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Dear Dorper and/or White Dorper Breeder:

The American Dorper Sheep Breeders Society is proud to announce the fifth MID-AMERICA DORPER SHOW & SALE, April 25-26, 2014 at the Stephens County Fair & Expo Center, Duncan, Oklahoma. We hope that you will consider consigning quality Dorper and White Dorper rams and ewes, as well as Dorper-based commercial pens of ewes to this exciting marketing venue. ENTRIES CLOSE MARCH 10 so that a complete sale catalog can be published and distributed. Entries are open to ADSBS members in good standing (dues paid for 2014) and all sheep must be registered with ADSBS. We will also hold our 2nd Annual ADSBS Youth Show on Saturday, following the sale.

The fairgrounds will be ready to receive sheep on Thursday, April 24th. On Friday, April 25 the show will begin at 3 PM, and the judge will be Mr. Travis Hoffman of Colorado State University. (Please have your sale consignments penned by Friday Noon, so that check-in and paint-branding can be completed. A light dinner will be served following the show. On Saturday morning following the AGM and breakfast we will host a free educational seminar on raising Dorpers, and the Sale will begin at 1 PM. There will be separate Dorpers and White Dorpers classes for registered fullblood/purebred yearling rams born between September 1, 2012 and August 31, 2013 (divided evenly by age if numbers permit), Early Fall ram lambs (Sept. & Oct. 2013), Late Fall ram lambs (Nov. & Dec. 2013), January 2014 ram lambs, Fullblood/purebred yearling ewes born between September 1, 2012 and August 31, 2013 (divided evenly by age if numbers permit), Early Fall ewe lambs, Late Fall ewe lambs, and January 2014 ewe lambs. We will also have classes for fullblood/purebred commercial Dorper and White Dorper rams (yearlings and lambs, sold with or without registration papers, but must be registered), and pens of at least three commercial Dorper and White Dorper based yearling ewes or Fall or January ewe lambs (at least 75% Dorper or White Dorper and ADSBS registered). Registered ewe lambs may be nominated for the ADSBS Youth Futurity. Commercial lots will be sifted and sorted for sale order. All consignments must be properly fitted.

WHITE DORPER CONSIGNORS PLEASE NOTE: The ADSBS Board of Directors is requiring that all White Dorpers consigned to the sale (including commercial rams and pens of ewes) be tested negative for Dematosparaxis. If both parents have tested negative, and results provided at check-in, the entry may be sold. The buyer will have 90 days to test the animal purchased, and if the test results indicate other than negative status the seller shall immediately refund the full purchase price. If you are selling ewes as exposed or bred, the service sire should also be tested, and results provided at check-in. Testing information is available through www.genecheck.com.

Each consignor may enter up to two rams. To enter a third ram, a consignor must enter two ewes. A consignor must enter two ewes for each additional ram. All sheep sell with the guarantee listed on page 2.

Minimum bids for the sale will be \$300 for single lots and \$175 per head on pens.

Entry fees are \$20 per head for singles, and \$10 per head for pens. In addition, there will be up to a 10% sales commission on all sheep going through the auction. All sheep must be ADSBS registered and papers turned in prior to the show (no pending registrations). Each lot must have a valid interstate health certificate and White Dorper lots must have Gene-Check dermatosparaxis test results. ADSBS will be the financial agent for the sale, and settlements with consignors will be made within three weeks of the sale.

There is a Best Western motel, Holiday Inn Express, Hampton Inn, Days Inn and others located in Duncan. Make your motel reservations early as the motels tend to fill up quickly with various events in Duncan.

Please consider consigning quality stock to this event. <u>ENTRIES CLOSE MARCH 10th</u>. Entry blanks are available with this letter, and can be copied for additional entries. Mail entries to Douglas P. Gillespie, ADSBS

Executive Secretary, 751 Boston Post Rd., Weston, MA 02493. If you prefer, you mail email them to Dorpers@ymail.com or fax to 508-481-4768 with Doug's name on the fax. Checks should be made payable to ADSBS.

Sincerely,

Douglas P. Gillespie Executive Secretary

SALE GUARANTEE:

Except for those stated in the below guarantee, there are no warranties, either expressed or implied, as to the merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose with respect to the sheep being sold in this sale. The warranties and guarantees set forth in the below guarantee are in lieu of all other warranties, either expressed or implied, and the remedies provided therein shall be the sole and exclusive remedy of the buyer, or any party claiming through the buyer, for any breach of warranty or guarantee therein provided, and all obligations or liabilities.

- 1. Every ram and ewe sold will be guaranteed as a breeder if properly handled. It shall be the responsibility of the buyer to return the non-breeder to the seller in acceptable breeding condition. The seller, after a fair trial and the animal is found to be a non-breeder, shall have the privilege of replacing the ram or ewe with one of equal value to the satisfaction of the seller, or refunding the purchase price. This guarantee shall not apply the first year to any sheep that are shown subsequent to the date of sale. All ewe lambs are exempt from the breeding guarantee the first year.
- 2. Notification of non-breeder rams must be made to the seller prior to October 1st following the sale; notification of non-breeder ewes must be made to the seller prior to April 1st of the following year.
- 3. This guarantee shall constitute a contract between the buyer and the seller only, and no other parties assume any liability, legal or otherwise, expressed or implied.
- 4. Neither the Sale Managers nor sponsoring organizations can or will assume any responsibility as to the authenticity of the pedigrees, bloodlines, or information provided in the sale catalog, pen cards or otherwise, and the subsequent genetic performance of any sheep purchased. All such information must be accepted at face value. Any statements or information given sale day supersedes cataloged information. Any special guarantees or claims offered by individual consignors is strictly between the consignor and the buyer, and will not be enforced by the Sale Managers or the sponsoring organization.
- 5. White Dorpers are guaranteed to be tested negative for dermatosparaxis either by direct DNA test through Gene Check Inc., or by tested parentage. In the case where a consignor has negative test results on both parents submitted at check-in, no further testing is required. However, the buyer shall have 90 days to test the animal purchased, and if the test results indicate other than negative status the seller shall immediately refund the full purchase price.

2014 Mid-America Dorper Show & Sale April 25-26 – Duncan, Oklahoma Entry Blank

Consignor Name	
Address	
Telephone	Email:
ADSBS Membership ID	Website_
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Animal Flock Name/Number	ADSBS Number
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Sire's Sire	ADSBS Number
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Return Completed Entries by MARCH 10, 2014 To: Douglas P. Gillespie, ADSBS Executive Secretary 751 Boston Post Road, Weston, MA 02493-1105 MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: ADSBS

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