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Thursday, October 29, 2026

	12:00 pm	Trade show exhibits open (Dorset / Norfolk)	**Registration opens Trade Show opens**
Investment	1:30 pm		**Welcome, Trade Show Introductions, and AGM Introductions**
	1:50 pm		**Convene Ontario Sheep Farmers annual general meeting** . Adoption of agenda . Approval of 2025 annual meeting minutes . Election of scrutineers
	2:00 pm		**Chair's report**
	2:30 pm		**Review of 2025/2026 audited financial statement** Approval of 2025/2026 financial statements
	2:45 pm		**Message from Honorable Sam Oosterhoff, Minister of Agriculture, Food and Agribusiness** *(invited)*
	3:05 pm		Nutrition break / visit trade show
	3:50 pm		**Presentation of 2026/2027 budget** Approval of 2026/2027 budget
	4:10 pm		**2025 Resolutions Report** **2026 Resolutions presentation**
	4:55 pm		**Q and A session with Provincial Directors**
	5:10 pm		**Adjournment of OSF annual general meeting**
	5:30 pm		**Trade Show closes**
Community	6:30 pm	SUSSEX Ballroom	**Ontario Lamb Banquet Reception – SUSSEX Ballroom** Semi formal dress | Cash bar
	7:15 pm		**Ontario Lamb Banquet** Welcome | Grace | Dinner featuring Ontario lamb
	8:15 pm (approx.)		**Announcement of 2026/2027 Ontario Sheep Farmers officers** **Ontario Sheep Farmers Awards Presentations**
	9:15 pm		**Social time**
	11:00 pm		**Bar closes. Adjourn**

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Friday, October 30, 2026

	7:30 am	Trade show exhibits open (Dorset / Norfolk Room)	**Registration and Trade Show opens** ***Dorset / Norfolk Room***
Mastery	8:45 am		**Welcome and Trade Show introductions and program overview** ***Sussex Ballroom***
	9:00 am		**Producer Innovators Panel.** *Producers will share unique strategies they implemented to make their operations viable and sustainable* **Mark Ritchie - Footflats Farm, Laura Mosley - Todd Sheep Co and Rising Oaks Dorsets, Shanna Armstrong - Pinnacle Haven Farm** *Moderated by Farm4Profit podcasters – Tanner Winterhof & Corey Hillebo*
	10:15 am		Refreshment Break and Trade Show ***Dorset / Norfolk Room***
	10:45 am		**Industry Innovators Panel.** *Three panelists from other agricultural industries will discuss seizing opportunities that came knocking, and how they pivoted to take advantage.* **Corey Hillebo - Farm4Profit, Steve Twynstra - Twilight Acre Farms, Steven McNaughton - Proof Line Farm** *Moderated by Farm4Profit podcaster Tanner Winterhof*
	12:00 pm		**Buffet lunch / visit trade show**
	1:00 pm		**Streamlining Your Business** *Harrison Todd, MNP*
	1:45 pm		**The future of the sheep industry – genomics in sheep production** *William Poisson, agr, M.Sc. (PhD candidate, Laval)*
	2:30 pm		Refreshment Break and Trade Show ***Dorset / Norfolk Room***
	3:00 pm		**Share Your Passion, Advocate for Your Industry: Speak Up about Ontario Sheep Farming** *Kelly Daynard, Farm & Food Care Ontario*
	4:00 pm		Tradeshow Draw winners and Research Poster winners announced
	4:30 pm		Adjourn and safe travels