Longreach Show Society Inc.

Merino Flock Ewes

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Biosecurity Requirements

Longreach Show Society has a duty of care to protect the interests of all participants; thus ensuring that the biosecurity risks associated with the showing of sheep are understood and managed.

- 1. Notification of entries by email, phone or letter must be completed by noon on Thursday, 13th of May.
- 2. All Sheep deliveries must be accompanied by:
- A completed NVD (National Vendor Declaration) and
- A National Sheep Health Statement (SHS). A completed SHS is required at entry or at the latest, upon delivery. Sheep Health Statement Forms will be provided at delivery and can be completed on arrival, or are available for download online.

2024 Show Dates 🔁

- Sheep must be on the showgrounds by 9.00am on Friday 24th May 2024. Sheep may be unloaded after 3.00pm on Thursday 23rd May, by arrangement with the steward to assist with arrivals.
- If there is anything the Show Society can do to make it easier to deliver and pick up sheep, please advise the steward.
- Judging will commence at 10.00am on Friday 24th May 2024.
- Free Lucerne hay and water will be available to sheep staying overnight on the 23rd & 24th May.

Thank you to all generous sponsors & supporters of the 2024 Longreach Show Merino Flock Ewe Section

The Grand Champion Merino Ewe Pen will be awarded *The John Macarthur*

Memorial Perpetual Trophy



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Section 8: Merino Flock Ewes

Section A: Flock Merino Lambs or Weaners.

CLASS 1: Pen of 5 Flock Merino Lambs or Weaners, unshorn, showing no permanent teeth, drop to be stipulated.

CLASS 2: Pen of 5 Flock Merino Lambs or Weaners, shorn, showing no permanent teeth, drop and shearing date to be stipulated.

Section B: Flock Merino Ewes Shorn on or after 24th of September (Short Wool)

CLASS 3: Pen of 5 Merino Ewes, showing no more than two permanent teeth.

CLASS 4: Pen of 5 Merino Ewes, showing no more than four permanent teeth.

CLASS 5: Pen of 5 Merino Ewes, showing more than four permanent teeth.

Section C: Flock Merino Ewes shorn on or before 23rd of September (Long Wool)

CLASS 6: Pen of 5 Merino Ewes, showing no more than two permanent teeth.

CLASS 7: Pen of 5 Merino Ewes, showing no more than four permanent teeth.

CLASS 8: Pen of 5 Merino Ewes, showing more than four permanent teeth.

Section E: Flock Merino Ewes non exhibitor breed.

CLASS 9: Pen of 5 Merino Ewes, Any age or shearing. (not eligible for Championships)

CHAMPIONSHIPS

CLASS 10: Champion Pen of Flock Merino Lambs or Weaners – Classes 1 & 2

CLASS 11: Champion Pen of Flock Merino Ewes (Short Wool) - Classes 3, 4 & 5

CLASS 12: Champion Pen of Flock Merino Ewes (Long Wool) - Classes 6, 7 & 8

CLASS 13: Champion Pen of Locally Bred Merino Ewes

CLASS 14: Champion Pen of Flock Merino Ewes sired by QLD Stud Rams

CLASS 15: Grand Champion Single Flock Ewe

CLASS 16: Grand Champion Pen of Flock Merino Ewes

REGULATIONS

- 1. Except where stated otherwise, all sheep entered in competitive classes must have been bred and depastured in the state of Queensland by the exhibitor. They must be entirely paddock run and display the exhibitor's registered ear mark & NLIS tag.
- 2. The judge and/or stewards may disqualify any sheep, which in their opinion, has been fed and/or trimmed, especially for exhibition, except wigging and/or crutching.
- 3. Basis of judging: Pens of ewes to be judged on a commercial basis as wool cutters and sound commercial breeding types; uniformity within the pen will be taken into account. Udders must be sound, i.e two normal teats and be capable of efficiently suckling a lamb.
- 4. Local pen exhibits must be produced in the Longreach area with the exhibitor's property falling in the Longreach or Ilfracombe postcodes.
- 5. Teeth: In the event of the sheep cutting teeth on Show Day, the judge or steward has the right to move these sheep to an older section for judging.
- 6. Entries: The steward has the right to accept or reject any entry in any competitive class without assigning any reason thereto.
- 7. The decision of the judge will be final.
- 8. Sales: No sheep, either ewes or rams, are to be sold during this show except those which have be donated to the Longreach Show Society and which may be sold by auction or private treaty for the sole benefit of the Society.
- 9. Entrance fees will be charged alike to member and non-members.
- 10. Aggregate Points: 1st place 3pts, 2nd place 2pts, 3rd place 1pt, Grand Champion 2pts, Reserve Grand Champion 1pt, Champion 2pts, Reserve Champion 1pt.
- 11. Proof of shearing date may be required.