

2025 Sheep Drive

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"The Sheep Drive took place on the 28th September. Eight members of the WCI took part in an event that is both ancient and important whilst also rather fun. The right of Freeman of the City of London to drive sheep across one of the City's bridges looks a bit different to when it began. However, this ceremonial right is important in continuing to raise the profile of British Wool and its wider community within the Worshipful Company of Woolman and the City Civic. Albeit I forgot my Flat Cap and dressed in more relaxed attire, it was a great event to organise and participate in. Special thanks go to Victoria and Sam for their assistance during the process. It was an oversubscribed event so next year we may look for an additional slot if demand remains high."

