

# HDSBA PREMIER BREEDERS SALE

Stratford Upon Avon Livestock Market, Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> July 2017

## ENTRY FORM

All Sheep Must Be Maedi Visna Accredited  
Copy of MV Certificate must be enclosed with this form  
ENTRY FEE: £15 (incl VAT) per animal

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Entries Close Friday 9<sup>th</sup> June. No Late Entries accepted

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NAME	FLOCK NUMBER	FLOCK PREFIX

Where scrapie genotype information is included, please indicate whether 'certified' or 'by parentage'

Class Number	Hampshire Down ID Number	Date of Birth	Scrapie Genotype if known. (certified or by parentage)	Catalogue Notes YES/NO please attach on separate sheet. max 30 words per entry

### CATALOGUE ADVERTISING AND PUBLICITY OPORTUNITIES

UP TO 50 WORD GENERIC FLOCK DESCRIPTION, BEFORE EACH RUN OF YOUR CATALOGUED ENTRIES – £10 each	Y/N	Number Required	Allocate to my entries in Class Number(s):

FULL PAGE CATALOGUE ADVERT (A5 black & white) £50	Y/N	HALF PAGE CATALOGUE ADVERT (A5 black & white) £30	Y/N

All Catalogue Notes, Catalogue Flock Promotion and Advertising Copy to be submitted at time of entry. The catalogue will be produced on the day entries close and no late submissions can therefore be accepted.

All Entries **Must Be Made on this Entry Form** and returned **by closing date** to:

HDSBA, Plan Farm, Kingarth, Isle of Bute PA20 9LX

*Remember to include: Payment, MV Certificate, Pedigree Certificates for all Female and Stock Ram entries and where applicable: Catalogue Notes, Advertising & Publicity Copy, Scrapie Genotype Certificates*

# CLASSIFICATION, SCHEDULE & REGULATIONS

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**AUCTIONEER: Mr Alastair Brown for Bletsoes on behalf of HDSBA**

[www.bletsoes.co.uk](http://www.bletsoes.co.uk)

**Stratford Livestock Auctions, Wincot Lands, Clifford Chambers,**

**Stratford upon Avon CV37 8LE**

**DEFRA HOLDING NO. 43/266/8003**

**HDSBA Inspector: Tim Hunter**

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**CLASS 1 Shearling Ewe**

**CLASS 2 Ewe Lamb**

**CLASS 3 Shearling Ram**

**CLASS 4 Ram Lamb**

## Sale Conditions

1. The sale is subject to the conditions of sale recommended for use at markets by the Livestock Auctioneers Markets Committee for England and Wales\* except in so far as these conflict with the following conditions, when the following conditions shall prevail

2.1 The sale is confined to females registered with and males birth notified to the HDSBA and are the produce of registered flocks and the property of fully paid up members of the HDSBA

2.2 Females only accepted if: not pregnant; not lambed within 30 days of arrival at the Sale; not subject to procedures which change the seasonal breeding pattern.

2.3 The entry fee is £15 per animal payable on entry

2.4 HDSBA reserves the right to govern the number of entries at sales

2.5 The order of sale and position in the catalogue will be determined by ballot. Maximum of four lots from each vendor to be sold consecutively. Vendors with more than 4 entries will have their remaining entries balloted after all entries have been drawn once.

2.6 Sheep must be penned by 08.30am and the sale will start 11:30 am

2.7 There will be minimum reserve (upset) prices for sale entries as follows:

Ewe lambs        250 guineas

Shearling ewes   300 guineas

Ram lambs        300 guineas

Shearling rams   350 guineas

Any sheep sold outside the ring must not be below these minimum prices and must be booked through the Auctioneers. Any sheep failing to reach the upset price in its category will be passed out unsold.

2.8 Sheep will be sold in guineas. A commission of 5p in the guinea plus VAT will be charged to the Vendor. Any charges or costs arising after the sheep have been sold (eg additional haulage, accommodation charges, veterinary fees etc.) will be borne by the Purchaser (including overseas buyers)

2.9 The Purchaser to give his full name and home address and pay for all Lots purchased immediately at the close of the sale. No Lot or Lots shall be removed from the sale premises until paid for and a pass out slip obtained from the Auctioneers but each and every lot shall immediately at the fall of the hammer be considered as delivered and be and remain in every respect at the absolute risk and expense of the Purchaser and shall be removed from the sale premises at the Purchaser's expense. The right of property shall not pass until the full purchase price is paid.

2.10 Purchasers paying by cheque must be prepared to produce reasonable proof of identity

- 3.1 Sheep will only be accepted into the market and penned for sale if they are accompanied by a current SAC certificate of official MVA status which has been correctly completed
- 3.2 Sheep catalogued with a Scrapie genotype must be accompanied by a valid certificate
- 4.1 All tags must comply with UK legislation and HDSBA rules on identification
- 4.2 All sheep must be branded by the owners with the catalogue numbers only.
- 4.3 Substitutes must be declared to the HDSBA and to the Auctioneers not less than 48 hours prior to the sale and must be marked with a red dot not less than one inch in diameter behind the lot number. A maximum of two substitutes will be permitted per vendor.
- 5.1 Any animal got by ET must be identified as such in the catalogue
- 5.2 Any rams with semen retained before sale or females which have been flushed and embryos recovered before sale must be declared in the catalogue and announced at the time of sale. Failure to do so will result in the purchaser having the right to return the sheep and be repaid the purchase price and costs.
- 5.3 Any female that has been subjected to any abdominal surgery including laparoscopic AI, embryo transfer or Caesarean section must be so declared in the catalogue and must be physically capable of breeding again
- 6.1 All sheep entered and forward at any sale will be inspected by an official HDSBA Inspector to ensure that:-
- (a) their ear tag and lot numbers tally with the catalogue and with current UK legislation
  - (b) they comply with HDSBA's breed standard
  - (c) they are of good conformation and size and/or condition
  - (minimum weight: for shearling rams, 100kg; shearling ewes, 75kg; ram lambs, 65kg; ewe lambs, 60kg)**
  - (d) they are not incorrectly docked; daggy; faulty in teeth, testicles or udder; lame or showing signs of disease.
- 6.2 The expected minimum scrotum circumference (at widest) is for lambs 30cms and for shearlings 35cms
- 6.3 Any animals rejected by the Inspector will be marked by him and shall not be sold during or following the end of the sale.
- 6.4 The Inspector's decision is final and binding and the Inspector shall be absolved from any responsibility or liability for any action taken as a result of his advice
- 6.5 The inclusion of any animal in the sale following any inspection is no warranty that the particular animal meets any criterion in respect of any standards or will do so in the future. Neither is it a warranty of health
- 7.1 No colouring matter may be used on head or legs. Samples of hair may be collected from randomly selected animals and analysed for the presence of colouring matter. In the event of any sheep being found to have been artificially coloured, the owner will be required forthwith by the Inspector to remove from the sale yard that sheep together with all other sheep in the same consignment. If sheep are found to have been artificially coloured the matter may be referred to the Sales Committee of HDSBA for consideration as to whether any reference should be made to the Disciplinary Committee.
- 7.2 The use of growth promoters is banned and HDSBA reserves the right to randomly test any sheep offered for sale.
- 7.2 Any interference with natural tooth growth is not permitted
- 7.3 All shearlings must have been shorn bare, not before 1<sup>st</sup> March, in the year of sale.
- 8.1 All rams, including ram lambs, are warranted by the Vendor to be capable of natural and effective service within 90 days of the sale. If at the expiration of the warranty period a ram is proven incapable of natural and effective service and within 14 days of the expiration of the warranty period a Veterinary Certificate is lodged with the Auctioneers confirming (on the day of examination):
- (a) the ram is incapable of performing a natural effective service and
  - (b) that the incapacity is not the result of any apparent injury, accident or illness and
  - (c) the Veterinary Surgeon has inspected the Purchaser's ewes and found them to be in normal, responsible breeding condition;
- then the Purchaser shall have the option of, either a refund of the purchase price, or accept a ram of similar quality. If the Vendor so wishes he shall be entitled to have access to the ram for a veterinary examination. If a settlement is not reached then an independent arbiter shall be appointed by the Auctioneers and his decision shall be final. The transport costs, veterinary fees etc., involved in returning stock to the Vendor must be borne by the Purchaser. Purchasers are advised to arrange insurance of any rams purchased
- 8.2 HDSBA does not guarantee the stock getting capabilities of any sheep
- 9.1 Neither the Auctioneers nor HDSBA can accept responsibility for any errors or omissions
- 10.1 Neither the Vendor nor the Auctioneers nor HDSBA will be responsible for any accident or injury to persons or property, through fire or any other cause whatsoever, nor for any damage by animals prior to, during or after the sale.

**STOCK WILL NOT BE ADMITTED TO THE SITE BEFORE THURSDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> JUNE**

\*To view the conditions go to [www.bjpmarts.co.uk/conditions.asp](http://www.bjpmarts.co.uk/conditions.asp)