



Premier Livestock Classic Sheep Show

Payouts For: Class, Breed Champions, and Grand Drive
TOTAL PAYOUTS ≈ \$10,000

Sunday, July 28 at the McLean County Fairgrounds
1106 Interstate Drive Bloomington, IL 61705

Check-in: 7 – 9 a.m. Show time: 10 a.m.

Show Director: Brian Mohr - 309-275-3526 & Kenzie Kraft - 309-706-0670

- \$30 pre-entry fee per head. \$40 day of entry fee per head. (McLean County 4-H Exhibitors will receive 50% of the registration fee back if registered in advance online by July 26 at 2 p.m.)
- Must have health papers available
- Exhibitors be 21 years of age & younger
- Lambs will be exhibited by breed.
- A minimum of 5 head are required for a breed or else these lambs will be placed in AOB
- Show committee will have final say on any animals questionable on breed character classification
- No painting of lambs is allowed
- This will be an ICLA points show. ICLA rules will be followed.
- Exhibitors will declare their own sheep weights
- W-9 paperwork may need to be completed

Identification

- Individual identification of each animal shall be by an ear tattoo or official metal or plastic tag.
- A microchip ID is acceptable if the owner provides the reader.
- When using ear tags, the tag must indicate the premises ID and state of origin. The tag number must be assigned by a state or APHIS representative and recorded in the Scrapie Record Database.

Market Lambs - All market lambs must be slick shorn (show ring ready) before check-in so that show lamb fungus can be identified.

Illinois Sheep

1. Sheep originating from a flock that has previously been classified as either an infected or source flock can be exhibited in Illinois upon the completion of an approved flock plan.
2. For any animal born after 1/1/2002, the CVI must include the flock of birth and the flock of origin, if different.

Out-of-State Sheep

All out-of-state sheep are to be accompanied by an entry permit from the Illinois Department of Agriculture. Call 217-782-4944 or online: <http://www.agr.state.il.us/AnimalHW/animalregistry/login.php>

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Sheep Show Rules

Health Requirement: It is the exhibitor's responsibility to comply with the general health and eligibility rules. Special emphasis will be placed on sore mouth, club lamb fungus, and foot rot. Any sheep, in the opinion of the superintendent, that exhibits these ailments, detected at any time before final placing in the show, will be barred from show and dismissed from the fairgrounds. Exhibitors may have a veterinarian view, at their own expense, any animal for a binding decision on any feared ailment. However, an exhibitor may not delay a show pending a veterinarian inspection. Any exhibitor, who fails to have any suspected ailment examined by a veterinarian by show time, waives any right to object to the superintendent's decision at a later time. A county veterinarian will be available during check-in

1. Exhibitors will declare their own sheep weights
2. A legible ear tag or tattoo is required in all lambs.
3. If a class has too many exhibitors, it may need to be split.
4. Showmanship classes will be in 4 divisions by age of exhibitor
5. The show committee reserves the right to make any final decisions on the rules and settle any disputes.