**Aylsham Show Sheep Results 2023**

Judge: John Gent.

Inter-breed - Supreme inter-breed championship: Sarah Tween (Blue Faced Leicester); reserve, Duncan Jeary.

Liz Adler Group of three: Oscar and Archie Jeary (Suffolk); reserve, Amy Byford (Hampshire Down); second reserve, Ben Lugsden (Border Leicester).

Suffolk

Judge, Sheila Eggleston.

Champion and reserve – Oscar and Archie Jeary; ram and ewe.

Ram: 1 Oscar and Archie Jeary (D K Jeary); 2 B E D Skinner, Mrs E Cameron and Miss N Anderson. Ram lamb: 1 Chloe Clark Rudd; 2 D K Jeary.

Ewe: 1 and 3 D K Jeary; 2 Clark Rudd. Shearling ewe: 1 and 3, D K Jeary; 2 Clark Rudd. Ewe lamb: 1 and 3 B E D Skinner, Mrs E Cameron and Miss N Anderson; 2 D K Jeary.

Any other continental breed

Judge: Mr McCurdie

Championship and reserve, Bruce Lockhart.

Ram: 1 Bruce Lockhart (Texel); 2 Alex Clark Rudd (Texel); 3 Michelle Lakey (Berrichon). Ram lamb: 1 Bruce Lockhart; 2 Alex Clark Rudd; 3 Michelle Lakey.

Ewe: 1 Michelle Lakey. Shearling ewe: 1 and 3 Bruce Lockhart; 2 Albert Case (Blue Texel). Ewe lamb: 1 Bruce Lockhart; 2 Alex Clark Rudd.

Down breeds

Judge: Dean Whybrow.

Championships – Supreme and reserve: Hampshire Down, Amy Byford.

Ram: 1 Hampshire Down, Amy Byford; 2 Shropshire, L & P Newman; Hampshire Down, Annabel Jones. Ram lamb: 1 Amy Bedford; 2 Annabel Jones; 3 Janine Newland (all Hampshire Downs).

Ewe: 1 L & P Newman (Southdown); 2 Charlotte Allen (Coloured Ryeland). Shearling ewe: 1 and 3 Phillipa Blake, (Oxford Down); 2 L & P Newman (Shropshire). Ewe Lamb: 1 Amy Byford; 2 Annabel Jones; 3 Beth Marshall (Hampshire Down).

Primitive breeds

Judge: Carole Muddiman

Championship - Mrs Kerry Gibb and Suzannah Long (Norfolk Horn); reserve, Darren Cassie (Hebridean). Group:

Ram: 1 and 3 Mrs Kerry Gibb and Suzannah Long (Norfolk Horn); 2 Mrs Donna King (Shetland). Ram lamb: 1 and 2 Donna King; 3 Darren Cassie (Hebridean).

Ewe: 1 and 3 Donna King; 2 Darren Cassie (Hebridean). Shearling ewe: 1 Darren Cassie; 2 Donna King; 3 Mrs Kerry Gibb and Suzannah Long. Ewe lamb: 1 Mrs Kerry Gibb and Suzannah Long; 2 Darren Cassie; 3 Mrs Donna King.

Commercial sheep

Judge: John Gent.

Championship – Supreme: Archie Harvey; reserve, Henry Harvey (Texel). Commercial ewe: Champion and reserve, Ben Coe. Ewe lamb: Archie Harvey (Mule and reserve, Texel). Butchers’ lambs: Champion and reserve, J & A Bradshaw-Hird.

Pen, three ewes, sired by British ram: 1 Ben Coe (North Country Mule); 2 Remy Powell (Suffolk). Sired by continental ram: 1 Ben Coe (Berrichon X); Archie Harvey (Texel); 3 J & A Bradshaw-Hird (Beltex X).

Shearling ewes, by British ram: 1 Archie Harvey (Mule); 2 and 3 David Kettringham (Mule and Suffolk X). By continental ram: 1 and 2 Henry Harvey & Son.

Ewe lamb, sire by British ram: 1 Archie Harvey (Mule); 2 B D Coe (White Face Mule); 3 Ben Coe (North Country Mule). By continental ram: 1 Archie Harvey; 2 J & A Bradshaw-Hird (Texel). Butcher’s lamb, light: 1 J & A Bradshaw-Hird. Over 40 kg: 1 J & A Bradshaw-Hird; 2 Archie Harvey.

Young handlers

Under 7 years: 1 Albert Case (Herdwick); 2 Felicity Leithall; 3 Hudson Frost, ? Webb. Under 12 years: 1 Archie Harvey; 2 Briony McKenzie; 3 Jasmine Baker; 4 Flo Leithall. Under 16 years: 1 Lauren Filby (Norfolk Horn); 2 Tia Barrett.

Hill & Heath

Judge: Carole Muddiman

Champion and Houghton Cup: Rob Crowter (Norfolk Horn); reserve, Andrew Barrett (Kerry Hill).

Ram: 1 Rob Crowter (Norfolk Horn); 2 Harriet Palmer (Herdwick); 3 S Leithall (Norfolk Horn). Ram lamb: 1 Andrew Barrett (Kerry Hill); 2 Margaret Faircloth (Rough Fell); 3 Amy Girling (Derbyshire Gritstone).

Ewe: 1 S Leithall (Norfolk Horn); 2 Darren Cassie (Norfolk Horn); 3 Edward Filby (Norfolk Horn). Shearling ewe: 1 Margaret Faircloth; 2 Edward Filby; 3 Remy Powell (Herdwick). Ewe lamb: 1 S Leithall; 2 and 3 Andrew Barrett.

Any other British breed

Judge: Dean Whybrow.

Championship – Sarah Tween’s shearling Blue Faced Leicester; reserve, Emily Palmer, Border Leicester ram.

Ram: 1 Emily Palmer (Border Leicester); 2 Clare Powell (Leicester Longwool); 3 Mrs Rachel Bond-Green (Border Leicester). Ram lamb: 1 Ben Lugsden, Poll Dorset; 2 Henry Harvey (Blue Faced Leicester); 3 Janine Newland (Polled Dorset).

Ewe: 1 Mrs Rachel Bond-Green (Border Leicester); 2 Emily Palmer (Border Leicester); 3 Henry Harvey (Blue Faced Leicester). Shearling ewe: 1 Sarah Tween (Blue Faced Leicester); 2 Mrs Rachel Bond-Green (Border Leicester); 3 Janine Newland (Polled Dorset). Ewe Lamb: 1 Henry Harvey (Blue Faced Leicester); 2 Janine Newland (Polled Dorset); 3 Ben Lugsden (Border Leicester).