



2024 New Zealand Royal Golden Fleece Exhibition



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**ROYAL AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY
of NEW ZEALAND**

Friday 5 April 2024  **Rangiora Showgrounds**

158 Ashley Street, Rangiora.

- 12.30pm** Event Open to the Public
Viewing of New Zealand's finest Fleeces
- 2.30pm** Afternoon Tea
Presentation of Supreme Awards

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Welcome...



On behalf of the Royal A&P Society, we warmly welcome you to the Rangiora Showgrounds Function Centre and the 2024 New Zealand Royal Golden Fleece Exhibition – in its 55th year of existence.

Thank you to Exhibitors throughout New Zealand for your support in entering this exhibition and congratulate you all on the high standard of your entries.

Special congratulations to the 2024 Supreme Fleece Winners

- **Fine Fleece - [Martin Murray](#)**
- **Strong Fleece – [Rachel Humphrey](#)**
- **Black & Coloured Fleece - [Phillippa Sanders – Lowlands](#)**
- **Alpaca - Huacaya – [Shamarra Maradonna \(F & A Walkington\)](#)
Suri – [Alpaca Xperience Intrigue \(M & T Jackson\)](#)**
- **Mohair – [Joseph Burston](#)**

Thank you to our Judges Roger Fuller (Fine Wool), Petere McCusker (Strong Wool) Sandra Harnett (Black & Coloured), Molly Gardner (Alpaca) and William Heap (Mohair), for your expertise, support and time adjudicating on the fleeces. Also thank you PGGW for receiving the fleeces, and the Northern A&P Association for the venue.

Thank you to our Sponsors – your support helped to ensure its success.

Like anything, we depend on volunteers to organise and run this event – special thank you to Section Convenors, local A&P Associations personnel, friends and students from the Rangiora High School who helped, supported, and contributed in any way leading up to, and at the exhibition – it is very much appreciated.

We hope you enjoy viewing the Exhibition and on behalf of the Royal A&P Society, it has been an honour to host this prestigious event and we look forward to your continued support at our 2025 exhibition.

Best Wishes

**Golden Fleece Working Group,
Royal Agricultural Society NZ (RAS)**

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FINE WOOL FLEECE



Class 1 Ultra & Super Fine Merino Ram, 18 micron and finer

	Exhibitor	GW	CW	Yield	Micron	Score	Place
1	Kaiwara Merino Stud	6.2	4.5	73	16	94	1 st

Class 2 Fine Merino Ram, 18.1 - 20.5 micron

	Exhibitor	GW	CW	Yield	Micron	Score	Place
2	Heddell Family	5.6	4.1	74	20	85	1 st

Class 4 Ultra & Super Fine Merino Ewe, 18 micron and finer

	Exhibitor	GW	CW	Yield	Micron	Score	Place
3	Glenbrook – S Williams	5.9	4.1	70	18.5	95	1 st
4	Mt Arrowsmith Station	2.9	2.1	73	18	85	
5	P & J Kemp	2.8	2.0	70	16	83	
6	Kaiwara Merino Stud	4.1	3.0	74	17	94	2 nd
7	Mt Arrowsmith Station	3.4	2.4	71	17	89	3 rd

Class 5 Fine Merino Ewe, 18.1 - 20.5 micron

	Exhibitor	GW	CW	Yield	Micron	Score	Place
8	Hurunui Hills	5.5	3.9	71	18.5	96	2 nd
9	Hurunui Hills	4.7	3.4	72	18.5	93	3 rd
10	Heddell Family	3.6	2.7	75	18.0	88	
11	Heddell Family	3.8	2.8	74	18.1	90	
12	M Murray	6.2	4.5	73	20	97	1 st

Class 6 Merino Ewe, 20.6 micron and stronger

	Exhibitor	GW	CW	Yield	Micron	Score	Place
13	M Murray	7.3	5.3	72	21	96	1 st

Class 7 Ultra & Super Fine Woolly Hogget, 17.5 micron and finer

	Exhibitor	GW	CW	Yield	Micron	Score	Place
14	Hurunui Hills	3.8	2.7	71	17	93	1 st
15	Hurunui Hills	3.2	2.3	73	17	89	2 nd

Class 13 Corriedale or Halfbred Ram

	Exhibitor	GW	CW	Yield	Micron	Score	Place
16	CG & BM Gilbert	6.5	4.6	70	29	83	1 st

Class 16 Corriedale or Halfbred Shorn Hogget

	Exhibitor	GW	CW	Yield	Micron	Score	Place
17	CG & BM Gilbert	4.5	3.2	71	27	93	1 st
18	DR & RE Clark	3.5	2.5	72	29	86	2 nd

STRONG WOOL FLEECE



Class 21 Perendale Ewe – No Entries

	Exhibitor	GW	CW	Yield	Micron	Score	Place
20	Ivan Evans – Bluff Farm	4.5	3.8	84	34	89.5	1 st
21	Ivan Evans – Bluff Farm	4.9	4.2	82	34	88.5	2 nd
22	Ivan Evans – Bluff Farm	4.3	3.5	81	36	81.5	3 rd

Class 22 Perendale Woolly Hogget

	Exhibitor	GW	CW	Yield	Micron	Score	Place
23	JR & MG Jebson	3.3	2.6	79	32	77.5	1 st

Class 25 Romney, Crossbred, Lincoln, Leicester, Coopworth, Texel Ewe

	Exhibitor	GW	CW	Yield	Micron	Score	Place
24	J Parr`	5.7	4.6	80	40	86.5	
25	Heddell Family	5.1	3.9	77	41	84	
26	DR & RE Clark	6.2	4.8	78	38	95	1 st
27	DR & RE Clark	6.2	4.8	78	38	92	3 rd
28	G Nichol	5.8	4.8	83	36	94.5	2 nd

Class 27 Romney, Crossbred, Lincoln, Leicester, Coopworth, Texel Shorn Hogget

	Exhibitor	GW	CW	Yield	Micron	Score	Place
29	Rachel Humphrey	5.8	4.8	83	35	97	1 st
30	DR & RE Clark	4.4	3.5	79	36	93	
31	DR & RE Clark	4.3	3.4	79	34	83.5	

BLACK and COLOURED FLEECE



Class 30 Black & Coloured Mature Fleece 31 microns and finer

	Exhibitor	GW	CW	Yield	Micron	Score	Place
BC1	Phillippa Sanders - Lowlands	3.7	2.6	72	17	93	
BC2	Phillippa Sanders - Lowlands	4.5	3.4	75	18	94.5	1 st
BC3	Jenna McLellan	2.7	1.9	72	16	92	
BC4	William Turnbull - Nopera	3.8	2.8	74	17	94	2 nd
BC5	William Turnbull - Nopera	2.9	2.1	72	16	91.5	
BC6	D & V Strong - Chudleigh	4.3	3.2	74	18	93.5	3 rd

Class 31 Black & Coloured Mature Fleece 32 microns and stronger

	Exhibitor	GW	CW	Yield	Micron	Score	Place
BC7	RK & Estate AC Patterson – White-Rock	4.1	3.3	80	34	93	1 st
BC8	Lorraine Parr	4.4	3.6	82	36	91.5	2 nd
BC9	Phillippa Sanders - Lowlands	3.3	2.7	82	36	86	3 rd

Class 32 Black & Coloured Woolly Hogget Fleece 30 microns and finer

	Exhibitor	GW	CW	Yield	Micron	Score	Place
BC9	D & V Strong - Chudleigh	3.6	2.7	75	19	94	1 st
BC10	Jenna McLellan	2.9	2.1	72	15	92.5	2 nd

Class 34 Black and Coloured Shorn Hogget Fleece 30 microns and finer

	Exhibitor	GW	CW	Yield	Micron	Score	Place
BC11	D & V Strong - Chudleigh	3.9	2.5	75	20	93	1 st

Class 35 Black and Coloured Shorn Hogget Fleece 31microns and stronger

	Exhibitor	GW	CW	Yield	Micron	Score	Place
BC12	RK & Estate AC Patterson	42	3.4	82	35	93.5	2 nd
BC13	Rachel Humphrey	40	3.1	80	32	94	1 st

ALPACA FLEECE**Class 1 Huacaya****Class 2 Suri**

	Exhibitor		
H01	Wayne and Sandra Allison – Stoney Meadows Alpacas	S01	Mike and Tina Jackson –
H02	Kevin and Lesley Burgess – Starlight Alpacas		Green Meadows Alpacas
H03	Martin Bennett – Oak Ridge Alpacas	S02	Maree and Ritchie Churches -
H04	Frank and Anya Walkington – Shamarra Alpacas		Surifino Alpacas
H05	Donna and Kerry Tannion – Kardon Alpacas	S03	Sue and Hermonie Richards -
H06	Kees and Catherine Rietveld – Styx River Farm Alpacas		Surico Alpacas
H07	Jayden Janus - Altitude Alpacas	S04	Paul and Jan Dixon -
H08	Neville and Adrienne Warsaw – Kinvarra Alpacas		Ngahere Alpacas
H09	Mike and Tina Jackson – Green Meadows Alpacas		
H10	Brenda and Ivor Gainsford – Brenor Alpacas		

MOHAIR FLEECE**Class 1 Kid Fleece**

	Exhibitor	Micron	Score	Place
M01	Johann, Veronica & Tarla Rall – Ad Maiora Angoras	29	93	2 nd
M02	Johann, Veronica & Tarla Rall – Ad Maiora Angoras	26	87	3 rd =
M03	Joseph Burston	20	95.5	1 st
M04	Joseph Burston	26	87	3 rd =

Class 2 Young Fleece

	Exhibitor		Micron	Score	Place
M05	Joseph Burston		30	85	
M06	Johann, Veronica & Tarla Rall – Ad Maiora Angoras		28	92	2 nd
M07	Joseph Burston		29	86.5	3 rd
M08	PA & KI Worthington – Woolstone Angoras		30	83	
M09	Johann, Veronica & Tarla Rall – Ad Maiora Angoras		27	92.5	1 st

Class 3 Adult Fleece

	Exhibitor		Micron	Score	Place
M10	Johann, Veronica & Tarla Rall – Ad Maiora Angoras		31	89	1 st
M11	Johann, Veronica & Tarla Rall – Ad Maiora Angoras		30	86.5	2 nd
M12	PA & KI Worthington – Woolstone Angoras		33	84.5	3 rd

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