

Schedule



Thirteen Annual Show & Sale of Traditional, Native and Rare Breeds Livestock

Incorporating the
Shropshire Sheep Breeders' National Show and Sale
Event to include a Poultry Sale

On

Saturday 23rd July 2022

At

Shrewsbury Auction Centre

Bowman Way,
Shawbury Turn,
Battlefield,

Shrewsbury SY4 3DR,

Tel: 01743 462 620

Website: www.hallsgb.com

**Closing Date for Shropshire entries 25th June 2022
all other livestock 8th July 2022**

Livestock Entries to:

Simon Mackay

1 Dam Lane, Croft, Warrington, Cheshire WA3 7HE

Tel : 01925 765304

Poultry sales are catalogued separately

Entry forms/Catalogues will be available from Halls

Show Classes

The following classes will be offered, rosettes and cards to 3rd in each class and a Champion and Reserve in each Section. Classes may be amalgamated depending on entries.

Eligible Breeds:

Cattle	Sheep		Pigs
Albion	Balwen	Llanwenog	British Lop
Beef Shorthorn	Black Welsh Mountain	Manx Loaghtan	Berkshire
Belted Galloway	Border Leicester	Norfolk Horn	British Landrace
British White	Boreray	North Ronaldsay	British Saddleback
Gloucester	Castlemilk Moorit	Oxford Down	Large Black
Irish Moiled	Cotswold	Portland	Large White
Longhorn	Derbyshire Gritstone	Ryeland	Tamworth
Northern Dairy	Devon and Cornwall Longwool	Shetland	Gloucestershire Old Spots
Shorthorn	Devon Closewool	Shropshire	Middle White
Red Poll	Dorset Down	Soay	Welsh
Shetland	Dorset Horn	South Wales Mountain	Oxford Sandy and Black
Aberdeen Angus	Greyface Dartmoor	Southdown	
(Original Population)	Hebridean	Teeswater	
Traditional Hereford	Hill Radnor	Wensleydale	
Lincoln Red(Original	Jacob	Whiteface Dartmoor	
Population)	Kerry Hill	Whitefaced Woodland	
White Park	Leicester Longwool	Wiltshire Horn	
Whitebred Shorthorn	Lincoln Longwool	Welsh Mountain Pedigree	
Dairy Shorthorn			
(Original Population)			

Sheep

Shropshire Breed – Judge: Richard Spencer

1. Senior Ram (2 shear and over)
2. Shearling Ram
3. Trimmed Ram Lamb (born on or after 1st December 2021)
4. Breeding Ewe (to have reared lamb(s) in 2021, shorn bare on or after 1st May 2022)
5. Shearling Ewe
6. Trimmed Ewe Lamb (born on or after 1st December 2021)

Other Breeds

Primitive –

Judge: Tim Ward

1. Ram
2. Ram Lamb
3. Breeding Ewe
(To have reared a lamb or lambs this season)
4. Shearling Ewe
5. Ewe Lamb

Longwool -

Judge: TBC

1. Ram
2. Ram Lamb
3. Breeding Ewe
(To have reared a lamb or lambs this season)
4. Shearling Ewe
5. Ewe Lamb

Lowland (excl. Shropshire)

Judge: TBC

1. Ram
1. Ram Lamb
2. Breeding Ewe
(To have reared a lamb or lambs this season)
3. Shearling Ewe
4. Ewe Lamb

Interbreed Sheep Championship

The Champion and Reserve from each section including Shropshires will be eligible to compete in the Interbreed Sheep Championship.

Pigs – Judge: TBC

1. All Corners

Cattle- Judge: TBC

1. Bull
2. Junior Bull
3. Cow
4. Heifer

Sponsorship

The following Sponsors have kindly donated prize cards, rosettes, sashes and trophies:

Osmonds have donated a trophy and sash for the interbreed sheep championship.

Lloyds TSB have donated trophies for the cattle and pig champions plus the reserve interbreed sheep champion, together with sashes for the cattle and pig champions plus rosettes for the cattle, pig and sheep reserve champions. They have also donated rosettes and cards for 1st to 3rd in all classes.

The Shropshire Sheep Breeders' Association has donated rosettes and cards for 1st to 6th in the Shropshire classes.

Mrs C Jakeman has donated the “Morley Perpetual Challenge Cup” and sash for the Shropshire champion.

Mr JB Hodson has donated the “Southworth Shield” for the best prepared pen of 2 or more Shropshires, which he will judge sometime during the day.

Miss A Harvey has donated the “Roydon Shield” for the best opposite sex to the champion in the Shropshire classes.

Halls Shrewsbury Auction Centre have donated the “Halls Shrewsbury Auction Centre Small Flock Cup” for the Highest Priced Shropshire Sheep sold through the ring for a small flock, bred by the vendor, from a flock of 15 registered ewes (any age) or under based on the number of live ewes on the most recent flock return supplied to the Registrations Clerk by 30th November 2021. This will be awarded at the SSBA AGM and not during the event.

Halls Shrewsbury Auction Centre is sponsoring the judges' meals.

Halls Holdings Limited has donated prize money of £100.00 for the highest priced non Shropshire Sheep sold, this will be split 50/50 between the vendor and the purchaser.

The Shropshire Sheep Breeders' Association have donated prize money of £100.00 for the highest price ‘Shropshire Sheep’ sold in the ring and this will be split 50/50 between the vendor and the purchaser.

Winners of trophies MUST sign to acknowledge receipt of the trophy (if they wish to take it away), and they must also agree to insure the trophy and return it in good time for the following year's show. Forms are available for winners to sign in the Auctioneer's Office.

Timetable

- Friday 22th July from 4pm until 8pm – all animals except Shropshires can arrive.
 - Shropshires can arrive from 3pm until 6.30pm
- Saturday 23th July from 6.30 am until 7.30 am – animals including Shropshires can arrive. *Shropshires will be inspected either on Friday pm or Saturday am.*
- Show Times:
 - Sheep – to commence at 9.00am
 - Cattle – to commence at 9.30am
 - Pigs – to commence at 9.30am

Interbreed Sheep championship will follow the completion of the sections.

- Sale Times:
 - Pigs – to commence at 10.15am **in the pens**
 - Cattle – to commence at 10.30am **in the ring**
 - Rare Breed and non-Shropshire sheep to commence **in the pens** at 11.30pm
 - Shropshire Sheep – to commence at 12.30 **in the ring**

General Conditions

Statutory Regulations	The event will be carried out in full compliance with DEFRA and other statutory regulations in place at the time. DEFRA Helpline 01785 231900
All Livestock	<p>All entries must be tagged in accordance with current DEFRA regulations. Tag numbers must correspond with numbers on passports, pedigree certificates and in the catalogue.</p> <p>Animals must be placed in the allocated pens – which are in lot number order- and remain in them until after the sale.</p> <p>Animals may not be moved from allocated pens prior to the sale. Any animal whose ear tag does not match that printed in the catalogue will be rejected from the event. For guidance please contact your local Trading Standards Animal Health</p> <p>The acceptance of all entries remains at the discretion of the auctioneers.</p> <p>Selling animals outside the ring is not allowed except by prior arrangement with the auctioneers.</p> <p>It is the responsibility of the vendors to check that their animals have been sold. It is also the responsibility to ensure that purchasers receive the correct stock purchased (inc. any documentation) and must also assist in the departing of purchased stock before they (the vendors) leave the market.</p>
Cattle	<p>All entries must be accompanied by a pedigree certificate and where appropriate a copy of the AI/service certificate.</p> <p>No calves under 7 months or age will be accepted as separate lots. All lots must have been weaned at least 2 weeks prior to the event and in the case of milking cows, must have been properly dried off.</p> <p>All bulls over 10 months must be rung. No person under 16 years of age may have charge of a bull at any time.</p> <p>Cross bred cattle or steers will be accepted and sold after pedigree stock.</p> <p>All cattle must be pre-movement tested for bovine TB, contact your vet for details.</p> <p>Cattle to be judged in pens with owners present.</p> <p>White coats must be worn for showing cattle</p>
Sheep	<p>For additional information on Breed Society regulations, please see the relevant section below or contact your Breed Society.</p> <p>Provision will be made for MV accredited and scrapie monitored sheep.</p> <p>Shropshire Rams will be limited up to two males per flock.</p> <p>Non Shropshires are to be judged in the pens with the owner present.</p>
Pigs	<p>Pigs movement licences are now generated by BPEX. You need to be registered and you need your movement paperwork before you move your pigs. Please contact your local Trading Standards Animal Health as soon as you enter for help.</p> <p>Ring the EAML2 Helpline for details 0844 335 8400</p>
Animal Health	<p>Vendors will be expected to ensure that their animals are in good health and, to the best of their knowledge free from infectious or contagious disease. The entry form includes a declaration to this effect, which must be signed. Veterinary surgeons will be on call, in the event of them being required. Entry to the sale carries a warranty of soundness from</p>

	the vendor. In the case of sheep in respect or mouth, udder, testicles and that female sheep over 2 years have bred a lamb.
MV Accredited	MV Accredited Provision will be made for MV accredited sheep. Please ensure the status of your flock is clearly marked on the entry forms and all the relevant certification is brought on the day, please send photocopy with entry form, otherwise sheep will be classed as non MV. It is the responsibility of the owners to ensure they follow the pathways laid out in the market to safeguard the status of their livestock, which remains their responsibility at all times.
Society Inspection	Some Breed Societies will carry out breed inspections and/or card grading. Please see your breed section or contact your Breed Society for details. A quarantine area will be made available but rejected stock should be removed from the market as soon as possible.
Transport of Animals	All livestock must be transported in vehicles or trailers which comply with the law. There will be washing out facilities at the market (the cost of which will be included in the commission charges). All livestock must travel with the correct passports and licences. If in doubt please contact an Animal Health Officer at your local DEFRA offices. Movement of animals over 65km requires that you have a competency certificate, contact DEFRA for further details. Animals in transit, not entered into the event will only be allowed on the premises with the permission of the Auctioneer. Please contact Halls before the event.
Fodder & Water	Vendors must supply their own hay and buckets. Straw is provided for pigs and sheep and can be purchased with your entry at £3/large bale slice for cattle.
Order of Sale	It is the responsibility of the vendors to ensure their animals are presented for sale at the correct time.
Cattle: -	Males then females in age order.
Sheep:-	Ewes then ewe lambs, Rams then ram lambs. Lot order will be selected at random by ballot. All MV sheep will be sold before any non-MV sheep.
Pigs:-	Males then females in age order.
Responsibility	Vendors are solely responsible for and in charge of their stock at all times whilst on the premises.
Reserve Price	Any reserve prices must be submitted to the auctioneers in writing prior to the start of the sale. Halls reserve the right to charge the full commission on the reserve price for any animals not sold.
Entry Fees	Entry fees are as follows: £8/ sheep (ewes sold with un-weaned lambs count as one entry) £8/pen of non pedigree sheep up to 6 animals. £8/pig £20/head for cattle Late entries for all classes <u>except</u> Shropshires may be accepted at the following fees, will not be catalogued and will be sold at the end of the section. £9/ sheep £9/pig £25/head for cattle Cheques to be made payable to Halls Holdings Ltd.

Entry Forms	<p>Payment for Shropshire entries must be received by the closing date. All cheques payable to Halls Holdings Ltd. (not SSBA). Receipt of entries will be acknowledged by email, if an email address is provided and a receipt has been requested. Entry forms filled in incorrectly will be returned.</p>
Pedigree Certificates	<p>Vendors are to supply, with their entry, copies of the pedigree certificates or proof of eligibility to be registered and full pedigree information. If copies of these certificates are not received with entry, the animals will be sold as unregistered stock at the end of the sale.</p>
Disclaimer	<p>The participating Breed Societies, their representatives, judges, inspectors & stewards, Shrewsbury Market and the Steering Committee are acting in good faith on behalf of participating vendors, and accept no responsibility or liability for any death, accident or injury to people, animals or property at the event. Vendors and purchasers are responsible for their animals at all times.</p>
Schedules and Catalogues	<p>Available on the web sites : www.hallsgb.com and www.shropshire-sheep.co.uk Or from : Shrewsbury Auction Centre, Bowmen Way, Battlefield, Shrewsbury SY4 3DR, Tel: 01743 462 620 Email: jonnyd@hallsgb.com</p>
Local Veterinary Surgeons	To Be Advised
Trade Stands & Adverts	<p>Contact Jonny Dymond for details of sponsorship and trade stands Tel: 01743 462620 Email: jonnyd@hallsgb.com</p>
Local accommodation	<p>Travel Lodge (0871 984 6120) bar and restaurants, less than 2 minutes walk from the Market for those who wish to arrive on the evening prior to the sale.</p>

Auctioneers' Conditions

1. Sheep will be exposed in lots according to the numbers in the following Catalogue. The Auctioneers reserve the right to refuse any bid without assigning any reason. The highest offer on each lot will be preferred to the purchase (subject to Article 3)
2. No liability whatever is undertaken by the Auctioneers for the statements appearing in the Catalogue or made at the Sale. The exposor who supplies such statement is alone responsible for any error or misstatement. Animals affected with any disease of an infectious nature or animals out of an infected flock or herd are strictly prohibited from being brought to the premises occupied or used by the Auctioneers at the time and should any such be brought; The Owner or Consignor will be held responsible for all damage or loss occasioned thereby.
3. The Exposers reserve the right to fix a reserve price and to announce same before the bidding begins or during the time of the bidding or at the conclusion thereof. The right to bid by or on behalf of the seller in terms of the Sale of Goods Act 1893, is expressly reserved.
4. Immediately after each purchase is declared, the risk of the animal shall be exclusively with the Buyer, and it is declared that until a settlement shall be made in terms of these Conditions the delivery of the animal shall be suspended. The right of the property shall not pass until the price is paid.
5. Immediately after the Sale all lots must be paid for in cash to the Auctioneers. The price being paid, each lot shall be taken away at the Buyer's expense within one day after the sale thereof. Lots shall only be removed from the Auctioneers' possession on a written order from their clerk, and any lot removed in contravention of this condition may be recovered brevi manu by the Auctioneers.
6. If any Buyer fails to pay for and remove his purchase in compliance with the above conditions, the Auctioneers in their opinion may either (a) sue the Buyer for the price and interest thereon at the current Bank Rate and for the keep of, and any other expenses incurred by them in connection with such purchase, or (b) re-sell the Lot either publically or privately and recover from the defaulting Buyer the deficiency (if any) attending such re-sale and interest thereon as aforesaid together with the keep and other expenses. In either case the Auctioneers shall have the right to sue at their own instance without the consent of the Owner or Consignor, and no defence whatever in such action shall be Consignor alone.
7. No undertaking of the Auctioneers or their servants to take charge of any animal after the sale or to forward it to its destination shall be held to impose upon the Auctioneers any legal obligation or vitiate any of the foregoing conditions.
8. The Auctioneer is appointed Judge of the Sale, to whom are hereby submitted all disputes and differences of any kind which may arise at and in relation to the Auction, either between Exposers and Offerers or amongst Offerers themselves; his decision shall be final and binding on all parties.
9. The auctioneer reserves the right to charge the full commission of the reserve price for any animals not sold.

Specific Breed Conditions

Shropshire

Secretary:

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Minimum Weights:

Ram lambs: 45kg.

Ewe lambs: 35kg.

Shearling Ewes: 55kg.

All lambs will be weighed on arrival.

Upset Prices:

Ewe lambs 130gns.

Shearling ewes 180gns.

Older ewes: vendors discretion.

Older rams: vendors discretion.

Ram Lambs 160gns.

Shearling rams 200gns.

SSBA Rosettes and prize cards will be awarded to 6th place in all classes.

Each flock to be limited up to two males and fifteen females.

All females to be fully registered.

All males must be birth notified and eligible for registration.

The vendor selling a ram or ram lamb to a society member will be required to register the sold animal.

All animals will be inspected by an external inspector before commencement of the showing classes and the sale.

All sheep must comply with the breed standard. Any sheep that fail inspection will be marked with a 'Red' dot on the back and must be moved down from the sale area into the designated quarantine holding area.

All rams and ram lambs entered in the sale MUST be shown beforehand.

Females can be entered in the sale without being shown.

All EWE's must be EMPTY to comply with SCRAPIE Rules.

Substitutes –

Substitutes are allowed at all official sales. These must be made to the SSBA Secretary at minimum of 72 hours before the date and time entrants are allowed to arrive.

Substitutes must be from the same vendor and in the same age and sex category.

A maximum of two substitutions is allowed per vendor.

The information may be emailed or posted (but reach within the timescale above). If vendors appear at the sale with an animal that does not correspond to the entry (original or substitute) then they will be rejected.

A separate catalogue listing these animals will be available on the sale day. Any such substituted sheep will need to be marked with a 'Green' dot in the middle of the back.

Shropshire Sheep Inspection

The Society's inspector is empowered to disbar any animal from the sale which does not comply with any of the matters contained in clauses 1 – 3 below. The inspector's decision shall be final and binding to all concerned and neither the inspector, the Society, nor the Auctioneers shall be liable to the owner of such animals or any other person or company for damage or for any loss arising out of such rejection.

1. That the animal's identification is as required by legislation and the Society and corresponds to the ear number as on the entered for sale. Animals without the correct identification will be rejected from the sale.
2. The animal is not suffering from any infectious or contagious disease.
3. All rams must have two adequately sized testicles of approximately the same size and normal consistency.

The inspector should consider the following points and is empowered either to disbar the animal from the sale or alternatively any faults found by the inspector shall be declared to the auctioneer who shall announce these at the time of the sale. Any comments made by the inspector will be communicated to the SSBA President, or their representative, who will communicate to the breeder(s) or owners concerned prior to the sale and, where necessary, consider whether changes to the policy of announcing such information by the auctioneer should be made

4. The teeth of the animal are in the correct position. Account will be taken of the age of the animal.

5. There is no abnormal deviation in the structure of feet and/or legs.
6. Ewes shall be sound in udder.
7. Animals will be inspected to the 'Official Breed Description' as set out in the 'Critical Selection of Shropshire Sheep'.

Inspection is a condition of entry of the Society and compliance with this inspection shall in no way form a guarantee to the purchaser of the animals so inspected.