

**HEALTH RULES FOR SHEEP**

**Requirements:**

1 A Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) issued within the 90 days prior to the opening date of the exhibition is required.

2. All animals must be free of infectious and contagious diseases and a statement of this is required on the CVI (the statement is pre-printed on the CVI) . Animals appearing unhealthy upon arrival may not enter the exhibition grounds.

3. Individual official USDA scrapie animal identification is required. Official scrapie ID includes:

- A scrapie ear tag. Contact the USDA to obtain scrapie ear tags at 1-800-873-2824, weekdays from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Your order may take several weeks for processing, so order tags early; or
- A scrapie tattoo with individual animal ID (tattoo); or
- An ISO-compliant RFID tag.

**HEALTH RULES FOR SWINE**

**Requirements:**

1 A Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) issued within the 90 days prior to the opening date of the exhibition is required.

2. All animals must be free of infectious and contagious diseases and a statement of this is required on the CVI (the statement is pre-printed on the CVI) . Animals appearing unhealthy upon arrival may not enter the exhibition grounds.

3. Individual animal ID is required. ID options include the following:

- A form of official ID (herd tattoo *in combination with* and ear notch; of a state issued metal ear tag; or an ISO-compliant Radio Frequency Identification tag); or
- A plastic stamped ear tag.

4. Interstate swine exhibited at Pennsylvania shows or fairs must meet the Pennsylvania requirements and must be accompanied by an interstate health certificate to be eligible for entry.

**HEALTH RULES FOR GOATS**

**Requirements:**

1 A Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) issued within the 90 days prior to the opening date of the exhibition is required.

2. All animals must be free of infectious and contagious diseases and a statement of this is required on the CVI (the statement is pre-printed on the CVI) . Animals appearing unhealthy upon arrival may not enter the exhibition grounds.

3. Individual official animal identification is required. Official ID includes:

- A scrapie ear tag. Contact the USDA to obtain scrapie ear tags at 1-800-873-2824, weekdays from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Your order may take several weeks for processing, so order tags early; or
  - A scrapie tattoo with individual animal ID (tattoo); or
  - An ISO-compliant RFID tag.
4. Inter State animals must meet Pennsylvania Rules.

**DEPARTMENT 2  
DAIRY CATTLE**

Livestock Superintendent  
Kenneth L. Schlegel

1. A \$5.00 per animal entry fee is required for all open class dairy animals. All entries must enter the open class if entered in the junior show. **ENTRY FEE MUST ACCOMPANY THE ENTRY FORM.** Make checks payable to Kutztown Fair Association.

2. All group classes must be listed on Entry Forms. - No added entries during show.

3. Because of limited space there will be a \$25 fee for animals scratched after Aug. 5, 2017.

4. A milking parlor will be available during specified hours each day. Every effort will be made to have an attendant in the parlor area during those hours. Exhibitors shall milk during those specified times except that allowances will be made for bagging cows for show. However, each exhibitor utilizing the facilities during off-hours will be expected to clean-up when finished.

5. Every exhibitor utilizing the parlor area shall be aware that the milk put in the tank shall be clean and marketable, - free from antibiotics, etc.

**Section 101  
OPEN CLASSES**

NOTE: The same classifications and premiums apply to each breed. Use the following designations for breed classes. Animals eligible for Junior Dairy Show competition under the Holstein Qualified Entry, or the Guernsey and Jersey Genetic Recovery Programs will be considered eligible for show.

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|----------------|----------------|----------------------|
| 1. Ayrshire    | 3. Guernsey    | 5. Jersey            |
| 2. Brown Swiss | 4. Holstein    | 7. Milking Shorthorn |
| 6. Lineback    | 8. Red & White |                      |

**Class Premiums - \$18, 16, 14, 12, 10, 9, 8, 7, all others \$5**

1. Spring Calf - born between  
Mar. 1, 2017 and May 31, 2017

2. Winter Calf - born between  
Dec. 1, 2016 and Feb. 28, 2017
3. Fall Calf - born between  
Sept. 1, 2016 and Nov. 30, 2016

**Class Premiums - \$22, 19, 16, 14, 12, 10, 9, 8, 7**

4. Summer Yearling Heifer - born between  
Jun. 1, 2016 and Aug. 31, 2016
5. Spring Yearling Heifer - born between  
Mar. 1, 2016 and May 31, 2016
6. Winter Yearling Heifer - born between  
Dec. 1, 2015 and Feb. 28, 2016
7. Fall Yearling Heifer - born between  
Sept. 1, 2015 and Nov. 30, 2015
8. Junior Champion Female - Rosette
9. Reserve Junior Champion Female - Rosette

**Class Premiums \$35, 30, 25, 20, 15, 10, 9, 8, 7**

10. Dry Cow - 2 years old and over born before March 1, 2015, must have freshened at least once.
11. Fall Yearling in milk - born between  
Sept. 1, 2015 and Nov. 30, 2015
12. Junior 2 year-old - born between  
Mar. 1, 2015 and Aug. 31, 2015
13. Senior 2 year-old - born between  
Sept. 1, 2014 and Feb. 28, 2015
14. Junior 3 year-old - born between  
Mar. 1, 2014 and Aug. 31, 2014
15. Senior 3 years old - born between  
Sept. 1, 2013 and Feb. 28, 2014
16. 4 year-old - born between  
Sept. 1, 2012 and Aug. 31, 2013
17. 5 year-old - born between  
Sept. 1, 2011 and Aug. 31, 2012
18. 6 year-old - born before Sept. 1, 2011
19. Senior Champion Female - Rosette
20. Reserve Senior Champion Female - Rosette
21. Grand Champion Female - Rosette and Trophy
22. Reserve Grand Champion Female - Rosette
23. Cow in Milk, any age to be judged on udder alone - **\$15, 10**

**Class Premiums - \$25, 20, 15, 10  
(limited to 1 premium/Class/exhibitor)**

- 124. Animal bred and owned by exhibitor - Rosette
- 125. Get of Sire, 3 animals, any age, all by one sire ; need not be owned by one exhibitor.
- 126. Best 3 females, all bred and at least 1 owned by exhibitor
- 127. Dairy Herd - 3 cows that have freshened, all owned by one exhibitor
- 128. Produce of Dam - 2 animals any age, the produce of one cow, need not be owned by one exhibitor
- 129. Dam and her daughter - any age, need not be owned by the same exhibitor/
- 999. Supreme Champion Heifer - Banner
- 1000. Supreme Champion Cow - Banner  
(All champions shall be milked out)



**DEPARTMENT 4  
Section 101  
WOOL (Open)**

Department Head - Roger D. Bowman  
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**Register all entries by July 31 using the forms on page 42 of this premium book or on the web page.**

- 1. All exhibits are to be brought to Beltzner Hall on the Sunday before the fair, from 12 to 5 P.M. and be removed Saturday, last day of fair, after 9:00 p.m.
- 2. All wool exhibited must be shorn within 12 months of the show.
- 3. All Fleeces entered in the show must have been grown on sheep owned by the exhibitor.
- 4. Exhibitors are limited to two entries in each class.
- 5. All fleeces for exhibit must be tied with paper twine or contained in a clear, plastic bag. Fleeces may be rejected if they are tied with sisal twine or other heavy, rough twine as well as fleeces containing an excessive amount of foreign matter such as tags, burrs, chaff, straw, etc.
- 6. No premiums will be awarded in classes where the exhibits are not deemed worthy.
- 7. Entries are limited to residents of Berks and Lehigh counties. Including open entries.
- 8. Wool will be judged on Tuesday of the fair.
- 9. A \$1.00 per fleece entry fee must accompany the entry form.

**Class Premiums- \$12,10,8,7,6,5**

- 1. 64s, 70s, 80s (fine combing) ram fleece
- 2. 64s, 70s, 80s (fine combing) ewe fleece
- 3. 60s, 62s (half blood) combing ram fleece
- 4. 60s, 62s (half blood) combing ewe fleece
- 5. 56s, 58s (3/8 blood) combing ram fleece
- 6. 56s, 58s (3/8 blood) combing ewe fleece
- 7. 50s, 54s (1/4 blood) combing ram fleece
- 8. 50s, 54s (1/4 blood) combing ewe fleece
- 9. 46s, 48s (low blood) combing ram fleece

- 10. 46s, 48s (low blood) combing ewe fleece
- 11. Natural Color Fine Fleece
- 12. Natural Color Medium Fleece
- 13. Natural Color Coarse Fleece
- 14. Champion Fleece - Rosette
- 15. Reserve Champion Fleece - Rosette

**DEPARTMENT 8  
POULTRY**

**Eggs - Section 101**

Department Head - Diane L. Kern  
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**Register all entries by July 31 using the forms on page 42 of this premium book or on the web page.**

All exhibits are to be brought to the fair Sunday before fair opens 12 noon to 5:00 P.M.. and taken out Sunday at end of fair 10:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M..

- 1. An exhibit shall be 1 dozen eggs in a standard carton.
- 2. The judges have the right to break two eggs for examination.

**SCORING**

Exterior Quality:

- Size (Total Weight) ..... 16 points
- Uniformity of color ..... 12 points
- Uniformity of shape ..... 12 points
- Shell Texture ..... 12 points
- Condition ..... 12 points

Interior Quality ..... 36 points

Total ..... 100 points

**SIZE:**

Total weight of exhibit. A perfect score for chicken eggs will be given to the dozen of eggs weighing between 24 and 27 ounces. If the average weight is within one ounce either above 27 ounces or below 24 ounces, cut 8 points. If more than one ounce either above or below, cut 16 points.

**UNIFORMITY OF COLOR:**

All eggs in the entry should be the same shade of color: If white, all eggs should be chalk white, and free from creamy or tinted coloring. If brown, all eggs should be uniformly the same shade of color. A cut of 1/4 to 1/2 point per egg may be made according to the actual shade of each egg, and how well it conforms to uniformity of shade with the other eggs in the dozen.

**UNIFORMITY OF SHAPE:**

Each egg to conform as nearly as possible in shape. Extremes should be avoided. Cut 1/4 to 1/2 point for each egg off shape or ridged.

**SHELL TEXTURE:**

The shell should be strong and of uniform thickness. Cut 1/4 to 1/2 point per egg for shells that are rough, ridged, or wrinkled and for shells that are porous, mottled, or blind check. Cut one point for each egg that is cracked or leaks.

**CONDITION:**

The eggs should be clean and carry a natural bloom. Cut 1/2 to 1 point for each dirty or stained egg, or egg with shiny or glassy surface.

INTERIOR QUALITY	PERFECT SCORE PER EGG	CUT PER EGG
Grade AA	3	
Grade A		0
Grade B including double yolked eggs		3/4
C Quality		1-1/2
Inedible eggs-including large blood or meat spots		Disqualify entry