

Mid Michigan Llama Show

May 31 and June 1, 2008

1. REGISTRATION: Entries must be received by May 17, 2008. A late fee will be charged if received after that date.
2. MEDICAL: All Michigan llamas require a health certificate after March 9, 2008. Out of state animals must have a health certificate after May 3, 2008.
3. This show is approved by ALSA and will run according to rules/guidelines in the ALSA 14th edition Handbook.
4. All breeding llamas 13 months and older, with the exception of Youth Classes, must be registered with the ILR or the CLRC. All llamas 18 months & under that are listed and need to be screened with the ILR do not have to be registered with the ILR. Non-Breeder llamas do not have to be registered. If Non-Breeders are not registered and wish to be in the ALSA award system and wish to show in halter, they must show in the adult Non-Breeder halter class. Include registration #'s on the entry form. **Copies of registration papers, (including pending registrations), and ALSA membership card must be included with the entries.**
5. Include the ALSA number for each llama or Youth Handler, if one is assigned.
6. AGE LIMITS (as of Jan. 1, 2008): Sub-junior - 4 thru 7 years,
Youth Junior - 8 thru 11 years*
Youth Intermediate - 12 thru 14 years
Youth Senior - 15 thru 18.
*8 yr olds may show as of their birthday and youth who turn 19 after January 1 may complete the year as a Youth Sr.
7. **Attire:** Showmanship/halter: dark pants or skirt and white blouse or shirt. Performance: clean appropriate attire.

8. HALTER CLASSES:

Age as of first day of show

Juvenile - 5 months thru 12 months.
Yearling - 13 months thru 24 month
2 Year Old - 25 months thru 36 months
Adult - 37 months and older

Non-Breeder

Juvenile - 13 months thru 24 months
Yearling - 25 months thru 36 months
Adult - 37 months and older

9. WOOL DESCRIPTIONS AND GROUP CLASSES

Suri- Lustrous, cool hand, lack of crimp and minimal loft, locked fiber that drapes over the llamas body.

Light - Minimal body wool, short neck wool with smooth legs.

Medium - Moderate to long body wool, minimal to moderate neck wool, smooth to moderate head and leg wool.

Heavy - Abundant body and neck wool with minimal to abundant head and leg wool. (i.e. leg wool at least to knee and hock). **No wool class changes made at show except by the Judge. Wool check will be made before each class.**

Produce of Dam - Two offspring by the same dam, either sex, and produce may represent the same sire. Produce must be shown in appropriate halter class.

Get of Sire - Three offspring by the same sire, either sex, by at least two different dams. All get must be shown in appropriate halter class.

If you do not own the dam or sire, bring written permission from the owner for you to show in Produce or Get.

10. **PERFORMANCE CLASSES:** Limit two entries per handler, per performance class. A llama cannot be shown in both Youth and Open classes. **Youth can show in either Youth or Open classes but not both.**

11. The ALSA Fee for non-member Farms is \$30. (1 year membership is \$50 for 2 persons).

12. The ALSA Fee for non-member Youth is \$15.00 (1 year membership is \$25 for a Youth.)

13. NOTE: MLA youth members will be allowed a credit for this show. It will be \$10 if the youth is showing only in youth classes but if the youth shows the llama in a halter class, it will cost \$5, therefore, the credit is \$5.

Please do not take this credit if the youth is not a member of MLA.

MLA Farm membership is \$25 (includes family), Individual Youth membership is \$10.

Motels – Rooms at reduced rate:

Holiday Inn Express, 10318 S. Clare Ave.

Clare, MI 989-386-1111

Two double beds \$89.99 +tax Ask for Llama Show –
bookings close 4/30

Days Inn – 10100 S. Clare Ave, US 10 & 27,

Exit Old 27. Clare, MI 989-802-0144

Two double beds \$59.99 + tax. Rooms saved
under name of Sheila Miller

Other Hotels:

SUPER 8 - 2323 S. Mission,

Mt. Pleasant, MI 1 989-773-8888

Micro Tel – Mt. Pleasant, MI

989 772-7777