

SHEEP MARKET LAMB DIVISION

Director: Jim Copeland
Superintendent: Braydon Copeland
Committee: Shelly Mowry, Savanna Chandler, Morgan McCullough
Judge: Shawn Sparks

Arrival Time:	Sunday, March 1, 2026	8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Weigh In Time:	Sunday, March 1, 2026	1:30 p.m. til 4:30 p.m.
Classification Time:	Sunday, March 1, 2026	4:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Showmanship:	Sunday, March 1, 2026	7:00 p.m.
Show Time:	Monday, March 2, 2026	9:00 a.m.
Release Date & Time:	Monday, March 2, 2026	After premium event selections

Validation Tag Fee: \$30 per head

Entry Cost: \$40 per head
Late Fee Cost: \$80 per head

Division Rules:

All entries are subject to the General Rules and these additional rules. **NO straw bedding allowed anywhere on grounds!** No shaving pellets in sheep or goat pens. **No adhesives, no false hair, no paint on any livestock entry.**

OWNERSHIP: Lambs must be validated (ear-tagged) with an official State Validation Tag on October 23 or October 30, 2025, from 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. No wether will be permitted to show that has not participated in state validation.

- Wethers will be classified according to major show guidelines. Breed classes are as follows. A minimum of six head are required to make a breed. If we have 60 or more lambs per breed we will have 3 divisions of lambs within that breed. **If any breeds do not make, including AOB, because there are not 6 sheep in that breed, those classified sheep will be eligible to show with an appropriate breed at the discretion of the superintendent & director.*

Southdown	Fine Wool Cross	Dorper
Fine Wool	Medium Wool	*AOB

- Wethers will be divided into weight classes at the discretion of the superintendents & director.
- Wethers only may be shown as market lambs.
- There will be no maximum weight.
- Wethers must be slick shorn from the hock up at time of weigh in. Slick shorn is defined as having no hair longer than 3/8 inch above the hocks and knees excluding the tail.

Sale order selection: Grand and Reserve automatically, then division champions and reserve division champions will be placed by judge into the sale, followed up by wethers placing within their class. Sale order is selected at judges discretion until all slots are filled.

Ribbons for 1st – 5th place

Division Champion Market Lamb
Reserve Division Champion Market Lamb
Grand Champion Market Lamb - Buckle
Reserve Champion Market Lamb - Buckle