

**2026 NABSSAR NATIONAL SHOW & SALE**

**JUNE 5th & 6th**

**ILLINOIS STATE FAIRGROUNDS**

**SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS**

The American Cheviot Sheep Society will manage the 2026 NABSSAR National Show & Sale. All entries are due by April 10<sup>th</sup>. Mail your entries to Jeff Ebert 10015 Flush Road, St. George, KS 66535. Or email the entries to amcheviotssheep@gmail.com.

LOCATION: North Sheep Barn, Illinois State Fairgrounds, Springfield, Illinois

SHOW: Friday, June 6th, Babydolls will be the second breed to show following Cheviots with Evan Snyder as the Judge.

SALE: Saturday, June 7th, Babydolls will be the second breed to sell following Cheviots with Gary Saylor as the Auctioneer.

- **ENTRY DEADLINE – APRIL 10th:** Please, be on time! We want to have the catalog out in good time to prospective buyers and we simply cannot wait for late entries. Email entries will be accepted. Emailed and faxed entries will not be cataloged until entry fees are received.
- **ENTRY FEES –** Entry fees are \$30/head payable at time of entry. Entry fees are non-refundable on any sheep that are sifted or otherwise fail to make the sale. Please use the enclosed entry form. In addition to the entry fee, 11% (1% to NABSSAR) of the final bid will be charged as a sales commission. If you need additional room, simply photocopy the form, or provide the information on a blank sheet of paper. Information Sale Day will be accepted, but you should make every attempt to provide pedigree information to the prospective buyers. **Remember the April 10<sup>h</sup> deadline, and please be on time!!!**
- **LATE ENTRIES:** For all entries received after the deadline date and before the catalog is printed, we will make every effort to include these in the catalog. All entries that are received after the catalog is printed will be charged a late entry fee of \$60 per head. A consignor who has entries in the catalog and then later adds additional entries will be assessed the normal \$30 per head entry fee.

CATALOG: A sale catalog will be placed on the Cheviot website [www.cheviots.org](http://www.cheviots.org).

**All sheep consigned to the sale must be NABSSAR registered sheep.**

CLASSES:

Aged Ram (January 1, 2021 – August 31, 2024)

Yearling Ram (September 1, 2024 – August 31, 2025)

Fall Ram Lamb (September 1, 2025 – December 31, 2025)

January Ram Lamb (January 1, 2026 – January 31, 2026)

February Ram Lamb (February 1, 2026 – February 28, 2026)

March & Later Ram Lamb (March 1, 2025 or later)

Aged Ewe (January 1, 2021 – August 31, 2024)

Yearling Ewe (September 1, 2024 – August 31, 2025)

Fall Ewe Lamb (September 1, 2025 – December 31, 2025)

January Ewe Lamb (January 1, 2026 – January 31, 2026)

February Ewe Lamb (February 1, 2026 – February 28, 2026)

March & Later Ewe Lamb (March 1, 2025 or later)

**READ THIS:** A consignor may consign a single ram, but for the second ram, two ewes must also be consigned and then at least one ewe per ram after that. Therefore, if a consignor enters multiple rams, they must have at least the same number of ewes consigned. A consignor may enter as many ewes as they wish.

**SCRAPIE IDENTIFICATION:** All entries must carry Scrapie ID. You will need to have Scrapie ID on your Health Papers. The State of Illinois now requires out-of-state consignors to obtain an entry permit no more than 72 hours before entering Illinois. The permit may be obtained by calling the Illinois Dept. of Ag. (217-782-4944). More information on health papers and regulations will be sent to all consignors.

**MINIMUM BID:** There will be a minimum bid of \$400 on all entries.

**SALE HEADQUARTERS:** The Northfield Inn is the sale headquarters. Call 217-523-7900 and specify you are with the Cheviot Sheep Sale. Call early for reservations! The deadline date for rooms is May 15th.

PLEASE SEND ALL ENTRIES BY APRIL 10<sup>th</sup> & MAKE FEES PAYABLE TO:

American Cheviot Sheep Society

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