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2007 ROYAL MELBOURNE SHOW

FLEECE COMPETITION

CATALOGUE OF RESULTS

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REGULATIONS OF THE FLEECE COMPETITION

- The Regulations appearing in this Schedule form part of the General Regulations and conditions of entry to an Event at the Royal Melbourne Show. In the event of any inconsistency between the General Regulations and these Regulations, the General Regulations shall prevail to the extent of the inconsistency unless the General Regulations provide otherwise.

ENTRY FORMS

- All entry forms must be forwarded to the Fleece Event Coordinator, The Royal Agricultural Society of Victoria Limited, Melbourne Showgrounds, Epsom Road, Ascot Vale, VIC 3032 before 4 pm Friday 17th August 2007.

ENTRY FEES

- An Entry Fee of \$10.00 per Exhibit is required if not donated to the RAS Education Program.
- No Entry Fee applies to an Exhibit donated to the RAS Education Program.
- No Entry Fee applies to an Exhibit entered in the District Fleece Competition.
- All donated fleeces and Exhibits entered in the District Fleece Competition become the property of the RAS.

FLEECE DELIVERY

- All Exhibits must be delivered to the RAS by Friday 17th August 2007.
- All Exhibitors must place an Exhibit Card inside each fleece bag.
- Exhibits must be delivered in sturdy (preferably clear) plastic bags, or wool packs, with Exhibit Cards placed inside.
- Fleece bags will be available from the RAS upon request.
- Black and Coloured fleece Exhibitors are required to state if the fleece entered is either a Ram or a Ewe/Wether on the Entry Form and Exhibit Card.

FLEECE COLLECTION

- All fleeces not donated to the RAS Education Program must be collected from the Showgrounds on the following dates and times:
 - Sunday 30 September 2007 between 4 – 6pm.
 - Monday 1 – Wednesday 3 October 2007 between 10am – 4pm.

All fleeces not collected will become the property of the RAS, with the proceeds of sale donated to the RAS Education Program.

FLEECE DISPLAY

- The RAS will make every effort to display all Exhibits entered in the Fleece Competition for the duration of the 2007 Royal Melbourne Show.

EXHIBITS

- There are no restrictions to the number of Exhibits entered by an Exhibitor.
- Fleeces are to be shorn from sheep that have been the true property of the Exhibitor for at least six months prior to being shorn.

MICRON CATEGORIES

- The following micron (μ) categories will apply to all Merino classes:

a) Ultra fine:	16.5 and finer	d) Medium:	20.0 – 21.9
b) Superfine:	16.6 – 18.5	e) Strong:	22.0 and stronger
c) Fine:	18.6 – 19.9		

TESTING

- All Skirted and District fleeces will be micron, staple length, strength and yield tested by the Australian Wool Testing Authority Ltd (AWTA).
- Test results will be used during the judging process.

LOSS OR DAMAGE

- The RAS shall not be responsible for loss or damage to any Exhibit irrespective of the cause of such loss or damage.

FIRST TIME EXHIBITORS

- Exhibitors will be considered first time Exhibitors if they have never competed at the Royal Melbourne Show or if they have not competed in any of the previous 10 Royal Melbourne Shows.

DISTRICT FLEECE COMPETITION

- An Exhibit in the District Fleece Competition must have previously won a Championship at a District Agricultural Show.
- The RAS will display all Exhibits entered in the District Fleece Competition for the duration of the 2007 Royal Melbourne Show.

MOHAIR COMPETITION

- Mohair fleece Exhibits must be submitted to the RAS in plastic bags with the Exhibitor and Class number clearly marked on the Exhibit Card.
- To determine the age of the fleece, Exhibitors are required to provide the date the Exhibit was shorn and the previous shearing date of the animal on the competition Entry Form.

JUDGING

- Judging will take place on Friday 31st August 2007.

- Judges may transfer fleeces into a more appropriate class if it is considered to have been entered in an incorrect class. Unskirted or insufficiently skirted fleeces will be correctly skirted under the direction of the Chief Steward or Supervisor in charge.

- Fleeces that in the opinion of the Judges are overgrown, will be judged accordingly, and potentially penalised by up to 20 points.

- The RAS reserves the right to draw a 200gram sample from each Exhibit for its own use.

- No Championship will be awarded, if the opinion of the Chief Judge, no Exhibit warrants a Championship Award.

- Ribbons will be awarded to 1st, 2nd and 3rd place getters.

JUDGING CRITERIA

- Fleeces to be judged on the following point systems in the relevant competition:

AUSTRALASIAN LAMBS' WOOL (Classes 1 – 11)

Trueness to type	10 points
Length	6 points
Soundness	6 points
Handle	16 points
Colour or bloom	16 points
Character	10 points
Density	6 points
Evenness	10 points
Yield %	20 points

Maximum 100 points

Samples in the Lambs' Wool Competition to contain not less than 450g of wool and must be untipped and shorn from lambs, not hoggets or weaners.

SKIRTED (Classes 12 – 40) and DISTRICT (Classes 56 -69) FLEECE

Sheep Fleece Judging will be based on the National Council of Wool Selling Brokers (NCWSB) scale of points. Judges will take account of the objective measurements and will apply a "Productivity Bonus" if the Clean Fleece Weight (CFW) is heavier than that required for maximum points on the NCWSB scale.

Trueness to 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	30 x Actual CFW Benchmark CFW

Maximum 100 Points

BLACK & COLOURED FLEECE (Classes 41 – 46)

Fleece Weight	15 points
Cleanliness	15 points
Handle	15 points
Tensile Strength	10 points
Length	10 points
Character	10 points
Evenness of Count	10 points
Brightness	10 points
Fibre Wastage	5 points

Maximum 100 points

MOHAIR FLEECE (Classes 47 – 54)

Trueness to type	20 points
Fineness	10 points
EP Lustre	10 points
Freedom of Medullation	15 points
Length (uniformity)	10 points
Character Style	15 points
Clean Fibre Content	20 points

Maximum 100 points

The 2007 Royal Melbourne Show Fleece Competition
Subjective Fleece Judging Results

Class No.	1
Class Name	Superfine Merino Lamb's Wool

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 6 Points	Soundness Max 6 Points	Handle Max 16 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 16 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Yield % Max 20 Points	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
D Hopkins	8	5	6	15	14	8	4.5	8	20	88.5	1

Class No.	2
Class Name	Fine Merino Lamb's Wool

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 6 Points	Soundness Max 6 Points	Handle Max 16 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 16 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Yield % Max 20 Points	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
H Wright	9	5	6	13	15	6	5.5	7.5	20	87	1

Class No.	3
Class Name	Medium Merino Lamb's Wool

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 6 Points	Soundness Max 6 Points	Handle Max 16 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 16 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Yield % Max 20 Points	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
N Thompson	7	3	6	14	12	8	5	7.5	18	78.5	2
D Hopkins	8	4.5	6	14	14	8	5	8	20	87.5	1

Class No.	4
Class Name	Strong Merino Lamb's Wool

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 6 Points	Soundness Max 6 Points	Handle Max 16 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 16 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Yield % Max 20 Points	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
D Hopkins	8	4.5	6	15	15	8.5	4.5	8	20	90.5	1

Class No.	5
Class Name	Polwarth Lamb's Wool

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 6 Points	Soundness Max 6 Points	Handle Max 16 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 16 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Yield % Max 20 Points	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
D Hopkins	9	5	6	15	15	8	5	7	20	90	1

Class No.	7
Class Name	Comeback Lamb's wool

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 6 Points	Soundness Max 6 Points	Handle Max 16 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 16 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Yield % Max 20 Points	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
D Hopkins	8	4	6	15	14	7.5	4	7	18	83.5	1

Class No.	8
Class Name	Crossbred Lamb's Wool

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 6 Points	Soundness Max 6 Points	Handle Max 16 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 16 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Yield % Max 20 Points	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
N Thompson	7	3	6	14	13	7	5.5	7	17	78.5	2
D Hopkins	9	4.5	6	18	15	8	4	7	19	88.5	1

Class No.	9
Class Name	British Long Wool Lamb's Wool

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 6 Points	Soundness Max 6 Points	Handle Max 16 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 16 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Yield % Max 20 Points	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
G Well	6	3	6	12	12	6	4.5	7	18	74.5	5
J Beattie	7	3.5	6	15	13	8	6	8	14	80.5	4
D Rizzoli	8	3.5	6	14	14	8	6	7.5	18	84	1
D Rizzoli	5	4	5	12	10	6	4	6	14	68	7
D Rizzoli	6	4	5	12	13	6	4.5	5.5	18	74	6
D Wilkinson	7	3.5	6	14	13	7	5	7	19	81.5	3
D Wilkinson	7	3.5	6	14	13.5	7	5	7.5	19	82.5	2

SKIRTED WOOL COMPETITION

Class No.	16
Class Name	Skirted Fleece of Ultrafine Merino Ewe of Wether's Wool

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Soundness Max 10 Points	Handle Max 8 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 6 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Micron μ	GF Weight (kg)	Yield	CF Weight Max 30 Points	Value \$	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
P Darby	8	8	6	6	4	7	4.5	7	14.8	2.9	68	17.5	20.7	68	2
P Darby	8	8	10	6	4.5	7	5	8	15.9	2.2	79.4	15	26.2	71.5	1

Class No.	18
Class Name	Skirted Fleece of superfine Merino Ewe of Wether's Wool

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Soundness Max 10 Points	Handle Max 8 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 6 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Micron μ	GF Weight (kg)	Yield	CF Weight Max 30 Points	Value \$	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
J Ford	8	7	10	8.5	5	8	4.5	7.5	16.6	2.9	67.1	16	26.38	72.5	5
CR & MJ Lyons	7	7	7	8.5	4.5	7	4.5	7	17.2	4.2	59.9	20	30.94	70.5	6
P Darby	8	8	10	7	5	8	4.5	8	16.8	2.8	76.1	17	29.36	75.5	4
I & J Peters	7	8	10	7	4	7	5	7	17.6	6.1	69.9	30	51.16	85	2
B Sharrock	8	8	10	7	4.5	8	5	8	16.8	7.2	73.9	30	69.17	88.5	1
M Schinckel	7	7	7	8.5	4	7	5	7	17.2	4.2	59.9	30	49.77	80.5	3

Class No.	20
Class Name	Skirted Fleece of Fine Merino Ewe of Wether's Wool

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Soundness Max 10 Points	Handle Max 8 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 6 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Micron μ	GF Weight (kg)	Yield	CF Weight Max 30 Points	Value \$	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
J Ford	7	9	7	6	4.5	7	4	7	19.5	3.9	73.3	19	30.15	69.5	3
CR & MJ Lyons	8	8	10	7	5	8	5	8	18.8	6	68.9	27	46.83	86	1
R Fraser	8	8	9	6.5	4.5	7	5	7	18.1	6.5	67.2	29	51.19	83	2

Class No.	22
Class Name	Skirted Fleece of Medium Merino Ewe of Wether's Wool

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Soundness Max 10 Points	Handle Max 8 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 6 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Micron μ	GF Weight (kg)	Yield	CF Weight Max 30 Points	Value \$	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
I & J Peters	7	7	10	6.5	4	7	5	7	21.7	7.1	67.3	24	43.66	77.5	3
I & J Peters	7	8	10	7	5	7.5	5	8	21.4	7.7	59.8	23	44.82	80.5	1
R Fraser	8	8	10	7	5.5	7	5	7	21.3	6.4	67.9	21	40.32	78.5	2

Class No.	24
Class Name	Skirted Fleece of Strong Merino Ewe of Wether's Wool

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Soundness Max 10 Points	Handle Max 8 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 6 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Micron μ	GF Weight (kg)	Yield	CF Weight Max 30 Points	Value \$	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
I & J Peters	7	7	10	6	4	7	4.5	7	22	7.8	61	20.5	42.82	73	1

Class No.	25
Class Name	Skirted Fleece of Corriedale Ram's Wool

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Soundness Max 10 Points	Handle Max 8 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 6 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Micron μ	GF Weight (kg)	Yield	CF Weight Max 30 Points	Value \$	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
N Cole	7.0	6.0	9.0	6.0	5.0	8.0	5.0	8.0	34.9	10.2	72.2	24.0	22.62	78.0	3
N Cole	7.0	6.0	9.0	6.0	5.0	6.0	5.0	7.0	28.8	11.2	75.0	27.5	32	78.5	2
J Venters	8.0	8.0	9.0	7.0	4.0	8.0	4.0	6.0	27.9	7.3	80.6	19.5	27.65	73.5	4
J Venters	8.0	8.0	9.0	7.0	4.0	9.0	5.0	7.0	32.9	8.7	78.3	22.5	22.47	79.5	1

Class No.	26
Class Name	Skirted Fleece of Corriedale Ewe or Wether's Wool

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Soundness Max 10 Points	Handle Max 8 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 6 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Micron μ	GF Weight (kg)	Yield	CF Weight Max 30 Points	Value \$	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
N Cole	8	8	9	7	5	8	4	8	28.7	4.4	78.3	14.5	14.81	71.5	2
J Venters	8	8	9	7	5	7	5	8	31.1	6.7	81.3	23	19.88	80	1

Class No.	27
Class Name	Skirted Fleece of Polwarth Ram's Wool

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Soundness Max 10 Points	Handle Max 8 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 6 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Micron μ	GF Weight (kg)	Yield	CF Weight Max 30 Points	Value \$	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
D Farnhill	6	8	7	6	3	5	4	5	24	8	71.4	24.5	46.83	69.5	1

Class No.	28
Class Name	Skirted Fleece of Polwarth Ewe or Wether's Wool

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Soundness Max 10 Points	Handle Max 8 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 6 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Micron μ	GF Weight (kg)	Yield	CF Weight Max 30 Points	Value \$	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
D Hopkins	8	8	9	7	4	8	5	8	25.1	6.1	81	26	35.82	83	1

Class No.	29
Class Name	Skirted Fleece of Romney Wool

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Soundness Max 10 Points	Handle Max 8 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 6 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Micron μ	GF Weight (kg)	Yield	CF Weight Max 30 Points	Value \$	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
G Wall	8	7	9	8	4	6	4	7	38.6	4.9	79.7	19	10.54	70	1
D Wilkinson	6	7	9	6	4	6	4	6	38	5.9	73.4	21	11.9	68	2
D Wilkinson	6	6	9	6	4	6	4	6	39.3	6.6	72.3	19.5	10.72	66.5	3

Class No.	30
Class Name	Skirted Fleece of Border Leicester Ram's Wool

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Soundness Max 10 Points	Handle Max 8 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 6 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Micron μ	GF Weight (kg)	Yield	CF Weight Max 30 Points	Value \$	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
B Starrit	5	7	9	6	2	6	4	6	43.8	5	79.1	16	8	60	2
B Starrit	7	7	9	6	3	7	5	7	40.9	6.5	74.8	16.5	9.35	67.5	1

Class No.	32
Class Name	Skirted Fleece of Border Leicester Ewe or Wether's Wool

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Soundness Max 10 Points	Handle Max 8 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 6 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Micron μ	GF Weight (kg)	Yield	CF Weight Max 30 Points	Value \$	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
E Stephenson	7	7	9	6	4	9	4	8	42.1	6.6	69	17	11.88	71	1

Class No.	34
Class Name	Skirted Fleece of English Leicester Ram's Wool

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Soundness Max 10 Points	Handle Max 8 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 6 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Micron μ	GF Weight (kg)	Yield	CF Weight Max 30 Points	Value \$	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
J Beattie	7	7	9	6	4	8	5	8	45.7	7.4	68.6	15.5	11.84	69.5	1
D Rizzoli	7	7	9	6	4	7	5	8	44.7	7.3	73	16	12.04	69	2

Class No.	35
Class Name	Skirted Fleece of Lincoln Ram's Wool

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Soundness Max 10 Points	Handle Max 8 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 6 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Micron μ	GF Weight (kg)	Yield	CF Weight Max 30 Points	Value \$	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
D Rizzoli	7	7	9	6	3	7	4	8	43.3	6.4	69.3	15.5	9.6	66.5	1

Class No.	36
Class Name	Skirted Fleece of Cheviot Wool

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Soundness Max 10 Points	Handle Max 8 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 6 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Micron μ	GF Weight (kg)	Yield	CF Weight Max 30 Points	Value \$	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
D Wilkinson	7	8	9	7	3	6	3	6	39	39.3	65.7	12.5	7.14	61.5	2
D Wilkinson	7	8	9	6	5	7	4	7	4.2	3.7	75.8	12.5	6.47	65.5	1

Class No.	38
Class Name	Skirted Fleece of Penendale Wool

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Soundness Max 10 Points	Handle Max 8 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 6 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Micron μ	GF Weight (kg)	Yield	CF Weight Max 30 Points	Value \$	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
M Nissen	7	7	9	6	4	6	4	6	35.9	5.1	68.8	16	10.52	66	2
M Nissen	7	7	9	6	4	6	4	6	37.9	4.2	76.1	14	8.94	63	3
T Webber	8	7	9	6	4	6	3	6	35	2.6	81.1	9.5	6.53	62.5	4
T Webber	8	8	9	7	4	6	4	6	36.4	2.8	76.5	9.5	6.42	65.5	1

Class No.	39
Class Name	Skirted Fleece of Fine Comeback Ewe or Wether's Wool (25μ & Finer)

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Soundness Max 10 Points	Handle Max 8 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 6 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Micron μ	GF Weight (kg)	Yield	CF Weight Max 30 Points	Value \$	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
L Nunn	8	8	9	7	5	8	4	9	24.1	3.5	81.2	17.5	23.3	76.5	1

Class No.	40
Class Name	Skirted Fleece of Fine Comeback Ram's Wool (25.1μ - 27μ)

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Soundness Max 10 Points	Handle Max 8 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 6 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Micron μ	GF Weight (kg)	Yield	CF Weight Max 30 Points	Value \$	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
D Hopkins	8	7	5	6	5	7	5	7	26.3	6.4	74.8	30	26.72	80	1

Class No.	41
Class Name	Skirted Fleece of Fine Comeback Ewe or Wether's Wool (27.1μ - 30μ)

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Soundness Max 10 Points	Handle Max 8 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 6 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Micron μ	GF Weight (kg)	Yield	CF Weight Max 30 Points	Value \$	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
D Hopkins	8	8	9	7	5	8	5	8	26.4	6.1	81	30	31.37	88	1
D Hopkins	8	8	9	7	5	5	5	8	26.3	5.2	80.5	26	25.53	81	2

Class No.	43
Class Name	Skirted Fleece of Fine Comeback Ewe or Wether's Wool (30.µ & Broader)

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Soundness Max 10 Points	Handle Max 8 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 6 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Micron µ	GF Weight (kg)	Yield	CF Weight Max 30 Points	Value \$	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
A Tarbett	7	8	8	6	4	7	4	7	34.3	6.3	84.3	19.5	12.96	71.5	3
J Venters	7	8	9	6	4	7	5	7	31.1	9.6	74.7	30	23.12	83	1
J Venters	7	8	9	7	5	8	4	8	32.4	4.7	80	18	12.56	74	2

Class No.	46
Class Name	Extra Fine Black and Coloured Fleece, 64s and Finer (21.µ & Finer)

Exhibitor Name	Fleece Weight Max 15 Points	Cleanliness Max 15 Points	Handle Max 10 Points	Tensile Strength Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Evenness of Count Max 10 Points	Brightness Max 10 Points	Fibre Wastage Max 5 Points	Micron µ	Fleece Weight (kg)	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
M Ireland	9.75	13.5	10	8.5	9	8	9	7.5	2	16.4	2.2	75.25	4
M Ireland	15.75	12	14.5	10	8.5	9.5	9.5	9	4.5	20.5	3.6	83.25	1
M Ireland	13.25	10	13	7	8	8.5	8.5	8	2.5	18.2	3	79.75	3
M Ireland	13.75	12.5	14	10	7.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	3	17.4	3.1	86.25	2

Class No.	48
Class Name	Fine Black and Coloured Fleece, 58s - 60s (22µ - 25.5µ)

Exhibitor Name	Fleece Weight Max 15 Points	Cleanliness Max 15 Points	Handle Max 10 Points	Tensile Strength Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Evenness of Count Max 10 Points	Brightness Max 10 Points	Fibre Wastage Max 5 Points	Micron µ	Fleece Weight (kg)	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
M Ireland	14.25	13	10	6	7.5	7	7	6.5	2	24.4	3.6	72.25	1

Class No.	48
Class Name	Strong Black and Coloured Fleece, 44s - 46s (30.1µ - 38µ)

Exhibitor Name	Fleece Weight Max 15 Points	Cleanliness Max 15 Points	Handle Max 10 Points	Tensile Strength Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Evenness of Count Max 10 Points	Brightness Max 10 Points	Fibre Wastage Max 5 Points	Micron µ	Fleece Weight (kg)	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
M Ireland	9.5	10	6	6	7	3	6	4	3	30.2	3	86.7	1

DISTRICT FLEECE COMPETITION

Class No.	66
Class Name	Champion Merino - Wimmera District

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Soundness Max 10 Points	Handle Max 8 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 6 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Micron µ	GF Weight (kg)	Yield	CF Weight Max 30 Points	Value \$	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
P Hicks	8	8	10	6	5	8	4	8	18.2	6	71.4	28	45.96	85	1
M Staples	6	6	10	5	4	6	5	6	21.9	9.5	51.4	20.5	43.45	68.5	2

Class No.	67
Class Name	Champion Merino - North Eastern / Murray Valley District

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Soundness Max 10 Points	Handle Max 8 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 6 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Micron μ	GF Weight (kg)	Yield	CF Weight Max 30 Points	Value \$	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
G O'Brien	7	7	10	5	4	7	4	7	19.3	4.6	69.5	21	34.11	72	1

Class No.	68
Class Name	Champion Merino - Northern District

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Soundness Max 10 Points	Handle Max 8 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 6 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Micron μ	GF Weight (kg)	Yield	CF Weight Max 30 Points	Value \$	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
C Todd	7.0	8.0	9.0	6.0	3.0	6.0	5.0	6.0	18.8	8.4	63.5	30.0	56.0	80.0	2
JM, MJ, ME & CR Leech	8.0	9.0	10.0	7.0	5.0	9.0	6.0	9.0	20.2	9.2	78.3	30.0	70.81	93.0	1

Class No.	69
Class Name	Champion Merino - Western / South Western District

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Soundness Max 10 Points	Handle Max 8 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 6 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Micron μ	GF Weight (kg)	Yield	CF Weight Max 30 Points	Value \$	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
C McEachern	8	8	10	4	4	7	5	8	19.7	6.1	73.2	21.5	45.99	73.5	1
N Cole	8	7	10	4	4	7	5	8	23.4	8.5	68.1	21.5	49.49	72.5	2

Class No.	71
Class Name	Champion Merino Fleece - Midlands / Central & Upper Goulburn District

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Soundness Max 10 Points	Handle Max 8 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 6 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Micron μ	GF Weight (kg)	Yield	CF Weight Max 30 Points	Value \$	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
W Coultas	7	8	9	5	4	7	4	7	19.2	6.4	73.8	30	50.67	81	1

Class No.	76
Class Name	Champion Non-Merino - Western / South Western District

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Soundness Max 10 Points	Handle Max 8 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 6 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Micron μ	GF Weight (kg)	Yield	CF Weight Max 30 Points	Value \$	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
A Lee	7	8	10	4	3	6	5	7	53.4	12	70.3	29.5	16.8	80.5	1

Class No.	78
Class Name	Champion Non-Merino Fleece - Midlands / Central & Upper Goulburn District

Exhibitor Name	Trueness to Type Max 10 Points	Length Max 10 Points	Soundness Max 10 Points	Handle Max 8 Points	Colour or Bloom Max 6 Points	Character Max 10 Points	Density Max 6 Points	Evenness Max 10 Points	Micron μ	GF Weight (kg)	Yield	CF Weight Max 30 Points	Value \$	Total Points Max 100	Fleece Place
R & N Clark	7	8	8	6	4	6	4	6	34.5	4.2	74.7	14.5	13.49	61.5	3
R Fraser	8	9	10	6	5	8	6	8	23	7.9	71.2	30	49.49	90	1
F & M McCormack	7	9	10	6	3	8	5	7	30.1	5.5	76.7	19	16.28	74	2

**AUSTRALASIAN LAMBS' WOOL
COMPETITION**

- CLASS 1** Superfine Merino Lambs' Wool
- CLASS 2** Fine Merino Lambs' Wool
- CLASS 3** Medium Merino Lambs' Wool
- CLASS 4** Strong Merino Lambs' Wool
- CLASS 5** Polwarth Lambs' Wool
- CLASS 6** Corriedale Lambs' Wool
- CLASS 7** Comeback Lambs' Wool
- CLASS 8** Crossbred Lambs' Wool
- CLASS 9** British Long Wool Lambs' Wool

CHAMPION LAMBS' WOOL – Arcadian Trophy and Sash

SPECIAL SASH To be presented to the Most Successful Australasian Lambs' Wool Exhibitor donated by ARCADIAN WOOL BROKERS LTD. Points allotted on the basis of First, 3 points; Second, 2 points; Third, 1 point. Where points are equal, the highest number of first prizes will decide award. There must be a minimum of two Exhibitors in each Class before points will be allotted.

MOST SUCCESSFUL EXHIBITOR – Sash

SKIRTED FLEECE COMPETITION

- CLASS 15** Skirted fleece of ultra fine Merino ram's wool
- CLASS 16** Skirted fleece of ultra fine Merino ewe or wether's wool
- CLASS 17** Skirted fleece of superfine Merino ram's wool
- CLASS 18** Skirted fleece of superfine Merino ewe or wether's wool
- CLASS 19** Skirted fleece of fine Merino ram's wool
- CLASS 20** Skirted fleece of fine Merino ewe of wether's wool
- CLASS 21** Skirted fleece of medium Merino ram's wool
- CLASS 22** Skirted fleece of medium Merino ewe or wether's wool
- CLASS 23** Skirted fleece of strong Merino ram's wool
- CLASS 24** Skirted fleece of strong Merino ewe or wether's wool
- CLASS 25** Skirted fleece of Corriedale ram's wool

TROPHY J.F. GUTHRIE PERPETUAL CHALLENGE TROPHY Valued at \$1,500 donated by the late J.F. Guthrie for the Most Valuable Skirted Corriedale Ram Fleece in the Show. Each year the winner's name to be inscribed.

- CLASS 26** Skirted fleece of Corriedale ewe or wether's wool
- CLASS 27** Skirted fleece of Polwarth ram's wool
- CLASS 28** Skirted fleece of Polwarth ewe or wether's wool
- CLASS 29** Skirted fleece of Romney wool
- CLASS 30** Skirted fleece of Border Leicester ram's wool
- CLASS 31** Skirted fleece of Border Leicester ewe or wether's wool
- CLASS 32** Skirted fleece of English Leicester ram's wool
- CLASS 33** Skirted fleece of English Leicester ewe or wether's wool
- CLASS 34** Skirted fleece of Lincoln ram's wool
- CLASS 35** Skirted fleece of Lincoln ewe or wether's wool
- CLASS 36** Skirted fleece of Cheviot wool
- CLASS 37** Skirted fleece of Downs wool
- CLASS 38** Skirted fleece of Perendale wool

- CLASS 39** Skirted fleece of fine Comeback ewe or wether's wool, 25µ & finer
- CLASS 40** Skirted fleece of Comeback ram's wool, 25.1 – 27µ
- CLASS 41** Skirted fleece of Comeback ewe or wether's wool, 25.1 – 27µ
- CLASS 42** Skirted fleece of Crossbred ewe of wether's wool 27.1 – 30µ
- CLASS 43** Skirted fleece of strong Crossbred ewe or wether's wool, 30.1µ & broader

CHAMPION SKIRTED FLEECE – Sash

MOST SUCCESSFUL EXHIBITOR – Sash

TROPHY Trophy and Sash to the value of \$100 donated by ARCADIAN WOOL BROKERS LTD to be presented to the Most Successful Skirted Fleece Exhibitor. Points allotted on the basis of First, 3 points; Second, 2 points; Third, 1 point. Where points are equal, the highest number of first prizes will decide award. There must be a minimum of two Exhibitors in each Class before points will be allotted.

MOST VALUABLE SKIRTED FLEECE – All skirted fleeces will be automatically entered into this Competition.

PRIZE MONEY A \$200 cheque donated by LANDMARK LTD will be presented to the most valuable skirted fleece.

BLACK & COLOURED FLEECE COMPETITION

- CLASS 45** Extra Fine Black & Coloured Fleece, 64s and finer, 21.9µ & finer
- CLASS 46** Fine Black & Coloured Fleece, 58s – 60s, 22 – 25.5µ
- CLASS 47** Medium Black & Coloured Fleece, 50s – 56s, 25.6 – 30µ
- CLASS 48** Strong Black & Coloured Fleece, 44s – 46s, 30.1 to 38µ
- CLASS 49** Extra Strong Black & Coloured Fleece, 40s and stronger, 38.1µ & broader
- CLASS 50** Variegated Black & Coloured Fleece, any count/micron

CHAMPION BLACK AND COLOURED FLEECE – Sash

MOST SUCCESSFUL EXHIBITOR – Sash and

DISTRICT FLEECE COMPETITION

- CLASS 65** Champion Merino Fleece – Gippsland District/Port Phillip District
- CLASS 66** Champion Merino Fleece – Wimmera District
- CLASS 67** Champion Merino Fleece – North Eastern/Murray Valley District
- CLASS 68** Champion Merino Fleece – Northern District
- CLASS 69** Champion Merino Fleece – Western/South Western District
- CLASS 70** Champion Merino Fleece – Goulburn Valley Riverina District
- CLASS 71** Champion Merino Fleece – Midlands/Central & Upper Goulburn District
- CLASS 72** Champion Non-Merino Fleece – Gippsland/Port Phillip District
- CLASS 73** Champion Non-Merino Fleece – Wimmera District
- CLASS 74** Champion Non-Merino Fleece – North Eastern/Murray Valley District
- CLASS 75** Champion Non-Merino Fleece – Northern District
- CLASS 76** Champion Non-Merino Fleece – Western/South Western District
- CLASS 77** Champion Non-Merino Fleece – Goulburn Valley Riverina District
- CLASS 78** Champion Non-Merino Fleece – Midlands/Central & Upper Goulburn District

CHAMPION DISTRICT FLEECE – Sash

PRIZE MONEY A \$250 cheque donated by ELDERS presented to the Exhibitor of the highest scoring fleece judged from the District Fleece Competition.

OTHER AWARDS

POLWARTH SHEEP BREEDERS' ASSOCIATION OF AUSTRALIA (VICTORIA BRANCH) PERPETUAL CHALLENGE

TROPHY Trophy valued at \$1,500 will be awarded to the Most Attractive Polwarth Fleece in the Show. Each year the winner's name to be inscribed. To be eligible for this trophy, ram fleeces must not weigh less than 4.9kg and ewe fleeces not less than 3.4kg.

THE HENRY W. HOPKINS MEMORIAL AWARD

TROPHY Trophy to the value of \$100 donated by MR. D HOPKINS to be awarded to a first time Exhibitor as an encouragement award. The award is for the highest points and can be drawn from either the Skirted Fleece or Lambs' Wool classes.

SASHES AWARDED TO

All Champions and Most Successful Exhibitors in each Competition

ROSETTES AWARDED TO

Skirted Fleece Competition

Best Ultrafine Merino Fleece
Best Superfine Merino Fleece
Best Fine Merino Fleece
Best Medium Merino Fleece
Best Strong Merino Fleece
Best Corriedale Fleece
Best Polwarth Fleece
Best British Breed Fleece
Best Non-Merino Fleece
Best Non Merino Fleece from a Commercial Grower
Best Merino Fleece from a Commercial Grower
Best Comeback or Crossbred Fleece
Best Corriedale Lambs' Wool
Best Merinos Lambs' Wool
Best Polwarth Lambs' Wool
Best British Longwool Lambs' Wool
Best Comeback or Crossbred Lambs' Wool

Lambs' Wool Competition:

PRESENTATION OF AWARDS

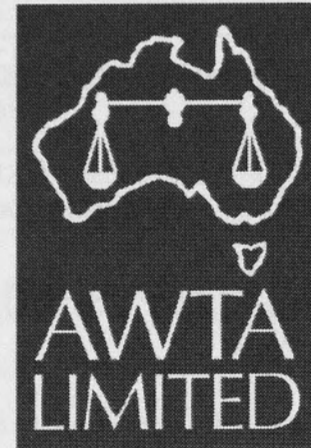
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