Lleyn Sheep Society

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Online Login Member No: Password:

Email Address (this is the current email address on your records). To ensure you receive the most up to date information from the Society, you must ensure we hold the correct address. If this is blank, please update with the office immediately. It is your responsibility to ensure this is correct.

Email address held: Email

Dear dear,

Society Sale Entry Forms 2024

BE AWARE OF CLOSING DATES

Please find enclosed the entry forms for the 2024 sales. We are looking forward to another positive sale season. Members are asked to send in their entries (forms enclosed) by the <u>closing date</u> noted on page 2.

<u>NEW FOR 2024</u> - PLEASE NOTE THAT THE SLIDING SCALE IS NOT RELEVANT TO <u>STIRLING AND SKIPTON</u> SALES BUT <u>SIX RAMS/RAM LAMBS PER SALE</u> IS THE MAXIMUM THAT WILL BE ACCEPTED AT THESE TWO SALES.

Please Complete the appropriate form the sale you are entering and send back to the Lleyn Sheep Society's office

As a member of the Society you are invited to enter sheep into this autumn's official Society sales. You can use the enclosed form to enter into any of the sales but please remember to:

- Clearly write the sale to which you are entering your sheep (use a different form for each sale)
- Please complete and answer all questions as the information will be included in the sales catalogue
- Also remember to sign the entry form otherwise your entry will not be accepted
- If you need extra copies either photo copy or download from the website www.lleynsheep.com

Registration of sheep

Ewes and rams presented for sale *must* be registered prior to the closing date. <u>Ewe lambs must have been registered</u> <u>prior to the day of sale.</u> The Society does run spot checks to ascertain whether sheep have been registered before the sale. Random checks will be made to ensure that all sheep have been properly tagged

MVA & Scrapie Paperwork

- In relation to Maedi Visna Accreditation (MVA), there are two sections offered at all UK mainland sales. MVA and non MVA. (Note: Maedi Visna supervised flocks can only sell in non MVA)
- Members selling MVA Sheep, please complete a valid certificate of accreditation issued by SAC and hand it to Auctioneers' staff before unloading your animals. NO MV FORM – NO SALE
- At the Ballymena Sale all sheep must be accompanied by a Scrapie Certificate.

No Entry Fee

The Society does not charge an entry fee at any Society Sale. Please support the official sales where you can!

Entry Closing Dates

Please note the closing dates for entering to the Sales AND EVERY MEMBER MUST ADHERE TO THESE DATES AS THE CLOSING DATES HAVE NOW BEEN MOVED TO THREE WEEKS BEFORE THE SALE DATE. NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED

SALE	SALE DATE	Closing Date for Return of Entry Forms
Exeter Market	Thursday, 22nd August	Tuesday, 23rd July
Roscommon Market	Saturday, 31st August	Tuesday, 6th August
Ruthin Market	Monday, 2nd September	Tuesday, 13 th August
Ross-on-Wye Market	Thursday, 5th September	Tuesday, 13th August
Ballymena Sale	Saturday, 7th September	Tuesday, 13th August
Welshpool Sale	Saturday, 21st September	Tuesday, 27th August
Stirling Sale	Saturday, 21st September	Tuesday, 27 th August
Builth Wells (NSA rams only)	Monday, 23 rd September	Tuesday, 30 th July
Carlisle Sale	Friday, 27th September	Tuesday, 3 rd September
Skipton Sale	Thursday, 3 rd October	Tuesday, 10 th September

Sending your entry form

- Please send your entry form to me **NOT** the Auctioneers. Send by post or email.
- Please remember to affix the right amount of postage, incorrect postage can delay your entry.
- LATE ENTRIES CANNOT BE ACCEPTED.
- Only signed entry forms can be accepted.

Ram and ram lamb entries are only accepted according to the following sliding scale:

(i) To sell 1 ram/ram lamb you must present a minimum of

2 rams/ram lambs you must present a minimum of 3 rams/ram lambs you must present a minimum of 4 rams/ram lambs you must present a minimum of 5 rams/ram lambs you must present a minimum of 0 ewes/ewe lambs at the Sale

10 ewes/ewe lambs

20 ewes/ewe lambs

40 ewes/ewe lambs

50 ewes/ewe lambs

6 rams/ram lambs you must present a minimum of
 60 ewes/ewe lambs
 <u>SIX</u> rams/ram lambs is the maximum that will be accepted at any one sale per flock.
 There is no limit to the number of females which can be entered.

In the case that a vendor is unable to bring females to a sale, then that vendor will only be allowed to sell one ram at that sale (not the whole consignment). A vendor presenting a reduced number of females at any one sale must comply with the existing sliding scale for the number of rams allowed (sliding scale as above).

Entry fee allowing ram/female ratio exemption – only operative at time of entry/before closing date – not applicable for Stirling and Skipton Sales

The current ram-female ratio remains. Up to 3 rams for a sale treat the same. Should the breeder wish to bring 4 - 6 rams without enough females they must pay a $\pm 50+vat$ ($\notin 70+vat$)/head entry fee for the extra rams, payable to the Society at time of entering (non-refundable). For example, a breeder wishes to bring 6 rams and 20 females – they would pay $\pm 150+vat$ entry fee (3 x $\pm 50+vat$)(3 x $\notin 70$). Another breeder brings 60 females and 6 rams = no charge or 4 rams and 30 females = $\pm 50 + vat$ (1x $\pm 50 + vat$)(1x $\notin 70$).

Ram Lambs

a) If you wish to enter a **ram lamb**, please do so in the usual manner – through the Online, spreadsheet or fill in the enclosed ram lamb registration form and, if passed, the animal will be issued with a provisional certificate.

b) Please use the same form (enclosed with this letter), or through the Online or spreadsheet, if you wish to have your ram lambs provisionally registered – the deadline for receiving applications to have ram lambs inspected and if passed provisionally registered is 30th November 2024.

Ram Guarantees

If a ram has been used, or semen retained, the owner must declare it in the catalogue or at the time of sale. It is up to the buyer to ascertain this before purchasing.

Shearing, Trimming and colouring of wool

It is brought to the attention of all vendors that:

- (i) The latest date allowed for shearing of sheep is 15th July.
- (ii) NO TRIMMING of male or female sheep prior to the sale is allowed.
- (iii) The Society discourages artificial colouring of wool.

Unofficial sales of stock

The practice of selling any sheep from the backs of vehicles at auctioneers' premises during official Sales is prohibited by the Society. The auctioneers have agreed that any vendor selling sheep unofficially at the Society Sales will be asked to leave the premises. You are also reminded that, in pursuing this practice, you are in contravention of Defra (or equivalent) rules.

Animal Health

Vendors with sheep showing signs of any contagious disease at any sale will be asked to remove the sheep from the market premises immediately and those sheep will not be offered for sale. Where necessary the whole consignment may have to be removed. If a vet is called, and supports the Society decision, the fees incurred will be the responsibility of the vendor.

Sheep Inspection

A panel chosen by the Society's Council will inspect all sheep from outside the pen, but if a problem arises then the panel will have authority to go into that pen. NOTE: The **panel's decision is final** and any query arising from the panel's decision should be directed to the Secretary or other Society Representative on the day of sale.

All members will have the opportunity to know the reason why their animal(s) was/were rejected by the panel. This information will be available by one of the officials at the sale, immediately after the panel has/have completed their work.

Females Batches

Members are encouraged to sell their ewes and ewe lambs in larger lots as purchasers are looking for a number of animals.

Shows at the sales

Clubs have organized shows before most of the sales – details are available on the website <u>www.lleynsheep.com</u> or by contacting the Club Secretaries direct.

General Information

- a) Refer to the sales catalogues for sale, penning and show times
- b) The Society encourages members to declare their genotype results of the ram in the comment box on the ram form. (Export from UK requires DEFRA (or equivalent) approved testing).
- c) Enclosed is a polite reminder on sheep health at official Society sales please read.

Conditions of Sale

The Conditions of Sale can be viewed on the website, <u>www.lleynsheep.com</u> and a copy will be displayed at each sale – should you wish to receive a hard copy, please contact me.

<u> Special Note – Ballymena Sale</u>

Exhibitors must pay a fee on sale day to cover veterinary charges needed to comply with DARD export regulations.

Builth Wells Ram Sale 2024

Entries and pedigree certificates to be sent to the office <u>and not</u> to the auctioneers by Tuesday, 30th July, 2024. <u>Cheques to be made out to Ruthin Farmers.</u>

Registration of Ewe Lambs

A form has already been sent out to you to register this year's crop of ewe lambs – this can be done online, on email with a spreadsheet or the paper form – please note that the last date to receive paper forms is 31st October, 2024. The closing date for registering ewe lambs born in 2024 and done via online, spreadsheet, is 31st December 2024. However, if you are selling ewe lambs at one of the official sales then you must register these prior to the sale day and tag according to Government regulations and Society rules.

Registration Fees

REGIST	RATION FEES FOR SHE	ARLING RAMS 2023/	RAM LAMBS 20	24	
Members' VAT Status				Registration Fee	
All UK members				£31.20 (inc. VAT)	
Southern Ireland members only, who are VAT registered and have informed the Society of their VAT number				€30.15 (net VAT)	
Southern Ireland members only	y, who are not VAT register	ed		€36.20 (inc. VAT)	
	REGISTRATION FEE	ES ETC FOR EWE LAME	3S 2024		
Members' VAT Status	Ewe Lamb Registration Received by 31 st October in year of birth	Ewe Lamb Registration. Received AFTER 31 st October and BEFORE 31 st December in year of birth	Optional Society tags (if ordered)	Postage & packaging (this to be added ONLY if ordering Society tags)	
All UK members Online/spreadsheet Paper forms	£1.80 (inc. VAT) £2.16 (inc. VAT)	£2.40 (inc. VAT) Not applicable	£0.50 (inc. VAT)	£4.95	
Southern Ireland members only, who are VAT registered and have informed the Society of their VAT number	€1.80 (net VAT)	€2.40 (net VAT)	€0.50 (net VAT)	£6.20	
Southern Ireland members only, who are not VAT registered	€2.16 (inc. VAT)	€2.88 (inc. VAT)	€0.60 (inc. VAT)	£6.20	

Hopefully we will be able meet you all at the Lleyn sales, please make every effort to support the Society in order to secure the continued success of your chosen breed.

Yours sincerely,

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Secretary



Lleyn Sheep Society - Sale Inspector Panel Guidelines

It is advised the sale inspection panel follows these guidelines when undertaking an inspection at a Lleyn Sheep Society Sale. WHEN IS THE INSPECTION, AND WHO ARE THE INSPECTORS

- The inspection panel is made up of the nominated Senior Sales Officer and the nominated members. These nominations are made by the Society Council.
- The inspection is to take place from outside the pens prior to the start of the sale

All Female Sheep

HEALTH

• Any sheep showing signs of a live contagious disease (e.g. orf, new forest) must be removed from the sale centre. Where necessary the whole pen may be removed, i.e. where there is seen to be a high percentage of infected stock in the pen.

TYPE/COSMETIC/STANDARD

- All sheep must comply with breed standards
- No trimming is allowed
- Colouring is discouraged
- Black patches are to be dealt with on an individual basis at the discretion of the inspection panel
- It is left to the inspection panel on the day to make the necessary decision. If it is felt that sheep do not fit the necessary expectations, the inspectors can ask the vendor to remove them from the sale.

QUALITY/CONDITION

• If the inspectors believe that animals are detrimental to the sale, breed and Society, they can ask the vendor to remove those in question from the sale.

TAGGING

• A random check should be done across the female sheep to ensure they are tagged in accordance with the Society rules (the Society flock number and year of birth MUST be printed on the secondary tag or a Society Tag.)

SLIDING SCALE/ENTRIES FORWARD

- The inspectors should make a note where possible of the females forward against the number of rams. They should pay special attention to empty pens and large entries of rams.
- If a breeder has to remove females and it means that they do not have enough females forward to present the number of rams entered, the said breeder will be asked to remove some of their rams from the sale.

ACTION TO BE TAKEN

- Ultimately the Senior Sales Officer and the Inspection panel must make the necessary decision on the day. It is asked that common sense is used so that everyone can get the best out of the Society sales.
- Where necessary the panel may ask for sheep to be removed from the sale
- All offenders must be noted and reported to the Promotions Committee for the October meeting so that where necessary letters of highlight can be sent to try and resolve the issue for another year.
- For long term re-occurring offenders, the Society can undertake flock inspections.

All Rams

It is advised that the inspection panel observes the rams for health and condition. They should also consider the trimming & colouring rules. The sliding scale rule must be noted. The panel should use its discretion when observing the rams and undertake action where felt necessary.

Important Notice

If your sheep are showing signs of a contagious disease (e.g. Orf, New Forest), the 'Society Sale Inspectors' may ask for some or all of your consignment to be removed from the sale.

Note: If this means that you do not have enough females forward to sell the number of rams you have entered, your rams or some of your rams may not be offered for sale.

If you have concerns speak to the Society Office or Society Chairman before bringing your sheep to the sale.

Sale Entry Form Cover Sheet for all sales except Stirling and Skipton – Complete one per Sale

Sale Venue:						
Sellers Name:				I		
Society Flock No.		Contact Tele	phone:			
Address						
Email						
Holding No (CPH)			UK/IE Flo	ck No:		
Tick <u>only</u> the boxes	s that apply to your sheep	o. Please leav	e the rest b	lank		
Maedi Visna Accre	dited (MVA) <u>NON</u> Maedi Visna Accredited					
Member of the Scr	apie Monitoring Scheme	(Scrapie Mon	tored Certi	ficate enclose	ed)	
EAE Accredited						
Signet Recorded						
Signet records avai	ilable to buyers prior to tl	he date of sale	9			
Lleyn Gold						
Member of Sheep	Ireland					
Organic						
Sheep treated against Scab within 28 days prior to the sale						
I wish to activate the ram-female ratio exemption - see page 2 (please circle one) If YES please complete the below boxes. (If nothing circled it will be assumed NO.)						
Number of rams (1	3):	•	nent enclos ∕€84 per rai			
 Declaration I confirm that I accept the Conditions of Sale at Society sales (can be viewed online at <u>www.lleynsheep.com</u>) I confirm that sheep presented for sale will be correct in udder and mouth and will not have been trimmed nor artificial colouring of the wool. I understand that failure to comply with this rule may lead to a flock inspection. I confirm that all animals entered for sale have been registered. Please note that the Society does undertake spot checks at the sales to ascertain that sheep have been registered correctly 						
Signed						
Print						
Date						
	se now complete a ram a rent set of forms for each		-			he website

DATA PROTECTION: Mindful that the Lleyn Sheep Society's (LSS) aim is to maintain the Lleyn breed, promote the breed, breeders and the Society by administrating the registration of registered Lleyn sheep. We take your privacy seriously and will only use your personal information in a legitimate manner to produce the sales catalogue and after sale reports etc. General photographs will be taken across all the sales by Society staff and independent photographers. These photos may be displayed on the Society website, social media and other Society publications throughout the year. Occasionally they may be shared with the press for sale reporting purposes. Photos are stored on Society computers for long term use and historical purposes. If you do not wish to have photos which you appear in displayed, please email promotions@lleynsheep.com. We will not share your details with third parties outside of the Society unless we are legally obliged to do so. If you are unhappy with the way the LSS handles your data, you may complain to the ICO www.ioc.org.uk

Females Entry Form



Sale Venue:

Sellers Name:

Society Flock No:

Please complete columns 1, 3 and 4. Column 2 is for market use only.

1	2	3	4		
Number of PENS required	Pen Numbers (Market use only)	Number of sheep in age group	Breeders Society Flock Number(s) for sheep in group		
Yearlings (21) <u>EXAMPLE</u>		<u>.</u>			
3		20	02556, 00576		
5 Year Old (19)					
4 Year Olds (20)					
3 Year Olds (21)					
2 Year Olds (22)					
Yearlings (23)					
Ewe Lambs (24)					

Please ensure you send with the Sale Entry Cover Sheet

Ram Entry Form



Sale Venue:

Sellers Name:

Society Flock No:

You are encouraged to provide notes for your rams. It is suggested that you include; vaccinations, genotype, ewe performace and other relevant info from your on-farm records, Lleyn Gold, Signet or Sheep Ireland. EXAMPLE

PE NO	RAM UK TAG NO.UK124079 00204 RAM REG NO: .8472100204DOB: .01/04/21.	Delete necessary
LOT NO	NOTES - optional (max 20 words) . He was champion at the Lincolnshire Show He is in the top 10% of Signet recorded Lleyn for maternal traits. Scrapie group 1 Bred by flock at the top of the page (please circle) YES NO (to ensure the correct vendor in catalogue.	AGED SHLG LAMD

PEN NO	RAM UK TAG NO DOB: RAM REG NO: DOB:	Delete necessary
LOT	NOTES - optional (max 20 words)	AGED SHLG
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Please ensure you send with the Sale Entry Cover Sheet