

Ipstones Sheep

Agricultural Schedule 2025

Show



The Ipstones Agricultural Society 73rd Show

Will be held at the

Memorial Recreational Ground, Ipstones, Stoke-on-Trent,

Staffordshire ST10 2LD

On

Saturday 30th August 2025

Sheep Schedule

**ENTRIES CLOSE 18th August 2024**

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 GENERAL INFORMATION

JUDGING TO COMMENCE AT 10.00 AM

GRAND PARADE OF PRIZE WINNERS AT APPROXIMATELY 3.00PM

Membership Charge £6

**Members**  £2.00 per class entry on or before 18th August and £4.50 after closing date

**Non-Members** £8.00 for first entry, any further entries at £2.00 before 16th August £4.50 after closing date other than classes 109, 110 & 111 which are at £1.00 ( Young Handler)

**Prizes - Sheep**

Entrants Places Prizes classes 109,110,111

6 3 £15, £10, £5 1st £9, 2nd £7, 3rd £5

8 4 £15, £12, £10, £8 4th £4, 5th £3, 6th £2

10 5 £15, £12, £10, £8, £6

12 6 £15, £12, £10, £8, £6, £4

 The society reserves the right to amalgamate any classes with insufficient entries.

**All exhibitors entering sheep in the M V Section must present their S.A.C Form prior to unloading their stock.**

Entries Close

18th August 2025– LATE ENTRIES may still be accepted but shall not appear in the printed program

Please note all entries must be accompanied by the entry fee.

Ipstones Show Holding Number 37/062/8108

Show rules can be found at the end of this schedule.

**SUPREME SHOW CHAMPIONSHIP**

H Sutton and C C Prince Silver Cup for Supreme Champion Animal in show and £50

*Sponsor to be confirmed*

Cecil Barker Memorial Challenge Cup to Reserve Supreme Champion in Show

General Data Protection Rules

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**PLEASE NOTE**

Individual Societies will be giving various awards. Full details from the cattle secretary.

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J & I Gell Silver Cup for Supreme Champion Sheep

John Hidderley Memorial Cup for Champion Group of Three

Samuel Bradbury Memorial Cup for Champion Female - Any Breed in Show

Ipstones Fire Station Shield for Champion Ram - Any Breed in Show

Whittaker & Biggs Silver Cup awarded to exhibitor gaining most points in sheep section.

**Butchers Lambs**

**IAS Cup to Best in Class** Judge:- Mollatt’s Butchers of Ipstones

Class 66 Best Pair of Butchers Lambs

**Dutch Spotted**

**Cup to be confirmed** Judge:- TBC

Class 67 Best Shearling Ewe

Class 68 Best Breeding Ewe

Class 69 Best Breeding Ewe Lamb

Class 70 Best Ram (except lambs)

Class 71 Best Ram Lamb

Class 72 Best Group of Three (2 female & 1 male) **IAS Cup for best in Class**

Champion rosettes will be given for both male and female champion of each breed

**Texel**

**G M & D E Storer Cup for Overall Texel Champion** Judge:- Mr Frank Rushton

Class 73 Best Shearling Ewe

Class 74 Best Breeding Ewe

Class 75 Best Breeding Ewe Lamb

Class 76 Best Ram (except lambs)

Class 77 Best Ram Lamb

Class 78 Best Group of Three (2 female & 1 male)

 **Corriecravie Cup for best in Class**

 **Beltex**

**John Shaw Cup for Overall Beltex Champion** Judge:- Mrs Charlotte Corbett

Class 121 Best Shearling Ewe

Class 122 Best Breeding Ewe

Class 123 Best Breeding Ewe Lamb

Class 124 Best Ram (except lambs)

Class 125 Best Ram Lamb

Class 126 Best Group of Three (2 female & 1 male)

SHEEP CLASSES CONTINUED

**Ryland Non Colour**

**Cup to be confirmed** Judge :- Mrs Doreen Smille Gray

Class 79 Best Shearling Ewe

Class 80 Best Breeding Ewe

Class 81 Best Breeding Ewe Lamb

Class 82 Best Ram (except lambs)

Class 83 Best Ram Lamb

Class 84 Best Group of Three (2 female & 1 male)

**Ryland Coloured Cup to be confirmed** Judge :- Mr Steve Gray

Class 79A Best Shearling Ewe

Class 80A Best Breeding Ewe

Class 81A Best Breeding Ewe Lamb

Class 82A Best Ram (except lambs)

Class 83A Best Ram Lamb

Class 84A Best Group of Three (2 female & 1 male)

**Any Other Continental Breed or Cross IAS Cup for Overall Champion**

Judge: TBC

Class 85 Best Shearling Ewe

Class 86 Best Breeding Ewe

Class 87 Best Breeding Ewe Lamb

Class 88 Best Ram (except lambs)

Class 89 Best Ram Lamb

Class 90 Best Group of Three (2 female & 1 male) .

**Any Other Native Lowland Breed or Cross D Hulse Tankard Overall Champion**

Judge:- Mr Stephen Short

Class 91 Best Shearling Ewe

Class 92 Best Breeding Ewe

Class 93 Best Breeding Ewe Lamb

Class 94 Best Ram (except lambs)

Class 95 Best Ram Lamb

Class 96 Best Group of Three (2 female & 1 male)

**Any Other Native Hill Breed or Cross J Bibby Cup for Overall Champion**

Judge:- Mr Ben Kidd

Class 97 Best Shearling Ewe

Class 98 Best Breeding Ewe

Class 99 Best Breeding Ewe Lamb

Class 100 Best Ram (except lambs)

Class 101 Best Ram Lamb

Class 102 Best Group of Three (2 female & 1 male)

SHEEP CLASSES CONTINUED

**Any Other Primitive Breed or Cross Trophy to be confirmed**

Judge*:-* Mrs Bridgette Pearson

Class 103 Best Shearling Ewe

Class 104 Best Breeding Ewe

Class 105 Best Breeding Ewe Lamb

Class 106 Best Ram (except lambs)

Class 107 Best Ram Lamb

Class 108 Best Group of Three (2 female & 1 male)

 YOUNG HANDLERS SHEEP

All competitors to receive a Rosette

Judge:-

**Class 109 Junior Handler**

Lamb any breed or sex, shown by a child born on or after 31/08/2015.

 *Carolyne Malyon Shield to winner.*

**Class 110 Intermediate Handler**

Lamb any breed or sex, shown by a child or young person born between and including 31/08/2011 and 30/8/2015.

 *IAS Cup to winner.*

**Class 111 Senior Handler**

Lamb any breed or sex, shown by a young person born between and including 31/08/2008 and 30/8/2011.

 *Lowndes Cup to winner.*

**Show Rules**

1. Judging to commence at approximately 10.00 am for dairy and beef cattle, 10.00am for sheep with goats at approximately 11 am.

2. No exhibitor to remove their entry until 4pm.

3. Closing date for entries is 8pm on 18th August 2025. Late entries may be accepted. Please contact the cattle secretary.

4. Exhibitors to comply with the regulations of DEFRA. This must include completing form FM/AW27 confirming cleaning and disinfecting of vehicles on return from show. Exhibitors must inform a steward or committee member of any potential illness in their animals.

5. Any exhibitors wishing to lodge an objection regarding an exhibit in the show, must do so in writing to the Secretary within ONE HOUR of the end of the judging, with a deposit of £5, which will be retained by the society if the objection is overruled but refunded if it is upheld. The Chief Steward to have final say in the case of dispute.

6. All entries must have been in the ownership of the exhibitor for at least 28 days prior to the show.

7. Exhibits in the sheep section must be shown outside the pen to be judged.

8. If there are less than two exhibitors in a class then the points for that class will be halved. In the event of a tie the Chief Steward will have the final decision.

9. In the event of a tie in the Cattle and Sheep section, competitors must agree to keep the cup for 6 months each. All cups are perpetual and any cup won 3 years in succession or 5 years in all , a replica will be given.

10. The Society reserves the right to refuse entries.

11. Cattle, sheep, and property will be considered as being in the exhibitor’s sole charge. The committee will not be responsible for damage, loss or injury owing to accident or from any other cause.

12. Cows or Heifers calving at the show or which have signs of abnormal discharge will be placed into isolation and returned to the herd of origin as soon as is practical. If calving takes place or abnormal discharge occurs before the time of judging, such animals will not be allowed to compete.

13. No animals will be admitted to the show unless accompanied by the correct papers.

14. Sheep and goat entries from Sheep and Goat Heath Scheme Flocks, must be accompanied by a green SAC valid certificate of status.

15. The Society reserves the right to amalgamate or divide classes accordingly.

**16. All entrants to comply with the show Health & Safety Policy a full copy of which is available to download from the website.**

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