

## YOUTH SHEEP SHOW

Superintendents: Chip & Sharon Parsons  
137 Mill Valley Rd.  
Hadley, MA 01035

ARRIVAL TIME: Sunday 9/5/10 between 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM  
SHOW TIME: Sunday 9/5/10 at 3:00 PM - Fitting & Showmanship  
Monday 9/6/10 at 11:00 AM - Breed Classes & Market Lambs  
RELEASE TIME: Monday 9/6/10 after 6:00 PM

**Youth** need to choose either youth or open show but **not both**

ENTRIES CLOSE ON AUGUST 15<sup>th</sup>. Use entry form in book or enter online  
ENTRY FEE: \$1.00 PER HEAD TO BE PAID WITH ENTRY

**Note:** Sheep will be housed and exhibited in new barn (former Adult Cattle Barn)

1. Exhibitors will wait to be assigned pens before unloading. **Bedding will not be provided**, exhibitors are responsible for feeding their own animals.
1. All sheep & lambs must be free of contagious and infectious diseases, animals found to have symptoms of disease may be sent home by the Superintendent.
3. All sheep must be registered in the name of the exhibitor prior to 8/1/10. Registration Papers will be checked and ear tags or tattoos must be on animals. Registration numbers must be on entry form and premiums paid to owner of record.
4. Exhibitors will be allowed to show no more than 2 sheep in their respective classes with the exception of yearling rams, where only one may be shown.
  1. Must be 12 years of age to stay overnight on the grounds and have the permission of the
  2. Any exhibitor contesting the final decision of the judge will forfeit their premiums. Premiums will be awarded on a sliding scale
  7. Any breed without 2 or more exhibitors will be shown in the other breed classes.

### THE FRED K. YALE SHEPHERDS AWARD

To be donated by the Sheep Superintendents

All exhibitors are automatically eligible for this Award. You will be judged on the appearance of your exhibit, attitude, cooperation, sportsmanship and personal appearance.

### SHEEP FITTING & SHOWMANSHIP DIVISION 357

Sunday, September 5, 2010 at 3:00 PM

All sheep exhibitors must participate in Fitting & Showmanship.

Exhibitors are limited to showing one sheep in this contest, and this animal must be shown later in a single class. Exhibitors must wear proper attire, whites or khaki - No jeans, no shorts or bare feet, sandal or clogs.

01. Senior - Any youth 14 - 20 as of January 1<sup>st</sup>
02. Junior - Under 14 years old as of January 1<sup>st</sup>
03. Novice - Never shown before

PREMIUMS:	1 <sup>ST</sup>	2 <sup>ND</sup>	3 <sup>RD</sup>	4 <sup>TH</sup>	5 <sup>TH</sup>	All other worthy
	18.00	16.00	14.00	12.00	10.00	5.00

CHAMPION SHOWMAN - the 1<sup>st</sup> Place Showman from lots 1-3 will compete for Champion Showman. Three rosettes will be awarded. The Pioneer Valley Sheep Breeders Association will provide a trophy for the Champion Showman. Obstacle course and weighing of market lambs will follow showmanship on Sunday, September 5, 2010.

Monday, September 6, 2010 at 11:00 AM

**DIVISION 358 - MARKET LAMBS:**

CLASS 01. Light 02. Medium 03. Heavy 04. Pair (all worthy not paid)

**DIVISIONS:**

CHEVIOT	CORRIEDALE	DORSET	HAMPSHIRE	SHROPSHIRE	SOUTHDOWN	SUFFOLK	OTHER
359	360	361	362	363	364	365	366

**CLASS**

01. Yearling Ram ( 1 year & under 2 years)
02. Senior Ram Lamb (Sept 1 – Dec 31)
03. Intermediate Ram Lamb (Jan 1 - Feb 15)
04. Junior Ram Lamb (Feb 16 - on)
05. Pair Ram Lambs
06. Yearling Ewe (1 year & under 2 years)
07. Pair Yearling Ewes
08. Senior Ewe Lamb (Sept 1 – Dec 31)
09. Intermediate Ewe Lamb (Jan 1 – Feb 15)
10. Junior Ewe Lamb (Feb 16 – on)
11. Pair Ewe Lambs
12. Produce of dam (2 animals)
13. Pen of 3 lambs, both sexes, bred & owned by exhibitor
14. Exhibitors flock (2 Yearlings Ewes, 2 Ewe Lambs, 1 Ram)
15. Obstacle Course – Sunday after weighing of market lambs

Exceptions: Dorset Senior (Sept 1 - Nov 30), Intermediate (Dec 1 – Jan 31), Junior (Feb 1 – on)

	Cheviot		Intermediate (Jan 1 – Feb 28),	Junior (Mar 1 – on)		
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	16.00	14.00	12.00	10.00	8.00	5.00

Rosettes will be awarded for Champion Ewe and Ram in each breed and best Ewe and Ram in show.

**YOUTH SHEEP CLUB EXHIBITS  
DIVISION 367**

CLASS 01.	1 <sup>ST</sup>	25.00	2 <sup>ND</sup>	20.00	3 <sup>RD</sup>	15.00
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Exhibits will be accepted for display in the Youth Sheep Barn. Exhibits must be entered by a club. The exhibit must identify the club and its members.