

# Adams County Columbia Ewe Giveaway

The Columbia ewe lamb program is sponsored by the Chase family of Strasburg, Colorado. The program was started in order to increase interest in the breeding and promotion of Columbia and other Wool Breed Sheep in the Adams County 4-H program and area. One show quality registered Columbia ewe lamb will be awarded to an Adams County 4-H member enrolled in the breeding sheep project for the 2011-2012 project year.

This program is open to any Adams County 4-H member, 8-18 years of age, who is interested in owning and showing wool breed sheep as a 4-H project. Selection will be based upon the young person's ability to provide and care for the animal and their willingness to participate in 4-H in the wool breeding sheep program as well as other sheep activities.

To be eligible for consideration, all application forms must be completed and returned to Erin Van Peer in the Adams County Extension Office no later than March 30th, 2012. All application forms must be signed by both parents or guardians to be considered.

Your application will be considered complete if all of the following requirements are met.

- Application Page
- Essay Statement
- Applicants Signature
- Parent/Guardian's Signature Page
- Attendance to Sheep/Livestock Related Workshop

Return your completed applications to:

Erin Van Peer  
Adams County Extension  
9755 Henderson Road  
Brighton, CO 80601

Applications must be postmarked no later than March 30th, 2012 to be fully considered for this Award.

# Columbia Ewe Lamb Application

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_  
County \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_  
4-H club \_\_\_\_\_ Years in 4-H \_\_\_\_\_  
Organizational Leader \_\_\_\_\_  
Project Leader \_\_\_\_\_  
Age \_\_\_\_\_

Do you currently raise sheep? \_\_\_\_\_

If so, where? \_\_\_\_\_

Please give a brief description of the facilities where you currently have sheep or describe facilities where you plan to keep the ewe.

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You agree to show this ewe at the 2012 Adams County Fair, as well as any future fairs, this ewe or her offspring may be eligible for?

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Please attach to this application your statement. Address the topic: Why are you interested in raising Columbia Sheep? How would you care for this ewe? What would you do to continue this project? Why do you believe you are the best candidate? (To be no longer than one (1) page, 12pt font.)

Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

## Parent/Guardian Permission Form

I grant my permission for my son/daughter \_\_\_\_\_ to participate in the Columbia Ewe Giveaway.

I also agree to give support to my son/daughter in order to allow them to raise and maintain the sheep in a proper manner. I will support and encourage the applicant to participate in activities involving Wool Breeding Sheep.

If due to a change in circumstance where the applicant can no longer care for the Ewe or meet the requirements of the program, I agree to contact the Extension office and allow ownership of the animal to revert back to the breeder who donated the Columbia Sheep.

I also understand and agree that the Adams County Extension office and the Chase family will not be responsible for any loss, damage, or injury to any person, property, or animals caused directly or indirectly by any reason in relation to this Ewe Giveaway Program.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date