

WOOL (FLEECE)

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Please send entries to: Kitsap County Fair
1200 NW Fairgrounds Rd., Bremerton WA 98311

SPECIAL DEPARTMENT RULES

1. Removal of any exhibit prior to dismissal time from display area will be seen as a final act and will result in immediate forfeiture of all premiums, points and privileges by the exhibitor. Further, exhibitor may be suspended from future exhibiting at the Kitsap County Fair.
2. Fleece entries must be entered on a regular livestock entry form. Send entries and fee to Fair office prior to August 1st.
3. Entry fee is \$1.00 per fleece entered.
4. Fleece must be from animal owned by consignor.
5. All entries must be from the current year or fall of the previous year's clip and represent not more than 12 months growth. Lamb fleeces must be so noted on the entry form. (Lamb is seven months or less).
6. Limit of two entries per lot per class.
7. Fleeces may be tied with paper twine or not tied, as desired. Place in a large, clear unmarked plastic bag for transporting.
8. Commercial classes will be judged according to commercial value/yield in the commercial market. White crossbred fleeces may be entered in the commercial classes only and are not eligible for breed type.
9. Breed classes will be judged according to their respective breed standards. Where there is only one exhibitor, the fleece(s) will be entered in Lot 14 or 15 as appropriate. If there is more than one exhibitor for a breed not listed, a Lot will be created.
10. Natural colored fleeces will be entered according to grade. If entered incorrectly, the Superintendent will have the authority to place it in the correct class. All natural colored entries will be judged as hand-spinning fleeces.
11. Where there is no competition, or where there are fewer entries in a class than number of premiums offered, the judge may, at his/her discretion, award premium or premiums of such grade as the exhibit deserves. The decision of the judge will be final.
12. Entries must be in place between the hours of 1:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. on Tuesday, the day before Fair. Entries will be released at 6:00 p.m. Sunday, or the same time that sheep are released.

PREMIUMS

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| 1 st | \$10.00 |
| 2 nd | \$8.00 |
| 3 rd | \$6.00 |
| 4 th | \$4.00 |

CLASSES

Class 1 Commercial

- Lot 1 Fine wools, 64 – 70+ count
 - Lot 2 Medium wools, 50 – 62's
 - Lot 3 Coarse wools, 44 – 48's
 - Lot 4 Braid, 36 – 42's
- Rosettes awarded to Champion and Reserve
Champion Commercial Fleeces

Class 2 Breed Type

- Lot 1 Border Leicester
 - Lot 2 Cheviot
 - Lot 3 Hampshire
 - Lot 4 Montadale
 - Lot 5 Polypay
 - Lot 6 Romney
 - Lot 7 Southdown
 - Lot 8 Suffolk
 - Lot 9 N.C. Romney
 - Lot 10 Jacob
 - Lot 11 Targhee
 - Lot 12 Merino
 - Lot 13 Coopworth
 - Lot 14 N.C. Coopworth
 - Lot 15 N.C. Lincoln
 - Lot 16 All other Meat Breeds
 - Lot 17 All other Wool Breeds
- Rosettes awarded to Champion and Reserve
Champion White Fleeces

Class 3 Natural Color

- Lot 1 Fine wools, 64 – 700's
 - Lot 2 Medium wools, 50 – 620's
 - Lot 3 Coarse wools, 44 – 480's
 - Lot 4 Braid, 36 – 400's
- Rosettes awarded to Champion and Reserve
Champion Natural Colored Fleeces

SPECIAL AWARDS

Rosettes awarded to overall Grand Champion and Res.
Grand Champion Fleece

Rosette for best White Fleece, courtesy of Puget Sound
Wool Growers Association

Rosette for Best Handspinning Fleece, courtesy of NW
Regional Spinners Association

Class 4 Angora Rabbit Fur

- Lot 1 White (Buck – Doe – Wether)
- Lot 2 Natural Color (Buck – Doe – Wether)

Class 5 Mohair

- Lot 1 Giant
- Lot 2 French
- Lot 3 Satin
- Lot 4 English

Class 6 Llama

Class 7 Alpaca