



Société des éleveurs de moutons
de race pure du Québec



Ensemble nous irons plus loin!

QUEBEC PROVINCIAL ACTIVITIES REPORT 2019

GLOBAL INFORMATION

- Number of registrations in 2019: 3,846
- Number of transfers in 2019: 2,369

PROGRAM & SERVICES OFFERED TO MEMBERS OF THE SEMRPQ IN 2019

- 80 provincial members and addition junior members
- Services available for eye loin and back fat measurement
- Over 90 GenOvis members
- Another service that is offered includes the classification of reproductive males. This service is exclusively available to members. In 2019, about 400 males were evaluated.
- Facebook page: *Société des éleveurs de moutons de race pure du Québec*
- Website: www.semrpq.net
- Marketing plan: Promotion through merchandise (e.g., sweaters)
- In April of 2019, we revealed our new “proud members logo”

*Quebec
registers 38%
of the registry
and transfers
37% of the
Canadian
registry*

Vision Fournir une génétique productive, rentable et de qualité à l'industrie ovine.

SALES HELD IN 2019 (RIMOUSKI AND RICHMOND)

Two ram/ewe sales were hosted by the Quebec Purebred Sheep Breeders' Association in 2019. The first one took place in Rimouski and the second one in Richmond

Rimouski

Average for males: \$1,305

Average for females: \$400

Top sale: \$3,600

Richmond

Average for males: \$965

Average for females: \$750

Top sale: \$1,800



Current Research (Project in which the Quebec Purebred Sheep Breeders' Association is an applicant)

- Support for selective breeding based on conformation, selection on the quality of the mammary gland, as well as on body capacity
- Specialized training (2.0) for purebred breeders (the continuation)
- Study aimed at recognizing the needs of the market and to meet this demand in the commercial industry using the purebred breeding stock that are currently available in Quebec
- CIDR project - heat detection (project supported by the CSBA)
- Documentation of mortality rates in sheep breeding



In writing: Pilot project on fresh semen insemination

Quebec representatives at the CSBA would like to thank members of the SEMRPQ (Quebec Purebred Sheep Breeders' Association) for their involvement and their constant work for the improvement of the genetic quality of our provincial sheep flock.

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