

O.C.S Pet and Show Day

Friday 16th October 2020

Pet Day is fast looming up and we need to finalize some small details before the holidays. Can you please fill in the animal registration form below and have your child write a few lines about their pet, and draw a picture of their pet to go with it. This is for small pets, soft toys and pet rocks only.

My Pets name: _____

Birth Date: _____

Category: _____

How I have cared for my pet:

Pet Day Rules

Rules for Otamatea Christian School Pet Day & Otamatea Group Day.

The only people allowed in the rings whilst judging is taking place are the judge, steward, participating child and animal

PET DAY – DOCKING AND VACCINATING

Your lamb will need to have its tail docked, and if it is a ram lamb also castrated. At the same time your lamb needs to receive a lamb vaccine to protect it for a short time from diseases that can affect it at docking time. You should do this as soon as you get your lamb. When your lamb is three months old it will need a vaccination of Multine 5 in 1 to protect it from 5 sheep diseases. Your lamb will need a second vaccination four weeks later to complete the vaccination programme.

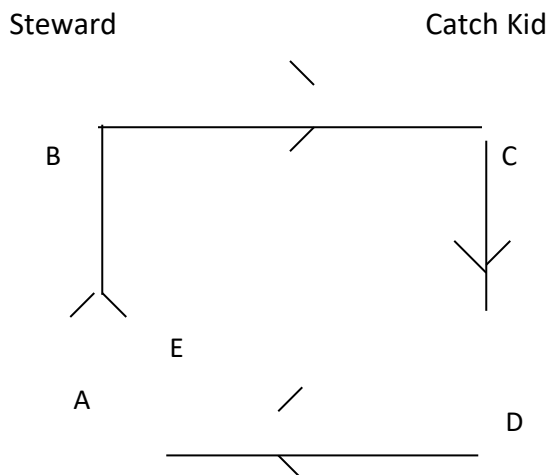
RULES FOR KIDS

Only kids are allowed.

Kids must be born between the 20th July and 20th September 2020.

Kids are to be lead on the child's right side.

Disqualification will result if there is hitting or kicking of any kid.



Kids are led from point A to point B. A steward will hold the kid at point B, while the child goes to point C, and calls their kid to them. Then kids are lead from point C down to point D and then along to point E and

RULES FOR LAMBS

Lambs must be born on after the 20 July to 20 September 2020.

Ewes, rams, ringed and other male lambs are allowed.

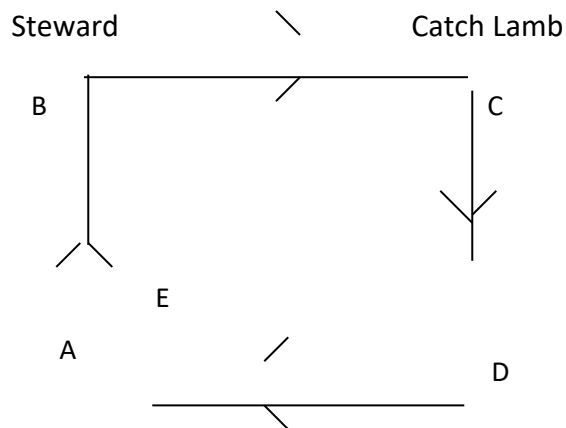
All lambs must be docked at least 3 weeks prior to pet day.

Lambs must be in natural condition so NO WASHING OR BRUSHING.

No dog chains are to be used as a lead. A lead or a soft rope only is to be used.

Lambs are to be lead on the child's right side.

Disqualification will result if there is hitting or kicking of any lamb.



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Lamb Judging Criteria

Rearing: Size, condition, coats, cleanliness, and general appearance.

Leading: Shoulder of lamb to be in line with child's leg. No dragging.

Calling: A good quick straight call.

Meat: Export carcass - size, condition, shape, not over fat.

Wool: Length - texture, staple, bloom, clean fleece

LAMBS

Leading

The Judge will be watching your lamb to see how obedient it is so you will want your lamb to be leading well and obeying your instructions to turn and stop.

Most Obvious Pet & Calling

The Judge will be looking at how quickly your lamb responds to your call, and how easily you can reattach their lead.

Rearing & Grooming

The Judge will be looking to see how well it has been reared (fed, groomed and cared for).

You must present the lamb in spotless condition

- Wool clean so there is no debris, or dags.
- Feet clean – remember to wipe any earth away from its hooves.
- Clean under its arms.
- Clean around the outside of its ears.
- Clean around its nose and eyes.
- Clean collar and lead.

The lamb has to be well behaved and stand still to allow the Judge to run his/her hands over its body.

The Judge may ask you some questions about your lamb – its name, when it was born, what breed it is, and what you have been feeding it.

Flower Day – Friday afternoon, 16th October

Children need to make at least 5 entries from the following choices:

Shoulder spray (for women)
Button hole (for a man)
One colour arrangement
Leaves and grasses
Novelty container
Vaseline plate
Flower arrangement
Posey
Egg cup arrangement
Sand saucer
Model scene on a tray (can be done at home)
Fruit and vegetable animal

On Friday parents can drop off flowers before lunchtime for the children to use. They will need to bring vaseline, saucers, containers, tinfoil and what they need for their model scene on a tray also.

Entry Guidelines

(Unless stated all entries are done at school)

Posey	Even arrangement in a circle (small bunch of flowers) doily or foil around stems. No bigger than a bread plate
Button hole	Piece of greenery and <u>one small flower</u> wrapped in foil. (make at school)
Shoulder spray	Pieces of greenery, small arrangement of flowers, 2-3 flower heads with foil around stems.
Vaseline plate	Petals arranged on underside of a saucer (smeared with Vaseline) to make a design
Sand saucer	Small flower heads pushed in saucer of damp sand to make a design. No sand showing.
Leaves and grasses	Display a variety of wild grasses in container of your choice.
Model scene on a tray	Create a scene using sand, stones, greenery etc. (can be done at home)
Egg Cup Arrangement	Flower spray arranged in egg cup
Fruit and Vege Animal	Use toothpicks, skewers to hold together, raisins, cherries, etc for eyes – use imagination but must look like some animal.
Novelty Container	Novelty toys, ornaments, etc (some greenery and flowers to look like a theme)
One colour arrangement	Variety of flowers all one colour.
Flower arrangement	Show your talents – choose a theme – display a variety of colour.

If your child has an animal it needs to be at school by 9.30 am for judging to start at 10 am for lambs and kids and 11 am for calves. Indoor pets also need to be at school before 9.30 am.

Included with this newsletter is some information about what is required for your lamb or calf including a form for them to write a few things about how they have cared for their animal and to draw a picture. This information is useful for the judges so we would like it returned by this Friday so that they can view them prior to judging.

For our senior students we are running a cake decorating competition so get your cook books and creativity out and let's see what you can do. There will be a prize for the best looking cake and then we will have a silent auction to sell them off as a fundraiser.

Programme is as follows:

All exhibits need to be in for 9.30 for judging.

10 am	Lamb and kid judging
11 am	Calf judging
12 pm	Lunch and indoor exhibits open for viewing
1 pm	Pet parade
1.30 pm	Prizegiving and results of silent auction

There will be morning tea available for sale and a barbeque will be running at lunch.

Cake Guidelines for Pet day – Otamatea Christian School

All students are expected to enter the cake decorating competition. Students can enter in one or more of the categories.

There are three sections:

Juniors yr 1-4

Middle school yr 5-8

Senior school yr 9-13

The categories are:

- Cupcakes
- Creative cookies
- Small cakes
- Large cakes
- Novelty cakes

All entries are auctioned off in a silent auction after judging. When arriving, please present your cake to Mrs. Bell so it can be properly recorded and put in the right place.

