# SURI NETWORK ALL SURI FLEECE SHOW FIRST TIME FLEECE ENTRANT AWARD

In 2023 the Suri Network will award one plaque to the highest scoring "First Time Entrant" in the All Suri Fleece Show. All First Time Entrants are eligible regardless of how many years they have owned alpacas. The First Time Fleece Entrant Award winner will be determined by the Show Superintendent based on the total number of entries after the close of registration. The winner will be announced soon after the show when the results have been tabulated.

First Time Entrants are awarded points for each entry based on their entry's placement in its class. The total points accrued by a First Time Entrant are then divided by their entry total. The Show Superintendent will be responsible for all calculations.

## **Eligibility For the First Time Entrant Award**

Eligibility is based on the Entrant, not the fleece or alpaca.

#### Example:

Owner Jane previously showed Alpaca X's fleece in the 2022 All Suri Fleece Show. Jane sells Alpaca X to Owner John who has never entered a fleece in the All Suri Fleece Show.

Owner John is eligible to enter Alpaca X's fleece and compete for the First Time Fleece Entrant Award.

Owner Jane is not eligible to compete for the First Time Fleece Entrant Award.

## The Following Fleece Show Entries Are Eligible:

- Regular Fleece Class Entry
- Get of Sire Class Entry (the Sire is a single entry)
- Produce of Dam Class Entry (the Dam is a single entry)

# Points Assigned to Placements in Fleece Show:

- First Place = 6 points
- Second Place = 5 points
- Third Place = 4 points
- Fourth Place = 3 points
- Fifth Place = 2 points
- Sixth Place = 1 points
- Color Champion = additional 7 points
- Reserve Color Champion = additional 5 points
- Judge's Choice = additional 10 points
- Specialty fleece awards = additional 5 points

# **BREAKING TIES**

## **TIE BREAKER 1**

The Show Superintendent will break the tie based on the number of entries for each Entrant. The Entrant that acquired the highest number of points with the fewest entries will win the tie.

### Example:

Entrant A ended the show with 25 points and a total entry count of 6 Entrant B ended the show with 25 points and a total entry count of 4 Entrant B will be declared the winner.

## **TIE BREAKER 2**

If a tie still exist after using Tie Breaker 1, the Show Superintendent will review all winnings of the Entrants in question and the ranch with the most first place awards will win the tie.

#### Example:

Entrant A ended the show with four 1st place ribbons Entrant B ended the show with three 1st place ribbons Entrant A will be declared the winner.

## **TIE BREAKER 3**

If a tie still exists after using Tie Breakers 1 and 2, the Show Superintendent will assign multipliers to the 1st place entries of the tied Entrants. The multipliers will be based on the size of the classes that the 1st place awards were given.

#### **Example:**

<b>CLASS SIZE</b>	MULTIPLIER
1	1.1
2	1.2
3	1.3
4	1.4
5	1.5
6	1.6

Each first place ribbon awarded to the Entrants will be reassigned the new point value with the multiplier, and the Entrant awards will be re-calculated using the new values to determine the winners.