

WOOL PAVILION

Saturday and Sunday

5th & 6th April 2025

Convenor:	Mr Ed Wall—0428 293 495
Stewards:	Mr Peter Lee Mr Chris Eather Ms Jean Ketchell Mr Max
Judge:	Bret Smith - Elders Walgett
Entry Fee:	\$1 per fleece
Entries Close:	With Stewards up to 10am Thursday 3rd April 2025 prior to the Show

Conditions: All entries must be received at the Wool Pavilion Saturday 5th April between 9am and 12 noon - Thursday 27th March between 9am and 10am. Arrangements to collect fleeces are made with the Convenor. All fleeces must have been grown by the exhibitor. All merino fleeces exhibited from flocks over 2000 are deemed to be in the Open Section. Further, all merino fleeces exhibited of a merino ram fleece are deemed to be in the Open Section. All fleeces must be skirted. Ram fleeces are excluded from Highest Commercial Value Trophy. All fleeces will be judged on point score basis laid down by the National Council of Woollselling Brokers. The Most Successful Exhibitor is calculated on a point score for each class: 1st 3 points, 2nd 2 points, 3rd 1 point, in classes with up to 7 entries. If there are 8 or more entries in a class: 1st 4 points, 2nd 3 points, 3rd, 2 points, 4th 1 point.

Donations: The Gunnedah Show Society would like to thank the following for their kind donations of trophies:- **The Geoff Capel Memorial Trophy donated by Bungulla Merino Stud - Manilla, John Elsley Memorial Trophy donated by Mr M.E. Elsley - Curlewis, Nutrien Gunnedah, Jemalong Wool - Tamworth, Elders Limited - Gunnedah and Gunnedah Northwest Plumbing (Shane Hobbs)**

Trophies and Awards:

CHAMPION FLEECE OF SHOW (Perpetual Trophy) - Ewe or Wether

RESERVE CHAMPION FLEECE OF SHOW - Ewe or Wether

CHAMPION RAM FLEECE OF SHOW

CHAMPION FLEECE OF SHOW - (Other Breeds) Ewe or Wether

MOST SUCCESSFUL EXHIBITOR - (Perpetual Trophy)

JOHN ELSLEY MEMORIAL TROPHY - Highest total of points for 2 fleeces (1 ewe or wether and 1 ram) exhibited by one exhibitor.

THE GEOFF CAPEL MEMORIAL TROPHY - Champion Fleece Restricted Section, taken from classes 9 – 12

JEMALONG WOOL - Most Successful Exhibitor Trophy

SHANE HOBBS PLUMBING TROPHY - Champion Merino Ram Fleece

ELDERS LIMITED TROPHY - Best pair of matched fleeces. May be taken from classes 1-4, 9-12 or 13-17.

NUTRIEN TROPHY - Highest Commercial Value fleece. May be taken from classes 1-4 and 9-12.

CLASSES

MERINO - OPEN SECTION

1. One fleece, ewe or wether, superfine
2. One fleece, ewe or wether, fine
3. One fleece, ewe or wether, medium
4. One fleece, ewe or wether, strong
5. One fleece, ram, superfine
6. One fleece, ram, fine
7. One fleece, ram, medium
8. One fleece, ram, strong

MERINO - RESTRICTED SECTION - Grass fed and unhoused. Stud or Ram Breeders not eligible.

9. One fleece, ewe or wether, superfine
10. One fleece, ewe or wether, fine
11. One fleece, ewe or wether, medium
12. One fleece, ewe or wether, strong

OTHER BREEDS SECTION - OPEN

13. One fleece, ewe or wether, comeback
14. One fleece, ewe or wether, fine crossbred
15. One fleece, ewe or wether, medium crossbred
16. One fleece, ewe or wether, strong crossbred
17. One fleece, ewe or wether, Downs Breed, short wool