

NEW IN 2025!

75TH ANNUAL WV PUREBRED SHEEP & GOAT SALE PHOTO CONTEST

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As an addition to the 75th Annual WV Purebred Sheep & Goat Sale, we are excited to announce that we will be hosting a photo contest! We can't wait to see your entries and help promote the WV Sheep & Goat industry.

The photo contest's purpose is to offer West Virginia youth and adults the opportunity to communicate through creative display a message in photography. The age divisions are as follows: **Youth (ages 9-18) and Adult (ages 18 plus).**

A first-place prize will be awarded within each category in both age divisions, except the black and white category which will have just one overall winner. Honorable mentions may also be noted.

All photos will be displayed at the WV Purebred Sheep & Goat Sale, and winning photos will be named there. Photos may be used by the WV Sheep & Goat Sale for promotions, social media, and more.

WV Purebred Sheep & Goat Sale Photo Contest Guidelines

1. Work must be done by entrant.
2. Photos are to be **8x10** inch color or black and white prints mounted on an **11x14** inch black poster board or black foam board. **Mount entry form below on the back** of the photo board.
3. Photos must be taken by the contestant between April 30, 2024, and this year's sale. Photos cannot be altered or image-enhanced in any way. Contestants are encouraged to use a 35mm, digital or cell phone cameras.
4. Photo cannot have been presented in any other contest.
5. There will be five subject categories each year:
 - Sheep & Goats** (*Photos that highlight sheep or goats that dominate focus of the photo*)
 - Farm Landscapes** (*Focusing on scenery around the farm*)
 - People In Other Farm Related Activities**
 - Other Animals Around the Farm** (*Animals other than sheep or goats on the farm*)
 - Black and White Photos** of any of the four categories above (*No age division...just one overall winner*)
6. **Each entry can be in only one subject category**, and entrant is to title the photo.
7. **A maximum of five entries per contestant is allowed.**
8. Photos become the property of The WV Purebred Sheep Breeders Association and may be used in publications and promotions.
9. All entries **must be postmarked by** the US Postal Service to Jennifer Friend by **April 10, 2025.**
Anything postmarked later cannot be judged.
10. Send your entries to: Harrison County Extension Office (Attn: Jennifer Friend), 1117 Good Hope Pike, Clarksburg, WV 26301

Entrant's Name: _____

Category: _____

Title of Entry: _____

Address of Entrant: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail Address: _____

Age Division (check one): _____ Youth _____ Adult