

The Jackson County Bred Contest is open to Jackson County sheep participants exhibiting an animal bred in our county.

It is brought to you by Ewe Neek Sheep 4-H Club in honor of Bob Moss.

Ewe Neek Sheep will coordinate with the Jackson County 4-H Superintendents to hold this contest in conjunction with the annual Jackson County Spring Fair.

The purpose of this class is to provide an opportunity to showcase local sheep breeders and it gives the participating 4-H and FFA showman an additional class to present their hard work and to some their yearlong breeding program products. This contest is open to all 4-H and FFA sheep exhibitors that meet the following criteria.

- ✓ Only the lambs bred, born, raised and purchased from a sheep flock in Jackson County, Oregon are eligible for this contest.
- ✓ The lambs may be either a weather, ewe or ram lamb and may be the same animal shown in the Market show or the exhibitor back up lamb can be shown as long as the above criteria is met.
- ✓ Paper registration must be completed and complete packets turned in at the May Leaders meeting 5/10/2023. NO LATE ENTRIES.
- ✓ The breeder will have to sign a Breeder Affidavit Certificate to verify the ranch of origin, the full description and age of the animal and that they have been in possession of the lamb since birth. This will be in addition to the bill of sale.
- ✓ The Breeder Affidavit Certificate is Mandatory and will be subject to review and verification by the sheep superintendents.

The following items are due at the time registration forms are submitted at the May leaders meeting. This is the first stage of verifying the origin of the animal, classes will be chosen at fair registration.

-Photocopy of the Bill of Sale

-Breeder Affidavit Certificate

The Breeder Affidavit forms are available from the Ewe Neek Sheep 4-H Club, your project leader and should be requested as soon as the exhibitor decides to enter the contest.

If there are any further questions. Please contact Erin Smith with Ewe Neek Sheep at 541-601-4841 or email at Erin2017smith@gmail.com

Breeder Affidavit Certificate

Jackson County Bred Lamb Contest

Completion of this form is an eligibility requirement to participate in the Jackson County Bred Lamb Contest at the Jackson County Spring Fair. To be eligible, the lamb must have been born and raised on a sheep operation-farm in Jackson County, Oregon.

Name of Breeder or Ranch of Origin:

Physical Address: _____

Mailing Address (If different): _____

Town: _____ Zip _____

Phone Number: _____ E-Mail _____

Lamb ID# _____ Lamb Date of Birth _____

Complete color description _____

Note: ID can be a scrapies ear tag or tattoo . Description should include color and notation of any distinguishing marks if present.

I hereby certify the lamb listed above was bred, born and raised on the premises of my sheep operation-farm located in Jackson County, Oregon, and that I have been in possession of the described animal since birth. I am willing to supply a DNA sample of the dam of this lamb if my ownership is questioned. The accuser must pay for the test unless it is determined that the DNA I supplied was not the dam of the lamb, then I will pay the testing fee and I may not be able to have one of my animals represented in this contest in the future.

Breeder Signature: _____ Date: _____

Breeder Printed Name: _____

This section to be completed by the buyer:

Buyer Name: _____ Age _____ Grade _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____ Phone _____

4-H Club/FFA Chapter _____

Lambs Name _____

To be completed by Ewe NeeK Sheep Club

Fair Tag#: _____

Field Day Weight: _____