIN

- A1. Market Lamb (may enter up to three market lambs)
- A4. Pen of Three Market Lambs

**Awards:**  
ROSETTE & TROPHY

- W1. Novice Fitting and Showmanship
- W2. Junior Fitting and Showmanship
- W3. Senior Fitting and Showmanship

- U1. Youth Novice Costume/Lead Line Class
- U2. Youth Junior Costume/Lead Line Class
- U3. Youth Senior Costume/Lead Line Class

Entrants **must** wear something made of wool.

**Awards:**  
ROSETTE & TROPHY

- U4. Adult Costume/Lead Line Class

Entrants **must** wear something made of wool.

**Awards:**  
ROSETTE & TROPHY

- V1. Youth Novice Obstacle Course
- V2. Youth Junior Obstacle Course
- V3. Youth Senior Obstacle Course

**Awards:**  
ROSETTE & TROPHY

- V4. Adult Obstacle Course

## Premium Awards

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
Breed Classes	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
Group Classes	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
Youth Classes	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12	\$11
Costume/Lead Line & Obstacle Classes	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12	\$11

	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
Breed Classes	\$11	\$10	\$10	\$10	\$10
Group Classes	\$10	\$10			
Youth Classes	\$10	\$10	\$10	\$10	\$10
Costume/Lead Line & Obstacle Classes	\$10	\$10	\$10	\$10	\$10

## SPINNING BEE

Bring your own wheel, empty spools and chairs. (There will be chairs available.)

Wool fiber will be provided.

This is open to all spinners.

Come on out for a night of fun!

### Awards:

FIRST \$20.00  
SECOND \$18.00  
THIRD \$16.00  
FOURTH \$14.00  
FIFTH \$12.00  
SIXTH \$10.00  
SEVENTH \$10.00

## CLASS B

### ADULT CLASS

SP1. ADULT NOVICE- Will be judged on **uniformity of the yarn.**

SP2. ADULT INTERMEDIATE- Will be judged on **uniformity of the yarn.**

SP3. ADULT ADVANCE- Will be judged on **uniformity, texture and creativity of yarn spun.**

SP4. DROP SPINDLE- Will be judged on **uniformity of yarn.** QUANTITY SPUN (within reason) IS **NOT** IMPORTANT.

SP5. DROP SPINDLE, LONGEST SPUN- Take 10 minutes to spin as much as you can and then unravel your spindle. The spinner who walks the farthest away from the judge is the winner! **You can enter another category along with this one.**

### YOUTH CLASS- Same As Above

SPY1. YOUTH NOVICE- Will be judged on **uniformity of the yarn.**

SPY2. YOUTH INTERMEDIATE- Will be judged on **uniformity of the yarn.**

SPY3. YOUTH ADVANCE- Will be judged on **uniformity, texture and creativity of yarn spun.**

SPY4. DROP SPINDLE- Will be judged on **uniformity of yarn.** QUANTITY SPUN (within reason) IS **NOT** IMPORTANT. Plying is at the discretion of the spinner.

SPY5. YOUTH DROP SPINDLE, LONGEST SPUN- Take 10 minutes to spin as much as you can and then unravel your spindle. The spinner who walks the farthest away from the judge is the winner! **You can enter another category along with this one.**

## YARN SHOW

### Rules & Regulations

1. Entries: All entries should be submitted Thursday, September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021 between 4:00pm and 9:00pm in the Sheep Barn. All entries can be picked up Tuesday, October 12<sup>th</sup>, 2021 between 4:00pm and 6:00pm.
2. The committee reserves the right to combine or create classes. The judges' decision is final.
3. All yarns must be hand spun 100% wool fiber, unless otherwise noted. Yarns and Challenge Competitions are limited to one entry per class.

### Awards:

BEST HANDSPUN YARN IN SHOW- TROPHY & ROSETTE

### CLASS C

- Y1. One 2oz. skein- Single or 2 Ply- 100% Wool
- Y2. One 2oz. skein- 3 Ply or Navajo Ply- 100% Wool
- Y3. One 2oz. skein- Single or 2 Ply- any natural fiber
- Y4. One 2oz. skein- Single or 2 Ply- Novelty
- Y5. One 2oz. skein- Any Fiber- novice spinner

## **Challenge Competitions**

### Y6. Challenge Competitions: Scarves

Made from any handspun wool, any design- knitted, woven, crocheted or felted.

### **2022 Competition: Hats**

# OPEN SHEEP SHOW ENTRY FORM

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security # \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_ Tel. No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Town \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Department No. \_\_\_\_\_ Exhibitor No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_  Open Show

**ENTRIES DUE SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 18TH, 2021**

Late entries will not be accepted.

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Print Breed (ie: Suffolk)

#1 Yearling Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Rams Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_

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#2 Fall Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Ram Lambs Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_

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#4 Spring Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Ram Lambs Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_

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#5 Pair of Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Ram Lambs Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_

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#6 Yearling Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Ewes Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_

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#7 Pair of Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Yearling Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Ewes Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_

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#8 Fall Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Ewe Lambs Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_

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#10 Spring Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Ewe Lambs Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_

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#11 Pair of Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Ewe Lambs Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_

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Print Breed

#14 Farm Flock \_\_\_\_\_  
 #15 Breeder's Flock \_\_\_\_\_  
 #16 Get of Sire \_\_\_\_\_  
 #18 Pair of Lambs \_\_\_\_\_  
 #17 Pen of Three Lambs \_\_\_\_\_  
 #19 Best Three Head \_\_\_\_\_

May enter up to three market lambs.

Market Lamb       A1                       A1                       A1

#A4 Pen of 3 Market Lambs

Youth & 4-H:                      Novice (First Year Showing)                      Junior (9-13 yrs.)                      Senior (14-20 yrs.)

W - Fitting & Showmanship       W1 Novice                       W2 Junior                       W3 Senior

Costume/Lead Line                       U1 Novice                       U2 Junior                       U3 Senior                       U4 Adult

Obstacle Corse                       V1 Novice                       V2 Junior                       V3 Senior                       V4 Adult

Make checks payable to: Topsfield Fair  
 Please mail entry form and entry fee to:  
 Topsfield Fair  
 P.O. Box 134  
 Topsfield, MA 01983

**CAMPING**

FEES: \$20.00 per camper (under 20' in length - no slide-out) per night  
 \$30.00 per camper (with slide-outs and/or over 20' in length) per night

I will need camper space on the following nights: \_\_\_\_\_ @\$\_\_\_\_\_

Electric and water provided if possible, but no guarantee.

**ABSOLUTELY NO UNSUPERVISED CHILDREN OR YOUNG  
 ADULTS UNDER AGE 21 YEARS TO STAY IN CAMPERS  
 OVERNIGHT. TOTAL CAMPER AND ENTRY FEES \$\_\_\_\_\_**

**PAYABLE TO TOPSFIELD FAIR.**

(ENTRIES DUE SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 18TH, 2021)

# SPINNING BEE ENTRY FORM

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Tel. No. \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Adult                       Youth

**SPINNING BEE:**

Novice                       Intermediate                       Advanced

Please mail entry form to: Kelly Rota  
 338 North Main St.  
 Salem, NH 03079