

**DEPARTMENT "F" – SHEEP**  
*Premiums offered - \$9,740*  
 Superintendent – Joe Franks (309) 582-4467  
 Sheep entry fees - \$3.00 per entry  
 Pen Fees - \$5.00 per pen (Pen size is 5' x 5")  
 Open Sheep Show: Tuesday, July 14, 2026, at 8:00 a.m.

1. All exhibitors must familiarize themselves with all rules listed in the Open Class Show General Rules and Regulations and with all Health rules listed in the Open Class Livestock Health Rules and Regulations.
2. **Entries**
  - a. Mailed entries must be postmarked by midnight on Monday, July 6, 2026.
  - b. Mail entries to: RICO Fair, 4200 Archer Drive, East Moline, IL 61244.
  - c. Online entries must be time-stamped by midnight on Wednesday, July 8, 2026.
  - d. Online entries may be made at [www.rockislandfair.org](http://www.rockislandfair.org)
  - e. Late fees will apply to any entries made between Wednesday, July 8, at midnight and Monday, July 13, at noon. No entries will be accepted after Monday, July 13, at noon.
3. **Requirements**
  - a. All breeding stock will need a photocopy of registration form available upon request.
  - b. Exhibitors are not limited to the number of entries but may only collect 2 monies in any one lot number.
  - c. To be entitled to a premium, livestock entered must be in the proper class.
  - d. Please note check-in and check-out dates in accordance with the Illinois Department of Agriculture 72 Hour Rule.
4. **Check-In**
  - a. All sheep must arrive Monday, July 13, 2026, by 8:00 p.m.
5. **Show**
  - a. All animals must be cleaned and trimmed prior to showing.
  - b. No exhibitor can show more than three (3) breeds.
  - c. A flock will consist of one ram, two yearling ewes and two ewe lambs.
6. **Release**
  - a. Open Sheep will be released after the conclusion of the show.
7. **General**
  - a. Livestock trailers must be parked along the North fence of the grass parking area, behind Kunes Ford of East Moline.
    - i. NO livestock trailers will be allowed near barns or in the campground.
  - b. All premium checks will be released for pick-up after 3:00 p.m., Saturday, July 18, 2026.
    - i. Checks may be picked up at the RICO Fair office, located in the Copeland Center.
    - ii. All checks must be cashed within 90 days from issue.
    - iii. A signature is required to receive premium monies.
    - iv. Checks not picked up will be mailed.

Jr. Purebred Ewe Lamb	Lambled after January 16, 2026
Sr. Purebred Ewe Lamb	Lambled between January 1, 2026 and January 15, 2026
Fall Purebred Ewe Lamb	Lambled between September 1, 2025 and December 31, 2025
Jr. Purebred Ram Lamb	Lambled after January 16, 2026
Sr. Purebred Ram Lamb	Lambled between January 1, 2026 and January 15, 2026
Fall Purebred Ram Lamb	Lambled between September 1, 2025 and December 31, 2025

<i>Lot #</i>	<i>ALL OTHER BREEDS</i>	<i>CLASS 1</i>				
500.	Junior Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
501.	Senior Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
502.	Fall Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
503.	Pair of Ewe Lambs	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
504.	Ewe over 1 year and under 2 years	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
505.	Pair of Yearling Ewes	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
506.	Flock	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12

507.	<i>Champion Ewe</i>	<i>\$7.00 and Ribbon</i>				
508.	<i>Reserve Champion Ewe</i>	<i>Ribbon</i>				
509.	Junior Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16		
510.	Senior Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16		
511.	Fall Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16		
512.	Pair of Ram Lambs	\$20	\$18	\$16		
513.	Ram over 1 year and under 2 years	\$20	\$18	\$16		
514.	<i>Champion Ram</i>	<i>\$7.00 and Ribbon</i>				
515.	<i>Reserve Champion Ram</i>	<i>Ribbon</i>				

<b>Lot #</b>	<b>DORSETT</b>	<b>CLASS 2</b>				
516.	Junior Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
517.	Senior Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
518.	Fall Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
519.	Pair of Ewe Lambs	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
520.	Ewe over 1 year and under 2 years	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
521.	Pair of Yearling Ewes	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
522.	Flock	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
523.	<i>Champion Ewe</i>	<i>\$7.00 and Ribbon</i>				
524.	<i>Reserve Champion Ewe</i>	<i>Ribbon</i>				
525.	Junior Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16		
526.	Senior Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16		
527.	Fall Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16		
528.	Pair of Ram Lambs	\$20	\$18	\$16		
529.	Ram over 1 year and under 2 years	\$20	\$18	\$16		
530.	<i>Champion Ram</i>	<i>\$7.00 and Ribbon</i>				
531.	<i>Reserve Champion Ram</i>	<i>Ribbon</i>				

<b>Lot #</b>	<b>SHROPSHIRE</b>	<b>CLASS 3</b>				
532.	Junior Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
533.	Senior Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
534.	Fall Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
535.	Pair of Ewe Lambs	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
536.	Ewe over 1 year and under 2 years	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
537.	Pair of Yearling Ewes	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
538.	Flock	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12

539.	<i>Champion Ewe</i>	<i>\$7.00 and Ribbon</i>				
540.	<i>Reserve Champion Ewe</i>	<i>Ribbon</i>				
541.	Junior Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16		
542.	Senior Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16		
543.	Fall Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16		
544.	Pair of Ram Lambs	\$20	\$18	\$16		
545.	Ram over 1 year and under 2 years	\$20	\$18	\$16		
546.	<i>Champion Ram</i>	<i>\$7.00 and Ribbon</i>				
547.	<i>Reserve Champion Ram</i>	<i>Ribbon</i>				

<b>Lot #</b>	<b>HAMPSHIRE</b>	<b>CLASS 4</b>				
548.	Junior Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
549.	Senior Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
550.	Fall Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
551.	Pair of Ewe Lambs	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
552.	Ewe over 1 year and under 2 years	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
553.	Pair of Yearling Ewes	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
554.	Flock	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
555.	<i>Champion Ewe</i>	<i>\$7.00 and Ribbon</i>				
556.	<i>Reserve Champion Ewe</i>	<i>Ribbon</i>				
557.	Junior Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16		
558.	Senior Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16		
559.	Fall Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16		
560.	Pair of Ram Lambs	\$20	\$18	\$16		
561.	Ram over 1 year and under 2 years	\$20	\$18	\$16		
562.	<i>Champion Ram</i>	<i>\$7.00 and Ribbon</i>				
563.	<i>Reserve Champion Ram</i>	<i>Ribbon</i>				

<b>Lot #</b>	<b>SUFFOLK</b>	<b>CLASS 5</b>				
564.	Junior Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
565.	Senior Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
566.	Fall Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
567.	Pair of Ewe Lambs	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
568.	Ewe over 1 year and under 2 years	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
569.	Pair of Yearling Ewes	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
570.	Flock	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
571.	<i>Champion Ewe</i>	<i>\$7.00 and Ribbon</i>				

572.	<i>Reserve Champion Ewe</i>	<i>Ribbon</i>				
573.	Junior Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16		
574.	Senior Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16		
575.	Fall Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16		
576.	Pair of Ram Lambs	\$20	\$18	\$16		
577.	Ram over 1 year and under 2 years	\$20	\$18	\$16		
578.	<i>Champion Ram</i>	<i>\$7.00 and Ribbon</i>				
579.	<i>Reserve Champion Ram</i>	<i>Ribbon</i>				

<b>Lot #</b>	<b>MONTEDALE</b>	<b>CLASS 6</b>				
580.	Junior Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
581.	Senior Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
582.	Fall Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
583.	Pair of Ewe Lambs	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
584.	Ewe over 1 year and under 2 years	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
585.	Pair of Yearling Ewes	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
586.	Flock	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
587.	<i>Champion Ewe</i>	<i>\$7.00 and Ribbon</i>				
588.	<i>Reserve Champion Ewe</i>	<i>Ribbon</i>				
589.	Junior Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16		
590.	Senior Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16		
591.	Fall Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16		
592.	Pair of Ram Lambs	\$20	\$18	\$16		
593.	Ram over 1 year and under 2 years	\$20	\$18	\$16		
594.	<i>Champion Ram</i>	<i>\$7.00 and Ribbon</i>				
595.	<i>Reserve Champion Ram</i>	<i>Ribbon</i>				

<b>Lot #</b>	<b>OXFORDS</b>	<b>CLASS 7</b>				
596.	Junior Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
597.	Senior Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
598.	Fall Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
599.	Pair of Ewe Lambs	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
600.	Ewe over 1 year and under 2 years	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
601.	Pair of Yearling Ewes	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
602.	Flock	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
603.	<i>Champion Ewe</i>	<i>\$7.00 and Ribbon</i>				

604.	<i>Reserve Champion Ewe</i>	<i>Ribbon</i>		
605.	Junior Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16
606.	Senior Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16
607.	Fall Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16
608.	Pair of Ram Lambs	\$20	\$18	\$16
609.	Ram over 1 year and under 2 years	\$20	\$18	\$16
610.	<i>Champion Ram</i>	<i>\$7.00 and Ribbon</i>		
611.	<i>Reserve Champion Ram</i>	<i>Ribbon</i>		

<b>Lot #</b>	<b>COLUMBIA</b>	<b>CLASS 8</b>				
612.	Junior Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
613.	Senior Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
614.	Fall Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
615.	Pair of Ewe Lambs	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
616.	Ewe over 1 year and under 2 years	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
617.	Pair of Yearling Ewes	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
618.	Flock	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
619.	<i>Champion Ewe</i>	<i>\$7.00 and Ribbon</i>				
620.	<i>Reserve Champion Ewe</i>	<i>Ribbon</i>				
621.	Junior Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16		
622.	Senior Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16		
623.	Fall Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16		
624.	Pair of Ram Lambs	\$20	\$18	\$16		
625.	Ram over 1 year and under 2 years	\$20	\$18	\$16		
626.	<i>Champion Ram</i>	<i>\$7.00 and Ribbon</i>				
627.	<i>Reserve Champion Ram</i>	<i>Ribbon</i>				

<b>Lot #</b>	<b>SOUTH DOWN</b>	<b>CLASS 9</b>				
628.	Junior Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
629.	Senior Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
630.	Fall Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
631.	Pair of Ewe Lambs	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
632.	Ewe over 1 year and under 2 years	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
633.	Pair of Yearling Ewes	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
634.	Flock	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
635.	<i>Champion Ewe</i>	<i>\$7.00 and Ribbon</i>				

636.	<i>Reserve Champion Ewe</i>		<i>Ribbon</i>		
637.	Junior Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	
638.	Senior Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	
639.	Fall Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	
640.	Pair of Ram Lambs	\$20	\$18	\$16	
641.	Ram over 1 year and under 2 years	\$20	\$18	\$16	
642.	<i>Champion Ram</i>		<i>\$7.00 and Ribbon</i>		
643.	<i>Reserve Champion Ram</i>		<i>Ribbon</i>		

<b>Lot #</b>	<b>CROSSBREED</b>	<b>CLASS 10</b>				
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644.	Junior Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
645.	Senior Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
646.	Fall Ewe Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
647.	Pair of Ewe Lambs	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
648.	Ewe over 1 year and under 2 years	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
649.	Pair of Yearling Ewes	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
650.	Flock	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12
651.	<i>Champion Ewe</i>		<i>\$7.00 and Ribbon</i>			
652.	<i>Reserve Champion Ewe</i>		<i>Ribbon</i>			
653.	Junior Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16		
654.	Senior Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16		
655.	Fall Ram Lamb	\$20	\$18	\$16		
656.	Pair of Ram Lambs	\$20	\$18	\$16		
657.	<i>Champion Ram</i>		<i>\$7.00 and Ribbon</i>			
658.	<i>Reserve Champion Ram</i>		<i>Ribbon</i>			

<b>Lot #</b>	<b>CHAMPION DRIVE</b>					
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659.	<i>Grand Champion Ewe</i>		<i>\$50 and Banner</i>			
660.	<i>Reserve Grand Champion Ewe</i>		<i>\$25 and Banner</i>			
661.	<i>Grand Champion Ram</i>		<i>\$25 and Banner</i>			
662.	<i>Reserve Grand Champion Ram</i>		<i>\$15 and Banner</i>			