198 Market Lamb
Intermediate Level

All dates are listed on the Tuscarawas County Fair Livestock Requirement Summary.

1. Member must own and raise one market lamb.

2. Read, study, and have a working knowledge of the 194R Sheep Resource Handbook for Market & Breeding Projects. Follow and complete all sections of the Member Project Guide on Page 2. Complete one or more topics of interest (Page 3), five activities for intermediate level, two learning experiences (Pages 7 & 8), and two leadership and citizenship activities (Page 13). When doing activities from the book, have some type of proof showing what you actually did. A photo or short paragraph about it and not just a check mark beside the activity. NO SECTIONS ARE OPTIONAL.

3. Be able to identify live body parts.

4. Be able to identify breeds of sheep from a set of photographs.

5. Be able to identify correct and incorrect leg structures.

6. Be able to describe an “ideal” market lamb and point out areas to look for in selecting your project animal.

7. Be able to identify feedstuffs and main nutrients. Be able to identify sections of a feed tag.

8. Be able to describe common sheep health problems and to identify the sections of a medication label.

9. Be able to identify retail cuts of lamb, the Quality Grades and wholesale sections.

10. Have a basic understanding of fitting and showing techniques and procedures in selling and marketing the project animal.

11. Be able to explain methods of worming and foot trimming a market lamb.

12. Have a working knowledge of Sheep QA.

13. Be able to explain the space requirements for raising a market lamb.

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