

Canadian Sheep Breeders' Association La Société Canadienne des Éleveurs de Moutons

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All Canada Sheep Classic Rules

- 1. Consignors must be current (2026) members of the Canadian Sheep Breeders' Association.
- 2. All animals must be born on the property of the consignor and be a registered purebred with CSBA.
- 3. Breeders may enter as many ewes as they wish. Each ram entered and attending the Classic, requires the entry, and attendance, of one ewe. The ewe does not have to be the same breed as the ram. Where a ewe is culled by the Classic committee, the ram may remain in the show and sale.
- 4. Substitutions are only allowed within the same sex and breed, substitutions can be made between age classes. A maximum of four animals per breed is allowed, and will be done at a cost of \$10. Should further substitutions need to be made, they will be done at \$25 per animal.
- 5. Animals must show in order to sell, and all animals shown must be offered for sale, unless disqualified due to injury or sickness.
- 6. Please enter online at www.sheepbreeders.ca using the Assist Expo platform. The online system links directly with the CLRC to make the entry process easier and accurate. At the time of entry, include GenOvis or Genomic testing results. Please bring your certificates to the sale.
 - If necessary, entries may be mailed to the CSBA office at 18-539 Willow Road, Guelph ON N1H 7G3, faxed to 1-877-207-2541, or scanned/emailed to <a href="mailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emailed-emaile
- 7. There is a \$30 entry fee for each animal.
- 8. Closing date for entries is Tuesday, May 19, 2026. No entries will be accepted after this date.
- 9. Entry fees may be paid online or by cheque, VISA or Mastercard or etransfer. Cheques should be made payable to the Canadian Sheep Breeders' Association and mailed to the CSBA office at 18-539 Willow Road, Guelph, ON N1H 7G3. Credit card information may be included with entry forms or phoned (1-866-956-1116) or faxed (1-877-207-2541) to the CSBA office. Etransfers can be sent to office@sheepbreeders.ca.
- 10. Entries that have not been paid for by May 19, 2026 will not be included in the sale catalogue.
- 11. Changes to animal information after deadline will be subjected to a \$10 administration fee prior to the event, this includes animals listed as "Information Available Show Day". Information received at the show will be subjected to a \$25 administrative fee.
- 12. A CSBA registration certificate, properly signed for transfer, must be provided for each entry to the sale committee at the time animals are going through the selection station. These verifications will include CSIP tags, tattoos, registration papers and lot



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number branding. For breeders using the paperless registration system, a signed copy of the Transfer Agreement will need to be signed and provided to CSBA.

- 13. All animals will be subjected to the health and soundness evaluation by a veterinarian and the culling committee.
- 14. Consignors will show for ribbons only. Each breed shows separately.
- 15. Halters may be used. The exhibitors' dress code is black pants and a white shirt.
- 16. <u>The sale commission will be 15%</u>, with the following exceptions: the minimum commission on animals that sell will be \$60 and the maximum will be \$500. There is a \$400 Floor Price in place.
- 17. The auctioneer will manage reserve bids. In the case of no sale, commission will be charged on the reserve bid.
- 18. Consignors are not to bid up their own animals.
- 19. Failure to comply with the above rules will result in disqualification from the show and sale.

Due to the enormous success of the online sales in the sheep industry over recent years, CSBA requires that all Classic entries with the exception of Leicester, Lincoln, Romney, Cotsworld, Rambouillet, Columbia, Corriedale, Targhee, or hair breeds be slick shorn for pictures, videos submitted to the DLMS platform. This process allows the buyers to see exactly what they are buying without varying fleece lengths.

October 2025 – The following breeds are to be slick shorn, with no longer than ½ inch of wool, uniform across the body. Heads and legs from the hock and knee down will be left to breeder discretion: Canadian Arcott, Outaouais Arcott, Rideau Arcott, Border Cheviot, Charollais, Clun Forest, Dorper, Dorset, Hampshire, Ile de France, North Country Cheviot, Oxford Down, Polypay, Romanov, Shropshire, Southdown, Suffolk and Texel. Animals must be washed, dry and clean before inspection.

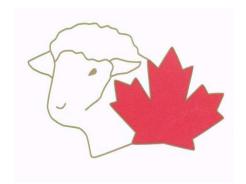
Sheep will be culled if deemed to have greater than 1 inch of wool on any part of the body, or if dirty.

Deadline for photos is Monday, June 22, 2026. Wool breeds are encouraged to send pictures or videos of parted fleece along with complete animal shots. Photo and video clips will be included in the online DLMS catalogue.

2026 All Canada Sheep Entries

Classes:

Class 1: Yearling Ewe: Born Sept 1, 2024 to Aug 31, 2025 **Class 2: Fall Ewe Lamb:** Born Sept 1, 2025 to Dec 31, 2025 **Class 3: Spring Ewe Lamb:** Born Jan 1, 2026 to April 15, 2026



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Class 4: Yearling Ram: Born Sept 1, 2024 to Aug 31, 2025 Class 5: Fall Ram Lamb: Born Sept 1, 2025 to Dec 31, 2025 Class 6: Spring Ram Lamb: Born Jan 1, 2026 to April 15, 2026

First pair of temporary incisors need to be intact to be considered for the spring/fall lambs. Otherwise, animal is moved to the yearling class.

Third pair of temporary incisors need to be intact to be considered for yearling animals.

All animals must meet show requirements at the time of inspection at the culling station.