

Clover Classic







The **Clover Classic** is a **Sheep and Boer Goat JACKPOT** show open to youth 21 years and under as of Jan 1, 2025.

Saturday, May 17, 2025 Branch County Fairgrounds Coldwater, MI

Coordinated by: <u>Tri-Town Youth Organization</u>

TWO rings for both Sheep and Goats! TWO separate Judges!

Awards

Market Lambs

Grand: \$300.00 + Prize **Reserve:** \$225.00 + Prize

3rd: \$150.00 + Prize 4th: \$100.00 + Prize 5th: \$75.00 + Prize **Market Goats**

Grand: \$250.00 + Prize Reserve: \$175.00 + Prize

3rd: \$100.00 + Prize 4th: \$75.00 + Prize 5th: \$50.00 + Prize

Division Champion & Reserve: Prize Champion & Reserve Commercial Ewe: Prize

Judges: Evan McClain & Isaac Gehret

The Clover Classic is MCLA Sanctioned

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Show Times

Schedule:

7:00 AM - 8:30 AM Goat Check In
7:00 AM - 9:00 AM Sheep Check In
8:30 AM MCLA Sheep Quiz

9:00 AM Goat Showmanship (Ring A ONLY)

Wether Dams

Ring B will start following the conclusion on Ring A Wether Dams

Market Goats
Commercial Ewes

Ring A will start 15 minutes following the conclusion of Ring B Market Goats

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Market Lambs
Sheep Showmanship

Showmanship will be judged by both judges in Ring A

General Rules

- 1. This is a prospect market lamb and goat jackpot show open to any youth 21 years of age and under as of Jan 1, 2025.
- 2. Exhibitors shall at all times conduct themselves with honesty and good sportsmanship and reflect the highest standards of honor and dignity to promote the advancement of agricultural education.
- 3. Humane handling practices of sheep/goats are required at all times.
- 4. All animals will show off of trailers. No pens will be available.
- 5. Generators are allowed and strongly encouraged due to limited power.
- 6. Health Requirements
 - a. Management reserves the right to excuse any animal with clinical signs of infectious, contagious, or toxicological disease.
 - b. All animals must have official USDA identification (ID) ear tags. Animals without proper identification are not eligible to show.
- 7. All MCLA rules apply
- 8. Entries are due prior to check-in at the following links:
 - a. Goat and Sheep entries: https://forms.gle/PqgZqj9khN4FnqB2A
 - b. Venmo payment link: https://account.venmo.com/u/ashherm
- 9. The Tri-Town Youth Organization is not responsible for losses from accidents or thefts.

Market Lamb and Goat Preview

- 1. Classes will be determined by weight on the day of the show.
- 2. Market Lamb Divisions: White Face, White Face Cross, AOB (Suffolk, Shropshire, Oxford), Hampshire, Natural, Crossbred.
- 3. Goat Divisions: Wether Dams(slick or fitted), Crossbred Market Goats (does and wethers show together).
- 4. We will not offer a market ewe/doe class but will allow ewes/slick does to show with wethers by weight.
- 5. First and second place animals in each class will be brought back to determine the division grand and reserve champions. The division grand and reserve champions will then be brought back for the overall champion and reserve placing. (Divisions are subject to change)
- 6. We will pick a Top Five for all market shows.

Commercial Ewe Division

- 1. Ewes will be shown by weight.
- 2. Ewes born on or after September 1, 2023 are eligible to show. Yearling ewes and ewe lambs will be shown separately. An overall champion and reserve champion ewe will be selected.

Educational Contest

1. The educational contest will be provided and run by a representative from MCLA. Please see MCLA website for rules and regulations on the educational contest.