

OXFORD DOWN FLOCK RETURNS 2020

Attached are the annual flock return and registration forms for your Oxford Down flock. All submissions should be received by **30th November** to avoid higher fees on ewe registrations. Registrations and the flock survey can be submitted online using Pedeweb. If sending forms by post please send to ODSBA c/o 53 Hunthill Road, Blantyre, Glasgow, G72 9SR. Alternatively, they can be e-mailed to registrations@oxforddownsheep.org.uk as attachments. If you need a printed copy of your flock survey and printed forms, please contact Alan Hambley on (01698) 824839 (evenings & weekends) or e-mail registrations@oxforddownsheep.org.uk to request.

WHAT YOU NEED TO DO

- 1) Submit Annual Return Form A
- 2) Submit Flock Survey
- 3) Register all ewe lambs retained in flock or sold for breeding
- 4) Register any new stock ram being used for the first time
- 5) Transfer any females and registered rams bought-in from other flocks during the year

FEES

Members are reminded of the current schedule of fees:

Annual subscription (including Flock Book)		£30
Ram registration		£15 each
Ewe lamb registration	(received 1 st Nov-30 th Nov)	£4 each
	(received 1 st Dec-7 th Jan)	£6 each
Shearling ewe registration (not previously registered)	(received 1 st Nov-30 th Nov)	£6 each
	(received 1 st Dec-7 th Jan)	£8 each
Flock ewe registration (not previously registered)		£8 each
Transfer of females and registered rams (existing members)		£2 each

ELECTRONIC PAYMENT

We can accept BACS electronic payments. The Association's bank details are:

Name of bank: Barclays Bank

Branch: Wellesbourne

Account: The Oxford Down Sheep Breeders' Association

Account number: 83153363

Sort code: 20-48-08

Reference: [YOUR OXFORD DOWN FLOCK PREFIX]

It is important that you state your Oxford Down flock prefix in the Reference field when making the internet banking transaction so that your payment can be cross-referenced. Those wishing to pay by cheque can still do so.

ANNUAL RETURN

The Annual Return must be completed by all flock owners. It can be submitted in two ways:

- Complete the printed form and post to the address on the form
- Complete the fillable MS Word document and return by e-mail to registrations@oxforddownsheep.org.uk

FLOCK SURVEY

The flock survey can be submitted either using Pedeweb or by requesting and returning the printed list of stock. Please mark up the list with the sheep still in the flock and indicate those that have died, have been culled or have been sold for breeding, as follows:

IN = IN FLOCK

S = SOLD FOR BREEDING

D = DIED OR CULLED

EAR MARKING

The year code for 2020 is 20. December 2019-born lambs take the next year's code i.e. 20. The use of the year code is optional but recommended. Ear marks for lambs born from 1st December 2019 onwards (if the year code is used) should be in the format: ODSBA Flock No. / Year Code / 5 digit Individual Lamb No. e.g. 1144 / 20 / 00123

IMPORTANT: The ear marks stated on registration forms **MUST** match the tags that are physically in the sheep's ears.