



The Event will be a time for Suffolk enthusiasts to gather, learn, and celebrate the Suffolk breed! Educational sessions, National Suffolk Sale, and junior show will take place during this exciting weekend event.

**The Vision:**

- Make connections with Suffolk breeders from across the country
- Attend a variety of educational sessions
- Consign and purchase top quality Suffolks in our National Sale
- Welcome new breeders and honor long-time contributors to the breed
- Offer family friendly and youth-oriented educational and social opportunities
- Host a fun, interactive junior Suffolk show

SUFFOLK EVENT DATA		
	2024	2023
<i>Attendance</i>	225	120
<i>States Represented</i>	20	15
<i>Suffolks Sold</i>	40	44
<i>Junior Show Exhibitors</i>	50	16
<i>Junior Show Entries</i>	120	60

**PRELIMINARY SUFFOLK EVENT SCHEDULE**

**Friday, June 6**

- 10 am Event registration opens - Lincoln Land Community College
- 11 am Adult and Youth Educational Session - Lincoln Land Community College
- Noon Lunch (provided)
- 1 pm Adult and Youth Educational Sessions - Lincoln Land Community College
- 6 pm Welcome Dinner - Commodities Pavilion, Illinois State Fairgrounds
- 7 pm Desserts & Decisions! Sale Sheep Preview Attendees select National Suffolk Sale Order!

**Saturday, June 7**

- 8:30 am Youth Educational Session – Illinois State Fairgrounds
- Noon Suffolk Sale
- 6 pm Social Hour, Banquet Dinner & Suffolk Hall of Fame Recognition - Crowne Plaza

**Sunday, June 8**

- 8 am The Good Shepherd: *In the Barn and in the Bible*
- 9 am Junior Suffolk Show – Illinois State Fairgrounds

**Will you partner with us?**

Our commitment to quality in every phase of this unique three-day event has resulted in a dramatic rise in attendance and interest. It is of utmost importance that we continue to receive sponsorship support from like-minded businesses, foundations and breeders. Would you join us in support of this unique and valuable experience for anyone interested in the Suffolk breed of sheep?

**SUFFOLK EVENT SPONSORSHIP LEVELS**

- Diamond \$2500 and above
- Platinum \$1000 - \$2499
- Gold \$500 - \$999
- Silver \$250 - \$499
- Bronze \$100 - \$249

All sponsors will be acknowledged in the program materials and signage at the event. Sponsors at \$500 and above will have their logos included and may also provide promotional materials to be included in the welcome bags.

**Sponsorship Commitment Deadline: March 1**

*Committing by March 1 allows for us to showcase your support from the start!*

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