

**LIVESTOCK DEPARTMENTS
CATTLE - SHEEP - SWINE - GOATS - LLAMAS**

Livestock Director
Charissa Kniskern

Beef, Sheep, Swine, Superintendent
JIM GOBLET
295-7188

Dairy Superintendent
PAM STANDHART
827-5738

Goat Superintendent
DR. CINDI SHELLEY
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Llama Superintendents
JOHN & PATTI CONBOY
295-7454

Entry Fee - 10% of 1st Premium

CAMPING RULES FOR ALL LIVESTOCK EXHIBITORS

Only those people with livestock exhibited at the Fair will be allowed to set up a camper unit or campsite behind the barns. Prior to camper unit placement, livestock entries will be verified for actual exhibit status. Due to limited camper/tent space, only current livestock exhibitors will be placed. Livestock does not include rabbits or poultry, due to space limitations. **No one** is allowed to put a camper unit on the fairgrounds prior to contacting Pam Standhart or Jim Goblet (295-7188).

One site per exhibitor family.

\$150 fee for a camper for those whose animals are staying for the 9 days of the Fair.

\$100 fee for camper for those whose animals are staying for a 4 day rotation.

\$ 75 fee for tents for 9 days of the Fair.

\$ 50 fee for tents for 4 day rotations.

Please note that you can only keep your camper unit or tent on the grounds for 9 days if your animals are on exhibit for the entire nine days.

No livestock/No camper.

No reserved parking spaces.

Area surrounding manure and garbage dumpsters must remain clear as well as fire lanes. **Violators will be towed.**

Any discharge of any water is a violation and will carry a fine of \$100 per violation.

NO WATER HOOKUPS WILL BE ALLOWED ANYWHERE.

IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR 2011: WHEN TRAVELING FROM THE WEST EXPECT DELAYS DUE TO BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION.

SUNSHINE FAIR GATE POLICY

Parking:

Exhibitors with livestock housed in the youth and open cattle/sheep/goat barns will receive two (2) windshield stickers per family to be used to denote that they are livestock exhibitors for access during peak times. These stickers will **NOT** be accepted as a fair ticket. The sticker **MUST BE** displayed in all vehicles parked in the area behind these barns or the vehicles will be towed. *Feed deliveries should be scheduled prior to 10 AM to allow for access and unloading.

Re-entry policy for guests and exhibitors is as follows: Re-entry will be allowed with a ticket or pass AND a wristband. In the event of no ticket or no pass with wristband, you will be required to pay for admission. **NO EXCEPTIONS.** The dairy exhibits will be released at 8 pm on Monday. Due to the release time and other activities on the grounds, extra measures have been taken to insure that safety and traffic patterns are not impacted in any negative way.

DAIRY CATTLE RELEASE PROCEDURE

There will be NO LOADING OR PARKING OF TRAILERS OR ANY VEHICLES IN THE ROADWAY. All trailers will be loaded in the rear of the open class and show barns and at the side entrance between the youth and the show barn.

In order to allow maximum room for loading of cattle, we ask that exhibitors try to remove all first rotation campers prior to the 8 pm release time. Those campers remaining for the full 9 days will be placed so that there will be no access problems.

Youth barn trailers will drive in for loading by using the driveway between the open and show barn, pulling around the show barn to the youth/show barn driveway. A limited number of youth barn exhibitor trailers will enter the grounds and when loaded and off the grounds will open up the load line for the next trailers.

Open class barn exhibitors will enter between the open and show barns and load in the rear of the open class barn. The driveway between the open/show barn will provide access for all trailers. There will be no loading or parking in this driveway.

Trailers will enter the grounds in rotations. ALL TRAILERS WILL NOT LOAD AT THE SAME TIME. Please check with the dairy superintendent for your time slot and proper exit to be used.

DEPARTMENT 02 DAIRY & BEEF

BE SURE TO USE THE CORRECT ENTRY BLANK FOR YOUR LIVESTOCK ENTRIES

Rules and Regulations

- 1 Competition is open to all. Multiple entries accepted.
- 2 No exhibitor shall be allowed to receive more than two premiums for any one class where only one animal is called for.
- 3 Every animal must be entered and exhibited in a class where only one animal is called for, to be eligible for group classes.
- 4 To participate in group classes they must be listed on your entry form. Unlimited entries will be accepted in group classes but only one premium per exhibitor will be awarded. If multiple entries are made in group classes, an entry fee will be paid for each entry.
- 5 The following information must accompany entry blanks: name of animal, date of birth, name and address of owner. Indicate on the entry blank the total number of dairy animals in exhibitors show herd. Exhibitors should prepare their own stall card.
- 6 All animals identified as per breed rules.
- 7 Exhibits for the first rotation and full fair program must be in place by Thursday, July 28, 2011 at 5:00 p.m. Exhibits for the second rotation must be placed between noon and 2 pm on Tuesday, August 2, 2011.
- 8 All cattle to be accompanied by certificate of registration and transfer card when animals have been purchased, which could be asked for inspection at the time of entering the show ring and which shall be available for the director or the superintendent of the department or for the judge at any other time required. Registration Certificate must show ownership 60 days prior to opening day of the Fair. No grade cows. Any animal disqualified for participation in the Fair should be removed from the grounds by the end of the same day.
- 9 Entries will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis until the capacity of the barns is reached.
10. No bedding will be supplied. Bedding is the responsibility of the exhibitor. A base of shavings will be put in the barn.
- 11 Beef will be judged Friday, August 5 at 5:00 pm.
- 12 Holstein and Brown Swiss Breeds (all Classes) will be judged Saturday, July 30th at 10 am. Ayrshire, Jersey, Guernsey and Shorthorns (all classes) will be judged Sunday, July 31st at 10am. First class will be Little Britches. **Combined Youth/Open Show to be run with the youth class in the ring first.**
- 13 **AN EXHIBITOR TICKET MUST BE PURCHASED FOR \$20.00 FOR ALL OPEN CLASS EXHIBITORS** (see entry blank).
- 14 **Livestock exhibitors for the first rotation will be released on Monday, August 1, 2011 at 8 pm. Full fair program exhibits and second rotation exhibits will be excused on Sunday, August 7th at 8:00 am.**
- 15 **Due to safety regulations, no vehicle will be allowed on the road to attempt to load animals on Monday, August 1, between 5:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. and no animals may leave before 8:00 p.m. Exhibitors leaving before 8 p.m. will forfeit their premium money.**
- 16 **All livestock trailers will have to be removed from the grounds. Parking will be available off fairgrounds, or the trailers may be taken home.**
- 17 **Livestock, pole barn, and livestock tent exhibits will not be accepted before 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, July 27.**
- 18 Livestock exhibitors will not be allowed to stay in the barns overnight.
- 19 No smoking, drinking alcoholic beverages, and/or parking by barns and/or exhibits.
- 20 **Cattle and livestock exhibitors will be stalled based on the number of animals brought, not the number of animals entered, and at the discretion of the Superintendent.**
- 21 If any tank of milk is rejected for any reason such as penicillin, etc., **NO ONE** gets paid for that day.
- 22 **Only those people with livestock exhibited at the fair will be allowed to set up a trailer or campsite behind the barns.**
- 23 **MILKING FACILITIES ONLY AVAILABLE THURSDAY NIGHT THROUGH MONDAY NIGHT.**

TO: All Dairy Exhibitors
FROM: Cobleskill Fair Board

Due to the severe penalties imposed by the State of New York Agricultural Department for the contamination of milk by antibiotics, we are forced to enact the following rules and regulations:

1. If antibiotics are detected in the milk, all users of the parlor will have to supply a milk sample for each milking animal.
2. Individuals or parties found having antibiotics in milk, which was processed through the parlor, will be liable for all financial loss created by contamination.
3. Individuals or parties responsible will be banned from livestock exhibition for a period of three (3) years.

We regret having to take such severe measures, but find it necessary to protect all those individuals using the milking facilities.

CATTLE BVD TESTING

All cattle exhibited at NY county fairs or the State Fair must be negative to an approved test appropriate to detect Bovine Viral Diarrhea persistent infection (BVD-P). This is a once in a lifetime test that must be reported on the required certificate of veterinary inspection. The issuing veterinarian is responsible for verifying the validity of the test, the identification of the animal and recording the test date on the CVI. If a previous test is not verifiable the test must be repeated.

Currently acceptable tests for cattle less than 61 days old:

- a. skin notch BVD virus Antigen Capture ELISA (ACE)
- b. whole blood BVD virus isolation –or -
- c. whole blood BVD virus PCR

Currently acceptable tests for cattle 61 days of age and older:

- a. Skin notch BVD virus Antigen Capture ELISA (ACE)
- b. Serum or milk BVD virus Antigen Capture ELISA (ACE)
- c. Whole blood BVD virus isolation – or -
- d. Whole blood BVD virus PCR

NO NEGATIVE TEST, NO ENTRY

DEPARTMENT 02 - DAIRY

Superintendent
PAM STANDHART

Dairy Judge
JAMIE BLACK

Milking Supervisor
ED BRADT

**SECTION 1 - Holstein
SECTION 2 - Ayrshire
SECTION 3 - Brown Swiss**

**SECTION 4 - Jersey
SECTION 5 - Guernsey
SECTION 6 - Shorthorn**

Premiums for Classes 1 - 7	\$30	\$25	\$15	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5
Premiums for Classes 9 - 16	\$30	\$25	\$15	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5
Premiums for Classes 20 - 23	\$30	\$25	\$15	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5

1 Spring Heifer Calf – Born on or after February 28, 2011. Must be at least 4 months old by show date.

2 Winter Heifer Calf - Born Dec. 1, 2010 - February 28, 2011.

3 Fall Heifer Calf - Born September 1, 2010 - November 30, 2010.

4 Summer Yearling Heifer - Born June 1, 2010 - August 31, 2010.

5 Spring Yearling Heifer (not in milk) - Born March 1, 2010 - May 31, 2010.

6 Winter Yearling Heifer (not in milk) - Born December 1, 2009 - February 28, 2010.

7 Fall Yearling Heifer (not in milk) - Born September 1, 2009 - November 30, 2009

8 Junior Champion Female

Reserve Junior Champion Female

9 Best 3 Females - Junior Animals - All three must be bred and owned by exhibitor.
All three from Fall Yearling & Under

- 10 Jr. Two Year Old** - Born March 1, 2009 - August 31, 2009.
- 11 Sr. Two Year Old** - Born September 1, 2008 - February 28, 2009.
- 12 Three Years & Under 4** - Born September 1, 2007 - August 31, 2008.
- 13 Four Years & Under 5** - Born September 1, 2006 - August 31, 2007.
- 14 Five Years & Under 6** - Born September 1, 2005 - August 31, 2006.
- 15 Aged Cow** - Born before September 1, 2005.



First Place Ribbons will be awarded for **Best Uddered Cow**
in each section in Classes 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, & 15

16 Dry Cow Class – 5 Yrs. and Under. Any female milked at least one lactation. May not be shown in other individual milking classes.

17 Senior Champion Female

Reserve Senior Champion Female

18 Grand Champion Female To be eligible for a breed Grand Champion Award, there must be a minimum of 3 animals in competition. This award is at the discretion of the Judge.

Reserve Grand Champion Female

19 Best Female Bred by Exhibitor - Female awarded the highest premium in the individual classes may compete.

20 Daughter-Dam Class

21 Produce of Dam - Consisting of two females, any age, the produce of one female.

22 Best 3 Females - Senior Animals - All three must be bred by exhibitor and at least one presently owned by exhibitor.

23 Exhibitors Herd Consisting of four females: calf, yearling, two animals that have calved at least once. Must be owned by the exhibitor. A family is considered one exhibitor.

Note: The awarding of Champion status to listed recognized dairy breeds will be the decision of the presiding judge at his/her discretion.

24 Premier Breeder Award – Awarded to the exhibitor accumulating the most points on a maximum of six selected animals that carry the exhibitors breed prefix and are shown in open individual classes. Please note that dry cows earn 50% of the point value indicated on the point system. Breeder may nominate animals bred by him, but exhibited by others. These animals must be listed with the Show Clerk prior to the end of the show. A family is considered one exhibitor. **Class**

Sponsored by Jack Miller's Tractor & Sales

25 Premier Exhibitor Award – Awarded to the exhibitor accumulating the most points on a maximum of six selected animals owned and exhibited by the individual and shown in open classes. Please note that dry cows earn 50% of the point value indicated on the point system. These animals must be listed with the Show Clerk prior to the end of the show. A family is considered one exhibitor. **Class Sponsored by Jack Miller's Tractor & Sales**

Point System for determining Premier Breeder and Exhibitor

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Points									
Senior Females	20	18	16	14	12	10	8	6	4	2
Junior Females	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1

**Section 13
Special Classes**

1 Supreme Champion of All Breeds

2 Supreme Junior Champion of All Breeds - Award donated by the Partridge Family

3 Little Britches Dairy Showmanship Class – Sign up for Little Britches **MUST BE COMPLETED** by Saturday at NOON in order for prizes and ribbons to be made available. Sign up with designated persons in the dairy barn between Opening Day and Saturday. This deadline will be strictly enforced. This event is open to those who are not entered in the show and less than 8 years of age. The child **MUST** be accompanied by an adult (one or more) with an animal matched to the child's size. The traditional showman class "whites" are not required to be worn. Little Britches is scheduled to be held prior to the first dairy cattle class on Sunday morning. **There is no pre-entry for this class. You MUST sign up at the fair.** This contest has been designed to serve as an educational and fun event. Emphasis is not placed on individual placing, but on the enjoyment of the participants.

4. AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION AWARD: The Schoharie County Sunshine Fair will sponsor two \$25.00 awards for agricultural education by dairy cattle exhibitors. The dairy exhibitor must prepare, as part of their exhibit, an educational

component focusing on dairy, livestock, and/or general agriculture. Judging criteria will include creativity, message, presentation and educational value. A similar award is available at the New York State Fair, so if you attend both shows, the impact of your work will be doubled!

5. DISPLAY/HERDSMANSHIP PRIZE: Highest scores to receive a \$15 award – maximum of 12 to be awarded. Prizes will be awarded based on the following criteria which will be scored daily. The size of the exhibit will also be taken into consideration.

- General appearance and cleanliness/neatness of cattle and exhibit area inside and outside of barn (35 points)
- Educational value of herd display to fairgoer and interaction with the public (35 points) Presentation of the dairy industry via displays, posters, industry information, breed information, ag promotion.
- Displays, for example cow signs, decorations, personalized farm pictures and trophies (15 points)
- Timeliness of chores (15 points) Morning chores completed including sweeping, cleaning, bedding and cattle washing, etc.

6. YOUTH HERDSMANSHIP. A maximum of 12 awards @ \$15.00 each. Open to all youth exhibitors (4H, FFA or open). Please mark these exhibits in some manner, perhaps a “Youth Exhibitor” sign. Exhibitor is not eligible for Youth Herdsmanship if combined with Family/Open Exhibit. The size of the exhibit will also be taken into consideration. Herdsmanship will be judged daily, not before 9:30 am. Criteria is as follows:

- Exhibitor Participation – exhibit in place the first day and maintained by the youth exhibitor
- Bedding – an appropriate amount of bedding – clean and dry
- Indoor Surrounding Area – clean and free from clutter. Tools and equipment stored safely and attractively.
- Outdoor Area – clean and free from clutter. Tools, equipment, extra bedding, and feed stored safely and attractively.
- Animal Treatment – properly fed, watered and properly tied.
- Sportsmanship Conduct – cooperative in barn, show ring and milking parlor
- Overall Appearance – exhibit conditions, decorations, etc.
- Educational value of herd display to fairgoer and interaction with the public. (see 5. above).

NOTE: There will be a focus on storage of tack and appearance when judging dairy cattle exhibits. The first rotation cattle exhibitors must clean up storage areas outside of barn. Extra supplies can be donated for use of 2nd rotation dairy; please make any donation arrangements with superintendent. These areas must be left in exhibit condition!

7. BEST BRED & OWNED HOLSTEIN: Award sponsored by **DAVID FISKE**.

PLEASE NOTE: The theme for the 2011 Schoharie County Sunshine Fair is “Sunshine Fair Celebrates Education”.

Golden Hammer Award is given in recognition of a positive, giving attitude and a boundless “help” ethic that has been apparent to all at the 2011 Schoharie County “Sunshine” Fair.

Dairylea Schoharie County District Award

Award: \$100 bond will be presented at the Livestock Awards Breakfast at the Schoharie County Sunshine Fair.

Criteria:

- ❖ Residence within Schoharie County
- ❖ The student must have completed their junior or senior year in high school by June 30th of the year of application.
- ❖ Involvement in the dairy industry via work, family operation or exhibition of show cattle, etc. must be in evidence for more than two years. Involvement may include working within any part of the dairy sector.
- ❖ Future career involvement in the dairy industry.
- ❖ Students may apply or be nominated.
- ❖ Applicants may not have previously won this award.

Letter of Application or Nomination Must Include:

- ❖ Name and contact information including address, telephone number and email (if available) of nominee/applicant and of the person nominating the student (for nominations).
- ❖ Present grade level and career/education plans.
- ❖ Information on the involvement in the dairy industry via work, family operation or exhibition of show cattle, which must be in evidence for more than two years.
- ❖ Detail of community service and/or involvement in a dairy operation during the student's free time ...how does the student fill non-school hours.

Procedure:

A letter of application must be sent by the deadline date of July 1st to the Schoharie County Sunshine Fair, P. O. Box 249, 113 Sunshine Drive, Cobleskill, New York 12043. Phone 518:234-2123, Fax 518:234-8322

<http://sunshinefair.org/>

Information regarding the student's qualification as listed above plus complete contact information must be included. The student selected for the award will be required to complete the appropriate documentation needed to obtain the bond.

DEPARTMENT 02 - BEEF

Superintendent
JIM GOBLET

Beef Judge
KEVIN WOOLAM

1. Exhibits must be put in place between Noon and 2:00 pm on Tuesday, August 2, 2011.
2. Beef will be judged on Friday, August 5 at 5:00 pm.
3. Exhibitors will be allowed to remove their animals on Sunday, August 7, starting at 8:00 am.

Section 7 - Herefords
Section 8 - Aberdeen Angus
Section 9 - Charolais

Section 10 - All Other Registered Breeds
Section 11 - Commercial or Crossbred Beef
Section 15 - Dexter

Premiums for Beef Classes \$30 \$25 \$15 \$12 \$10

1 Jr. Bull Calf calved on or after January 1 current year.

2 Sr. Bull Calf calved between September 1 and December 31 previous year.

3 Yearling Bull calved between January 1 and August 31 previous year.

4 Grand Champion Bull



Reserve Champion Bull

Rosette

Rosette

5 Jr. Heifer Calf calved on or after January 1 current year

6 Senior Heifer Calf calved between September 1 and December 31, preceding year

7 Junior Yearling Heifer calved between January 1 and August 31, preceding year

8 Senior Yearling Heifer calved between September 1 and December 31, two years previous

9 2 Year Old Cow calved between January 1 and August 31, two years previous

10 Female, 3 years old and over.

11 Grand Champion Heifer

Reserve Champion Heifer

Rosette

Rosette

12 Cow-Calf (Calf must be nursing)

13 Pair of Calves, any age, either sex, from above classes

14 Pair of Yearlings, any age, from above classes

15 Best Pair, Bred & Owned

16 Get of Sire, 3 animals, same sire

17 Produce of Dam

Section 14 Special Classes

1 Open Youth Showmanship, Junior 14 and under.

2 Open Youth Showmanship, Senior 15 - 18.

3 Over the Hill Showmanship, Over 18

4 Little Britches Beef Showmanship Class: This class is open to anyone 4 - 8 years of age. All participants receive an award. This contest has been designed to serve as an educational and fun event. Emphasis is not placed on individual placing but on the enjoyment of the participants. Participants' families must exhibit their animal(s) in the open class show.

5 Premier Exhibitor - Premier Award presented to exhibitor computed from placing(s) in all except champion classes; three points for a first placing, two points for a second place and one point for a third placing. Special Award

Rosette

Rosette

Rosette

6 Champion of Breeds - Bull

7 Champion of Breeds - Female

9 Best of Show - Beef

Special Award

Special Award

Special Award

Section 12 - BEEF - ALL BREEDS

Open to all breeds of beef, including purebreds or grades and crossbreeds by purebred sires, i.e. Herefords, Angus, Shorthorn, etc., competing with each other. **Entries must be under 24 months of age and may not be shown in breeding classes.**

Class 1 Market Entries All market entries will initially be entered in Class 1. Weights will be determined prior to the Show and entry made in the appropriate weight class as listed below.

1-1 Feeder/Stocker 250-499 lbs - beef breeds, beef breed crosses, dairy breeds, dairy & beef breed crosses

1-2 Feeder/Stocker 500-750 lbs - beef breeds, beef breed crosses, dairy breeds, dairy & beef breed crosses

1-3 Stocker/Meat Animal 750-900 lbs - beef breeds, beef breed crosses, dairy breeds, dairy & beef breed crosses

1-4 Meat Animal 900 lbs & over - beef breeds, beef breed crosses, dairy breeds, dairy & beef breed crosses

5 Champion of Market Beef

Reserve Champion of Market Beef

Special Award

Rosette

**DEPARTMENT 03
SHEEP, SWINE, GOATS, LLAMAS**

DEPARTMENT 03 - SHEEP

Superintendent
JIM GOBLET

Sheep Judge
BRYAN MASON

Rules and Regulations

- 1 Competition is open to all.
- 2 Judging is scheduled for Saturday, July 30 at 10:00 a.m.
- 3 Entries will be accepted in order received until limited numbers of sheep pens are filled.
- 4 **Exhibits must be put in place by 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, July 28.**
- 5 All sheep exhibitors should read general rules and regulations and Special Department of Agriculture and Market rules.
- 6 Animals in Section 1 to 18 inclusive must be accompanied by Certificates of Registry or Transfer Card in the Exhibitor's name, which will be requested by the show Superintendent upon arrival.
- 7 All exhibits must be entered in the name of the bonafide owner and such ownership must have existed at least 30 days before showing.
- 8 Any animal that has duly qualified by tests, inoculations, or other approved examinations shall be eligible for exhibit or other purposes at any county fair or other agricultural exhibition within the state of New York for a period extending ninety (90) days from the date of such tests, inoculations or other examinations.
- 9 Any animal disqualified for participation in the Fair should be removed from the grounds by the end of same day.
- 10 No person shall sell or transfer from one place to another within New York State any sheep unless an inspection certificate or a dipping certificate accompanies such sheep.
- 11 Exhibitors on return home from Fair shall keep show animals segregated from herd or flock for a period of at least two weeks.
- 12 No grain or bedding will be furnished by this department.
- 13 State on your entry the number of sheep being brought to the fair to exhibit.
- 14 An exhibitor may enter no more than two entries per class with the exception of Section 15, Class 6 in which only one animal is to be entered.
- 15 **Exhibitors will be allowed to leave the grounds on Monday, August 1, starting at 9:00 p.m. and must be gone by 11:00 p.m.. No animal may leave before 9:00 p.m. Monday. Exhibitors leaving before that time will forfeit their premium money.**
16. **Livestock exhibits will not be accepted before 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, July 27.**
- 17 Market animals may not be shown in breeding classes.
- 18 Any animal entered in Sections 13, 14 and 15 cannot also be entered in any registered breed classes.
- 19 All animals will be exhibited in accordance with Breed Standards and Requirements.
- 20 Only animals shown in individual classes are eligible to be shown in Group Classes. All animals shown in group classes are to be registered identically.
- 21 Exhibitors are limited to two entries per class.

Section 1 - Corriedale
Section 2 - Hampshire
Section 3 - Dorset
Section 4 - Suffolk
Section 5 - Romney
Section 6 - Cheviot
Section 7 - Tunis
Section 8 - Shropshires
Section 9 - Southdown
Section 10 - Romanov
Section 11 - Polypay
Section 12 - Oxford

Section 31 - Scottish Blackface
Section 32 - Shetlands
Section 33 - White Lincoln
Section 34 - Black Lincoln
Section 35 - Black Romney
Section 36 - Cotswold
Section 13 - All other registered meat breeds
Section 14 - All other registered wool breeds
Section 15 - Naturally colored wool breeds (must be shown in full fleece)



Class	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	
1 Yearling Ram	25	20	15	10	8	
2 Senior Ram lamb born after September 1, preceding year	25	20	15	10	8	
3 Junior Ram lamb born after January 1, current year	25	20	15	10	8	
4 Champion Ram						Special Award
Reserve Champion Ram						Rosette
5 Aged Ewe, over 2 years	25	20	15	10	8	
6 Yearling Ewe - Under 2 years at the show	25	20	15	10	8	
7 Pair of Yearling Ewes	25	20	15	10	8	
8 Senior Ewe Lamb born after September 1, preceding year	25	20	15	10	8	
9 Junior Ewe Lamb born after January 1, current year	25	20	15	10	8	
10 Pair of Lambs; Junior, Senior or combination, either sex	25	20	15	10	8	
11 Champion Ewe						Special Award
Reserve Champion Ewe						Rosette

12 Get of Sire, 3 animals, both sexes represented	25	20	15	10	8
13 Dam and Offspring	25	20	15	10	8
14 Exhibitor Flock: Male Female	25	20	15	10	8
Ram - 1 Aged, 1 Yearling, 1 Ewe Lamb					
Ram - 2 Yearlings, 1 Ewe Lamb					
Ram - 1 Yearling, 2 Ewe Lambs					
Flock will consist of 4 animals - 3 ewes and a ram (any age) - ewes must include at least one ewe lamb					
15 Breeder's Flock - Bred and Owned by exhibitor					
Male/Female same as #14					

Section 16 - COMMERCIAL SHEEP

Commercial sheep are eligible to compete in the Commercial Show providing they are NOT able to be registered; i.e. crossbred or non-pedigree. If an animal is registered in a breed association it is not eligible in the commercial show.

Premiums 1st \$15 2nd \$10 3rd \$8 4th \$6 5th \$5

Class

- 1 Senior Ram Lamb born after September 1, preceding year
- 2 Junior Ram Lamb born after January 1, current year
- 3 Yearling Ram
- 4 Champion Ram Rosette
- Reserve Champion Ram Rosette
- 5 Aged Ewe; over 2 years
- 6 Yearling Ewe; under 2 years at the show
- 7 Pair of Yearling Ewes
- 8 Senior Ewe Lamb born after September 1, preceding year
- 9 Junior Ewe Lamb born after January 1, current year
- 10 Pair of Lambs; any combination
- 11 Champion Commercial Ewe Rosette
- Reserve Champion Commercial Ewe Rosette
- 12 Get of Sire; 3 animals, both sexes represented
- 13 Dam and Offspring
- 14 Flock: Male Female
- (Same as Class 14, Sections 1 - 13 above)
- 15 Breeder's Flock (Same as Class 15 Above)



Section 17 - MARKET LAMBS

All animals must be shown slick shorn - cannot be shown in breed classes

Premiums - 1st \$20 2nd \$18 3rd \$15 4th \$14 5th \$13 6th \$12 7th \$11 8th \$10

Class

- 1 Heavyweight
- 2 Mediumweight
- 3 Lightweight (1st - 6th place only)
- 4 Champion Market Lamb Rosette
- Reserve Champion Market Lamb Rosette
- 5 Pen of Two (1st - 6th place only)

Weigh-ins will be following barn meeting Monday night.

PLEASE NOTE: Entries must be ewe lambs or wethered ram lambs. Intact rams will not be allowed.

Section 18 - SPECIAL CLASSES

Premium - 1st \$18 2nd \$15 3rd \$13 4th \$10 5th \$8

Class

- 1 Lead Line Class - Junior 14 and Under
- 2 Lead Line Class - Senior 15 and Over

Lead Line Guidelines

- A. Leader must be wearing one article that is 100% wool. It does not have to be handspun or hand knit.
- B. Sheep may or may not have wool accessories.
- C. Leader does not have to own sheep.
- D. Halter and lead line are required.
- E. Written commentary should be submitted (1 - 2 minutes long) and should be informative as to the origin of the garment, the versatility of wool, and the industry as a whole.
- F. BONUS POINTS AWARDED IF GARMENT IS HANDMADE BY ENTRANT.

SCORE CARD	Score
Poise and Appearance of Entrant	50
Promotion of Industry in Commentary	25
Ensemble	20
Preparation and Handling of Sheep	20
Bonus	10
TOTAL SCORE	125

Premiums - 1st \$10 2nd \$8 3rd \$6 4th \$5 5th \$4 6th \$3 7th \$2 8th \$1

- 3 Open Youth Showmanship - Junior 14 & Under
- 4 Open Youth Showmanship - Senior 15 & Over

*Rosette awarded to the Grand Champion Showman and Reserve Champ.

- 5 "Over the Hill" Showmanship Class

Ribbons Only

Exhibitor does not have to own sheep being shown.

- 6 Little Britches Showmanship Class

This class is open to anyone ages 4 - 8 years of age. All participants receive an award. This contest has been designed to serve as an educational and fun event. Emphasis is not placed on individual placing, but on the enjoyment of the participants.

Participation Ribbons

- 7 Supreme Ewe - Meat Breeds

Special Award

- Supreme Ram - Meat Breeds

Special Award

- 8 Supreme Ewe - Wool Breeds

Special Award

- Supreme Ram - Wool Breeds

Special Award

- 9 Best of Show Ewe

Special Award

- 10 Best of Show Ram

Special Award

- 11 Best of Show Flock

Special Award

- 12 Best of Show Fleece

Special Award

- 13 Premier Breeder Award

A premier breeder award will be given to the breeder winning the most points on selected animals (not to exceed eight) in open classes. Breeder may nominate animals bred by him, but exhibited by others. These animals must be listed with the secretary prior to the judging of group classes.

**PLEASE NOTE WHICH ANIMALS YOU WISH TO HAVE CONSIDERED FOR
PREMIER BREEDER ON YOUR ENTRY FORM USING "P.B."**

- 14 Premier Exhibitor Award

The exhibitor winning the most points and not to exceed eight animals owned and exhibited by himself in the open single classes. These animals must be listed with the secretary prior to the judging of the group classes.

**PLEASE NOTE WHICH ANIMALS YOU WISH TO HAVE CONSIDERED FOR
PREMIER EXHIBITOR ON YOUR ENTRY FORM USING "P.E."**

POINTS

- FIRST PLACE - 10 Points
- SECOND PLACE - 9 Points
- THIRD PLACE - 8 Points

- FOURTH PLACE - 7 Points
- FIFTH PLACE - 6 Points

Only the two highest placing animals in any one class will be counted.

DEPARTMENT 03 - SWINE

Superintendent
JIM GOBLET

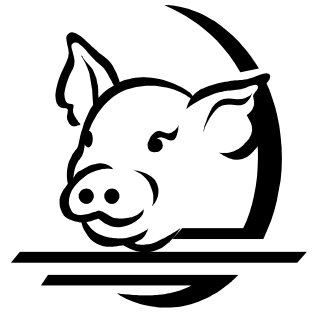
Judge
JAMES JOHNSON GOBLET

Rules and Regulations

1. Competition is open to all.
2. Judging is scheduled for 8:00 p.m. Wednesday, August 4 at the Pole Barn.
3. **Exhibits must be put in place by 5:00 p.m. Thursday, July 28.**
4. All animals entered in Section 23 must be accompanied by a certificate of registry or transfer card that will be requested by the judge at the time of judging.
5. Any animal disqualified for participation in the Fair should be removed from the grounds by the end of the same day.
6. All exhibits must be entered in the name of the bonafide owner and such ownership to have existed at least 30 days before showing.
7. Exhibitors on return home from the fair shall keep show animals segregated from herd or flock for a period of at least two weeks.
8. No grain will be furnished to animals by this department.
9. **Exhibitors will be allowed to leave the grounds on Sunday, August 7, 2011. No animal may leave before 8:00 a.m. on Sunday. Exhibitors leaving before 8:00 a.m. on Sunday will forfeit their premium money.**
10. **Livestock exhibits will not be accepted before 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, July 27.**
11. No animals shown in breed classes may be shown in market classes.
12. The exhibitor must own all piglets shown as a group.

Section 23 - BREEDING (PUREBRED OR CROSSBRED)

Class	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th
1. Sow (purebred) born before July 1 of preceding year	25	20	15	
2. Sow (grade or crossbred) born before July 1 of preceding year	25	20	15	
3. Senior Fall Gilt (purebred) born July 1 - December 31 of preceding year	25	20	15	
4. Senior Fall Gilt (grade or crossbred) born July 1 - December 31 of preceding year	25	20	15	
5. Spring Gilt (purebred) born January 1 - March 31 of current year	25	20	15	
6. Spring Gilt (grade or crossbred) born January 1 - March 31 of current year	25	20	15	
7. Junior Spring Gilt (purebred) born April 1 - May 31 of current year - must be weaned	25	20	15	
8. Junior Spring gilt (grade or crossbred) born April 1 - May 31 of current year - must be weaned	25	20	15	
9. Sow with litter - grade or purebred, 6 or more piglets under 11 weeks of age	40	35	30	25
10. Champion Sow with litter				Special Award
11. Purebred Boar - born on or after July 1 of preceding year	25	20	15	
12. Purebred Boar - born on or after 1 January, current year	25	20	15	
13. Champion Boar				Rosette
14. Reserve Champion Boar				Rosette
15. Champion Sow				Rosette
16. Reserve Champion Sow				Rosette
17. Supreme Swine				Special Award
18. Open Class Swine Showmanship	25	20	15	



19. **Piggly Wiggly Swine Showmanship** This class is open to anyone ages 4 - 8 years of age. All participants receive an award. This contest has been designed to serve as an educational and fun event. Emphasis is not placed on individual placing but on the enjoyment of the participants. Participants' family must exhibit their animal(s) in the open show.

Section 24 - MARKET SWINE

All hogs shown in the market class must be weaned

Class	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
1. Feeder Pig , under 100 lbs.	25	20	15
2. Lightweight Market Pig , 100 - 175 lbs.	25	20	15
3. Middleweight Market Pig , 176 - 200 lbs.	25	20	15
4. Market Pig , over 200 lbs.	25	20	15

Section 25 – OXEN

Superintendent
Ken Plummer
518-708-2033

Judge
Herb Trombley

Arrival: Day of Show
Show Date: Friday, August 5, 2011
Show Location: Superior Housing Equine Arena
Show Times: 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM – 4:00 PM

Requirements: Health Requirements listed in General Information and Regulations in the front of this guide must be adhered to. A twisted whip is the only thing approved for use on the grounds. All decisions will be at the discretion of the judge.

Premiums:

1st . . . \$110. 2nd . . . \$100. 3rd . . . \$90. 4th . . . \$80. 5th . . . \$70. 6th . . . \$60. 7th . . . \$50. 8th . . . \$40.

Classes and Definitions:

1. **Ground Driven Obstacle Course** (Course to be Determined)
2. **Ox Cart Obstacle Course** – A timed/point system event. The ox cart will start in a “barn”□, the teamster will back his or her team to the cart and pull the cart through a predetermined course ending up back in the barn □ structure.
3. **Log Pull Class** – Teamster will hitch their team to the log and navigate through a set course. Weight 2400 pounds.

Best Teamster Award (\$25.00) – Teamster award will be awarded by the judge to the teamster who demonstrates both a positive attitude and respect for his/her team along with good driving skills.

DEPARTMENT 03 - LLAMAS
LLAMAS AND ALPACAS WILL BE ON EXHIBITION DURING THE FAIR

Superintendents

John & Patti Conboy

PO Box 52

Schoharie, NY 12157

518-295-7454

The following Rules and Regulations will apply:

1. There will be no entry fees for llamas or alpacas, since this is an exhibition and no premiums will be paid.
2. All llamas and alpacas must meet all rules of the NYS Department of Ag and Markets standards for conduct of fairs as described in the general rules starting on page 1 of the premium book.
3. Any animal disqualified for participation in the Fair should be removed from the grounds by the end of same day.
4. Stalls are limited and will be assigned on a first come, first served basis with regard to animals' sex and age. (Please decorate your stall as much as possible.)
5. No "For Sale" signs will be allowed in the stall areas.
6. You must clean your own stall with animal waste taken to the manure boxes.
7. The management assumes no responsibility in case of loss or damage to stock or other exhibits from any cause, and exhibits are only accepted on this condition.
8. Llama and Alpaca exhibits must be placed between noon and 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, August 2, 2011.
9. Exhibitors will be allowed to leave the grounds after 8:00 a.m. on Sunday, August 7.



DAIRY ENTRY BLANK TO BE USED FOR BOTH OPEN AND YOUTH

I hereby authorize you to enter the following animals in my name to compete for premiums according to the rules and regulations outlined in the Cobleskill Agricultural Society premium book.

One Form Per Exhibitor (Please Print) You May Duplicate This Entry Form

Pay Premiums To _____

Address _____

Phone Number _____ Age of Exhibitor (if under 18 years old) _____

Signature _____

Trucking will be done by Exhibitor, or supply contact name & phone for Trucker: _____

	Dept.	Section	Class #	Breed	Animal Name
Open	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Youth	11	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ear Tag	Registration No.	Animal Birth Date	Sex of Animal	Sire Name	
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Recorded Owner	Breeder/Handler	First Premium			
_____	_____	\$ _____			

See reverse side for additional entries

Stall space will be assigned by the superintendent dependent upon availability. Exhibitors will be stalled based on the number of animals brought, not the number of animals entered. All group classes may be entered using this form.

Schoharie County resident exhibitors 18 years of age and over have the option to purchase a \$55 voting membership ticket or those 62 years + a \$50 senior voting membership ticket in lieu of the \$20 exhibitor ticket if purchased prior to July 29. After that date the price goes up \$5.

➤ **Initial bedding will be provided each exhibitor staying for a complete rotation. Exhibitors can bring their own additional shavings. No bedding is provided for one-day exhibitors. They have to bring, bed & remove bedding on their own.**

Add up Total of First Premiums	\$ _____
Entry Fee:	
10% of Premiums Above or \$5 Minimum	\$ _____ or \$ _____
Tickets: Adults <u>Must</u> Purchase \$20 Exhibitor Ticket OR Voting Membership Ticket	\$ _____
Youth ages 13 - 17 <u>Must</u> purchase a Youth Exhibitor Ticket @\$10.00	\$ _____
<u>May</u> Purchase Up To 4 Daily Tickets @ \$6 Each	\$ _____
Camping Fee: Camper \$150 (length _____) Tent \$75	\$ _____
(4 Days) \$100 \$50	
Please note policy on page 1.	
Total Amount Paid	\$ _____

Open Youth	Dept. <u>11</u>	Section _____	Class # _____	Breed _____	Animal Name _____
Ear Tag _____	Registration No. _____	Animal Birth Date _____	Sex of Animal _____	Sire Name _____	
Recorded Owner _____	Breeder/Handler _____	First Premium \$ _____			

Open Youth	Dept. <u>11</u>	Section _____	Class # _____	Breed _____	Animal Name _____
Ear Tag _____	Registration No. _____	Animal Birth Date _____	Sex of Animal _____	Sire Name _____	
Recorded Owner _____	Breeder/Handler _____	First Premium \$ _____			

Open Youth	Dept. <u>11</u>	Section _____	Class # _____	Breed _____	Animal Name _____
Ear Tag _____	Registration No. _____	Animal Birth Date _____	Sex of Animal _____	Sire Name _____	
Recorded Owner _____	Breeder/Handler _____	First Premium \$ _____			

Open Youth	Dept. <u>11</u>	Section _____	Class # _____	Breed _____	Animal Name _____
Ear Tag _____	Registration No. _____	Animal Birth Date _____	Sex of Animal _____	Sire Name _____	
Recorded Owner _____	Breeder/Handler _____	First Premium \$ _____			

BEEF, SHEEP, SWINE, OXEN ENTRY BLANK TO BE USED FOR BOTH OPEN AND YOUTH

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One Form Per Exhibitor

You May Duplicate This Entry Form

Pay Premiums To _____

Address _____

Phone Number _____ Age of Exhibitor (if under 18 years old) _____

Signature _____

Trucking will be done by Exhibitor, or supply contact name & phone for Trucker: _____

Stall space will be assigned by the superintendent dependent upon availability.
Exhibitors will be stalled based on the number of animals brought, not the number of animals entered.
All group classes may be entered using this form.

					1 st						1 st	
Open	Youth	Dept.	Section	Class #	Prem		Open	Junior	Dept.	Section	Class #	Prem
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____		_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____		_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
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_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____		_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Sheep: Number of Rams _____
Number of Ewes _____
Number of Pens Needed _____

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Initial bedding will be provided each exhibitor staying for their rotation. Exhibitors can bring their own additional shavings. See reverse side for additional entries.

Add up Total of First Premiums	\$ _____
Entry Fee 10% of Premiums Above or \$5 Minimum	\$ _____ or \$ _____
Tickets: Adults <u>Must</u> purchase \$20 Exhibitor Ticket or Voting Membership Ticket in lieu of Exhibitor Ticket	\$ _____
Youth 13 – 17 <u>Must</u> purchase \$10 Youth Exhibitor Ticket	\$ _____
<u>May</u> Purchase Up To 4 Daily Tickets @ \$6 Each (Swine up to 9 Daily Tickets @ \$6 Each)	\$ _____
Oxen Exhibitors (Adult) <u>Must</u> Purchase one Daily Ticket @ \$6	\$ _____
Camping: Fee for Camper \$100 (9 Days) \$150	Fee for Tent \$50 \$75
Length of Camper _____	
Please note policy on page 1.	
Total Amount Paid	\$ _____

