## Bellatrix (Pink 1908). 5.20 lb, \$16/lb, 3.75-4" staple (unstretched), \$83 total (not including shipping). Sold to private party.

Bellatrix is a 99% pure Perendale yearling, "natural colored" (black). Her fleece is the darkest of all of this year's NC lamb fleeces, being close to a true black, with reddish tips (from the sun). Bellatrix's fleece has a staple length of 3.75-4" (unstretched). Although slightly shorter than most of our ewe lamb fleeces, it weighs more, at 5.2 pounds. It is especially soft. It does have some VM (evident in photos), probably more than most. *Note: actual fleece is darker in color than shown in most photos.* 



Above: overview of Bellatrix's fleece, from head towards rear quarters.



Above: view of front quarter of Bellatrix's fleece (Continued on next page)



Above: view of middle of Bellatrix's fleece



Above: view of rear quarters of Bellatrix's fleece

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Above: three locks of Bellatrix's fleece, taken at random from (top to bottom) front, middle, and rear quarters. All locks tested sound.



View of Bellatrix's fleece, as bagged. (Continued on next page)



Bellatrix herself (dark yearling ewe in center of photo). Bellatrix has quite a strong personality. She is the likeliest of all of my yearlings to challenge our dogs, as she views herself as Empress.