

GOOSNARGH & LONGRIDGE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY LTD

Company Registration No 2680879 Registered Charity 1008284

President : Mr Tom Bond Chairman : Ms Claire Eccles

Sheep Section Schedule 2025

Show : Saturday 5th July

The Showfield, Lower Lane, Longridge, PR3 2YH



Sheep Section Secretary: *Ms Claire Eccles*

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Prize Money: 1st =£15, 2nd=£10, 3rd =£5

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Entry Fee: **£1 per entry**

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All Livestock Classes may be Amalgamated or Divided depending on entry numbers at the discretion of the stewards.

Judges to be confirmed

Terms and Conditions of the Sheep Section,

- Final Entry Date: 2nd July 2025, *entries may not be accepted after this date.*
- All trophies to be held by the winner for 12 months, and then returned clean to the show.
- A sheep is only allowed to be entered in one class, unless if it is entered in the group of 3 or in a Young Handler Class.
- All sheep must be clipped.
- No sheep are allowed to leave the show until 4pm.
- All sheep to be tagged to DEFRA regulations.

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SHEEP CLASSES

SUFFOLK

- Class 1 Ram shearling and over
- Class 2 Ram lamb born in current year
- Class 3 Ewe shearling and over
- Class 4 Ewe lamb born in current year

*There is no fee to enter the following 2 classes.
Open to animals previously entered in this section.*

- Class BPS Best Pair one ram and one female
- Class SGO3 Group of three (one male, two females) to win the Eccles Shield.

TEXEL

- Class 5 Ram shearling and over
- Class 6 Ram lamb born in current year
- Class 7 Ewe shearling and over
- Class 8 Ewe lamb born in current year

*There is no fee to enter the following 2 classes.
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- Class BPT Best Pair one ram and one female
- Class TGO3 Group of three (one male, two females)

BELTEX

- Class 9 Ram shearling and over
- Class 10 Ram lamb born in current year
- Class 11 Ewe shearling and over
- Class 12 Ewe lamb born in current year

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- Class BPB Best Pair one ram and one female
- Class BGO3 Group of three (one male, two females)

BLUE TEXEL

- Class 13 Ram shearling and over
- Class 14 Ram lamb born in current year
- Class 15 Ewe shearling and over
- Class 16 Ewe lamb born in current year

*There is no fee to enter the following 2 classes.
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- Class BPBT Best Pair one ram and one female
- Class BTGO3 Group of three (one male, two females)

ZWARTBLES

- Class 17 Ram shearling and over
- Class 18 Ram lamb born in current year
- Class 19 Ewe shearling and over
- Class 20 Ewe lamb born in current year

*There is no fee to enter the following 2 classes.
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- Class BPZ Best Pair one ram and one female
- Class ZGO3 Group of three (one male, two females)

VALAIS BLACKNOSE

- Class 21 Ram shearling and over
- Class 22 Ram lamb born in current year
- Class 23 Ewe shearling and over
- Class 24 Ewe lamb born in current year

*There is no fee to enter the following 2 classes.
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- Class BPVB Best Pair one ram and one female
- Class VBGO3 Group of three (one male, two females)

PRIMITIVE - RARE & TRADITIONAL

Boreray, Castlemilk Moorit, Hebridean, Manx Loaghtan, North Ronaldsay, Soay, Shetland

- Class 25 Ram shearling and over
- Class 26 Ram lamb born in current year
- Class 27 Ewe shearling and over
- Class 28 Ewe lamb born in current year

Winner of each class (25 to 28) to compete for **Primitive Champion**.
Champion and reserve to compete for **Rare and Traditional Breed Champion**.

*There is no fee to enter the following 2 classes.
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- Class BPP Best Pair one ram and one female
- Class PGO3 Group of three (one male, two females)

RARE & TRADITIONAL LONGWOOL

Border Leicester, Blue Faced Leicester, Cotswold, Devon and Cornwall Longwool, Greyface Dartmoor, Galway, Leicester Longwool, Lincoln Longwool, Teeswater, Wensleydale, Whiteface Dartmoor

- Class 29 Ram shearling and over
- Class 30 Ram lamb born in current year
- Class 31 Ewe shearling and over
- Class 32 Ewe lamb born in current year

Winner of each class to compete for **Longwool Champion**.
Champion and reserve to compete for **Rare and Traditional Breed Champion**.

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- Class BPL Best Pair one ram and one female
- Class LGO3 Group of three (one male, two females)

RARE & TRADITIONAL SHORTWOOL

Devon Closewool, Dorset Down, Dorset Horn, Oxford Down, Ryeland, Shropshire, Southdown

- Class 33 Ram shearling and over
- Class 34 Ram lamb born in current year
- Class 35 Ewe shearling and over
- Class 36 Ewe lamb born in current year

Winner of each class to compete for **Shortwool Champion**.
Champion and reserve to compete for **Rare and Traditional Breed Champion**

*There is no fee to enter the following 2 classes.
Open to animals previously entered in this section.*

- Class BPSH Best Pair one ram and one female
- Class ShGO3 Group of three (one male, two females)

RARE & TRADITIONAL HEATH/HILL BREED

- Class 37 Ram shearling and over
- Class 38 Ram lamb born in current year
- Class 39 Ewe shearling and over
- Class 40 Ewe lamb born in current year

Winner of each class to compete for **Hill/Heath Champion**.
Champion and reserve to compete for **Rare and Traditional Breed Champion**

*There is no fee to enter the following 2 classes.
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- Class BPHH Best Pair one ram and one female
- Class HHGO3 Group of three (one male, two females)

CLASS IBGO3 - INTERBREED GROUP OF 3 - *To enter on the day*

There will also be an award for Champion and Reserve Champion in show.

YOUNG HANDLER

The Junior Shepherd will be judged by the presentation of the sheep and handler, and the handler's knowledge of the sheep. White coats to be worn by competitors.

Class 100 = 3 - 7 year old (KS1) Class 200 = 7 - 11 year old (KS2)
Class 300 = 11 - 16 year old. (KS 3+4)

Entry is free

Prizes are 1st=£15, 2nd= £10, 3rd = £5,

TROPHIES

A Challenge Cup, given by Mrs. J. Jackson for Best Exhibit in the Suffolk Section.

A Challenge Shield, given by The Eccles Family for the Best Group of Three in the Suffolk Section.

A Challenge Trophy, given by Mrs. A. J Thompson for Best Exhibit in the Texel Section.

A Challenge Trophy, given in memory of John Skelton by his family for Best Exhibit.

The Coar Trophy, for the Champion in the Beltex Section.

A Challenge Trophy, given by Lancashire Support Group of the Rare Breeds Survival Trust for the Champion Rare Breed.

A Challenge Trophy, given by Lancashire Support Group of the Rare Breeds Survival Trust for the Reserve Champion Rare Breed.

The Benbecula Plate, for the Best Hebridean.

OTHER SECTION SECRETARIES

You can visit us on our Web Page www.glashow.org for details regarding other section schedules and contact details or follow our Facebook Page.

The Society's district for the purpose of Local classes shall comprise those parishes any part of which lies within a seven mile radius of either Longridge or Goosnargh Parish Churches.

All exhibits must be the property of the exhibitor at the time of entry.

All stock and produce must be on the show ground on the day of the show, in the position assigned to them by 9:30am and remain there until 4:00pm.

The Society, through its council and agents will exercise all reasonable care for the safety of the exhibits, but the Society does not hold itself responsible for any loss or damage which may be sustained by the exhibitor or any damage sustained by any third part, whether arising from accident or through any act of omission of the Society, its council, officers, agents or servants or other persons, or from any other cause. It is a condition of entry that each exhibitor will hold the Society and the council blameless, and will indemnify them against any proceedings compensation, costs, damages arising out of or in connection with any such claim, loss, accident or damage, and entries are accepted on this understanding only.

Therefore all exhibitors must carry adequate third party liability insurance.

The Society will endeavour to make provision to enable exhibitors to comply with any requirements of DEFRA or other competent authority, but the compliance with such requirements the responsibility of the exhibitor, who shall provide all necessary equipment and utensils for the purpose.

The decision of the judge or referee shall in all cases be accepted as final and conclusive, except when fraud, misrepresentation or breach of regulation is discovered, and any exhibitor who shall be disqualified for any such reason, shall be liable to forfeit any prize or other award given to them at the show.

The Society reserves to itself the right to withhold any prize or prizes when the judge reports there is not sufficient merit, notwithstanding that there may be several competitors.

If in any class there are not more than three entries, the first prize money may be withheld, but the winning exhibitor shall receive the second prize money with the first prize card and the remaining exhibitors the cards and the money in similar order.

The Society reserves to itself by its council sole right to interpret these rules and regulations affecting the conduct of the show and to arbitrarily settle and determine all or any matter, question or indifferences in regard hereto, or cancel awards or prizes or reserved numbers and relax conditions as the Society may deem expedient.

All protests and objections must be promptly lodged with the Secretary at their office on the show ground. The objection or protest shall be in writing, and shall be accompanied by a deposit of £10 which may be retained by the Chairman of the Society shall have power to appoint a protest Committee of any number of members of the council (including himself if he so wishes) to deal with the protest forthwith, or may at his discretion, refer the matter to the council of the Society at its next meeting.

All challenge cups and trophies are to be awarded for an annual period unless otherwise stated.

All prize money will be paid out on the show field on the show day only.

Cups and trophies to be engraved by the winners, if they wish.

In the event of an outbreak of disease, all classes will be cancelled and all entry fees will be refunded.

All animals returning home from the show must go into approved isolation premises or observe the six day rule.

All vehicles must be clean when setting out from home and all bio-security rules must be observed.

All animals must be entered by the entry closing date to meet DEFRA rules.

Facilities for Maedi Visna Accredited and Non-accredited sheep will be provided.

All sheep must be correctly tagged according to the regulations in force on the date of the show.

PLEASE HELP BY BRINGING A COMPLETED LICENCE FOR YOUR ARRIVAL AND RETURN HOME

SHEEP ENTRY FORM

CLASS NUMBER	NUMBER OF ENTRIES FOR CLASS	BREED of SHEEP (Junior Shepherd, Name and Age)	MAEDI -VISNA Please tick appropriate		ENTRY FEE (£1 each) Young Handler (FREE) £
			YES	NO	

DECLARATION: I hereby enter the above exhibition and agree to abide by the rules and regulations

NAME :

ADDRESS :

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TELEPHONE:EMAIL.....

All entries to be sent to: Ms Claire Eccles, sheep@glashow.org.uk or post to 6 Larch Way, Longridge, PR3 3HF

Bank Account Details: Goosnargh & Longridge Agricultural Society

Sort Code: 01 05 24 Account Number: 74930346 Please ensure you add a reference: Surname and sheep

Cash on the day or Cheques made payable to Goosnargh & Longridge Agricultural Society Ltd.

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