



Southern Adirondack Fiber Festival - Wool Show & Sale 2011

Welcome sheep breeders & fleece growers from near and far to the very first wool show & sale at the 3rd Annual Fiber Festival in Greenwich, New York. Washington County has a vibrant agricultural history since the early 1700's & remains the most beautiful & bountiful agricultural area in the state. We love the farmlands & lifestyle of this area & thank the Washington County Fair for providing this outlet for wool lovers!

We look forward to a strong competition & hope to learn a lot from both our fleece producers and buyers this to ensure the best show for both in the future.

Our purpose is to provide fleece producers a means to assess & improve the quality of their fleeces for hand-spinning by providing creditable & knowledgeable judges . Our goal is provide hand-spinners with a wide variety of quality fleeces for many fiber art purposes. This is an open show - Please find the entry form, rules & instructions on following page.



Entry Rules & Instructions

CLASSES:

Judge: Nancy Morey

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| 1. White fine | 4. Natural color fine | 7. Covered (coated) white |
| 2. White medium | 5. Natural color medium | 8. Covered (coated) natural color |
| 3. White long | 6. Natural color long | 9. Dual Coat |
| | | 10. Rare Breed |

Champion White \$25.00 Champion Natural Color \$25.00
 Grand Champion of Show \$50.00

All fleeces will be judged on their own merits and ribbons awarded to each fleece using the Danish system – blue, red & white ribbons will be awarded.

Entry fee: \$3.00/fleece Entries must be postmarked Sept. 7th. Late entries \$6.00/fleece. **Limits:** 3 entries/class – total of 10 fleeces per farm.

Conditions: All fleeces must be shorn within 12 months of show date. Exhibitor must own sheep at time of shearing. Fleeces may be entered for show only or for show and sale. Show only fleeces must stay on display until 1 P.M. Sunday.

Each fleece must be well-skirted – removing tags, neck, belly & high vegetation areas. Package each fleece in a clear plastic bag. Fleeces to be sold will be weighed upon receipt. Two copies of the entry form will be attached to the fleece upon arrival. You may place additional information with your fleece after judging if desired.

The judge may reclassify fleece if incorrectly entered.

The judge may reject any improperly skirted or very dirty fleece without refund of entry fee.

Fleeces must be received at the Show/Sale Bldg. #31 on Friday Sept. 23rd from 4-7 P.M. & Saturday Sept. 24th 7-9 A.M. Judging will take place at 10 A.M. The sale will be held from 1-4 P.M. Saturday & 10 A.M. - noon Sunday. A 10% commission will be assessed on sold fleeces.

Payment for fleeces will be cash or check at time of sale.

Checks will be made out directly from buyer to seller.

Fleeces will be released from 1-4 P. M. Sunday Sept. 25th. (We will not be responsible for fleeces not picked up after 4 P.M.) Payment for sold fleeces will be available at this time. The seller will be responsible for the 10% commission at this time. Payment will be in cash or check to the Washington County Fair.

Entry fee checks payable to: Washington County Fair

Please contact Norma Johnson @518-638-8132 or njohnson53@care2.com

Mail entries to: Norma Johnson
2146 County Route 46
Fort Edward, NY 12828

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September 24 & 25

WOOL SHOW & SALE ENTRY FORM Please fill out one form per fleece.

FLEECE # (To be assigned by show committee)

CLASS # CLASS NAME: _____

SHEEP BREED: _____

SHOW & SALE **OR** SHOW ONLY (Not for Sale)

Exhibitor Name: _____

Ribbon Awarded:

Farm Name: _____

 Blue

Address: _____

 Red

Phone #: _____

 White

Email: _____ Web Site _____

SALE INFORMATION

Weight (lb.) to be weighed at arrival

Price /lb.

Total Price

Sold

Not Sold

Buyer Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____

Cash Amount

Check Amount

Check #

10% commission (from seller to the Washington County Fair)