

2013 Yearling Ewe Futurity

The American Shropshire Registry Association will sponsor a Shropshire yearling ewe futurity as part of our futurity system in 2013. The nominated ewe lambs purchased in 2012 by junior exhibitors and the ewe lambs nominated in the NAILE sale will be eligible for the yearling futurity. Another option for juniors wanting to participate will be to purchase a futurity nominated yearling ewe. The yearling ewe will need to be breeder-nominated (\$20) and from one of the five designated sales. The NAILE sale ewe lambs will not need to be renominated by the junior exhibitor. All other ewe lambs carried over that want to be a part of the Yearling Ewe Futurity will need to be renominated by May 1st, 2013. The year 2013 will be the fourth year for the yearling Futurity.

The 2012 designated sales will include the following: Shropshire Spectacular @ Bloomington, Illinois; Indiana Shropshire Sale @ Tipton, Indiana; Shropshire Classic @ Eaton, Ohio; Great Lakes Sale @ Wooster, Ohio and the Midwest Stud Ram Sale @ Sedalia, Missouri.

CONSIGNOR RULES

1. Entries are open to all yearling ewes born September 1, 2011, thru May 31, 2012.
2. A nomination fee of \$20 is required and payable to The American Shropshire Registry Association. Payment of nomination fees must also be made prior to the sale of the animal.
3. Each yearling ewe must be properly identified, according to the registration certificate. Futurity yearling ewes will be recorded by their scrapie tag number and paint branded with an **F before entering the sale ring**. The flock tag number will also be recorded for identifying purposes. **If either the scrapie tag or the flock tag is lost** the Shropshire office must be notified about the replacement, immediately.
4. Each yearling ewe must conform and abide by the rules and regulations of the individual sale to which it is consigned. All normal entry and commission fees will apply.
5. The American Shropshire Registry Association will not be responsible and shall be held harmless for any disputes and/or disagreements between buyers and sellers.

EXHIBITOR RULES

1. Up to date paid membership in the junior Shropshire Breed Association.
2. Not more than 21 years of age at the date of the NAILE in November.
3. Junior member must be at least 6 years of age with no partnerships or joint registrations.
4. Yearling ewes and points earned in the Futurity are not transferable to any other person, nor are the points from one yearling to another.
5. Yearling ewes are to be registered to individuals only, no and family, no partnerships, and no joint registrations.
6. No Futurity entrant can compete with more than two yearling ewes. Total points earned by two yearling ewes may not be combined into one yearling's total.
7. Junior members must exhibit their own yearling within a class. If they have two yearlings in the same class, another junior member may exhibit the second yearling.
8. If an exhibitor that owns a yearling is not present at the respective show-Futurity points are not eligible and should not be submitted.
9. Premiums-Based on percentages of the total amount of money collected for Futurity entries.
10. point reporting forms are available from the ASRA office and also on www.shropshires.org

Payout

FIRST	25%
SECOND	20%
THIRD	15%
FOURTH	10%
FIFTH - TENTH	5%

Premiums and awards will be sent from the ASRA office as soon as possible after the NAILE Junior Shropshire Show. Additional recognition for the exhibitors and breeders will appear in the Shropshire Voice and on the Shropshire Web-site.

POINT SCORING

1. A point card must be filled out for each show and forwarded to Becky Peterson, 41 Bell Road, Leyden, MA 01337 **within 14 days of the show. Must have a post mark of 14 days or fewer to count.** The card must be signed by the superintendent of the appropriate show. The point card can also be scanned and e-mailed to shropsec@hotmail.com
2. At each individual show the yearling ewe may earn futurity points from the open division, the junior division, or from both (when a different judge or day is involved) except at NAILE, where only the junior show placing will be counted.
3. Yearling ewes can compete at an unlimited number of shows. The exhibitor may submit as many cards as they want for that yearling ewe. Each ewe yearling's point cards will be kept separately. The five highest point award cards will be recorded as Futurity points.
4. **One point is awarded for showing the yearling ewe and one point for everyone you beat,** up to 10 points per class. Ten points is the most number of points that can be awarded per class.
5. At two shows double points are awarded. These shows are The All American Jr. Show and the National Jr. Show (at NAILE in 2013). The higher placing lamb at NAILE in Louisville will break ties.

FUTURITY POINT SCALE

Placing in Class

No. in class	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21+
1	1																				
3	3	2	1																		
5	5	4	3	2	1																
7	7	6	5	4	3	2	1														
10	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1											
15	10	10	10	10	10	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1						
20	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	