



OPEN SHEEP
and ANGORA GOATS

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ENTRY DEADLINESeptember 23
ARRIVAL
No Earlier Than Tuesday, October 19, 10:00 am – 6:00 pm
No Later Than..... Wednesday, October 20 6:00 pm
CHECK-IN Thursday, October 21, by 5:00 pm
JUDGING
Friday, October 22, 9:00 am Wool and Mohair Fleece Judging
Friday, October 22, 12:00 noon Angora Goats,
Natural Colored Angora Goats, Cheviot, Montadale, All Other
Meat Breeds, Karakul, Corriedale, and All Other Wool Breeds.
Saturday, October 23, 10:00 am Natural Color Long
and Coarse Wool, Natural Color Medium and Fine Wool, Colored
Cotswold, White Cotswold, Rambouillet, Columbia and Shetland.
Sunday, October 24, 10:00 am Dorset, Hampshire, Oxford,
Southdown, Shropshire, Suffolk
Sunday, October 24, 3:00 pm Wool Spinning Contest
Sunday, October 25 4 Supreme Ram and Ewe Selection - Following
completion of sheep competitions
RELEASE ... 10:00 pm Sunday, October 24 through Noon Monday
October 25

SPECIAL RULES - READ CAREFULLY

IMPORTANT: Read carefully all **GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS** and all **HEALTH RULES AND REGULATIONS** in the front of the Exhibitor Handbook.

ENTRIES

1. THE DEADLINE for Open Sheep entries is September 23rd. Entries will close sooner if capacity is reached. See General Rules Entry Requirements for additional explanation. Mail entries to Arizona State Fair, Livestock Entry Department, 1826 West McDowell Road, Phoenix, AZ 85007 or enter online.
2. ENTRY FEE: \$8.00 per head for each animal is required and must accompany official entry form. No additional entry fee is required for Group class, but individual animals must have been shown in individual classes and entry must be shown on the entry form. Late entries may be accepted for 15 days following the deadline by paying an additional late fee of \$8.00 per head. In hardship cases, a formal request to further extend the entry deadline or waive late fees may be filed with the Livestock Director. Such requests will only be granted with the approval of the Livestock Director, Livestock Superintendent and the Department Superintendent.
3. ANIMALS: Entries will be made by the exhibitor in the ownership name as shown on official registration certificate.
4. OWNERSHIP: The owner as shown on the entry form must be the bona fide owner of the animals entered and have continuously owned the animals for at least 60 days prior to the opening day of the Fair.
5. FLOCK and PAIR ENTRIES must have shown in individual classes and are limited to one entry per class per exhibitor. The Breeder listed on registration paper is the only accepted breeder in flock, group and best pair classes.
6. SPRING LAMBS must have their lamb teeth.

PENS / BEDDING / BARN

7. First bedding will NOT be provided. Exhibitors will be required to provide bedding. Straw and wood shaving will be available for purchase at the feed store on the fairgrounds, or you may

bring your own. Pens and animals must be kept clean before and after the judging has been completed and premiums have been awarded.

8. The superintendent will have exclusive jurisdiction as to how many animals to a pen and assignment of pens.
9. NO DOGS are allowed in this department.

BREED SHOW

10. All registered sheep must show in their respective breed classes as listed.
11. Breeds with less than fourteen (14) head entered, with only one (1) exhibitor showing may be assigned to the appropriate "All Other Breeds" classification.

CHECK-IN

12. Registration papers must be checked by the clerk prior to the posted check-in deadline.
13. Health certificates are to be left in the Sheep office, to be returned upon departure.
14. Health Certificates and Certificate of Registry in an association recognized by the particular breed is required of all animals and must be furnished to the department superintendent at Check-In. Flock certification/number will not be accepted.
15. SUBSTITUTIONS or Scratches of entries must be made at Check-In and will not be allowed after Check-In. No Exceptions will be made. No more than two substitutions per exhibitor per breed.
16. Any exhibitor having an animal that will not be shown must notify the superintendent before the class is called.

PASSES, PERMITS AND VEHICLES

17. Upon arrival to the fairgrounds, the Sheep Barn Livestock Office will issue four daily admission passes, one vehicle parking pass and one trailer parking permit, which must be signed for by the Exhibitor. Additional parking passes may be purchased for \$30 each. Space is limited and purchase of a pass does not imply a guarantee of availability. All vehicles must be out of barn area by 9:30 am each morning.

RELEASE

18. Open Sheep will be released after 10:00 pm Sunday and must be removed by noon the following day. Exhibitors must have a release from the feed and bedding provider before livestock release will be issued by department superintendent.

SUPREME CHAMPIONS OVER ALL BREEDS

Grand Champions of all breeds competing
6:00 pm, Sunday, October 24

SUPREME CHAMPION RAM **BANNER**
SUPREME CHAMPION EWE **BANNER**

PREMIUM SCHEDULES:

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
A	\$35	\$30	\$25	\$21	\$18	\$15	\$12	\$10	\$10	\$8
B	\$35	\$30	\$25	\$21	\$18	\$15	\$12	\$10	-	-
C	\$16	\$12	\$10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Individual class Limit of 2 premiums per exhibitor per class will be paid.

REGISTERED OPEN SHEEP DIVISIONS

- DIVISION NO. 51 - CHEVIOT
- DIVISION NO. 52 - COLUMBIA
- DIVISION NO. 53 - CORRIEDALE
- DIVISION NO. 54 - COTSWOLD COLORED
- DIVISION NO. 55 - COTSWOLD WHITE
- DIVISION NO. 56 - DORSET
- DIVISION NO. 57 - HAMPSHIRE
- DIVISION NO. 58 - KARAKUL
- DIVISION NO. 59 - MONTADALE
- DIVISION NO. 60 - NATURAL COLORED LONG & COARSE WOOL
- DIVISION NO. 61 - NATURAL COLORED FINE & MEDIUM WOOL
- DIVISION NO. 62 - OXFORD
- DIVISION NO. 63 - RAMBOUILLET
- DIVISION NO. 64 - SHETLAND
- DIVISION NO. 65 - SHROPSHIRE
- DIVISION NO. 66 - SOUTHDOWN
- DIVISION NO. 67 - SUFFOLK
- DIVISION NO. 68 - ALL OTHER MEAT BREEDS
- DIVISION NO. 69 - ALL OTHER WOOL BREEDS

(Fine, Medium, Long e.g. Targhee, Romney, Border Leicester, Jacob, Lincoln, Merino, and Churro)

Class	Description	Premium
RAMS		
1	Ram, 1 year (Sept. 2008 thru Aug. 2009)	A
2	Fall Ram Lamb (Sept. 2009 thru Dec. 2009)	A
3	Spring Ram Lamb (Jan. 2010 thru July 2010)	A
4	Pair of Ram Lambs	B
	No additional entry fee, but must be entered in classes 1,2, or 3	
	Champion Ram (each breed)	Rosette
	Reserve Champion Ram (each breed)	Rosette
	SUPREME CHAMPION RAM	\$100 AND Banner
EWES		
5	Ewe, 1 year (Sept. 2008 thru Aug. 2009)	A
6	Pair of yearling Ewes	B
	No additional entry fee, but must be entered class 5	
7	Fall Ewe Lamb (Sept. 2009 thru Dec. 2009)	A
8	Spring Ewe Lamb (Jan. 2010 thru July 2010)	A
9	Pair of Ewe Lambs	B
	No additional entry fee, but must be entered in classes 7 or 8	
	Champion Ewe (each breed)	Rosette
	Reserve Champion Ewe (each breed)	Rosette
	SUPREME CHAMPION EWE	\$100 AND Banner
GROUPS - No additional entry fee, but must be entered in individual classes		
10	Young flock 1 Ram Lamb, 2 Ewe Lambs, bred by exhibitor.	B
11	Get of Sire Four animals, any age, get of one sire, all bred and owned by exhibitor.	B
12	Flock One Yearling or Ram Lamb, 2 Yearling Ewes, 2 Ewe Lambs - all the same owner	B
13	Best Pair either sex and age, all the same owner	B
	PREMIER EXHIBITOR (each breed)	Rosette
	Most points on the highest 6 placings in individual classes. Next highest point placing will be used to break a tie.	

OPEN WOOL DIVISION
Friday, October 22
DIVISION NO. 70 - WOOL

PURPOSE To create an awareness of the many qualities of wool and its uses. To exhibit results of the improvement programs in sheep and wool industry. To encourage proper preparation and grading of wool for market.

1. ENTRY FEE: \$2.00 per entry per class is required and must accompany official entry form.
2. All entries and awards in this department shall be subject to the General Rules and Regulations.
3. This division will be open to receive wool exhibits October 22. If wool exhibits are shipped, carrying charges must be prepaid and exhibits must arrive not later than October 22.
4. Identification of class number and breed must accompany exhibit.
5. Only fleeces shorn during the 2009/2010 shearing season will be eligible.

PREMIUMS: Schedule C

EWE FLEECE		RAM FLEECE	
Natural Colored			
Class 20	Coarse	Class 21	Coarse
Class 22	Medium	Class 23	Medium
Class 24	Fine	Class 25	Fine
	Low-48 or lower; Medium-50-58; Fine-60 or better		
Class 26	Corriedale	Class 27	Corriedale
	Columbia		Columbia
	Targhee		Targhee
Class 28	Suffolk	Class 29	Suffolk
	Dorset		Dorset
	Cheviot		Cheviot
	Hampshire		Hampshire
	Southdown		Southdown
	Shropshire		Shropshire
	Oxford		Oxford
	Montadale		Montadale
Class 30	Fine Wool Breeds	Class 31	Fine Wool Breeds
Class 32	Medium Wool Breeds	Class 33	Medium Wool Breeds
Class 34	Long Wool Breeds	Class 35	Long Wool Breeds
Class 36	White Cotswold	Class 37	White Cotswold
Class 38	Colored Cotswold	Class 39	Colored Cotswold
	Champion Fleece		\$50 and Rosette
	Reserve Champion Fleece		Rosette
Class 40	White Mohair	Class 41	White Mohair
Class 42	Natural Mohair	Class 43	Natural Mohair
	Champion Mohair Fleece		\$50 and Rosette
	Reserve Champion Mohair Fleece		Rosette

WOOL SPINNING CONTEST
3:00 pm, Sunday, October 24
For entry information, please contact
Scott Scheyli at (520) 991-5131

ANGORA GOAT DIVISION

Friday, October 22

1. Rules and time schedules of the Open Sheep Department shall apply to the Angora Goat Division.
2. All animals must be registered in the Angora Goat Breeders' Association, Rocksprings, Texas or Colored Angora Goat Breeders Association, Monroe, Oregon.
3. Either long or short clips are permissible.
4. All persons showing animals in individual classes should wear white shirts or show uniforms.

DIVISION 71 - ANGORA GOATS

DIVISION 72 – NATURAL COLORED ANGORA GOATS

Class	Description	Premium
1	Buck yearling, Dec 2008 through Nov 2009.....	A
2	Buck kid, Dec 2009 through Jan 2010	A
3	Buck kid, after Feb 1, 2010	A
4	Pair of buck kids, owned by exhibitor.....	B
	No additional entry fee, but must be entered	
	Champion Buck	Rosette
	Reserve Champion Buck	Rosette
5	Aged does, prior to Dec 2008	
6	Doe yearling, Dec 2008 through Nov 2009.....	A
7	Pair of yearling does owned by exhibitor	B
	No additional entry fee, but must be entered	
8	Doe kid, Dec 2009 through Jan 2010.....	A
9	Doe kid, after Feb 1, 2010.....	A
10	Pair of doe kids, owned by exhibitor	A
	No additional entry fee, but must be entered	
	Champion Doe	Rosette
	Reserve Champion Doe	Rosette
	Best Fleeced Goat	\$50 and Banner

GROUPS -- No additional entry fee, but must be entered in individual classes.

11	Young flock.....	B
	One buck kid and two doe kids, all the same owner	
12	Get of Sire	B
	Four animals, the get of one sire, both sexes to be represented, all the same owner	
13	Flock.....	B
	One yearling or kid buck , 2 yearling does and 2 kid does, all the same owner	
	PREMIER EXHIBITOR	Rosette

Most points on the highest 6 placings in individual classes. Next highest point placing will be used to break a tie.

