

# **SHEEP**

(Judging 10:30a.m)

## **Department of Agriculture and Food and the Marine 2013 Specific Requirements - SHEEP**

### **Identification**

All sheep must be identified individually with appropriate ear tags issued in accordance with the requirements of the National Sheep Identification System (NSIS).

### **Movement Documentation**

All consignments of sheep being moved must be accompanied by a completed dispatch document. Individual details of each sheep in the consignment must be recorded on the document. Sheep from non-restricted flocks only can be moved to shows. In the case of flocks restricted following diagnosis of scrapie, sheep possessing the ARR/ARR genotype only may be exhibited. The movement of these ARR/ARR genotype sheep must be accompanied by the relevant movement permit (SCR/10), which can be obtained from the local District Veterinary Office in the county where the flock is located.

### **AIM Notification**

The movement of sheep to and from an Agricultural Show within the State must be recorded on AIM. This is done using a copy of the owners sheep dispatch document as follows:

- 1.** The owner/keeper presents the signed and completed dispatch document to the show Coordinator who checks it to ensure that it is completed in full.
- 2.** The show Coordinator fills in the MART section of the dispatch document with (i) the show number, (ii) the date of the move back to the source holding, (iii) stamps it with the show stamp, and (iv) signs the dispatch document.
- 3.** The show Coordinator then forwards the completed pink section of the dispatch document to the local DVO within 7 days of the show movement.
- 4.** The show Coordinator keeps white copy for his/her records.
- 5.** The source/destination keeper keeps the bottom yellow copy to enter in into their flock register. Ultimate responsibility for fulfilling this requirements lies with the Show Coordinator.

### **Flock Register**

All movement of sheep to and from shows must be recorded in the keeper's flock register.

### **Exports to Northern Ireland**

All sheep must be accompanied by a TRACES intra-community trade certificate, will be sent for each animal or consignment being dispatched to the show (this will be performed by Department officials of the DVO). Exhibitors are advised to contact the show society in Northern Ireland well in advance of any show to determine the suitability of the show for return of animals (e.g. premises and sheep status), and whether the authorities will have officials and veterinary staff present to supervise and process documentation for animals returning to origin.

**For further information on our Website [www.irishshows.org](http://www.irishshows.org).**

**CROSSBRED AND COMMERCIAL CLASSES – JUDGING WILL COMMENCE  
IMMEDIATELY AFTER PEDIGREE CLASSES  
ALL SHEEP TO BE SHOWN IN HAND  
Excessive Wool on Sheep will be penalized.  
EXHIBIT NUMBERS MUST BE DISPLAYED WITH ANIMALS**

# CHEVIOT

**MORRIN PERPETUAL CUP** – For Best Ram of the Wicklow Mountain or Cheviot type

**KERRY FOOD SHIELD** - for Champion Cheviot.

**WILLOUGHBY CUP** – Best Pen of 2 Ewes or 2 Ewe Lambs of Wicklow Mt. or Cheviot type.

**PETER BEHAN PERPETUAL TROPHY** – Best Pair in Suffolk/ Cheviot Cross Classes.

**WICKLOW MOUNTAIN SHEEP BREEDERS ASSOCIATION & WICKLOW**

**CHEVIOT SHEEP OWNERS ASSOCIATION WILL SPONSOR**

**CHAMPION €50 RESERVE CHAMPION €40**

**N.B. – No late Entries or Entries taken on the day**

**PRIZES: 1st €50, 2nd €40, 3rd €30. Entry Fee: €7**

- CLASS 141 WICKLOW MOUNTAIN CHEVIOT – RAM 2 YEARS OLD AND UPWARD  
SPONSORED BY LAURENCE PIERCE (WOOL MERCHANTS) LTD**
- CLASS 142 WICKLOW MOUNTAIN CHEVIOT SHEARLING - RAM  
SPONSORED BY FRANK NAUGHTON**
- CLASS 143 WICKLOW MOUNTAIN CHEVIOT - RAM LAMB**
- CLASS 144 BEST PAIR OF WICKLOW MOUNTAIN CHEVIOT - EWE LAMBS**
- CLASS 145 ALL IRELAND PAIR OF WICKLOW MOUNTAIN CHEVIOT SHEARLING EWES ENTRY FEE - €10  
1ST €60 2ND €50 3RD €40 4TH €30**
- CLASS 146 PAIR OF WICKLOW MOUNTAIN CHEVIOT – EWES 2 YEARS AND UPWARDS.  
PRIZES 1ST €25 PLUS €25 VOUCHER 2ND €20 AND €20 VOUCHER 3RD €15 AND €15 VOUCHER -SPONSORED BY MERVUE LABORATORIES  
VOUCHERS REDEEMABLE ONLINE (Entry fee - €10)  
CROSSBRED CLASSES (TROPHY FOR BEST PAIR)  
Sheep entered in Crossbred Class may not be entered in any other class.**
- CLASS 147 PAIR SUFFOLK/ CHEVIOT CROSSBRED SHEARLING - EWES**
- CLASS 148 PAIR SUFFOLK/ CHEVIOT CROSSBRED- EWE 2 YEARS AND UPWARDS  
PRIZES 1ST €25 PLUS VOUCHER 2ND €20 PLUS VOUCHER 3RD €15 PLUS VOUCHER-SPONSORED BY MERVUE LABORATORIES  
VOUCHERS REDEEMABLE ONLINE (ENTRY FEE - €10)**
- CLASS 149 PAIR SUFFOLK/CHEVIOT CROSS - EWE LAMBS**

## **JACOB SHEEP**

**STONECRAFT CUP PRESENTED TO CHAMPION JACOB  
EXHIBIT NUMBERS MUST BE DISPLAYED WITH ANIMALS**

**PRIZES: 1st €50, 2nd €40, 3rd €30. Entry Fee: €7**

- CLASS 150 JACOB – RAM 1 YEAR AND UPWARDS**
- CLASS 151 JACOB – EWE 2 YEAR AND UPWARDS**
- CLASS 152 JACOB – SHEARLING EWE**
- CLASS 153 JACOB – EWE LAMB**
- CLASS 154 JACOB – RAM LAMB**
- CLASS 155 GROUP OF THREE ANIMALS – ONE RAM AND TWO FEMALES**

## **CHAROLLAIS SHEEP**

**Rosette to Champion and Reserve Champion**

**EXHIBIT NUMBERS MUST BE DISPLAYED WITH ANIMALS**

**Sheep entered in these Classes may not be entered in any other class**

**PRIZES: 1ST €50 VOUCHER SPONSORED BY: GARDINER GRAIN COOLGREANEY,  
2nd €40, 3rd €30. Entry Fee: €7.**

- CLASS 156 CHAROLLAIS HOGGETT/AGED RAM**
- CLASS 157 CHAROLLAIS RAM LAMB**
- CLASS 158 CHAROLLAIS EWE LAMB**

## **LLEYN SHEEP**

**EXHIBIT NUMBERS MUST BE DISPLAYED WITH ANIMALS**

**Sheep entered in these Class's may not be entered in any other class.**

**PRIZES: 1st €50, 2nd €40, 3rd €30. Entry Fee: €7**

**Rosette to Champion and Reserve Champion**

- CLASS 159 RAM CLASS YEARLING AND UPWARDS**
- CLASS 160 EWE YEARLING AND UPWARDS**
- CLASS 161 EWE LAMB**
- CLASS 162 RAM LAMB**

## **TEXEL SHEEP**

**EXHIBIT NUMBERS MUST BE DISPLAYED WITH ANIMALS**  
Sheep entered in these Class's may not be entered in any other class.

**PRIZES:** 1st €50, 2nd €40, 3rd €30. Entry Fee: €7  
**Rosette to Champion and Reserve Champion**

- CLASS 163**            **TEXEL – EWE TWO SHEAR AND UPWARDS**  
**SPONSORED BY STEEL & SPARES, HACKETSTOWN**
- CLASS 164**            **TEXEL – RAM TWO SHEAR AND UPWARDS**  
**SPONSORED BY: MULLINAHONE CO-OP**
- CLASS 165**            **TEXEL – SHEARLING EWE**
- CLASS 166**            **TEXEL – SHEARLING RAM**
- CLASS 167**            **TEXEL – EWE LAMB**
- CLASS 168**            **TEXEL – RAM LAMB**

## **ZWARTBLES SHEEP**

**Rosette to Champion and Reserve Champion**

**EXHIBIT NUMBERS MUST BE DISPLAYED WITH ANIMALS**  
**NO LATE ENTRIES OR ENTRIES TAKEN ON THE DAY**  
Sheep entered in these Class's may not be entered in any other class.

**PRIZES:** 1st €50, 2nd €40, 3rd €30. Entry Fee €7

- CLASS 169**            **ZWARTBLES – RAM SHEARLING AND UPWARDS**
- CLASS 170**            **ZWARTBLES – EWE SHEARLING AND UPWARDS**
- CLASS 171**            **ZWARTBLES – RAM LAMB**
- CLASS 172**            **ZWARTBLES – EWE LAMB**

## **SUFFOLK SHEEP**

**EXHIBIT NUMBERS MUST BE DISPLAYED WITH ANIMALS**

**Rosette to Champion and Reserve Champion**

**PRIZES:** 1st €50, 2nd €40, 3rd €30. Entry Fee: €7

- CLASS 173**            **RAM LAMB**
- CLASS 174**            **EWE LAMB**
- CLASS 175**            **YOUNG HANDLERS CLASS – OPEN TO PRIMARY SCHOOL**  
**CHILDREN SPONSORED BY: AIB.**  
**PRIZES AND ROSETTES TO ALL. Entry Fee: €3**

## **CROSSBRED CLASSES**

**SHEEP ENTERED IN CROSSBRED CLASS MAY NOT BE ENTERED IN ANY OTHER CLASS.  
THE EASTERN PEDIGREE SHEEP BREEDERS ASSOCIATION PERPETUAL TROPHY  
WILL BE PRESENTED TO THE CHAMPION EWE LAMB**

**PRIZES: 1st €50, 2nd €40, 3rd €30. Entry Fee: €7  
EXHIBIT NUMBERS MUST BE DISPLAYED WITH ANIMALS  
NO LATE ENTRIES OR ENTRIES TAKEN ON THE DAY  
Rosette to Champion and Reserve Champion**

- CLASS 176 FARMERS RAM – PROPERTY OF NON-REGISTERED BREEDER. EXHIB CANNOT BE SHOWN IN ANY OTHER CLASS SPONSORED BY PJ HASKINS,VETERINARY SUPPLIES**
- CLASS 177 PAIR CONTINENTAL CROSS – SHEARLING EWES SPONSORED BY LIAM LANNEN & SONS WOOL MERCHANTS**
- CLASS 178 PAIR CONTINENTAL CROSS – EWES 2 YEARS AND UPWARDS PRIZES 1ST €25 PLUS VOUCHER 2ND €20 AND VOUCHER 3RD €15 AND VOUCHER SPONSORED BY MERVUE LABORATORIES VOUCHERS REDEEMABLE ONLINE**
- CLASS 179 CONTINENTAL CROSSBRED – EWE LAMB SPONSORED BY GARDINER GRAIN, COOLGREANEY PRIZES: 1st €50, 2nd €40, 3rd €30**
- CLASS 180 CHAROLLAIS CROSS – EWE LAMB**
- CLASS 181 TEXEL CROSS – EWE LAMB SPONSORED BY PJ HASKINS,VETERINARY SUPPLIES**
- CLASS 182 SUFFOLK CROSS – EWE LAMB SPONSORED BY QUINN PROPERTY AND CARNEW MART**
- CLASS 183 PAIR OF SUFFOLK CROSS – SHEARLING EWES SPONSORED BY TULLOW MART**

## **COMMERCIAL CLASSES**

**SHEEP ENTERED IN COMMERCIAL CLASSES MAY  
NOT ENTER IN CROSS BRED CLASSES  
ALL MALES TO BE CASTRATED  
LAMBS MAY BE WEIGHED**

**TANKSERLEY Farm Trophy To Winner Crossbred Butchers Lamb.  
TINAHELY ENG.TROPHY to Winner Crossbred Store Lamb.  
ASHFORD/ WAYWARD CUP to Winner Factory Lamb.  
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Rosette to Champion and Reserve Champion  
NO LATE ENTRIES OR ENTRIES TAKEN ON THE DAY  
PRIZES: 1st €50, 2nd €40, 3rd €30, 4th €20. Entry Fee: €7**

**CLASS 184                    CROSSBRED – BUTCHER’S LAMB  
   SPONSORED BY MURPHYS VICTUALLER, TINAHELY**

**CLASS 185                    CROSSBRED STORE LAMB  
   SPONSORED BY GARDINER GRAIN, COOLGREANEY  
PRIZES: 1st €50, 2nd €40, 3rd €30, 4th €20**

**CLASS 186                    FACTORY LAMB  
   IDEALLY WEIGHING 36-38.5KGS. LIVEWEIGHT TO BE OF  
   GOOD CONFIRMATION WITH A LIGHT COVERING OF FAT  
   SPONSORED BY IRISH COUNTRY MEATS, CAMOLIN**