

2025 National Mid-America Dorper Youth Show

April 10-12, 2025 Stephens County Fairgrounds, Duncan, OK

2 Ways To Enter:

Online: Visit dorpersheep.org to access the Online Entry System*

Hard Copy: Mail the attached form and payment to the office

*Entries paid by credit card will be charged a 4% Credit Card Surcharge.

Online entries will open Feb 15th and close March 15st
Mailed in entries must be postmarked by March 15th

2025 Show Rules, Classes, and Production Ewe Guidelines are Attached. *It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to review show rules and guidelines.*

Hotel Information

Rates available until March 30, 2025

Holiday Inn Express

1520 W Apollo Dr Phone: (580) 251-9627 EVENT GUEST RATE: Double Beds - \$139 King Beds - \$109 Suites - \$119

Hampton Inn & Suites

2301 North US-81 Phone: (580) 255 -1700 EVENT GUEST RATE: Double Beds – \$139 King Beds - \$139 Fairfield Inn & Suites (HOST) 1450 W Apollo Dr Phone: (580) 736-7540 EVENT GUEST RATE:

Double Beds - \$139 King Beds - \$109 Suites - \$119

Rules and Classes for American Dorper Sheep Breeders' Society Youth Show

Show Rules

- 1. All exhibitors must be a current Junior member of the American Dorper Sheep Breeders' Society (ADSBS) and in good standing. The ADSBS recognizes a junior member as a member 21 years of age and younger.
- 2. **Ownership of the sheep must be in the junior member's name.** Partnerships, farms, families, 4-H Clubs or FFA chapters are not acceptable.
- 3. There is no minimum age for exhibitors, but the youth exhibitor must be physically capable of controlling and showing their own sheep, except in cases of physical disabilities. Another youth exhibitor may assist as heeler to set hind legs.
- 4. Exhibitors will not offer any tips or money to a contracted judge with the expectation of an altered placing.
- 5. Exhibitors will make every effort not to show an animal in a show under the contracted judge that was purchased from the contracted judge for a period of at least 60-days post sale.
- 6. Exhibitors will not socialize or offer lodging with the contracted judge within 3 days of the show, nor will they socialize with the judge at pens or trailers until after the show is complete.
- 7. Exhibitors will not offer any side agreements that would knowingly alter the placings.
- 8. All sheep must be properly washed and sheared.
- 9. Sheep may be shown with or without halters in all classes.
- 10. Entry fee is \$10.00 per head.
- 11. Showmanship will be open to all Junior exhibitors. Showmanship classes will be broken by age and/or show experience. No entry fee for Showmanship
- 12. Youth Show sheep (including lambs) should arrive no later than Noon Thursday to be checked in. All sheep must be removed from Stephens County Fair & Expo Center by 10 AM Sunday.
- 13. All sheep brought to the Stephens County Fair & Expo Center must have an official certificate (health paper) and a USDA scrapie identification tag.
- 14. Show management reserves the right to change, combine or delete classes with insufficient entries.

Showmanship Classes

- 1. Peewee 8 and under
- 2. Junior 9-11
- 3. Intermediate 12-15
- 4. Senior 16-21

Youth Show Classes

- 1. Dorper Fall Yearling Ram-born between 9-1-23 and 12-31-23
- 2. Dorper Winter Yearling Ram-born between 1-1-24 and 2-29-24
- 3. Dorper Spring Ram Lamb-born between 3-1 24 and 8-31-24
- 4. Dorper Early Fall Ram Lamb-born between 9-1-24 and 10-31-2024
- 5. Late Fall Ram Lambs born between 11-1-24 and 12-31-2024
- 6. Dorper Senior Yearling Ewe-born between 9-1-23 and 12-31-23
- 7. Dorper Winter Yearling Ewe-born between 1-1-24 and 2-29-24
- 8. Dorper Spring Ewe Lambs-born between 3-1-24 and 8-31-24
- 9. Dorper Early Fall Ewe Lambs-born between 9-1-24 and 10-31-24
- 10. Dorper Late Fall Ewe Lambs-born between 91-1-24 and 12-31-2024
- 11. Dorper January Ewe Lambs born between 1-1-25 and 1-31-25
- 12. White Dorper Fall Yearling Ram-born between 9-1-23 and 12-31-23
- 13. White Dorper Winter Yearling Ram-born between 1-1-24 and 2-29-24
- 14 White Dorper Spring Ram Lamb-born between 3-1 24 and 8-31-24
- 15. White Dorper Early Fall Ram Lamb-born between 9-1-24 and 10-31-2024
- 16. White Dorper Late Fall Ram Lambs born between 11-1-24 and 12-31-2024

- 18. White Dorper Senior Yearling Ewe-born between 9-1-23 and 12-31-23
- 19. White Dorper Winter Yearling Ewe-born between 1-1-24 and 2-29-24
- 20. White Dorper Spring Ewe Lambs-born between 3-1-24 and 8-31-24
- 21. White Dorper Early Fall Ewe Lambs-born between 9-1-24 and 10-31-24
- 22. White Dorper Late Fall Ewe Lambs-born between 91-1-24 and 12-31-2024
- 23. White Dorper January Ewe Lambs born between 1-1-25 and 1-31-25