

2008 IMGP SHOW RULES

GENERAL

1. All animals must have ORIGINAL (no copies) current health papers (IL farms – within 90 days, out of state – within 30 days). Papers WILL be checked at registration. Failure to present current health papers at check-in will result in disqualification and forfeiture of all entry fees.
2. Any animal which presents with an abscess (regardless of whether it is open or not) or appears ill, will not be allowed to be shown and will not be allowed in the barn/pen area.
3. All registered animals must be registered in the name of the exhibitor/farm or the exhibitor must possess a letter stating they are acting as an agent for the owner.
4. Only animals under 3 months of age will be allowed to show on “application to register.” No exceptions!
5. Exhibitors are expected to behave in a showman/show-woman like manner and comply with the show rules. Any exhibitor who fails to act in a professional and ethical manner, breaks show rules, or behaves in an unshowmanship like manner will be asked to leave the show grounds, forfeit all entry fees and monies won, and may be barred from future IMGP shows at the discretion of the IMGP Board of Directors.
6. Any issues on show day will be evaluated by all members of the IMGP Board of Directors that are present at the show site. Their decision will be final.
7. Proper show attire will be worn by all exhibitors.
8. All animals will be shown in their natural state, clipping and fitting is allowed.
9. No withholding of feed/water, drenching, ice packs or otherwise inhumane treatment will be tolerated.

JUNIOR WETHER SHOW

1. All exhibitors must be 19 years old or under as of 1 Jan 2008.
2. All animals must be owned by the exhibitor no later than 1 May 2008.
3. Wethers will be weighed and divided into appropriate weight classes. Classes will be broken by weight at the discretion of the show superintendent. Class winners will compete for overall market wether champion.
4. All wethers must have a scrapie tag in their ears that matches their health papers. No tagging after arrival at show grounds.
5. Cash awards will be made for champion/reserve champion and the first three placings in each class (at a minimum). 100% payback of entry fees guaranteed.

JUNIOR BREEDING SHOW

1. All exhibitors must be 19 years old or under as of 1 Jan 2008.
2. All animals must be owned by the exhibitor no later than 1 May 2008.
3. All animals must be registered in the name of the exhibitor only and have correct tattoos.