



Getting Started in Sheep “The Basics Workshop”

This is a two-day course covering the basics of the sheep industry. It is designed for those who are looking at getting into sheep and those who are already in the business on the beginner level.

The cost is \$150 plus GST per person or \$250 plus GST for a couple. This includes coffee breaks and a binder filled with information on sheep production. A \$50 deposit is required and you may register by phoning the Saskatchewan Sheep Development Board at (306) 933-5200 or email: sheepdb@sasktel.net

1. Industry / Saskatchewan Sheep Development Board Introduction
2. Basic Economics
3. Marketing
4. Purchasing your Flock
5. Behavior and Facilities
6. Nutrition
7. Health Management
8. Lambing Management
9. Predation
10. Shearing and Wool
11. Regulations and Programs
12. Miscellaneous

In-class video's will be shown to cover the following topics

- Saskatchewan Sheep Industry Promotional Video
- Castrating
- Checking Teeth
- Condition Scoring
- Drenching
- Ear Tagging
- Finishing Lambs
- Foot Trimming
- Injections
- Lambing
- Looking at Health Problems
- Lamb Survival