

The Fell Dales Association
Eskdale Show 2026
Saturday 26th September

**Schedule of Classes for Open Sheep, Local Sheep,
Young Handlers & Shepherds Dogs**

SHOW WILL BE HELD UNDER LICENCE FROM DEFRA,
ANIMAL GATHERINGS (England Order) 2004
Biosecurity controls in place. Please observe cleaning and disinfection rules.

Judging will commence at 10am prompt

No more than ONE prize per exhibitor per class

All Sheep Classes will break for Lunch between 12pm-1pm

1st - £10 2nd - £7 3rd - £5 4th - £3

We will NOT be taking formal entries again this year.
However, please let Sarah Fox (07904459210) know if you will be
exhibiting in any of the following classes.

Schedule of Classes For Open Sheep

OPEN TUP CLASSES

Tup with the Best Mouth .

Open to Tups 3-shear and above, *to be shown in respective classes.*

- 1 AGED TUP.
- 2 TWO-SHEAR TUP (*not to show more than six broad teeth*).
- 3 SHEARLING TUP.
- 4 TUP LAMB.
- 5 GROUP OF TUPS, consisting of One Aged Tup, One Two Shear Tup (*not showing more than six broad teeth*), One Shearling Tup and One Tup Lamb.
- 6 TWO TUP LAMBS
- 7 SHEARLING TUP and TUP LAMB
- 8 THREE SHEARLING TUPS (*to be shown in the hands of the breeder*).

CHAMPION RAM

RESERVE CHAMPION RAM

BEST WOOLED CLASSES

Only one entry per exhibitor for classes 9 & 10

- 9 BEST WOOLED MALE (*Shearling and above*). To be shown in respective classes.
- 10 BEST WOOLED FEMALE (*Shearling and above*).

CHAMPION WOOLED SHEEP

RESERVE CHAMPION WOOLED SHEEP

OPEN GIMMER CLASSES

- 11 AGED EWE (*to have reared lambs this season and to show milk*).
- 12 TWO-SHEAR EWE not showing more than six broad teeth.
- 13 SHEARLING EWE not showing more than two broad teeth.
- 14 GIMMER LAMB.
- 15 GROUP OF GIMMERS, consisting of One Aged Ewe (reared a lamb), One Two-shear Ewe, One Shearling and One Gimmer Lamb.
- 16 NATURAL COLOURED GROUP - ONE AGED EWE (*reared a lamb*), ONE TWO SHEAR EWE, ONE SHEARLING EWE, ONE GIMMER LAMB to be in natural coats (*not coloured*).

CHAMPION FEMALE
RESERVE CHAMPION FEMALE

- 17 TUP AND GIMMER LAMB *bred by Exhibitor.*
- 18 BEST TWO SHEEP *(male and female).*
- 19 BEST ANIMAL which has not won or helped to win a prize. *To be shown in respective classes. (exhibitors that have won Champion or Reserve Champion are debarred from this class)*

Young Breeders - open to breeders aged 10-28 with their own flock of Herdwick Sheep, exhibiting any Male or Female sheep that has been shown in its respective class (*Open & Local classes included*) by the owner and is owned by the exhibitor.

Schedule of Classes For Local Sheep

Confined to Parishes of Eskdale Postal Address

All sheep to be bred by Exhibitor and to have flock earmark

- 20 PEN OF THREE EWES and ONE TUP
- 21 ONE GIMMER LAMB
- 22 ONE GIMMER SHEARLING
- 23 ONE 2 SHEAR EWE
- 24 ONE AGED EWE (*to have reared lamb this season*)
- 25 GROUP OF GIMMERS consisting of One Aged Ewe, One 2 Shear Ewe, One Shearling Ewe and One Gimmer lamb
- 26 2 SHEAR (and above) TUP
- 27 SHEARLING TUP
- 28 TUP LAMB
- 29 SHEARLING TUP and TUP LAMB
- 30 PAIR OF LAMBS (*Male and Female*)
- 31 PEN OF FIVE GIMMER LAMBS (*Not to be shown in any other class*)

- 32 BEST MALE of any age (*restricted to 1st and 2nd prize winners*)
- 33 BEST FEMALE of any age (*restricted to 1st and 2nd prize winners*)

OVERALL LOCAL CHAMPION

RESERVE CHAMPION LOCAL

- 34 BEST MALE which has not won or helped to win a prize. *To be shown in respective classes. (exhibitors that have won Champion or Reserve Champion are debarred from this class)*
- 35 BEST FEMALE which has not won or helped to win a prize. *To be shown in respective classes. (exhibitors that have won Champion or Reserve Champion are debarred from this class)*
- 36 BEST MOUTHED SHEEP above 3 shear (*male or female*).

LOCAL BEST WOOLED CLASSES

Only one entry per exhibitor for classes 37 & 38

37 BEST WOOLED SHEEP (*Shearling and above*).

38 BEST WOOLED TUP or GIMMER LAMB

CHAMPION WOOLED SHEEP
RESERVE CHAMPION WOOLED SHEEP

WORLD CHAMPION HERDWICK SHEEP

Open Champion Male
Open Champion Female
Local Overall Champion

OPEN TO ALL EXHIBITORS

39 Best Fleece of Wool from a Herdwick Ewe *(to be exhibited in the Herdwick Tent)*

40 Tup with the Best Horns *(judged in Exhibitors pens at 12pm)*

Young Handlers

Open to ALL Boys & Girls Under 16 *to exhibit a Tup or Gimmer Lamb*

1st - £10 2nd - £5 3rd - £3

BOYS

Under 11Yrs

Under 16Yrs

GIRLS

Under 11Yrs

Under 16Yrs

SHEPHERDS DOG CLASSES

To be worked on a Fell Flock of Sheep

Judged at 12pm at the Sheep Pens

1st - £5 2nd - £4 3rd - £3

- 1 Rough Coated Dog or Bitch
- 2 Smooth Coated Dog
- 3 Smooth Coated Bitch
- 4 Couple of Shepherds Dogs (*belonging to the same owner and shown in respective classes*)

CHAMPION SHEPHERD'S DOG

RESERVE CHAMPION SHEPHERD'S DOG