



GRANARD AGRICULTURAL 76th SHOW

To be held at: The Showgrounds, Higginstown Park, Granard, Co Longford, N39H5W7 -
Agricultural Show on Saturday 18th July 2026 & Horse Jumping on Sunday 19th July 2026

“MCNALLY MOTORS TOYOTA LONGFORD” BEST CONTINENTAL TYPE HEIFER WITH NO PERMANENT TEETH”

PRIZE FUND €2,000 KINDLY SPONSORED BY MCNALLY MOTORS ATHLONE ROAD, LONGFORD

THE BUDDY KIERNAN MILLING BEST ANGUS FEMALE CLASS AND ANGUS MALE CLASS (NON-PEDIGREE) WITH NOT MORE THAN TWO PERMANENT TEETH. TOTAL PRIZE FUND OF €1,000 KINDLY SPONSORED BY BUDDY KIERNAN MILLING

MIDLAND AGRI CONSULTANTS YOUNG STOCKMANSHIP CHALLENGE

AGE CATEGORIES 12 YEARS AND UNDER; 13-16 YEARS AND 17-26 YEARS KINDLY SPONSORED BY PAUL BELTON, MIDLAND AGRI CONSULTANTS LTD. PRIZE FUND €650

BEST HEIFER LIKELY TO MAKE A SUCKLER COW, OTHER THAN PUREBRED, KINDLY SPONSORED BY GRANARD FARMERS MART LTD PRIZE FUND €500

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION CHAROLAIS KINDLY SPONSORED BY CHARLIE BURNS AGRICONSULTANT GRANARD PRIZE FUND €300

PEDIGREE CATTLE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS RECEIVES €500

COMMERCIAL CATTLE CHAMPION CMAPIONS RECEIVES €500

CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS SECTIONS IS KINDLY SPONSORED BY LAKELAND DAIRIES

SHEEP SECTION KINDLY SPONSORED BY EXPERT HARDWARE GRANARD & PATRICK DURKIN GRANARD

IRISH DRAUGHT MARE CLASS PRIZE FUND €500.00 KINDLY SPONSORED BY THE BOYLE FAMILY, KILLEEN, GRANARD

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CHAMPION IRISH DRAUGHT OF THE SHOW RECEIVES A VOUCHER TO THE VALUE OF €1,000 FOR FLANAGAN ACCOUNTANTS KINDLY SPONSORED BY AIDAN FLANAGAN, GLASSON

ENTRIES CLOSE ON TUESDAY 7TH OF JULY 2026 – STRICTLY NO ENTRIES ACCEPTED BY EMAIL, WHATSAPP, TEXT MESSAGE, ALL ENTRIES MUST BE ON A SIGNED ENTRY FORM WITH FULL FEES.

- LIVESTOCK ENTRIES SUBMITTED AFTER THE CLOSING DATE WILL INCURR A SURCHARGE OF €10.00

ENTRIES TO: HAZEL MCVEIGH, SECRETARY, GRANARD AGRICULTURAL SHOW SOCIETY, “SLEEPY HOLLOW”, KILNACARROW, BALLINALEE, CO LONGFORD, N39WE28

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Tuaithe agus Pobail
Department of Rural and
Community Development



Discipline

The Irish Shows Association expects and will insist upon appropriate behaviour from all Exhibitors and others participating in any of the activities at our Member Shows and will not tolerate inappropriate behaviour.

Inappropriate behaviour shall include but not be limited to the following:

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

Disciplinary Procedures:

Complaints of misconduct against an Exhibitor or other participant at a Member Show shall be investigated and adjudicated upon by a subcommittee appointed by the Irish Shows Association. The said subcommittee shall consist of 5 (max.) board members and the sitting president of the Irish Shows Association and shall be known as the Disciplinary Committee. The Disciplinary Committee shall seek to ensure the existence of consistent, effective, fair and transparent complaint procedures and shall act in accordance with natural and constitutional justice.

Procedure:

A complaint of misconduct/inappropriate behaviour against an Exhibitor or other participant in a Member Show shall be made in writing and delivered to the Secretary of the relevant Member Show within 72 hours.

A copy of the complaint shall be sent by the Secretary of the Member Show to the National Secretary of the ISA. A copy of the complaint will be sent by the National Secretary to the person or persons against whom the complaint is made. A person or persons against whom a written complaint is made shall have a period of 14 working days from the date of receipt of the claim to reply to the said complaint; such reply shall be made in writing.

Both parties shall state whether an oral hearing of the complaint is sought. The Disciplinary Committee shall be entitled to hold an oral hearing in regard to the complaint whether or not sought. The Disciplinary Committee shall decide in each case whether to hold such an oral hearing in respect of the complaint, or any part thereof and there shall be no appeal from such decision of the Disciplinary Committee. For the purposes of dealing with a complaint, any three members of the disciplinary committee will constitute the complaint committee.

The Disciplinary Committee shall, at any time, seek further information from either party. In the event of either party refusing or failing to provide such further information within the time specified by the Disciplinary Committee, the Committee shall be entitled to make a decision on the complaint and/or to hold an oral hearing of the complaint in the absence of a copy of such further information being received by the Disciplinary Committee from either party.

The Disciplinary Committee shall be entitled to reject a complaint where, in the opinion of the Committee, it finds there is no basis for it.

Sanctions:

In the event of a first incident of inappropriate/unacceptable behaviour being deemed to be proved against the offender, the Disciplinary Committee shall issue a written warning to the offender. In the event of any subsequent incident, the Disciplinary Committee shall be entitled to impose sanctions on the offender, including a prohibition on such offender participating in any of the events/activities at any Member Show of the ISA, provided always that in the event of a first incident of inappropriate/unacceptable behaviour being deemed by the Disciplinary Committee to constitute gross misbehaviour, the Disciplinary Committee shall be entitled to impose such sanctions on the offender as it deems appropriate, including the prohibition on such offender from participating in any of the events/activities of any Member Show of the ISA.

The decision of the Disciplinary Committee shall be final.

The ISA recommends that part or all of this procedure should be published in all show schedules and that a copy is available in the show office. If using a shorter version, you should provide a link to the full text. It is also advisable to make the full text available through your own show's website.

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ANIMAL MOVEMENT

Horses

Premises Registration

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

Records must be retained for at least 3 years as they may be required by the Department for the purposes of tracing disease. Records required are

- The name and address of the owner/person in charge of the premises from which the equine came
- The premises registration number from which the equine came and
- Passport number/UELN number of the animal

It is important therefore that Show organisers should contact their local Regional Veterinary Office in advance so that consideration can be given to compliance with the requirements outlined above.

Further information is available at: <https://www.gov.ie/en/form/19428-application-for-registration-of-an-equine-premises-under-the-control-on-places-where-horses-are-kept-regulations-2014/>

Equine Identification

All Equines (which include horses, ponies and donkeys) must be identified in accordance with EU and national legislation.

- It is an offence to be in possession of an equine that is not properly identified.
- Equine passports must be issued by approved Passport Issuing Organisations [PIOs] not later than 12 months from the date of birth of the animal and, in any event before the equine leaves the establishment of birth for a period exceeding 30 days, except in limited circumstances. The passport is valid for the lifetime of the animal. A list of the PIOs approved by the Minister for Agriculture, Food and the Marine is set out in Appendix 5.
- Microchip - all equines issued with a passport after 1st July 2009 must have a corresponding microchip implanted by a veterinarian, the details of which are recorded in the passport and in the central equine database, thereby creating a link between the passport and the animal.
- In respect of each equine in their care, a keeper must ensure that
 - the equine is registered with an approved PIO;
 - the animal's passport is issued in accordance with EU and national legislation;
 - they are in compliance with the provisions of the legislation whereby the passport issued in respect of the equine must accompany the animal whenever it is moved to events such as shows, sales and to slaughter plants, etc.

Further information is available from Dept. of Agriculture, Food and the Marine, - at Livestock Breeding, Production and Trade Division, Farnham St, Cavan (Phone +353 49 4368200) in respect of studbook equines and from Animal Identification and Movement Division, Backweston Administration Building, Celbridge, Co Kildare, W23 X3PH (Phone +353 1 5058881) in respect of equines that do not qualify for entry into a studbook.

Cattle

Animal Health Status

TB - Bovine Tuberculosis Eradication Scheme

All animals must come from herds, which are Officially TB free (OTF - i.e., not restricted) and the herd and relevant animals must have had a clear test within the previous 12 months – this test must be recorded on the Department’s Animal Health Computer System (AHCS). In general, apart from cows of all ages and males over the age of 36 months (see next paragraph), no pre-movement test is required for TB. However, it is recommended by the Department that a 30-day pre-movement test for TB should apply to all Shows. Animals which have disclosed inconclusive reactor results are not permitted to be moved for the purpose of exhibition at shows.

From the 1 February 2023, cows of all ages and males over the age of 36 months that move from a show to a different herd must either have been tested in the previous 30 days or the animal and the herd presenting it to the show must have been tested in the previous six months prior to movement. If a cow of any age, or a male over the age of 36 months, moves from a show to a different herd and does not meet the above criteria then a TB test must be carried out on the animal concerned within 30 days of its movement into the new herd. If after 30 days, the animal has not been tested, the herd into which it has moved will be restricted and if, after a further 60 days the animal has still not been tested then the entire herd will be listed for a TB test. For further information see new bovine TB testing requirements for animal movements on www.bovinetb.ie

Bovine Viral Diarrhoea (BVD)

All bovine animals must have a negative BVD status for BVD virus (not antibody) when moving, including to shows, within the state. Animals entering the state, including Northern Ireland, must have a valid E.U. Health Certificate.

Identification, Registration, Movement Inspections

The restriction of a holding for noncompliance with IDR related issues will also impact movement of bovine to a show for the period of the restriction.

Bovine Identification & Mandatory Electronic Identification of bovines (EID)

Mandatory electronic identification (EID) of bovines has been implemented with effect from 1st July 2022. This means that all bovine animals born on or after 1st July 2022 must be identified with 2 official flag tags, one of which contains an EID component. All bovines born prior to 1st July 2022 must continue to bear 2 official flag tags as heretofore. There is no mandatory requirement that bovines in this age category bear an official EID tag.

Passports

All bovines attending shows must be accompanied by their passports.

Animal Identification and Movement (AIM) Notification

1. The movement of cattle to and from an Agricultural Show/Fair within the State must be recorded on the AIM System.
2. With effect from 4 February 2019 there is a specific Certificates of Compliance for the “Movement of Bovine from a Single Holding to a Show”, form NBAS 31K refers.
3. The herd keeper must obtain the Certificate of Compliance prior to the movement of animals. The certificate can be created by (i) using herd keepers’ on-line facility or (ii) where the keeper is not on-line the certificate can be generated by the local Regional Veterinary Office (RVO) following receipt of a completed form NBAS 31K.
4. The creation of a certificate is subject to normal movement criteria such as clear TB test etc.
5. A copy of form NBAS 31K is included at Appendix 2 and will also be available on www.gov.ie.

6. When applying for this certificate, the Show/Fair number is not required. The certificate generated will include an “S” symbol.
7. The Certificate of Compliance for a show will continue to be valid for a period of up to 30 days. As is currently the case, these can be used for the movement of animal/s to several shows during the validity period of the certificate. Requests to the RVO should be provided with sufficient time to allow for the certificate to be generated and issued especially where one cert expires, and another is required immediately. Keepers who are likely to attend at consecutive shows are strongly advised to apply using herd keepers’ on-line facility. The ability to create and print a certificate immediately (subject to the bovine meeting the relevant criteria) will remove issues which can arise where a certificate is already in place and a further certificate is required.
8. Calves which are less than 10 days old cannot be moved to a Show.
9. The Movement Notification Section of the Certificate should be completed and signed by the keeper. The form should also be signed and stamped by the Show Secretary who must clearly indicate the Show Number. The Show movement must be recorded on the passport. Ultimate responsibility for fulfilling these requirements lies with the Show Secretary.
10. If the animal/s move from the show to a herd other than the source herd, the new destination herd must also sign the certificate.
11. Completed forms must be sent by the Show Secretary to the local RVO within seven days of the Show. Failure to have movements recorded within the required time scale may have implications for the herd keeper/s involved.

Cattle being Moved from Northern Ireland for an Agricultural Show

Movements from Northern Ireland (NI)

It is very important that any proposal to move cattle to a show, including from NI, is made known to the local RVO well in advance so that consideration can be given to compliance with the requirements outlined below.

Premises

The show premises at which the cattle will reside for the duration of their stay must be an assembly centre approved for Intra Trade (movements to other Member States) or of such a standard as being capable of being approved for such a purpose temporarily. A fundamental requirement for such premises is that they have surfaces that are capable of being cleaned and disinfected and have adequate cleaning and disinfection facilities. Adequate segregation facilities may be required also (see under “Status of Animals” below).

Status of Bovine Animals moved from Northern Ireland for a Show

Cattle from NI being moved to a show must be certified in accordance with the normal animal health requirements for intra-community trade in breeding animals including having passed a TB test (INTRA TRADE interpretation) during the 30 days prior to movement.

To comply with eligibility requirements for return to Northern Ireland after the show Cattle cannot mix with any cattle of a lesser health status while at the show.

This can be achieved in one of two ways:

1. either the moved animals are kept segregated fully from other cattle at the show which have not been tested, or
2. all cattle attending the show must have been TB tested (Intra Trade interpretation) within 30 days.

Documentation Required

1. Cattle moved to a show from NI must be accompanied by an original breeding Intra-Trade Animal Health Certificate (ITAHC) and a passport for each animal.

2. A TRACES message, corresponding with the TRACES certificate, will be sent for each animal or consignment being dispatched to the show (this will be performed by officials in the dispatching country).
3. For the return journey, this original certificate must be endorsed by the signature of the official veterinarian of the Department at the show, together with the official stamp of the competent authority and date of endorsement.
4. A TRACES message will be sent for the return journey also (this will be performed by Department officials attending the show).
5. In addition, a non-comminglement certificate must be issued by the official veterinarian for the show at or before return, stating that the animal shows no clinical signs of disease and has not been in contact, during its stay at the show/event, with animals of a lesser health status. The passport must accompany the animal on the return journey also.
6. CMMS 5 - In such cases and in addition to the above the keeper of the animals in conjunction with the Show Secretary must also ensure that a CMMS 5 document is completed and returned to the Animal Identification and Movement Division, Backweston Administration Building, Stacumny Lane, Celbridge, Co Kildare, W23 X3PH detailing those animals moved to take part in the Show. The keeper of the moved animal/s is required to sign the form when the animal arrives at the Show and provide their herd number. Following the show, the official veterinarian should complete the bottom portion of the CMMS 5 form also confirming that he has stamped the official Health Certificate and that he has issued a Non-Comminglement Certificate.
7. A copy of the CMMS 5 form is attached at Appendix 2 and will also be available on the Departments website/from the local RVO.
8. The secretary/keeper should retain a photocopy of the form if required.

Requirement in Respect of Cattle being:

- A. Moved to Northern Ireland for an Agricultural Show (and returned) and
- B. Consideration regarding movement of cattle to an agricultural show within the EU other than NI

A. Movement to Northern Ireland

1. Cattle moving from Ireland to a Show in NI must be recorded on the Departments AIM database.
2. When the ITAHC is being issued by the local RVO, they will arrange to have the outward movement for the animal(s) recorded onto AIM. All cattle must be accompanied by an official TRACES ITAHC for bovine animals (BOV-X).
3. A TRACES message, corresponding with the ITAHC, will be sent for each animal or consignment being dispatched to the show (this will be performed by Department officials in the RVO).

Cattle for Breeding and Production

Valid identity card/passport - all animals

Negative TB test (Intra Trade interpretation) - all animals aged over 42 days within 30 days prior to movement

1. Regarding BVD, keepers will need to satisfy the RVO that
 - a. the proposed show will not accept animals from herds that have contained animals Persistently Infected (P.I.) with BVD within the past 18 months.
 - b. all animals at the show will come from herds where every animal has either a direct or indirect negative BVD test.
2. An official certificate of non-comminglement should be issued by the veterinarian at the show, at or before the time of return.
3. All animals should be isolated for at least 14 days on their return to the herd of origin. The herd keeper should make arrangements with the RVO to have the animal/s

sampled for BVD antibody and antigen before mixing with the rest of the herd.

4. Keepers should be aware that if the results of these tests indicate that the animal/s pose a risk to the National eradication programme, an epidemiological investigation may be triggered.

Note – Normal movement rules including the 30-day residency rule will apply.

B. Movement of Cattle to an Agricultural Show within the EU other than to Northern Ireland

Agreement for the movement and immediate return of cattle to a show in another country within the EU or vice versa currently applies for movements between Ireland and NI only. Requests for cattle from Ireland to attend shows in countries other than NI will be dealt with on a case-by-case basis.

Before the movement of cattle from Ireland to a Show in parts of the EU other than to NI takes place, it is imperative to establish that the Competent Authority of the destination country has agreed to put in place the same system for the processing of the documentation as applies to movements to NI. Therefore, exhibitors who wish to show cattle at an EU Show other than in NI should contact the local RVO at least one month prior to the show.

Where the movement of cattle from Ireland is agreed with the destination country, the movement of such cattle must be recorded on AIM. When the official ITAHC for bovine animals is being issued by the local RVO, they will arrange to have the outward movement of the animal(s) recorded onto AIM.

Process to be followed to ensure that a record is generated to record the return of cattle from a Show to the Home Farm from:

- Northern Ireland and/or
- A location within the EU other than to Northern Ireland where applicable/approved in line with the above (additional to those noted below may also be requested where approved).

Documentation required.

Following the show, the following must be provided:

- a. The Intra Trade Animal Health Certificate (ITAHC) that accompanied the animal from Northern Ireland must be endorsed and stamped by the official veterinarian at the show (a new ITAHC may need to be generated to accompany the animals if they are returning to a location other than Northern Ireland)
- b. A Non-Comminglement Certificate
- c. CMMS 6 form: When the animal returns to the home farm, the keeper presents these Certificates to the RVO along with a completed CMMS 6 form stating that the animal has returned from the show. A copy of the CMMS 6 form is attached at Appendix 4 and will also be available on the Departments website/from the local RVO. The show secretary/keeper should retain a photocopy of the form if required. The RVO can then record the return movement back to the keeper's holding on the AIM system.

Sheep

Identification

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

Movement Documentation

All consignments of sheep being moved must be accompanied by a completed dispatch document. Individual details of each sheep in the consignment must be recorded on the document. Sheep from non-restricted flocks only can be moved to shows. In the case of flocks restricted following diagnosis of scrapie, sheep possessing the ARR/ARR genotype only may be exhibited. The movement of these ARR/ARR genotype sheep

must be accompanied by the relevant movement permit (SCR/10), which can be obtained from the Regional Veterinary Office responsible for the county in which the flock is located.

AIM Notification

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

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

Ultimate responsibility for fulfilling this requirement lies with the Show Secretary.

Flock Register

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

Movement to Northern Ireland

All sheep must be accompanied by an Intra Trade Animal Health Certificate (ITAHC) for ovine animals. A TRACES message, corresponding with the ITAHC, will be sent for each animal or consignment being dispatched to the show (this will be performed by Department officials from the RVO). Exhibitors are advised to contact the show society in Northern Ireland well in advance of any show to determine the suitability of the show for return of animals (e.g., premises and sheep status), and whether the authorities will have officials and veterinary staff present to supervise and process documentation for animals returning to origin.

Agreement for the movement and immediate return of sheep to a Show in another country or vice versa currently applies for movements between Ireland and Northern Ireland only – it does not apply for movements to Great Britain or further afield. Movements to shows other than Northern Ireland will be dealt with on a case-by-case basis, and you should contact your local Regional Veterinary Office at least one month prior to the Show.

Irish Shows Association Child Safeguarding Statement

Section 1

The Irish Shows Association is the Governing Body for agricultural shows in Ireland. Agricultural shows provide various activities and opportunities for young people through participation in local, regional and national level.

Affiliate details:

- Granard Agricultural Show Society
- Agricultural shows activities include various equine activities, livestock, dogs, home produce
- Activities: Children's games and Amusements.

Section 2 - Principles to safeguard children from harm

Granard Agricultural Show Society is committed to safeguarding children and by working under the guidance of our Safeguarding Policies our volunteers throughout the

organisation, seek to create a safe environment for young people to grow and develop. The following set of principles should be adhered to:

- **Importance of childhood** - The importance of childhood should be understood and valued by everyone involved in shows.
- **Needs of the child** - All children's activities and experiences in competition should be guided by what is best for children. This means that adults should have a basic understanding of the emotional, physical and personal needs of young people.
- **Integrity in relationships** - Adults interacting with children in shows are in a position of trust and influence. They should always ensure that children are treated with integrity and respect, and the self-esteem of young people is enhanced.
- **Fair Play** - All children's activities and competitions should be conducted in an atmosphere of fair play. The principles of fair play should always be emphasised, and organisers should give clear guidelines regarding acceptable standards of behaviour.
- **Quality atmosphere & ethos** - Children's involvement should be conducted in a safe, positive and encouraging atmosphere.
- **Competition** - Competition is an essential element of agricultural shows and should be encouraged in an age-appropriate manner. A child centred ethos will help to ensure that competition and specialisation are kept in their appropriate place.
- **Equality** - All children should be valued and treated in an equitable and fair manner regardless of ability, age, gender, religion, social and ethnic background or political persuasion.

Section 4 – Procedures

Our Child Safeguarding Statement has been developed in line with requirements under the Children First Act 2015, (the Children First: National Guidance, and Tusla's Child Safeguarding: A Guide for Policy, Procedure & Practice and the Children (NI) Order 1995). In addition to our Risk Assessment document described above, there are further procedures that support our intention to safeguard children while they are availing of our activities.

Irish Shows Association National Governing Body for shows has the following procedures in place as part of our Safeguarding Policies:

- **Procedures for the management of allegations of abuse or misconduct by volunteers against a child availing of our activities.**
- **Procedures for the safe recruitment of volunteers to work with children in our activities.**
- **Procedures for access to child safeguarding training and information, including the identification of the occurrence of harm.**
- **Procedure for reporting of child protection or welfare concerns to Statutory Authorities.**
- **Procedure for maintaining a list of the persons (if any) in the relevant service who are mandated persons.**
- **Procedure for appointing a relevant person.**

The Mandated/Relevant Person for *Horse Sport Ireland* is *Paul Hayes*.

Section 5 – Implementation

We recognise that implementation is an ongoing process. The Irish Shows Association is committed to the implementation of this Child Safeguarding Statement and the procedures that support our intention to keep children safe from harm while availing of our activities.

Please note the following:

- **That all staff have been furnished with a copy of this statement.**
- **This statement is available to parents/guardians, the Agency and members of the public on request.**
- **This statement will be displayed in a prominent place by *Granard Agricultural Show Society*.**

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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

Responsibility of Exhibitors:

1. Exhibitors accept that the Judge's decision is final in all cases.
2. Any abuse of Judges will not be tolerated. Where a dispute or case for complaint arises, the matter should only be dealt with under 8 below.
3. Any abuse of show members verbal or otherwise will not be tolerated and will be dealt with accordingly.
4. Any defamatory statements made by any person(s) towards a member of Granard Show or the Show itself will not be tolerated and will have the necessary repercussions.
5. Exhibitors should be familiar with the Irish Shows Association Disciplinary Policy as published on our website and annual guidebook.
6. Winners of Qualifiers are themselves responsible for entering their qualifiers (or exhibits) for the final in accordance with the rules above, within one hour of qualifying.
7. Winners of qualifiers will compete in the final.
8. The Irish Shows Association in conjunction with the sponsors reserve the right to alter or amend the rules of the competition as may be necessary where appropriate.
9. Shows and competitors must contact the ISA for details of any championships.
10. Objections must be lodged in writing with the I.S.A. representative at the show and the Show Secretary within half an hour following the completion of judging, together with a fee of €50, or other stated fee, which is refundable in the event of the objection being upheld.
11. Any exhibitor who makes a false declaration or misrepresents a fact regarding themselves or their exhibit is liable to disqualification and/or forfeiture of any prizes awarded.

GENERAL RULES OF THE SHOW

- 1. No persons may compete who is not a bone fide owner and in possession of the stock or other competing article, previous to the date of the show.**
- 2. Any person to whom a prize or premium has been awarded may be requested to satisfy the Committee, by a Declaration or by such proof as the Committee may require as to the correctness of the entry, etc., and in the event of refusal, shall be disqualified. Any objection to the Judge's award must be made in writing and handed to the Secretary together with a fee of €50.00 within two hours of the award being made. The fee will be refunded if proved to the satisfaction of the Show by the Executive Committee, whose decision shall be final.**
- 3. Any Exhibitor who shall interfere with any animal or other article exhibited by himself, or any other person in the presence of the Judge's, or to offer any opinion as to the merits or demerits of stock exhibited until after the adjudication of the Judges or who shall in any manner make the stock known, disqualified and precluded from any medal, prize or premium and in the case of such interference on the part of the Exhibitor, the Judge shall award the medal, prize or premium to the next Exhibitor in order of merit.**
- 4. Notice of entries stating class, section and description of competing animal or article, together with registration number etc., shall be lodged with the Secretary on or before the date fixed for entries, and the Secretary shall cause a Catalogue to be printed for sale and distribution during the show. The Committee reserve the right of declining to receive any entry and to returning the fee without being liable for any compensating. They also reserve the right of refusing admission to any exhibit that they may deem unsuitable or unfit for any reason.**
- 5. In the interests of safety, ALL STOCK MUST BE LED (including foals). The Committee shall have the right to order removal of any animal that they consider being dangerous.**
- 6. In the event of insufficient entries, or from any other cause the Committee shall have the right to reduce the prize money in any competition or class, or to cancel any such competition or class.**
- 7. All exhibits to be on the Show Grounds no later than 9.30a.m. Livestock must remain on exhibit until 3.30p.m. General Exhibits must remain on display until 4p.m.**
- 8. Should any misunderstanding arise from the wording of any rule or from the adjudication of any prize or premium or the description of any competing animal or article, it shall be decided by the Executive Committee which shall be duly summoned for the purpose. The decision of the Committee shall be final in all classes.**
- 9. Entry Form on application to the Secretary and no other forms can be received. Entries will not be accepted unless accompanied by the requisite entry fees. Early entries especially requested. Entries received after the closing date will incur a surcharge of €10.00 for all sections.**
- 10. The prize will be indicated by colour rosettes attached to the winners. Also, please note that in the event of insufficient entries the Show reserve the right to amalgamate classes.**
- 11. The Society reserves the right to require proof of compliance with the rules before paying any prize.**
- 12. In accordance with the I.S.A. Rules, 5% will be deducted from prize money in Horse, Cattle and Sheep Classes.**
- 13. All cups and trophies must be returned to the Secretary, 3 weeks prior to the Show each year, and each recipient must sign a Form accepting responsibility for cups or trophies before same are handed over to the winners.**

- 14. Number of prizes in any class will be one less than the number of entries where entries are less than four.**
- 15. All exhibitors are asked to be respectful to the Judge in the respective section at all times and to listen to the direction of the stewards in the respective rings. The Judge's Decision is final.**
- 16. All exhibitors are asked to be respectful to the Members of the Show Committee of Granard Agricultural Show Society. Any defamatory comments will not be tolerated/accepted and will be dealt with accordingly. Granard Agricultural Show Society reserve the right to decline entry to any Exhibitors where they see fit in this instance.**
- 17. Whilst every reasonable care will be exercised, the Show Committee will not be held responsible for any accident, loss or damage to any exhibit, exhibitor or spectator from any cause whatever occurring in the Show Field or in transit thereto and therefrom.**

CUPS AND SPECIAL PRIZES

- 1. The Sonny Murphy Memorial Cup for Champion Non-Thoroughbred Mare of the Show.**
- 2. The John V. Donohoe Perpetual Trophy for Champion Young Horse of the Show.**
- 3. The James and Mary McVeigh Genesis Trophy for Best I.D Yearling or Two Year Old Colt, Gelding or Filly.**
- 4. The Flanagan Perpetual Cup (Aidan Flanagan) for Champion Irish Draught of the Show.**
- 5. The Michael Flynn Memorial Cup for Champion Non-Thoroughbred Colt or Filly Foal of the Show.**
- 6. The Ann Gormley Perpetual Trophy for Champion Connemara.**
- 7. The Ulster Bank Perpetual Trophy for Champion Ridden Hunter.**
- 8. The John Grier Memorial Trophy for winner of the Lead Rein Class.**
- 9. The Durkin Perpetual Cup for Champion Hereford of the Show.**
- 10. The Granard Farmers Mart Perpetual Cup for Best Continental Non-Pedigree.**
- 11. The Granard Branch IFA Cup for Senior Young Stockperson.**
- 12. The Colm Shaughnessy Memorial Cup for Best Continental type Bullock with not more than two permanent teeth.**
- 13. The Janie Brady Memorial Cup for best four sods of turf.**
- 14. The Eugene Cunningham Memorial Shield for Best Pot Plant in Bloom.**
- 15. The J.J. Sloane Memorial Cup for person gaining the most points in the Flower Section.**

Cake Section Winner €50.00

Flower Section Winner €50.00

Crafts Section Winner €50.00

HORSE SECTION

PRIZES – EXCEPT CLASS 1 AND QUALIFIERS

1ST 60, 2ND 40, 3RD €30

ENTRY FEE €10.00

**ENTRIES RECEIVED AFTER THE CLOSING DATE IN THE HORSE, PONY,
CATTLE, SHEEP, GOAT SECTIONS WILL INCUR A SURCHARGE OF
€10.00**

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CHAMPION NON-THOROUGHBRED BROOD MARE AND FOAL / DRY MARE (ALL DRY MARES MUST PRODUCE COVERING CERT) WILL RECEIVE THE SONNY MURPHY MEMORIAL CUP, A SASH AND €100.00

RESERVE CHAMPION RECEIVES €50.00 AND A ROSETTE

CHAMPION NON-THOROUGHBRED COLT OR FILLY FOAL OF THE SHOW WILL RECEIVE THE MICHAEL FLYNN MEMORIAL CUP AND €100.00

CHAMPION IRISH DRAUGHT OF THE SHOW WILL RECEIVE THE FLANAGAN PERPETUAL CUP KINDLY SPONSORED BY AIDAN FLANAGAN AND FAMILY GLASSAON, ATHLONE, CO WESTMEATH AND €1,000 VOUCHER FOR ACCOUNTANCY WORKS

CHAMPION YOUNG HORSE RECEIVES THE JOHN V. DONOHOE PERPETUAL TROPHY, €100 AND A SASH

RING 1

JUDGING COMMENCING AT 10A.M. SHARP

NON-THOROUGHBRED SECTION – MARES, FOALS AND YOUNG HORSES

CLASS 1: Prizes for Mares; Granard Agricultural Show offers €50.00 each to the best 5 Non-Thoroughbred Brood Mares, any age, in foal or with foal at foot. Covering Certificate must be produced to the Judge.

CLASS 2: Non-Thoroughbred Brood Mare with foal at foot.

CLASS 3: Non-Thoroughbred Brood Mare (Dry) Covering Certificate must be shown.

CLASS 4: Colt Foal Non-Thoroughbred.

CLASS 5: Filly Foal Non-Thoroughbred.

CLASS 6: QUALIFIER: THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION AND MOATE SHOW SOCIETY PRESENT THE A. BROWNE FILLY FOAL ALL IRELAND CHAMPIONSHIP PART OF THE HORSE SPORT IRELAND NATIONAL SHOWING CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES

SPONSORED BY A. BROWNE LIMITED

PRIZE FUND €2,500

RULES AND CONDITIONS :-

- 1.** This competition is open to foals registered or eligible to be registered in a World Breeding Federation for Sport Horses (WHFSH) 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. Foals must be led at all times.
4. Exhibitors to both the qualifier and the final must have the mare's passport available for inspection prior to entry to the judging ring. Failure to comply with this rule will lead to immediate disqualification.
5. Passports and microchips should be read by a veterinary surgeon at the final.
6. Foals qualified for the final are not eligible to enter any other class at the show where the final is held.
7. The Qualifying Exhibitor must fill out their own Qualifying Card at each Qualifying Show. Completed card and entry fee must be handed into the secretary's office on show day.
8. These rules should be read in conjunction with the Irish Shows Association Rules.

Entry Fee to Qualifying Show €10.00 to Final €20.00 PRIZES – CHAMPION €800, 2nd €400, 3rd €300, 4th €250, 5th €200, 6th €150, 7th to end €50 each A prize will be presented for Combination of Best Turned Out Foal and Most Suitably Dressed Handler.

MOATE SHOW SUNDAY 23rd AUGUST 2026

CLASS 7: THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION AND SCARRIFF SHOW SOCIETY PRESENT THE ALL IRELAND COLT FOAL CHAMPIONSHIP SPONSORED BY BRIAN BORU SERVICE STATION PRIZE FUND €4,000

RULES AND CONDITIONS:

1. This competition is open to foals registered or eligible to be registered in a World Breeding Federation for Sport Horses (WBFSH) Studbook or a Department of Agriculture Food and the Marine (DAFM) approved studbook with record breeding.
2. A Maximum of Two foals may be selected to qualify for the Final if the Judges and the I.S.A agree the standard is high enough.
3. Foals must be led at all times.
4. Exhibitors to both the Qualifier and the Final must have the mare's passport available for inspection prior to entry to the judging ring. Failure to comply with this rule will lead to immediate disqualification.
5. Passports and Microchips should be read by a veterinary surgeon at the final.
6. Foals qualified for final are not eligible to enter any other class at the show where the final is held.
7. The Qualifying Exhibitor must fill out their own Qualifying Card at each Qualifying Show. Completed Card and entry fee must be handed into the secretary's office on show day.

These Rules should be read in conjunction with the I.S.A. Rules.

PRIZES: CHAMPION €800, 2ND €600, 3RD €400, 4TH €250, 5TH €200, 6TH €150 7TH AND UPWARDS WILL RECEIVE €100 ON APPEARANCE AT FINAL. BREEDERS PRIZE €100 FOR 1ST PLACE. A PRIZE WILL BE PRESENTED FOR COMBINATION OF BEST TURNED OUT FOAL AND MOST SUITABLY DRESSED HANDLER. ENTRY FEE TO QUALIFYING SHOW €15, FINAL €30

FINAL SCARRIFF SHOW SUNDAY 6TH SEPTEMBER 2026

RING 1

JUDGING WILL COMMENCE DIRECTLY AFTER THE NON-THOROUGHbred CLASSES

IRISH DRAUGHT SECTION

PRIZES – EXCEPT CLASS 8, 18, 19 AND QUALIFIERS

1ST 60, 2ND 40, 3RD €30

ENTRY FEE €10.00

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CHAMPION IRISH DRAUGHT OF THE SHOW WILL RECEIVE THE FLANAGAN PERPETUAL CUP CONFINED TO FIRST PRIZE WINNERS IN CLASSES, 8

CLASS 8: Best Registered R.I.D. or A.I.D. Mare in foal or with foal at foot (1st Prize 250, 2nd Prize 125, 3rd Prize 75, 4th 50. Kindly sponsored by the Boyle Family, Killeen, Granard, Co Longford.

CLASS 9: QUALIFIER: THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION AND LEITRIM BREEDERS PRESENT – THE LEITRIM IRISH DRAUGHT BREEDERS CHAMPIONSHIP PART OF THE HORSE SPORT IRELAND NATIONAL SHOWING CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES

SPONSORED BY: LEITRIM I.D. HORSE BREEDERS ASSOCIATION

RULES AND CONDITIONS

1. This competition is open to animals, with the breed code ID registered in The Irish Draught Horse Studbook (or a harmonised Irish Draught Studbook) with recorded breeding.
2. One mare and foal may qualify at each Show.
3. Exhibitors to both the qualifier and Final must have their mares passport available for inspection prior to entry to Judging Ring. Failure to comply with this rule will lead to immediate disqualification.
4. Passports and microchips should be read by a Vet at the Final.
5. One of the Judges at the qualifying show must be a qualified Irish Draught Horse Judge.
6. Animals qualified for Final are not eligible to enter any other classes at the Mohill Show other than qualifying classes at other ISA Finals.
7. The Qualifying Exhibitor must fill out their own Qualifying Card at each Qualifying Show. Completed card and entry fee must be handed into the secretary's office on show day.
8. These rules should be read in conjunction with the I.S.A. Rules.
9. Prizes 1st 1,000 and the Central Motors Perpetual Trophy presented by Mr Patsy Walpole, 2nd €500, 3rd €200, 4th €150, 5th 100, 6th €100, 7th and upwards will receive €80 on appearance at the Final.

ENTRY FEE TO QUALIFYING SHOW €15.00, TO FINAL €30.00.

FINAL MOHILL SHOW SUNDAY 16th AUGUST 2026

CLASS 10: Best I.D. Colt or Filly Foal.

CLASS 11: QUALIFIER: THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION AND BALLINASLOE SHOW PRESENT THE IRISH DRAUGHT COLT FOAL CHAMPIONSHIP

PART OF THE HORSE SPORT IRELAND NATIONAL SHOWING CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES. PRIZE FUND €1,250 SPONSORED BY HORSE SPORT IRELAND

RULES AND CONDITIONS

1. This competition is open to animals with the breed code ID, registered in the Irish Draught Horse Studbook) with recorded breeding.
2. If the Foals Passport is not to hand the mares passport must be ready for inspection prior to entry to the Judging Reing. Failure to comply with this rule will lead to immediate disqualification. Foals must be led at all times.
3. Passports and (Microchips if applicable) should be read by a Vet at the final.
4. Two foals from selected shows may qualify for the final if the Judges and The i.S.A. agree the standard is high enough.
5. One of the Judges at the qualifying show must be from the I.D.H Judges List.
6. Foals qualified for the Final are not eligible to enter any other class at the show where the final is held.
7. The Qualifying Exhibitor must fill out their own qualifying card at each qualifying show. Completed card and entry fee must be handed into the secretary's office on show day.
8. These rules to be read in conjunction with the General I.S.A. Rules.
9. Prizes 1st €500.00 and Trophy, 2nd €300, 3rd €200, 4th €100, 5th €50, 6th €50, 7th €50

ENTRY FEE TO QUALIFYING SHOW €15.00 TO FINAL €30.00

A PRIZE WILL BE PRESENTED FOR COMBINATION OF BEST TURNED OUT FOAL AND MOST APPROPRIATELY DRESSED HANDLER.

FINAL BALINASLOE SHOW – SUNDAY 27th SEPTEMBER 2026

CLASS 12: QUALIFIER: THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION AND BALLINASLOE SHOW PRESENT THE IRISH DRAUGHT FILLY FOAL CHAMPIONSHIP

PART OF THE HORSE SPORT IRELAND NATIONAL SHOWING CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES

PRIZE FUND €1,250 SPONSORED BY HORSE SPORT IRELAND

RULES AND CONDITIONS

1. This competition is open to animals with the breed code ID, registered in the Irish Draught Horse Studbook) with recorded breeding.
2. If the Foals Passport is not to hand the mares passport must be ready for inspection prior to entry to the Judging Reing. Failure to comply with this rule will lead to immediate disqualification.
3. Foals must be led at all times.
4. Passports and (Microchips if applicable) should be read by a Vet at the final.
5. Two foals from selected shows may qualify for the final if the Judges and The i.S.A. agree the standard is high enough.
6. One of the Judges at the qualifying show must be from the I.D.H Judges List.
7. Foals qualified for the Final are not eligible to enter any other class at the show where the final is held.
8. The Qualifying Exhibitor must fill out their own qualifying card at each qualifying show. Completed card and entry fee must be handed into the secretary's office on show day.
9. These rules to be read in conjunction with the General I.S.A. Rules.
10. Prizes 1st €500.00 and Trophy, 2nd €300, 3rd €200, 4th €100, 5th €50, 6th €50, 7th €50

ENTRY FEE TO QUALIFYING SHOW €15.00 TO FINAL €30.00

A PRIZE WILL BE PRESENTED FOR COMBINATION OF BEST TURNED OUT FOAL AND MOST APPROPRIATELY DRESSED HANDLER.

FINAL BALINASLOE SHOW – SUNDAY 27th SEPTEMBER 2026

CLASS 13: Best I.D. Yearling or Two Year Old Colt, Gelding or Filly.

CLASS 14: QUALIFIER:THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION AND ROSCOMMON SHOW SOCIETY PRESENT THE ROSCOMMON IRISH DRAUGHT YEARLING FILLY CHAMPIONSHIP

DELIVERED BY HORSE SPORT IRELAND AND FUNDED UNDER NATIONAL BREEDING SERVICES BY THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, FOOD AND THE MARINE

SPONSORED BY HANNON'S HOTEL ROSCOMMON, PRIZE FUND €2,000

RULES AND CONDITIONS

1. This competition is open to animals, with the breed code ID, registered in the Irish Draught Horse Studbook (or a harmonised Irish Draught Studbook) with recorded breeding.
2. Two animals in each qualifying class may be selected to compete at the Final provided the Judges and the I.S.A. agree the standard is high enough.
3. One of the judges at the qualifying show must be a qualified Irish Draught Horse Judge.
4. Passports and microchips should be read by a Vet at the Final.
5. Animals qualified for the Final are not eligible to enter any other class at the show where the final is held other than qualifying classes for other Finals.
6. The Qualifying Exhibitor must fill out their own Qualifying Cards at each Qualifying Show.
7. These rules are read in conjunction with the General I.S.A. Rules.

PRIZES – CHAMPION €500.00, 2ND €300.00, 3RD €200.00, 4TH €150.00, 5TH €125.00, 6TH €100.00, 7TH TO END €50.00

ENTRY FEE – TO Qualifying Shows €15.00, to FINAL €30.00 A prize will be presented for Combination of Best Turned Out Animal and Most Suitably Dressed Handler

FINAL – ROSCOMMON SHOW SATURDAY 16TH AUGUST 2025

CLASS 15: THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION AND LIMERICK SHOW SOCIETY PRESENT THE IRISH DRAUGHT 2 YEAR OLD CHAMPIONSHIP. DELIVERED BY HORSE SPORT IRELAND AND FUNDED UNDER NATIONAL BREEDING SERVICES BY THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, FOOD AND THE MARINE.

RULES AND CONDITIONS: -

1. This competition is open to animals with the breed code ID, registered in the Irish Draught Horse Studbook (or a harmonised Irish Draught Studbook) with recorded breeding.
2. Exhibitors to both the qualifier and Final must have their animals passport available for inspection prior to entry to judging ring. Failure to comply with this rule will lead to immediate disqualification.
3. Passports and microchips should be read by a Vet at the Final.
4. Two animals in each qualifying class may selected to compete at the final provided the Judges agree the standard is high enough.
5. One of the judges at the qualifying show must be a qualified Irish Draught Horse Judge.
6. Animals qualified for Final are not eligible to enter any other class at Show where the final is held.
7. The Qualifying Exhibitor must fill out their own Qualifying Card at each Qualifying Show. Completed Card and Entry Fee must be handed into the Secretary's Office on Show Day.
8. These rules should be read in conjunction with the I.S.A. Rules.

Prizes 1st €500, 2nd €300, 3rd €250, 4th €200, 5th €150, 6th €100, 7th TO THE END €50

Entry fee to Qualifying Show €15 To Final €30 A prize will be presented for combination of best turned out animal and most suitably dressed handler.

FINAL LIMERICK SHOW SUNDAY 23rd AUGUST 2026

CLASS 16: Best I.D. 3 Year Old Colt, Gelding or Filly.

CLASS 17: QUALIFIER:THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION AND BONNICONLON SHOW PRESENT THE ALL IRELAND 3 YEAR OLD REGISTERED IRISH DRAUGHT FILLY CHAMPIONSHIP. Horse Sport Ireland and funded under the National Breeding Services by the Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine. PRIZE FUND E2,400

RULES AND CONDITIONS:-

1. Entries are open to Three Year Old Fillies with the breed code ID registered in The Irish Draught Horse Studbook (or a harmonised Irish Draught Studbook) with recorded breeding.
2. Fillies must have both sire and Dam recorded on their passport.
3. Exhibitors to both the qualifier and Final must have their animals passport available for inspection prior to entry to Judging Ring.
4. Passports and microchips should be read by a Vet at the final.
5. Two fillies in each qualifying class may be selected to compete in the Final provided the judges agree the standard is high enough.
6. One of the judges at the qualifying show must be a qualified Irish Draught Horse Judge.
7. Fillies qualified for the Final are not eligible to enter any other class at the Show where the final is held.
8. The Qualifying Exhibitor must fill out their own Qualifying Card at each Qualifying Show. Completed Card and Entry Fee must be handed into the Secretary's Office on Show Day.

These rules should be read in conjunction with the I.S.A. Rules. Entry Fee To Qualifying Show E15.00, To Final E30.00

PRIZES: 1st 700, 2nd 600, 3rd 300, 4th 200, 5th 150, 6th 100, 7th to 12th will receive 50 for appearing at the Final. A prize will be presented for combination of best turned out animal and most suitably dressed handler.

FINAL: BONNICONLON SHOW MONDAY 3rd AUGUST 2026

CLASS 18: MARE OF THE FUTURE CLASS – Open to Class 1 and Class 2 Mares 3 or 4 years old with or without foal at foot. Prize Fund €1,000 Kindly sponsored by Mark Cadam of Acadami Bedding, Molly, Aughnaclyffe. 1st €250, 2nd €125, 3rd €75, 4th €50

CLASS 19: Young Handlers Class – Irish Draught Mare or Gelding to be shown in hand by a person aged 16 years to 21 years. Will be judged on their ability to show and present their animal to the Judge. Prize Fund €350.00. Kindly sponsored by Ronan McNamara. 1st €125 and Trophy, 2nd €75 & Trophy, 3rd €50 Trophy, 4th €50 & Trophy, 5th €50 & Trophy.

CLASS 20: Best Irish Draught Gelding 4 years and over to be shown in hand – Sash for 1st prize winner.

RING 2

JUDGING WILL COMMENCE AT 10.30A.M.

YOUNG HORSE SECTION

PRIZES – EXCEPT CLASS 23,24,26

1ST 50, 2ND 40, 3RD €30

ENTRY FEE €10.00

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CLASS 21: Non-Thoroughbred One year old Colt, Gelding or Filly.

CLASS 22: Non-Thoroughbred Two year old Colt, Gelding or Filly.

CLASS 23: QUALIFIER: THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION AND KILDYSART SHOW PRESENT THE KILDYSART TWO YEAR OLD FILLY ALL IRELAND CHAMPIONSHIP. Sponsored by Banner Contractors Ltd, Clare Oil Co Ltd and Kildysart Show. Delivered by Horse Sport Ireland and funded Under National Breeding Services by the Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine. Prize Fund €3,850.

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 animals passport available for inspection prior to entry to the judging ring. Failure to comply with this rule will lead to immediate disqualification.
4. Passports and microchips should be read by a Veterinary Surgeon at the final.
5. Animals qualified for the final are not eligible to enter any 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 Show Secretary's office on Show Day.
7. These rules are read in conjunction with the Isa Rules.

PRIZES 1ST €800 and the Jamsey and Claire Meere Perpetual Cup) 2nd €550, 3rd €400, 4th €250, 5th €200, 6th and upwards will receive €150 on appearance at the Final. Breeders of the winning filly will receive €150. A prize will be presented for combination of best turned out horse and most suitably dressed handler. Entry Fee to Qualifying Show €15. To Final €30.

FINAL KILDYSART SHOW SUNDAY 2ND AUGUST 2026

CLASS 24: QUALIFIER: THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION AND TINAHELY SHOW SOCIETY PRESENT THE RED MILLS TWO YEAR OLD GELDING ALL IRELAND CHAMPIONSHIP. Sponsored by Red Mills Goresbridge. PRIZE FUND €3,000

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 animals passport available for inspection prior to entry to the judging ring. Failure to comply with this rule will lead to immediate disqualification.
4. Passports and 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 are read in conjunction with the ISA Rules.

PRIZES

CHAMPION €1,000 RESERVE CHAMPION €600, 3rd €350, 4th €200, 5th €100 from 6th to the end a Red Mills Voucher value of €100 will be presented on appearing at the Final. A prize will be presented for combination of Best Turned Out Horse and Most Suitably Dressed Handler. Entry fee to qualifying show €15.00 and Final €30.00.

FINAL TINAHELY MONDAY 3RD AUGUST 2026

CLASS 25: Non-Thoroughbred Three year old Colt, Gelding of Filly.

CLASS 26: QUALIFIER: THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION AND TYDAVNET SHOW PRESENT THE THREE YEAR OLD FILLY ALL IRELAND CHAMPIONSHIP. PRIZE FUND €3,000

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 animals passport available for inspection prior to entry to the judging ring. Failure to comply with this rule will lead to immediate disqualification.
4. Passports and microchips should be read by a veterinary surgeon at the final.
5. Animals qualified for the final are not eligible to enter any other class at the show where the final is held.
6. The Qualifying Exhibitor must fill out their own Qualifying Card at each Qualifying Show. Completed card and entry fee must be handed into the secretary's office on show day. These rules should be read in conjunction with the ISA Rules.

PRIZES

Champion €700 and Sash, Reserve Champion €550, 3rd €450, 4th €400, 5th €300, 6th €200, 7th and upwards will receive €80 on appearance at Final Breeders Prize €100 for 1st place. A prize will be presented for Combination of Best Turned Out Horse and Most Suitably Dressed Handler. Entry Fee to Qualifying Show €15, to Final €30.

FINAL TYDAVNET SHOW SATURDAY 15TH AUGUST 2026

CLASS 27: Local Class for Best Non – Thoroughbred One, Two or Three Year old Colt, Gelding or Filly confined to animals registered to Co Longford. Passports will be inspected.

RING 2

JUDGING COMMENCING DIRECTLY AFTER THE YOUNG HORSE CLASSES

COB AND RIDDEN CLASSES

Prizes: 1st €50.00, 2nd €40.00, 3rd €30.00

CLASS 28: Coloured Horse, 158 cm and over to be shown in hand.

CLASS 29: Best Ridden Coloured Horse 158 cm and over.

CLASS 30: Cob over 148cm and under 158cm to be shown in hand.

CLASS 31: Best Ridden Cob over 148 cm and under 158 cm.

CLASS 32; Best Lightweight Ridden Hunter.

CLASS 33: Best Medium Weight Ridden Hunter.

CLASS 34: Best Heavyweight Ridden Hunter.

CLASS 35: Best Irish Draught Mare or Gelding to be shown under saddle.

CLASS 36: Best Race Horse to Riding Horse Mare or Gelding to be shown under saddle.

PONY SECTION

PLEASE NOTE “NEW RING THIS YEAR”

RING 3

**JUDGING COMMENCING AT APPROX. 10.30P.M. ON THE MAIN
SHOWGROUNDS STARTING WITH SHOW PONY CLASSES**

SHOW PONIES

PRIZE MONEY 1ST €40.00, 2ND €30.00 €20.00

ENTRY FEE €10.00

CLASS 37: Best Mare or Gelding 12.2 and under to be shown in hand.

CLASS 38: Best Mare or Gelding 13.2 and under to be shown in hand.

CLASS 39: Best Mare or Gelding 14.2 and under to be shown in hand.

CLASS 40: Pure Bred Welsh Pony Mare or Gelding to be shown in hand.

CLASS 41: Part Bred Welsh Pony Mare or Gelding to be shown in hand.

CLASS 42: Best Riding Pony 14.2 and under to be shown under saddle.

CLASS 43: Best Riding Pony 13.2 and under to be shown under saddle.

CLASS 44: Lead Rein Class – Mare or Gelding Pony 12.2 and under lead by an adult and ridden by a child 10 years and under. Winner of this class will receive the John Grier Memorial Trophy.

CLASS 45: First Ridden Class – Mare or Gelding Pony 12.2 and under to be ridden by a child who has not yet attained their 10th birthday on the 1st of January 2025. First Prize Winner in Class 33 The Lead Rein Class is not entitled to win 1st prize in this class.

CLASS 46 : Fancy Dress Class – Mare or Gelding Pony 12.2 and under lead by an adult and ridden by a child 10 years and under. Trophy for 1st, 2nd and 3rd prize winners, medals for all other exhibitors.

FAMILY PONIES

STRICTLY NO SHOW PONIES IN THIS SECTION – FAMILY PONIES ONLY.

PRIZES 1ST €20.00, 2ND PRIZE €15.00, 3RD PRIZE €10.00 ENTRY FEE €5.00

CLASS 47: Best Mare or Gelding Shetland Pony 28" and under to be shown in hand by a child 10 years and under. No Stallions Allowed.

CLASS 48: Best Mare of Gelding Pony 12. 2 and under to be shown in hand.

CLASS 49: Best Mare or Gelding 13.2 and under to be shown in hand.

CLASS 50: Lead Rein Class – Mare or Gelding Pony 12.2 and under lead by an adult and ridden by a child under 10 years and under. 1st Prize Winner will receive a Granard Show Trophy, Rosettes for all other exhibitors.

CLASS 51: Mare or Gelding Pony 13.2 and under to be ridden under saddle. 1st Prize Winner will receive a Granard Show Trophy, Rosettes for all other exhibitors.

CLASS 52: Fancy Dress Class – Mare or Gelding Pony 12.2 and under lead by an adult and ridden by a child under 10 years and under. 1st, 2nd, 3rd Prize Winners will receive a Granard Show Trophy, all other exhibitors will receive Granard Show Medals.

RIDING FOR THE DISABLED

This section is open to children/adults with physical or intellectual disabilities only.

ENTRY IS FREE FOR THIS SECTION ONLY

MEDALS WILL BE AWARDED TO ALL PARTICIPANTS

CLASS 53: Best Pony Mare or Gelding 12.2 and under to be ridden by a child of any age.

CLASS 54: Best Pony mare or Gelding 13.2 and under to be ridden by a child of any age.

CLASS 55: Best Mare or Gelding 14.2 and under to be ridden by a person of any age.

RING 2

JUDGING COMMENCING AT APPROX. 1P.M. ON THE MAIN SHOWGROUNDS (AFTER THE YOUNG HORSE AND RIDDEN HORSE CLASSES HAVE FINISHED)

CONNEMARA PONIES

PRIZES 1ST €50.00, 2ND €40.00, 3RD €30.00 EXCEPT CLASS 59 ENTRY FEE €10.00

CLASS 56: Best Registered Connemara Yearling Colt, Gelding or Filly.

CLASS 57: Best Registered Connemara Two Year Old Colt, Gelding or Filly.

CLASS 58: Best Registered Connemara Three Year Old Colt, Gelding or Filly.

CLASS 59: Best Registered Connemara Mare in foal (Dry Mare Class Only).

CLASS 60: Best Registered Connemara Mare with foal at foot. Covering Certificate must be shown or no prize will be awarded. First Prize will receive a Stallion Nomination kindly sponsored by Mark and Bernie Condron of Rathvaldron Connemara Ponies, Edgeworthstown, Co Longford.

CLASS 61: Best Registered Connemara Colt Foal. (Please note if not more than 3 in this class the Colt Foal and Filly Foal Classes will be amalgamated)

CLASS 62: Best Registered Connemara Filly Foal. (Please note if not more than 3 in this class the Colt Foal and Filly Foal Classes will be amalgamated)

CLASS 63: Best Registered Connemara Stallion to be shown in hand.

CLASS 64: Best Registered Connemara Gelding to be shown in hand.

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION IN HAND CONNEMARA OF THE SHOW (SASH AND ROSETTE)

CLASS 65: Junior Ridden for Registered Connemara Pony 4 years old and over to be ridden by a rider under 16 on 1st January 2026. This is a ridden class only.

CLASS 66: Senior Ridden for Registered Connemara Pony 4 years old and over to be ridden by a rider over 16 on 1st January 2026. This is a ridden class only.

Champion and Reserve Champion Ridden Connemara of the Show. (Sash and Rosette)

RING 4 – CATTLE SECTION

JUDGING COMMENCING AT 10.30A.M SHARP

PLEASE NOTE EARLIER STARTING TIME IN THIS SECTION

PEDIGREE SECTION

**JUDGES DECISION IS FINAL. PLEASE ADHERE TO THE INSTRUCTION/DIRECTIONS OF STEWARD(S)
AT ALL TIMES PLEASE.**

PRIZES FOR ALL CATTLE CLASSES EXCEPT QUALIFIERS 1ST €100, 2ND €60, 3RD €40

ENTRY €10.00 EXCEPT QUALIFIERS

PEDIGREE HEREFORD

CLASS 67: Hereford Cow or Heifer in calf or in milk

CLASS 68: Hereford Heifer born on or after 1st of September 2025.

CLASS 69: Hereford Heifer Calf born on or after 1st January 2026. Exhibitors in Class 61 are not eligible to enter this class.

CLASS 70: Hereford Bull born on or after 1st of September 2025.

CLASS 71: Hereford Bull Calf born on or after 1st January 2026. Exhibitors in Class 63 are not eligible to enter this class.

CHAMPION ROSSETTE AND RESERVE CHAMPION ROSSETTE WILL BE AWARDED ONLY. NO CASH PRIZE.

PEDIGREE ANGUS

Class 72: Angus Cow or Heifer in calf or with calf at foot.

CLASS 73: Angus Male Born on or after the 1st of September 2025.

CLASS 74: Angus Heifer Calf born on or after 1st January 2026. Exhibitors in Class 66 are not eligible to enter this class

CLASS 75: Angus Female Born on or after the 1st of September 2025.

CLASS 76: Angus Bull Calf born on or after 1st January 2025. Exhibitors in Class 68 are not eligible to enter this class.

CLASS 77: QUALIFIER: Angus Calf Championship. Final at Trim Show September 2026. For any further details regarding this class you can contact Angus Breed Secretary Ms. Niamh Sullivan on 087 9639411.

CHAMPION ROSSETTE AND RESERVE CHAMPION ROSSETTE WILL BE AWARDED ONLY. NO CASH PRIZE.

PEDIGREE SIMMENTAL

Class 78: Simmental Cow/Heifer in calf or with calf at foot.

CLASS 79: Simmental Male born on or after 1st September 2025.

CLASS 80: Simmental Female born on or after 1st September 2025.

CHAMPION ROSSETTE AND RESERVE CHAMPION ROSSETTE WILL BE AWARDED ONLY. NO CASH PRIZE.

PEDIGREE CHAROLAIS

**Champion Charolais receives €200 and Reserve Champion receives €100 Kindly sponsored by
Charlie Burns Agricultural Consultant**

CLASS 81: Charolais Cow/Heifer in calf or with calf at foot.

CLASS 82: Charolais Male or Female born on or after the 1st of September 2025.

CLASS 83: Charolais Male or Female born on or after the 1st of January 2026.

CLASS 84: Charolais Maiden Heifer born before the 1st of September 2025.

PEDIGREE LIMOUSIN

CLASS 85: Limousin Male or Female Born on or after 1st of January 2026.

CLASS 86: Limousin Male born 1st September 2025 to 31st December 2025.

CLASS 87: Limousin Female born 1st September 2025 to 31st December 2025.

CLASS 88: Limousin Heifer born before 1st January 2026.

CHAMPION ROSSETTE AND RESERVE CHAMPION ROSETTE WILL BE AWARDED ONLY. NO CASH PRIZE.

BELGIAN BLUE

CLASS 89: Belgian Blue Male or Female with no permanent teeth.

CLASS 90: Belgian Blue Male or Female any age.

CLASS 91: Belgian Blue Male or Female born on or after 1st January 2026.

CHAMPION ROSSETTE AND RESERVE CHAMPION ROSETTE WILL BE AWARDED ONLY. NO CASH PRIZE.

SHORTHORN

CLASS 92: Shorthorn Heifer born after the 1st of January 2025.

CLASS 93: Shorthorn Cow/Heifer in calf or with calf at foot.

CLASS 94: Shorthorn Male or Female any age.

CHAMPION ROSSETTE AND RESERVE CHAMPION ROSETTE WILL BE AWARDED ONLY. NO CASH PRIZE.

CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS IN THE PEDIGREE SECTION RECEIVES €500

KINDLY SPONSORED BY LAKELAND DAIRIES

1ST PRIZE WINNERS ONLY ELIGIBLE TO GO INTO THE CHAMPIONSHIP

RING 5 – CATTLE SECTION

JUDGING COMMENCING AT 10A.M SHARP

PLEASE NOTE EARLIER STARTING TIME IN THIS SECTION

COMMERCIAL SECTION

**JUDGES DECISION IS FINAL. PLEASE ADHERE TO THE INSTRUCTION/DIRECTIONS OF STEWARD(S)
AT ALL TIMES PLEASE.**

**PLEASE TAKE NOTE PEDIGREE CATTLE WHETHER REGISTERED OR NOT CANNOT BE PRESENTED IN
THE COMMERCIAL CATTLE SECTION.**

PRIZES FOR ALL CATTLE CLASSES EXCEPT QUALIFIERS 1ST €100, 2ND €60, 3RD €40

ENTRY FEE €10.00

EXCEPT CLASS 100

CLASS 95: MIDLAND AGRI CONSULTANTS YOUNG STOCKMANSHIP CHALLENGE

AGE CATEGORIES AS FOLLOWS: -

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- (A) 12 YEARS AND UNDER; 1st €80 & Trophy, 2nd €60 & Trophy, 3rd €40 & Trophy, 4th €20 & Medal, 5th €10 & Medal
 - (B) 13-16 YEARS; 1st 80 & Trophy, 2nd €60 & Trophy, 3rd €40 & Trophy, 4th €20 & Medal, 5th €10 & Medal
 - (C) 17-26 YEARS 1st 85 & Trophy, 2nd €65 & Trophy, 3rd €45 & Trophy, 4th €25 & Medal, 5th €15 & Medal

KINDLY SPONSORED BY PAUL BELTON, MIDLAND AGRI CONSULTANTS LTD. GRANARD

PRIZE FUND €650

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CLASS 96: Best Continental type Bull Calf, other than purebred born on or after the 1st of January 2026.

CLASS 97: Best Continental type Heifer Calf, other than purebred born on or after the 1st of January 2026.

CLASS 98: Best Continental type Bullock with no permanent teeth other than purebred.

CLASS 99: Best Continental type Bullock with not more than two permanent teeth other than purebred. Kindly sponsored by the Shaughnessy Family Lettergunnell, Ballinalee. Winner receives the Colm Shaughnessy Memorial Cup.

CLASS 100: Best Continental type Heifer with not more than two permanent teeth other than purebred.

CLASS 101: Bullock, Cross bred any age other than purebred.

CLASS 102: Heifer, Cross bred any age other than purebred.

CLASS 103: Best Heifer Likely to make a Suckler Cow, other than a purebred. 1ST PRIZE €250.00, 2ND PRIZE €150.00, 3RD PRIZE €100.00. KINDLY SPONSORED BY GRANARD FARMERS MART LTD.

CLASS 104: THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION AND THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE PRESENTS THE BREEDERS CHOICE TRADITIONAL 4* AND 5* BREEDING HEIFER SPONSORED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE PRIZE FUND €750.00

RULES AND CONDITIONS:-

1. This competition is open to All Traditional Genotype 4* and 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 prize money 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.
7. The foregoing rules should be read in conjunction with ISA General Rules.

Entry Fee €15.00

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

CLASS 105: QUALIFIER: THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION PRESENT THE ALL IRELAND JUNIOR YOUNG STOCKPERSON CHAMPIONSHIP. 8 – 12 YEARS OLD

SPONSORED BY FBD INSURANCE AND IRISH FARMERS JOURNAL

RULES AND CONDITIONS

1. The Competition is open to girls and boys, age on the 1st of 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 of 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:

- The ability to handle and present the animals to its best advantage in the Show Ring.
- General knowledge about the animal itself, including its feeding, breeding etc.
- Personal presentation of stock person.
- Presentation of the animal.

Entry Fee to Qualifying Show €10 Final €15

1st €500, 2nd €300, 3rd €200, 4th €150, 5th €125, 6th to 10th €100

FINAL ROYAL MEATH SHOW SUNDAY 6TH SEPTEMBER 2026

CLASS 106: The Buddy Kiernan Milling Best Angus Female Non – Pedigree with no more than two permanent teeth.

PRIZES: 1st €250, 2nd €125, 3rd €75, 4th €50

Kindly sponsored by Buddy Kiernan Milling

CLASS 107: The Buddy Kiernan Milling Best Angus Male Non – Pedigree with no more than two permanent teeth. PRIZES:

1st €250, 2nd €125, 3rd €75, 4th €50

Kindly sponsored by Buddy Kiernan Milling

CLASS 108: GRANARD AGRICULTURAL SHOW SOCIETY PRESENTS

**THE MCNALLY MOTORS (TOYOTA) LONGFORD BEST CONTINENTAL TYPE HEIFER
OTHER THAN PUREBRED WITH NO PERMANENT TEETH"**

PRIZE FUND: €2,000

1ST €800.00 AND A SASH,

2ND €400.00, 3RD €300.00, 4TH €200.00, 5TH €100.00, 6TH to end of line €50.00

ENTRY FEE €40.00

**CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS IN THE COMMERCIAL SECTION RECEIVES
€500**

KINDLY SPONSORED BY LAKELAND DAIRIES

1ST PRIZE WINNERS ONLY ELIGIBLE TO GO INTO THE CHAMPIONSHIP

GOATS SECTION

JUDGING COMMENCING AT 12P.M. SHARP

KINDLY SPONSORED BY BRIDGET DOLAN SULLIVAN

ENTRY FEE €5.00

PRIZES 1st €40, 2nd €30, 3rd €20

CLASS 109: Best Goat in milk.

CLASS 110: Best Kid or Goatling.

CLASS 111: Best Male or Female Goat in Fancy Dress.

CLASS 112: JUNIOR YOUNG HANDLERS CLASS - for girls and boys aged 10 years and under on the day of show. Exhibitors will be judged on showing and handling ability.

CLASS 113: SENIOR YOUNG HANDLERS CLASS – for girls and boys aged 16 years and under on the day of the Show. Exhibitors will be judged on showing and handling ability.

SHEEP SECTION

JUDGING COMMENCING AT 12.30P.M. SHARP

PRIZES: 1ST €40, 2ND €30, 3RD €20

**€100 FOR CHAMPION SHEEP OF THE SHOW AND A SASH KINDLY SPONSORED BY CHRISTOPHER
KIERNAN COOLE**

**(PLEASE NOTE ALL 1ST PRIZE WINNERS FROM ALL CLASSES ARE ELIGIBLE TO BE JUDGED FOR
OVERALL CHAMPION SHEEP OF THE SHOW 2026)**

ENTRY FEE €5.00

CLASS 114: Best Cross Bred Breeding Ewe, other than Hogget.

CLASS 115; French type Lamb under 100lbs Cross Bred.

CLASS 116: Best Ewe Lamb Cross Bred suitable for breeding.

CLASS 117: Best Hogget Ewe (Cross bred).

CLASS 118: Best Butchers Lamb.

CLASS 119: Best Pedigree Suffolk Ewe.

CLASS 120: Best Pedigree Suffolk Ram Lamb.

CLASS 121: Best Pedigree Suffolk Ewe Lamb.

CLASS 122: Best Pedigree Texel Ram.

CLASS 123: Best Pedigree Texel Ewe.

CLASS 124: Best Pedigree Texel Ram Lamb.

CLASS 125; Best Pedigree Texel Ewe Lamb.

CLASS 126: Best Charolais Ewe.

CLASS 127: Best Pedigree Charolais Ram Lamb.

CLASS 128: Best Pedigree Charolais Ewe Lamb.

CLASS 129: Best Vendeen Ewe or Hogget.

CLASS 130: Best Vendeen Lamb .

CLASS 131: Best Pedigree Zwartble Ewe Lamb.

CLASS 132: Best Pedigree Zwartble Ram Lamb.

CLASS 133: Best Pedigree Zwartble Shearling Ewe and older.

CLASS 134: Best Pedigree Zwartble Shearling Ram and older.

CHAMPION ZWARTBLE WILL RECEIVE A SASH AND RESERVE CHAMPION WILL RECEIVE A ROSETTE

CLASS 135: Best Pedigree Beltex Ewe or Hogget.

CLASS 136: Best Pedigree Beltex Lamb.

CLASS 137: Best Galway Ewe.

CLASS 138: Best Galway Lamb.

CLASS 139: JUNIOR YOUNG HANDLERS CLASS - for girls and boys aged 10 years and under on the day of show. Exhibitors will be judged on showing and handling ability. Trophies for 1st, 2nd and 3rd prize winners. Medals for all other exhibitors.

CLASS 140: SENIOR YOUNG HANDLERS CLASS – for girls and boys aged 16 years and under on the day of the Show. Exhibitors will be judged on showing and handling ability. Trophies for 1st, 2nd, 3rd prize winners. Medals for all other exhibitors.

CLASS 141: QUALIFIER; THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION AND CASTLEREA SHOW PRESENT THE ALL IRELAND CROSSBRED BREEDING EWE LAMB CHAMPIONSHIP. PRIZE FUND €2,500. SPONSORED BY JUNE AND BARRY GILL KEARNEY'S CHEMIST CASTLEREA.

RULES AND CONDITION:S

1. The Competition is confirmed to all Breeds of Crossbred Hoggets.
2. An Exhibitor may only qualify two Hoggets for the final.
3. Hoggets qualifying for this final are ineligible for entry to other classes at Clonmany Show.
4. Two Hoggets in each qualifying show maybe selected to compete in the final provided the Judges agree the standard is high enough.
5. All exhibitors must wear a white coat and have their number clearly visible at the final.
6. The exhibitor must fill out their own qualifying card at each qualifying show.
7. The foregoing rules should be read in conjunction with the ISA General Rules together with Castleblayney Show rules.
8. The Qualifying Exhibitor must fill out their own Qualifying Card at each qualifying show. Completed card and entry fee must be handed into the secretary's office on show day.

Entry Fee to Qualifying Show €10 Final €15

Champion €600 and a Sash, 2nd €400, 3rd €300, 4th €200, 5th €100, 6th to 20th €60

FINAL – CASTLEREA SHOW MONDAY 3RD AUGUST 2026

CLASS 142: QUALIFIER: THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION AND CLONMANY SHOW PRESENT THE ALL IRELAND CROSSBRED BREEDING HOGGET EWE CHAMPIONSHIP. PRIZE FUND €2,500. SPONSORED BY M.R. CONCRETE IRELAND LIMITED.

RULES AND CONDITIONS: -

1. The Competition is open to all Breeds of Crossbred Hoggets.
2. An Exhibitor shall qualify a maximum of two Hoggets for the Final.
3. Hoggets qualifying for this final are not eligible for entry to other classes at Clonmany Show.
4. All exhibitors must wear a white coat and have their number clearly visible at the final.
5. The Exhibitor must fill out their own Qualifying Card at each qualifying show.
6. The foregoing rules should be read in conjunction with the ISA General Rules together with Clonmany Show rules.
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.

PRIZES Champion €600 and Sash, 2nd €400, 3rd €300, 4th €200, 5th €100, 6th to 20th €60

FINAL CLONMANY SHOW TUESDAY 4TH AUGUST 2026

INDOOR EXHIBITS MUST REMAIN ON DISPLAY UNTIL 4P.M. ON SHOW DAY

**PLEASE TAKE NOTE NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED THIS YEAR ON SHOW DAY IN
THE INDOOR EXHIBITS SECTION**

**ALL PRIZE MONEY RELATING TO THE INDOOR EXHIBITS WILL BE PAID OUT AT
THE SECRETARY'S BOX ON SHOW DAY FROM 4.15 ONWARDS.**

**JUDGING COMMENCING IN THE INDOOR EXHIBITS HALL AT
11A.M.**

DOORS WILL CLOSE AT 10.30 SHARP – NO EXCEPTIONS

TURF SECTION

The Janie Brady Memorial Cup for 4 Best Sods of Turf

PRIZES 1ST €10, 2ND €7, 3RD €5

ENTRY FEE €3.00

CLASS 143: Best 4 Sods of Slane Turf.

CLASS 144: Best 4 Sods of Machine Cut Turf. (Bin Hopper type other than Bord na Mona).

**(PLEASE TAKE NOTE THAT THE OVERALL WINNER IN THE CAKE, FLOWER AND CRAFTS
SECTION WILL NOT RECEIVE THE SAID €50.00 ON SHOW DAY, POINTS WILL BE
CALCULATED AFTER SHOW DAY AND IT WILL BE POSTED OUT TO THE RESPECTIVE
WINNERS)**

**PLEASE TAKE NOTE NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED THIS YEAR ON SHOW DAY IN
THE INDOOR EXHIBITS SECTION**

VEGETABLE AND FRUIT SECTION

ROSETTE FOR OVERALL BEST EXHIBIT IN THIS SECTION.

PRIZES 1ST €10, 2ND €7, 3RD €5

ENTRY FEE €3.00

CLASS 145: Dish of 6 potatoes

CLASS 146: 3 Stalks of Rhubarb.

CLASS 147: 3 Parsnips.

CLASS 148: 3 Carrots.

CLASS 149: 5 Onions.

CLASS 150: 3 Heads of Cabbage (table).

CLASS 151 5 Roots of Beet.

CLASS 152: 5 Tomatoes.

CLASS 153: Collection of vegetables (6 varieties).

CLASS 154; 5 Stems of Parsley.

CLASS 155; 3 Heads of Lettuce.

CLASS 156: Bunch of 6 Scallions.

CLASS 157: QUALIFIER – THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION AND TULLAMORE SHOW SOCIETY PRESENT THE BORD BIA 7 A DAY BEST IN SEASON IN KITCHEN/GARDEN ALL IRELAND. SPONSORED BY BORD BIA

Rules and Conditions:-

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

This Competition will be judged as follows:

Variety (Irish in season produce) 25 points

Condition and Quality 50 points

Overall presentation and attractiveness 25 points

Prizes: 1st E250, 2nd E150, 3rd E100, 4th E75, 5th E50, 6th E25

Entry Fee to Qualifying Show E3.00

To Final E6.00

FINAL – TULLAMORE & FBD NATIONAL LIVESTOCK SHOW SUNDAY 9th AUGUST 2026

CLASS 158: QUALIFIER: THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION AND TULLAMORE SHOW SOCIETY PRESENT THE BORD BIA ALL IRELAND QUALITY POTATO CHAMPIONSHIP. SPONSORED BY BORD BIA

RULES AND CONDITIONS:-

1. Each exhibit is to consist of the following a dish of 6 potatoes of any variety. The variety to be correctly named. Each tuber should be free from skin blemishes, be true to type and weigh approximately 6 ozs (170g).

2. Two exhibits to qualify at each show.
 3. This being a quality championship the adjudicators will favour floury, high dry matter varieties, which are popular with the Irish customer.
 4. These rules should be read in conjunction with the Irish Shows Association Rules.
 5. Marquee open from 7.30a.m on show morning and will be closed for judging at 10a.m sharp. Marquee will open to the public at 12 noon.
 6. Exhibits cannot be removed before 5p.m.
 7. An exhibitor can only qualify one exhibit for the All Ireland Final.
- Criteria for judging potatoes available from the Tullamore Show. 057 9352141

PRIZES: 1st €250 and Bord Bia Perpetual Trophy and Replica, 2nd €150, 3rd €100, 4th €75, 5th €50, 6th €25

All qualifiers will receive a Bord Bia Plaque

Entry fee to Qualifying Show €3, Final €6

FINAL – TULLAMORE AND FBD NATIONAL LIVESTOCK SHOW SUNDAY 9th AUGUST 202

Liam Kiernan Memorial Trophy to competitor gaining most points in Farm and Garden and Vegetable Section

CLASS 159: QUALIFIER: THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION AND VIRGINIA SHOW PRESENT THE QUALIFY ONION ALL IRELAND CHAMPIONSHIP. PRIZE FUND €500

RULES AND CONDITIONS:-

1. In this competition, the produce must be the property of and grown by the Exhibitor.
2. Each exhibit is to consist of the following a dish of 5 onions of any variety.
3. The onions may be grown from either seed or sets.
4. The onions may be Autumn or Spring sown. The variety to be correctly named.
5. Each onion must be tied and weigh not more than 450grams.
6. The onions to be harvested and have clear unbroken skins.
7. A special qualifying class will be held at selected shows. Two Exhibits may qualify for the Final, if the Judges agree that the standard is high enough.
8. An exhibitor can only qualify one exhibit for the All Ireland Final.

The competition will be judged as follows: Condition/Quality 25 points, Uniformity and Shape 25 points

Size/Weight 10 points, Colour 10 points Overall presentation/attractiveness: 10 points

Judges decision will be final at all stages of the competition. Exhibits are displayed at owners risk.

These rules should be read in conjunction with the I.S.A. Rules. PRIZES 1st 200, 2nd 125, 3rd 75, 4th 50, 5th 25 6th 25

Each of the successful qualifiers will receive a momento on appearance at the final.

Entry to Qualifying Show is €3.00 To Final €6.00

FINAL VIRGINIA SHOW WEDNESDAY 19th AUGUST 2026

FLOWERS

ROSETTE FOR OVERALL BEST EXHIBIT IN THIS SECTION.

**PLEASE TAKE NOTE NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED THIS YEAR ON SHOW DAY IN
THE INDOOR EXHIBITS SECTION**

INDOOR EXHIBITS MUST REMAIN ON DISPLAY UNTIL 4P.M. ON SHOW DAY

PRIZES 1ST €10, 2ND €7, 3RD €5

ENTRY FEE €3.00

CLASS 160: 3 Roses HT Mixed.

CLASS 161: 1 Rose HT Rose of the Show.

CLASS 162: 1 Dahlia Decorative Medium.

CLASS 163; 1 Dahlia Decorative Large.

CLASS 164: 3 Dahlias Pom Pom Medium.

CLASS 165: Vase of Antirrhinums.

CLASS 166: Pot Plant Bloom.

CLASS 167: Pot Plant Foliage.

CLASS 168: Flower Arrangement for a Dining Room Table.

CLASS 169: Best House Plant.

CLASS 170: 6 Sweet Peas mixed.

CLASS 171: Collection of Annuals, different varieties.

CLASS 172: Collection of Flowering Shrubs, 5 stems different varieties.

CLASS 173: Collection of Wild Flowers confined to Primary School Children.

CLASS 174: Best Hanging Basket of Flowers.

CLASS 175: Best Window Box of Herbs.

CUPS AND PRIZES : JJ SLOANE MEMORIAL CUP AND €50.00 FOR PERSON GAINING THE MOST POINTS

EUGENE CUNNINGHAM MEMORIAL TROPHY FOR WINNER OF CLASS 167

**PLEASE TAKE NOTE NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED THIS YEAR ON SHOW DAY IN
THE INDOOR EXHIBITS SECTION**

COUNTRY CRAFTS AND HOME INDUSTRIES

PLEASE TAKE NOTE - All exhibits in this section must be newly made and never previously exhibited at Granard Show. Exhibits presented at previous Shows will NOT be judged. This rule will be strictly adhered to.

ROSETTE FOR OVERALL BEST EXHIBIT IN THIS SECTION.

INDOOR EXHIBITS MUST REMAIN ON DISPLAY UNTIL 4P.M. ON SHOW DAY

PRIZES 1ST €10, 2ND €7, 3RD €5

ENTRY FEE €3.00

CLASS 176: Wool Crochet any article.

CLASS 177: Cotton Crochet any article.

CLASS 178 Handknit or Crochet Childs Matinee Jacket.

CLASS 179: Hand Embroidery – any article using cotton thread.

CLASS 180: Aran Cardigan or Jumper suitable for an adult.

CLASS 181: Most Attractive Handmade Cushion any medium.

CLASS 182: Handmade Quilt any medium.

CLASS 183: Handknit or hand crochet Soft Toy.

CLASS 184: Most attractive Handmade Tea-cosy.

CLASS 185: Best Souvenir Suitable for Sale to Tourists for example piece of Carrickmacross Lace, etc.

CLASS 186: Best Handmade Bag any medium.

CLASS 187: Handknit or crochet ladies hat.

CLASS 188: Any handmade craft created by an ICA Member – Open to all Guilds.

CLASS 189 Any handmade craft not eligible in the above classes.

CLASS 190: Any handmade craft confined to persons in active retirement.

CLASS 191 Something new from something old.

**PLEASE TAKE NOTE NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED THIS YEAR ON SHOW DAY IN
THE INDOOR EXHIBITS SECTION**

INDOOR EXHIBITS MUST REMAIN ON DISPLAY UNTIL 4P.M. ON SHOW DAY

CAKE SECTION

ROSETTE FOR OVERALL BEST EXHIBIT IN THIS SECTION.

PRIZES 1ST €10, 2ND €7, 3RD €5 ENTRY FEE €3.00

CLASS 192: Madeira Cake.

CLASS 193: Rhubarb Tart.

CLASS 194: Apple Tart.

CLASS 195: Sponge Cake – Jam Filling Only.

CLASS 196: Porter Cake.

CLASS 197: 6 Queen Cakes.

CLASS 198: 6 White Scones.

CLASS 199: 6 Fruit Scones.

CLASS 200: Traditional Soda Bread, White.

CLASS 201: Traditional Soda Bread, Brown.

CLASS 202: Fruit Soda Cake.

CLASS 203: 6 Cup Cakes Decorated.

CLASS 204: Best Pan of Boxty.

CLASS 205: 6 Potato Cakes.

CLASS 206: QUALIFIER – THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION AND CASTLEBLAYNEY SHOW SOCIETY PRESENT THE ALL IRELAND BREAD BAKING CHAMPIONSHIP SPONSORED BY MCMAHONS SUPERVALU LTD CASTLEBLAYNEY

RULES AND CONDITIONS; -

- 1. Each Exhibitor will bake 3 items: Brown Sesame Loaf (2lb loaf tin), Tea Brack (7" round), 4 plain scones.**
- 2. The items to be displayed as one exhibit on a base of 2ftx2ft approx.**
- 3. Points will be awarded for texture, taste and presentation.**
- 4. Competition is open to amateurs, male/female, and one tray to qualify per exhibitor.**
- 5. All items to be home made by the Exhibitor.**
- 6. 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.**
- 7. A Supervalu Flour Wrapper to be displayed with the Exhibit.**

8. A special qualifying class will be held at selected shows.
9. Two trays may qualify for the Final, if Judges agree that the standard is high enough.
10. Judges decision will be final at all stages of the competition.
11. Exhibits are displayed at owners risk.
12. An exhibitor can only qualify one exhibit for the All Ireland Final.

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

Entry Fee to Qualifying Show €3.00 to Final €6.00

Prizes – 1st €300, 2nd €200, 3rd €100, 4th €60, 5th €50, 6th €40, 7th to end of the line €25.00

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

FINAL – CASTLEBLAYNEY SHOW MONDAY 3rd AUGUST 2026

CLASS 207: QUALIFIER: THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION AND BONNICONLON SHOW LTD., PRESENT THE ALL IRELAND DOMESTIC ARTS CHAMPIONSHIP. SPONSORED BY CASEY'S LONDIS BALLINA, CASTLEBAR, LIMERICK AND NEWBRIDGE.

RULES AND CONDITIONS:

1. Each exhibit must consist of three items from the list below:

A. Any piece of handcraft excluding Knitting, Crochet and Embroidery (Max Size 15"x15")

B. Hall Table Arrangement (Not larger than 20"x20")

C. Decorated Fruit (1 piece of fruit)

D. 4 plain chocolate brownies (Size 3"x3" square)

2. In the event of a signed and written objection and following an investigation and if the exhibitor is deemed to be making their living from their profession, they may be disqualified.

3. Two exhibits to qualify from each qualifying show.

4. This competition will be judged on a points system.

5. Points will be awarded on presentation.

6. The judge's decision is final for all stages of the competition.

7. Exhibits are displayed at owners risk.

8. An exhibitor can only qualify one exhibit for the All Ireland Final.

Its important exhibitors check measurements stated under the Rules and Conditions.

Exhibits to be in place before 11.30a.m. on the day of Final.

Entry Fee to Qualifying Show E3.00

To Final E6.00

Prizes 1st E250, 2nd E200, 3rd E130, 4th E65, 5th TO 25th E30 EACH

FINAL: BONNICONLON SHOW MONDAY 3rd AUGUST 2026

CLASS 208; QUALIFIER: THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION AND TULLAMORE SHOW SOCIETY PRESENT THE ODLUMS ALL IRELAND HOME BAKING CHAMPIONSHIP. SPONSORED BY ODLUMS

RULES AND CONDITIONS

1. Each exhibitor to bake all items using recipes found on the Odlums website and Odlums products must be used: Please see items below
 - a. Soda Bread Focaccia Picnic Sandwich Loaf (no filling required)
 - b. 3 Layer Rainbow Cake
 - c. Apple and Blackberry Tart

N.B. All recipes can be found on the Odlums Website.

Items to be displayed on individual plates (3 tiered plates can be used for the smaller items) to enhance presentation and each exhibitor will be allocated their own space (trays optional) on a base 24" square.

Points will be awarded for taste, texture, appearance of baked items and presentation.

The competition is confined to amateurs with one entry per exhibitor at the final.

The items must be fresh, home baked by Exhibitor.

In the event of a signed and written objection and following an investigation, and if the exhibitor is deemed to be making their living from their profession, they may be disqualified.

A special class will be held at each qualifying show. Two entries may qualify from these shows for the final if judges and ISA agree that the standard is high enough. The qualifiers from each of these shows will go forward to the final, to be held at the Tullamore Show, on Sunday August 9th. Non adherence to tray sizes will deem elimination of exhibit. All items will be cut and/or sampled by the Judge. Each of the successful qualifiers will receive a hamper containing Odlums products on appearance at the final. Certificates will be awarded to the finalists. The Judges decisions at all stages of the competition is final. Exhibits are displayed at owners risk. These rules should be read in conjunction with the Irish Shows Association Rules.

FINAL – TULLAMORE & FBD NATIONAL LIVESTOCK SHOW SUNDAY 9TH AUGUST 2026

**PLEASE TAKE NOTE NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED THIS YEAR ON SHOW DAY IN
THE INDOOR EXHIBITS SECTION**

PRESERVES SECTION

ROSETTE FOR OVERALL BEST EXHIBIT IN THIS SECTION.

PRIZES 1ST 10, 2ND 7, 3RD 5 ENTRY €2.00

CLASS 209: 1lb Strawberry Jam.

CLASS 210: 1lb Raspberry Jam.

CLASS 211: 1lb Gooseberry Jam.

CLASS 212: 1lb Rhubarb Jam.

CLASS 213: 1lb Blackcurrant Jam.

CLASS 214: 1lb Marmalade.

CLASS 215: 1lb Jar Jelly.

CLASS 216: 1lb Chutney (any variety).

PHOTOGRAPHY AND ART

(Amateur Photographers/Artist Only)

KINDLY SPONSORED BY AVID FAN PHOTOGRAPHY/TOMMY WILLIAMSON

ROSETTE FOR OVERALL BEST EXHIBIT IN THIS SECTION.

Prizes 1st €10, 2nd €7, 3rd €5 Entry Fee €2.00 EXCEPT QUALIFIERS

PHOTOGRAPHY

CLASS 217: Best Sporting Photo.

CLASS 218: Best Photo of Granard Show day in years past.

CLASS 219: Best Photo featuring a child.

CLASS 220 Best Photo of Still Life.

CLASS 221: Best Action Shot.

CLASS 222: Best Photo featuring water.

CLASS 223: Best Photograph of an Agricultural Scene.

CLASS 224; QUALIFIER: THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION AND TYDAVNET SHOW PRESENT THE ALL IRELAND PHOTOGRAPHY CHAMPIONSHIP SPONSORED BY BREFFNI LANDSCAPES PRIZE FUND €500

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 a 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 owners risk.**
- 11. The Judges Decision is final.**
- 12. An exhibitor can only qualify one exhibit for the All Ireland Final.**

These rules to be read in conjunction with the I.S.A. Rules.

PRIZES 1ST €150, 2ND €120, 3RD €80, 4TH €50, 5TH TO 8TH €25 EACH

FINAL – TYDAVNET SHOW SATURDAY 15TH AUGUST 2026

ART

ROSETTE FOR OVERALL BEST EXHIBIT IN THIS SECTION.

CLASS 225; Best Landscape/Seascape.

CLASS 226; Best Farm Scene.

CLASS 227: Best Portrait.

JUNIOR COOKERY

ROSETTE FOR OVERALL BEST EXHIBIT IN THIS SECTION

PRIZES 1ST €10, 2ND €7, 3RD 5

ENTRY FEE €1.00

CLASS 228: Best 6 Rice Krispie Buns or Bars, decorated.

CLASS 229: Best 6 Rice Krispie Buns plain.

CLASS 230: Best 6 Queen Cakes decorated.

CLASS 231: Best 6 Queen Cakes plain.

PRIMARY SCHOOLS COMPETITION

4-6 YEARS

- CLASS 1 Draw a "Minion" on A3 Page.
- CLASS 2 Make a "3D Butterfly".
- CLASS 3 Handwriting of 15-20 words of any place.

7-9 YEARS

- CLASS 4 Design and Decorate a T-Shirt – Paper Version Only.
- CLASS 5 Create a "Wreath" using coat hanger (wire) and recycling clothes.
- CLASS 6 Handwriting "The Old Brown Horse" by A.F. Holmes

The old brown horse looks over the fence.

In a weary sort of way.

He seems to be saying to all who pass:

"Well, folks, I've had my day-

I'm simply watching the world go by,

And nobody seems to mind,

As they're dashing past in their motorcars,

A horse who is lame and half blind."

10-13 YEARS

- CLASS 7 Drawing of "Granard Library" on A3 Paper.
- CLASS 8 "Year of the Hose". Create a "Horse" from recycled materials. 10-13
- CLASS 9 Make a "Bird Feeder".
- CLASS 10 Write a poem "Our World Today" 15-20 lines.

CLASS 11 Handwriting – “By the Lake” by John McGahern.

The morning was clear. There was no wind on the lake. There was also a great stillness. When the bells rang out for Mass, the strokes trembling on the water, they had the entire world to themselves.

The doors of the house were open. Jamesie entered without knocking and came in noiselessly until he stood in the doorway of the large room where the Rutledges were sitting. He stood as still as if waiting under trees for retuning wildfowl. He expected his discovery to be quick. There would be a cry of surprise and reproach; he would counter by accusing them of not being watchful enough. There would be welcome and laughter.

CLASS 12

*****ADDITIONAL NEEDS*****

Using fabric scraps foil, paper, etc., - make a “Picture Frame” without glass.

Entry fee is € .30 cents per entry.

Closing Date for Entry Forms ONLY is Friday 29th May 2026.

Contact Rosemary Gaynor on 086 0847160 IF ANY QUERIES.

**Granard Agricultural Show Society is not responsible
for any loss or damage to exhibits.**

DOG SHOW

JUDGING COMMENCING AT 2.30P.M. SHARP

KINDLY SPONSORED BY L.R. SERVICES GRANARD/DAVID FEELY BALLINACROSS, GRANARD, CO LONGFORD

ENTRIES TAKEN ON SHOW DAY AT THE DOG RING FROM 1.30P.M.

PRIZE MONEY PAID ON SHOW DAY PRIZES 1ST €10, 2ND €7, 3RD €5 ENTRY FEE €3.00

CLASS 1 – Any variety Gun Dog.

CLASS 2 – Any variety Working Dog.

CLASS 3 – Any variety Toy Dog.

CLASS 4 – Any variety puppy 6-12 months.

CLASS 5 – Any variety handled by a person under 16 years.

CLASS 6 – Any variety Utility Dog.

CLASS 7 – Any variety Terrier.

CLASS 8 – Any variety Guard Dog.

CLASS 9 – Any variety Sheep Dog.

CLASS 10 – Any variety handled by a Lady.

CLASS 11 – Any variety handled by a Gent.

CLASS 12 – Any dog in fancy dress.

CLASS 13 – QUALIFIER: THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION AND BALLINASLOE SHOW PRESENT THE ALL IRELAND IRISH NATIVE BREED DOG CHAMPIONSHIP SPONSORED BY BALLINASLOE DOG OWNERS PRIZE FUND €400

RULES AND CONDITIONS:-

- 1. This competition is confined to Irish Native Breed any variety – dog bitch which are as follows:**
 - a. Irish Glen of Imall Terrier**
 - b. Irish Red Setter**
 - c. Irish Red and White Setter**
 - d. Irish Soft Coated Wheaten Terrier**
 - e. Irish Terrier**
 - f. Irish Water Spaniel**
 - g. Irish Wolfhound**
 - h. Kerry Beagle**
 - i. Kerry Blue**
- 2. Two Dogs to qualify from each qualifying show**
- 3. Entries in this championship cannot compete in any other dog classes at the Ballinasloe Show.**

These rules should be read in conjunction with the I.S.A. Rules.

Prizes 1st €150 and Perpetual Trophy for Winner, 2nd €100, 3rd €75, 4th €50, 5th €25

Entry fee to Qualifying Show €3, Final €6

FINAL BALLINASLOE SHOW – SATURDAY 26TH SEPTEMBER 2026

