



**Mullingar Show**

**Westmeath Show Society Ltd.**

# **Westmeath Show Society (Mullingar)**

**Schedule**

**Mullingar Agricultural Show  
2026**

[www.mullingaragrishow.com](http://www.mullingaragrishow.com)

**SHOW DATE 12th JULY 2026**  
**Closing date for entries 6th July**

**Exhibitors & Helpers in Equine/Bovine/Ovine Sections Admitted Free of Charge to Showgrounds. All Other Occupants in Vehicle Must Pay Admission Fee of €15.00.**

**Admission to Mullingar Show: Adults:€15.00 / Senior Citizens & Students €10.00 / Children Under 12 Free**

**The Financial Survival of the show depends on our gate takings, so please help us by contributing.**

## Rules Governing Exhibits & Instructions to Exhibitors

1. The primary object of the Show is the improvement of Agriculture and livestock in all branches.
2. All stock must be the bona fide property of the exhibitor.
3. All stock must have been in the possession of the exhibitor for at least two months previous to date of Show. **Confined Classes are for residents of County Westmeath only.**
4. Pens will be provided for exhibits in all cattle classes. Bulls exhibited at the show must be secured by a ring in the nose, with a strong rope or chain attached. The Society shall have the right to order the removal of any animal that they consider dangerous and shall not be responsible for any injury or damage caused by such animals.
5. With regard to cattle, where “pure-bred” stock is mentioned, it is understood that the stock

exhibited must be entered in or eligible for entry in the various Herd Books.

6. **N.B.** - In the case of bulls, the date of birth must be stated on the entry form. - In all classes for heifers, a "heifer" is classified as a heifer until she has a calf.
7. All animals must be shown at owner's risk. The Society will not be accountable for any accident, damage or loss of exhibit.
8. The farm and garden produce must have been grown on the exhibitor's land and a declaration to that effect, signed by two respectable householders living in the immediate locality and approved by the Society, may be required from each prize-winner before prizes are paid.
9. All stock, produce etc., to be in the Show Yard by **10.00.a.m.** on the morning of the Show.
10. Prizes will be awarded in all classes except Pedigree Classes where there is sufficient merit; the Judges will be distinctly instructed to withhold a prize where sufficient merit does not exist.
11. All Prizes disallowed or not awarded shall lapse to the Society.
12. **Objections:** All objections to the decision of the Judges must be lodged with the Secretary, in writing, accompanied by a fee of **€50.00**, not later than one hour after the competition finishes, on the date of the Show. The fee or fees so lodged will be forfeited if the objection or objections is or are considered to be frivolous.
13. **Entries: The necessary Schedule can be Downloaded From Our Website.** [Online Entries Only @www.mullingaragrishow.com](http://www.mullingaragrishow.com) **Entries will not be accepted unless accompanied by the requisite entry fee. All descriptions of stock as to age and breed must be stated when**

**entering. This is a must, especially in respect of qualifiers and all horse/pony/cattle classes.**

14. If it is proved to the satisfaction of the Society that the owner or any person in his employment or under his control has been guilty of any violation of the rules or regulations, has made a false statement in the certificate of entry, or has secured an unfair advantage, the exhibitor shall forfeit all prizes awarded him at the Show, together with all fees paid by him, and shall be liable to be excluded from competing at this or any future show of the Society.
15. The Society shall reserve the right of declining or returning any exhibit without incurring any liability. In the event of the Society being unable to accept any entry, notice will be given within six days after the final closing of the entries. The fees lodged will not be refunded.
16. **No refund of entry fees in any class, including jumping competitions, will be made in case of entries, which are not sent forward for competition, or which are disqualified from competition for failure to comply with regulations.**
17. No Steward can officiate in any section, who is an exhibitor in the class under adjudication.
18. **Important Notice: All Cattle Exhibitors are asked to pay special attention to the notice - "T.B Testing of Animals".**
19. All exhibits must remain **until 4.30.p.m.**
20. Rosettes - Prize colours - First Prize - RED; Second Prize - BLUE; Third Prize - YELLOW.
21. The award of Rosette or Prize Card does not imply that the entry is entitled to prize money.
22. All exhibits must bear their labels - otherwise they

will be refused by the stewards.

23. **In the Livestock Section - any class for which only one entry is received will be cancelled.**

**Important Notice: In the Horse and Cattle classes no animal may win more than two first prizes.**

**Note:** Anyone found interfering with any exhibit or disarranging any display will be asked to leave the grounds.

**Special Notice:** All children's ridden show pony classes shall be restricted to Mares and Geldings only. No animal shown in saddle classes shall be under three years of age. Mares with a living foal born current season shall not be shown in Saddle classes.

The Show is run under the Rules and Regulations of The Irish Shows Association and **Show Jumping Ireland, The I.P.S. and Side Saddle Ireland.** All of which The Westmeath Show Society Ltd. is affiliated to.

**Right of Admission Reserved**

**Care Should be Taken to Enter Work in the Correct Class - Cancellation of Classes - The Committee reserve the right to cancel any class(es) due to insufficient entries.**

**The Show Committee** in presenting this schedule for the 2026 show takes the opportunity of thanking all patrons of the Mullingar Show for their generous support, and hope that this year's schedule will meet the general approval of stock-breeders and householders alike.

It must be remembered by one and all that the success of the Show depends on the number of entries and members are invited to encourage interest in one or the other of the various classes. A special invitation to take

an active part in the Irish Countrywomen's Association, Macra na Feirme and the Irish Farmers Association. Every facility will be given to intending entrants, young and new entrants are especially welcome. As many as possible of the exhibits will be under cover and there is a spacious car park.

**We hope that you enjoy your day.**

**N.B.**

**Important Notice to animal Owners involved in Showing Animals from The Irish Shows Association**

**The ISA will advise all animal owners who have their animals insured to have their insurance cover extended to cover them while showing animals at shows, we understand that it costs very little or nothing at all depending on who you have your insurance cover with.**

**The reason for us giving you this advice is that your animal lashed out, and injured someone or damaged someone's property, and it is established that your animal was out of control at the time you will be held responsible or partly responsible for any injury or damage caused, you may end up paying all, or part of any settlement reached.**

## General Rules For Irish Shows Association Championship 2026

### Eligibility of Shows to Host Qualifiers:

***Shows wishing to participate in the Championships and be eligible to hold qualifiers must:***

1. Have collected the Championship Fund (currently 5%) from Horse, Pony, Cattle, Sheep & Goat class prize money for the previous year and forwarded the amount so collected, in full, to the Irish Shows Association within the stipulated period of not more than 30 days from the date of the show. Alternative methods of meeting this obligation are not acceptable. Any show or competitor in breach of the rules

set out will be disqualified from participating or competing in these Championships.

2. Undertake to ensure the correct collection and return of qualifier cards and entry fees.
3. These General Rules and those relating to individual championships (where applicable) should be published in the show schedule and catalogue of the participating shows and must be strictly observed.
4. For horse, pony, cattle and sheep qualifiers, qualifying rounds must be at least 10 days before the date of the final. For indoor, poultry and dog finals, qualifier rounds must be at least 7 days before the date of the final.

## Responsibility of Shows holding Qualifying Rounds:

1. Selected Shows should hold a separate class for each qualifier from which the highest placed animals will qualify.
2. Shows must ensure that the qualifiers are held strictly in accordance with the relevant rules.
3. No other sponsor may be involved in qualifying classes.
4. Shows may charge a set entry fee for each qualifying class. The I.S.A. will award a rosette to the successful exhibit(s) on appearance at the final.
5. No show hosting a Championship Final may hold a qualifying class for that championship on the day of the final other than by agreement with the Irish Shows Association.
6. Shows who hold qualifiers for Horses, Ponies, Cattle, Sheep & Goats may ask exhibitors to enter the exhibit in at least one other class at their show on the day. Shows should not undertake to host a qualifier unless they have an equivalent class.
7. Where shows debar class winners from further competitions, this rule must not be applied to qualifiers.
8. Animals qualified for finals are not eligible to enter in any other show class at the show where the final is held, other than a qualifying class for another championship.
9. Shows should appoint competent, well-briefed people to act as stewards, who must ensure that only animals (or other exhibits) which are eligible to compete and whose documentation is in order, are allowed to proceed to the judging ring.
10. On completion of judging, Stewards must inform the successful competitors to visit the Secretary's Office at the show within one hour and complete the necessary paperwork and pay for entry to the final.
11. The show must appoint a well-briefed officer who will be available at the Secretary's Office to assist exhibitors to complete the entry cards for participation in the final and collect the entry fee.
12. **Qualifying cards must be fully completed and the qualifying fee paid on the day of the show.** Once both

conditions are met, then qualifying cards may be signed by board members.

## Responsibility of Exhibitors

1. Exhibitors accept that the Judge's decision is final in all cases.
2. Any abuse of Judges will not be tolerated. Where a dispute or case for complaint arises, the matter should only be dealt with under 8 below.
3. Exhibitors should be familiar with the Irish Shows Association Disciplinary Policy as published on our website and annual guidebook.
4. Winners of Qualifiers are themselves responsible for entering their qualifiers (or exhibits) for the final in accordance with the rules above, within one hour of qualifying.
5. Winners of qualifiers will compete in the final.
6. The Irish Shows Association in conjunction with the sponsors reserve the right to alter or amend the rules of the competition as may be necessary where appropriate.
7. Shows and competitors must contact the ISA for details of any championships and not the sponsor involved.
8. Objections must be lodged in writing with the I.S.A. representative at the show and the Show Secretary within half an hour following the completion of judging, together with a fee of €50, or other stated fee, which is refundable in the event of the objection being upheld.
9. Any exhibitor who makes a false declaration or misrepresents a fact regarding themselves or their exhibit is liable to disqualification and/or forfeiture of any prizes awarded.
10. If a qualified exhibitor does not turn up to an ISA final without giving prior notice to the ISA office or to a board member, he or she will incur a financial penalty.

## Responsibilities of Shows hosting Championship Finals &

### All-Ireland Finals:

1. Where shows are paying out prizes for horse, pony, cattle and sheep finals, a deduction of 5% of the prize money will be collected by the show and forwarded to the ISA within 30 days of the Final.
2. Championship finals must start not later than 2pm on the day of the show and the advertised time must be adhered to as far as possible. If necessary, other show classes should be either postponed or relocated to allow for this.
3. Shows should cooperate with ISA personnel and judges

- appointed to officiate at finals.
4. Selection of judges for All-Ireland championships should be handled by the relevant sub-committee of the board of the ISA.

## External Discipline Policy

The Irish Shows Association expects and will insist upon appropriate behaviour from all Exhibitors and others participating in any of the activities at our Member Shows and will not tolerate inappropriate behaviour. Inappropriate behaviour shall include but not be limited to the following:

- Profanity, coarse or vulgar language or gestures towards judges, exhibitors or other Show officials
- Harassment or bullying, including using words or actions that threaten, intimidate or undermine judges or other officials before, during or following Member Show activities.
- Failure to follow rules and/or obey instructions.
- Abusing any animal

## Disciplinary Procedure:

Complaints of misconduct against an Exhibitor, Spectator or other participant at an affiliated Show or any event organised by The Irish Shows Association, or alleged breaches of the rules and standing orders of The Irish Shows Association, shall all be investigated and adjudicated upon by a Disciplinary Committee appointed by the Board of the Irish Shows Association. All complaints must be submitted in writing and must be signed by all parties submitting the complaint. The Disciplinary Committee shall seek to ensure the existence of consistent, effective, fair, and transparent complaint procedures and shall act in accordance with natural and constitutional justice. Hearings of all committees shall be confidential and held in private, unless the committee decides otherwise

## Disciplinary Committee:

A Disciplinary Committee shall be established by the Board of the Irish Shows Association to determine alleged misconduct, or alleged breaches of the rules and standing orders of The Irish Shows Association. The Disciplinary Committee shall consist of five (5) persons all being Directors, of the Irish Shows Association. One of these five shall be elected as Chairperson of the Disciplinary Committee. Each member shall be appointed on the basis that he or she is able to hear issues referred to the Disciplinary Committee under these General Rules fairly and impartially. The Disciplinary Committee has the power to hear and determine all

issues referred to it in accordance with the General Rules of the Irish Shows Association.

## Disciplinary Process:

The Disciplinary Committee shall appoint one of its members as Disciplinary Officer. All alleged complaints of misconduct or breach of General Rules shall be referred to the Disciplinary Officer who will determine if the matter should be referred to the Disciplinary Committee. In making this determination the Disciplinary Officer may consider any evidence he or she deems worthy. The Disciplinary Officer shall have the right to make enquiries of any individuals, seek further information in relation to the matter and seek guidance as he or she shall consider appropriate to determine whether the matter should be investigated further, dealt with otherwise or brought forward as an alleged breach of these General Rules.

Where the Disciplinary Officer determines that a breach of General Rules should be alleged, the Disciplinary Officer shall notify the Secretary of the Irish Shows Association of this decision and the Secretary shall refer the matter to the Chairperson of the Disciplinary Committee. Where the Disciplinary Officer determines that a breach of General Rules should not be alleged, the Disciplinary Officer shall notify the Secretary of the Irish Shows Association of this decision and the Secretary shall take such action as he or she believes appropriate.

## Hearing Procedures:

Upon receipt of a referral from the Secretary of the Irish Shows Association, the Chairperson of the Disciplinary Committee, or a Vice-Chairperson, if necessary, shall form a hearing committee to consider the issue. A hearing committee may consist of either three or five persons as the Chairperson or a Vice-Chairperson deems appropriate. A hearing committee will not have powers to award costs. Subject to these General Rules a hearing committee shall have the power to regulate its procedures. The Hearing Committee will appoint, from within its members a person who will be responsible for recording the proceedings of the hearing and for sending a copy of same, duly signed by all members of the hearing committee, to the National Secretary, within 2 days of the hearing.

Any person against whom a complaint has been made shall be entitled to an in-person hearing. Hearings of the hearing committee shall be confidential and held in private, unless the hearing committee decides otherwise. The hearing committee shall have the power to decide on the admissibility, relevance and weight of any evidence and shall not be bound by any

legal rules in relation to such matters. Facts may be established by any reliable means, including admissions.

Each party to the proceedings shall have the right to present evidence, make submissions, call witnesses, and cross-examine the witnesses of the other party and, subject to the hearing committee's discretion to accept testimony by telephone, written statement, or submission, whether by fax, email, or other means. The hearing committee, at the request of one of the parties to the proceedings or on its own initiative, may require one or more parties to the proceedings to supply it and/or the other party or parties to the proceedings, within such time as the hearing committee determines, with further particulars of the case of that party, including details of all witnesses that party intends to call at any hearing together with details of the evidence to be given by those witnesses and that party shall comply with that direction. The hearing committee, at the request of one of the parties to the proceedings or on its own initiative, may direct one or more parties to the proceedings to make any property, document, or other thing in that party's possession or under its control available for inspection by the hearing committee and/or any other party and that party shall comply with that direction. Any failure by any party to the proceedings to comply with any requirement or direction of the hearing committee, including those requirements or directions to be complied with within a truncated time schedule, shall not prevent the hearing committee from proceeding and such failure may be taken into consideration by the hearing committee when making its decision. A failure by any party or their representative to attend a hearing after notification shall not prevent the hearing committee from proceeding with the hearing in their absence.

All hearings shall be recorded and the Irish Shows Association shall retain the record. The hearing committee may postpone or adjourn a hearing.

The hearing committee shall have the power, at its absolute discretion, to appoint an expert to assist or advise it. The person chosen as the expert shall not be involved in the matter before the hearing committee and shall be free from any conflict of interest. The decision of a hearing committee shall be final and binding on all parties, unless appealed in accordance with these General Rules. The decision of a hearing committee shall be notified to the Secretary of the Irish Shows Association who shall ensure that all the necessary parties are notified of the decision within five working days from receipt of the decision from the hearing committee. The Secretary of the Irish Shows Association shall ensure that the decision is enforced.

## Penalties:

The hearing committee shall have the power to impose one or more of the following penalties for misconduct or for a breach of these General Rules:-

A formal warning;

A formal reprimand;

A suspension of a person from entering or competing in any competition organised by the Irish Shows Association for a period up to and including one calendar year.

## Appeals:

A decision of the Disciplinary Committee may be appealed. An appeal may be lodged by any party to the original decision. A notice of appeal must be made in writing to the Secretary of the Irish Shows Association, within fourteen (14) days of the date of issue of the original decision. Upon receipt of the notice of appeal, the Secretary shall refer the appeal to the Chairperson of The Irish Shows Association who shall form an appeal committee to consider the appeal. The Appeal committee shall consist of three Directors of the Irish Shows Association. The Appeal committee shall not include any members of the Disciplinary Committee who were involved in the hearing at first instance which is the subject of the appeal. Subject to these General Rules the appeal committee shall have the power to regulate its procedures. The Appeal Committee shall have the power to approve, amend or overrule the decisions of the Disciplinary Committee. The appeal committee shall have the power to impose any penalty it deems appropriate upon a person found on appeal to have breached these General Rules or the rules of a show section/ subcommittee. The decision of an Appeal committee shall be final and binding on all parties.

## **SAFETY AT THE SHOW**

- **Guidelines to note in relation to safety at the show**
- **Please observe signs - especially those relating to caution in livestock areas**
- **Please do not exhibit animals that are unsuitable with regard to safety - e.g. hard to control**
- **It is advisable for exhibitors to have their own Public Liability insurance to cover any eventuality**
- **All animals must be led by a competent handler**
- **Animals should not be tied to trailers/horse boxes or left unattended**
- **Dogs should be on a lead and under the control of the handler**
- **Caution and care should be exercised at all times**
- **All horses and ponies must be led**
- **All exercises must be inside the practice arena**
- **At all times all animals must be under strict control**
- **The public must stay outside the judging rings at all times and keep well clear of all animals**
- **Parents & those in charge of young children should keep them under close supervision & take particular care at all times**
- **Please keep all entrances & exits FREE at all times to facilitate Ambulances**

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## **STRICTLEY NO SCHOOLING OF HORSES OR PONIES**

### **NOTICE FROM DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOOD & THE MARINE**

#### **From the department of Agriculture & Food - Specific Requirements - Horses & Other Equines**

##### **Premises Registration**

As from 1st May 2012 any premises(which include Shows, Fairs & Markets) where horses or other equines are gathered must be registered with the Department. Owners/Persons in charge of such gatherings are required to submit a completed application form for registration and to keep records of movements on/off their premises.

#### **(This Rule does not apply in Northern Ireland)**

Records must be retained for at least 3yrs as they may be required by the department for the purpose of tracing disease

##### **Records required are:**

- Name & Address of the owners/Person in charge of the premises from which the equine came
- The premises registration number from which the equine came
- Passport number / UEL number of the animal.

It is important therefore that Show Organisers should contact their local District Veterinary

Office in advance so that consideration can be given to compliance with requirements outlined above.

Any further information on the requirements for moving Horses & Equines to show will be provided on the

Department's website

at:<http://www.agriculture.gov.ie/animalhealthwelfare/animalidentificationmovement>

#### **Department of Agriculture, Food & Marine**

##### **HSI SHOWING SERIES REGULATIONS**

HSI/DAFM funding will only be provided for animals registered in a studbook with a breed code recorded. This can include main section studbook equines or supplementary section studbook equines. Animals with breed code 'UNK', whether breeding is recorded or not,

will not be eligible for funding under this initiative.

## **NOTICE OF INTEREST TO CHAMPIONSHIP PARTICIPANTS IRISH LAW EU DIRECTIVE**

**Under Irish Law all horses moving from one location to another must be accompanied by their passports. It is in your own interest to ensure this is the case. Failure to do so is an offence under Irish Law and is liable on summary conviction to result in a fine up to €3000. All Passports must be registered with the name of the current owner.**

### **EMBRYO TRANSFER:**

Where a foal is produced by this method the Dams passport must bear a declaration dated, stamped and signed by the stallion owner (or accredited practitioner where AI is involved) stating the date on which the dam was last covered (or inseminated) and the name of the covering Stallion.

### **IMPORTANT NOTICE**

**Horse riding is a dangerous sport. While mounted all competitors and ride judges are required, for their own safety, to wear appropriate head gear that complies with up to date safety standards and is securely fastened.**

### **NEW RULES**

- If a qualified exhibitor does not turn up to an ISA final without giving prior notice to the ISA office or to a board member he/she will incur a financial penalty.
- All prize money in Horse Sport Ireland Showing Championship Series is subject to HSI/DAFM funding being granted.

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## **PONIES**

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**Prizes in all classes unless otherwise stated: 1st €35.00 :2nd €25.00: 3rd €20.00**

**On-Line entry Fee: €15.00 or €20.00 on Show day**

**All owners/riders who are non members of the IPS must take out Daily Membership: €5.00 for 1st entry only**

**The same combination of pony and rider may not compete in any class for ponies exceeding 123cms at the same show on the same day**

**Please note - YOU CANNOT transfer to another Class on Show day, BUT you may enter the class on the day of the show.**

**ENQUIRIES to: Rosaleen Barry 087 262 64444**

# RIDDEN HUNTER - RING 1

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**Start Time 10.00am**

## **Class 1: 133cm Hunter Pony**

For Ponies, Mares or Geldings, 4 years old and over, exceeding 123cms but not exceeding 133cms, suitable for and to be ridden by riders who have not attained their 14th birthday on 1st January of current year.

## **Class 2: 143cm Ridden Hunter Pony**

For Ponies, Mares or Geldings, 4 years old and over, exceeding 133cms but not exceeding 143cms, suitable for and to be ridden by riders who have not attained their 17th birthday on 1st January of current year

## **Class 3: 153cm Ridden Hunter Pony**

For Ponies, Mares or Geldings, 4 years old and over, exceeding 143cms but not exceeding 153cms, suitable for and to be ridden by riders who have not attained their 20th birthday on 1st January of current year.

## **Class 4: 123cm Show Hunter Pony**

For Ponies, Mares or Geldings. Ponies not exceeding 123cms suitable for and to be ridden by riders who have attained their 5th but not their 11th birthday on 1st January of current year.

## **Class 5: 133cm Ridden Starter Stakes**

For Ponies, Mares or Geldings, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 133cms, suitable for and to be ridden by riders who have not attained their 12th birthday on 1st January of current year

## **Class 6: Ridden Hunter Pony Champion/Reserve**

Confined to 1st and 2nd prize-winners in classes 1-5

## **Class 7: Open First Ridden Ponies**

For Mares or Geldings, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 123cms. Riders to have attained their 5th but not their 9th birthday on 1st January of the current year. **Riders in Beginners Classes may only compete in 50cms and 60cms Performance Jumping Classes.**

## **Class 8: First Ridden Ponies**

For Ponies, Mares or Geldings, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 123cms, suitable for and to be ridden by riders who have attained their 5th but not their 10th birthday on 1st January of current year.

## **Class 9: Hunter Lead Rein**

Open Ponies 4 yrs and over, not exceeding 123cm, Rider under 8 yrs on 01/01/2026

## **Class 10: Veteran Pony**

**14-20years not exceeding 148cm to be ridden- riders of appropriate age**

## **Class 11: Mini Champion**

Mini Champion/Reserve Confined to 1st and 2nd Prize-winners in Classes 8, 9 and 10

## **Class 12: Oughterard All Ireland Ridden Registered Connemara Performance Pony Championship - Qualifier**

- Qualifying rounds will be held at designated shows
- Ponies 4yrs & over are eligible
- More than one pony in each qualifying class may be selected to compete in the final provided the Judges agree that the standard is high enough and may qualify a second pony
- Judge of the day must sign the qualifying entry form(s)
- **Pony and/or Rider once qualified are not eligible to participate in subsequent qualifiers in the same category**
- It is strongly advised that all competitors should wear a body protector
- The final will take place at Oughterard Show Sunday the 30th August 2026
- Entry Fee To Qualifying Shows €15.00 to Final €25.00
- Full set of rules can be obtained from Regina O'Toole Oughterard Show Office 086 1517289

## **Class 13: Registered Ridden Connemara**

4 years old and over, Riders 16 years and **under** on 1<sup>st</sup> of January of current year

## **Class 14: Registered Ridden Connemara**

4 years old and **over**, riders **over** 16 years on 1<sup>st</sup> of January of current year.

## **Class 15: Pure Bred/Part Bred Welsh Ridden**

4 years & over not exceeding 138cm - Rider of suitable age over 5 years old

## **Class 16: Mountain & Mooreland Ridden Pony**

For Mares and Geldings 4 yrs & over, Riders over 5 years

## **Class 17: Ridden Champion**

Champion/Reserve Champion Confined to 1st and 2nd prize-winners in Classes 13, 14, 15 & 16

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# **WORKING HUNTER - RING 2**

**Start Time 10.00am**

## **Class 18: 153cms Working Hunter Pony Class**

For Ponies, Mares or Gelding, 4 years old and over, exceeding 143cms but not exceeding 153cms, suitable for and to be ridden by riders who have not attained their 20th birthday on 1st January of current year.

## **Class 19: 143cms Working Hunter Pony Class**

For Ponies, Mares or Geldings, 4 years old and over, exceeding 133cms but not exceeding 143cms, suitable for and to be ridden by riders who have not attained their 17th birthday on 1st January of current year.

## **Class 20: 133cms Working Hunter Pony Class**

For Ponies, Mares or Geldings, 4 years old and over, exceeding 123cms but not exceeding 133cms, suitable for and to be ridden by riders who have not attained their 14th birthday on 1st January of current year.

### **Class 21: Open Working Starter Stakes**

For Ponies, Mares or Geldings, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 133cms, suitable for and to be ridden by riders who have not attained their 12th birthday on 1st January of current year.

### **Class 22: Working Hunter Champion**

Working Hunter Champion/Reserve Confined to 1st & 2nd Prize-winners in Classes 18, 19, 20 and 21

### **Class 23: Beginners Cradle Stakes**

For Ponies, Mares or Geldings, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 123cms, suitable for and to be ridden by riders who have attained their 4th birthday but not attained their 9th birthday on 1st January of current year. The rider may not compete in any other class at the IPS Championship Show, IPS Spring Show and all IPS Area Shows with the exception of any other Lead Rein or Beginner First Ridden Class.

### **Class 24: Equitation Jumping**

#### **Class for ponies 148cms - Maximum Fence Height 85cms**

Note - This class is judged on the riders ability only - scoring 0-10 for each fence. (Way of going)

## **IN HAND - RING 3**

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**Start Time 10.00am**

### **Class 25: Show Pony/Show Hunter Brood Mare**

148cms & under, in foal or with foal at foot. Must be led by a Handler over 16years on the 1st of January of the current year

### **Class 26: Best Connemara Brood Mare**

in foal or with foal at foot. Must be led by a Handler over 16 years on the 1st of January of the current year

### **Class 27: Foals - Best Colt or Best Filly**

Rosette only. (no pre-entry required) Foals must be led by a Handler over 16years on the 1st of January of the current year

### **Class 28: The Best Connemara 3 year Old Filly/Progeny of registered Connemara Sire and Dam**

Must be led by a Handler over 16 years on the first of January of the current year

### **Class 29: The Connemara Three Year Old Filly All Ireland Championship - Qualifier**

Sponsored by: Parkmore Stables, Ballinasloe & Fr. Christy McCormack

### **RULES AND CONDITIONS**

1. This championship is confined to Registered Connemara Three year Old Fillies. The progeny of Registered Connemara Sire & Registered Connemara Dam.
2. Exhibitors In both the Qualifier and the Final must have the CPBS

Passport ready for inspection prior to entry to the judging ring.

**Failure to comply with this rule will lead to immediate disqualification**

3. A Maximum of **Two exhibits** may qualify, provided the judges feel the standard is high enough for an ISA Championship.
4. One of the Judges at the final must be from CPBS judges list.
5. The Qualifying Exhibitor must fill out their own Qualifying Card at each Qualifying Show. Completed card and entry fee must be handed into the secretary's office on show day.
6. **These rules should be read in conjunction with the ISA Rules**

**Entry fee to Qualifying show €15.00 to Final €30.00**

## **Final:- BALLINASLOE SHOW Sunday 27th September 2026**

### **Class 30: Best 1-2 yr old Pony**

Colt, Filly or Gelding. Shown in Hand must be led by a Handler over 16 years on the 1st January of the current year

### **Class 31: Best 3 yr old Pony**

Gelding or Filly. Shown in Hand must be led by a Handler over 16 years on the 1st of January of the current year

### **Class 32: Best Pony not exceeding 148cms,**

Any age Gelding or Filly - Shown in Hand

### **Class 33: Coloured Pony's**

Any height - Shown in hand

### **Class 34: Pure Bred - Part Bred Welsh Pony**

Any age Gelding or Filly - Shown in Hand

### **Class 35: In Hand Championship**

In Hand Championship - Confined to 1st & 2nd Prize-winners in Classes 25, 26, 28, 30, 31, 32, 33, and 34

## **YOUNG HANDLERS - RING 3**

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### **Class 36: Young Handler for Ponies**

4 years & over to be Shown in Hand by Children 7-13 years on the 1st of January of the current year

### **Class 37: Young Handlers for Ponies**

4 years & over to be shown by Handlers aged 14-17 years on the 1st of January of the current year

### **Class 38: Local Lead Rein, Ponies 128cms & over**

- **Riders 10 years & under on 1st of January of the current year**
- **All Competitors must be led by a Handler over 16 years.**
- **First Prize-winners are not eligible to compete in this class.**
- **Riders and ponies must be residents in Westmeath**

*Entry Fee:* €10

### **Class 39: Local Riding Class - Riders 16 yrs & under**

- **First Prize-winners are not eligible to compete in this class.**
- **Riders and ponies must be residents in Westmeath**

*Entry Fee:* €10

### **Class 40: Fancy Dress**

- Open to children of all ages & Ponies any size. Ponies must be Led by Handlers over 16 years
- **Rosettes and Treats for all**

*Entry Fee:* €10

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## **DONKEY - RING 3**

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**Start time - 3.00pm (approx)**

**On-Line Entry Fee to all Classes €10.00 or €15.00 on Show Day.**

Please Note Ring Numbers may Change on Show Day

Prizes in Donkey Classes 1st Prize €35.00 :2nd Prize €25.00 :3rd Prize €20.00

**Class 41: Best Donkey - Any age - Gelding or Filly to be shown In-Hand**

**Class 42: Best turnout and condition Class open to all donkeys**

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## **HORSES**

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**ENQUIRIES to: Rosaleen Barry 087 262 64444**

### **MARES AND FOALS - RING 4**

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**10am Start :- On-Line entry fee to all classes €15.00 or €20.00 on Show Day (except Qualifiers)**

**PLEASE NOTE**

- **Ring Numbers may change on show day.**
- **If there are insufficient entries, Classes may be Amalgamated/Cancelled**
- **Entrants into ISA Qualifiers are requested to exhibit in at least one other class**

Prizes in all Classes unless otherwise stated: 1st - €70.00; 2nd - €50.00; 3rd - €40.00

**Class 43: The All Ireland Broodmare and Foal Team Championship - Qualifier**

### **RULES AND CONDITIONS**

1. Entries are confined to registered non-thoroughbred broodmares with a

foal at foot.

2. Each mare and her foal will be judged as a unit: 60% for the mare and 40% for the foal.
3. A Maximum of **Two exhibits** may qualify, provided the judges feel the standard is high enough for an ISA Championship.
4. This competition is open to animals registered in a World Breeding Federation for Sport Horses (WBFSH) studbook or a Department of Agriculture Food and The Marine (DAFM) approved studbook with recorded breeding.
5. The mare's passport will be inspected before judging commences. Exhibitors failing to produce a passport will be debarred from competing.
6. Qualified mares may not compete in other classes at Iverk Show.
7. Foals are eligible to compete in the foal classes at Iverk Show.
8. Foals must be led at all times.
9. The Qualifying Exhibitor must fill out their own Qualifying Card at each Qualifying Show. Completed card and entry fee must be handed into the secretary's office on show day.

**These rules should be read in conjunction with the ISA and Iverk Show Rules**

**Entry Fee: To Qualifying Show €15 / To Final €30**

**Final:- IVERK SHOW Saturday 22nd August 2026**

**Class 44: Non-Thoroughbred Brood Mare, stinted to or with foal at foot.**

**Class 45: Thoroughbred Brood Mare with foal at Foot**

**Class 46: Mare Championship**

- Best Mare confined to 1st & 2nd Prize-winners in Classes 44 & 45
- The James Casey Plant Hire Cup & Sash will be presented to the Champion / Reserve Champion will receive a Rosette

**Class 47: Non-Thoroughbred Colt/Filly Foal**

**Class 48: Best Foal Any Breed, Colt or Filly**

Best Foal any Breed, colt or filly by the Sires - Steeped in Luck - RID stallion; Gwennic De Goarive Reg CP; Another Pleasure; The Property of Tim Carey, Tullaghansleek Stud, Castletowngeoghegan, Co. Westmeath.

**Class 49: Non Thoroughbred Foal -Champion**

- Best Non-Thoroughbred Foal will be presented with the First National Building Society Perpetual Cup & Sash / Reserve Champion will receive a Rosette

# YOUNG HORSES (IN HAND) - RING 5

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**10.00 Start :- On-line entry fee in all classes €15.00 or €20.00 on Show Day (except Qualifiers)**

**Class 50: Best Yearling, Colt or Gelding**

**Class 51: Best Yearling Filly**

**Class 52: The Red Mills Two-Year Old Gelding All Ireland Championship - Qualifier**

## **Rules and Conditions**

1. This competition is open to animals registered in a World Breeding Federation for Sport Horses (WBFSH) studbook or a Department of Agriculture Food and The Marine (DAFM) approved studbook with recorded breeding.
2. A Maximum of **Two exhibits** may qualify, provided the judges feel the standard is high enough for an ISA Championship.
3. Exhibitors to both the qualifier and the final must have the animal's passport available for inspection prior to entry to the judging ring.  
**Failure to comply with this rule will lead to immediate disqualification.**
4. Passports & Microchips should be read by a veterinary surgeon at the final.
5. Animals qualified for final are not eligible to enter any other class at the show where the final is held.
6. The Qualifying Exhibitor must fill out their own Qualifying Card at each Qualifying Show. Completed card and entry fee must be handed into the secretary's office on show day.

**These rules should be read in conjunction with the ISA Rules**

*A Prize will be presented for combination of Best Turned out Horse & Most Suitably Dressed Handler*

**ENTRY FEE: To Qualifying Show €15 & To Final €30.**

**Final:- TINAHELY Monday 3rd August 2026**

**Class 53: Best 2 yr old Gelding**

**Class 54: T.I.H.A. - Limerick Lady Championship - Qualifier**

Rules & Conditions:

- For two year old traditionally Bred fillies, suitable for producing High Quality Traditionally Bred Sport Horses. (i.e. NO continental Breeding in the Pedigrees).
- Fillies must have been registered as Foals with a Society that maintains its breed for the Irish Sport Horse Breed, The Irish Draught Breed, the Thoroughbred Breed and the Connemara Pony Breed and must be by: APPROVED (a) Thoroughbred Stallion/Connemara Stallion/Registered Irish Draught Stallion/ Irish Sport Horse

Stallion OR (b) any cross of the afore mentioned.

- Dams of the Fillies must also be by the Stallions as above and registered in a stud book with a society that maintains its breed.
- All exhibitors must have their filly's passports at the qualifying Show & at the Championship & available for inspection.
- More than one filly may be selected at any qualifying show provided that the standard of entries warrants such selection.
- Should the standard of entries be deemed to be insufficient, no filly will be selected.
- Infringement of these conditions or Championship regulations may lead to disqualification.
- Each Filly selected at qualifying shows is eligible to compete in the T.I.H.A. Limerick Lady Championship Final at Limerick Show.

Entry Fee to Qualifying Show - €15.00      To Final - €25.00

Final:- LIMERICK SHOW    Sunday 23rd August 2026.

(Note - Entrants into ISA Qualifiers are requested to exhibit in another class)

### **Class 55: Kildysart Two Year Old Filly All Ireland - Qualifier**

Rules & Conditions:

- This competition is open to animals registered in a World Breeding Federation for Sport Horses (WBFSH) studbook or a Department of Agriculture Food and The Marine (DAFM) approved studbook with recorded breeding.
- A Maximum of **Two exhibits** may qualify, provided the judges feel the standard is high enough for an ISA Championship.
- Exhibitors to both the qualifier and the final must have the animal's passport available for inspection prior to entry to the judging ring.  
**Failure to comply with this rule will lead to immediate disqualification.**
- Passports & Microchips should be read by a veterinary surgeon at the final.
- Animals qualified for final are not eligible to enter any other class at the show where the final is held.
- The Qualifying Exhibitor must fill out their own Qualifying Card at each Qualifying Show. Completed card and entry fee must be handed into the secretary's office on show day.
- **These rules should be read in conjunction with the ISA Rules**

Entry Fee to Qualifying Show - €15.00      To Final - €30.00

Final:- KILDYSART SHOW    Sunday 22nd August 2026.

(Note - Entrants into ISA Qualifiers are requested to exhibit in at least one other class)

### **Class 56: Best 2 yr old Filly**

### **Class 57: Best 3 yr old Gelding**

### **Class 58: The Best Three Year-Old Filly All Ireland Championship - Qualifier**

## RULES AND CONDITIONS

1. This competition is open to animals registered in a World Breeding Federation for Sport Horses (WBFSH) studbook or a Department of Agriculture Food and The Marine (DAFM) approved studbook with recorded breeding.
2. A Maximum of **Two exhibits** may qualify, provided the judges feel the standard is high enough for an ISA Championship.
3. Exhibitors to both the qualifier and the final must have the animal's passport available for inspection prior to entry to the judging ring. **Failure to comply with this rule will lead to immediate disqualification.**
4. Passports & Microchips should be read by a veterinary surgeon at the final.
5. Animals qualified for final are not eligible to enter any other class at the show where the final is held.
6. The Qualifying Exhibitor must fill out their own Qualifying Card at each Qualifying Show. Completed card and entry fee must be handed into the secretary's office on show day.

**These rules should be read in conjunction with the ISA Rules**

*A prize will be presented for Combination of Best Turned out Horse and Most Suitably Dressed Handler*

**ENTRY FEE: Qualifying Show €15 & To Final €30**

**Final:- TYDAVET SHOW Saturday 15th August 2026**

**Class 59: Best 3 yr old Filly**

**Class 60: Best Coloured Animal any age**

**Class 61: Young Horse Championship**

The Young Horse Championship is Confined to 1st & 2nd Prize-winners in Classes 50, 51, 53, 59 & 60 Champion is presented with a Sash and €300 - Reserve is Presented with a Rosette & €200

## **COB AND RIDDEN HUNTER TO BE RIDDEN - RING 6**

**Start Time - 10am (approx) :- On-line Entry Fee to all classes €15.00 or €20.00 on Show Day (except Qualifiers)**

Prizes in all classes unless otherwise stated :- 1st - €60.00; 2nd - €50.00; 3rd - €40.00; 4th - €30.00;

Rosettes will be presented to 6th place

**Class 62: Small Hunter 4 yrs & over - 158cm and under to be ridden**

**Class 63: Lightweight Hunter Gelding/Filly 4 yrs & over to be ridden**

**Class 64: Middle Weight Hunter Gelding or Filly, 4 yrs & over, to be ridden**

**Class 65: Heavy Weight Hunter Gelding or Filly, 4 yrs & over, to be ridden**

**Class 66: Ridden Hunter - Championship**

Confined to 1st & 2nd Prize-winners in classes 62, 63, 64, 65

Champion - Rosette / Reserve Champion Rosette

**Class 67: Open Traditional Cob, 4 yrs & over, to be ridden**

**Class 68: Filly or Gelding, Coloured, Any Height, 4 yrs & over, to be ridden**

**Class 69: Best RID Gelding or Filly, any age, to be ridden**

**Class 70: Ridden - Championship**

Confined to 1st & 2nd Prize-winners in the Classes 67, 68, 69

Champion - Rosette / Reserve Champion Rosette

**Class 71: Overall Ridden Champion**

Confined to 1st & 2nd Prize-winners in classes 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69 & 70

Champion €150 plus Sash - Reserve Champion €100 and Rosette

**Class 72: Combined Intermediate Ladies Side Saddle Class  
Affiliated to Side Saddle Ireland**

To be ridden Side Saddle by Ladies in Hunting Costume

For Horses 148cms & over. Riders must have reached their 16th birthday by 1st January 2026

### **Rules & Conditions**

- The riders ability, turnout and way of going. Manners & Movement of the horse will be considered as part of the adjudication
- The class shall be judged as an overall picture of the elegance presented by the rider and the horse.
- Each rider will give a short individual show - which should include walk, trot canter and extended canter.
- The class shall be judged from the ground. (no ride judge)
- Side Saddle Ireland Rosettes will be presented in the class.
- A 'Best Rider' rosette sponsored by Equestrian Portable Showers Ireland will be presented to the best rider among the members.
- A 'Best Turned Out' rosette sponsored by Carr & Day & Martin will be presented to the best turned out combination
- Points for Side Saddle Ireland Ladies & Intermediate National Championship Sponsored by Carr & Day & Martin can be earned, in this case class-participants must be members of Side Saddle Ireland on the date of the show and must register

their participation in the League (free of charge) on [itsplainsailing.com/org/ssi](http://itsplainsailing.com/org/ssi) to enable the committee to keep a tally of points.

**Winner will be presented with the Kathleen Killian-Dibbs Perpetual Cup**

## **WORKING HUNTER HORSE - SAND ARENA**

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**Start Time 11.00am (approx) :- On-Line Entry Fee to all classes €15.00 or €20.00 on Show Day**

- Prizes in all Classes unless otherwise stated:- 1st - €60.00 2nd - €50.00 3rd - €40.00 4th - €30.00
- Rosettes will be presented to 6th place
- **Please Note Horses and riders must be turned out to show standard otherwise they will be refused entry into the competition. This rule will be strictly adhered to.**

**Class 73: Intro Working Hunter (Fences 70cm)**

**Class 74: Novice Working Hunter - Fences Approx. 80 - 90cm**

**Class 75: Open Working Hunter - Fences 90cm- 1m**

## **IRISH DRAUGHT - RING 7**

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**Start Time - 11.00am (approx) :- On-Line entry fee in all classes €15.00 or €20.00 on Show day (except Qualifiers)**

**Please Note - Ring Numbers may change on Show Day**

**If insufficient entries, classes may be amalgamated/cancelled**

**(Note - Entrants into ISA Qualifiers are requested to exhibit in another class)**

**Prizes in all classes (Except qualifiers) 1st - €70.00; 2nd - €50.00; 3rd - €40.00**

**Class 76: Best RID Mare 3 & 4yr old, Stinted to or with foal at foot**

**Class 77: Best RID Mare - any age**

**Class 78: Irish Draught Mare Champion**

Confined to 1st & 2nd Prize-winners in Classes 76 & 77.

**Champion will be presented with Con Crowley Perpetual Shield and a nomination from Tim Carey, Tullaghansleek Stud Castletowngeoghegan, Co. Westmeath, to any of his stallions - Reserve will be Presented with a Rosette & €80.**

**Class 79: Best RID Colt/Filly Foal, progeny of approved RID Stallion, RID Mare or AID Mare**

## **Class 80: Best yearling Filly/Gelding progeny of approved RID Stallion and RID or AID Mare**

## **Class 81: The Irish Draught 2 Year Old Filly Championship Qualifier** **RULES AND REGULATIONS**

1. This competition is open to animals with the breed code ID, registered in The Irish Draught Horse Studbook (or a harmonised Irish Draught Studbook) with recorded breeding.
2. Exhibitors to both the qualifier & Final must have their animals passport available for inspection prior to entry to Judging Ring. **Failure to comply with this rule will lead to immediate disqualification.**
3. **Passports & Microchips** should be read by a Vet at the Final
4. A Maximum of **Two exhibits** may qualify, provided the judges feel the standard is high enough for an ISA Championship.
5. One of the judges at the qualifying show must be a qualified Irish Draught Horse Judge.
6. Animals qualified for Final are not eligible to enter any other class at Show where the final is held
7. The Qualifying Exhibitor must fill out their own Qualifying Card at each Qualifying Show. Completed card and entry fee must be handed into the secretary's office on show day.

- **These rules should be read in conjunction with the ISA Rules**
- *A prize will be presented for combination of best turned out animal and most suitably dressed handler.*

**Entry Fee: To Qualifying Show €15 / To Final €30**

**Final:- LIMERICK SHOW Sunday 23rd August 2026**

## **Class 82: Best 2 yr old Filly progeny of approved RID Stallion, RID Mare or AID Mare**

## **Class 83: Best RID Gelding to be shown in hand - any age**

## **Class 84: Irish Draught 3 yr old R.I.D. Gelding progeny of approved RID Stallion, RID Mare or AID Mare**

## **Class 85: The All Ireland 3 year Old Registered Irish Draught Filly Championship - Qualifier**

### **RULES AND CONDITIONS**

1. Entries are open to Three-Year-Old Fillies with the breed code ID, registered in The Irish Draught Horse Studbook (or a harmonized Irish Draught Studbook) with recorded breeding.
2. Fillies must have both sire and Dam recorded on their passport.
3. Exhibitors to both the qualifier & Final must have their animal's passport available for inspection prior to entry to Judging Ring.
4. Passports & Microchips should be read by a Vet at the Final.
5. A Maximum of **Two exhibits** may qualify, provided the judges feel the standard is high enough for an ISA Championship.

6. One of the judges at the qualifying show must be a qualified Irish Draught Horse Judge.
7. Fillies qualified for Final are not eligible to enter any other class at the Show where the final is held.
8. The Qualifying Exhibitor must fill out their own Qualifying Card at each Qualifying Show. Completed card and entry fee must be handed into the secretary's office on show day.

**These rules should be read in conjunction with the ISA Rules**

*A prize will be presented for combination of best turned out animal and most suitably dressed handler*

**Final:- BONNICONLON SHOW Monday 3rd August 2026**

**Class 86: Irish Draught 3 yr old R.I.D. Filly progeny of approved RID Stallion, RID Mare or AID Mare**

**Class 87: The Leitrim Irish Draught Breeders Championship Qualifier**

### **RULES AND CONDITIONS**

1. This competition is open to animals, with the breed code ID, registered in The Irish Draught Horse Studbook (or a harmonised Irish Draught Studbook) with recorded breeding.
2. A Maximum of **Two exhibits** may qualify, provided the judges feel the standard is high enough for an ISA Championship.
3. Exhibitors to both the qualifier & Final must have their the Mares passport available for inspection prior to entry to Judging Ring Failure to comply with this rule will lead to immediate disqualification.
4. Passports & **Microchips** should be read by a Vet at the final.
5. One of the judges at the qualifying show must be a qualified Irish Draught Horse Judge.
6. Animals qualified for Final are **not** eligible to enter any other class at Mohill Show **other than qualifying classes for other ISA Finals.**
7. The Qualifying Exhibitor must fill out their own Qualifying Card at each Qualifying Show. Completed card and entry fee must be handed into the secretary's office on show day.

- **These rules should be read in conjunction with the ISA Rules.**

**Entry Fee: To Qualifying Show €15 - To Final €30**

**Final:- MOHILL SHOW Sunday 16th August 2026**

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## **CATTLE SECTION**

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**Note for Information regarding Movement of**

# Bovine to Shows

The Department of Agriculture implemented a number of changes on 4th February 2019 which changed the procedures and criteria applicable when applying for a Certificate of Compliance for the movement of cattle. These also impact on the certificate which is required when moving bovine to a Show.

The following sets out the criteria applicable:

- The movement of cattle to and from an Agriculture Show within the State must be recorded on the Animal Identification and Movement System (AIM).
- In line with these changes, specific certificates of Compliance for the “Movement of Bovine from a Single Holding to a Show” must now be requested prior to the movement of animals concerned.
- These certificates can be created by (i) applying on-line using their agfood account or (ii) where the keeper is not on line the certificate can be generated by the local Regional Veterinary Office following receipt of a NBAS31K with issue of the certificate being subject to normal criteria applicable. This form will be available on the Department’s Website and will also be included with the Show Circular when issued.
- When applying for this certificate the destination herd / or Show number is not required. The certificate generated will include an “S” symbol.
- **The Certificate of Compliance for a Show will continue to be valid for a period of up to 30 days** . As is currently the case these can be used for the movement of animals to a number of shows during the validity period of the certificate.
- **Please also note—Calves which are less than 10 days cannot be moved to a Show.**

As is currently the case the Movement Notification Section of the Certificate should be Completed by the Keeper and the Show Secretary who must clearly indicate the Show Number. The Show movement should be recorded on the passport. Ultimate responsibility for fulfilling these requirements lies with the Show Secretary. If the animals move to a herd other than the source herd, the new destination herd must complete and sign the certificate also.

***Completed forms should be sent by the Show Secretary to the local RVO within 7 days of the Show.***

**Animal Identification and Movement (AIM) Division, Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine.**

**\* Irish Shows Association Notice \***

Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine  
Certificate of Compliance Requirements

On the day of the Show, the Certificate of Compliance should be presented to the Show Secretary.

The keeper and the Show Secretary will then sign the Movement.

Notification section of the Certificate **Must** be sent to the local RVO for recording onto the AIM system.

## Important Notice

The Mullingar Show Committee, acting by itself or through its Agents/Officers, reserves the right to reject or cancel any entry or entries made by or on behalf of any person, corporate or other entity and may direct the removal of any animal or other exhibit from the showing ring or display area and/or from the Showgrounds, if the Committee and/or its Agents/Officers shall deem it fit to do so, without offering any explanation or reason for so doing and without incurring any liability whatsoever to any such Applicant/Exhibitor or his/her/its Agent.

## Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine

It is vitally important that all Show Secretaries comply with the rule & make sure to send back the **Certificate of Compliance** to your Local RVO Office within Seven Days of your Show taking place as failure to do so is causing untold problems to exhibitors.

After submissions from affiliated Shows on Judging of Calves & the need judged them by weight rather than by age at Shows

The Irish Shows Association Cattle Sub Committee have put forward the following **recommendation** on use of live weight for calf classes e.g.

*Calves under 12 months not to exceed 460 kg (Autumn born calves and Calves under 6 months)it recommends that the weight should not exceed 320kg)*

Another suggestion is to use no more than **1.7kg** live weight gain per day from the birth date to the show date.

## New Rule for Exhibitors

- If a qualified exhibitor does not turn up to an ISA final without giving prior notice to the ISA office or to a board member he or she will incur a financial penalty
- Pedigree cattle, whether registered or not, cannot be presented in Commercial Cattle Showing Classes.

ISA reserves the right to check the Genotype details

**Exhibitors & Helpers in Equine/Bovine/Ovine Sections Admitted FREE of Charge to Showgrounds. All Other Occupants in Vehicle MUST PAY Admission Fee of €15.00**

**CATTLE SHOWING IN WALLED GARDEN FROM 10.30AM TO 3.30PM ONLY**  
**Prizes in All Classes unless otherwise stated; 1st - €100 2nd - €75.00**  
**3rd - €50.00**

**Entry Fee to all Classes €15.00 unless otherwise stated**

**Note - If there are insufficient entries, classes may be amalgamated / Cancelled**

**Enquiries in Cattle Section to Margaret Henson 087 935 9616**

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## **PEDIGREE CATTLE**

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### **SHORTHORN**

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**Class 88: Pedigree Shorthorn Cow Rearing her 2026 Calf - Calf at foot**

**Class 89: All Ireland Pedigree Registered Beef Shorthorn 2 yr old Heifer**

Winner of this class will be presented with the Percy Chadwick Perpetual Plate

**Class 90: Pedigree Shorthorn Heifer, born between 01/01/2025 & 31/12/2025**

**Class 91: Pedigree Shorthorn Heifer Calf, born on or after 01/01/2026**

**Class 92: Pedigree Shorthorn Bull Calf, born on or after 01/01/2026**

**Class 93: Champion Shorthorn**

Shorthorn Championship - Confined to 1st Prize-winners in Classes 88, 89, 90, 91, 92

The Champion will be presented with a Sash & Reserve Champion with a Rosette.

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## **SIMMENTAL**

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**Class 94: Best Simmental Heifer Calf born on/after 01/12/25**

**Class 95: Pedigree Simmental Bull Calf born on/after 01/12/2025**

**Class 96: Best Simmental Heifer Calf born between 01/08/2025 & 30/11/2025**

**Class 97: Best Simmental Heifer born between 01/09/2024 & 31/07/2025**

**Class 98: Best Simmental Male born between 01/01/2025 &**

**30/11/2025**

**Class 99: Champion Simmental**

Simmental Championship Confined to 1st Prize-winners in Classes 94, 95, 96, 97, 98

Champion will be presented with The Dan McCarthy Family Perpetual Cup & Sash - Reserve Champion will be presented with a Rosette

**HEREFORD**

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**Class 100: Pedigree Hereford Cow In Calf or with Calf at foot**

**Class 101: Pedigree Hereford Heifer born before 30/06/2024**

**Class 102: Pedigree Hereford Heifer born between 01/07/2024 & 30/06/2025**

**Class 103: Pedigree Hereford Heifer born between 01/07/2025 & 31/10/2025**

This Class is Sponsored by the North Leinster Hereford Breed Society

**Class 104: Pedigree Hereford Heifer born on or after 01/11/2025**

**Class 105: Pedigree Hereford Bull born between 01/07/2025 & 31/10/2025**

**Class 106: Pedigree Hereford Bull born between 01/07/2024 & 31/12/2024**

**Class 107: Pedigree Hereford Bull born between 1st July 2025 & 31st October 2025**

**Class 108: Pedigree Hereford Bull born on or after 01/11/2025**

**Class 109: Champion Hereford**

Confined to 1st Prize-winners in Classes 100, 101, 102, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108

Champion will be Presented with Mullingar Livestock Perpetual Cup & Sash also €50 - Sponsored by North Leinster Hereford Breed Society - Reserve will be Presented with a Rosette also €25 Sponsored by North Leinster Hereford Breed Society

**LIMOUSIN**

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**Class 110: Pedigree Limousin Bull Calf born 01/09/2025 - 31/12/2025**

**Class 111: Pedigree Limousin Heifer born 01/09/2024 - 01/09/2025**

**Class 112: Pedigree Limousin Heifer born 01/09/2025 - 31/12/2025**

**Class 113: Pedigree Limousin Bull Calf born on/after 01/01/2026**

**Class 114: Pedigree Limousin Heifer Calf born on/after 01/01/2026**

**Class 115: Champion Limousin**

Limousin Championship is Confined to 1st Prize-winners in Classes 110, 111, 112, 113, 114

The Champion will be presented with a Sash & Reserve Champion a Rosette.

## **ANGUS**

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**Class 116: Angus Cow in Calf or with Calf at foot**

**Class 117: Angus Heifer born between 01/09/2024 & 31/07/2025**

**Class 118: Angus Heifer born between 01/08/2025 & 31/12/2025**

**Class 119: Angus Heifer Calf born on or after 01/01/2026**

**Class 120: Angus Bull Calf Born between 01/08/2025 & 31/12/2025**

**Class 121: Angus Bull Calf Born on or after 01/01/2026**

**Class 122: Champion Angus**

Angus Championship is Confined to first Prize-winners in Classes 116, 117, 118, 119, 120,121

The Irish Angus Cattle Society will Present a Sash to the Champion & a Rosette to the Reserve Champion.

The Champion & Reserve will also be presented with Rosettes from the Irish Aberdeen Angus Association.

## **CHAROLAIS**

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**Class 123: Pedigree Charolais Cow in Calf or with Calf at foot**

**Class 124: Pedigree Charolais Bull Calf born on or after 01/01/2026**

**Class 125: Pedigree Charolais Heifer Calf born on or after 01/01/2026**

**Class 126: Pedigree Charolais Bull born between 01/09/2025 & 31/12/2025**

**Class 127: Pedigree Charolais Heifer born between 01/09/2025 & 31/12/2025**

**Class 128: Pedigree Charolais Heifer born Between 31/08/2024 & 01/09/2025**

## **Class 129: Champion Charolais**

Charolais Championship Confined to 1st Prize-winners in Classes 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128

Champion will be presented with a Sash - Reserve will be presented with a Rosette

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## **SPECKLE PARK**

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**Entry Fee €15.00**

**Class 130: Best Pedegree Registered Speckle Park Cow with Calf at foot**

**Class 131: Best Pedegree Registered Speckle Park Heifer**

**Class 132: Best Pedegree Registered Speckle Park Bull born on or after 01/01/25**

**Class 133: Best Pedegree Registered Speckled Park Bull Calf born on/after 01/01/2026**

**Class 134: Best Pedegree Registered Speckle Park Heifer Calf born on/after 01/01/2026**

**NOTE - Classes 133 & 134 may be amalgamated on Show Day depending on number of entries**

**Class 135: Champion Speckle Park**

The Championship is confined to 1st & 2nd Prize-winners in Classes 130, 132, 133 & 134

The Champion will be presented with a Sash & Reserve Champion with a Rosette.

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## **YOUNG HANDLERS**

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## **YOUNG STOCKPERSON**

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**Entry Fee €15.00**

**Class 136: Male or Female under 16 yrs on 12th July 2026. Handling animal under 450 Kilo's**

**Prizes 1st - €150.00 2nd - €100.00 3rd - €75.00 Down the line - €20.00**

- This Class will be Judged on Personal Appearance of Stockperson - Max 30 points
- Knowledge of Breed of their Animal - Max 30 points
- Ability to Handle & Present the Animal to its best advantage in the Show Ring Max 50 points
- Conformation of Animal - Max 20 points
- **The Mary Nea Perpetual Cup will be presented to the winner**

## **Class 137: Male or Female Between 16 & 20 yrs on the 12th July 2026**

**Prizes 1st - €150.00 2nd - €100.00 3rd - €75.00**

- This Class will be Judged on Personal appearance of Stockperson - Max 30 points
- Knowledge of Breed of their Animal - Max 30 points
- Ability to Handle & Present the Animal to its' best advantage in the Show Ring - Max 50 points
- Conformation of Animal - Max 20 Points
- **Winner will be presented with a Trophy**

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## **COMMERCIAL CATTLE**

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**Pedigree Cattle, whether registered or not cannot be presented in Commercial Cattle Showing Classes - See ISA Rules**

### **HEIFERS**

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#### **Class 138: Suckler Cow with Calf at foot**

Prizes 1st - €125.00 2nd - €100.00 3rd - €50.00

#### **Class 139: Beef Heifer - Factory Type- under 30 Months**

Prizes 1st - €125 2nd - €115.00 3rd - €60.00

#### **Class 140: Cross Bred Heifer, Any age or Breed, likely to produce a top quality beef calf**

Prizes 1st - €175.00 2nd - €150.00 3rd - €100.00 4th - €75.00

#### **Class 141: Store Heifer with Calf's mouth**

Prizes 1st - 125.00 2nd - €75.00 3rd - €50.00

#### **Class 142: The Beef to the Heel Mullingar Heifer All-Ireland Championship**

Prizes 1st - €500.00 2nd - €250.00 3rd - €150.00 4th - €100.00

#### **Class 143: 2026 Born Heifer Calf any Breed under 380Kgs**

Prizes 1st - €125.00 2nd - €75.00 3rd - €50.00

#### **Class 144: The Breeder's Choice - Traditional 4\* or 5\* Breeding Heifer**

**Sponsored by the Department of Agriculture - Prize fund €750 (per show)**

#### **Rules & Conditions:**

- **This competition is open to All Traditional Genotype 4\* or 5\* Breeding Heifers, suitable to make a suckler cow.**
- **Full Tag Number must be submitted with entry to ensure that genotype rating can be verified.**
- Heifers can be in calf or maiden. All Heifers must be between 12 months & 24 months of age on the date of the

show.

- Each Heifer can only enter this competition at up to 5 shows. If a Heifer enters more than five shows, any further prizemoney will be forfeited.
- **All Heifers MUST be halter-trained & led by a competent adult.**
- **All animals to be varafied by the ISA office prior to payment**
- **The foregoing rules should be read in conjunction with ISA general rules. Entry Fee €15.00**
- **PRIZES :- First Prize €250; Second Prize €125; Third Prize €75; Fourth to Eight €50;**
- **Commercial Heifer Champion - Confined to 1<sup>st</sup> Prize-winners in above classes - except qualifiers.**  
**Champion - Sash / Reserve - Rosette**

### **Class 145: The All-Ireland Non Pedigree Suckler Heifer Championship - Qualifier**

#### **Rules & Conditions**

- The competition is open to All Breeds of Non-Pedigree Heifers, suitable to produce and rear a calf with potential for current commercial beef markets.
- Heifers may be in calf or maiden at final. For heifers that are in-calf, evidence must be provided i.e. Scanning Cert or Insemination Cert.
- Heifers potential mothering ability will be assessed.
- **Up to 2 Heifers** may qualify at each show if the standard is deemed sufficient.
- Individual exhibitors may qualify up to 2 heifers for the final.
- **All heifers must be haltered trained and led by a competent adult.**
- Animals qualifying for this show are **ineligible** for entry to other classes at the Swinford Show.
- The Qualifying exhibitor must fill out their own qualifying card at each qualifying show. Completed card and entry fee must be handed into secretary's office on show day.
- The foregoing rules should be read in conjunction with ISA General Rules together with Swinford Show Rules.

**Entry Fee: To Qualifying Show - €10.00: To Final - €15.00**

**FINAL: Swinford Show - Sunday 23th August 2026**

*Entry Fee:* €10

### **Class 146: Champion Commercial Heifer**

Commercial Heifer Championship is Confined to 1st Prize-winners in Classes 138, 139, 140, 141 & 142

Champion will be presented with a Sash - Reserve will be presented with a Rosette

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## **BULLOCKS**

### **Class 147: Beef Bullock with Calf's Mouth**

Prizes 1st - €125 2nd - €100 3rd - €50.00

### **Class 148: Continental Cross Bullock with not more than two Permanent Teeth**

Prizes 1st - €175.00 2nd - €150.00 3rd - €100.00 4th - €75.00

### **Class 149: The Beef to the Heel Mullingar Bullock All-Ireland Championship**

Prizes 1st - €500.00 2nd - €250 3rd - €150.00 4th - €100.00

### **Class 150: 2026 Born Bull Calf, any breed, under 400kg**

Prizes 1st - €125.00 2nd - €75.00 3rd - €50.00

### **Class 151: Champion Commercial Bullock**

Commercial Bullock Champion is Confined to 1st Prize-winners in Classes 147, 148 & 149.

Champion will be presented with a Sash - Reserve will be Presented with a Rosette

### **Class 152: Champion Commercial Calf**

Commercial Calf Championship - Confined to 1st Prize-winners in Classes 143 & 150

The Oliver Moore Perpetual Memorial Cup and Sash will be presented to the overall winner

### **Class 153: Champion of Champions**

Champions of each Cattle section are eligible to compete for this title - Winner will receive a Sash

**NO LATE ENTERIES ACCEPTED**

**Enter on Line @ [www.mullingaragrishow.com](http://www.mullingaragrishow.com)**

**Enquiries to Margaret Henson 087 935 9616**

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## **SHEEP SECTION**

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**Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine**

### **SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS - SHEEP**

#### **IDENTIFICATION**

All sheep must be identified individually with appropriate ear tags issued in accordance with the requirements of the National Sheep Identification System (NSIS).

## **MOVEMENT DOCUMENTATION**

All consignments of sheep being moved must be accompanied by a completed dispatch document. Individual details of each sheep in the consignment must be recorded on the document. Sheep from non-restricted flocks only can be moved to shows. In the case of flocks restricted following diagnosis of scrapie, sheep possessing the ARR/ARR genotype only may be exhibited. The movement of these ARR/ARR genotype sheep must be accompanied by the relevant movement permit (SCR/10), which can be obtained from the local District Veterinary Office in the county where the flock is located.

## **AIM NOTIFICATION**

The movement of sheep to and from an Agricultural Show within the State must be recorded on AIM. This is done using a copy of the owners sheep dispatch document as follows:

1. The owner/keeper presents the signed and completed dispatch document to the show secretary who checks it to ensure that it is completed in full.
2. The show secretary fills in the MART section of the dispatch document with (i) the show number, (ii) the date of the move back to the source holding stamps it with the (iii) show stamp and (iv) signs the dispatch document.
3. The show secretary then forwards the completed pink section of the dispatch document to the local DVO within 7 days of the show movement.
4. The show secretary keeps white copy for his/her records.
5. The source/destination keeper keeps the bottom yellow copy to enter it into their flock register. Ultimate responsibility for fulfilling this requirement lies with the Show Secretary.

## **FLOCK REGISTER**

All movements of sheep to and from shows must be recorded in the keeper's flock register.

## **EXPORTS TO NORTHERN IRELAND**

All sheep must be accompanied by a TRACES intra-community trade certificate for ovine animals. A TRACES message, corresponding with the TRACES certificate, will be sent for each animal or consignment being dispatched to the show (this will be performed by Department officials of the DVO). Exhibitors are advised to contact the show society in Northern Ireland well in advance of any show to determine the suitability of the

show for return of animals (e.g. premises and sheep status), and whether the authorities will have officials and veterinary staff present to supervise and process documentation for animals returning to origin.

## **New Rule for Exhibitors**

**If a qualified exhibitor does not turn up to an ISA final without giving prior notice to the ISA office or to a board member, he or she will incur a financial penalty**

### **Entry Fee to sheep Classes €10.00**

All Sheep must be in Pens by 10.30a.m.

Judging will commence at 11.30a.m. Sharp

Prizes unless otherwise stated :- 1st - €55.00; 2nd - €35.00; 3rd - €25.00:

Note:-If insufficient entries in any section the classes will be amalgamated/cancelled

<p>ON-LINE ENTRIES ONLY ACCEPTED NO ENTRIES ON THE DAY <b>ENQUIRIES TO: Aidan Keena 086 683 2723</b> <b>Alan Geoghegn 086 855 3437</b></p>
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## **PEDIGREE TEXEL**

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**Class 154: Hogget Ram**

**Class 155: Aged Ram**

**Class 156: Ram Lamb**

**Class 157: Hogget Ewe**

**Class 158: Aged Ewe**

**Class 159: Ewe Lamb**

**Class 160: Champion Pedigree Texel/Reserve**

Champion Pedigree Texel/Reserve. Confined to 1st & 2nd Prize-winners in Classes 154, 155, 156, 157, 158 & 159 - Rosettes

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## **COMMERCIAL TEXEL**

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**Class 161: Texel Ewe**

**Class 162: Texel Ewe Lamb**

**Class 163: Commercial Texel Champion**

Champion Commercial Texel/Reserve. Confined to 1st & 2nd Prize-winners in Classes 161 & 162

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**PEDIGREE SHEEP**

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**PEDIGREE BELCLARE SHEEP SOCIETY ALL IRELAND  
CHAMPIONSHIP**

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Sponsored by: J. Grennan and Sons, Rath, Birr, Co. Offaly

**Class 164: Senior Ram**

**Class 165: Hogget Ram**

**Class 166: Ram Lamb**

**Class 167: Senior Ewe**

**Class 168: Hogget Ewe**

**Class 169: Ewe Lamb**

**Class 170: Belclare Young Handler under 12 years**

*Entry Fee:* €5

**Class 171: Pedigree Belclare Champion/Reserve**

Pedigree Belclare Champion/Reserve. Confined to 1st & 2nd Prize-winners in Classes 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169 & 170

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**PEDIGREE ZWARTBLES**

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**Class 172: Senior Ewe**

**Class 173: Shearling Ram & Upwards**

**Class 174: Shearling Ewe**

**Class 175: Ram Lamb**

**Class 176: Ewe Lamb**

**Class 177: Pedigree Zwartbles Champion**

Pedigree Zwartbles Champion/Reserve, Confined to 1st & 2nd Prize-winners in Classes 172, 173, 174, 175 & 176. Presented with Rosettes

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**PEDIGREE CHAROLLAIS**

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**Class 178: Hogget Ram and upwards**

**Class 179: Ram Lamb**

**Class 180: Hogget Ewe and upwards**

**Class 181: Ewe Lamb**

**Class 182: Charollais Champion**

The Pedigree Charollais Champion/Reserve Confined to 1st and 2nd Prize-winners in Classes 178, 179, 180 & 181

Prizewinners in the above Classes will receive Rosettes

## **PEDIGREE SUFFOLK**

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**Class 183: Hogget Ram and Upwards**

**Class 184: Ram Lamb**

**Class 185: Hogget Ewe and Upwards**

**Class 186: Ewe Lamb**

**Class 187: Suffolk Champion**

The Pedigree Suffolk Champion/Reserve confined to 1st and 2nd Prize-winners in Classes 183, 184, 185, 186 & 187

## **VALAIS BLACKNOSE ALL-IRELAND 2026**

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**NOTE:- Maximun of 2 entries per flock per class. All entrants must be pedigree registered with the Irish Valais Blacknose Sheep Society and carry a copy of the pedigree cert on the day**

Prizes unless otherwise stated :- 1st - €80.00; 2nd - €50.00; 3rd - €40.00; 4th - €30.00

**Class 188: Valais Young Handler - Under 12 Yrs - Sponsored by AgriKids**

Prizes 1st - €35.00 2nd - €25.00 3rd - €20.00 4th - €15.00

Entry Fee: €5

**Class 189: Ewe Lamb 4-6 Months Old (Born between 14/01/2026 and 14/04/2026)**

**Class 190: Ram Lamb 4-6 Months Old (Born between 14/01/26 and 14/04/26)**

**Class 191: Ewe Lamb 7-12 Months Old (Born between 15/07/25 and 13/01/26)**

**Class 192: Ram Lamb 7-12 Months Old (Born between 15/07/25 and 13/01/26)**

**Class 193: Shearling Ewe 12-24 Months Old**

**Class 194: Shearling Ram 12-24 Months Old**

**Class 195: Senior Ewe over 2 Yrs Old**

**Class 196: Senior Ram over 2 yrs Old**

**Class 197: Valais Blacknose Championship**

All-Ireland Valais Blacknose Championship 2026. Confined to 1st & 2nd Prize-winners in Classes 189,190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195 & 196

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## **PEDIGREE JACOB**

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**Class 198: Hogget Ram & Upwards**

**Class 199: Ram Lamb**

**Class 200: Hogget Ewe & Upwards**

**Class 201: Ewe Lamb**

**Class 202: Jacob Champion**

Pedigree Jacob Champion/Reserve, Confined to 1st & 2nd Prize-winners in Classes 198, 199, 200, 201 and Rosettes

## **ANY OTHER PEDIGREE BREED NOT MENTIONED ABOVE**

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**Class 203: Pedigree Ram - Any Other Breed**

**Class 204: Pedigree Ewe - Any Other Breed**

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## **COMMERCIAL SHEEP**

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**Class 205: Ram - Any Age or Breed**

**Class 206: Ewe - Any Age or Breed**

**Class 207: Best Pair of Crossbred Butcher Lambs 45-50kg Weight**

**Class 208: Best Pair of Crossbred Store Lambs 30-40kg Weight**

**Class 209: Best Pair of Crossbred Factory Lambs 40-45kg Max Weight**

**Class 210: Best Crossbred Ewe Lamb Suitable For Breeding**

**Class 211: Best Pair of Ewes - Non-Pedigree**

**Class 212: Commercial Sheep Champion**

Commercial Sheep Champion/Reserve Confined to 1st & 2nd Prize-winners in Classes 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210 & 211. Champion/Reserve will be Presented with Rosettes

## **Class 213: Junior Stockperson**

### **Rules & Conditions:**

- **Exhibitors must exhibit Pedigree or Commercial Sheep.**
- **Exhibitors must be 14 years or under on 12<sup>th</sup> July 2026.**
- **Proof of age required.**
- **Prizes unless otherwise stated - 1<sup>st</sup> €40.00 + Sash; 2<sup>nd</sup> €30.00; 3<sup>rd</sup> €20.00; 4<sup>th</sup> €15.00; 5<sup>th</sup> €10.00.**

*Entry Fee:* €5

## **Class 214: Supreme Champion - Sheep**

The Liam Keena Prepetual Cup will be awarded to the supreme champion of the show, in the Sheep section. It is open to Prize-winners in all sheep classes except Qualifiers

## **Class 215: The All Ireland Senior young Shepherd/Shepherdess Championship Qualifier 17-22 years old**

**Sponsored by: FBD Insurance & Irish Farmers Journal**

### **RULES AND REGULATIONS**

1. The Competition is open to girls and boys, age on the 1<sup>st</sup> September will determine the class each exhibitor enters.
2. **Two exhibitors** qualifies from each qualifying show for the Final.
3. Lambs can be of any Sheep breed, male, or female (pedigree or non-pedigree)
4. An exhibitor can show an animal belonging to another flock owner.
5. Senior exhibitors will exhibit a 2026 born lamb (male or Female)
6. Exhibitors may be asked for proof of their age at the final.
7. The Qualifying Exhibitor must fill out their own Qualifying Card at each Qualifying Show. Completed card and entry fee must be handed into the secretary's office on show day.

### **THE COMPETITION WILL BE JUDGED ON CRITERIA, WHICH WILL INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:**

1. The ability to handle and present the lamb to its best advantage in the Show Ring.
2. General knowledge of the sheep industry, including their feeding, breeding, etc.
3. Stock Judging, the ability to judge and place a group of lambs or Hogget's.
4. Personal presentation of stock person. (white coats, white blouse/shirt and ties)

5. Presentation of the lamb (bring your showing equipment)

**Entry Fee: To Qualifying Show: €10: To Final: €15**

**Class 216: The All Ireland Cross Bred Breeding Ewe Championship Qualifier**

**SPONSORED BY: CREDIT UNION BANTRY**

### **RULES AND CONDITIONS**

1. The competition is open to all Breeds of Crossbred Lambs.
2. An Exhibitor shall qualify a maximum of two lambs for the final.
3. Lambs qualifying for this final are **not eligible** for entry to other classes at Castlerea Show.
4. **Two lambs** in each qualifying show may be selected to compete in the final provided the judges agree the standard is high enough.
5. All exhibitors must wear a white coat and have their number clearly visible at the final.
6. The exhibitor must fill out their own qualifying card at each qualifying show.
7. The foregoing rules should be read in conjunction with the ISA general rules together with Castlerea Show rules.
8. The Qualifying Exhibitor must fill out their own Qualifying Card at each Qualifying Show. Completed card and entry fee must be handed into the secretary's office on show day.

**Entry Fee: To Qualifying Show: €10 To Final: €15**

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# INDOOR CLASSES

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## **When unloading Exhibits please be mindful of others**

All exhibits must be in place by 10.30am on Show morning. All exhibitors please ensure that class numbers are secured on their exhibits.

## **Judging commences at 11am sharp**

No persons will be allowed to remain in the Indoor Section while judging is in progress, except for those officially retained

## **Judges Decision will be final in all classes**

All Exhibits must remain in place until 4.30pm.

When taking out exhibits please give exhibit ticket to the Steward and they will give you your exhibit.

The Committee accept no responsibility for loss or Damage of any exhibit.

<p><b>All entries to be submitted on <a href="http://www.mullingaragrishow.com">www.mullingaragrishow.com</a></b> <b>Entries will not be taken on the day</b> <b>ENQUIRIES TO: Sarah Brody(Dolan) 087 699 6524</b></p>
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# INDOOR QUALIFIERS

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## **Class 217: All Ireland Domestic Arts Championship - Qualifier**

**Sponsored by Casey's Londis, Balla Ballina, Castlebar,  
Limerick & Newbridge**

### **RULES AND CONDITIONS**

1. Each exhibit must consist of **Three items** from the list below:
  - a. Any piece of handcraft excluding Knitting, Crochet & Embroidery. ( Max size 15" x 15")
  - b. Hall Table Arrangement (Not larger than 20" x 20")
  - c. Decorated Fruit (**1 piece of fruit**)
  - d. 4 plain Chocolate Brownies (size 3"x3" square).
2. In the event of a signed and written objection and following an investigation, and if the exhibitor is deemed to be making their living from their profession, they may be disqualified.

4. **Two exhibits** to qualify from each qualifying show.
5. This competition will be judged on a points system.
6. Points will be awarded for presentation.
7. The judge's decision is final for all stages of the competition
8. Exhibits are displayed at owners risk
9. An exhibitor can only qualify **one exhibit** for the All-Ireland final.

## **Its important exhibitors check measurements stated under the Rules & Conditions**

*Exhibits to be in place before 11.30am on day of final*

**Entry fee:- To qualifying Show €3 - To Final €6**

**Final:- BONNICONLON SHOW Monday 3rd August**

**Class 218: All-Ireland Traditional Handmade Craft Final - Qualifier**

**Sponsored by White Hotel Group, Ballyshannon, Co. Donegal**

### **RULES AND CONDITIONS**

1. All items must be the sole work of the exhibitor.
2. **Each exhibit must consist of 1 Article from point A plus 1 other article from points B, C or D making - Total of 2 Articles:**

Any article using tweed e.g. Picture (Min Size 12"x12" - Max Size 18"x18" excluding the frame and mount), Cushion (Min Size 16"x16" - Max Size 18"x18") or skirt (Adult size only)

- a. Any article in coloured or self-coloured embroidery made in the current year.
  - b. Hand Knit cardigan lumber jacket or jumper, (Adult size only).
  - c. Any article in cotton crochet using no thicker than a No 20 cotton thread.
3. **All the above to be made in the current year**
  4. The items to be displayed as one exhibit
  5. **Any item the judge feels is produced by any other method other than hand shall be disqualified.**
  6. A special class will be held at each qualifying show.
  7. **Two entries** may qualify from each qualifying show for the final, if judges agree that the standard is high enough a second entry may be qualified. The Qualifiers from each of these shows will go forward to the final to be held at the **Ballyshannon Agricultural Show, on Sunday 16th August.**
  8. Each of the successful qualifiers will receive a rosette on appearance at the final.
  9. Judge's decision will be final at all stages of the competition.
  10. Exhibits are displayed at owners risk
  11. The foregoing rules should be read in conjunction with ISA General

- rules, together with Ballyshannon Show Rules.
- Exhibits must be in place for judging by 10.30am on Sunday 16th August 2026.
  - Exhibits cannot be removed from final before 4.30pm.
  - An exhibitor can only qualify **one exhibit** for the All-Ireland final

## **Its important exhibitors check measurements stated under the Rules & Conditions**

**Entry fee: To qualifying Show €3 / To final €6**

**Final: BALLYSHANNON SHOW Sunday 16th August 2026**

**Class 219: The All-Ireland Home Preserves Championship - Qualifier**

**Sponsored by Breffni Landscapes.**

### **RULES AND CONDITIONS**

- Display **three** pots of preserves, **one** from each section below.

**Pots to be no bigger than 454gms. (1lb) all the same size**

- Soft Fruits
- Stoned Fruits
- Marmalade

Max. space allowed 22cm. x  
22cm.

- Points will be awarded for taste, appearance, sealing, setting and presentation
- Lids only to be used.
- All three pots to be labelled
- No biscuits or scones to be displayed with exhibit.
- Simple presentation only required.
- The competition is confined to amateurs.
- Two exhibits** will qualify from each show.
- The exhibits must be home produced by the exhibitor.
- In the event of a signed and written objection and following an investigation, and if the exhibitor is deemed to be making a living from their profession, they may be disqualified.
- A special class will be held at each qualifying show.
- All preserves will be sampled.
- The judge's decision at all stages of the competition is **final**
- Exhibits are displayed at owner's risk.
- For the final fresh pots of preserves must be entered.
- An exhibitor can only qualify **one exhibit** for the All-Ireland final.

**These rules to be read in conjunction with ISA Rules**

**Entry fee: To qualifying Show: €3 To final: €6**

**Final: ARVA SHOW Sunday 26th July 2026**

**Class 220: The Odlums All-Ireland Home Baking Championship - Qualifier**

**Sponsored by: Odlums**

**RULES & CONDITIONS:**

Each exhibitor to bake all items using recipes found on the Odlums website and Odlums products must be used: Please see items below:

- a. **Soda Bread Focaccia Picnic Sandwich Loaf (No filling required)** <https://odlums.ie/recipes/soda-bread-focaccia-picnic-sandwich-loaf/>
- b. **3 Layer Rainbow Cake** <https://odlums.ie/recipes/3-layer-rainbow-cake/>
- c. **Apple and Blackberry Tart** <https://odlums.ie/recipes/apple-and-blackberry-tart>

**N.B. All recipes can be found on the Odlums website.**

- 1. Items to be displayed on individual plates (3 tiered plates can be used for the smaller items) to enhance presentation and each exhibitor will be allocated their own space (trays optional) on a base 24" Square.
- 2. Points will be awarded for taste, texture, appearance of baked items and presentation.
- 3. **The competition is confined to amateurs, with one entry per exhibitor at the final.**
- 4. The items must be fresh, and home baked by exhibitor.
- 5. In the event of a signed and written objection and following an investigation, and if the exhibitor is deemed to be making their living from their profession, they may be disqualified.
- 6. A special class will be held at each qualifying show. **Two entries** may qualify from these shows for the final, if judges and ISA agree that the standard is high enough. The Qualifiers from each of these shows will go forward to the final, to be held at the Tullamore Show, on **Sunday August 9th.**
- 7. Non adherence to tray sizes will deem elimination of exhibit.
- 8. All items will be cut and/or sampled by the judge.
- 9. Each of the successful qualifiers will receive a hamper containing Odlums products, on appearance at the final.
- 10. Certificates will be awarded to the finalists.
- 11. The judge's decisions at all stages of the competition, IS FINAL.
- 12. Exhibits are displayed at owner's risk.
- 13. These rules should be read in conjunction with the Irish Shows Association Rules.

**Entry Fee: To qualifying show : €3 To Final: €6**

**Final: TULLAMORE SHOW Sunday 9th August 2026**

## Class 221: All-Ireland Bread Baking Championship Qualifier

### Sponsored by: **McMahons SuperValu Ltd,** **Castleblayney**

Each exhibitor will bake 3 items:

- **Brown Sesame Loaf (2lbLoaf)**
- **Tea Brack (7" Round)**
- **4 Plain Scones**
- **RULES & CONDITIONS**
- The Items to be displayed as one exhibit on a base of 2ft x2ft approx.
- Points will be awarded for texture taste, and presentation.
- Competition is open to amateurs, and one tray to qualify per exhibitor.
- All items to be home made by the exhibitor.
- In the event of a signed and written objection and following an investigation, and if the exhibitor is deemed to be making their living from their profession, they may be disqualified.
- A SuperValu Flour wrapper to be displayed with the exhibit.
- A special qualifying class will be held at selected shows.
- **Two trays may qualify for the final** , if judges agree that the standard is high enough.
- Judge's decision will be final at all stages of the competition.
- Exhibits are displayed at owners risk.
- An exhibitor can only qualify **one exhibit** for the All-Ireland final
- **These rules should be read in conjunction with the ISA Rule**



*Each of the successful qualifiers will receive a memento on appearance at the Final*

**Entry Fee: to qualifying show: €3 / To final: €6**

## Class 222: The Quality Onion All Ireland Championship - Qualifier.

### **RULES AND CONDITIONS**

1. In this competition, the produce must be the property of and grown by the exhibitor.
2. **Each exhibit is to consist of the following:**
  - A dish of 5 onions of any variety.
3. The onions may be grown from either seed or sets.
4. The onions may be Autumn or Spring sown. The variety to be correctly named.
5. Each onion must be tied and weigh not more than 450grams.
6. The onions to be harvested and have clear unbroken skins.
7. A special qualifying class will be held at selected shows.
8. **Two exhibits** may qualify at the selected show, if the Judges agree

that the standard is high enough.

9. An exhibitor can only qualify **one exhibit** for the All-Ireland final.

### **The Competition will be judged as follows:**

*Condition / Quality: **25 points**, Uniformity and Shape: **25 points** - Size / Weight: **10 points**, Colour: **10 point** -Overall presentation / attractiveness: **10 points***

**Judge's decision will be final at all stages of the competition**

**Exhibits are displayed at owner's risk**

**These rules should be read in conjunction with the ISA Rules.**

*Each of the successful qualifiers will receive a memento on appearance at the Final*

**Entry Fee: To Qualifying Show: €3. To Final €6**

**Final:- VIRGINIA SHOW - Wednesday 19th August 2026**

**Class 223: The Bord Bia All Ireland Quality Potato Championship - Qualifier**

**Sponsored By: Bord Bia**

### **RULES AND CONDITIONS**

1. Each exhibit is to consist of the following: **A dish of 6 potatoes of any variety.** The variety to be correctly named. Each tuber should be free from skin blemishes, be true to type, and weigh approximately 6 ozs. (170g).
2. **Two exhibits** to qualify at each show.
3. This being a quality championship, the adjudicators will favour floury, high dry matter varieties, which are popular with the Irish customer.
4. These rules should be read in conjunction with the Irish Shows Association Rules.
5. Marquee open from 7.30am on show morning and will be closed for judging at 10 am sharp. Marquee will open to the public at 12 noon.
6. Exhibits cannot be removed before 5.00pm.
7. An exhibitor can only qualify one exhibit for the All-Ireland final.

***Criteria for judging potatoes available from the Tullamore Show.  
Tel: 057 93 52141***

*All qualifiers will receive a special Bord Bia Plaque*

**Entry Fee: To Qualifying Show €3. To Final €6**

**Final:- TULLAMORE & FBD NATIONAL LIVESTOCK SHOW      Sunday**

**9th August 2026**

**Class 224: The Bord Bia 7 A Day Best In Season Kitchen/Garden All Ireland - Qualifier**

**Sponsored by BORD BIA**

**RULES AND CONDITIONS**

1. This competition is to encourage growers to exhibit fruit and vegetables from their own kitchen garden or allotment and promote the benefits of eating locally produce.
2. Each exhibit must consist of a display of fresh in-season, fruit and vegetables excluding potatoes.
3. The display must contain between 7 to 10 kinds of fruit and vegetables. The display must contain a minimum of 2 kinds of fruit. Tomatoes are classified as a vegetable for this competition. Foliage and root growth may be trimmed for display purposes, and herbs may be included as garnish
4. The vegetables and fruit must be displayed within an area not larger than 610mm x 610mm (24"x24") However, foliage and roots may extend beyond that boundary but not rest on the show bench.
5. Exhibitors may use their own staging board or container at qualifying shows.
6. At the final, all qualifying exhibitors will be supplied with a uniform 610mm x 610mm (24"x24") container for the presentation of their fruit and vegetables. The use of additional staging, containers, plates, boards, or accessories is not permitted.
7. At the final, qualifying exhibitors may set up their displays on Saturday evening between **6:00pm and 9:00pm**, and on Sunday morning between **7:00am and 9.30am**. Exhibits must not be removed before **5:00pm on Sunday**.
8. Marquee opens from 7.00am on show morning and will be closed for judging at 10am sharp. Marquee will open to the public at 12 noon.
9. Exhibits cannot be removed before 5.00 pm.

**The Competition will be Judged as Follows:** *Variety (Irish in season produce): 25 points Condition and quality: 50 points*

*Overall presentation and attractiveness: 25 points*

**Entry Fee: To Qualifying Show €3. To Final €6.**

**Final:- TULLAMORE & FBD NATIONAL LIVESTOCK SHOW      Sunday**  
**9th August 2026**

**Class 225: The All Ireland Photography Championship - Qualifier.**  
**Sponsored by: Breffni Landscapes**

**RULES AND CONDITIONS**

1. Theme: **"Natural Landscape of Ireland"** (scenery)

2. The competition is confined to all Amateurs.
3. Photographs may be of any format, i.e. digital or film, black and white or colour.
4. Photographs must **Not** be framed or mounted
5. Photographs must not be digitally enhanced but must have border.
6. Size of photograph to be an A5 including border.
7. A qualifying class will be held at each show
8. **Two exhibits** may qualify from each show if the standard is high enough.
9. All photographs must have the class number and exhibit number on the back of the photograph.
10. Exhibits are displayed at the owner's risk
11. The Judge's decision is final.
12. An exhibitor can only qualify **one exhibit** for the All-Ireland final

These rules to be read in conjunction with ISA Rules

**Entry fee: To qualifying Show: €3 To final: €6**

**Final:- TYDAVNET SHOW Saturday 15th August**

**Class 226: The Fleetwood Paints All-Ireland Amateur Painting Competition- Qualifier**

**Kindly Sponsored By: Fleetwood Ireland Paints Company**

### **RULES & CONDITIONS**

1. Paintings must be the sole work of the exhibitor who must have amateur status (see rule 7).
2. Paintings to depict an Agricultural or Rural setting.
3. Paintings must measure no more than 24"X 20" including the frame.
4. All Paintings must be ready to hang, that is framed and with a hanging cord attached.
5. The Judge's decision will be final.
6. All entries will be exhibited at owners risk.
7. All entries to have amateur status as defined by the following:
  - a. *Not to have had a commercial solo exhibition*
  - b. *Not to have exhibited in a commercial gallery*
  - c. *Not to be teaching or have taught art in any form*
8. In the event of a signed and written objection and following an investigation, and if the exhibitor is deemed to be making their living from their profession, they may be disqualified.
9. **Maximum of two exhibits only from any one exhibitor can qualify**
10. **Maximum of 2 exhibits from any one show to qualify for final.**
11. Qualifying exhibit(s) to be photographed by the relevant qualifying show. Secretaries to forward same to the National Secretary in advance of the Final
12. The same painting that qualifies at the qualifying show must be

exhibited at the Final.

**These rules should be read in conjunction with the ISA Rules.**

*To avoid any confusion would exhibitors please print their Name & Phone No. on a label & attach to back of Painting.*

**Entry Fee - To qualifying Show: €3. To Final: €6**

All finalists will also receive admission ticket for Virginia Show and Fleetwood voucher (Kindly sponsored by Virginia Show and Fleetwood Paints, Ireland)

**Final:- VIRGINIA SHOW      Wednesday 19th August 2026**

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## **PRESERVES**

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**Entry Fee for Preserve Classes €3.00**

**Class 227: 1lb Pot Rhubarb Jam**

**Class 228: 1lb Pot Strawberry Jam**

**Class 229: 1lb Blackcurrent Jam**

**Class 230: 1lb Raspberry Jam**

**Class 231: 1lb Gooseberry Jam**

**Class 232: 1lb pot Jam - any Fruit not listed above**

**Class 233: 1 Pot Homemade Marmalade**

**Class 234: 1lb Pot Jelly - any Fruit**

**Class 235: Jar of Chutney - any Variety**

**Class 236: Best One Jar Light Honey**

**Class 237: Best One Jar Medium Honey**

**Class 238: One Frame of Comb Honey Suitable For Extraction**

**Class 239: Container Of Cut Comb Honey**

**Class 240: Jar Of Honey For Tasting - any Size**

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# HOME COOKERY

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Entry Fee into Home Cookery Section €3.00

The overall winner in the Cookery section will be presented with the Joe & Hazel Dolan Perperual Cup

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## HOME MADE

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- Class 241: White soda Cake**
- Class 242: Brown Soda Cake**
- Class 243: Oxford Lunch Cake**
- Class 244: Coffee Sandwich Cake - Decorated**
- Class 245: Carrot Cake**
- Class 246: Biscuit Cake**
- Class 247: Best Tea Brack**
- Class 248: Six Scones any Variety**
- Class 249: Banana Bread**
- Class 250: Porter Cake**
- Class 251: Six Decorated Cup Cakes**
- Class 252: Boiled Fruit Cake**
- Class 253: Harvest Fruit Loaf**
- Class 254: Six Potato Cakes**
- Class 255: Apple Tart**
- Class 256: Best Light Fruit Cake**
- Class 257: Victoria Sponge - Decorated**
- Class 258: Victoria Sponge - Un-Decorated**
- Class 259: Sponge Sandwich - Jam Filling only**
- Class 260: Novelty Cake**
- Class 261: Christmas Pudding**
- Class 262: Swiss Roll**

**Class 263: Madera Cake**

**Class 264: Afternoon Tea Tray, (The arrangement & contents on tray left to the entrants choice)**

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## **HORTICULTURE**

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**Entry Fee into Horticultural section €3.00**

### **FLOWERS**

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**Class 265: Window Box**

**Class 266: Patio Box**

**Class 267: Best Single Spray of a Flowering Shrub**

**Class 268: Roses, HT, Three Blooms, One Vase**

**Class 269: Roses, Floribunda, Three Stems, One Vase**

**Class 270: Roses, Floribunda, One Stem, One Vase**

**Class 271: Best Single Rose**

**Class 272: Collection of roses, Different Varieties in Bowl or Vase**

**Class 273: Dahlias 3 Decorative Blooms**

**Class 274: Dahlias Cactus 3 Blooms**

**Class 275: Variation Dahlias in Bowl**

**Class 276: Annuals, One Vase, Five Blooms, One Variety**

**Class 277: Pot Plant, Decorative Foliage Only, One Pot**

**Class 278: Pot Plant, Fuchsia, Bush or Standard, not more than 3ft High**

**Class 279: Geranium - One Pot in Bloom**

**Class 280: Pot Plant Other than Geranium in Bloom**

**Class 281: Pansies - Six Blooms**

**Class 282: Sweet Pea - Five Stems, One Vase**

**Class 283: Hydrangea one Vase 3 Blooms**

**Class 284: A Hanging Basket**

**Class 285: Herbaceous flowers - Perennials - Five Stems, One**

## **Variety, One Vase**

**Class 286: Vase Of Cut Flowers - 5 Blooms any Variety - NOTE - This class is confined to Exhibitors who have never won a prize in the 'FLOWER' section at Mullingar Show.**

The Molly King Perpetual Trophy will be presented to the winner of this class.

**Class 287: Vase of Bee Friendly Flowers**

**Class 288: Vase of wild flowers**

## **GARDEN PRODUCE**

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**Class 289: Best five Shallots**

**Class 290: Best Five Onions**

**Class 291: Best Three Garlic**

**Class 292: Best six Pods Of Peas**

**Class 293: Best 2 Heads of Cabbage**

**Class 294: Best Head of Lettuce**

**Class 295: Best Three Carrots**

**Class 296: Best Bunch of Parsley in Jar or Vase**

**Class 297: Best Two Courgettes**

**Class 298: Culinary Herbs in Bowl or Jar**

**Class 299: Five Stalks of Rhubarb**

**Class 300: Dish of Ten Blackcurrents**

**Class 301: Dish of Ten Gooseberries**

**Class 302: Dish of Ten Raspberries**

**Class 303: Dish of Ten Strawberries**

**Class 304: Best three Vegetables any variety - confined to exhibitors who have never won a prize in the 'FRUIT & VEGETABLE' section at Mullingar Show**

The Greville Perpetual Cup will be presented to the winner of this class.

**SPECIAL NOTE:- NVS Silver Medal and Card will be Awarded to Best in Show in the Garden Produce Section Classes 289 - 304**

## **FARM PRODUCE**

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In this section A Special Rosette will be awarded to the best in the show

**Class 305: Dish of Six white Potatoes**

**Class 306: Dish of Six Colour or Part Colour Potatoes**

**Class 307: Best Two of Any Vegetable (One kind) not already classed**

**Class 308: Basket /Container of Home Grown Vegetables**

**Class 309: Best Sod of Pasture 1ft Square**

**Class 310: Sample of Old Meadow Hay, neatly tied**

**Class 311: Six Hen Eggs - White**

**Class 312: Six Hen Eggs - Brown (Dark or Light)**

**Class 313: Six Hen Eggs - Cream**

**Class 314: Six Hen Eggs - Any Other Colour**

**Class 315: Six Duck Eggs - White or Cream**

**Class 316: Six Duck Eggs - Tinted Green / Pale Blue**

**Class 317: Six Bantam Eggs - Any Variety/Any Colour**

**Class 318: Three Eggs from Any Breed of Fowl**

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## **COUNTRY CRAFTS/ HOME INDUSTRIES**

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Entry Fee to Country Crafts/Home Industries €3.00

### **HANDMADE CRAFTS**

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**Class 319: Soft Toy**

**Class 320: Any Hand-Crafted Item Excluding Picture or Fire-Screen**

**Class 321: Limerick or Carrickmacross Lace**

**Class 322: Best Knitted Scarf/Snood**

**Class 323: Best Knitted Hat**

**Class 324: Best Garment in Aran Knitting**

**Class 325: Best Knitted Garment in any stitch**

**Class 326: One Piece of Hand Embroidery**

**Class 327: Best Upcycled Garment**

Photograph of original Garment required

**Class 328: Best Craft Item using Recycled Material**

**Class 329: Any Small Item in Wood**

**Class 330: Artificial Flower Wreath**

**Class 331: Hand-Crafted Picture or Fire-Screen**

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## **CROCHET CLASSES**

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**Class 332: Best Childs Crochet Garment in any yarn**

**Class 333: Best Crochet Craft Item in any Yarn**

**Class 334: Best Crochet Hat**

**Class 335: Best Crochet Baby Blanket**

**Class 336: Best Crochet Adult Blanket**

**Class 337: Best Crochet Wreath**

**Class 338: Best Crochet Bag**

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## **AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHY - ADULT**

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All exhibits to be in place by 10.30am and remain until 4.30pm.

All entries to be unframed, unmounted & Measure not more than 5"x7",

Please Note these Rules will be Sytrictly adhered to.

Entry Fee to Amateur Photography €3.00

**Class 339: A Winter Scene**

**Class 340: An Agricultural Scene in Colour**

**Class 341: A Sunset Photograph**

**Class 342: Scenic View**

**Class 343: Photograph of Flower or a Garden Scene**

**Class 344: Best Holiday Snap**

**Class 345: Photograph of Animal or Bird**

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## **ADULT ART SECTION**

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**Entry to Adult Art Classes €4.00**

**Class 346: Animal portrait, any Medium**

**Class 347: Landscape, any Medium**

**Class 348: Oil Painting, any subject**

**Class 349: Acrylic or Watercolour Pastel only, any subject**

**Class 350: Pencil Drawing , any subject**

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## **SPECIAL CLASSES**

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**Entry Fee into Special Classes €3.00**

### **FOR PEOPLE WITH SPECIAL NEEDS**

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**Class 351: Competitors Own Choice**

**Class 352: Competitors Own Choice of any Flower**

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### **FOR PEOPLE WITH SPECIAL ABILITY**

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**Class 353: Competitors Own Choice**

**Class 354: Competitors Own Choice of any Flower**

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## **INDOOR JUNIOR SECTION**

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**NOTE all exhibits should be in place before 10.30am as judging starts at 11am sharp.**

Exhibits must be the sole work of the exhibitor

All exhibits must remain until 4.30pm. When taking out exhibits please have your exhibit ticket with you for the Steward

Prizes unless otherwise stated; 1st - €15.00 2nd - 10.00 3rd - €5.00

Entry Fee €3.00

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### **JUNIOR COOKERY - HOME MADE**

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**Class 355: Six Decorated Cup Cakes**

**Class 356: Six Decorated Rice Krispie Buns**

**Class 357: Six Biscuits - Any Recipe**

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## **JUNIOR/FLOWERS**

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**Class 358: Vase of Wild Flowers**

**Class 359: Display of Artificial Flowers**

**Class 360: "A Farmyard Scene" - exhibited on a biscuit tin lid**

**Class 361: Decorated Vegetable**

**Class 362: Decorated Egg**

**Class 363: "Best Edible Necklace" - made from Fruit/Vegetables or Sweets.**

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## **JUNIOR HANDWRITING**

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**Class 364: Eight Lines of a Poem or Rhyme in Print Writing 5-8 years**

**Class 365: Eight Lines of a Poem in Cursive writing 8-12 years**

**Class 366: Eight Lines of a Poem in Cursive writing 12-16 years**

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## **JUNIOR ART**

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All Paintings must be exhibitors own work. No Painting to be more than 15" x 10" and must be unframed

**Class 367: Competitors Own Choice 3-5 years**

**Class 368: Competitors Own Choice 6-8 years**

**Class 369: A Painting of Bees. 3-5 years old**

**Class 370: Competitors Own Choice 9-11 years**

**Class 371: A Painting of Bees 6-8 year old**

**Class 372: Competitors Own Choice 12-14 years**

**Class 373: A Painting of Bees 9-11 years old**

**Class 374: Best Collage using recycled Material (9-11years)**

**Class 375: My Pet 5-8 years**

**Class 376: A Painting of Bees 12-14 year old**

**Class 377: Best Collage using recycled Material (12-14 years)**

**Class 378: My Pet 9-12 years**

**Class 379: Make & Design in Colour a Birthday, Christmas, Easter or Mother's Day Card - 12 to 16 years**

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## **JUNIOR PHOTOGRAPHY**

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**Class 380: Best Coloured Photograph - any Subject - Exhibitors Under 16 Years**

**Class 381: Me & My Best Friend - Exhibitors Under 16 Years**

**Class 382: Me & My Pet - Exhibitors under 16 Years**

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## **JUNIOR CRAFTS/NEEDLEPOINT**

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**Class 383: Best Decorated Wellington Boot**

**Class 384: Craft Item - Using recycled materials**

**Class 385: Best Dressed Wooden Spoon**

**Class 386: Best Lego Item - Own Creation**

**Class 387: Best Decorated Stone**

**Class 388: Item Made from Lollipop Sticks**

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# DOG CLASSES

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**Entries taken on Show Day on the field from 1pm.**

All Dogs MUST be on a Lead & under the control of the Handler

Ensure Dogs are healthy, well groomed and properly controlled at all times

**Entry fee - €5 for single entry and €3 for additional entries**

## **Restricted Dog Breeds in Ireland**

- *American Pit Bull Terrior: English Bull Terrier: Staffordshire Bull Terrior: Bull Mastiff: Dobermann Pincher: Rottweiler: German Sheperd (Alsatian): Rodesian Ridgeback: Japanese Akita: JapaneseTosa:*

Rules Owner Must Follow: As per The Control of Dogs Regulations 1998

- All dogs Listed above must be Muzzled when out in Public.
- Dogs on the list must be on a short lead or chain (less than 2 meters), which must be sufficiently strong.
- At all times, these Dogs must wear a collar with the owners information on it including their full name and address.
- Restricted Dogs can only be led by people over the age of 16 yrs.

**Exceptions to the Law** mainly apply to Law Inforcements, Border Protection, or other services

## **Class 389: The All-Ireland Gun Dog Championship - Qualifier** **Sponsored By James Coulter, Stockman Calf Rearing** **Equipment Whiteside's Supervalu, Ballisodare** **Tieragh Veterinary Clinic**

### **RULES AND CONDITIONS**

1. Gun dog, any variety - dog/bitch.
2. Dog must be handled by a person over 16 yrs.
3. **Two dogs** shall qualify for the final.
4. Dogs in final not eligible to compete in other classes at Beltra Show.

**These rules should be read in conjunction with the ISA Rules.**

**Entry Fee: To Qualifying Show €3. To Final €6**

**Final: BELTRA SHOW Saturday 5th September 2026**

**Class 390: Best Gun Dog - Native or Foreign Breed, Dog or Bitch**

**Class 391: Best Guard Dog - Any variety, Dog or Bitch**

**Class 392: Working Dog - Any variety, Dog or Bitch**

**Class 393: Utility Dog - Any variety, Dog or Bitch**

**Class 394: The All-Ireland Irish Native Breed Dog Championship - Qualifier**

**Sponsored by Ballinasloe Dog Owner**

**RULES AND CONDITIONS**

1. This competition is confined to Irish Native Breed any variety—dog/bitch

**Which are as follows**

- A. *Irish Glen of Imaal Terrier*
- B. *Irish Red Setter*
- C. *Irish Red & White Setter*
- D. *Irish Soft Coated Wheaten Terrier*
- E. *Irish Terrier*
- F. *Irish Water Spaniel*
- G. *Irish Wolfhound*
- H. *Kerry Beagle*
- A. *Kerry Blue*

2. **Two dogs** to qualify from each qualifying show.
3. Entries in this championship cannot compete in any other dog classes at Ballinasloe Show.

**These rules should be read in conjunction with the ISA Rule**

**Entry Fee: To Qualifying Show €3. To Final €6**

**Final : Ballinasloe Show Saturday 26th September 2026**

**Class 395: Irish Native Breed - Any Variety, Dog or Bitch**

**Class 396: Best Foreign Breed - Any Variety, Dog or Bitch**

**Class 397: Terriers - Any variety, Dog or Bitch - Winner will receive the Lyons Perpetual Trophy**

**Class 398: The Gain Dog Food All Ireland Championship - Qualifier**

**Sponsored by Gain Pet Nutrition**

**Rules & Conditions**

1. Toy or Miniature Dog any Breed to be handled by a child under 15yrs
2. Large Dog any Breed to be handled by a child 16yrs or over

3. One Dog from each Class to Qualify
4. Dogs in Final not eligible to compete in other Classes at Clonaslee Show

**These Rules should be read in conjunction with ISA Rules**

**Entry Fee to Qualifying Show €3.00 - To Final €6.00**

**Final: CLONASLEE SHOW Sunday 13th August 2026**

**Class 399: Best toy - Any variety, Dog or Bitch**

**Class 400: Any Puppy - aged 6 to 12 months, Dog or Bitch**

**Winner will receive the Auburn Veterinary Hospital (Mullingar) Perpetual Shield:**

**Class 401: Any Variety, Dog or Bitch - handled by a child under the age of 14 years on the date of the show**

**Class 402: Dog I would Like to take Home**

**Class 403: Fancy Dress, Dog or Bitch**

**Class 404: Best Veteran Dog any Large Breed**

**Class 405: Best Veteran Small Dog any Breed**

**Class 406: Champion Dog & Reserve**

Confined to 1st & 2nd Prize-winners in the Dog Show classes:

**Champion will receive a Perpetual Cup presented by David Fagan Veterinary Surgeon (Mullingar Home Vet.ie)**