

Waynesburg Sheep & Fiber Festival

Fleece to Shawl Team Entry Form

Team Name: _____

Captain's Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Payee for Prize: _____

Team Members

Name

Position

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Entry Deadline: April 15, 2022

Entry Fee: \$25. Make checks payable to : Waynesburg Prosperous & Beautiful, Inc.

Mail checks and entry forms to: Marianne Turcheck, 1574 Rostraver Rd, Rostraver Township, PA 15012

Call or Text: 724-322-5451

Rules:

1. The decision of the judges is final.
2. Competition begins at 10 am and ends at 1 pm.
3. Entries are due by April 15.
4. Teams will consist of 5 members – 1 carder, 3 spinners, 1 weaver, with a maximum of 5 team applications accepted, in order of applications received.
5. Teams supply an animal fleece of their choice. It should be clean, but not washed.
6. Drum carders or electric bobbin winders are prohibited.
7. Finished shawls will be a minimum of 24 inches sleyed in the reed: be between 78 inches (minimum) and 80 inches (maximum) in length, not including fringe, and have a minimum of 5 inches of fringe on each end. The judges will measure the width in the reed after the start of the contest, but before the weaver has begun to weave.
8. Teams will provide their own warp and looms will be threaded before the competition. Minimum sett is 8 EPI, however 6 EPI will be allowed for special designs (see the judges). Warp must be 100% animal fiber, but may be a blend of several animal fiber types. Warp may be natural or dyed.
9. Weft yarn will not exceed 3 times the diameter of the warp.
10. Teams will provide all equipment needed. Chairs are available.
11. Teams will identify themselves with distinctive signs/banners and dress (costumes).
12. Teams will display a sample shawl representing the shawl being produced.
13. Shawls will be auctioned, with the proceeds returned to the teams.
14. Shawls that remain on the loom will not be eligible for prizes or auction.
15. Awards: 1st \$100, 2nd \$75, 3rd \$50 and Best Spinner \$25, Best Weaver \$25.