

**2023 MLWPA Shepherd's Holiday Dec. 8-9, Alexandria, MN**



**Friday December 8, 2023**

Dan Persons Farm Tour - with Preg Check  
Ultrasound Demo 12:30-3:00 pm  
(10169 110th St, Kensington, MN)  
[Search for Rafter P Ranch on Google Maps for directions]  
Lamb Social 5:30 pm—Holiday Inn,  
Alexandria Fundraiser Auction

**Saturday December 9, 2023 Session schedule**

Registration 7:15-8:00  
Conference 8:00- 4:00

**Tentative Seminar topics**

- Parasite Control; Dr. Kelly Froehlich, SDSU
- Preventing Losses from Abortion Diseases; Dr. John King, DVM
- Programs Available to Sheep Producers; Commissioner Thom Petersen, MN Dept. of Ag
- What MN Grown has to Offer; Mallory Forseth
- Annual MLWP mtg
- Awards Luncheon
- 2022 Silver Bell Awardee; Phil Berg
- Discovery Center Report & Lamb Market Report; Superior Farms
- ASI Update; Anne Crider, ASI Region Rep
- ALB Update; ALB Rep TBD
- “Ram Session” - an open forum on current sheep industry trends and topics.

**Wool / Fiber Activities**

- MIWW Registration 7:00-8:00 am
- MIWW judging 8:00-11:00
  - Wool Activities & Wool Jeopardy (8:00– 10:00)
  - MIWW Style show (1:20)

**Trade Show 8:00 am – 4:00 pm**

**Registration Form**

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

signature if paying with credit card

**Conference Costs If Pre-registered by Nov. 30:**

*Includes: access to seminars, trade show, refreshments and Saturday's Silver Bell Awards luncheon*

Members \$75 (1st person) + \$25 (per additional) = \_\_\_\_\_

Non-members \$100 (1st person) + \$25 (add.)= \_\_\_\_\_

\*\* If you are attending the optional Friday tour and/or the Friday evening social , \$20/person x \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_

**Late registrations/walk-ins :** add \$10 per person \_\_\_\_\_

**MLWPA Dues**

\$40 for 2024 or \$110 for 2024-2026 = \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL ENCLOSED

Completed registration forms and checks (payable to MLWP) should be sent to Glenette Sperry, 31460 Quinlan Ave, Center City, MN 55012 by Nov. 30, 2023

**Pay with Credit Card:** Visa/Mastercard (circle)

Number \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_ 3-digit code \_\_\_\_\_

**Hotel Reservations**

Holiday Inn, 5637 Highway 29 South, Alexandria MN 56308  
Call (320) 763-6577