



SHEEP FARMERS, DO YOU NEED A CHALLENGE?

NEW ZEALAND EWE HOGGET COMPETITION



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NEW ZEALAND SHEEPBREEDERS ASSOCIATION



The annual Ewe Hogget competition identifies the top operators and rewards excellence. Now in its 21st year the competition's objectives is to select flock replacements that are likely to be more productive and profitable over their lifetime.

WHY ENTER?

1. Your aim is to become the owner of the NZ Supreme Champion Hogget Flock
2. Have desire to benchmark hoggets with neighbours, district and nationwide
3. Prizes worth in excess of \$20,000
4. Winners of sections be invited to attend the Presentation Dinner
5. Overall winner to host a Field Day on their property
6. Special awards: Merial Ancare Flock Performance; Flock Phenotype, Large Flock and Alliance NZ Ewe Hogget Competition Cup.
7. Breed sections within the competition include Perendale, Coopworth, Romney, Crossbred, Composite (three crosses or more), and Fine Wool (incorporating Merino, Corriedale, and Halfbred)

Conditions of entry

- Entrants must display 80% of replacement ewe hoggets with a minimum of 200
- Ewe hoggets must be bred by exhibitor
- Ewe hoggets can be woolly or shorn
- All breeders of flock hoggets from commercial sheep are eligible
- National Winner to host a Field Day on their property
- Points awarded: Plock Performance – 50, Phenotype – 20, Breeding Objectives – 15, Wool – 15
- Hogget mating not necessary

ENTRY FORM

No late entries accepted. (See dates on Entry Form) Send to NZSBA (details below)

Name: _____

Ph: _____ Mobile: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____

Rapid Number: _____

Which Section are you entering (See no. 7 above): For further information contact NZSBA: Greg Burgess: Ph 03 358 9412, fax 03 358 9402, Email: greg@nzsheep.co.nz National Convenor: Stephen Rabbidge: Mobile 027 206 4957, Email: sb.rabbidge@gmail.com



2017 ENTRY FORM

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To be completed by ALL ENTRANTS. Entries close North Island – 10 April; South Island – 21 April 2017, to be sent to NZSBA: Post: PO Box 20094, Christchurch 8543, fax: (03) 3589 402 or email: greg@nzsheep.co.nz

ENTRANT'S DETAILS

Name: _____
Ph: _____ Mobile: _____ Fax: _____
Email: _____
Address: _____
RapidNumber: _____
Which section are you entering (See green box below): _____

FARM INFORMATION, PRODUCTIVITY

Farm class/type of country: _____
Main farm enterprise: _____ Total effective area (Ha): _____
Sheep stock numbers: _____ Ewe numbers: _____
Total stock numbers: _____ Stocking rate: _____
Lambing date: _____ Lambing % (ewes mated/lambs weaned): _____
Hogget lambing % (if applicable): _____ Number of Hogget lambs weaned: _____

Regional, semi-finalists and finalists will be required to provide a summary of their sheep and wool accounts and killing sheets as verification of figures, and this information will be confidential to the judges of the competition.

EWE HOGGET INFORMATION

Ewe breed: _____ Ram breed: _____
Number of ewe hoggets: _____

Sections

- Fine wools (incorporating Merino, Corriedale and Halfbred)
- Romney
- Perendale
- Coopworth
- Crossbred
- Composite (three or more crosses)

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