

Sheep Exhibitors,

We are officially one week away from the Hardin County Fair. Here are a few important reminders:

- 1. DUNF – Drug Use Notification Forms must be completed by Saturday, September 2. Fill out this form once for EACH MARKET ANIMAL: <http://go.osu.edu/dunf>**
- 2. All exhibitors (breeding and market) must have Scrapie tags on file for ALL goats on the fairgrounds.** You submitted your Scrapie premise ID and tag numbers with your fair entries, HOWEVER, many of these numbers are incomplete. **Please check your scrapie tag numbers and make any corrections on the google sheet at <http://go.osu.edu/hardinsheeptags>.** Again, please include the premise ID *and* Scrapie Tag number.
- 3. All market animals will complete a destination form at the scales on Monday.** This form tells the sale committee if you will be taking your market animal home or if it will be going to the packer. Please be prepared in advance to fill out this form.

Remember to read all the Sheep department rules on pages 47 – 49 of the [Hardin County Fair Book](#).

Sheep Department Fair Schedule

Monday

- 9:00 – 5:00 – Wristband and show number pick up at the Jr. Fair Office
- 1:00 – 3:00 – Market Lamb Weigh-in
- 2:00 – 3:00 – Purebred registration paper check at the wool display area.
- 3:30 – Mandatory Jr. Fair sheep exhibitor meeting in small animal show arena

Wednesday

- 4:00 – Breed Show
- Showmanship & Market lamb show to immediately follow

Friday

- 11:30 – noon – Open class purebred breeding sheep paper check in
- 2:00 – Born in Hardin County Market Lamb Show immediately followed by Open Class show

Saturday

- Jr. Fair Livestock Sale

Sunday

- 7:00 p.m. – animals going home released
- 9:00 p.m. – animals sold in sale released

The sheep committee for 2023 is: Steve Harpster (chair), Nancy Wilcox, Madelyn Lowery, Nathan Weaver, Megan Burgess, Emily Overs, and Ashley Haudenschild.

See you at the fair!

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