

# Sheep Classes

## Exhibitors in this section please note:

- 1 Please ensure you have read the Society General Rules on the website
- 2 Entries online are preferred via the website [www.weetonshow.co.uk](http://www.weetonshow.co.uk)  
Entry forms can also be downloaded and sent to Sheep Secretary: Christine Morphet, 68 Church Close, Pool in Wharfedale, Otley, LS21 1LW. Enquiries to [sheep@weetonshow.co.uk](mailto:sheep@weetonshow.co.uk)
- 3 **Closing date for entries 14th July 2024.** Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Sheep Secretary subject to a penalty of £1 per class.
- 4 NO entries accepted on the day.
- 5 Entries of £10 will entitle exhibitor to one exhibitor ticket. Tickets will be emailed. Additional tickets can be bought via the website.
- 6 **Judging** will start promptly at **9:15am**
- 7 **Penning** all sheep must be penned before **8:45am** and remain there until 3:00pm unless adverse weather conditions require them to be moved for welfare. Late arrivals will only be accepted at the discretion of the sheep secretary.
- 8 Sheep exhibited at this show must not be freshly dipped and be wet with dip, In preparing sheep for exhibition they must not be treated with a pray containing undiluted or very strong OP dip. Any product used at the show for treating sheep fleece should be marketed as suitable for this purpose and the appropriate precautions followed. Failure to comply will result in prize money being forfeited.
- 9 It is the exhibitor's responsibility to complete **TWO MOVEMENT FORMS** and hand them to the Licence Steward on the show day.
- 10 Separate unloading/loading and penning arrangements have been made for sheep from MV accredited flocks. To use these facilities sheep must be accompanied by a valid certificate of status (**MUST BE STATED ON ENTRY FORM**) **To be handed in before unloading of stock.**
- 11 Exhibitors are reminded that it is their responsibility to insure against damage caused by their animals.
- 12 If there are fewer than 3 entries in a class, the class may be combined with another where possible at the discretion of the sheep Secretary.
- 13 **Young Handler & Junior Handler** classes ages may be amended dependent on number of exhibitors **AGE must put on entry form.** To be judged on presentation and turnout of both stock and handler, all stock must be halter trained. All handlers will receive a Rosette.

**JUDGES** to be arranged

## **SECTION A – YOUNG HANDLER**

**Entry Fee £2.00**

**Prizes: 1<sup>st</sup> £5, 2<sup>nd</sup> £3. 3<sup>rd</sup> £1.50**

**S1 Young Handler** – open to handlers of 8 years and under.

**S2 Junior Handler** – open to handlers 15 years and under.

## **SECTION B – BUTCHERS LAMBS**

**Entry Fee £3.00**

**Prizes: 1<sup>st</sup> £10, 2<sup>nd</sup> £5, 3<sup>rd</sup> rosette**

**S3 Butchers Lambs** – Pair of any breed butchers' lambs

**Award:** *A trophy kindly presented by Mr L Grange will be presented to the best pair overall in class S3.*

## **SECTION C to H**

**Entry Fee £3.00**

**Prizes: 1<sup>st</sup> £10, 2<sup>nd</sup> £5, 3<sup>rd</sup> rosette**

**Each section C to H will have a champion rosette winner who will compete for the Show Supreme Championship.**

## **Section C – ANY RARE BREED**

Class open both MV and NON MV

**S4** Ram Lamb

**S5** Ram any age

**S6** Ewe lamb

**S7** Ewe any age

**AWARD-** *The Lower Dales Trophy will be awarded annually for the best entry in Classes S4-S7.*

## **Section D – TEXEL**

Class open both MV and NON MV

**S8** Ram Lamb

**S9** Ram any age

**S10** Ewe lamb

**S11** Ewe Shearling

**S12** Ewe any age

**Classes S8 to S12 are included in the Northern Area Texel Sheep Breeders points trophy competition.**

**AWARD-** *Texel Trophy kindly donated by Mr Ian Clough will be awarded annually for the best entry in Classes S8-S14.*

## **Section E – Any Other Continental**

Class open both MV and NON MV

**S13** Ram Lamb

**S14** Ram any age

**S15** Ewe lamb

**S16** Ewe Any Age

**AWARD-** *The Derek Bywater Trophy will be awarded annually for the best entry in Classes S13-S16.*

## **Section F - Suffolk**

Class open both MV and NON MV

**S17** Ram Lamb

**S18** Ram any age

**S19** Ewe lamb

**S20** Ewe Any Age

## **Section G –Any Other Native Breed**

Class open both MV and NON MV

**S21** Ram Lamb

**S22** Ram any age

**S23** Ewe lamb

**S24** Ewe Any Age

**AWARD-** *The Gray's Builders Perpetual Trophy will be awarded annually for the best entry in Classes S21-S24.*

## **Section H – Cross Breeds**

Class open to MV and NON MV

**S25** Ram Lamb

**S26** Ram any age

**S27** Ewe lamb

**S28** Ewe Any Age

**AWARD: SHOW CHAMPIONSHIP** – *THE Red Hill Challenge Trophy, awarded to the best in show from classes C-H.*

## **FLEECE CLASSES**

**Entry Fee £2.50**

**Prizes 1<sup>st</sup> £9, 2<sup>nd</sup> £5, 3<sup>rd</sup> £2.50**

All fleeces to should be neatly rolled and recured by the neck wool.

All fleeces should be labelled with breed or cross and exhibitor number.

Fleeces that are artificially stained, coloured or fastened with any form of twine will be eliminated.

**S29** Short Wool

**S30** Long Wool

**S31** Natural Coloured Wool