Mid Michigan Llama Show Eaton County Fairgrounds
May 4, 2019 Charlotte, MI
Entry Deadline April 22, 2019

This is a 1 day show. Gate panels will **not** be provided. You may bring your own gates and set them up in the barn. You may use your trailer. Animals can be checked in Saturday morning before the first event . Food will be available (for a donation). There will be 2 show rings.

Rules/Guidelines This show is approved by ALSA and will run according to rules/guidelines in the ALSA current edition Handbook. Visit http://www.alsashow.org to review complete handbook.

1. **ENTRY**: All breeding llamas 13 months and older, with the exception of Youth Classes, must be registered with the ILR. Copies of registration papers, including pending registrations, and ALSA membership card *must* be included with the completed entry form. (*See entry form for Non-ALSA member fees*) Please include the ALSA assigned number for each llama.

2. **Non-Breeders** do not have to be registered, but must have a vet certificate. If Non-Breeders are not registered and wish to be in the ALSA award system and wish to show in halter, they must show in the adult Non-Breeder halter class.

3. **MEDICAL:** Out of state animals must have a health certificate within 30 days of the show and list 840 microchip and/or eartag number. Microchip reader will be available at the show.

4. **AGE DIVISIONS** for Youth Handlers (age as of Jan. 1, of current year)
   Sub-junior - 4 thru 7 years
   Youth Junior - 8 thru 11 years 8 yr olds may show as of their birthday. It is recommended that exhibitors 8 through 12 yrs of age not show intact male llamas over 24 months of age.
   Youth Intermediate - 12 thru 14 years.
   Youth Senior – 15 thru 18 years.
   Youth who turn 19 after January 1 may complete the year as a Youth Sr. They have the option to continue to show in the Senior Showmanship class, but if the youth shows in an Adult Showmanship Class they no longer are eligible to compete in youth showmanship class.

5. **ATTIRE**: Showmanship/halter: dark pants or skirt and white blouse or shirt. Performance: clean appropriate attire.

6. **PERFORMANCE CLASSES:** A llama cannot be shown in both Youth and Open classes.
   Youth can only show one animal in youth classes.

7. **HALTER CLASSES**: ***Age of llama as of first day of show***
   Juvenile - 5 thru 12 months. 2 Year Old - 25 thru 36 months
   Yearling - 13 thru 24 months Adult - 37 months and older

8. **WOOL DESCRIPTIONS; No wool class changes made at show except by the Judge.**
   Suri- Lustrous, cool hand, lack of crimp and minimal loft, locked fiber that drapes over the llama's body.
   Light - Minimal body wool, short neck wool with smooth legs.
   Medium - Moderate to long body wool, minimal to moderate neck wool, smooth to moderate head and leg wool.
   Heavy - Abundant body and neck wool with minimal to abundant head and leg wool. (i.e. leg wool at least to knee and hock).

9. **Produce of Dam -** Two offspring by the same dam, either sex, and produce may represent the same sire. Produce must be shown in appropriate halter class.

10. **Get of Sire -** Three offspring by the same sire, either sex, by at least two different dams. All get must be shown in appropriate halter class. *If you do not own the dam or sire, bring written permission from the owner for you to show in Produce or Get.*

11. ***Two rings will be running simultaneously. Halter ring takes precedence. Please be attentive to the show ring and have someone help you if necessary. No class will be held up waiting for exhibitors.***

Show Location:
Eaton County Fairgrounds
1025 S. Cochran Hwy. Charlotte, MI 48813

If you have any questions about the show or your entry please contact Corky Dubois at 616-902-2382 or Dave Thompson at 616-902-2383. email egflamas@yahoo.com