

DEPARTMENT- 6
Livestock-Sheep

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Pre-registration is required for pen space. Registration must be received by June 25, of the current year, at the Ionia Free Fair Office. Exhibitor parking passes ordered on the entry form will receive the discounted price. Please use the sheep entry form located at the end of this department.

Exhibitors must furnish all bedding. Entries will be accepted only to capacity of stalls. All sheep must be bonafide property of the exhibitor at the time of making entry. No animals shall be entered for more than one prize. The date for computing the age of sheep is September 1, 2016.

All sheep shown must have been evenly and closely shorn at the time of the last shearing and the date of shearing given the judge on request.

All animals will depart from the west end of the barn. All livestock trailers must be parked in designated area only.

All market lambs must have USDA tags in their ear for scrapie. All sheep moved within Michigan shall be identified with official USDA scrapie program identification tags prior to movement off the farm. Contact the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) at 517-324-5294 for ear tags.

Pee Wee Showmanship Class 7 and under. Youth must be accompanied in the ring by a parent or older teen to help handle livestock for the safety of youth. Entry is at the discretion of the parent who assumes all responsibility.

Ionia Free Fair is not responsible for lost, stolen or damaged articles prior to, during or after the Fair.

SECTION 14 - MARKET LAMBS

Market lambs will follow Ionia County Youth Meat Animal Sale rules. All Market lambs must have USDA tags in their ears.

Prizes: Ribbons 1st, 2nd, 3rd Places

789-795 Individual Market Wether Lamb

796-802 Individual Market Ewe Lamb

Prize: Rosette

803 Champion Market Wether Lamb

804 Reserve Champion Market Wether Lamb

805 Champion Market Ewe Lamb

806 Reserve Champion Market Ewe Lamb

807 Grand Champion Market Lamb

808 Reserve Grand Champion Market Lamb

When entering your market lamb on the new Department 6 entry form:

1. Check the appropriate ewe/wether box
2. Enter the animals name or id number
3. Leave the class number blank, this will be filled out at weigh in by superintendent.
4. Weigh in 10 am - 12 noon

<u>Thursday, July 13</u>	<u>Friday, July 14</u>	<u>Saturday, July 15</u>	<u>Sunday, July 16</u>	<u>Monday, July 17</u>
Fair opens @ 5 PM	Arrival time-all day	Arrival time 8 AM to 12 Noon Weigh in 10 AM –12 Noon		Judging begins at 5 PM in the covered arena.
<u>Tuesday, July 18</u>	<u>Wednesday, July 19</u>	<u>Thursday, July 20</u>	<u>Friday, July 21</u>	<u>Saturday, July 22</u>
				No animal may depart before 12 midnight.

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Department 6 Sheep Entry Form

Pre-entry is required
Deadline is June 25 of the current year.

ATTENTION EXHIBITORS!

Animals exhibited at the Ionia Free Fair should not be treated without prior permission from an examining veterinarian. A detailed medical record (in triplicate) is required if animals are treated. One copy to owner, one to superintendent, and one with the attending veterinarian.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip Code _____

Telephone _____ E-Mail: _____

Date _____

Exhibitors are required to purchase a one day parking pass at the reduced rate of only \$4.00 at the time of entering their exhibit or project. This pass will be good for one day of the Fair scheduled for July 13-22. Exhibitors may purchase an exhibitor season parking pass for only \$16.00, good for all 10 days. Parking fee proceeds are directed to facility maintenance and enhancements.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY! *Please fill out completely with

	Section #	Class #789 Wether	Class #796 Ewe	Ear Tag ID Number on Animal MARKET LAMB ENTRIES - Class numbers determined at weigh in
1	14			
2	14			
3	14			
4	14			
5	14			
6	14			
7	14			
8	14			
9	14			
10	14			

Exhibitor releases, indemnifies, saves and holds harmless the Ionia Free Fair Association, its Directors, Employees, Officers, and agents from and against any claims by third parties for injuries arising from the exhibition of said livestock.

Signature of Exhibitor: _____

MAIL w/ PAYMENT TO:
Ionia Free Fair
P.O. Box 96
Ionia MI, 48846

Number of Sheep Exhibiting _____ x 0.00	0.00
Number of Exhibitor Season Parking Passes _____ x \$16.00 Limit of 3	
Number of Exhibitor Daily Parking Passes _____ x \$4.00 Limit of 2	
Total Enclosed With Entry Form:	

** All exhibitors are required to purchase parking passes. **Price WILL increase** after entry deadline!!