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Ekka sheep comp set to crown champion of champions

THIS SATURDAY judging of the Royal Queensland Show's (Ekka) Sheep Competition supported by Dickson Ag will take place at the Pittsworth Showgrounds.

The competition will see two classes judged, one being the open class with 40 entries and the other the champion of champions.

The open class winner will battle it out for the champion of champions title against the winning entries from the Allora, Inglewood, Pittsworth, Warwick, Toowoomba, Clifton and Mt Gravatt agricultural shows. The Competition is one of the richest of its kind, offering more than \$3,000 in prize money.

Although the Ekka was cancelled in August due to the ongoing pandemic, the RNA has worked hard to stage 22 out of 55 competitions COVID Safe to keep the Show spirit alive.

Chair of the RNA Wool Committee Will Roberts said the RNA was delighted to be able to run the competition this weekend and it was great for those exhibitors who have spent days, weeks and months preparing their entries.

"This means competitors' hard work will continue to be recognised and the highly coveted champion blue ribbons can still be awarded, despite the Ekka's cancellation."

WHAT: Ekka Champions of Champions Sheep Competition

WHEN: Saturday 16 October, 9am to 1pm

WHERE: Pittsworth Showgrounds

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