



## **SHEEP SECTION SCHEDULE**

**Wednesday 30th July 2025**

Reaseheath Old Hall, Wettenhall Road, Nantwich, CW5 6EL

**SHOW HOLDING NUMBER 06/280/8105**

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### **GRAND PARADE 2pm**

Breed Champions will be invited into the Main Ring

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### **Sheep Chair: Stacey Rutter**

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### **Sheep Secretary: Lavinia Ellis**

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### **ENTRY FEES:**

£10 each class

(Up to 3 entries are invited per class)

**Entries Close Wednesday 16th July 2025**

**Prize money to be paid via BACS**

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**Enter online: [www.nantwichshow.org/sheep/](http://www.nantwichshow.org/sheep/)**

## **LIVESTOCK EXHIBITORS OBLIGATIONS**

The health and wellbeing of all animals and people present during the Nantwich Show is of paramount importance to the organisers. As such we would like to remind all livestock exhibitors of their responsibilities with respect to the health of their animals.

Only fit and healthy animals should be transported to the show. Any clinical signs of disease, however mild, detected on farm must result in the identified animals remaining at home and under no circumstances be brought to the showground. If an animal displays any signs or symptoms of illness once at the showground, the organisers must be alerted immediately. All animals brought to the showground must be accompanied by the relevant paperwork.

Thank you for your support in helping to keep all livestock and visitors healthy and happy.

## **SHEEP SECTION RULES**

The Special Competitive Sheep Rules shown below are applicable and binding on all exhibitors of the section. Also, the General Rules of the Society which are available on request and printed in the Show catalogue are binding on all concerned.

- 1.** The showground is licensed by DEFRA and any regulations relating to sheep will apply
- 2.** Entries are welcome from Maedi Visna Accredited Registered Flocks and Non accredited flocks. You must have a current SAC document available prior to unloading if you are entering an accredited sheep, or emailed in advance.
- 3.** All pedigree sheep to be registered with the appropriate Society and will be shown under Society Rules
- 4.** All Sheep should carry their UK tag and be accompanied by the relevant movement licence, to be shown before unloading takes place.
- 5.** Entry Fees: £10.00 inc. VAT per class
- 6.** Prize money: Prize money will be awarded for first, second and third places. Prizes awarded for classes with a minimum of 4 entries will be £20, £15 & £10. For classes of 3 entries or below prizes will be £15, £10 & £5
- 7.** Admission Tickets: One entry ticket will be allocated for single entries, 2 entry tickets will be allocated for 2 and so on, for a maximum of 3 tickets. These will include allocated parking permits
- 8.** Pens will be allocated according to entry, but if oversubscribed, the Show management reserves the right to restrict entries to a number relative to accommodation. Additional Pens may be purchased at £5 per pen if available.
- 9.** Classes will be as listed if sufficient entries, but the Nantwich Agricultural Society reserve the right to cancel or amalgamate as they so decide.
- 10.** Only entries which have been submitted via showing scene will be accepted. There will be no additional entries accepted on the day and no amendments will be made on the day

11. Showing will be organised in a recognised manner, each entry displaying the lot number as provided and all exhibitors in the Show Ring must wear white coats. It is the responsibility of the Exhibitors to be present in the Judging Rings for commencement of judging of appropriate class, otherwise they will be eliminated.
12. Breed Championships: All Class winners **except** Group winners will go forward to their respective breed Championship.
13. Inter Breed Championship – all Breed and Reserve Breed Champions will go forward to the Inter Breed Championships
14. Breed champions will be invited into the main ring for the Grand Parade
15. Vehicles/Parking: One vehicle with trailer pass will be provided for each exhibitor which will gain access to the showground and entrance to the Designated Animal Area (DAA) from 6.00am with no movement of vehicles after 7.45 am. **ALL VEHICLES moved to Sheep Section Vehicle Park where the vehicle will remain until loading at 3.00 pm (after Grand Parade).** No other vehicles will be allowed in the designated parking area, any helpers or additional vehicles must park in the normal parking areas.
16. Fodder etc: It should be clearly noted that hay and straw **WILL NOT** be provided.
17. **Penning for all sheep will be outside – Exhibitors to bring cover as required at their own risk.**
18. Safety: It is the intention of the Nantwich Agricultural Society to take all precautions possible for safety of all animals and persons on the showground and to implement the recommendations of the Health and Safety Authorities. Health & Safety Policy is available on request
19. Any further rules necessary will be made by the Nantwich Agricultural Society at any time up to and including Show Day and such will be binding on all concerned.
20. All Sheep must have been in the ownership of the exhibitor by 1<sup>st</sup> June 2025
21. Nantwich Agricultural Society complies with all aspects of the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR)

## Entries

Entries are invited for 2025 born lambs (ewes and tups will be judged separately), shearling ewe, shearling tup, aged ewe (2+ years) or aged tup (2+ years) as per sheep schedule. Up to 3 entries are invited per class

## Awards

Society awards will be given for Champion and Reserve Champion where provided by the Society. Trophies awarded to Class Champion. Rosettes to 4<sup>th</sup> place and for all Young Handlers

## Prize money

Prize money will be awarded to all classes with 4 or more entries. Supreme Champion - £75.00, Reserve Champion £50.00. All classes - 1<sup>st</sup> prize - £20.00, 2<sup>nd</sup> prize - £15.00, 3<sup>rd</sup> prize – £10.00 (4 entries or more) or £15, £10 & £5 (3 entries or less)

# **Sheep Section Classes**

## **RYELAND**

**(M.V and Non M.V Accredited)**

This section is kindly sponsored by **COUNCILLOR ARTHUR MORAN**

Judge – David Mitchell

Judging will commence at 8.45am in Ring 6

**CLASS 1 – AGED TUP (2+YEARS)**

**CLASS 2 – AGED EWE (2+YEARS)**

**CLASS 3 – SHEARLING TUP**

**CLASS 4 – SHEARLING EWE**

**CLASS 5 – 2025 BORN TUP LAMB**

**CLASS 6 –2025 BORN EWE LAMB**

**CLASS 7 - GROUP OF 3 (2 FEMALES & 1 MALE)**

## **SHROPSHIRES**

**(M.V and Non M.V Accredited)**

This section is kindly sponsored by **WILLOW FARM VETS**

Judge: Robert Vincent

Judging will commence at 8.45am in Ring 2 & Ring 5

**CLASS 8 – AGED TUP (2+YEARS)**

**CLASS 9 – AGED EWE (2+YEARS)**

**CLASS 10 – SHEARLING TUP**

**CLASS 11 – SHEARLING EWE**

**CLASS 12 – 2025 BORN TUP LAMB**

**CLASS 13 –2025 BORN EWE LAMB**

**CLASS 14 - GROUP OF 3 (2 FEMALES & 1 MALE)**

## **SUFFOLK**

**(M.V and Non M.V Accredited)**

This section is kindly sponsored by **CHELFORD FARM SUPPLIES**

Judge: Merrick Pinny

Judging will commence at 8.45am in Ring 3 & Ring 4

**CLASS 15 – AGED TUP (2+YEARS)**

**CLASS 16 – AGED EWE (2+YEARS)**

**CLASS 17 – SHEARLING TUP**

**CLASS 18 – SHEARLING EWE**

**CLASS 19 – 2025 BORN TUP LAMB**

**CLASS 20 –2025 BORN EWE LAMB**

**CLASS 21 - GROUP OF 3 (2 FEMALES & 1 MALE)**

## **BUTCHERS CHOICE - PEN OF 3**

This section is kindly sponsored by **THE FARMART MAGAZINE**

Judge: Alan Davenport

Judging will commence at 9.30am in the pens

### **CLASS 22 - ANY 2025 BORN LAMBS (pen of 3)**

## **COLOURED RYELANDS**

**(M.V. and Non M.V Accredited)**

This section is kindly sponsored by **KMT CONSULTANCY**

Judge: Chris Smyth

Judging will commence at 9.45am in Ring 5

**CLASS 23 – AGED TUP (2+YEARS)**

**CLASS 24 – AGED EWE (2+YEARS)**

**CLASS 25 – SHEARLING TUP**

**CLASS 26 – SHEARLING EWE**

**CLASS 27 – 2025 BORN TUP LAMB**

**CLASS 28 – 2025 BORN EWE LAMB**

**CLASS 29 - GROUP OF 3 (2 FEMALES & 1 MALE)**

## **BRITISH NATIVES**

**(M.V and Non M.V Accredited)**

This section is kindly sponsored by **BUTCHER & BARLOW LLP**

Judge: Denis Jenkins

Judging will commence at 10.45am in Ring 6

**CLASS 30 – AGED TUP (2+YEARS)**

**CLASS 31 – AGED EWE (2+YEARS)**

**CLASS 32 – SHEARLING TUP**

**CLASS 33 – SHEARLING EWE**

**CLASS 34 – 2025 BORN TUP LAMB**

**CLASS 35 – 2025 BORN EWE LAMB**

**CLASS 36 - GROUP OF 3 (2 FEMALES & 1 MALE)**

## **DUTCH SPOTTED TEXEL**

**(M.V and Non M.V Accredited)**

This section is kindly sponsored by **BEESTON ANIMAL HEALTH**

Judge: Jack Simpson

Judging will commence at 9.45am in Ring 2

**CLASS 37 – AGED TUP (2+YEARS)**

**CLASS 38 – AGED EWE (2+YEARS)**

**CLASS 39 – SHEARLING TUP**

**CLASS 40 – SHEARLING EWE**

**CLASS 41 – 2025 BORN TUP LAMB**

**CLASS 42 – 2025 BORN EWE LAMB**

**CLASS 43 - GROUP OF 3 (2 FEMALES & 1 MALE)**

**VALAIS BLACKNOSE**  
**(M.V and Non M.V Accredited)**

This section is kindly sponsored by **SAVILLS**

Judge: Steve Dace

Judging will commence at 9.45am in Ring 3 & Ring 4

- CLASS 44 – AGED TUP (2+YEARS)**
- CLASS 45 – AGED EWE (2+YEARS)**
- CLASS 46 – SHEARLING TUP**
- CLASS 47 – SHEARLING EWE**
- CLASS 48 – 2025 BORN TUP LAMB**
- CLASS 49 –2025 BORN EWE LAMB**
- CLASS 50 - GROUP OF 3 (2 FEMALES & 1 MALE)**

**DOWNLAND BREEDS**  
**(M.V and Non M.V Accredited)**

This section is kindly sponsored by **SUGARICH**

Judge: David Booth

Judging will commence: 10.45am in Ring 3 & Ring 4

- CLASS 51 – AGED TUP (2+YEARS)**
- CLASS 52 – AGED EWE (2+YEARS)**
- CLASS 53 – SHEARLING TUP**
- CLASS 54 – SHEARLING EWE**
- CLASS 55 – 2025 BORN TUP LAMB**
- CLASS 56 –2025 BORN EWE LAMB**
- CLASS 57 - GROUP OF 3 (2 FEMALES & 1 MALE)**

**TEXEL**  
**(M.V and Non M.V Accredited)**

This section is kindly sponsored by **BEESTON ANIMAL HEALTH**

Judge: Rob Davenport

Judging will commence at 10.45am in Ring 2 & Ring 5

- CLASS 58 – AGED TUP (2+YEARS)**
- CLASS 59 – AGED EWE (2+YEARS)**
- CLASS 60 – SHEARLING TUP**
- CLASS 61 – SHEARLING EWE**
- CLASS 62 – 2025 BORN TUP LAMB**
- CLASS 63 –2025 BORN EWE LAMB**
- CLASS 64 - GROUP OF 3 (2 FEMALES & 1 MALE)**

**CONTINENTAL BREEDS**  
**(M.V and Non M.V Accredited)**

This section is kindly sponsored by **H J LEA OAKES**

Judge: Rob Davenport

Judging will commence at 9.45am in Ring 1 & Ring 6

**CLASS 65 – AGED TUP (2+YEARS)**  
**CLASS 66 – AGED EWE (2+YEARS)**  
**CLASS 67 – SHEARLING TUP**  
**CLASS 68 – SHEARLING EWE**  
**CLASS 69 – 2025 BORN TUP LAMB**  
**CLASS 70 – 2025 BORN EWE LAMB**  
**CLASS 71 – GROUP OF 3 (2 FEMALES & 1 MALE)**

**YOUNG HANDLERS**  
**(M.V and Non M.V Accredited)**

This section is kindly sponsored by **REASEHEATH COLLEGE**

Judge: Rob Davenport

Judging will commence at 11.45am in Ring 3 & Ring 4

**CLASS 72 – YOUNG HANDLER – ANY BREED**

**INTERBREED CHAMPIONSHIP**

This section is kindly sponsored by **H J LEA OAKES**

Judge: Panel

Judging will commence at 12.15pm in Ring 3 & Ring 4

**Class 73 – INTERBREED CHAMPIONS**

**GROUP OF 3 CHAMPIONSHIP**

This section is kindly sponsored by **H J LEA OAKES**

Judge: Panel

Judging will commence at 12.15pm in Ring 3 & Ring 4

**Class 74 – GROUP OF 3 CHAMPIONS**

**Winners & Reserves from each class will be entered  
into the Championships**

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