

LADS AND LADIES LEAD

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JUDGING

Saturday of Fair week, at 7:00 p.m.

Lads and Ladies Lead is a combined Open Class, 4-H and FFA event. The purpose of this activity is to promote the sheep industry by presenting an attractively modeled wool garment with a well-groomed sheep in a manner to give spectators the opportunity to see wool in both its beautiful forms, on the hoof, and in the completed garment.

NO ENTRY FEE

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Entry forms will be available at the wool display in the Sheep barn and must be returned by 4:00 p.m. on event day.
2. Sheep must be ewe lambs, yearling ewes, or aged ewes and must be conditioned, fitted, and trained to show on a halter. The sheep must have been shown in her appropriate class in the Open Sheep Show, 4-H Show, or FFA Show and may be shown only once in the Lads and Ladies Lead Class. Only the participant will handle the sheep (Exception: Minimum assistance may be provided for participants age 6 and under).
3. Entrants must wear a garment of not less than 70% wool.
4. Entries shall include a description of the garment to be worn, the background of the contestant, and the breed of sheep. This description will be read aloud as written while the contestant and his/her animal promenade the ring.
5. Entrants will be judged on the garment and its appearance, the appearance of the sheep, and the coordination in handling between the two. Remember, you are promoting wool and the sheep industry to the public.
6. A name sign may be attached to the exhibit, no larger than 12 x 18 inches.
7. Fair Staff will do the judging. There will also be a People's Choice award. Vote for your favorite at the Horticulture Department in Presidents' Hall.
8. The Fair Staff reserves the right to disqualify an entry deemed inappropriate for a family fair.

AWARDS

1 st	\$15.00
2 nd	\$12.00
3 rd	\$9.00
4 th	\$6.00
5 th	\$3.00

Special Award – Additional Sponsored Awards will be made for the following categories:

- a. Commercial
- b. 2nd Hand Rose
- c. Hand sewn
- d. Handmade (Hand-felted, knitted, woven, or crocheted)

Class 1	Ages 4 – 12, Ladies
Class 2	Ages 4 – 12, Lads
Class 3	Ages 13 – 18, Ladies
Class 4	Ages 13 – 18, Lads
Class 5	Ages 19 and over, Ladies
Class 6	Ages 19 and over, Lads

Division 1 Youth, 11 – 17 years

Division 2 Adult, 18 and over

Class 1 Individual (No more than two figures)

Lot 1	Traditional	Lot 4	Scary
Lot 2	Whimsical	Lot 5	Fair Theme
Lot 3	Mystical		

Class 2 Group (Family or Organization, No more than 4 figures)

Lot 1	Traditional	Lot 4	Scary
Lot 2	Whimsical	Lot 5	Fair Theme
Lot 3	Mystical		

AWARDS

All entries will receive an award ribbon of 1st through HM based on their overall score. Best of category ribbons will be awarded in each lot at the judge's discretion. Superintendent's award will be awarded at the Superintendent's discretion.