



**Mid-Michigan Llama Show**  
**ALSA & ILR Sanctioned; MLA Sponsored**  
**Eaton Co Fairgrounds, Mi Show**  
**Superintendent: Carmen Hartwig**  
**Entries must be postmarked by April 30, 2022**

**Judges: Phil Feiner and Joy Bishop-Forshey**

Welcome back to the Mid-Michigan Llama Show! This year we have a  
 BRAND-NEW SUPERINTENDENT! Welcome Carmen Hartwig!! She

is busy planning some new and inviting events for our annual Show! New this year is that MID-Michigan is a QUAD show! There will be two judges, each doing their own placings. Each judge will be turning their results into both ALSA AND ILR! You will be getting points from BOTH show associations! This is the FIRST TIME that Mid-Michigan has welcomed the ILR in their sanctioning! YAY! This is a two-day show. Stalls may be rented, or you may choose to stall in your trailer/pen BUT this IS a groom show!! There is an outside washing area, but it may still be rather chilly in Michigan the beginning of May. Be sure to watch the weather as we Michigander's know, it may be 75degrees... It may be snowing... Michigan is a magical place!! Our show is normally held under an open sided, covered arena, while the animals are stalled inside a four-sided barn. The show CAN be moved inside if needed. NOT AN ALSA MEMBER? Did you know that ALSA allows exhibitors one "freebie" show? You get to take one free spin around the ALSA block before paying to become a member if you so choose... To attend this show, you will need to participate with both associations. We love our clerks! They are some of the best around, so we want to take care of them! It is VERY difficult to try to separate and recalculate when some animals are in one group, but not the other. If our clerks aren't happy, it isn't a good thing for any of us! Let's keep em' smiling!! Welcome to the Mid-Michigan Llama Show, and we are glad you are here!!

**Saturday 8:00 a.m. Exhibitors' Meeting begins at 8:30 a.m.**

**Classes may be combined if necessary**

**Showmanship**

- 1. Junior Youth
- 2. Intermediate Youth
- 3. Senior Youth
- 4. Adult Showmanship (sub Jr)

**Suri Females**

- 5. Juvenile
- 6. Yearling
- 7. Two Year Old

- 8. Adult
- Grand/Reserve

**Suri Males**

- 9. Juvenile
- 10. Yearling
- 11. Two Year Old
- 12. Adult
- Grand/Reserve

**Silky Females**

- 13. Juvenile
- 14. Yearling
- 15. Two Year Old
- 16. Adult
- Grand/Reserve

**Silky Males**

- 17. Juvenile
- 18. Yearling
- 19. Two Year Old

- 20. Adult
- Grand/Reserve

**Light Wool Females**

- 21. Juvenile
- 22. Yearling
- 23. Two Year Old
- 24. Adult
- Grand/Reserve

**Light Wool Males**

25. Juvenile  
 26. Yearling  
 27. Two Year Old  
 28. Adult  
 Grand/Reserve

**Medium Wool Females**

29. Juvenile  
 30. Yearling  
 31. Two Year Old  
 32. Adult  
 Grand/Reserve

**Medium Wool Males**

33. Juvenile  
 34. Yearling  
 35. Two Year Old

36. Adult  
 Grand/Reserve

**Heavy Wool Females**

37. Juvenile  
 38. Yearling  
 39. Two Year Old  
 40. Adult  
 Grand/Reserve

**Heavy Wool Males**

41. Juvenile  
 42. Yearling  
 43. Two Year Old  
 44. Adult  
 Grand/Reserve

**Nonbreeder**

45. Yearling  
 46. Two Year Old

47. Adult  
 Grand/Reserve

48. Produce of Dam  
 49. Get of Sire

**Obstacle**

50. Junior  
 51. Intermediate  
 52. Senior  
 53. Novice  
 54. Advanced  
 (sub Junior)

**Public Relations**

55. Junior  
 56. Intermediate  
 57. Senior  
 58. Novice

59. Advanced  
 (sub Junior)

**PACK**

60. Junior  
 61. Intermediate  
 62. Senior  
 63. Novice  
 64. Advanced

**Health Certificates and 840 microchips are required for all animals from out of state. Animals from within MI do not need Health Certificates**  
**Animals born prior to March 11, 2015, must be microchipped (not necessarily an 840)**  
**\*contact us if you need help with microchips**

**Saturdays show begins with Showmanship and will be followed by Halter classes. Obstacle classes will begin on Saturday night and will resume Sunday morning. Please be attentive to our desire to move this show along and have someone help you show if necessary.**

**Rules/Guidelines** New 22nd edition ALSA Handbook. Exhibitor's must be the registered owners & make entry in the exact names as shown on the registration certificate. All llamas must be ILR registered, except animals for youth classes or non-breeders with a vet certificate. Non breeders without registration must be accompanied by a vet certificate verifying.

**For performance classes.** One entry/youth in all youth performance classes. An animal can only go through each OB, PR, or Pack class one time. Jr. Youth: 7-11, Intermediate: 12-14, Senior: 15-18 as of January 1<sup>st</sup> of the current year. A Youth who turns 7 during the year can show as of his/her birthday. Include ALSA numbers for each youth handler.

**Produce Of Dam:** 2 offspring from the same dam.

**Get Of Sire-**3 animals with the same sire, out of 2 different dams. All Get of Sire and Produce entries must show in appropriate halter classes.

If not owner of Sire or Dam in Get or Produce classes-must bring written permission from owner.

Nursing mothers may not be accompanied into the ring by their cria.

Halter Classes: Age as of April 24. Juvenile: 5-12mo. Yearling: 13-24 months. 2 year old: 25-36months, Adult: over 36 months. Include all ALSA numbers for your llamas.

**WOOL DESCRIPTIONS:**

Light: Minimum body wool, short neck wool, smooth legs.

Medium: moderate to long body wool, minimal to moderate neck wool, smooth to moderate leg wool.

Heavy: abundant body & neck wool with minimal to abundant leg wool.

Suri: Lustrous, cool hand, lack of crimp and minimal loft, locked fiber that drapes over the llamas body. Fibers are grouped in distinctive, defined lock structure.

Silky: Fiber exhibits a very soft or silky handle; it may exhibit some wave or crinkle but not crimp. Fiber may exhibit some loft and luster. Guard hair is nearly indiscernible Coverage may vary from light to heavy

Enter your animals in their proper wool divisions Be Aware that suri and silky are wool TYPES where light, medium, and heavy describe COVERAGE. By definition, a light coated suri CAN fall under suri OR light wool. The same can happen with silky animals as well.



