



Barron County Junior Livestock Show & Sale Committee

March 30, 2026

To: Sheep Project Members
From: Barron County Junior Livestock Committee
Subject: Sheep Weigh-ins
Place: Barron County Fair Grounds

Date: Wednesday, April 22nd, 2026

Time: 4:00 PM – 7:00 pm

This year Market Sheep Registration forms will be ready for you at the weigh in on April 22nd. If we miss a family, blank forms will be available.

Each sheep will be identified with an electronic RFID ear tag.

Members may register and weigh up to five lambs.

- Sale Eligibility is as follows:
- Maximum weight at beginning weigh-in is **90 pounds**
- Minimum final weight at the fair is **110 pounds**
- Lambs must grade prime or choice in the live show
- The average Rate of Gain (ROG) for sale eligibility is .45 pounds per day

Animals must be tagged by the official person who is tagging animals with the electronic RFID tag when it leaves the scale, or it will not be considered registered for the 2026 Barron County Junior Livestock Market Animal project.

If your animal accidentally loses a tag at home, try to find the missing tag, and retain it in a zip lock bag and bring it to the fair.

Animals will be registered and weighed by the family.

Members are required to pay for the electronic tags their animals will be tagged with. Tag costs are **\$5.00 per tag (or per animal)**.

The Junior Livestock Kick-Off Meeting is a required meeting and will be held on June 10th, 7:00 PM @ Rice Lake High School Auditorium.

If you have questions, feel free to contact your FFA Advisor at their school or email the Livestock Coordinator at barroncountylivestock@gmail.com.