

Wool Section

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VAS Fleece Competition

Overall Champion Fleece of show - VAS Ltd
Fleece Competition

The winner of the Overall champion fleece of show will go on to be judged at a group final level in 2023. The winning fleece at the group final will go on to represent at the State final in 2023.

Rules & Regulations

1. An exhibitor having won the overall Champion Fleece at Show, will be eligible for the group final; the winner will then be required to submit a Fleece at the State Final
2. An exhibitor is only eligible to represent one group in the State Final.
3. Each Fleece entered must be a bona fide product of the exhibitor.
4. If for any reason a winner is unable to compete at Group or State Final level, then the second place getter is eligible to compete.
5. All fleeces to be returned to the owner at the completion of the competition.

Wool classes

All wool of current season's of not more than 12 months length to be presented to judge skirted. All entry forms need to be clearly labelled. All fleeces must have a tag attached to each fleece stating the exhibitors name and class number. Rams fleece ineligible for champion fleece of show. Wet wool will not be judged.

SPECIAL CLASS: classes marked with (*) winner can go onto group final in 2023.

Entries: All entries to be taken on Thursday 10th November 2022 between 9.00am-noon and 1pm-4pm and; Friday 11th November 2022 before 10am and be dropped off at the Ladies Pavilion.

Fleeces will be judged at 11.00am Friday 11th November 2022. Late entries will be displayed only and are not eligible to be judged.

Entry Fee: For each entry Juniors, 16 yrs and under \$2.00 Open \$4.00 Local Junior (16 yrs and under) Junior prizes: 1st \$5.00, 2nd

Ribbon, 3rd Ribbon, unless specified. All Junior exhibits welcome. For further information please contact head steward.

Any breed of sheep

1. HEAVIEST FLEECE
2. CLEANIEST FLEECE
3. MOST VALUABLE FLEECE
4. STRONGEST FLEECE
5. BEST PET LAMB FLEECE (LAMB UNDER 2 YEARS OLD)
6. BEST JUNIOR LOCAL EXHIBITOR

Open: Prizes: 1st \$10, 2nd Ribbon, unless specified Classing of wool and special awards are all at the discretion of the judge.

7. MERINO RAMS FLEECE
8. SUPER FINE MERINO FLEECE
9. FINE MERINO FLEECE
10. MEDIUM MERINO FLEECE
11. STRONG MERINO FLEECE

*CHAMPION MERINO FLEECE OF SHOW
(Championship Sash, Andrew Collier Memorial Trophy)

12. THREE FLEECE SPECIAL, Merino wool 21 micron and finer (1st \$20, 2nd \$10)
13. MOST VALUABLE 1KG OF MERINO LAMBS WOOL
14. COMEBACK FLEECE
15. FINE CROSSBRED FLEECE
16. MEDIUM CROSSBRED FLEECE
17. STRONG CROSSBRED FLEECE
18. CROSSBRED FLEECE WITH THE HIGHEST POINTS (Judy Hines Perpetual Trophy and Sash)
19. TWO EVEN CROSSBRED FLEECES AND QUALITY
20. MOST VALUABLE 1KG OF CROSSBRED LAMBS WOOL.

All Fleeces are judged on the following characteristics: Trueness of type 10 points

- Length 10 points
- Soundness 10 points
- Handle 8 points
- Colour or bloom 6 points
- Character 10 points
- Density 6 points
- Evenness 10 points

Clean fibre content (kg) 30 points