

SECTION 25

4-H REGIONAL LAMB/GOAT FINISHING CLUB

Directors: Mike Rusenstrom 613-314-2780, David Coles 819-635-8253

Judge: tbd

Auctioneer: Ab Carroll

Time: Show – Saturday, August 30, 2025 at 9:00 a.m.

Sale – Sunday, August 31, 2025 6:30 p.m.

Rules: Open to Shawville 4H Club Members

- Please see and follow "Attention All Cattle Exhibitors".
- Every exhibitor is required to provide proof of liability insurance (insurance certificate) for the current year (minimum of \$2,000,000 is required) and membership fee. Entries will not be processed until this information is received and will be subject to late entry fee of 25% of gross prize money. Entries must be completed on AssistExpo by August 15, 2025.
- Market Project must be registered with the Shawville Fair Directors by no later than May 15 preceding the current fair. Registration, paid Pontiac Agricultural Society membership and Shawville 4-H dues are required.
- ATQ tag number must be provided upon registration
- Only 1 market project per member is allowed.
- Members can **only participate in one (1) 4H/Junior Market sale** in the current year, otherwise the member will forfeit participation for all future Shawville Fair 4H market sales.
- Each member will be allowed one "spare" lamb/goat, as long as it is pre-registered by May 15 by registration form indicating ATQ or CCIA number. A "spare" lamb/goat must be housed with and managed in the same manner as the exhibitor's main 4H project. Lamb/goats must be housed with and managed in the same manner

as the exhibitor's main 4-H project. A group of Lamb/goat club members whose lamb/goats are housed together may share a common "spare" lamb/goat, or each pre-register one specific spare lamb/goat as long as their intentions are indicated by registration form by May 15. A lamb/goat club member must exhibit either their main 4-H project or the spare lamb/goat they have pre-registered. It is not mandatory for a lamb/goat club member to have a "spare" lamb/goat.

- It is not mandatory that lamb/goats be housed at the exhibitor's residence but the exhibitor must be involved in the husbandry and the preparation of the Lamb/goat from May 15 on.
- Lamb/goats must be housed in Quebec from May 15 on.
- Market lamb/goats must be a wether (castrated males). No signs of late castration will be accepted.
- Lamb/goat and spare lamb/goat must be available for inspection at all times.
- If exhibiting/showing spare lamb/goat, you must be decided by August 10; approval must be received from either Mike Rusenstrom or David Coles. Switching must be a justifiable reason.
- Lamb/goats must be on the fairgrounds by **Thursday, August 28, 2025 at 12:00 noon**. Lamb/goats arriving late will be penalized a shrink of 1% body weight for each hour late of indicated time.
- All lamb/goats must stay on the Shawville Fair grounds during the fair, leaving the grounds will forfeit the ability to show and sale the lamb/goat.
- All animals are the responsibility of the exhibitor until removed from the Shawville Fair grounds.
- Lamb/goats will be weighed **Thursday, August 28, 2025 at 6:00 p.m.**
- Exhibitor will be paid up to 120 pounds for lambs and 100 pounds for goats maximum.
- A minimum of 90 pounds for lambs and 70 pounds for goats is required to sell, less than this and the project will be allowed to show in showmanship but not confirmation and will not be able to be auctioned.

- Entries MAYBE divided into Heavy and Light. Heavy and Light will be averaged and those below the average will be considered light and those above the average will be considered heavy.
- Exhibitor must attend a combination of four (4) Shawville 4-H and/or Lamb/goat club meetings in the current year.
- Animals must be born in the current year.
- For showmanship classes lambs must be shown WITHOUT halter.
- All animals are the responsibility of the exhibitor until removed from fair grounds.
- All animals deemed to be a safety hazard by the committee will not be permitted to show and/or be sold.
- All lamb/goats must be finished in order to sell in the sale.
- All lamb/goats shown must be sold by auction. The order of sale will be determined by the PAS Lamb/goat Directors.
- Each 4-H member must complete and present to 4-H leaders by August 15 a project sheet for at least one of their 4-H projects in order to participate in achievement day.
- Lamb/goat finishing is open to all Shawville 4H members in good standing.
- Each exhibitor making minimum weight must show in both his/her breed and showmanship classes. Any exhibitor failing to do so will be disqualified and will not be awarded any prize money, trophies, points or recognition for his/her show. Those not following this rule will be asked to remove their calf/lamb/goat from the grounds. This rule applies to both 4-H calf and lamb/goat projects. Lamb/goat exhibitors not abiding by this rule will also forfeit their opportunity to participate in the lamb/goat sale.
- Any changes made will be completed by the PAS Market Directors, PAS President and Shawville 4H Market leaders.

Prize: \$30

Classes:

6. Lamb

8. Lamb Showmanship

Champion / Reserve Showmanship

Champion / Reserve Market lamb

5. Goat

Showmanship Classes:

7. Goat Showmanship