

MACOMB COUNTY MICHIGAN 4H

Macomb County 4H and Youth Wool Breeds Sheep Record Book

Wool Breeds Sheep Project Book Instructions:

Completeness 25 points

Print out all the pages in this book and complete them.

The book **MUST** be completed on the form provided by 4-H.

The judge will be evaluating whether each section is filled out completely.

If something is not at all applicable to you and your animal (i.e. Income from goat project) please make a note stating that it does not apply.

As you progress into higher level books, the judge will expect more detail.

Be sure you only focus on the current 4-H year.

Neatness 20 points

It is best if you can type the responses on the form.

If you must do it by hand, print neatly.

Do not use pencil, or at least use a dark enough lead that the judge can easily read it.

Many erasures mean you should redo a page.

Grammar and correct spelling are a part of neatness.

Picture of 4-H Member and goat, plus story 15 points

Photo is self-explanatory.

Story should be longer as you get older, and should focus on the current year for you and your goat. If you need more space than provided in the book, you may add a page.

Creativity 15 points

You may use a duo tang folder or a three-ring binder.

The cover may be decorated in any manner, but should not exceed the height and width of a regular binder more than a small edging trim.

Stickers, extra photo pages, your own artwork, ribbons you earned, etc. are part of the creativity too. The required forms should appear **BEFORE** any additional pages.

Interview 25 points

Be pleasant with the judge, introduce yourself, and be prepared to discuss your experiences in 4-H. The interview may cover more than the project book in scope of your year in the project.

Eye contact, speaking audibly and clearly, and being interested in your project area are important.

Department 83B Division 5 Class 3 Ages 15 thru 19

Macomb County



Wool Breeds Sheep Project Record Book

Member's Name			
Age	_		
Years in Sheep Project		_	
My goat project club			

Attach Picture of you here

Information About Your Sheep

Sheep Name		
Breed		
Sex of Sheep		
If male and castrated date of castration		
Sheep Age		
Date of birth		
Registration Number		
Tattoo Numbers/Letters Right Ear	Left Ear	Tail
Michigan Scrapie Number		
USDA Microchip Number		
Location of microchip (tail or behind ear)		
What date did your sheep freshen (have ba	bies)	

Attach photo of your sheep here

Sheep Hoof Care Record

HOOF CARE - List dates from last August through this July

1	5	9
2		
3		
4.	8.	12.

Attach photo related to hoof trimming here and describe

Sheep Parasite Care Record

WORMING TREATMENT

List dates from last August through this July

	Date	Brand Wormer (Or fecal)	Amount	Cost
1			 	
2				
3				
4				

Attach Photo related to parasite care here and describe

Sheep Vaccination Record

SHOTS - for illness or prevention or LAB TESTS (eg. For CAE)

List dates from last August through this July

Date	Vaccines, medicine, surgery, etc.	Cost

Attach Photo related to Vaccination/Medicine/Surgery here and describe

Sheep Daily Feeding Record

Water (estimate how much per day)
Pasture (dimensions and what kind of grasses)
Hay (how many flakes per day) 1 st or 2 nd cutting
Grain (how many pounds or cups per day)
Salt (block or loose)
Trace mineral supplements (estimate how much per day)
Other supplements/nutritional treats

Attach photo related to feeding your sheep here and describe

Sheep Feed Cost Record

Yearly costs from last August through this July

Hay	
Grain	
Minerals	
Other supplements	
Total annual cost for feed	

Attach photo related to feed cost for your sheep here and describe

Preparing Sheep for Fair

and shearing. Please include photos.				

My 4-H Sheep Story

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Wool From My Sheep Part 1

Tell about your sheep getting sheared.			

Attach a picture of your lamb getting sheared.

Wool From My Sheep Part 2

Tell what you had to do the sheep fleece to get it ready to show at the fair.				
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Attach a picture of your fleece preparation.

Wool From My Sheep Part 3

Tell what you did with the wool you exhibited last year at the fair.					

Attach a picture of the product of your wool.

Sheep Workshops

List sheep classes and workshops you have attended this past year.

Tell what you learned at the class or workshop.

Make additional copies for each event.

Name of class/workshop attended	
Date:	
Things you learned:	

Attach photo of you at event listed above and describe

Community Service Involving You and Your Sheep

List Community Service Events you participated in with your sheep.

Make additional copies of this form for each event.

Name of Community Service Event		
Date	Place	
Tell about this event:		

Attach Photo of you and your sheep at this event and describe

Additional Sheep Shows

List additional goat shows you have participated in with your sheep outside of Armada Fair. Include placing information.

Make additional copies of this form for each event.

Name of Show	
Date of Show	
Place of Show	
Tell about the classes you participated in and your placings:	
Attach photo of you at this event and describe	

Sheep Breeding Program

Describe what you are doing in your breeding program for your herd. Explain what areas of conformation, milk production, meat quality, and or fiber quality you are striving to improve upon. Include information on record from registry
associations about the sire and dam such as DHIA records, fiber testing records, progeny evaluation records, etc. Include the breeding dates, kidding dates and
photos of the offspring. Add extra sheets if you need more room. Include photos.

Sheep PROJECT SURVEY

What started your interest in sheep?
What is the most important thing you learned this year about sheep?
Tell us about one new goal for your sheep project for next year?