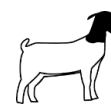


# 2017 Michigan Summer Spectacular



Hosted by the Michigan Junior Livestock Society

Saturday June 10, 2017

Michigan State University's Pavilion for Agriculture and Livestock Education

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Friday, June 9, 2017

6:00 – 9:00 PM

Sheep and Goats may arrive

Saturday, June 10, 2017

7:00 – 9:00 AM

Sheep Check-In and Weigh-In

9:00 AM

Sheep Quiz

9:00 – NOON

Goat Quiz, Skill-a-thon, Graphic Design

10:00 AM

Breeding Sheep Show

Showmanship (Oldest to Youngest)

Lamb Show

Announcement of Overall Awards

Goat Check-In and Weigh-In

Immediately following the announcement of Overall Awards,

Goat Showmanship begins (Oldest to Youngest)

Goat Market Show



## REGULATIONS

- Open to any Michigan youth residents that have reached their 7<sup>th</sup> birthday and are not yet 22 as of January 1 of the current year.
- Exhibitors must show their own animal
- No limit on the number of entries per exhibitor. However, only two premiums will be paid per exhibitor per class.
- All sheep and goats must remain inside the MSU Pavilion once they are check in. No showing off trailers. Exhibitors must use only pens that are assigned for use at the MJLS Summer Spectacular.
- Pens must be bedded with natural bedding (wood shavings, straw, etc.). No carpet.
- Pens must be cleaned out before leaving the Pavilion.
- All market lambs must be slick shorn within 5 days prior to weigh-in.
- Muzzles are prohibited.
- When lambs are braced and/or shown on the profile they must have all 4 feet on the ground. No slapping will be tolerated. Animals shall not be exhibited if drugs administered in accordance with state and federal regulations and rules affect the animal's appearance at the event.
- Sheep with clinical signs of infectious, contagious, or toxicological disease will not be permitted to show and should not be unloaded at the show site. In addition, because of the USDA requirements for inter and or intrastate movement of sheep, the MJLS Summer Spectacular will require that all sheep (breeding stock and market lambs) must have official USDA identification (ID) ear tags.
- Goats with clinical signs of infectious, contagious or toxicological disease will not be permitted to show and should not be unloaded at the show site. In addition, all goats must have permanent and visible identification.
- Market animals must have milk teeth to show.
- Animals with visible prolapses are not allowed to exhibit.
- Exhibitors shall at all times conduct themselves with honesty and good sportsmanship and reflect the highest standards of honor and dignity to promote the advancement of agricultural education. Humane and ethical care and handling practices of sheep is required at all times.
- The Michigan Junior Livestock Society (MJLS), MCLA, MBGA, MSBA and/or MSU Pavilion are not responsible for accidents or lost/stolen items.
- All MCLA & MBGA rules apply.

## **BREEDING SHEEP**

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- All breeds of sheep are eligible to show.
- There is a four head minimum required to make a breed class.
- Ewes born on or after September 1, 2015 are eligible to show. Breeding ewes will be shown as yearling ewes if born on or after September 1, 2015 thru August 31, 2016. Ewe lamb classes will be those ewes born on or after September 1, 2016. Rams born on or after January 1, 2017 are eligible to show. No yearling Rams.
- All breeding sheep must be registered solely in the name of the youth exhibitor or family/farm flock. Registration certificates must be presented at check-in time. Registration applications will not be accepted. All breeding sheep, with the exception of commercials, must be registered with their respective breed associations.

## **SHOWMANSHIP**

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- Classes will be divided by age of exhibitor. Please include exhibitor's date of birth as of January 1, 2017 on the entry form.
- Only youth that enter and exhibit their own animal in the show may participate.
- Youth must show their own animal in showmanship
- Showmanship will proceed from oldest to youngest and will show in one ring.
- Jackpot showmanship is \$5 at time of check-in.

## **MARKET LAMB**

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- Open to wether or ewe lambs.
- Lambs with testicles or yearling teeth will be disqualified.
- Classes will be determined by weight on day of the show. Classes will be divided with approximately equal numbers per class. There will be a minimum of five division champion and reserves.
- All Suffolk, Hampshire, Oxford, Shropshire, Natural Colored and black-faced crossbreds will show by weight. There will be a minimum of four crossbred divisions. All white faced, speckles and other breeds will show by weight in a separate division.

## **MARKET BOER GOAT**

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- Open to wether or doe Boer Goats.
- Goats without milk teeth will be disqualified.
- Classes will be determined by weight on day of show. Classes will be divided with approximately equal numbers per class.
- Weight class winners will be brought back to determine the champion and reserve division. The champion and reserve divisions will then be brought back for the overall grand and reserve market goat.

## EDUCATIONAL CONTESTS

### Educational Contest

This is for all exhibitors. This contest will consist of four sections, showmanship, quiz, skillathon and graphic design. There will be separate quiz/skillathon for the goat exhibitors. However, if showing both sheep and goats only the sheep quiz, skillathon and showmanship will count towards total points. The contest will be split into four age divisions. Points will be awarded for each section and the top three individuals in each age division will be awarded. There is no entry fee required.

### Quiz

There will be a multiple choice test on general knowledge of sheep or goats and their industry. Topics may include, but not limited to nutrition, management, health, reproduction, genetics, fitting and showing, selection and meat products. \*\*\*\*NOTE\*\*\* Sheep quiz is only offered at 9 AM.

### Skillathon

Contestants will be evaluated on their ability to identify a variety of items related to sheep or goats. These might include breeds, cuts of meat, feeds, equipment, parts of the animal, health, products, etc.

### Graphic Design Contest

Graphic design project should promote the industry, a specific breed, your junior organization or 4-H club (as it related to sheep or goats) or a similar topic. Create a promotional flyer or brochure (8 ½ x 11). This contest will enable participants to use computer technology to design materials to educate the public about the industry or your organization. Copyrighted characters such as cartoon characters cannot be used. The back of the design project should include the following information: name, date or birth and resources used for the project. Graphic Design will be judged on the following areas: originality, message, attracts attention, use of space and design.

Graphic Design projects must be submitted to the office by 10:00 am Saturday, June 11, 2017.

## HOTEL

There is a block of rooms for the Summer Spectacular at the Holiday Inn in Okemos. Mention MJLS Summer Spectacular for the special rate! Holiday Inn 517-349-8700.

## PREMIUMS

	BREEDING SHEEP	MARKET LAMBS	MARKET GOATS
Class 1 <sup>st</sup>	\$20	\$20	\$20
Class 2 <sup>nd</sup>	\$15	\$15	\$15
Class 3 <sup>rd</sup>	\$10	\$10	\$10
Division Champ	\$20	Award	Award
Division Res	\$15	Award	Award
Champ Overall	Award	\$250 + Award	\$125 + Award
Res Overall	Award	\$200 + Award	\$75 + Award
3rd Overall		\$150	
4th Overall		\$100	
5th Overall		\$50	

# *2017 Michigan Summer Spectacular Entry Form*

Entry forms with incorrect, incomplete or illegible information WILL NOT be accepted. Entries must be postmarked on or before May 25, 2017. Late entries will be accepted at Check-in on June 10, 2017. Entries postmarked after May 24<sup>th</sup> will be \$30 per head.

Please print clearly. Only one entry form per exhibitor.

Exhibitor Name		Date of Birth / /	
Mailing Address			
City	State	Zip	
Email Address		Phone	

## *Entries*

Educational Contest (circle)	Quiz		Skilllathon		Graphic Design	
	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO
Breeding Sheep: Ewes	# Head _____ x \$20 (\$30 if late) =				\$	
Breeding Sheep: Rams	# Head _____ x \$20 (\$30 if late) =				\$	
Market Lambs	# Head _____ x \$20 (\$30 if late) =				\$	
Market Goats	# Head _____ x \$20 (\$30 if late) =				\$	
Pens (including equipment pens)	# Pens _____ x \$11 =				\$	
Camping Space	# Nights _____ x \$30 =				\$	
<b>TOTAL (Make Checks Payable to MJLS- SHEEP)</b>					<b>\$</b>	
Pens will be assigned. If you would like to pen NEAR another exhibitor, please include their first and last name.						

Please make checks payable to MJLS- SHEEP.

Send entries to MJLS Summer Spectacular, 2106 Rd 20, Continental, OH 45831

Signing this form indicates that the exhibitor and parent/guardian have read and will abide by the rules of the MJLS Summer Spectacular. Failure to comply or adhere to any rules shall result in disqualification from this event.

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Exhibitor Signature

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Parent/Guardian Signature

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Date