



# **Midleton Agricultural Show Society**

Schedule

**Midleton Show 2026**

[www.middletonshow.ie](http://www.middletonshow.ie)

**We want everyone to have an enjoyable day! To help us to achieve this, please abide by the rules, obey safety officers and stewards, and listen to announcements.**

### **Midleton Agricultural Show Society, Rules and Regulations.**

1. Intending exhibitors are requested to peruse the rules and regulations and be prepared to comply with them.
2. Exhibits of the Indoor Section will be judged on Saturday (day before the show). Exhibitors please note - all entries in these classes must be in place by 3:30pm on Saturday and cannot be removed before 4:30pm on Sunday.
3. No entries will be accepted after the stipulated closing date.
4. A person entering an Exhibit and failing to send same for exhibition shall forfeit the entry fee.
5. Intending exhibitors are requested to peruse the rules and regulations and be prepared to comply with them.
6. The Society reserves the right to alter or cancel any class or competition at any time.
7. The Society takes no responsibility for accidents.
8. Objections to any winner in any class or competition must be Lodged in writing with €50, which is forfeited if objection is not upheld, to the secretary within 1 Hour of event /competition.
9. Exhibitors are to understand that although every reasonable precaution will be taken to ensure the safety and welfare of animals The society will not be responsible for loss or damage or accident of any kind that may occur neither will the society be accountable for any accident that may occur to any person attending the show whether as a visitor exhibitor, or otherwise.
10. The Committee reserve the right to refuse entries, varying, the prize list, or arrangements, or removing any animal or other exhibit at any time during the show. The Society shall not in any way be liable for any claim for compensation or otherwise arising out of the holding, abandonment or postponement of the show, nor for any claim arising out of or connected with the show.
11. Exhibitors accept that the Judges' decision is FINAL in all cases. ANY abuse/harassment of Judges/Stewards/Officials will not be tolerated.
12. Exhibitors/Competitors must obey the stewards at all times.
13. Protective head gear conforming to recommended kitemark standard and fitted with an adjustable harness. It is compulsory for all riders under 16yrs and for riders in the working hunter horse and working hunter pony competitions and ridden show classes.
14. Anyone found interfering with any exhibit or disarranging any display will be asked to leave the grounds, For conveniences of exhibitors the society has arranged a veterinary surgeon will be on call at short notice to attend to sick or injured animals, but fees for this service will be payable by the owner concerned.
15. Exhibitors of animals are requested to have their own Insurance Cover & Public Liability.
16. The Irish Shows Association Levy of 5% will be deducted from all prize

- money in the relevant sections: horses, ponies, donkeys, cattle, sheep.
17. Winners of qualifiers are themselves responsible for entering their animals (or exhibits) for the FINAL. On completion of judging, they must attend the Show Secretary's Office within ONE HOUR, and complete the necessary documentation and pay entry fee for the FINAL.
  18. The Society will not be responsible for any errors in either Entry Forms, Schedule, or Show Book.
  19. Cars are parked at owners' risk.
  20. Any handler whose animal is not under his/her control may be asked to remove said animal from the arena or show field at the discretion of the Safety Officers, Judge or Stewards.
  21. Trade Stand Owners must have their own Public Liability Insurance Certificate.
  22. All Exhibitors must display their numbers so that they can be easily seen and read.
  23. Safety Officers must be obeyed at all times.
  24. Only competent persons are allowed to exhibit animals.
  25. All cattle entries must comply with Department of Agriculture regulations.
  26. One person only will be admitted free with each livestock exhibit, but two persons may be admitted with a bull.
  27. The society requires the winners of cups and trophies, to sign for receipt of same and give an undertaking to return same in as good a condition as it was received at least 28 days before the next show.
  28. Withdrawal of entries are not refundable.
  29. ALL EXHIBITORS are advised to have their Public Liability Insurance up to date.

**Prize winners please note all cheques must be cashed within 3 months of show date**

**N.B. ABSOLUTELY NO LATE ENTRIES CAN BE ACCEPTED - PLEASE ENTER ON TIME**

**Important notice to all owners /exhibitors involved in the showing of animals.**

The Irish Shows Association would 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 Insurance cover with. The reason for us in giving you this advice is that if your animal were to lash out and injure someone or damage someone's property and it is established that your animal was out of control at the time you may be held responsible or partly responsible for any injury or damage caused and could end up paying all or part of any settlement reached.

**Acknowledgments**

Midleton Agricultural Show Committee acknowledges the generous assistance given freely by the supporters many of them from outside the locality. To the Fell Family, for placing the grounds at our disposal their help and co-operation. The Members and others who generously subscribe. The many Sponsors and Businesspeople and Private individuals who sponsor the various Classes. The Committee wish to thank them all most sincerely.

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**PLEASE ENTER ON TIME**

**ENTRIES CLOSE: Friday 15th of May 2026**

Exhibitors shall familiarise themselves with the full general rules, regulations and Disciplinary Policy of The Irish Shows Association, as published on the ISA and Midleton Show Websites.

General Rules: <https://www.irishshows.org/rules/general-rules>

Disciplinary Policy: <https://www.irishshows.org/rules/discipline>

ISA Championship Rules 2026: <https://championships.irishshows.org/show-classes>

Entries are through the ISA SuperShow Platform ONLY.

Use the same account across all participating shows - only input information once.

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## HORSES

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### RIDDEN HUNTERS

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Entry to this category is free of charge unless otherwise stated.

#### **1 Working Hunter**

*Description:* Mare or gelding 4yrs and over with less than 20 SJI or IHTS points. Jumping will take place in ring 5 with conformation completed in ring 1. 4yrs will jump first followed by 5yrs and over

Entry Fee: €20.

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

#### **2 Heavy Weight Hunter**

*Description:* Mare or gelding 4yrs and over to carry 13s 7lb and over Cousane Perpetual Trophy to winner

Entry Fee: €20.

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

#### **3 Medium Weight Hunter**

*Description:* Mare or gelding 4yrs and over to carry 12s.7lb to 13s.7lbs

Entry Fee: €20.

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

#### **4 Light Weight Hunter**

*Description:* Mare or gelding 4yrs and over to carry up to 12s,7lbs

Entry Fee: €20.

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

#### **5 4 Year Old Hunter**

*Description:* Hunter mare or gelding, 4 yr old. O'Brien Trophy to winner

Entry Fee: €20.

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

#### **6 Small Hunter - Killusty Show Qualifier**

*Description:* Killusty Show – Small Hunter Championship Final  
Rules for Small Hunter Championship 2026

1. Qualifying rounds will be held at designated shows.
  2. The qualifying horse may be a MARE or GELDING, 4 years old and over. The horse must be over 148cms but not exceeding 158cms.
  3. The Small Hunter should be a blood horse. He/She should be short of leg, with a good deep body and should have a lot of character and presence with an exemplary temperament.
  4. First and Second placed small hunters in designated shows may qualify for the final. In the event of 1 st and 2 nd being qualified, 3 rd and 4 th may go forward to the final.
  5. Judge of the day must sign the qualifying entry form(s)
  6. On completion of judging at qualifiers the successful qualifier will be given all relevant entry documentation by the ring steward. This must be completed and returned, along with the appropriate fee, to the secretary of Killusty Show within 14 days - this rule will be strictly adhered to. Online entry will be available on itsplainsailing.com when entries open.
  7. The rider must be 16 years and over on 01/01/2026.
  8. Tack and Turn Out Recommended for Ridden Hunter Classes: Mane should be plaited, tail pulled. Heels trimmed. Plain tack, brown is preferred. Black tack is very rarely seen in affiliated Hunter classes. Double or pelham for open classes, snaffles for novices. If a rugby pelham is used, then a sliphead improves the look a lot. Plain browband and noseband. A straight cut or working hunter saddle will show off the horse's shoulders and movement. Leather girth, or a white one is acceptable if your horse is grey, as a dark girth can distract the eye. Quartermarkers are correct (optional) for hunters and hunter ponies.
  9. Rider Attire: Beige or canary jodhpurs or breeches, long boots. Shirt and tie. Tweed jacket. Spurs may be worn, but dummy spurs are acceptable.
  10. Horses will be judged on type, conformation, way of going, ridden performance and action in-hand.
  11. Random Dope testing may be carried out on the day of the final.
  12. Horse passports must be present on the day of the final.
  13. Any objection must be lodged in writing with the show secretary within half an hour following the completion of the competition, together with €50 which is refundable if the objection is upheld.
  14. Killusty Show Committee, in consultation with the sponsor, reserves the right to amend the rules as may be deemed necessary.
- \* Qualifying Rosettes will be presented at the Qualifying Shows.  
Entry Fee to Final: €30  
Prizes: Champion €350, Reserve €150  
Email: killustyponyshow@gmail.com  
Entry Fee: €20.

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **7 Ladies Hunter**

*Description:* Ladies Hunter Astride open to Hunters entered in classes 2 to 6  
Entry Fee: €20.

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **8 Hunter Championship**

*Description:* Ridden Hunter Championship for 1st and 2nd Prize winners in classes 2 to 7 Coppinger Perpetual Cup

*Sponsors:* MERVUE EQUINE

*Qual. Classes:* Class No. 1 - Working Hunter  
Class No. 2 - Heavy Weight Hunter  
Class No. 3 - Medium Weight Hunter  
Class No. 4 - Light Weight Hunter  
Class No. 5 - 4 Year Old Hunter  
Class No. 6 - Small Hunter - Killusty Show Qualifier  
Class No. 7 - Ladies Hunter

*Prizes:* 1<sup>st</sup> - Champion, 2<sup>nd</sup> - Reserve Champion

## **9 Ladies Side Saddle**

*Description:* Ladies Side Saddle Class, affiliated to Side Saddle Ireland to be ridden by Ladies in hunting costume. The horses shall be judge based on elegant appearance, perfect manner and ability to give the judge a smooth ride. Riders must be aged 16yrs or over on the 1st of January. Of current year on horses exceeding 153cm. A Side Saddle Irl rosette will be presented to first 4 placed. Also, rosettes for the best rider, Best Turned Out Kindly Sponsored by Carr&Day&Martin. Members may gain points towards the new National Side saddle Championship League  
Entry Fee: €20.

*Prizes:* 1<sup>st</sup> - €100, 2<sup>nd</sup> - €50, 3<sup>rd</sup> - €35

# **RIDING HORSES**

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## **10 Riding Horse**

*Description:* Mare or gelding, 4 years old or over, exceeding 148cm to be judged on ride, manners and conformation  
Entry Fee: €20.

*Prizes:* 1<sup>st</sup> - €100, 2<sup>nd</sup> - €50, 3<sup>rd</sup> - €35

## **11 Ridden Cob**

*Description:* Mare or gelding, 4 years old or over, not exceeding 155cm, to be judged as Cobs; to be shown with hogged mane; to be ridden by riders who have attained their 16th birthday by 1 January of the current year  
Entry Fee: €20.

*Prizes:* 1<sup>st</sup> - €100, 2<sup>nd</sup> - €50, 3<sup>rd</sup> - €35

## **12 Coloured Ridden Horse**

*Description:* Mare or gelding, 4yrs old or over, exceeding 148cms, to be ridden by riders who have attained their 16th birthday by 1 January of the current year  
Entry Fee: €20.

*Prizes:* 1<sup>st</sup> - €100, 2<sup>nd</sup> - €50, 3<sup>rd</sup> - €35

### 13 Treo Eile Novice Race Horse to Riding Horse

*Description:* NOVICE RACEHORSE TO RIDING HORSE CLASS

- For horses 4 years older, mares and gelding, any height. Riders minimum age 16yo.
- A novice is a horse in its first two years of affiliated competition\* and has not won a Racehorse to Riding Horse class prior to this season's competition.
- Horses to be ridden in a snaffle bridle only, with a plain cavesson noseband.
- Novice horses will not be required to gallop. The judge will not ride Novice horses, but will request a short individual show, as defined by the judge(s).

\*(not above Dressage Ireland preliminary, Eventing Ireland EI90, Showjumping Ireland 90cms, AIRC intermediate, IPC intermediate)

The first and second prize winners in the Novice and the Open classes at each qualifier, will qualify for the final. In the case where the first and/or second placed horse has already qualified, the next placed horse may qualify for the final at the judges discretion. Combinations may only compete in one section (either Novice or Open) at the final of the Tattersalls Ireland Treo Eile Showing Pathway Series. A Novice combination that has qualified for the final, and also qualifies in an Open qualifier throughout the series, must compete in the Open section of the Showing Pathway Series' final. A rider/horse combination that qualifies in the Novice class and subsequently is placed (1st-6th) in the Racehorse to Riding Horse class at the Dublin Horse Show, may not return to compete in the Novice Final. This progression will be rewarded with a 'wild card' place in the Open Final. The final is restricted to the exact rider/horse combination that qualified, with no substitutions permitted

Entry Fee: €20.

*Prizes:* 1st - €150, 2nd - €100, 3rd - €75, 4th - €50, 5th - €50, 6th - €50

## 14 Treo Eile Open Race Horse to Riding Horse

*Description:* OPEN RACEHORSE TO RIDING HORSE CLASS

- For horses 4 years older, mares and gelding, any height. Riders minimum age 16yo.

- Horses that have won a Racehorse to Riding Horse class and/or competed in the Racehorse to Riding Horse class at the Dublin Horse Show in previous seasons, must compete in the Open class.

- Horses to be ridden in a snaffle, pelham or simple double bridle with a plain cavesson noseband. Riders will be asked to extend the canter with the class. Horses to be ridden by the judge.

The first and second prize winners in the Novice and the Open classes at each qualifier, will qualify for the final. In the case where the first and/or second placed horse has already qualified, the next placed horse may qualify for the final at the judges discretion. Combinations may only compete in one section (either Novice or Open) at the final of the Tattersalls Ireland Treo Eile Showing Pathway Series. A Novice combination that has qualified for the final, and also qualifies in an Open qualifier throughout the series, must compete in the Open section of the Showing Pathway Series' final. A rider/horse combination that qualifies in the Novice class and subsequently is placed (1st-6th) in the Racehorse to Riding Horse class at the Dublin Horse Show, may not return to compete in the Novice Final. This progression will be rewarded with a 'wild card' place in the Open Final. The final is restricted to the exact rider/horse combination that qualified, with no substitutions permitted

Entry Fee: €20.

*Prizes:* 1st - €150, 2nd - €100, 3rd - €75, 4th - €50, 5th - €50, 6th - €50

## 15 Amateur Ridden Class

*Description:* mare or gelding, 4 years old or over, 148cm or over.; confined to amateur or non-professional producer/rider

Entry Fee: €20.

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## 16 Riding Horse Championship

*Description:* Ridden Horse Championship for 1st and 2nd Prize winners in classes 11 to 16

*Qual. Classes:* Class No. 10 - Riding Horse

Class No. 11 - Ridden Cob

Class No. 12 - Coloured Ridden Horse

Class No. 13 - Treo Eile Novice Race Horse to Riding Horse

Class No. 14 - Treo Eile Open Race Horse to Riding Horse

Class No. 15 - Amateur Ridden Class

*Prizes:* 1st - Champion, 2<sup>nd</sup> - Reserve Champion

## BROODMARES & FOALS

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Entry to this category is free of charge unless otherwise stated.

## **17 Barren or Maiden Broodmare**

*Description:* without foal at foot, 4 year old and upwards, likely to produce a high class Sport Horse  
Entry Fee: €20.

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **18 Broodmare Class**

*Description:* Brood Mare calculated to produce a Lightweight, Middleweight or Heavyweight Hunter with Foal at foot.  
Entry Fee: €20.

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **19 Thoroughbred Broodmare**

*Description:* Thoroughbred Brood Mare entered in Weatherby's TB stud book 4yrs and over. Likely to produce a National Hunt Horse

*Sponsors:* FOXWOOD FARM

Entry Fee: €20.

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **20 Colt or Filly Foal**

*Description:* Colt or Filly Foal progeny of mare in class 18.  
Entry Fee: €15.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €20

## **21 Thoroughbred Foal**

*Description:* Thoroughbred foal Colt or Filly progeny of mare in class 19.  
Entry Fee: €15.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €20

## **22 Champion Broodmare**

*Description:* Broodmare Championship for 1st and 2nd Prize winners in classes 17, 18 & 19.

*Qual. Classes:* Class No. 17 - Barren or Maiden Broodmare  
Class No. 18 - Broodmare Class  
Class No. 19 - Thoroughbred Broodmare

*Prizes:* 1st - Champion, 2nd - Reserve Champion

## **23 Champion Foal**

*Description:* Foal Championship for 1st and 2nd Prize winners in classes 20 and 21.

*Qual. Classes:* Class No. 20 - Colt or Filly Foal  
Class No. 21 - Thoroughbred Foal

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## **YOUNG / LED HORSES**

Entry to this category is free of charge unless otherwise stated.

## 24 Three Year Old Gelding

*Description:* For three year old geldings not eligible for entry in Wetherby's TB studbook. If less than 3 entries, this class will be amalgamated with class 25.

Entry Fee: €20.

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## 25 Three Year Old Filly

*Description:* For three year old filly's not eligible for entry in Wetherby's TB studbook. If less than 3 entries, this class will be amalgamated with class 24.

Entry Fee: €20.

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## 26 THE ISA & Bannow & Rathangan Show 3yr old All Ireland Championship Qualifier

*Description:* **THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION & BANNOW & RATHANGAN SHOW SOCIETY PRESENT**

### **The 3 Year Old Horse All Ireland Championship**

Prize Money Sponsored By Bannow & Rathangan Show Society

Prizes Sponsored by: Galway Irish Crystal & Belleek China

Delivered by Horse Sport Ireland and funded under National Breeding Services by the Department of Agriculture, Food, and the Marine.

**Prize Fund: €6,000.00 (including Prizes in Kind)**

### **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 I.S.A. Rules.

For information on accommodation or free stabling for the final, contact 087-7560871 or 053-9136588 in advance.

### **Additional Prizes at the Final:**

€150 & Trophy for Best Filly; €150 & Trophy for combination of best

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\*Breeder of winning animal to receive a Galway Irish Crystal or Belleek China \*

**Plus:** Galway Irish Crystal or Belleek China to be presented to each qualifier at both the qualifying show and on appearance at the final.

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

*No entries permitted on day of event.*

Location: Bannow & Rathangan Show

Date: Thu, 9th Jul, 2026

Start Time: 1:30 pm

Prizes: 1<sup>st</sup> - €800.00 , and Galway Irish Crystal , 2<sup>nd</sup> - €500.00 , and Galway Irish Crystal , 3<sup>rd</sup> - €350.00 , and Belleek China , 4<sup>th</sup> - €250.00 , and Belleek China , 5<sup>th</sup> - €200.00 , and Galway Irish Crystal , 6<sup>th</sup> - €150.00 , and Belleek China , 7<sup>th</sup> - and upwards will receive €70 on appearance at Final

**RULES AND 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. Two animals may be selected to qualify for the final if the judges and the I.S.A. agree the standard is high enough. 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. These rules should be read in conjunction with the I.S.A. Rules. For information on accommodation or free stabling for the final, contact 087-7560871 or 053-9136588 in advance. Additional Prizes at the Final: €150 & Trophy for Best Filly. €150 & Trophy, for combination of best turned out horse and most suitably dressed handler \*Breeder of winning animal to receive a Galway Irish Crystal or Belleek China \* Plus: Galway Irish Crystal or Belleek China to be presented to each qualifier at both the qualifying show and on appearance at the final. ENTRY FEE: To Qualifying Show €15. To Final €30. No entries permitted on day of event. Location: Bannow & Rathangan Show Date: Thu, 10th Jul, 2025 Start Time: 1:30 pm Prizes: 1<sup>st</sup> - €800.00 , and Galway Irish Crystal , 2<sup>nd</sup> - €500.00 , and Galway Irish Crystal , 3<sup>rd</sup> - €350.00 , and Belleek China , 4<sup>th</sup> - €250.00 , and Belleek China , 5<sup>th</sup> - €200.00 , and Galway Irish Crystal , 6<sup>th</sup> - €150.00 , and Belleek China

Entry Fee: €15.

*Prizes:* 1<sup>st</sup> - Qualifier 1, 2<sup>nd</sup> - Qualifier 2

## **27 Thoroughbred Three Year old gelding or filly**

*Description:* For three year old geldings or fillies entered or eligible for entry in Wetherby's TB studbook.

Entry Fee: €20.

*Prizes:* 1<sup>st</sup> - €100, 2<sup>nd</sup> - €50, 3<sup>rd</sup> - €35

## **28 Two Year Old colt or Filly**

*Description:* For two year old fillies not eligible for entry in Wetherby's TB studbook.  
Entry Fee: €20.

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **29 T.I.H.A. Two Year Old Limerick Lady filly qualifier**

*Description:* PRIZE FUND for Championship:  
Champion: €600 & the T.I.H.A. Perpetual Challenge Trophy, Reserve: €300, 3rd: €150, 4TH: €100. Best Turned Out €100.

First; Second Prize Winners in T.I.H.A. Classes are eligible to compete for the

TIH Supreme Championship – The Lady Hemphill Perpetual Memorial Trophy with a prize fund of €750

Conditions for TIHA Limerick Lady Championship:

(a) For two-year-old Traditionally Bred Fillies, suitable for producing High Quality Traditionally Bred Sport Horses

(b) 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 & the Connemara Pony Breed and MUST be by

:APPROVED :(a) Thoroughbred Stallions, Connemara Stallions, ISH (TIH) Stallions, Irish Draught Stallions or (b) Any cross of the afore mentioned

( c ) Dams of the fillies must be by the Stallions as above and registered with a society that maintains its breed (d) NA 1 Irish Sport Horse Stallions

or similar classification (e) All exhibitors must have their fillies passports available for inspection at the Qualifying show and at the Championship

(f) Entry fee for the Qualifier is €15, Entry fee for the Championship is €25

(g) More than one filly may be selected at any qualifying show, provided

that the standard of entries warrants such selection

(h) Should the standard of entries be insufficient, no filly will be selected

(i) Infringement of these conditions or Championship regulations may lead to disqualification.

Entry Fee: €15.

## **30 Thoroughbred Two Year old gelding or filly**

*Description:* For three year old geldings or fillies entered or eligible for entry in Wetherby's TB studbook.

Entry Fee: €20.

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

### **31 Yearling Colt or Filly, Cork County Yearling Championship 2026 Qualifier**

*Description:* For yearling geldings or colts not eligible for entry in Wetherby's TB studbook.

CORK COUNTY YEARLING CHAMPIONSHIP 2026  
Organised by Carbery Show Society CLG, Skibbereen

The Championship is for YEARLING GELDING OR FILLY in the I.H.R.

The final to be held at Carbery Show, Skibbereen

Qualifiers to be held at the following Shows: Bandon, Barryroe, Ballyvourney/Coolea, Belgooly, Carbery, Charleville, Clonakilty, Cork, Dunmanway, Leap and Middleton.

Two animals to be selected at each Show (ONE Gelding, ONE Filly) to go forward to the Final at Carbery Show on Thursday 16th July 2026

Qualifiers enter online at [carberysshow.com](http://carberysshow.com)  
or email to [carberysshow2020@gmail.com](mailto:carberysshow2020@gmail.com)  
No later than 11 th July, 2026

PRIZEMONEY AS FOLLOWS:

1st - €500 2nd - €300 3rd - €200 - €50 to all other finalists.  
Special prize of €150 to leading Filly if not placed 1st or 2nd in the Final.

ENTRY FEE €20

Entry Fee: €20.

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

### **32 ISA & Bridgetown Show Society Yearling Filly All Ireland Championship qualifier.**

*Description:* **THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION & South East Clare (Bridgetown)SHOW PRESENT**  
**The Yearling Filly All Ireland Championship**  
**PRIZE FUND: €3,000 Sponsored by: S.H. Electrical & Mechanical Ltd**

## **RULES AND CONDITIONS**

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A prize will be presented for Combination of Best Turned Out Horse and Most Suitably Dressed Handler. All Qualifiers will receive qualifying Rosette at final.

Breeders prize €100 for 1st place

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

*No entries permitted on day of event.*

Location: South East Clare (Bridgetown) Show

Date: Sun, 26th Jul, 2026

Prizes: 1st - €800.00 , 2nd - €600.00 , 3rd - €400.00 , 4th - €250.00 , 5th - €200.00 , 6th - €150.00 , 7th - and upwards will receive €100 on appearance at Final

**RULES AND 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. Two animals may be selected to qualify for the final if the judges and the I.S.A. agree the standard is high enough. 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. These rules should be read in conjunction with the I.S.A Rules. A prize will be presented for Combination of Best Turned Out Horse and Most Suitably Dressed Handler. All Qualifiers will receive qualifying Rosette at final. Breeders prize €100 for 1st place ENTRY FEE: To Qualifying Show €15. To Final €30. No entries permitted on day of event. Location: Bridgetown Show Date: Sun, 27th Jul, 2025 Prizes: 1st - €800.00 , 2nd - €600.00 , 3rd - €400.00 , 4th - €250.00 , 5th - €150.00 , 6th - to end €100 , 7th - €150.00

Entry Fee: €15.

Prizes: 1st - Qualifier 1

### **33 Thoroughbred Yearling gelding or filly**

*Description:* For Yearling geldings, colts or fillys entered or eligible for entry in Wetherby's TB studbook.

Entry Fee: €20.

Prizes: 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

### **34 Coloured Led Horse, Gelding or Filly Yearling, Two or Three Year Old**

*Description:* For Yearlings, Two, Three Year Olds, colt, gelding or mare, to be led.

Entry Fee: €20.

Prizes: 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

### **35 Champion Thoroughbred Young Horse**

*Description:* For First and Second prize winners in classes 27, 30, 33

*Qual. Classes:* Class No. 27 - Thoroughbred Three Year old gelding or filly

Class No. 30 - Thoroughbred Two Year old gelding or filly

Class No. 33 - Thoroughbred Yearling gelding or filly

Prizes: 1st - , 2nd -

### **36 Champion Young Horse**

*Description:* For First and Second prize winners in classes 24, 25, 28, 31.

*Qual. Classes:* Class No. 24 - Three Year Old Gelding

Class No. 25 - Three Year Old Filly

Class No. 28 - Two Year Old colt or Filly

Class No. 31 - Yearling Colt or Filly, Cork County Yearling Championship 2026 Qualifier

Class No. 34 - Coloured Led Horse, Gelding or Filly Yearling, Two or Three Year Old

Prizes: 1st - Champion, 2nd - Reserve Champion

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## **RIDING PONIES**

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## **RIDING PONIES**

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Entry to this category is free of charge unless otherwise stated.

### **37 Open Intermediate Show Hunter Pony**

*Description:* Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over exceeding 148cms but not exceeding 158cms. Riders not to have attained their 25th birthday before 1st January in the current year  
Entry Fee: €12.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

### **38 Open 153cms Show Hunter Pony**

*Description:* For mare or gelding 4yrs and over exceeding 143cms but not exceeding 153cms suitable for and to be ridden by riders who have not attained their 20th birthday on the 1st of Jan of current year  
Entry Fee: €12.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

### **39 Open 143cms Show Hunter Pony**

*Description:* For mare or gelding 4yrs and over exceeding 133cms but not exceeding 143cms suitable for and to be ridden by rider who have not attained their 17th birthday on Jan 1st of current year  
Entry Fee: €12.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

### **40 Open 133cms Show Hunter Pony**

*Description:* For mare or gelding 4yrs and over exceeding 123cms but not exceeding 133cms suitable for and to be ridden by rider who have not attained their 14th birthday on the 1st of Jan of current year.  
Entry Fee: €12.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

### **41 Champion Show Hunter Pony**

*Description:* For First & Second prizewinners in classes 38-40

*Qual. Classes:* Class No. 38 - Open 153cms Show Hunter Pony  
Class No. 39 - Open 143cms Show Hunter Pony  
Class No. 40 - Open 133cms Show Hunter Pony

*Prizes:* 1st - , 2nd -

### **42 Show Hunter Starter Stakes**

*Description:* PONY, MARE or GELDING, 4 years old or over, not exceeding 133cm.  
(Suitable for and to be ridden by riders who have not attained their 12th birthday by 1 January 2025.

Entry Fee: €12.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

### **43 Open Intermediate Show Riding Pony**

*Description:* Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over exceeding 148cms but not exceeding 158cms. Riders not to have attained their 25th birthday before 1st January in the current year  
Entry Fee: €12.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

#### **44 Open 148cms Show Pony**

*Description:* mare or gelding 4yrs and over exceeding 138cms but not exceeding 148cms suitable for and to be ridden by rider who have not attained their 17th on the 1st of Jan of current year.

Entry Fee: €12.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

#### **45 Open 138cms Show Pony**

*Description:* for mare or gelding 4yrs and over exceeding 128cms but not exceeding 138cms suitable for and to be ridden by riders who have not attained their 15th birthday on the 1st of Jan of current year.

Entry Fee: €12.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

#### **46 Open 128cms Show Pony**

*Description:* for mare or gelding 4yrs and over exceeding 123cms but not exceeding 128cms suitable for and to be ridden by rider who has not attained their 13th birthday on the 1st of Jan of the current year

Entry Fee: €12.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

#### **47 Champion Show Pony**

*Description:* For First & Second prizewinners in classes 44-46

*Qual. Classes:* Class No. 44 - Open 148cms Show Pony

Class No. 45 - Open 138cms Show Pony

Class No. 46 - Open 128cms Show Pony

*Prizes:* 1st - , 2nd -

#### **48 Ridden Welsh Pony**

*Description:* For mares or geldings 4 yrs old and over.

Entry Fee: €12.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

#### **49 Riding School / Local Pony Class**

*Description:* For mares or geldings, not exceeding 148cms, 4yr old and over, ridden by riders under 16, pony to be regular mount of child or family pony.

Entry Fee: €12.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

#### **50 Ridden Connemara Pony, riders over 16.**

*Description:* for mares or geldings 4 years old and over, rider over 16 years old

Entry Fee: €12.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

#### **51 Ridden Connemara Pony, riders under 16.**

*Description:* for mares or geldings 4 years old and over, rider under 16 years old

Entry Fee: €12.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

## 52 Ridden Connemara Championship

*Description:* For first and second prizewinners in classes 50 & 51

*Qual. Classes:* Class No. 50 - Ridden Connemara Pony, riders over 16.  
Class No. 51 - Ridden Connemara Pony, riders under 16.

*Prizes:* 1st - Champion, 2nd - Reserve Champion

## 53 The All Ireland Ridden 4 and 5 Year Old Connemara Championship Qualifier

*Description:* **THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION & WEST CLARE SHOW (KILRUSH) PRESENT**  
**The All Ireland 4 and 5 Year Old Ridden Connemara Championship**  
PRIZE FUND: €3,500

### **RULES AND CONDITIONS**

1. This championship is confined to Registered Connemara Mares and Geldings, 4 and 5 years of age, not exceeding 148cm, ridden by a rider who has attained their 14th birthday as of January 1st 2026
2. No Stallions allowed.
3. All ponies must be registered with the CPBS, the progeny of a registered Connemara sire and registered Connemara dam.
4. 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.
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 final must be from the CPBS judges list.
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.**

Location: Kilrush (West Clare) Show

Date: Sat, 4th Jul, 2026

Prizes: 1st - €600.00 , 2nd - €500.00 , 3rd - €400.00 , 4th - €200.00 , 5th - €200.00 , 6th - €150.00 , 7th - 7th and upwards will receive €100 on appearance at Final  
Entry Fee: €15.

## **WORKING HUNTER PONIES**

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Entry to this category is free of charge unless otherwise stated.

## **54 Open Intermediate Working Hunter Pony**

*Description:* mare or gelding 4yrs and over exceeding 146cms but not exceeding 158cms riders who have attained their 14th birthday but not their 25th on the 1st of Jan of current year  
Entry Fee: €12.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

## **55 Open 153cms Working Hunter Pony**

*Description:* for mare or gelding 4yrs 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 Jan of current year  
Entry Fee: €12.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

## **56 Open 143cms Working Hunter Pony**

*Description:* mare or gelding exceeding 133cms but not exceeding 143cms suitable for and to be ridden by rider who has not attained their 17th birthday on the 1st of Jan of the current year  
Entry Fee: €12.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

## **57 Open 133cms Working Hunter Pony**

*Description:* mare or gelding exceeding 123cms but not exceeding 133cms suitable for and to be ridden by rider who have not attained their 14th birthday on 1st Jan of current year  
Entry Fee: €12.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

## **58 Working Hunter Championship**

*Description:* For First and Second prizewinners in classes 54, 55, 56, 57

*Qual. Classes:* Class No. 54 - Open Intermediate Working Hunter Pony  
Class No. 55 - Open 153cms Working Hunter Pony  
Class No. 56 - Open 143cms Working Hunter Pony  
Class No. 57 - Open 133cms Working Hunter Pony

*Prizes:* 1st - Champion, 2nd - Reserve Champion

## **59 Open Working Starter Stakes**

*Description:* Open working Hunter Starter Stakes pony mare or gelding 4yrs and over not exceeding 133cms suitable for and to be ridden by riders who have not attained their 12th birthday on 1st jan of current year the same combination of pony and rider may not compete in any class under 123cms at the same show on the same day.  
Entry Fee: €12.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

## **60 Novice Working Starter Stakes**

*Description:* for pony mare or gelding 4yrs old and over not exceeding 133cms that have not attained 50 points in Working Hunter pony classes. Suitable for and to be ridden by riders who have not attained their 12th birthday on Jan 1st of current year the same combination of pony and rider may not compete in any class under 123cms at the same show on the same day.  
Entry Fee: €12.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

## **61 Oughterard Performance Connemara Pony Championship Qualifier**

*Description:* Ponies 4 years old and over are eligible. Pony and / or Rider once qualified are not eligible to participate in subsequent qualifiers in the same category. Ponies must be registered in a main Connemara Studbook. The Passport of each pony must be presented prior to judging at the qualifying show and on the day of the final. The rider must be 16 years and over on 01/01/2025.

Jumping over rustic/ natural fences will be part of the qualifying rounds and final. Qualifying rounds require a minimum of 4 fences. Jumps at qualifiers should not exceed 90cm in height and 90cm in width. Entrants from shows who do not adhere to this rule will not be accepted. The Final requires a minimum of 5 fences which will include a double. Fences must not exceed 1m in height and 1m in width. Ponies to be ridden in a Plain Snaffle, Pelham or Double Bridle. Boots are allowed for the jumping phase only, and must be removed prior to the in-hand or Flat Sections. A running martingale is permitted in qualifiers and in the Final but spurs are prohibited. The same tack must be used in both phases. A performance judge must be used at qualifying shows. Ponies will be judged on type, confirmation, jumping technique, way of going and action in-hand. Random Dope testing may be carried out on the day of the final. Any objection must be lodged in writing with the show secretary within half an hour following the completion of the competition, together with €50 which is refundable if the objection is upheld. Oughterard Show Committee, in consultation with the sponsor, reserves the right to amend the rules as may be deemed necessary. It is strongly advised by the Oughterard Show Society that all competitors should wear a body protector.

Entry Fee: €10.

*Prizes:* 1st - , 2nd -

## **LED PONIES / MINI PONIES**

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Entry to this category is free of charge unless otherwise stated.

## **62 Show Pony yearling or two year old.**

*Description:* Show Pony young stock Yearling or Two Year old not exceeding 148cms. Colt/gelding or filly. Likely to make a child's Riding Pony  
Entry Fee: €12.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

### **63 Show Hunter Pony Yearling or Two Year Old**

*Description:* Show Hunter Pony Young stock Yearling or Two Year Old not exceeding 148cm.Colt/Gelding Filly likely to make a child's Hunter Pony.  
Entry Fee: €12.  
*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

### **64 Show Pony Three Year Old**

*Description:* Show Pony Young stock Three Year Old not exceeding 148cm.Colt/Gelding Filly likely to make a child's Hunter Pony.  
Entry Fee: €12.  
*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

### **65 Show Hunter Pony Three Year Old**

*Description:* Show Hunter Pony Young stock Three Year Old not exceeding 148cm.Colt/Gelding Filly likely to make a child's Hunter Pony.  
Entry Fee: €12.  
*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

### **66 Purebred Welsh Pony Three Years and under**

*Description:* Purebred Welsh Pony, Yearling, Two or Three Year old to be led, colt, gelding or filly.  
Entry Fee: €12.  
*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

### **67 Purebred Welsh Pony Four Years old and over**

*Description:* Purebred Welsh Pony, Four Years old or over to be led, gelding or filly.  
Entry Fee: €12.  
*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

### **68 Champion Led Pony**

*Description:* Open to first and second prizewinners in classes 62, 63, 64,65, 66, 67

*Qual. Classes:* Class No. 62 - Show Pony yearling or two year old.  
Class No. 63 - Show Hunter Pony Yearling or Two Year Old  
Class No. 64 - Show Pony Three Year Old  
Class No. 65 - Show Hunter Pony Three Year Old  
Class No. 66 - Purebred Welsh Pony Three Years and under  
Class No. 67 - Purebred Welsh Pony Four Years old and over

*Prizes:* 1st - Champion, 2nd - Reserve Champion

### **69 Pony Brood Mare**

*Description:* 4yrs and over not exceeding 148cm in foal or with foal at foot by a Pony Stallion not exceeding 153cms in the case of a brood mare without a foal at foot covering sire must be named and covering certificate produced. Brood mares may not be shown more than two years in succession without foal at foot.  
Entry Fee: €12.  
*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

## **70 Pony Foal**

*Description:* Pony Foal the progeny of mare in class 75 sire of foal to be named  
Entry Fee: €10.

*Prizes:* 1st - €20, 2nd - €15, 3rd - €10

## **71 Connemara Pony Registered any sex 3yrs old and under**

*Description:* Connemara Pony Registered any sex 3yrs old and under  
Entry Fee: €12.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

## **72 Connemara Pony Registered Stallion or gelding 4yrs and over**

*Description:* Connemara Pony Registered Stallion or gelding 4yrs and over  
Entry Fee: €12.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

## **73 THE CONNEMARA THREE YEAR OLD FILLY ALL IRELAND CHAMPIONSHIP**

*Description:* **THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION & BALLINASLOE SHOW SOCIETY PRESENT THE CONNEMARA THREE YEAR OLD FILLY ALL IRELAND CHAMPIONSHIP**  
**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. Ponies qualified for the final are not to enter any other classes at Ballinasloe Show.
6. Plaiting of manes and tails is not allowed for qualifier or 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.

These rules should be read in conjunction with the I.S.A. rules. Entry fee to Qualifying show €15 to Final €30

*No entries permitted on day of event.*

Location: Ballinasloe Show

Date: Sun, 27th Sep, 2026

Prizes: 1st - €300.00 , 2nd - €200.00 , 3rd - €150.00 , 4th - €125.00 , 5th - €100.00 , 6th - €100.00

**RULES AND CONDITIONS** This championship is confined to Registered Connemara Three year Old Fillies. The progeny of Registered Connemara Sire & Registered Connemara Dam. 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. More than one Filly may be selected at any qualifying Show to compete in the Final providing the judges & the ISA agree the standard of warrant such selection. One of the Judges at the final must be from CPBS judges list. Ponies qualified for the final are not to enter any other classes at Ballinasloe Show. Plaiting of manes and tails is not allowed for qualifier or final. The Qualifying Exhibitor must fill out their own Qualifying Card at each Qualifying Show. These rules should be read in conjunction with the I.S.A. rules. Entry fee to Qualifying show €15 to Final €30 No entries permitted on day of event. Location: Ballinasloe Show Date: Sun, 28th Sep, 2025 Prizes: 1st - €300.00 , 2nd - €200.00 , 3rd - €150.00 , 4th - €125.00 , 5th - €100.00 , 6th - €100.00  
Entry Fee: €15.

*Prizes:* 1st - , 2nd -

## **74 Connemara Pony Registered mare or Filly 4yrs and over**

*Description:* Connemara Pony Registered mare or Filly 4yrs and over

Entry Fee: €12.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

## **75 Led Connemara Championship**

*Description:* For 1st & 2nd Prize winners in classes, 71, 72, 74

*Prizes:* 1st - First Place, 2nd - Second Place

## **76 Open Lead Rein Class**

*Description:* For pony mares or geldings 4yrs and over not exceeding 123cms. Suitable for and to be ridden by riders who have not attained their 8th birthday on 1st Jan of current year, Riders in this class may not compete in any other class at the same show on the same day except for any other Lead Rein First Ridden First Year First ridden, working Hunter Lead rein, working Hunter cradle stakes classes.

Entry Fee: €12.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

## **77 Open Show Hunter Lead Rein**

*Description:* Open Show Hunter Pony Lead Rein. For pony mares or gelding 4yrs and over not exceeding 123cms suitable for and ridden by riders who have attained their 3rd birthday but not their 8th Birthday on 1st Jan of current year Riders in this class may not compete in any other class at the same show on the same day except for any other Lead Rein First Year, First Ridden, First Year cradle stakes.

Entry Fee: €12.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

## **78 Local Lead Rein**

*Description:* For pony mares or geldings 4yrs and over not exceeding 138cms. To be led by an adult. For children that are local to the Middleton area.

Entry Fee: €10.

*Prizes:* 1st - , 2nd - , 3rd -

## **79 Open First Ridden**

*Description:* Open First Ridden for pony mares or gelding 4yrs and over not exceeding 123cms suitable for and to be ridden by riders who have not attained their 10th birthday on the 1st of Jan of current year, 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.

Entry Fee: €12.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

## **80 Open 123cms Show Hunter Pony**

*Description:* Open 123cms Show Hunter pony, mares, or geldings 4yrs and over not exceeding 123cms suitable for and to be ridden by riders who have not attained their 11th birthday on 1st Jan of the current year the same combination of pony and rider may not compete in any other class for ponies exceeding 123cms at the same show on the same day.

Entry Fee: €12.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

## **81 Young Handlers (7-13 years)**

*Description:* To be led by a child aged 7 to under 13 years on 1st January of current year. Ponies to be over 4 years old and not exceeding 148cms. This class is to be judged under the following headings:

- Control of pony
- Skill in showing animal in walk, trot and stand for confirmation
- Courtesy and Sportsmanship
- Turnout and attire of both handler and animal
- Knowledge of breeding of animal and potential

Entry Fee: €12.

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €15

## **85 Mini Pony Championship**

*Description:* For First and Second prizewinners in classes 76, 77, 78, 79, 80

*Qual. Classes:* Class No. 76 - Open Lead Rein Class  
Class No. 77 - Open Show Hunter Lead Rein  
Class No. 78 - Local Lead Rein  
Class No. 79 - Open First Ridden  
Class No. 80 - Open 123cms Show Hunter Pony  
Class No. 84 - Intermediate Championship

*Prizes:* 1st - Champion, 2nd - Reserve Champion

## **83 Killusty Show - All Ireland Pony Supreme Championship**

*Description:* Killusty Show - All Ireland Pony Supreme Championship  
Very Kindly Sponsored by Kiltinan Castle Stud.  
Rules for All Ireland Pony Championship Supreme 2026

Prize Fund: €1,000

1. Qualifying rounds will be held at designated shows.
2. The Champion Supreme Pony from designated shows may qualify for the final. In the event of the Champion already being qualified, the Reserve receives the qualifier. If both the Champion and the Reserve are already qualified then the qualifier will be reallocated to another show later in the showing calendar.
3. The Pony Supreme qualifying classes include; In-hand Pony Champion (Welsh/ Broodmare), Youngstock Pony Champion, Connemara In-hand Champion, Connemara Ridden Champion, Connemara Working Hunter Champion, Show Pony Champion, Show Hunter Pony Champion, Open & Novice Working Hunter Pony Champion, Starter Stakes Champion, Intermediate Pony Champion, Mini Champion.

4. As the Intermediate Pony is included in the qualifiers; all pony entries must not exceed 158cms.
  5. In the interest of fairness to all exhibitors, where qualifying shows hold separate Mini Supreme champ; Supreme Championship, there must be an overall Supreme chosen from these two champions. To decide the overall champion, they must compete against one another and be judged accordingly. It should be considered as a separate class and must comprise of a show piece. Please brief judges on the qualifying rules in advance of judging the Supreme.
  6. Under IPS Rules, ponies must be measured before competing in ANY Ridden Class. The pony owner or the person responsible for presenting the pony at the Measuring Session is responsible for making themselves familiar with the Rules of Measuring ponies and those of Appeal. Ponies owned, wholly or partially, by Irish residents of the thirty-two (32) counties (irrespective of where such ponies are located or maintained) must compete under IPS or SJI Measurement Schemes to comply with the Rules therein. The Council, through its relevant committee, has the authority to ask for any pony to be re-measured.
  7. Finalists (pony and rider combination) must compete in a minimum of one class at Killusty Show on the 4/7/26.
  8. On arrival in the final on the day of the show, the finalists will receive €50 for participating in the final. In the event of a finalist not presenting at the final, their €50 will be added to the Champion's prize money. The Champion of the All Ireland Pony Champion Supreme final receives €500.
  9. Riders must be have attained their 4<sup>th</sup> Birthday by the 1/1/2026.
  10. On completion of judging at qualifiers the successful qualifier will be given all relevant entry documentation by the ring steward. This must be completed and returned, along with the appropriate fee, to the secretary of Killusty Show within 14 days - this rule will be strictly adhered to.
  11. Ponies will be judged on type, conformation, way of going and action in-hand.
  12. Random Dope testing may be carried out on the day of the final.
  13. Any objection must be lodged in writing with the show secretary within half an hour following the completion of the competition, together with €50 which is refundable if the objection is upheld.
  14. This Championship is open to IPS members and Non - IPS members.
  15. Finalist may be asked perform a set show for the final.
  16. In the event that a qualified finalist cannot attend the final, we ask that you inform the secretary out of courtesy as soon as possible. A 'wild card' may be provided to a show that did not receive a qualifier in the draw for the shows to ensure that the final has maximum participants.
  17. Killusty Show Committee, in consultation with the sponsor, reserves the right to amend the rules as may be deemed necessary.
- \* Qualifying Rosettes will be presented at the Qualifying Shows.  
Email: [killustyponyshow@gmail.com](mailto:killustyponyshow@gmail.com)

## **82 Young Handlers (14-17 years)**

*Description:* To be led by a child aged 14 to under 17 years on 1st January of current year. Ponies to be over 4 years old and not exceeding 148cms. This class is to be judged under the following headings:

- Control of pony
- Skill in showing animal in walk, trot and stand for confirmation
- Courtesy and Sportsmanship
- Turnout and attire of both handler and animal
- Knowledge of breeding of animal and potential

## **84 Intermediate Championship**

*Description:* For First and Second Prize winners in classes 37, 43 &54.

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## DAIRY YOUNG HANDLER

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*Entry Fee:* €7 unless otherwise stated.

### **C1 Junior Dairy Young Handler**

*Description:* Showmanship League Qualifier. Young Handlers Class aged under 12 Years Old on 01/01/2026  
Start Time:12:30 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €25

### **C2 Intermediate Dairy Young Handler**

*Description:* Showmanship League Qualifier. Young Handlers Class aged 13 to 16 Years Old on 01/01/2026  
Start Time:12:30 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €25

### **C3 Senior Dairy Young Handler**

*Description:* Showmanship League Qualifier. Young Handlers Class aged 17 to 26 Years Old on 01/01/2026  
Start Time:12:30 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €25

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## DAIRY

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### SHORTHORN

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*Entry Fee:* €15 unless otherwise stated.

### **C4 Pedigree Dairy Shorthorn Heifer Calf**

*Description:* Heifer Calf born on or after 01/09/2025  
Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

### **C5 Pedigree Dairy Shorthorn Cow or Heifer**

*Description:* Cow or Heifer born on or before 31/08/2025  
Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

### **C6 Pedigree Dairy Shorthorn Champion**

*Description:* First Prize winners from all Dairy Shorthorn Classes  
Start Time:1:00 pm Entry to this class is free of charge.

*Qual. Classes:* Class No. C4 - Pedigree Dairy Shorthorn Heifer Calf  
Class No. C5 - Pedigree Dairy Shorthorn Cow or Heifer

*Prizes:* 1st - €50, 2nd - €20

# JERSEY

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*Entry Fee:* €15 unless otherwise stated.

## **C7 Pedigree Jersey Heifer Calf**

*Description:* Pedigree Jersey Heifer calf born on or after 01/09/2025  
Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C8 Pedigree Jersey Cow or Heifer**

*Description:* Pedigree Jersey Cow or Heifer born on or before 31/08/2025  
Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C9 Pedigree Jersey Champion**

*Description:* First prize winners from all Jersey Classes  
Start Time:1:00 pm Entry to this class is free of charge.

*Qual. Classes:* Class No. C7 - Pedigree Jersey Heifer Calf  
Class No. C8 - Pedigree Jersey Cow or Heifer

*Prizes:* 1st - €50, 2nd - €20

# FRIESIAN

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*Entry Fee:* €15 unless otherwise stated.

## **C10 Pedigree Friesian Heifer Calf Autumn**

*Description:* Heifer Calf born on or between 01/09/2025 and 31/12/2025  
Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C11 Pedigree Friesian Heifer Calf Spring**

*Description:* born on or after 01/01/2026  
Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C12 Pedigree Friesian Heifer**

*Description:* Heifer born on or between 01/09/2023 and 31/08/2025. Heifers may be  
maiden or in-calf only

Start Time:1:00 pm  
*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C13 Pedigree Friesian Heifer calved once**

Start Time:1:00 pm  
*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C14 Pedigree Friesian Cow**

*Description:* Cow in-calf or in-milk any age calved more than once  
Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C15 Pedigree Friesian Champion**

*Description:* First Prize winners from all Friesian Classes

*Sponsors:* ICMSA

Start Time:1:00 pmEntry to this class is free of charge.

*Qual. Classes:* Class No. C10 - Pedigree Friesian Heifer Calf Autumn

Class No. C11 - Pedigree Friesian Heifer Calf Spring

Class No. C12 - Pedigree Friesian Heifer

Class No. C13 - Pedigree Friesian Heifer calved once

Class No. C14 - Pedigree Friesian Cow

*Prizes:* 1st - €50, 2nd - €20

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## **FRIESIAN, SHORTHORN OR JERSEY**

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*Entry Fee:* €15 unless otherwise stated.

## **C16 Pedigree Dairy Breed Pairs**

*Description:* Animals can be named on Show Day. The Pair of animals must be from one exhibitor

Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - Champion, 2nd - €50

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## **BEEF YOUNG HANDLER**

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*Entry Fee:* €7 unless otherwise stated.

## **C17 Junior Beef Young Stockperson Championship**

*Description:*

THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION

PRESENT:

THE ALL IRELAND JUNIOR YOUNG STOCKPERSON CHAMPIONSHIP 8-12 YEARS OLD.

Sponsored by: FBD Insurance & Irish Farmers Journal

RULES AND CONDITIONS

1. The Competition is open to girls and boys, age on the 1st September will determine the class each exhibitor enters.
2. One exhibitor qualifies from each qualifying show for the Final.
3. Animals can be of any Beef breed, male, or female (pedigree or non-pedigree beef) and must be leading.
4. An exhibitor can show an animal belonging to another herd owner.
5. Junior exhibitors will exhibit an animal male or female calf born on or after 1st September 2025.
6. Calf identity cards to be available for inspection on show day.
7. Exhibitors may be asked for proof of their age at the final.
8. An adult may aid an exhibitor in the junior class if deemed necessary.
9. No Entries will be accepted on the day of the Qualifying Show.
10. Previous 1st Place Winners are no longer eligible to enter this age category.
11. 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 MAY INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

- a. The ability to handle and present the animal to its best advantage in the Show Ring.
- b. General knowledge about the animal itself, including its feeding, breeding, etc.
- c. Stock Judging, the ability to judge and place a group of animals.
- d. Personal presentation of stock person.
- e. Presentation of the animal.

Entry Fee To Qualifying Show: €10

FINAL: ROYAL MEATH SHOW Sunday 6th September 2026

*Prizes:* Start Time:12:30 pm Entry Fee: €10.  
1st - €40, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €25

### **C18 Intermediate Beef Young Handler**

*Description:* Young Handlers Class aged 13 to 17 Years Old on 01/01/2026

Start Time:12:30 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €25

### **C19 Senior Beef Young Handler**

*Description:* Young Handlers Class aged between 18 and 25 on 01/01/2026.

Start Time:12:30 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €25

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## **PEDIGREE BEEF**

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# HEREFORD

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*Entry Fee:* €15 unless otherwise stated.

## **C20 Pedigree Hereford Bull Calf**

*Description:* Bull Calf born on or after 01/07/2025  
Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C21 Pedigree Hereford Heifer Calf**

*Description:* Heifer Calf born on or after 01/07/2025  
Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C22 Pedigree Hereford Heifer**

*Description:* Heifers born on or between 01/09/2023 and 30/06/2025. Heifers may be maiden or in-calf only  
Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C23 Pedigree Hereford Cow**

*Description:* Cow in-calf or in-milk any age  
Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C24 Pedigree Hereford Bull**

*Description:* Bull born before 01/07/2025  
Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C25 Pedigree Hereford Champion**

*Description:* First Prize winners from all Hereford Classes  
Start Time:1:00 pm Entry to this class is free of charge.

*Qual. Classes:* Class No. C20 - Pedigree Hereford Bull Calf  
Class No. C21 - Pedigree Hereford Heifer Calf  
Class No. C22 - Pedigree Hereford Heifer  
Class No. C23 - Pedigree Hereford Cow  
Class No. C24 - Pedigree Hereford Bull

*Prizes:* 1st - €50, 2nd - €20

# ABERDEEN ANGUS

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*Entry Fee:* €15 unless otherwise stated.

## **C26 Pedigree Aberdeen Angus Bull Calf Autumn**

*Description:* Bull Calf born on or between 01/08/2025 and 30/11/2025

Munster Aberdeen Angus Club Calf Competition Qualifier will take place during this class which is also open to all other Pedigree Aberdeen-Angus Cattle.

Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C27 Pedigree Aberdeen Angus Heifer Calf Autumn**

*Description:* Heifer Calf born on or between 01/08/2025 and 30/11/2025

Munster Aberdeen Angus Club Calf Competition Qualifier will take place during this class which is also open to all other Pedigree Aberdeen-Angus Cattle.

Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C28 Pedigree Aberdeen Angus Bull Calf Spring**

*Description:* Bull Calf born on or after 01/12/2025

Munster Aberdeen Angus Club Calf Competition Qualifier will take place during this class which is also open to all other Pedigree Aberdeen-Angus Cattle.

Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C29 Pedigree Aberdeen Angus Heifer Calf Spring**

*Description:* Heifer Calf born on or after 01/12/2025

Munster Aberdeen Angus Club Calf Competition Qualifier will take place during this class which is also open to all other Pedigree Aberdeen-Angus Cattle.

Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C30 Pedigree Aberdeen Angus Heifer**

*Description:* Heifer born on or between 01/08/2023 and 31/07/2025. Heifers may be maiden or in-calf only

Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C31 Pedigree Aberdeen Angus Cow**

*Description:* Cow in-calf or in-milk any age

Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

### **C32 Pedigree Aberdeen Angus Bull**

*Description:* Bull born before 01/08/2025  
Start Time:1:00 pm  
*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

### **C33 Pedigree Aberdeen Angus Champion**

*Description:* First Prize winners from all Aberdeen Angus Classes  
Start Time:1:00 pmEntry to this class is free of charge.  
*Qual. Classes:* Class No. C26 - Pedigree Aberdeen Angus Bull Calf Autumn  
Class No. C27 - Pedigree Aberdeen Angus Heifer Calf Autumn  
Class No. C28 - Pedigree Aberdeen Angus Bull Calf Spring  
Class No. C29 - Pedigree Aberdeen Angus Heifer Calf Spring  
Class No. C30 - Pedigree Aberdeen Angus Heifer  
Class No. C31 - Pedigree Aberdeen Angus Cow  
Class No. C32 - Pedigree Aberdeen Angus Bull  
*Prizes:* 1st - €50, 2nd - €20

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## **SHORTHORN**

*Entry Fee:* €15 unless otherwise stated.

### **C34 Pedigree Beef Shorthorn Bull or Heifer Calf**

*Description:* Bull or Heifer Calf born on or after 01/09/2025  
Start Time:1:00 pm  
*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

### **C35 Pedigree Beef Shorthorn Cow or Heifer**

*Description:* Cow or Heifer born on or before 31/08/2025. Cows may be in-calf or in-milk, Heifers may be maiden or in-calf  
Start Time:1:00 pm  
*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

### **C36 Pedigree Beef Shorthorn Champion**

*Description:* First Prize winners from all Beef Shorthorn Classes  
Start Time:1:00 pmEntry to this class is free of charge.  
*Qual. Classes:* Class No. C34 - Pedigree Beef Shorthorn Bull or Heifer Calf  
Class No. C35 - Pedigree Beef Shorthorn Cow or Heifer  
*Prizes:* 1st - €50, 2nd - €20

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## **CHAROLAIS**

*Entry Fee:* €15 unless otherwise stated.

### **C37 Pedigree Charolais Bull Calf**

*Description:* Bull Calf born on or after 01/09/2025  
Start Time:1:00 pm  
*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

### **C38 Pedigree Charolais Heifer Calf**

*Description:* Heifer Calf born on or after 01/09/2025  
Start Time:1:00 pm  
*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

### **C39 Pedigree Charolais Heifer**

*Description:* Heifer born on or between 01/09/2023 and 31/08/2025. Heifers may be maiden or in-calf only  
Start Time:1:00 pm  
*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

### **C40 Pedigree Charolais Cow**

*Description:* Cow in-calf or in-milk any age  
Start Time:1:00 pm  
*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

### **C41 Pedigree Charolais Bull**

*Description:* Bull born on or before 31/08/2025  
Start Time:1:00 pm  
*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

### **C42 Pedigree Charolais Champion**

*Description:* First Prize winners from all Charolais Classes  
Start Time:1:00 pm Entry to this class is free of charge.  
*Qual. Classes:* Class No. C37 - Pedigree Charolais Bull Calf  
Class No. C38 - Pedigree Charolais Heifer Calf  
Class No. C39 - Pedigree Charolais Heifer  
Class No. C40 - Pedigree Charolais Cow  
Class No. C41 - Pedigree Charolais Bull  
*Prizes:* 1st - €50, 2nd - €20

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## **SIMMENTAL**

*Entry Fee:* €15 unless otherwise stated.

### **C43 Pedigree Simmental Bull Calf**

*Description:* Bull Calf born on or after 01/08/2025  
Start Time:1:00 pm  
*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

### **C44 Pedigree Simmental Heifer Calf**

*Description:* Heifer Calf born on or after 01/08/2025  
Start Time:1:00 pm  
*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

### **C45 Pedigree Simmental Heifer**

*Description:* Heifer born on or between 01/09/2023 and 31/07/2025. Heifer may be maiden or in-calf only  
Start Time:1:00 pm  
*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C46 Pedigree Simmental Cow**

*Description:* Cow in-calf or in-milk any age  
Start Time:1:00 pm  
*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C47 Pedigree Simmental Bull**

*Description:* Bull born on or before 31/07/2025  
Start Time:1:00 pm  
*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C48 Pedigree Simmental Champion**

*Description:* First Prize winners from all Simmental Classes  
Start Time:1:00 pm Entry to this class is free of charge.  
*Qual. Classes:* Class No. C43 - Pedigree Simmental Bull Calf  
Class No. C44 - Pedigree Simmental Heifer Calf  
Class No. C45 - Pedigree Simmental Heifer  
Class No. C46 - Pedigree Simmental Cow  
Class No. C47 - Pedigree Simmental Bull  
*Prizes:* 1st - €50, 2nd - €20

# **LIMOUSIN**

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*Entry Fee:* €15 unless otherwise stated.

## **C49 Pedigree Limousin Bull Calf**

*Description:* Bull Calf born on or after 01/09/2025  
Start Time:1:00 pm  
*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C50 Pedigree Limousin Heifer Calf**

*Description:* Heifer Calf born on or after 01/09/2025  
Start Time:1:00 pm  
*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C51 Pedigree Limousin Heifer**

*Description:* Heifer born on or between 01/09/2023 and 31/08/2025. Heifer may be maiden or in-calf only  
Start Time:1:00 pm  
*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C52 Pedigree Limousin Cow**

*Description:* Cow in-calf or in-milk any age  
Start Time:1:00 pm  
*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C53 Pedigree Limousin Bull**

*Description:* Bull born on or before 31/08/2025  
Start Time:1:00 pm  
*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C54 Pedigree Limousin Champion**

*Description:* First Prize winners from all Limousin Classes  
Start Time:1:00 pmEntry to this class is free of charge.

*Qual. Classes:* Class No. C49 - Pedigree Limousin Bull Calf  
Class No. C50 - Pedigree Limousin Heifer Calf  
Class No. C51 - Pedigree Limousin Heifer  
Class No. C52 - Pedigree Limousin Cow  
Class No. C53 - Pedigree Limousin Bull

*Prizes:* 1st - €50, 2nd - €20

## **BELGIAN BLUE**

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*Entry Fee:* €15 unless otherwise stated.

## **C55 Pedigree Belgian Blue Bull Calf**

*Description:* Bull Calf born on or after 01/09/2025  
Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C56 Pedigree Belgian Blue Heifer Calf**

*Description:* Heifer Calf born on or after 01/09/2025  
Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C57 Pedigree Belgian Blue Heifer**

*Description:* Heifer born on or between 01/09/2023 and 31/08/2025. Heifer may be maiden or in-calf only  
Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - First Prize €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C58 Pedigree Belgian Blue Cow**

*Description:* Cow in-calf or in-milk any age  
Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C59 Pedigree Belgian Blue Bull**

*Description:* Bull born on or before 31/08/2025  
Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C60 Pedigree Belgian Blue Champion**

*Description:* First Prize winners from all Belgian Blue Classes  
Start Time:1:00 pmEntry to this class is free of charge.

*Qual. Classes:* Class No. C55 - Pedigree Belgian Blue Bull Calf  
Class No. C56 - Pedigree Belgian Blue Heifer Calf  
Class No. C57 - Pedigree Belgian Blue Heifer  
Class No. C58 - Pedigree Belgian Blue Cow  
Class No. C59 - Pedigree Belgian Blue Bull

*Prizes:* 1st - Champion, 2nd - Reserve Champion

# ALL BEEF BREEDS

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## COMMERCIAL BEEF

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*Entry Fee:* €15 unless otherwise stated.

### **C61 Non Pedigree Beef Bull Calf Autumn**

*Description:* born on or between 01/09/2025 and 31/12/2025  
Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

### **C62 Non Pedigree Beef Heifer Calf Autumn**

*Description:* born on or between 01/09/2025 and 31/12/2025  
Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

### **C63 Non Pedigree Beef Bull Calf Spring**

*Description:* born on or after 01/01/2026  
Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

### **C64 Non Pedigree Beef Heifer Calf Spring**

*Description:* born on or after 01/01/2026  
Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

### **C65 Non Pedigree Beef Heifer with no permanent teeth**

*Prizes:* Start Time:1:00 pm  
1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

### **C66 Non Pedigree Beef Heifer with not more than two permanent teeth**

*Prizes:* Start Time:1:00 pm  
1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

### **C67 Butchers Non Pedigree Beef Heifer under 450kgs**

*Description:* Need not be led, may be weighed  
Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

### **C68 Non Pedigree Beef Bullock with no permanent teeth**

*Prizes:* Start Time:1:00 pm  
1st - €100, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €35

## **C69 Commercial Non Pedigree Beef Champion**

*Description:* First Prize winners from all Non Pedigree Commercial Beef Classes  
Start Time:1:00 pmEntry to this class is free of charge.

*Qual. Classes:* Class No. C61 - Non Pedigree Beef Bull Calf Autumn  
Class No. C62 - Non Pedigree Beef Heifer Calf Autumn  
Class No. C63 - Non Pedigree Beef Bull Calf Spring  
Class No. C64 - Non Pedigree Beef Heifer Calf Spring  
Class No. C65 - Non Pedigree Beef Heifer with no permanent teeth  
Class No. C66 - Non Pedigree Beef Heifer with not more than two permanent teeth  
Class No. C67 - Butchers Non Pedigree Beef Heifer under 450kgs  
Class No. C68 - Non Pedigree Beef Bullock with no permanent teeth

*Prizes:* 1st - €50, 2nd - €20

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## **INTERBREED BEEF**

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*Entry Fee:* €15 unless otherwise stated.

### **C71 The Breeder's Choice 4\* or 5\* Breeding Heifer**

*Description:* **THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION AND THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE PRESENT:**

THE BREEDER'S CHOICE TRADITIONAL 4\* OR 5\* BREEDING HEIFER

Sponsored by: The Department of Agriculture

**PRIZE FUND:** €750 (per Show)

**RULES AND CONDITIONS**

1. This competition is open to All Traditional Genotype 4\*or 5\* Breeding Heifers, suitable to make a Suckler Cow.
2. Full tag number must be submitted with entry to ensure that genotype rating can be verified.
3. Heifers may be in calf or maiden. All Heifers must be between 12 months and 24 months of age on the date of the show.
4. Each Heifer can only enter this competition at up to five shows. If a heifer enters more than five shows, any further prizemoney will be forfeited.
5. All heifers must be halter-trained and led by a competent adult.
6. All animals are required to be verified by the ISA Office prior to payment.

The foregoing rules should be read in conjunction with ISA General Rules.

**PRIZES**

1st €250 - 2nd €125 - 3rd €75 - 4th to 8th €50

**Entry Fee To Show:** €15

**RULES AND CONDITIONS**

1. This competition is open to all Traditional Genotype 4\* or 5\* heifers, suitable to make a Suckler Cow.
2. Full tag number must be submitted with entry to ensure that genotype rating can be verified.
3. Heifers may be in-calf or maiden. All heifers must be between 12 months and 24 months of age on the date of the show.
4. Each heifer can attend up to five shows. If a heifer enters more than five shows, any further prizemoney will be forfeited.
5. All heifers **must** be haltered trained and led by a competent adult.
6. The foregoing rules should be read in conjunction with ISA General Rules.

Start Time:1:00 pm  
*Prizes:* 1st - €250, 2nd - €125, 3rd - €75, 4th - €50, 5th - €50, 6th - €50, 7th - €50, 8th - €50

### **C72 Beef Inter Breed Pairs**

*Description:* Animals can be named on Show Day. The Pair of animals must be from one exhibitor

Start Time:1:00 pm  
*Prizes:* 1st - Champion, 2nd - €50

### **C73 Overall Supreme Beef Champion Sponsored by AIB**

*Sponsors:* AIB MIDDLETON  
 Start Time:1:00 pm Entry to this class is free of charge.

*Qual. Classes:* Class No. C25 - Pedigree Hereford Champion  
 Class No. C33 - Pedigree Aberdeen Angus Champion  
 Class No. C36 - Pedigree Beef Shorthorn Champion  
 Class No. C42 - Pedigree Charolais Champion  
 Class No. C48 - Pedigree Simmental Champion  
 Class No. C54 - Pedigree Limousin Champion  
 Class No. C60 - Pedigree Belgian Blue Champion  
 Class No. C69 - Commercial Non Pedigree Beef Champion

*Prizes:* 1st - , 2nd -

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# SHEEP

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## SUFFOLK

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*Entry Fee:* €7 unless otherwise stated.

### **SH1 Pedigree Suffolk Ewe one year old or over**

Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €20

### **SH2 Pedigree Suffolk Ram lamb untrimmed and un carded save squaring the tail**

Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €20

### **SH3 Pedigree Suffolk Ewe lamb untrimmed and un carded save for squaring the tail**

Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €20

### **SH4 Champion Suffolk**

*Description:* For 1st & 2nd Prize Winners in classes SH1, SH2 & SH3.

Entry to this class is free of charge.

*Qual. Classes:* Class No. SH1 - Pedigree Suffolk Ewe one year old or over

Class No. SH2 - Pedigree Suffolk Ram lamb untrimmed and un carded save squaring the tail

Class No. SH3 - Pedigree Suffolk Ewe lamb untrimmed and un carded save for squaring the tail

*Prizes:* 1st - Champion, 2nd - Reserve Champion

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## CHAROLAIS

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*Entry Fee:* €7 unless otherwise stated.

### **SH5 Pedigree Charolais Ram one year old or over**

Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €20

### **SH6 Pedigree Charolais Ewe one year old or over**

Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €20

### **SH7 Pedigree Charolais Ram lamb**

Start Time:1:00 pm

*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €20

## **SH8 Pedigree Charolais Ewe lamb**

Start Time:1:00 pm  
*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €20

## **SH9 Champion Charolais**

*Description:* For 1st & 2nd Prize Winners in classes SH5, SH6, SH7 &SH8  
Entry to this class is free of charge.

*Qual. Classes:* Class No. SH5 - Pedigree Charolais Ram one year old or over  
Class No. SH6 - Pedigree Charolais Ewe one year old or over  
Class No. SH7 - Pedigree Charolais Ram lamb  
Class No. SH8 - Pedigree Charolais Ewe lamb

*Prizes:* 1st - Champion, 2nd - Reserve Champion

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# **COMMERCIAL**

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*Entry Fee:* €7 unless otherwise stated.

## **SH10 Ewe lamb suitable for breeding**

Start Time:1:00 pm  
*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €20

## **SH11 Hogget Ewe suitable for breeding**

Start Time:1:00 pm  
*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €20

## **SH12 Any age Ewe non pure bred**

Start Time:1:00 pm  
*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €20

## **SH13 Any other breed best pedigree female 1 yr or over**

Start Time:1:00 pm  
*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €20

## **SH14 Best pair non pedigree butchers lambs**

Start Time:1:00 pm  
*Prizes:* 1st - €40, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €20

## **SH15 Champion Commercial**

*Description:* For 1st & 2nd Prize Winners in classes SH10, SH11, SH12, SH13 & SH14  
Entry to this class is free of charge.

*Qual. Classes:* Class No. SH10 - Ewe lamb suitable for breeding  
Class No. SH11 - Hogget Ewe suitable for breeding  
Class No. SH12 - Any age Ewe non pure bred  
Class No. SH13 - Any other breed best pedigree female 1 yr or over  
Class No. SH14 - Best pair non pedigree butchers lambs

*Prizes:* 1st - Champion, 2nd - Reserve Champion

## **SH16 Interbreed Overall Champion & Reserve Champion Sheep**

*Description:* For Champion & Reserve Suffolk, Charolais & Commercial prize winners  
Entry to this class is free of charge.

*Qual. Classes:* Class No. SH4 - Champion Suffolk

Class No. SH9 - Champion Charolais

Class No. SH15 - Champion Commercial

*Prizes:* 1<sup>st</sup> - Champion, 2<sup>nd</sup> - Reserve Champion

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# INDOORS

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## HORTICULTURE

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*Entry Fee:* €3 unless otherwise stated.

### **IN1 Vase or arrangement of flowers from your garden**

Entries/items to be handed in to the Arts and Crafts cottage at the showgrounds (Ballindenisk, Watergrasshill) on Saturday 23rd of May by 5pm. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Five or more entries - three prizes. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €10, 2nd - €7, 3rd - €5

### **IN2 Vase or arrangement of foilage from your garden**

Entries/items to be handed in to the Arts and Crafts cottage at the showgrounds (Ballindenisk, Watergrasshill) on Saturday 23rd of May by 5pm. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Five or more entries - three prizes. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €10, 2nd - €7, 3rd - €5

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## ARTS & CRAFTS

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*Entry Fee:* €3 unless otherwise stated.

### **IN3 Child's Handknit Jumper/Cardigan - Under 5yrs**

Entries/items to be handed in to the Arts and Crafts cottage at the showgrounds (Ballindenisk, Watergrasshill) on Saturday 23rd of May by 5pm. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Five or more entries - three prizes. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €10, 2nd - €7, 3rd - €5

### **IN4 Handmade Cushion**

*Description:* Hand/machine sewn, crochet, knitted

Entries/items to be handed in to the Arts and Crafts cottage at the showgrounds (Ballindenisk, Watergrasshill) on Saturday 23rd of May by 5pm. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Five or more entries - three prizes. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €10, 2nd - €7, 3rd - €5

## **IN5 Card for a Special Occasion**

*Description:* No more than 6" x 8"

Entries/items to be handed in to the Arts and Crafts cottage at the showgrounds (Ballindenisk, Watergrasshill) on Saturday 23rd of May by 5pm. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Five or more entries - three prizes. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €10, 2nd - €7, 3rd - €5

## **IN6 Handmade Toy**

Entries/items to be handed in to the Arts and Crafts cottage at the showgrounds (Ballindenisk, Watergrasshill) on Saturday 23rd of May by 5pm. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Five or more entries - three prizes. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €10, 2nd - €7, 3rd - €5

## **IN7 A Recycled Item**

Entries/items to be handed in to the Arts and Crafts cottage at the showgrounds (Ballindenisk, Watergrasshill, T56 YX60) on Saturday 24th May by 5pm. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 25th May. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €10, 2nd - €7, 3rd - €5

## **IN8 Any item of hand knitting**

Entries/items to be handed in to the Arts and Crafts cottage at the showgrounds (Ballindenisk, Watergrasshill) on Saturday 23rd of May by 5pm. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Five or more entries - three prizes. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €10, 2nd - €7, 3rd - €5

## **IN9 Any item of crochet**

Entries/items to be handed in to the Arts and Crafts cottage at the showgrounds (Ballindenisk, Watergrasshill) on Saturday 23rd of May by 5pm. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Five or more entries - three prizes. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €10, 2nd - €7, 3rd - €5

## **IN10 Painting in any medium depicting a rural/nature scene**

Entries/items to be handed in to the Arts and Crafts cottage at the showgrounds (Ballindenisk, Watergrasshill) on Saturday 23rd of May by 5pm. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Five or more entries - three prizes. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €10, 2nd - €7, 3rd - €5

## **IN11 All-Ireland Fleetwood Amateur Painter**

*Description:* **THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION & VIRGINIA SHOW SOCIETY  
PRESENT THE FLEETWOOD PAINTS ALL IRELAND AMATEUR  
PAINTING CHAMPIONSHIP  
Kindly Sponsored By Fleetwood Ireland Paints Company**

### **RULES & CONDITIONS**

1. Paintings must be the sole work of the exhibitor who must have amateur status.
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 owner's 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 an 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.**

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## **PHOTOGRAPHY**

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*Entry Fee:* €3 unless otherwise stated.

### **IN12 Landscape/Seascape colour mounted not framed**

Entries/items to be handed in to the Arts and Crafts cottage at the showgrounds (Ballindenisk, Watergrasshill) on Saturday 23rd of May by 5pm. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Five or more entries - three prizes. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €10, 2nd - €7, 3rd - €5

### **IN13 A person at work colour/black and white**

Entries/items to be handed in to the Arts and Crafts cottage at the showgrounds (Ballindenisk, Watergrasshill) on Saturday 23rd of May by 5pm. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Five or more entries - three prizes. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €10, 2nd - €7, 3rd - €5

### **IN14 All Ireland Amateur Photography Championship**

*Description:* **THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION & TYDAVNET SHOW PRESENT THE ALL IRELAND PHOTOGRAPHY CHAMPIONSHIP**

**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

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## **CHILDREN'S BAKING**

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*Entry Fee:* €2 unless otherwise stated.

### **IN15 4 Novelty Cakes (National School ONLY)**

*Description:* Confined to National School children only

Entries/items to be handed in to the Arts and Crafts cottage at the showgrounds (Ballindenisk, Watergrasshill) on Saturday 23rd of May by 5pm. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Five or more entries - three prizes. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €7, 2nd - €5, 3rd - €3

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## **BAKING**

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*Entry Fee:* €3 unless otherwise stated.

## **IN16 Homemade Brown Bread**

The baking categories must be handed in to the Arts & Crafts cottage at the showgrounds between 10:00am and 11:00am on the morning of the show. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €10, 2nd - €7, 3rd - €5

## **IN17 Rhubarb Tart**

The baking categories must be handed in to the Arts & Crafts cottage at the showgrounds between 10:00am and 11:00am on the morning of the show. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €10, 2nd - €7, 3rd - €5

## **IN18 4 Fruit Scones**

The baking categories must be handed in to the Arts & Crafts cottage at the showgrounds between 10:00am and 11:00am on the morning of the show. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €10, 2nd - €7, 3rd - €5

## **IN19 Fruit Loaf**

*Description:* 2lbs Loaf Tin

The baking categories must be handed in to the Arts & Crafts cottage at the showgrounds between 10:00am and 11:00am on the morning of the show. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €10, 2nd - €7, 3rd - €5

## **IN20 All-Ireland Preserves Championship**

*Description:* **THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION & ARVA SHOW PRESENT THE ALL IRELAND HOME PRESERVES CHAMPIONSHIP**  
**Sponsored by: Breffni Landscapes**  
**PRIZE FUND €600**

### **RULES AND CONDITIONS**

1. Display three pots of preserves from each section below. Pots used to be no bigger than 454gms. (1lb) all the same size
    - o Soft Fruits
    - o Stoned Fruits
    - o MarmaladeMax. space allowed 22cm. x 22cm.
  2. Points will be awarded for taste, appearance, sealing, setting and presentation
  3. Lids only to be used.
  4. All three pots to be labelled
  5. No biscuits or scones to be displayed with exhibit.
  6. Simple presentation only required.
  7. The competition is confined to amateurs.
  8. Two exhibits will qualify from each show.
  9. The exhibits must be home produced by the exhibitor.
  10. 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.
  11. A special class will be held at each qualifying show.
  12. All preserves will be sampled.
  13. The judge's decision at all stages of the competition is final
  14. Exhibits are displayed at owner's risk.
  15. For the final fresh pots of preserves must be entered.
  16. 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**

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## **CHILDREN'S ARTS & CRAFTS**

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*Entry Fee:* €2 unless otherwise stated.

### **IN21 Design a card for a special occasion**

*Description:* 6" x 8" max.

Entries/items to be handed in to the Arts and Crafts cottage at the showgrounds (Ballindenisk, Watergrasshill) on Saturday 23rd of May by 5pm. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Five or more entries - three prizes. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €7, 2nd - €5, 3rd - €3

## **IN22 Novelty Item - Best Dressed Wooden Spoon**

Entries/items to be handed in to the Arts and Crafts cottage at the showgrounds (Ballindenisk, Watergrasshill) on Saturday 23rd of May by 5pm. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Five or more entries - three prizes. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €7, 2nd - €5, 3rd - €3

## **IN23 Painted Stone**

Entries/items to be handed in to the Arts and Crafts cottage at the showgrounds (Ballindenisk, Watergrasshill) on Saturday 23rd of May by 5pm. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Five or more entries - three prizes. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €7, 2nd - €5, 3rd - €3

## **IN24 Drawing/Painting (Under 9yrs)**

*Description:* Under 9 years

Entries/items to be handed in to the Arts and Crafts cottage at the showgrounds (Ballindenisk, Watergrasshill) on Saturday 23rd of May by 5pm. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Five or more entries - three prizes. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €7, 2nd - €5, 3rd - €3

## **IN25 Drawing/Painting (10yrs and over)**

*Description:* 10 years and over

Entries/items to be handed in to the Arts and Crafts cottage at the showgrounds (Ballindenisk, Watergrasshill) on Saturday 23rd of May by 5pm. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Five or more entries - three prizes. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €7, 2nd - €5, 3rd - €3

## **IN26 Handwriting (Under 9yrs)**

*Description:* Under 9 years. One side of A4 lined paper - decorated if desired. The following piece to be written in ordinary script. Name and School on the back please.

### **The Worm b y Ralph Bergengren**

When the earth is turned in spring  
The worms are fat as anything.  
And birds come flying all around  
To eat the worms right off the ground.  
They like the worms just as much as I  
Like bread and milk and apple pie.  
And once, when I was very young,  
I put a worm right on my tongue.  
I didn't like the taste a bit,  
And so I didn't swallow it.  
But oh, it makes my Mother squirm  
Because she thinks I ate that worm!

Entries/items to be handed in to the Arts and Crafts cottage at the showgrounds (Ballindenisk, Watergrasshill) on Saturday 23rd of May by 5pm. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Five or more entries - three prizes. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €7, 2nd - €5, 3rd - €3

## **IN27 Handwriting (10yrs and over)**

*Description:* 10 years and over. One side of A4 lined paper - decorated if desired. The following piece to be written in ordinary script. Name and School on the back please.

### **The Wayfarer by Pádraig Pearse**

The beauty of the world hath made me sad,  
This beauty that will pass;  
Sometimes my heart hath shaken with great joy  
To see a leaping squirrel in a tree,  
Or a red lady-bird upon a stalk,  
Or little rabbits in a field at evening,  
Lit by a slanting sun,  
Or some green hill where shadows drifted by  
Some quiet hill where mountainy man hath sown  
And soon would reap; near to the gate of Heaven;  
Or children with bare feet upon the sands  
Of some ebb'd sea, or playing on the streets  
Of little towns in Connacht,  
Things young and happy.  
And then my heart hath told me:  
These will pass,  
Will pass and change, will die and be no more,  
Things bright and green, things young and happy;  
And I have gone upon my way  
Sorrowful.

Entries/items to be handed in to the Arts and Crafts cottage at the showgrounds (Ballindenisk, Watergrasshill) on Saturday 23rd of May by 5pm. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Five or more entries - three prizes. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €7, 2nd - €5, 3rd - €3

## **IN28 Pre-School, Junior & Senior Infants: Primary Schools Art Competition**

*Description:* Open to children in Pre-School, Junior Infants & Senior Infants.

Only entries completed on the linked template will be accepted.

Entries must be completed using colouring pencils or watercolour only.

**Download Template [CLICK HERE](#)**

Entries/items to be handed in to the Arts and Crafts cottage at the showgrounds (Ballindenisk, Watergrasshill) on Saturday 23rd of May by 5pm. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Five or more entries - three prizes. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €7, 2nd - €5, 3rd - €3

## **IN29 1st - 3rd Class: Primary Schools Art Competition**

*Description:* Open to children in First, Second & Third Class of Primary School.

Only entries completed on the linked template will be accepted.

Entries must be completed using colouring pencils or watercolour only.

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Entries/items to be handed in to the Arts and Crafts cottage at the showgrounds (Ballindenisk, Watergrasshill) on Saturday 23rd of May by 5pm. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Five or more entries - three prizes. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €7, 2nd - €5, 3rd - €3

## **IN30 4th - 6th Class: Primary Schools Art Competition - Biodiversity Poster & Slogan**

*Description:* Open to children in Fourth, Fifth & Sixth Class of Primary School.

Only entries completed on the linked template will be accepted.

Poster with a catchy slogan included. The theme of the poster and slogan is Biodiversity.

Entries must be completed using colouring pencils or watercolour only.

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Entries/items to be handed in to the Arts and Crafts cottage at the showgrounds (Ballindenisk, Watergrasshill) on Saturday 23rd of May by 5pm. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Five or more entries - three prizes. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €7, 2nd - €5, 3rd - €3

### **IN31 Lego Display - Open Theme - Up to 2nd Class**

*Description:* Open to children up to and including those in Second Class. Displayed on a tray or base. Size allowed: 45cm x 45cm (18 inches x 18 inches). Use of LEGO kit pieces is allowed.

Entries/items to be handed in to the Arts and Crafts cottage at the showgrounds (Ballindenisk, Watergrasshill) on Saturday 23rd of May by 5pm. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Five or more entries - three prizes. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €7, 2nd - €5, 3rd - €3

### **IN32 Lego Display - Open Theme - 3rd Class to 6th Class**

*Description:* Open to children from Third Class up to and including those in Sixth Class. Displayed on a tray or base. Size allowed: 45cm x 45cm (18 inches x 18 inches). Use of LEGO kit pieces is allowed.

Entries/items to be handed in to the Arts and Crafts cottage at the showgrounds (Ballindenisk, Watergrasshill) on Saturday 23rd of May by 5pm. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Five or more entries - three prizes. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €7, 2nd - €5, 3rd - €3

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## **CHILDREN'S PHOTOGRAPHY**

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*Entry Fee:* €2 unless otherwise stated.

### **IN33 Any pet, animal or bird in colour**

*Description:* 7" x 5" max.

Entries/items to be handed in to the Arts and Crafts cottage at the showgrounds (Ballindenisk, Watergrasshill) on Saturday 23rd of May by 5pm. Exhibits cannot be removed from the showgrounds before 4:30pm on Sunday 24th of May. Five or more entries - three prizes. Less than five entries - two prizes.

*Prizes:* 1st - €7, 2nd - €5, 3rd - €3

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# DOGS

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Entry to this category is free of charge unless otherwise stated.

## **D1 Best Groomed**

*Description:* Entries from 1pm. Classes commence at 2pm.  
Start Time:2:00 pmEntry Fee: €4.

## **D2 Puppy**

*Description:* Entries from 1pm. Classes commence at 2pm.  
Start Time:2:00 pmEntry Fee: €4.

## **D3 Small**

*Description:* Entries from 1pm. Classes commence at 2pm.  
Start Time:2:00 pmEntry Fee: €4.

## **D4 Medium**

*Description:* Entries from 1pm. Classes commence at 2pm.  
Start Time:2:00 pmEntry Fee: €4.

## **D5 Large**

*Description:* Entries from 1pm. Classes commence at 2pm.  
Start Time:2:00 pmEntry Fee: €4.

## **D6 Veteran Dog (Over 8yrs)**

*Description:* Entries from 1pm. Classes commence at 2pm.  
Start Time:2:00 pmEntry Fee: €4.

## **D7 Terrier**

*Description:* Entries from 1pm. Classes commence at 2pm.  
Start Time:2:00 pmEntry Fee: €4.

## **D8 Gun Dog**

*Description:* Entries from 1pm. Classes commence at 2pm.  
Start Time:2:00 pmEntry Fee: €4.

## **D9 Working Dog**

*Description:* Entries from 1pm. Classes commence at 2pm.  
Start Time:2:00 pmEntry Fee: €4.

## **D10 Guard Dog**

*Description:* Entries from 1pm. Classes commence at 2pm.  
Start Time:2:00 pmEntry Fee: €4.

## **D11 Child Handling**

*Description:* Entries from 1pm. Classes commence at 2pm.  
Start Time:2:00 pmEntry Fee: €4.

## **D12 Adult Handling**

*Description:* Entries from 1pm. Classes commence at 2pm.  
Start Time:2:00 pmEntry Fee: €4.

## **D13 Dog The Judge Would Like to Take Home**

*Description:* Entries from 1pm. Classes commence at 2pm.  
Start Time:2:00 pmEntry Fee: €4.

## **D14 Fancy Dress**

*Description:* Entries from 1pm. Classes commence at 2pm.  
Start Time:2:00 pmEntry Fee: €4.

## **D15 Waggiest Tail**

*Description:* Entries from 1pm. Classes commence at 2pm.  
Start Time:2:00 pmEntry Fee: €4.

## **D16 Champion Dog**

*Description:* Classes commence at 2pm.

Winners of classes 1-10 compete for Champion and Reserve Champion  
Start Time:2:00 pm

*Qual. Classes:* Class No. D1 - Best Groomed

Class No. D2 - Puppy

Class No. D3 - Small

Class No. D4 - Medium

Class No. D5 - Large

Class No. D6 - Veteran Dog (Over 8yrs)

Class No. D7 - Terrier

Class No. D8 - Gun Dog

Class No. D9 - Working Dog

Class No. D10 - Guard Dog

## **D17 Munster Dog Championship - Small Dog**

*Description:* Entries from 1pm. Classes commence at 2pm.

**THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION & KILGARVAN SHOW**

**SOCIETY PRESENT MUNSTER DOG CHAMPIONSHIP (Open to all Breeds)**

**Sponsored by: Goldspeed LTD & Kilgarvan Show**

**PRIZE FUND: €400**

### **RULES AND CONDITIONS**

1. Small dog any breed.
2. Large dog any breed.
3. Exhibitors in this championship do not need to be resident in Munster
4. One dog from each class qualifies from each show (1small dog & 1large dog)
5. Dogs that qualify at a show cannot re-enter at another show to qualify again.
6. Entries in this championship may compete in other classes at Kilgarvan Show.
7. All Dogs must enter ring without rosettes.

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

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

**The Goldspeed LTD Trophy for the Champion Large & Small Dog.**

No entries permitted on day of event. FINAL: Kilgarvan Show - Sunday 2nd August 2026

Start Time:2:00 pm

## **D18 Munster Dog Championship - Large Dog**

**THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION & KILGARVAN SHOW**

**SOCIETY PRESENT MUNSTER DOG CHAMPIONSHIP (Open to all Breeds)**

**Sponsored by: Goldspeed LTD & Kilgarvan Show**

**PRIZE FUND: €400**

### **RULES AND CONDITIONS**

1. Small dog any breed.
2. Large dog any breed.
3. Exhibitors in this championship do not need to be resident in Munster
4. One dog from each class qualifies from each show (1small dog & 1large dog)
5. Dogs that qualify at a show cannot re-enter at another show to qualify again.
6. Entries in this championship may compete in other classes at Kilgarvan Show.
7. All Dogs must enter ring without rosettes.

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

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

**The Goldspeed LTD Trophy for the Champion Large & Small Dog.**

No entries permitted on day of event. FINAL: Kilgarvan Show - Sunday 2nd August 2026

Start Time:2:00 pm