

**DORSET HORN AND POLL DORSET SHEEP BREEDERS' ASSOCIATION
ANNUAL BREEDERS' SHOW, 2010**

MAY FAIR, 2010, SHOW SCHEDULE

Classes 1 – 9 and the two special classes will be judged on Tuesday afternoon, 4th May, 2010. Judging to commence at 12.30 pm. with the Best pen of Rams. Class 1 to follow at 1 p.m. Classes 10 - 12 will be judged on Wednesday morning, 5th May, 2010. Judging at 9.00 a.m.

Lambs must be born on/after the 1st of September, 2009, the date of birth to be stated and the Member's Flock Number shall be tattooed in the ear together with the animal's individual number and year letter.

Shearlings – born on or after 1 September 2008 **bearing the year letter "L"**.

Shearlings and Older Rams must be shorn on or after 1 March, 2010.

An entry fee of £3.00 per class will be charged. **Closing date 12 Noon on Tuesday, 6th April, 2010.** All rams and ewes must have been bred by the exhibitor and bear the registered tattoo of the Association.

CLASSES 1 & 2 ARE RESTRICTED TO 2 SHEEP PER MEMBER PER CLASS.

ALL EXHIBITORS MUST WEAR WHITE COATS WHEN SHOWING.

IF YOU WISH TO SHOW YOUR SHEEP ON THE TUESDAY, THEY MUST BE AVAILABLE FOR SALE ON THE WEDNESDAY.

No ram may be entered in more than one Class, except the Signet Class and the Champion Class which is open to the winners of Classes 3 – 9. Signet Class restricted to qualifying rams. Sheep competing shall be haltered and not be artificially coloured in any way.

Best pen of five or more Ram Lambs and/or Shearlings – The Peter Mead Challenge Cup.

Class 1 Best Ewe Lamb (Horn/Poll) (**not to be in lamb**). The Sheldon Jones Challenge Trophy.

Class 2 Best Shearling Ewe (Horn/Poll) (**not to be in lamb**). The Baker Trophy.

Special Class Progeny Group of 3 (one of which is to be of the opposite sex). The Carson Trophy.

Special Class Best Ram Lamb or Shearling recorded within the Signet Sheepbreeder Scheme. The J M Lenthall Challenge Cup.

Class 3 Best Pair of Horn or Poll Ram Lambs. The Alfred Johnson Challenge Cup given by the late Mr Johnson.

Class 4 Best Single Horn Ram Lamb. The Rupert Tory Memorial Challenge Cup given by the late Mrs R Tory.

Class 5 Best Single Poll Ram Lamb. The Bennett Challenge Cup.

Class 6 Best Group of Three Ram Lambs or Three Shearlings. The Association Challenge Cup.

Class 7 Best Shearling Horn Ram.

Class 8 Best Shearling Poll Ram. The Crutchley Salver

Class 9 Best Pair of Shearling Rams (Horn/Poll). The Murray Gill Challenge Cup given by Mr M Gill.

EWE CLASSES – to be judged in pens in the Sale area on Wednesday, 5th May, 2010, and to be the property of the Member exhibiting, each sheep to bear a registered number of the Association. (One entry per member per class)

Class 10 Best Pen of 5 Select Horn/Poll Ewes, year letter “K” or older (not Hoggets) – the F F Hollis Perpetual Challenge Cup.

Class 11 Best Pen of 5 Horn/Poll Hoggets – (to be sold first in vendors draft). The Oscar Masters Challenge Cup

Class 12 Best Pen of 5 Horn/Poll Ewe Lambs.

Show sheep in Classes 10, 11, and 12 not penned by 9 a.m. will not be judged.