

**2019 Grasslands Sheep Exhibition**  
**July 19<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup>, 2019**  
**Humboldt Uniplex - Humboldt, SK**

Note: The following rules, classes and entry form apply only to the Grasslands Sheep Exhibition Show and Sale. The All Canada Classic purebred show and sale rules and entry form are posted on the Canadian Sheep Breeders website [www.sheepbreeders.ca](http://www.sheepbreeders.ca)

## **GENERAL RULES**

LIABILITY: The Saskatchewan Sheep Breeders' Association, the Saskatchewan Sheep Development Board and their directors, owners and employees accept no liability that may occur. Accidents at sheep events are very rare, but all attending must do so at their own risk.

1. Entry Fees: Single Entries - \$15.00/entry; unless otherwise noted. Junior Show entries are exempt.
2. Closing date for entries is 5:00pm, Friday, June 7, 2019. Email completed entry forms to [sheepdb@saktel.net](mailto:sheepdb@saktel.net). Entry forms will be available on [www.sksheep.com](http://www.sksheep.com) & [www.sasksheepbreeders.com](http://www.sasksheepbreeders.com) Send or call in payment to SSDB; 2213C Hanselman Court, Saskatoon, SK S7L 6A8 (306)933-5200
3. All sheep and lambs must bear an approved CSIP ear tag before they leave the farm of origin & any subsequent premises.
4. Sheep will be mouthed to be eligible to show as follows:
  - a. Lambs: First pair of temporary incisors must still be in place.
  - b. Yearlings: Third pair of temporary incisors must still be in place.
5. All animals will be inspected by the Inspection Committee and the attending veterinarian. All consignors must be present with their sheep for the inspection. Approximately 1:00pm-4:00pm Friday, July 19<sup>th</sup>. All blankets/slinkies must be removed & sheep must be dry. In addition to any conditions that could compromise the health & soundness of the animal or any other animal in the barn, they must have proper RFID tags or legible tattoos for purebred, registered animals. Original certificate of registration papers must be presented to the Inspection Committee. All animals born in 2015 & later must be presented according to the National Farm Animal Care Council Code of Practice for the Care & Handling of Sheep. All animals showing signs of unhealthiness or not meeting code of practice standards will be removed from the show & sale, & must be removed from the barn immediately. There is no holding area in the barn for culls or in-transit animals. The tail length must be no shorter than the distal end of the caudal-fold. The sale committee is authorized to settle any and all disputes regarding culling and to interpret the rules. Their decision will be final.
6. Fleece or Hair Requirements: Sheep must be shown in clean fleece & 1"/2.4cm or shorter. Absolutely no manure tags. Pen classes are exempt from being shown in clean fleece & 1"/2.4cm or shorter
7. Penning will be assigned; tack stalls will only be available if numbers will permit it. For more information, contact Barn Boss.
8. Barn will be open for early arrivals starting at 9:00am Thursday, July 18th. Consult with Barn Boss for early arrival arrangements.
9. Exhibitors are required to wear white shirt & black pants when showing. No Farm Advertising on clothing in show ring. No ball caps to be worn. Failure to comply with this rule will result in exhibitor being disallowed to show or be banned the following year; up to show management.
10. All sheep in the barn must have access to water at all times. Muzzles will not be tolerated & exhibitors will be expelled. Emergency contact number must be posted on each pen; stall cards will not be provided.
11. Straw bedding will be in pens. A limited amount of straw & hay will be available for purchase onsite. Contact Barn Boss.
12. There will be no dogs allowed in the barn areas unless they are part of a show display.

13. All entries must be the bona fide property of the exhibitor.
14. Show order will be determined & posted as soon as possible. Will be subject to changes.
15. Show prize money amounts subject to entries. Detailed prize listings will be announced after entry deadline

### **JUNIOR SHOW – SECTION 300J**

- No entry fee, but entry must be made with regular show entries.
- Showmanship entries must be made to Show Management prior to Showmanship class start time. Splits will be made in line with 4H age ranges. Cloverbuds-ages 4-8, Junior- ages 9-12, Intermediate-ages 13-15 Senior- 16-19
- Animals entered in the Junior classes only are not required to be sold, if the same animal is entered in an open class it must be entered in the sale.
- Open to boys & girls 19 years old & younger.
- Ewes of any breed or breed cross eligible to compete.
- Health requirements for sheep apply as listed in General Rules.

#### **CLASS**

1. Ewe Lamb
2. Yearling Ewe
3. Mature Ewe, two years old or older
4. Ewe with current year lamb at side, born January 1, 2019 and later.
5. Showmanship
6. Junior Costume Class

### **JACKPOT MARKET LAMB – SECTION 300M**

- Entry Fee: \$25.00/entry. There are no restrictions as to number of entries.
- All lambs must be shown slick shorn; hair breeds exempt.
- Ewe lambs or completely healed wether lambs are eligible to enter.
- Lambs in this section may not be shown in any other classes.
- Weighing of market lambs will take place Friday, July 19<sup>th</sup> by Barn Boss. All lambs must be dry at weighing & must remain in their allotted stalls after weighing.
- Weight restrictions for market lambs 90-120lbs. Entries will be divided into splits weight splits of 90-105lbs and 106-120 lbs. Top 2 to 4 placings in each split will move to champion class; dependant on entries.
- Judge for Jackpot Market Lamb: To be announced

#### **CLASS**

1. Wether or Ewe Lamb

### **PROSPECT EWE LAMB – SECTION 300EL**

- Entry Fee: \$25.00/entry. There are no restrictions as to number of entries.
- Ewe lamb in this section may be purebred or commercial
- Ewe lambs in this section may not be shown in any other classes.

#### **CLASS**

1. Single Commercial Ewe Lamb, born January 1, 2019 or later

## **PENS OF BREEDING EWE LAMBS AND YEARLING EWES– SECTION 300P**

- Ewes in this section may be Purebred but cannot be shown in the classes of their respective breed shows.
- Entry Fee: \$15.00 entry. There are no restrictions to the number of entries.
- All entries in Section 300P must be shown & sold.
- Pens of breeding ewe lambs and yearling ewes will be judged in their pens.
- Ewe lambs and ewes in this section may not be shown in any other classes.
- Note breed on entry form

### **CLASS**

1. Pen of Five Commercial , Yearling Ewes
2. Pen of Five Commercial Ewe Lambs, born January 1, 2019
3. Pen of Three Commercial , Yearling Ewes
4. Pen of Three Commercial Ewe Lambs, born January 1,2019
5. Pen of Two Commercial Yearling Ewes
6. Pen of Two Commercial Ewe Lambs, born January 1, 2019

### **SALE RULES**

1. Grasslands Sheep Exhibition Commercial Sale: 11:00 am Sunday, July 21<sup>st</sup>
2. Auctioneer: Johnstone's Auction Mart
3. All ewes entered in sale must be shown. Animals that are only registered under 300J may be exempt from sale.
4. Sale Commission: 7% to Saskatchewan Sheep Breeder's Association. There is no maximum commission. Exhibitors will receive a card for each animal to present to auctioneer noting reserve price (if required) & any comments for auctioneer. If reserve not met, commission will be charged on reserve price.
5. All exhibitors consigning animals to the show & sale must hold a current membership with the Saskatchewan Sheep Breeder's Association or the \$30 membership fee must be paid with entries.
6. Animals that are scratched from the SSBA sale without a veterinarian certificate & have already been shown will automatically be charged a \$40.00/animal penalty fee, payable to SSBA.
7. Animals that do not arrive, are pulled or scratched from the SSBA show and sale without a veterinarian certificate will forfeit their entry fees.
8. Movement of the pens of breeding ewes in & out of the sale ring is the responsibility of the consignor.
9. Any animal sold in the sale immediately becomes the property of the new owner & can only be released after the completion of the sale once full settlement has been made with SSBA office and a release form has been obtained. If purchasing on behalf of another buyer, payment will need to be made in full prior to obtaining release forms.
10. Guarantee: Ewes entered in Grasslands Sheep Exhibition sale are guaranteed by the consignor as breeders. The consignor will stand behind their animals, & if any problems arise, they are to be handled directly between the seller & purchaser.
11. Sale order will be determined & posted as soon as possible. Will be subject to changes.
12. With there being no pictures going into the sale catalogue, we suggest posting pictures to the Saskatchewan Sheep Breeders Association and the Grasslands Sheep Exhibition facebook pages.

### **GRASSLANDS SHEEP EXHIBITION SHOW COMMITTEE**

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