

# SCHEDULE FOR SHEEP EVENTS

**Stud Sheep & Fleeces inc. Heritage Breeds – Saturday**  
**Black & Coloured Sheep & Fleeces – Sunday**

**Entries Close Monday 6th February 2017**

The Berwick & District A & H Society Inc Sheep Section wishes to acknowledge, and thank the following who have provided consistent support and sponsorship:

- Propharma Australia Pty Ltd, Dandenong
- Black and Coloured Sheep Association (S.E. Region)
- Neil & Margaret Lucas, Berwick
- Dorothy & Michael Vallence, Wheelers Hill
- Marg & John Kingman, "Yarn Time English Leicester Stud", Tynong Nth
- Doug & Jacqui Bottcher "Baroa Texel Stud", Euroa
- Louise & Rodney Reeve, Berwick
- Sue Holland, Berwick
- Sonia Beaumont, Berwick
- Bill Bickerton, Nar Nar Goon
- Gwen Keys, Berwick

**Sheep Sub Committee:**

Paul Hamilton (Chairperson & Sheep Superintendent), Dorothy Vallence, Mike Vallence, Neil Lucas, Sandy Kelly, Bill Bickerton, Louise Reeve, Gwen Keys, Sonia Beaumont, Charlie Clarke, Bridget Leahy, Kane Hildred, Andrew Cosby and students from Elisabeth Murdoch College

**Exhibitors Please Note:**

**Location:** Exhibitors are to enter the showgrounds via CATTLE GATE. Stud Sheep – Shortwools are to be unloaded at the north end of the building and Stud Sheep – Longwools are to be unloaded at the south end. Black & Coloured Sheep are to be unloaded at the North end of the shed.

**Championship Sashes:** Champion and Reserve Championship sashes will be awarded in each Stud Sheep class. Champion sashes will only be awarded in the Black & Coloured Sheep. Where there is only one animal in a class the decision to award a Championship sash will be at the discretion of the judge.

**Most Successful Exhibitor:** The L.C. Gamble Perpetual Challenge Trophy will be awarded to the Exhibitor who obtains the highest aggregate of points in the Stud Sheep Sections. The Louise & Rodney Reeve Perpetual Challenge Trophy will be awarded to the Exhibitor who obtains the highest aggregate of points in the Black & Coloured Sheep Sections.

**Penning:** Any Stud Sheep Exhibitor wanting to pen their sheep on the Friday night prior to the Show can do so by contacting Sheep Superintendent: **Paul Hamilton 0414 881 408** or email **semtech@net2000.com.au**

**Fleeces:** Exhibitors are encouraged to enter the fleece competition and advise Steward if the fleece is for sale.

**Johnes Disease:** The Berwick A & P Society will adopt a care strategy as follows: The Sheep shed will be cleaned prior to the show and clean straw provided. It will be the responsibility of exhibitors to ensure that the laneways are kept clear of urine soaked material and faeces, and the Society will undertake the responsibility to ensure that judging areas are kept clean and tidy.

**– SATURDAY –**  
**SECTIONS SL, SS, SF, AND SH**  
**STUD SHEEP**

Entries close Monday 6th February, 2017

Superintendent: Paul Hamilton 0414 881 408 or email **semtech@net2000.com.au**

**Stewards:** Dorothy Vallence, Mike Vallence, Neil Lucas, Sandy Kelly, Bill Bickerton, Louise Reeve, Gwen Keys, Sonia Beaumont, Charlie Clarke, Bridget Leahy, Kane Hildred, Andrew Cosby and students from Elisabeth Murdoch College

**CONDITIONS OF ENTRY:**

**ALL ENTRIES ARE SUBJECT TO THE BY-LAW REGULATIONS OF THE BERWICK AND DISTRICT A & H SOCIETY INC**

**COPIES OF BRUCELLOSIS CERTIFICATES AND HEALTH DECLARATION MUST ACCOMPANY ALL ENTRIES OTHERWISE THE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**

**ALL SHEEP MUST BE OWNED OR BRED BY THE EXHIBITOR.**

**1. SHEEP HEALTH DECLARATION** is a requirement. All Exhibitors are required to sign a declaration regarding Johnes Disease & Footrot (Sheep Health Declaration) form. This must be included with the Official Entry Form and must be signed by the Exhibitor; otherwise sheep cannot be accepted on the Showgrounds. All sheep may be inspected at the Sheep Committee's discretion to ensure they are not infected with footrot or any external parasite. If any are found to be infected, they will be removed from the Showgrounds immediately. All sheep that are exhibited must be in good acceptable condition.

**2. OVINE BRUCELLOSIS TEST: All Exhibitors must include a photocopy of their Ovine Brucellosis Accreditation Certificate with their Official Entry Form otherwise entry will not be accepted.**

**3.** A signed Declaration stating **JOHNE'S DISEASE** is not known or suspected, or known to exist on the property from which the animal was derived, during the period five (5) years immediately prior to movement is a requirement.

**4.** Entries are restricted to Sheep bred in a current registered flock and exhibited by members of their breed society. All sheep are to have a PIC tag in the ear and must comply with the specific regulations of their breed society.

**5.** All exhibitors when presenting sheep for judging must be attired smartly and appropriately and sheep to have halters. No advertising or promotional information to be displayed.

**6.** Feed and water containers must be provided by the exhibitor

**Most Successful Exhibitor in Stud Sheep – Any Breed - L.C.Gamble Perpetual Challenge Trophy**

**The winner is decided on points: 1st – 5pts, 2nd – 3pts, 3rd – 1pt. In the instance of a tie, 2pts for Champion, 1pt for Reserve Champion. No points will be allotted in any class unless there are two or more exhibitors.**

**Winner in 2016: Boonong Park Hampshire Downs**

**- SATURDAY -**  
**SHEEP SECTION - SL**  
**STUD SHEEP – LONGWOOLS**

Judging: Commences at 9.00am

Entry Fee: \$4 all classes Prizemoney: 1st \$5, 2nd \$3

	Ram Over 2 years	Ram Under 2 years	Ram Lamb	Ewe Over 2 years	Ewe Under 2 years	Ewe Lamb
<b>Corriedale</b>	4001	4002	4003	4004	4005	4006
<b>Romney</b>	4007	4008	4009	4010	4011	4012
<b>English Leicester</b>	4013	4014	4015	4016	4017	4018
<b>Cheviot</b>	4019	4020	4021	4022	4023	4024
<b>Border Leicester</b>	4025	4026	4027	4028	4029	4030
<b>Any Other Breed</b>	4031	4032	4033	4034	4035	4036

Class 4037	Best Group of Longwools, Ram and two ewes owned by Exhibitor
Class 4038	Pair of Ewes over 1 1/2 years, under 2 years owned by Exhibitor
	Best Longwool Lamb
	Champion Longwool Ram
	Champion Longwool Ewe
	Champion Longwool Exhibit

**Champion Longwool Ram – Sash & "Burnwood" Trophy & \$20 Cash**  
**Champion Longwool Ewe – Sash & "Goodrich" Trophy & \$20 Cash**  
**Best Longwool Lamb – Sash & "Yarn Time English Leicester Stud" Trophy**  
**Champion Longwool Exhibit – Sash & \$20 Cash Prize**  
**Best Pair of Longwool Ewes – Sash & \$20 Cash Prize**  
**Best Group of Longwools – Sash & \$20 Cash Prize**

**- SATURDAY-  
SHEEP SECTION - SS  
STUD SHEEP – SHORTWOOLS**

**Judging:** Commences at 9.00am

**Entry Fee:** \$4 all classes **Prizemoney:** 1st \$5, 2nd \$3

	Ram Over 2 years	Ram Under 2 years	Ram Lamb	Ewe Over 2 years	Ewe Under 2 years	Ewe Lamb
<b>Hampshire Down</b>	4039	4040	4041	4042	4043	4044
<b>Suffolk</b>	4045	4046	4047	4048	4049	4050
<b>White Suffolk</b>	4051	4052	4053	4054	4055	4056
<b>Texel</b>	4057	4058	4059	4060	4061	4062
<b>Poll Dorset</b>	4063	4064	4065	4066	4067	4068
<b>Dorper</b>	4069	4070	4071	4072	4073	4074
<b>Dorset Down</b>	4075	4076	4077	4078	4079	4080
<b>East Friesian</b>	4081	4082	4083	4084	4085	4086
<b>Any Other Breed</b>	4087	4088	4089	4090	4091	4092

Class 4093	Best Group of Shortwools, Ram and two ewes owned by Exhibitor
Class 4094	Pair of Ewes over 1 1/2 years, under 2 years owned by Exhibitor
	Best Shortwool Lamb
	Champion Shortwool Ram
	Champion Shortwool Ewe
	Champion Shortwool Exhibit

**Champion Texel Exhibit: \$20 Cash Prize**

**Champion Shortwool Ram – Sash & “Archibald Walker” Trophy & \$20 Cash**

**Champion Shortwool Ewe – Sash & “Goodrich” Trophy & \$20 Cash**

**Best Shortwool Lamb – Sash & \$20 Cash Prize**

**Champion Shortwool Exhibit – Sash and “Bickerton” Trophy and \$20 Cash Prize**

**Best Pair of Shortwool Ewes – Sash & “Baroa Stud” Trophy**

**Best Group of Shortwools – Sash & \$20 Cash Prize**

**JUNIOR JUDGING  
COMPETITIONS**

**To be held Friday evening 24th February commencing at 6.00pm at the Sheep Shed.**

**COMPETITIONS TO BE HELD:**

**Junior Meat Sheep Judging, Junior Sheep Handling, Junior Fleece Judging**

**Free Entry:** on the day before 6.00pm

**Three age sections will be run within each competition as follows:**

**Section 1** – Competitors must be 16 and under 25 years of age on 24 February 2017

**Section 2** – Competitors must be 14 and 15 years of age on 24 February 2017

**Section 3** – Competitors must 13 years of age and under on 24 February 2017

**Section Winners:** to receive Sash

**- SATURDAY-  
SHEEP SECTION - SH**

**STUD SHEEP – HERITAGE**

**Judging:** Commence at the conclusion of Classes SL and SS

**The Champion Heritage Sheep Exhibit:**

To be judged from those sheep designated “Heritage Sheep” by Heritage Sheep Australia (Lincoln, English Leicester, Cheviot, Southdown, Shropshire, Dorset Horn, Ryeland, Hampshire Down, Dorset Down Romney) and who were judged Champion Ram or Ewe in their class

**Sash & NE Beaumont Memorial Trophy**

**SHEEP SECTION - SF  
STUD SHEEP – FLEECES**

**Entry Fee:** \$4 all classes **Prizemoney:** 1st \$5, 2nd \$3

**Judging commences at 9.00am**

**Class**

- 4095. Skirted Fleece of Merino Wool
- 4096. Skirted Fleece of Fine Crossbred Wool
- 4097. Skirted Fleece of Medium Crossbred Wool
- 4098. Skirted Fleece of Strong Crossbred Wool
- 4099. Skirted Fleece of Corriedale Wool
- 4100. Skirted Fleece of English Leicester Wool
- 4101. Skirted Fleece of Cheviot Wool
- 4102. Skirted Fleece of Lincoln Wool
- 4103. Skirted Fleece of Romney Wool
- 4104. Skirted Fleece of Downs Wool
- 4105. Skirted Fleece of Border Leicester Wool
- 4106. 500 gram sample of Lamb’s Wool (any breed)

**Champion Fleece:**

**Sash & Phil Keys Memorial Trophy & \$20**

**STUD SHEEP – OVERALL**

**Supreme Champion Stud Exhibit:**

To be judged from the Champion Shortwool Exhibit and Champion Longwool Exhibit

**Sash and \$100 Prize and Perpetual Trophy**

**in memory of Betty Taylor**

**(Sheep Superintendent 1977-2005)**

**Most Successful Exhibitor:**

**L. C. Gamble Perpetual Challenge Trophy**



**- SUNDAY -  
Sections – SB and SBF**

**BLACK & COLOURED SHEEP**

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**4.** All exhibitors must be a member of the Black and Coloured Sheep Breeders Association of Australia (Vic) Inc and all sheep are to have a PIC tag in the ear.

**5.** All exhibitors when presenting sheep for judging must be attired smartly and appropriately and sheep to have halters. No advertising or promotional information to be displayed.

**6.** Feed and water containers must be provided by the exhibitor

**7.** All sheep must not have any more than 12 months or less than 5cm growth of wool. The fleece must not contain more than 25% white fibre

**8.** Sheep entered in Lamb classes must have all milk teeth still in place. Lambs are not eligible for Section Championships

**9.** Best Wether Classes: Any wool type, judged on trueness to breed

**10.** The onus is on the exhibitor to ensure sheep are entered in the correct class, otherwise sheep may be disqualified. Chief Steward is available for checking. The Judge has the right to move a sheep to a different class if they consider the sheep is entered incorrectly.

**Most Successful Exhibitor: The Louise & Rodney Reeve Perpetual Challenge Trophy donated in perpetuity**

The winner is decided on points in Classes : 1st – 2pts, 2nd – 1pt, Champion - 1pt. No points will be allotted in any class unless there are two or more exhibitors.

Winner in 2016: Baylor Blacks

**SPECIAL EVENT  
JUNIOR SHEEP HANDLER**

Commencing at the conclusion of the sheep judging

Entry: on the day before 10am

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**Section Winners:** to receive Sash

**-SUNDAY-  
Section - SB**

**BLACK & COLOURED SHEEP**

Entry Fee: \$4 all classes Prizemoney: 1st \$5, 2nd \$3, 3rd \$1

Judging: Commences at 9.30am

	Ram Lamb	Ram 2 tooth	Ram 4 tooth & over	Ewe Lamb	Ewe 2 tooth	Ewe 4 tooth & over
<b>Fine Wool</b>	4201	4202	4203	4204	4205	4206
<b>Medium Wool</b>	4207	4208	4209	4210	4211	4212
<b>Strong &amp; Rug Wool</b>	4213	4214	4215	4216	4217	4218

Class 4219	Best Wether Lamb (any wool type)
Class 4220	Best Wether 2 tooth and over (any wool type)
Class 4221	Pair of Ewes (Any age, any wool type)
Class 4222	Group - Ram and 2 Ewes (2 tooth & over, any wool type)

**Champion Ram & Ewe in each wool-type - Cash Prize \$20 (\$10 donated by B.C.S.B.A.A. South East Region and \$10 by BSS)**

**Champion Ram Lamb and Champion Ewe Lamb - Sash and Cash prize \$20 (\$10 donated by B.C.S.B.A.A. South East Region and \$10 by BSS)**

**Pair of Ewes - Sash & Cash prize \$10 donated by BSS**

**Best Group of three Sheep - Sash & Cash Prize \$10 donated by BSS**

**BLACK & COLOURED FLEECE**

Entry Fee: \$4 all classes Prizemoney: 1st \$5, 2nd \$3

Judging: Commences at 9.30am

**Section - SBF**

Class 4223	Fine Wool – 58's and finer
Class 4224	Medium Wool – 50's to 56's
Class 4225	Strong/Rug Wool – 48's and stronger

Grand Champion Fleece to be judged from above classes and awarded a sash from B.C.S.B.A.A. South East Region and a sash from BSS accompanied by Phil Keys Memorial Trophy and \$30 Cash Prize  
Reserve Grand Champion Fleece: Sash  
Best Fleece for Handcraft: Sash

**BLACK & COLOURED SHEEP –  
OVERALL**

Grand Champion Ram and Grand Champion Ewe will receive a Sash from B.C.S.B.A.A. (Vic) Society and a Sash from BSS in memory of Betty Taylor and Cash Prize \$10 donated by BCSBAA South-East Region and a Cash Prize \$75 donated by City of Casey



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