

The
Manawatu Branch
warmly invites you to
join us at
“our place”
in April 2023
We look forward to
welcoming you.



Photographs (size 6x4)

(No more than 3 entries per class per member.

Photos must have been taken during two years preceding the date of entry.)

Class 1. Shearing, a before and after, mob or single sheep,

2 photos per entry for this class.

Class 2. A sheep or sheep doing sheep things.

Class 3. Orphan lamb feeding.

Class 4. The grass next door is always greener.

Kahurangi Trophy

A traditional shaped Kete incorporating harakeke and 50% natural coloured wool.

To be an original creation made by branch members



**Black & Coloured Sheep
Breeders' Association of
New Zealand**

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C O N F E R E N C E
&
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**Distinction Hotel & Conference
Centre, Cuba St
Palmerston North
20th – 23rd April 2023**

**COMPETITION DETAILS
&
CONFERENCE PROGRAMME**

Programme 2023

Thursday 20 April

Executive Meeting

Committee Meetings

Conference Opening & Prizegiving

Friday 21 April

Bus Trip

Saturday 22 April

Annual General Meeting

Conference Dinner & Guest Speaker

Sunday 23 April

Goodbye, time now to enjoy the

Manawatu and lower North Island



Competitions

National Fleece

Class 1 : Mature (31 microns & finer)

Class 2 : Mature (33 microns & stronger)

Class 3 : Woolly hogget (30 microns & finer)

Class 4 : Woolly hogget (31 microns & stronger)

Class 5 : Shorn hogget (30 microns & finer)

Class 6 : Shorn hogget (31 microns & stronger)

Handcraft Fleece

Class 7: Best fleece for handcraft use

— fine wool breed

Class 8 : Best fleece for handcraft use

— strong wool breed

Sheepskins

Class 1 : Fine wool breed—natural colour

Class 2 : Strong wool breed—natural colour



Handcraft

Class 1 : Three hand spun skeins of wool

Three skeins of handspun DK yarn of at least 50g each. Each skein from a different fleece. Attach a sample of either the fleece or sliver used.

Class 2 : Toddlers Cardigan.

Toddlers cardigan, handspun, hand knitted, in 100% natural coloured yarn.

Class 3 :Felted Scarf

Felted scarf of natural coloured wool with up to 30% other fibre allowed.

Class 4 : Woven Article

Woven article in natural coloured wool, hand-spun weft (warp can be commercial spun natural coloured yarn), up to 30% overdyeing allowed.

Class 5 : (Open Category) Cot Blanket

Cot Blanket, any technique, 100% natural coloured wool.

