



MAY 9-11, 2024

Darke County Fairgrounds, 800 Sweitzer St., Greenville, OH

ENTRY DEADLINE – MARCH 22

Shows will be webcast on YouTube

Sale will be webcast via BreedersWorld Live at www.breedersworld.com

Select Livestock Services LLC would like to invite you to consign to the 2024 Ohio Showcase Sale. In conjunction with our sale, we will host the National Southdown Sale, National Shropshire Sale, National Tunis Sale, National Romney Sale, National Lincoln Sale, National Border Leicester Sale, National Merino Sale, Eastern Regional Texel Sale, Eastern Regional Hampshire Sale and Great Lakes Regional Dorper Sale. This information contains rules and conditions the sale will be held under. Please read this carefully. When you submit entries to this sale, you are agreeing to abide by all rules and regulations of the sale.

SHOW SCHEDULE:

Thursday, May 9, 9:00 a.m. –

Ring 1 (Swine Building) – Natural Colored, National Lincoln, National Merino, National Border Leicester, National Romney, Columbia, Rambouillet, Corriedale judged by Randell VonKrosigk, SD. Eastern Regional Texel, Wether Sires & Dams judged by Brad Ellerbrock, IL

Ring 2 (Cattle Pavilion) – Katahdins judged by Evan Snyder, PA. National Tunis, Cheviot, Montadale, Polled Dorset, Horned Dorset judged by Alex Wolf, OH

Friday, May 10, 8:00 a.m. – Cattle Pavilion

Great Lakes Regional Dorper/White Dorper judged by Evan Snyder, PA. National Southdown judged by Brad Ellerbrock, IL. National Shropshire judged by Alex Wolf, OH. Eastern Regional Hampshire, Suffolk, Oxford judged by Randell VonKrosigk, SD.

SALE SCHEDULE:

Thursday, May 9, 6:00 p.m. – Coliseum – Used Equipment Auction

Friday, May 10, 9:00 a.m. – Swine Building

Natural Colored, National Lincoln, National Merino, National Border Leicester, National Romney, Columbia, Rambouillet, Corriedale, National Tunis, Katahdin, Cheviot, Montadale, Polled Dorset, Horned Dorset, Eastern Regional Texel, Wether Sires & Dams.

Saturday, May 11, 9:00 a.m. – Cattle Pavilion - Same as show order

AUCTIONEERS: Dan Westlake, OH, Bill MacCauley, PA, Gary Saylor, OH

ENTRY FEES: \$30 per head payable at time of entry.

ENTRY INFORMATION: The deadline for entries is **March 22**. Please use the enclosed entry form. If you are entering more than one breed, please use a separate form for each breed, you can make copies of the blank form or print the form from our web site www.selectls.net. Sale Management reserves the right to edit or reduce the size of extremely long footnotes. Use this space wisely and please try not to repeat the same things over and over. Substitutions will be allowed in or out of class. Information Sale Day will be accepted. Entry fees will not be refunded on any sheep that are sifted or otherwise fail to make the sale.

MAILED ENTRIES: Complete the enclosed form and send entries by **March 22** to Select Livestock Services LLC, PO Box 25, Rushsylvania, OH 43347 **OR**

***** ONLINE ENTRIES ***: Entries can now be submitted online at www.selectls.net.**

Online Entry Procedure –

Start at www.selectls.net and click on the “Entries” tab at the top

- **Login** – You will be asked to enter an **email address and password**. Write down the password so you can use it for next year. If you forget your password or can't retrieve it from a previous year, you can do a password reset, just enter as if you were a first time user. Before you create a new account, try recovering your password via the “Recover Password” link on the site. If your email address is found in our system, you will receive an email with a link to set a new password. If it says “Email not found” then go ahead and create a new account. Enter your email and password and complete the online form.
- **Breed Division** – The entry screen has a drop-down menu for each separate breed division. Example: Hampshires, Hampshire Wether Sires, Horned Dorsets, Polled Dorsets. Scan the entire range so you enter the correct division.
- **Class Division** – A second drop-down menu will give you the appropriate Classes to enter. Enter classes that you know or think you will bring. If you decide to bring a sheep of different age, we will change that at Check-in.
- **Flock Name & Number** – In this field we also ask for any christened names. We catalog this information in a specific order so it is helpful if you enter it that way. For named sheep, please put christened names in CAPITAL LETTERS (not quotes)
- **Association Number** – Fill in if your entries are already registered. Leave Blank if pending or not applicable.
- **Date of Birth** followed by **Sibling, Spider & Codon** – Fill in or use the dropdown list, otherwise leave blank and we can complete at check-in. Codon results are printed on the sale order and you will sign to verify those results at check-in.
- **Sire & Dam** – Fill out in the same manner as the entry. Sibling and codon/spider codes for sire and dam can be added to the respective flock tag.
- **Information Sale Day Entries** – Make sure to click the box verifying that you don't intend to enter additional information. ** Required for Information Sale Day” entries only
- **Footnotes** – A space at the bottom is provided for footnotes. DO NOT use caps or quotes in footnotes. We do edit for clarity, typos, redundancy. If you have one footnote that applies to all entries, put that note on either the first or last entry but not all of them. Put names of sheep in ALL CAPS. No need to repeat pedigree info for entries that are catalogued with complete information. Giving extended pedigree or show ring history information is perfectly acceptable.
- **Review Screen** – Make sure to check your entries before submitting.
- **Payment** – Choose payment by check or credit card. If you choose check, please mail that right away. Entries will not be accepted until payment has been received.

Be sure you check the box that states you have read the rules and information.

LATE ENTRIES: Select Livestock Services will accept late entries. Entries received by the deadline as listed on the entry form will be in the catalog. Entries received after the deadline and before the catalog is printed, we will make every effort to include these in the catalog. All entries received after the catalog is printed including entries made at the sale will be considered Late Entries and will be assessed a \$20 per head late fee. A consignor who has entries in the catalog and later adds on additional entries will not be assessed this late fee.

COMMISSION: Sale charges will be 10% of your sale gross

SPONSORSHIP DEDUCTIONS: Cheviots, Columbias, Corriedales, Dorset Advantage, Hampshires, Merinos, Montadales, Natural Colored, Oxfords, Polled/Horned Dorsets, Rambouillets, Romneys, Shropshires and Tunis will have 2% deducted for their Ohio breed associations. Suffolks will have 1% deducted for the Ohio Suffolk Assn. Southdowns will have 2% for the Ohio Southdown Assn. and an additional 1% for the American Southdown Breeders Assn. deducted. Border Leicesters, Katahdins, Lincolns and Texels will have 2% deducted for their National Assn., Dorpers/White Dorpers will have 2% deducted for the Great Lakes Dorper Assn. Crossbred Wether Sires and Dams will have 2% deducted to the Ohio Suffolk Assn. There will also be one half of one percent (.005) deducted for the Ohio Sheep & Wool Program.

FUTURITY: All futurity nominated ewes MUST have an "F" paint brand at the top of the shoulder BEFORE entering the show ring. Once your placing is recorded, your nomination is confirmed. No ewes can be nominated after their class has been shown and placings recorded. Futurity nominated ewes will be designated on the sale order. For information on respective futurity programs, please contact your breed association. Some breed associations also have us deduct the futurity nomination fees.

SETTLEMENT CHECKS: Settlement checks are normally mailed to consignors 30 days from the sale for all sheep that are paid for at that time. Collection from "bad buyers" of necessity must be a shared responsibility. Settlements may be held for missing registration papers. No commission will be charged on sheep that are not yet paid for thus, we do not get paid until you get paid.

CLASSES: These classes will be for **all breeds**. Some breeds may have additional classes listed below. In all breeds, classes may be split further depending on the number of head entered and checked in. Classes of 25 head or more will be split by even and odd lot number. The bottom half of larger classes may be random drawn for sale order. In essence of keeping the show moving timely, there will be no handling of sheep in the show ring following the judge's placings and reasons.

All breeds will show in the following order with rams showing and selling first.

Yearling Rams & Ewes (born 9/1/22 thru 8/31/23)
Fall Ram & Ewe Lambs (born 9/1/23 thru 12/31/23)
January Ram & Ewe Lambs (born 1/1/24 thru 1/31/24)
February and after Ram & Ewe Lambs (born 2/1/24 and after)

ADDITIONAL Classes by Breed:

Southdown: Southdown Fall Ram & Ewe Lambs will be split into Early Fall 9/1 thru 10/31 and Late Fall 11/1 thru 12/31.

Tunis: Enter all Fitted Yearling Ewes in that class and we will split evenly by birthdate into Early & Late born classes.

There will be slick shorn classes for:

Yearling Rams & Ewes (born 9/1/22 thru 8/31/23) and Ram Lambs & Ewe Lambs (born 9/1/23 and after)

Be sure to designate on the entry form. All unmarked entries will be considered fitted unless otherwise noted.

Shropshire: Ewe Lamb classes will be:

Early January (January 1-15), Late January (January 16-31)

Early February (February 1-15), Late February and after (Feb 16 & after)

Hampshire & Suffolk: There will be classes for both fitted and slick shorn breeding divisions. Please designate on the entry form. Entries not designated will be considered fitted unless otherwise noted.

Wether Sires & Dams: There will be classes for Registered Suffolks, Registered Hampshires, Registered Dorsets and Dorset Advantage, Crossbreds/Unregistered. Be sure to make proper designation on the entry form.

REGISTRATION PAPERS: All animals must have a valid registration paper. We WILL NOT accept applications for registry. All registration papers are to be turned in at sale check in. For any original papers that are not in Select Livestock Services possession within 10 days from the sale will be assessed a \$20 Late Fee per registration paper. Please get your paperwork done timely to avoid any Late Fees. Registration papers will be transferred and forwarded to the buyers. Cost of transfers will be deducted from consignor's settlements.

HEALTH PAPERS: You must have a currently valid Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) for each animal you sell issued within 30 days of the sale. A copy of the original will be fine for multiple entries and we will need TWO copies for EACH entry (3 sheep = 6 copies). **A federal scrapie ID must be in each animal's ear.** The following information must be legibly written or typed on all health papers:

- 1) Owner or Consignor name and address
- 2) Species and purpose of movement
- 3) Private flock tag number
- 4) Federal scrapie ID number (Must include premise ID and individual tag number)
- 5) Age, sex and breed of animal
- 6) The following statement must be recorded on the certificate by the issuing veterinarian:
"Sheep in this shipment are not known to be under any movement restrictions due to scrapie"
- 7) Signature and printed name, address and phone number of accredited veterinarian.

As a consignor, please take the responsibility to insure that all of the above information is complete and legible. It is your responsibility to provide sale management with clear and legible copies. Again, you will need two copies for each animal in your consignment.

NOTE: No lambs under 30 days of age are allowed on the fairgrounds. This is mandated by Ohio Animal Health Regulations.

ELIZA TESTING: We are not requiring a negative brucellosis test on rams over 6 months of age. However, if your yearling ram or fall ram lamb would sell into one of the states listed below, a negative brucellosis (Eliza) test will be required for the ram to be shipped. So, do your homework and come to the sale with an Eliza test if you think there is a possibility of selling into one of the following states: Arizona, California, Montana, Nevada, North Carolina, North Dakota, South Dakota, Texas, Utah, Washington and Wyoming.

DNA DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS: All Consignors are encouraged to post DNA information on stall cards at the pens.

The following breeds **are required** to disclose DNA information. Full Codon 171 (scrapie susceptibility) AND spider syndrome genotype information must be disclosed at check in on any animals selling in the following breeds: Suffolks, Hampshires, Shropshires, Southdowns, Oxfords and Crossbred/Unregistered. This genotype information will be printed on the sale order for these breeds. Neither Select Livestock Services LLC nor sponsoring organizations shall assume any liability, legal or otherwise expressed or implied as it relates to this information.

Suffolks, Hampshires, Oxfords, Wether Type Suffolks, Hampshires, Crossbred/Unreg.: Sheep of (RR, QR, QQ, NN, NS) will be allowed to sell. Each consignor must declare and guarantee the genetic makeup of each of their entries with respect to both Codon 171 and spider syndrome.

Southdowns: The rules adopted by the ASBA relating to the sale warranty will be followed: "At all sales sponsored by the ASBA, the seller warrants to the buyer that sheep sold are free of hereditary chondrodysplasia (spider), ectodermal (hairy lamb), ovine dwarfism and contain a minimum of one R at codon 171". Any questions concerning these warranty rules should be directed to the ASBA.

Shropshires: The ASRA and Ohio Shropshire Assn., as sponsors of the sale require that all Shropshires must be NN and RR or QR. There will be no QQ or NS Shropshires allowed to be sold. All Shropshires in the Sale must be FF for the dwarf gene.

The following breeds **are NOT required** to, but may if they choose to do so, disclose DNA information.

Border Leicesters, Cheviots, Columbias, Corriedales, Dorsets (Polled, Horned, Wether Type), Katahdins, Lincolns, Merinos, Montadales, Natural Coloreds, Rambouillets, Romneys, Texels, Tunis: Sheep of all genotypes (RR, QR, QQ) will be allowed to sell. Codon 171 information will be listed on the sale order if the consignor declares and guarantees that information to be correct at check in time. Spider syndrome is not required and will not be recorded.

Texels: The Texel Sheep Breeders Society has determined that only sheep that have been tested negative to Ovine Progressive Pneumonia (OPP) within 30 days prior to the Eastern Regional Texel Show & Sale will be allowed to be penned and participate. All sheep must be accompanied by a negative OPP AGID or ELISA test regardless of age. Animal ID must match test result identification. Additionally, all tail docks of all entered Texel sheep must be liftable.

CATALOG: The catalog will be mailed to consignors and anyone that requests one. It will be posted on our web site at www.selectls.net and will also be posted on many breed association web sites for potential buyers to access.

SHOWS WEB CAST: The Shows will be webcast on You Tube. Watch for details on our web site closer to show day.

SALES WEB CAST: The Sale will be webcast with live online bidding via Breeders World Live at www.breedersworld.com.

NOTE - NEW FLOOR BID FOR 2024: There will be a minimum bid of \$400 on all sheep in the Ohio Showcase Sale. Any sheep failing to bring the minimum will be passed through the sale ring with no additional percentages charged. If you wish to place a higher hold bid on your animals, please talk to us prior to the sale. All animals taken out of the ring as a "No Sale" will have the full percentage of commission and fees charged against them based on the "No Sale" price.

SIFTING: Animals may be sifted to maintain the high quality standards of the sale. Animals may be sifted for soundness or quality defects. All decisions are final. Sifted animals may not be sold privately on the sale grounds. Entry fees will not be returned on animals sifted from the sale or for animals that fail to get in the sale for various other reasons. All animals checked in for the show must show in the show and all animals shown but not sifted must pass through the sale ring.

FITTING POLICY: All animals should be properly presented for show. **Southdowns** are to follow American Southdown Breeders Association rules to be slick shorn. **Shropshires** are to be completely and uniformly slick shorn to the hocks and knees. **Wether Sires and Dams** are to be slick shorn. **Texels, Dorpers and White Dorpers** must be slick shorn. **Oxfords** can now be presented entirely fitted, entirely slicked, or slicked to the hip. The choice is the responsibility of the consignor.

OHIO SHOWCASE USED EQUIPMENT AUCTION – Thursday, May 9, 6:00 p.m., Coliseum. Commission on used equipment will be 15%. Equipment must be checked in at the Coliseum between Noon and 4:00 on Thursday.

The first used equipment auction was a huge success because of the good, quality used equipment that was offered. Sale Management reserves the right to reject or refuse any equipment that will be detrimental to the quality of the auction. Small items may be grouped together. NO JUNK!, NO FEED SACKS! We want good workable used equipment.

ARRIVAL TIME: The buildings at the Fairgrounds will be ready for arrival on Monday evening, May 6, Anyone needing to come in prior to that should contact Select Livestock Services. All sheep need to be in the barn and checked in by 8:00 p.m. the evening prior to your show.

PENNING: Please include any requests for penning arrangements with your entries. We cannot guarantee these requests but they will be taken into consideration when pen assignments are made. Pens will be assigned by breed in interest of keeping all sheep within the breed penned in the same area. Pens will not be available for any non-sale Junior Show entries. Those sheep will be penned and shown in the sheep barn located east of the Cattle Pavilion and Swine Building.

PROCEDURE ON TRANSIT ANIMALS: All sheep in transit on the Darke County Fairgrounds must be kept on trailers and will be held in accordance to all Ohio Showcase Sale rules. Both USDA and Ohio State Veterinarian will be on the grounds and may inspect sheep and their health papers in all trailers. All delivery sheep must have permanent ID, display proper scrapie tags and state of final destination on their paperwork.

LODGING/HOTELS: MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS ASAP! Be sure to specify Ohio Showcase Sale when making reservations at the hotels in bold: Quality Inn, 1190 E Russ Rd, Greenville, 937/316-5252 \$120.00 plus tax; **Holiday Inn Express**, 1195 E Russ Rd., Greenville, 937/548-1328, \$139.99 plus tax; **Holiday Inn Express**, 95 N Parkview Dr., Brookville, OH 937/833-9998 (25 minutes from Fairgrounds). **Hotel Versailles**, 22 N. Center St., Versailles (937/526-3020) Note: This is a new hotel in small town Versailles about 15 minutes from the Fairgrounds. Very Nice!

Other nearby Hotels near Richmond, IN about 30 minutes from the Fairgrounds at I-70 and Route 40 (National Road) include:

Fairfield Inn by Marriot, 9797 US 40W, New Paris, OH 937/437-8009; Holiday Inn, 6000 National Rd. E, Richmond, IN 765/488-1975; Motel Six, 6030 National Rd. E, Richmond, IN 765/966-6559; Best Western Classic Inn, 533 W. Eaton Pike, Richmond, IN 765/939-9500; Hampton Inn & Suites, 455 Commerce Rd., Richmond, IN 765/966-5200; Days Inn, 5775 National Rd. E, Richmond, IN 765/598-4694; Econo Lodge, 419 Commerce Dr., Richmond, IN 765/844-3872; Quality Inn & Conference Center, 5501 National Rd. E, Richmond, IN 765/488-0931; Richmond Inn & Suites, 3020 E. Main St., Richmond, IN 965/966-1505.

CAMPER PARKING: Camper parking is available on the Fairgrounds. Call Darke County Fairgrounds to reserve a camping space 937/548-5044.

CAMPER RENTAL: Campers are available for rent. Contact Davis Camper Sales located at 101 N. Main St., North Star which is just a few miles north of Greenville on St. Rt. 127. Call 419/336-7141 in advance for details.

SELECT LIVESTOCK SERVICES is a fully bonded and licensed sale management company. We assume all costs normally related to the sale including Fairgrounds rent, judging fees, auctioneer fees, sale staff fees, all advertising, veterinarian fees uncurred for the purpose of reissuing health papers to new buyers, catalog as well as other incidental costs that normally go with a well-managed sale.

Entry of animals in this sale implies that the consignor agrees to the conditions as set forth for this sale. All consignors agree that all sheep are guaranteed breeders. All lambs must maintain their lamb teeth 12 months from their birthdate, as recorded on their registration paper. As a consignor, you are responsible for the costs incurred in the preparation and transportation of your sheep, feed and bedding at the sale. The selling of sheep in this sale constitutes a contract between buyer and seller.

Select Livestock Services LLC will use its best effort to secure payment for each animal sold, but does not guarantee collectability of buyer. Select Livestock Services LLC will use its best effort to provide safety and security for animals at the sale site, but does not guarantee against theft, illness or loss of animals consigned and/or sold.

Consign some of your best! If you have any questions, you can contact us at any of the phone numbers below. **Again, the entry deadline is March 22. We ask that you please be on time.**

SUBMIT ENTRIES ONLINE at www.selectls.net

OR

MAIL ENTRIES & MAKE CHECKS TO:

SELECT LIVESTOCK SERVICES LLC

P.O. BOX 25

RUSHSVLVANIA, OH 43347

Pat - 937/935-1975 - Jim - 937/658-3119 - Gary - 937/597-7214 - Dan - 937/243-5111



Entry Deadline: March 22



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Date Rec'd _____
Head _____
Entry Due _____
Entry Paid _____
Check # _____
Credit Card _____

Flock Name _____ **Consignor Name** _____ **Premise ID#** _____

Name of person to receive payment if different than consignor name _____

Address _____

City _____ **State** _____ **Zip** _____

Phone _____ / _____ **Email** _____ **Web Site** _____

Number Head Entered _____ **x \$30 =** _____ **Amt. Due**

____ **Check Enclosed** ____ **Master Card** ____ **Visa** ____ **Discover** ____ **American Express**

Credit Card #: _____ **Expiration Date:** _____ **Security Code:** _____

Cardholder Name: _____ **Cardholder Signature:** _____

I have read and agree to the conditions of the Show & Sale.

Consignor Signature _____

Breed _____ **Breeding:** Fitted ____ Slick Shorn ____ **Wether S&D:** Registered ____ XBred ____

Class _____

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