



**Eastern Angora Goat & Mohair Association
Annual Show, Sale & Fiber Festival
Handspun Skein Competition
June 26-27, 2010**

This is our first Annual Handspun Skein Competition. We are enthusiastic about your participation. To enter please read information and follow the instructions listed below.

The Categories in this year's competition are:

- ❖ Handspun, Single or two-ply, Natural
- ❖ Handspun, Single or two-ply, Dyed
- ❖ Handspun, Novice entries.

Skeins entered in the competition will be on display for the public for the duration of the show (Saturday a.m. through Sunday p.m.). Participations may take entries home on Sunday at the conclusion of the show.

Premiums will be awarded for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places in each category. Awards will be: 1 lb. of roving for 1st place, ¾ lb. for 2nd place, and a ½ lb. for 3rd place. “Best in Show” will also be awarded. Awards will be given out at the end of the judging period. Award roving is being donated by members of the Board. Please see our schedule of events for precise times.

Entry Rules:

1. Each skein must be hand spun by the presenter (no age requirements).
2. Each skein must contain at least 50% Mohair.
3. Each skein must be at least 2 ounces, and must be 1 ½ - 2 yards in circumference.
4. Presentation – wound neatly and tied in a minimum of 3 places, and each skein identified (see below).
5. “Novice” entries are described as the spinner has one year or less experience.

Identification Requirements per skein:

1. On a 3.5 card (or approximate paper) write/print/type you full name, farm name if applicable, and address (mailing is required, other contact information is optional).
2. On the back of the card print the category entering and fiber content.
3. Please enclose the card in an envelope. On the outside of the envelope, please just write the category you are entering, and attach the envelope to the skein.

Entry Fee:

There is a \$3.00 per skein entry fee. However, there is no limit to the number of skeins entered in the category or show by any one presenter. Please pay by cash or check (no credit cards accepted). Make checks payable to E.A.G.M.A. Fees will be accepted at the show.

The Judge this year is:

Candie Folger of The Wool Garden