# **SECTION B - SHEEP**

A BRUCELLOSIS-FREE SHOW

## **MAJOR SPONSORS: ELDERS RURAL**

**HEAD STEWARD:** James Barron 6454 3015

ENTRY FEE: Subsection 1: \$2 per entry • Subsection 2: \$1 per entry • Subsection 3: \$nil

• Subsection 4: \$2 per entry SPECIAL BY-LAWS FOR SHEEP ENTRIES

#### 1. All subsections will be judged on Saturday, March 9, 2019.

- 2. Judging of subsection B2 will commence 9.00am. Sheep in subsections B1 and B4 must be ready for judging at 9.30am.
- 3. Brucellosis Accreditation Certificate to be produced on arrival.
- 4. All Stud Merino Sheep entered in Classes 1 to 26 must be shorn in accordance with the rules of the NSW Sheep Breeders' Association and carry the association's ear labels for the current year.
- 5. Sheep may be entered in one class only except where otherwise stated.
- 6. Every exhibitor must complete a Footrot Status form and Johnes Disease form. A sheep steward must initial this form before sheep can be unloaded at the show.
- 7. The awarding of ribbons will be at the discretion of the judges.
- 8. Classes in the Commercial Merino Sheep section can be combined by the head steward if insufficient entries are received.
- 9. All sheep to be bred by exhibitor and show appropriate tags.
- 10. All sheep entering the show MUST have NLIS tags in ears. An Animal Health Statement must be completed for each entry.

# SUB-SECTION B1: MERINO SHEEP OPEN

All sheep entered in these classes must be bred by the exhibitor

## MEDIUM/STRONG, March shorn

- 1. RAM showing not more than two permanent teeth.
- 2. RAM showing more than two permanent teeth.
- 3. RAM, any age, August shorn.

## CHAMPION and RESERVE CHAMPION MEDIUM/STRONG WOOL RAM

- 4. EWE showing not more than two permanent teeth.
- 5. EWE showing more than two permanent teeth.
- 6. EWE, any age, August shorn.

#### CHAMPION and RESERVE CHAMPION MEDIUM/STRONG WOOL EWE

# FINE/MEDIUM COMBING, March shorn

- 7. RAM showing not more than two permanent teeth.
- 8. RAM showing more than two permanent teeth.
- 9. RAM, any age, August shorn.

#### CHAMPION and RESERVE CHAMPION FINE/MEDIUM WOOL RAM

- 10. EWE showing not more than two permanent teeth.
- 11. EWE showing more than two permanent teeth.
- 12. EWE, any age, August shorn.

#### CHAMPION and RESERVE CHAMPION FINE/MEDIUM WOOL EWE

# FINE COMBING, March shorn

- 13. RAM showing not more than two permanent teeth.
- 14. RAM showing more than two permanent teeth.
- 15. RAM, any age, August shorn.

#### CHAMPION and RESERVE CHAMPION FINE WOOL RAM

- 16. EWE showing not more than two permanent teeth.
- 17. EWE showing more than two permanent teeth.
- 18. EWE, any age, August shorn.

#### CHAMPION and RESERVE CHAMPION FINE WOOL EWE

#### **SUPER FINE COMBING March shorn**

- 19. RAM showing not more than two permanent teeth.
- 20. RAM showing more than two permanent teeth.
- 21. RAM, any age, August shorn.
- 22. EWE showing not more than two permanent teeth.

#### CHAMPION and RESERVE CHAMPION SUPER FINE WOOL EWE

- 23. EWE showing more than two permanent teeth.
- 24. EWE, any age, August shorn.

#### **CHAMPION AWARDS:**

JUNIOR CHAMPION RAM
JUNIOR CHAMPION EWE
GRAND CHAMPION and RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION MERINO RAM
GRAND CHAMPION and RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION MERINO EWE

## **SUPREME MERINO EXHIBIT**

- **25. THE MERINO PAIR.** Best exhibit of two merino sheep, to consist of one ram and one ewe, any age, bred by the exhibitor and from the one stud, to be selected from exhibits in general classes. To be judged with due regard to type and uniformity necessary in breeding. First, second and third places to be awarded.
- **26. THE MERINO GROUP.** Best exhibit of three Merino sheep, to consist of two rams and one ewe, any age, bred by the exhibitor and from the one stud, to be selected from exhibits in general classes. To be judged with due regard to type and uniformity necessary in breeding. First, second and third places to be awarded

# SUB-SECTION B2: FLOCK MERINO SHEEP

- (i) Each exhibitor limited to two pens per class.
- (ii) Shearing date to be specified on entry form.
- (iii) Sheep to be judged at 9.00am on Saturday, March 9, 2019.
  - (iv) Entries close on Friday, March 8, 2019.

#### **MERINO LAMBS**

27. THREE Merino ewe lambs, unshorn. To be judged on type, size and evenness. **CHAMPION PEN OF MERINO EWE LAMBS** 

#### **MERINO EWES**

Shearing date to be specified on entry form. Stud breeders are not eligible to enter. Sheep must be naturally grazed and bred by exhibitor. Head steward can combine classes if insufficient entries.

- 28. THREE fine wool Merino ewes, showing not more than four permanent teeth.
- 29. THREE medium wool Merino ewes, showing not more than four permanent teeth.
- 30. THREE strong wool Merino ewes, showing not more than four permanent teeth

# **SUB-SECTION B3: JUNIOR SHEEP JUDGING**

Local judging only – not for zone finals
COMPETITORS MUST BE UNDER 25 YEARS OF AGE

# **SUB-SECTION B4: BRITISH BREEDS**

All sheep entered in these classes to be bred by the exhibitor.

#### **POLL DORSET**

- 31. POLL DORSET ram lamb
- 32. POLL DORSET ram lamb, shorn
- 33. POLL DORSET ram, 1 year and over
- 34. POLL DORSET ewe lamb
- 35. POLL DORSET ewe lamb, shorn
- 36. POLL DORSET ewe, 1 year and over
- 37. POLL DORSET group, one ram and two ewes, any age.

#### CHAMPION and RESERVE CHAMPION POLL DORSET RAM

## CHAMPION and RESERVE CHAMPION POLL DORSET EWE

#### MOST SUCCESSFUL POLL DORSET EXHIBITOR

#### **BORDER LEICESTER**

- 38. BORDER LEICESTER ram lamb.
- 39. BORDER LEICESTER ram lamb, shorn.
- 40. BORDER LEICESTER ram, any age.
- 41. BORDER LEICESTER ewe lamb.
- 42. BORDER LEICESTER ewe lamb, shorn.
- 43. BORDER LEICESTER ewe, any age

# CHAMPION and RESERVE CHAMPION BORDER LEICESTER RAM CHAMPION and RESERVE CHAMPION BORDER LEICESTER EWE MOST SUCCESSFUL BORDER LEICESTER EXHIBITOR

#### WHITE SUFFOLK

- 44. WHITE SUFFOLK ram lamb.
- 45. WHITE SUFFOLK ram lamb, shorn.
- 46. WHITE SUFFOLK ram, any age.
- 47. WHITE SUFFOLK ewe lamb.
- 48. WHITE SUFFOLK ewe lamb, shorn.
- 49. WHITE SUFFOLK ewe, any age.

CHAMPION and RESERVE CHAMPION WHITE SUFFOLK RAM
CHAMPION and RESERVE CHAMPION WHITE SUFFOLK EWE
MOST SUCCESSFUL WHITE SUFFOLK EXHIBITOR
SUPREME BRITISH BREEDS EXHIBIT