



ROYAL THREE COUNTIES SHOW

Three Counties Show 2026

Friday 12th - Sunday 14th June 2026

BUTCHERS LAMB COMPETITION

In Association with Cirencester, Hereford & Worcester Markets

The Gloucestershire section for this year's competition will be held at Cirencester Market at our Thursday market and will run in conjunction to our normal sales on

THURSDAY 11TH JUNE 2026

There will be two classes at each market:

**ENTRIES ARE RESTRICTED TO ONE PEN,
PER CLASS, PER UK FLOCK NUMBER**

S730 *Pen of five even lambs by any sire, out of an unrelated breed of ewe, suitable for the Butchers retail trade weighing a maximum of 215kg (43kg & under)*

S731 *Pen of five even lambs, three quarter bred up to pure bred suitable for the Butchers retail trade weighing a maximum of 215kg (43kg & under)*

At each market one of the lambs from each of the pens of five will be balloted to be judged once slaughtered. The remaining four lambs in each pen **MUST** be offered for sale in the market. The balloted lambs from each market will be sent to the same abattoir and judging of the respective carcasses will take place in the abattoir and presented in the refrigerated display units for the duration of the show. All exhibits will be MLC classified.

Those carcasses that are not sent to the showground will be paid for by the abattoir on a deadweight basis. For the purposes of this competition the Beltex and Texel Sires will be treated as one breed.

Presentation of the Trophies will take place at the Lamb Carcass Section at the show at 2.00pm on Saturday 13th June 2026 and will be followed by a public auction of the carcasses.

To pre book entries please contact Chris Voyce 01291 680068

Please ensure your lambs are penned by 7.30 a.m.

The judging will commence at 8.00 a.m.

to allow the balloted lamb's sufficient time to reach the abattoir by 9.00 a.m.

Late entries will not be judged or sent to the abattoir

