AMERICAN BORDER LEICESTER ASSOCIATION

POLLY HOPKINS FUTURITY CONTEST

2020

CONTEST RULES

1. All Junior members 21 years as of December 31st of current year and younger with paid membership are eligible.
2. All ewes must be registered and nominated by breeder and fee of $25 per ewe paid by same; unless re-entering as a yearling ewe, then the current youth-owner will pay the fee. Nominations must be postmarked by July 1st.
3. Divisions offered are:
   A. White owned yearling ewes
   B. Natural Colored owned yearling ewes
   C. White home-raised* yearling ewes
   D. Natural Colored home-raised* yearling ewes
   E. White owned ewe lambs
   F. Natural Colored owned ewe lambs
   G. White home-raised* ewe lambs
   H. Natural Colored home-raised* ewe lambs

   * “home-raised” shall be defined as when the dam is owned by youth member when futurity nominated ewe was born.
4. “Owned” futurity ewe lambs or yearlings may be purchased through sales or privately.
5. Ewes must be solely and individually owned by the youth member.
6. Points are not transferable to any other ewe or person.
7. Futurity nominated ewes must be exhibited/shown by the youth-owner to receive futurity points. If a youth has two futurity ewes entered in the same class, the second ewe must be exhibited by another youth.
8. Futurity point scale:

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9. Point Record Form must be completed and signed by the Superintendent or Secretary of the show and forwarded by the youth exhibitor to Holliday Thomas, P.O. Box 234, Bowling Green, Ohio 43402 within 10 days of the show. This is youth exhibitors’ responsibility.
10. A futurity ewe may earn points from both open and junior shows at the same fair when a different judge is involved or the shows are held on different days.
11. The futurity ewe may compete in an unlimited number of shows and the youth is encouraged to send in all Point Record Forms from all shows; however, only the top 5 point cards will be used for each futurity ewe to determine the final score for the placings in this contest. It is encouraged that youth send in all Point Record Forms from all shows attended. In case of a tie, the sixth highest scoring Point Record Form may be counted.
12. Futurity entry fees and monetary donations towards this contest will be pro-rated between all divisions based on total number of entries.
13. When a futurity ewe lamb becomes a yearling, she may be re-nominated by the junior member-owner as a futurity nominated yearling ewe. The fee is $25 per head with the same divisions as the ewe lambs. (See #3 above)

Questions? Contact Holliday Thomas, P.O. Box 234, Bowling Green, OH 43402
419-308-1187       hnthomas55@gmail.com
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**NOMINATION FORM **
MUST BE POSTMARKED BY JULY 1, 2020 TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR THIS YEAR’S FUTURITY CONTEST
PLEASE FILL OUT ALL THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION TO NOMINATE A BORDER LEICESTER EWE LAMB OR YEARLING EWE

Check appropriate line: ___ White owned yearling ewe  ___ Natural Colored owned yearling ewe
___ White home-raised* yearling ewe  ___ Natural Colored home-raised* yearling ewe
___ White owned ewe lamb  ___ Natural Colored owned ewe lamb
___ White home-raised* ewe lamb  ___ Natural Colored home-raised* ewe lamb

* “Home-raised” shall be defined as when the dam is owned by youth member when futurity nominated ewe was born.

Breeder Name: ______________________________________ Telephone #: ___________________

Animal Farm Tag #: _______________________________ ABLA Registration # __________________

Birth Date of Animal: ________________________________

Youth Name: ___________________________ Telephone #: __________________

Youth Address: ________________________________

Nominating person’s signature: ______________________

Please make sure all above information is complete and correct, and this form is signed.

___ Enclosed is the $25.00 nomination fee (make check payable to “ABLA”)

Mail to Nomination Form and check to: Holliday Thomas, P.O. Box 234, Bowling Green, Ohio 43402

2020 AMERICAN BORDER LEICESTER ASSOCIATION FUTURITY POINT RECORD FORM

Owner/Exhibitor: ________________________________(Youth’s Name)

Ewe Information: Farm Tag No. __________________ ABLA Registration No. _________________

Name of event/show: ____________________________ Date: _________________________

Place of event: ________________________________ Official Judge: _______________________

The above named Futurity Nominated Ewe was shown in the ______________________ class and she placed _________ in a class of _________ head.

(Placing in the class) (Number of ewes in class)

I do hereby verify and certify all the above information to be true and correct.

Secretary of Superintendent of Show: ________________________________ (Signature of show official, and Title)

Telephone No: ___________________________ Date signed: _______________________

It is the youth-exhibitor’s responsibility to have this form filled out by Show Superintendent or Show Secretary. The youth-exhibitor is responsible for mailing the completed-signed form within 10 days of the show to: Holliday Thomas, P.O. Box 234, Bowling Green, Ohio 43402.