150th North Tipp Show Schedule 2025

Nenagh Showgrounds Bank Holiday Monday 4th August



Horses, Cattle, Goats, Sheep, Ponies, Dogs, Poultry, Home Industries & Horticultural Exhibits

Entries must be in before the 25th of July NO LATE ENTRIES, NO EXCEPTIONS

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In the event of the show being cancelled the show office will remain open for 5 working days post show date for collection of refunds

The North Tipperary Agricultural Show is a member of and affiliated to the Irish Shows Association.

ATTRACTIONS

Live Music

Children's Amusements & Face painting

Local Produce & Artisan market

Classic and Vintage Cars

Vintage Tractors & Farm Machinery

Side Shows

Free car parking

Competitions:

Dog Show

Horses & Ponies

Cattle

Sheep

Poultry

Baked & homemade goods

Art & crafts

Vegetables, Jams, and Honey

Home Brewed Beers & Ciders

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FUNDAMENTAL RULES

NOTE - Entrants are requested to read carefully the following rules, under which conditions, entries only are accepted.

- 1. The council reserves the right to amalgamate or cancel any class in which sufficient entries are not received. The judges shall not award a prize unless there is sufficient merit, and no second prize will be awarded unless there are three or more entries, the property of different owners.
- 2. Entry forms to be accurately filled up in every particular must be lodged together with the full amount of entry fees on or before the 25th of July. Any willful misinformation on an entry form will lead to disqualification. Phone entries are not accepted.
- 3. Printed numbers will be available for collection at the secretary's tent on the morning of the show. All exhibits must be on the grounds at 09:30 a.m. only two persons will be admitted per animal.
- 4. Any objection to an award of the judges must be lodged with the secretaries within 1 hour of the judges giving their decision, and in jumping competitions, within fifteen minutes after the award has been made. Each objection to be made in writing, fully stating the reason, and must be accompanied by a fee of €50, which may be returned if the objection is sustained.
- 5. No person shall enter the space enclosed for the adjudication or hold any communication with the judges or stewards, and no person shall act as judge or steward in a ring who is an exhibitor in any one of the classes under adjudication in that ring.
- 6. Entrants are to understand that, although reasonable precautions will be taken to ensure the safety and welfare of the exhibits, the council will not responsible for accidents or loss of any kind in connection with the show. All exhibits are entered entirely at owners' risk
- 7. The council delegates full powers to the stewards to enforce all the foregoing regulations.
- 10. The committee reserve the right of declining to receive any entry and of returning the fee, without being liable to any claim for compensation.
- 12. To determine the highest number of points in any section, the following scale shall be used: first prize counts 4 points; second prize 3 points; third prize 2 points; and reserve 1 point.
- 13. The committee reserves the right to contact exhibitors, please contact the office directly to opt out of this agreement.

- 14. Cup winners shall at the time of receiving the trophies, sign a receipt for same and an undertaking to return those not won outright, in a clean condition, to the society, at least two weeks before the date which they are offered for further competition.
- 16. Prize money will be paid to all winning competitors on show day. Exhibitors of animals will receive their winnings at the same time that they receive their rosette.
- 17. The show committee will not in any way be responsible should any accident occur to any person attending the show or for any loss or damage to cars, vehicles or their content

DISCIPLINE:

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

Inappropriate behavior 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 three members of the board of the Irish Shows Association and shall be known as the Disciplinary Committee. The disciplinary Committee shall seek to ensure the existence of accordance with natural and constitutional justice. For further details refer to www.irishshows.org

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO ANIMAL OWNERS INVOLVED IN SHOWING ANIMALS:

The Irish Shows Association would advise ALL animal owners to have Insurance cover for their animals; this should include cover whilst showing animals at shows. We understand that it costs very little or nothing depending on whom you have insurance cover with.

This advice is to protect yourself in the event of your animal causing injury or damage to a person or person's property, and if it's established that your animal was out of control at that time, you may be held responsible, or partly responsible or the injury or damage.

HORSE & PONY

Classes with three or less entries will be amalgamated.

All horses shall be subject to the opinion of a V.S; if required and all animals entered in classes where height is a qualification. Certificate from a veterinary surgeon must be produced to senior steward. Certificates can be obtained free of charge from official veterinary surgeon in the show grounds.

In all horse and cattle classes 5% will be deducted from prize money for the I.S.A. Championship Fund.

Horse classes begin judging at 10.00 am sharp for Young stock, followed by Brood Mares and Foals.

SAFETY:

Horse riding is a dangerous sport and all competitors in Ridden Classes are strongly advised, for their own safety, to wear appropriate headgear that complies with up to date safety standards.

YOUNG STOCK

Ring 2

Judging starts at 10.00am sharp

Additional prizes may be awarded at the discretion of Committee on recommendation of Judges.

BREEDING OF ALL ANIMALS TO BE SHOWN ON ENTRY FORM

Class 1. YEARLING COLT OR GELDING Entry fee €20 1st €100, 2nd €60, 3rd €40

Class 2. YEARLING FILLY
Entry fee €20
1st €100, 2nd €60, 3rd €40
Kilclareen Cup for Champion Yearling

Class 3. TWO-YEAR-OLD COLT OR GELDING Entry fee €20 1st €100, 2nd €60, 3rd €40

Class 4. TWO-YEAR-OLD FILLY Entry fee €20 1st €100, 2nd €60, 3rd €40

Class 5. Qualifier: Traditional Irish Horse Association Limerick Lady Qualifier Trench Memorial Cup for Champion 2 year-old

PRIZE FUND: Champion - €500 & the T.I.H.A. Perpetual Challenge Trophy, Reserve: €250, 3rd: €150, 4TH: €100.

RULES AND CONDITIONS

- For two-year-old Traditionally Bred Fillies, suitable for producing High Quality Traditionally Bred Sport Horses.
- Fillies must have been registered as foals with a society that maintains its breed for - the Irish Sport Horse Breed, the Irish Draught Breed, the Thoroughbred Breed & the Connemara Pony Breed and MUST be APPROVED by:
 - a. Thoroughbred Stallions, Connemara Stallions, ISH (TIH) Stallions, Irish Draught Stallions or
 - b. Any cross of the aforementioned
- Dams of the fillies must be by the Stallions as above and registered with a society that maintains its breed.
- NA 1 Irish Sport Horse Stallions or similar classification.
- 5. All exhibitors must have their fillies passports available for inspection at the Qualifying show and at the Championship
- 6. Entry fee for the Qualifier is €15, Entry fee for the Championship is €25.
- More than one filly may be selected at any qualifying show, provided that the standard of entries warrants such selection.
- 8. Should the standard of entries be insufficient, no filly will be selected.
- 9. Infringement of these conditions or Championship regulations may lead to disqualification.

Class 6. THREE-YEAR-OLD COLT OR GELDING Entry fee €20 1st €100, 2nd €60, 3rd €40 The Colum MacDonnell Cup for Champion 3 Y.O.

Class 7. THREE-YEAR-OLD FILLIES Entry fee €20.

1st €100, 2nd €60, 3rd €40

The Colum MacDonnell Cup for Champion 3 Y.O.

BROOD MARES AND FOALS

Ring 2

Foals must be led at all times

It is essential that IHR Registration Numbers and breeding details of mares & foals be stated on entry forms

Entry Fee €20 per class, per entry

Class 8. BROODMARE STINTED/HAS FOAL AT FOOT LIKELY TO PRODUCE HIGH-CLASS HUNTER 1st €100, 2nd €60, 3rd €40

Jerry Carey Cup

Class 9. BROODMARE STINTED/HAS FOAL AT FOOT LIKELY TO PRODUCE HEAVYWEIGHT HUNTER

1st €100, 2nd €60, 3rd €40

Class 10. FILLY FOAL, PROGENY OF MARE IN CLASSES 8 & 9

1st €80, 2nd €50, 3rd €30

Class 11. COLT FOAL, PROGENY OF MARE IN CLASSES 8 & 9 1st €80, 2nd €50, 3rd €30

Class 12. IRISH DRAUGHT & APPENDIX DRAUGHT MARE IN FOAL OR WITH FOAL AT FOOT The Tipperary I.D.S. Cup for best Irish Draught mare, 1st; €100, 2nd; €60; 3rd; €40 Recognised/Not Approved 1 (NA1) or a Stallion that is classified in the Irish Draft Stud Book as either CLASS 1/Class 2/ RID (GB)/ RID (CAN)/Grade 2 (GB).

- The class is also open to progeny of Weatherby's registered stallions that are NOT classified as Not Approved 2 (NA2) or ENTRY in the Irish Horse Register. (Warm Blood Breeding not acceptable in this Competition)
- Two Foals one filly &one Colt from selected shows may qualify, provided the judges &the I.S.A. agree the standard is high enough.
- Foals must be led at all times.
- Exhibitors to both the qualifier & the final must have the Mare's passport ready
 for inspection prior to entry to the judging ring If the foals passport is not to
 hand. Failure to comply with this rule will lead to immediate disqualification.
- Passports & Microchips should be read by a Vet at the final.
- Foals qualified for the Final are <u>not</u> eligible to enter any other class at the show in which the final is held <u>other than qualifying classes for other Finals.</u>
- These rules should be read in conjunction with the General I.S.A. rules.

ENTRY FEE to Qualifying Show €10, to Final €20.

Colts & Fillies will be judged separately at Final PRIZE FUND FOR FINAL:

Colt: 1st - €400, 2nd: €250, 3rd: €150, 4th: €100, 5th to 8th (incl) €50. Filly: 1st - €400, 2nd: €250, 3rd: €150, 4th: €100, 5th to 8th (incl) €50. FINAL: Mountbellew Agricultural Show on Saturday 23rd August, 2025.

Class 13. THE TRADITIONAL IRISH SPORT HORSE FOAL

Qualifier: The Traditional Irish Sport Horse Foal All Ireland Championship at Mountbellew Agricultural Show.

Entry fee to North Tipp Show €10, to Final €20.

Colts & Fillies will be judged separately at Final

PRIZE FUND FOR FINAL:

Colt: 1st - €400, 2nd: €250, 3rd: €150, 4th: €100, 5th €50.

Filly: 1st - €400, 2nd: €250, 3rd: €150, 4th: €100, 5th €50.

RULES & CONDITIONS:

- Entries are confined to Foals eligible to be registered if not already Registered in the Irish Horse Register with the breed codes ISH, or ID:
- Foals must be Sired by a Stallion that is classified in the Irish Sport Horse Stud Book as either: Approved / Preliminary Approved / Supplementary Approved / Recognised / Preliminary Recognised / Not Approved 1 (NA1) or a Stallion that is classified in the Irish Draught Stud Book as either CLASS 1 / Class 2/ RID (GB) / RID (Can) / Grade 2 (GB)
- The class is also open to progeny of Weatherby's registered stallions that are NOT classified as Not Approved 2 (NA2) or ENTRY in the Irish Horse Register. (Warm Blood Breeding not acceptable in this competition)
- Two foals; one Filly & one Colt, from selected shows may qualify, provided the judges agree the standard is high enough.
- Foals must be led at all times.
- Exhibitors to both the qualifier & the final must have the Mare's passport ready for inspection prior to entry to the judging ring, "if the Foals passport is not to hand". Failure to comply with this rule will lead to immediate disgualification.
- Passports & Discrete amp; (Microchips if applicable) should be read by a Vet at the Final.
- There will be a qualifier class at Mountbellew Agricultural Show on 23rd August, 2025.
- These rules should be read in conjunction with the Mountbellew Agricultural Show Society rules & regulations.

Sir Henry Grattan Bellew Salver will be presented to the overall champion foal. A replica of the Salver will be given to the winner, Runner-up foal will receive a cup.

A prize will be presented for Combination of Best Turned-Out Horse and Most Suitably Dressed Handler.

Class 14. 1 & 2 YEAR OLD I.D. FILLIES & COLT - TOOMEVARA CUP Must be eligible for full R.I.D registration 1st €100, 2nd €60, 3rd €40

Class 15. IRISH DRAUGHT FOAL CHAMPION – CORBETT CUP Foal of Mare in class 12 Champion foal €50 and Reserve €30 Class 16. CHAMPION MARE - JUBILEE CUP Champion foal €50 and Reserve €30

Class 17. RIDDEN HUNTER UNDER 158CM Entry fee €20 1st; €80, 2nd; €60; 3rd; €40

Class 18. RIDDEN HUNTER, LIGHTWEIGHT HUNTER TO CARRY UP TO 13 STONE Entry fee €20

1st: €80. 2nd: €60: 3rd: €40

Class 19. RIDDEN HUNTER, MEDIUM HEAVY WEIGHT TO CARRY OVER 13 STONE Entry fee €20

1st €80, 2nd €60, 3rd €40,

O'Sullivan Perpetual Challenge Trophy for Champion Ridden Hunter

O Sullivan Perpetual Challenge Trophly for Challipion Ridden Hunt

Class 20. RIDDEN COB,

Mare or gelding, four years old and over, exceeding 148cms but not exceeding 155cms

Entry fee €20

1st €80, 2nd €60, 3rd €40

PONIES

IRISH PONY SOCIETY CO. LTD. CLASS SPECIFICATIONS & ABBREVIATIONS

All pony Classes at Shows affiliated to the I.P.S. shall be carried out & judged in accordance with the Society's Regulations, Rules & Bye-Laws.

- (a) No rider under 5 years on 1st January of current year may compete in any Class with the exception of the Lead Rein Classes for which the minimum age is 3 years on 1st January of current year
- (b) No change of tack is permitted in any Class
- (c) "Snaffle" bit means a single ringed snaffle

Temporary Registration: Ponies which are registered on a temporary basis will not be eligible for qualifying points for the R.D.S. or annual awards, etc. but points won will be recorded for the purpose of determining status.

POINTS SYSTEM:

Restricted Open & Novice Classes: 1st - 4 points; 2nd - 3 points; 3rd - 2 points; 4th - 1 point. Intermediate & Open Classes: 1st - 6 points; 2nd - 5 points; 3rd - 4 points; 4th - 3 points.

Higher points will be awarded at selected major affiliated Shows as decided by the LP.S. Council from time to time.

When a pony has gained a total of 50 points, he will then be deemed to be open, points to be calculated at the last date of entry for the Show. No points awarded in Special or unaffiliated Classes such as Local, Pony Club or Family Pony. Every owner is responsible for keeping a record of the points earned by their animal for the purpose of determining its status, & in order to ensure that it is not entered in, & does not compete in, any competition for which it is ineligible.

SHOW PONY RIDING SECTION

NOVICE SHOW PONY RIDING CLASSES are open to:

- a) Ponies that have not attained 50 points in *Show Pony Riding Classes at Shows affiliated to the Irish Pony Society, including Irish Pony Society Shows.
- b)Ponies that have not won an Open Show Pony Riding Class in any country other than Ireland nor completed in an International Competition with the exception of a pony expressly selected by the I.P.S. for such a competition.
- c) (i) Ponies that have not won a major Open Show Pony Riding Championship not affiliated to the Irish Pony Society.
- (ii) Ponies that have not qualified at a Show not affiliated to the Irish Pony Society for a major Open Show Pony Riding Championship to be held in Ireland or overseas.

Riding Classes are those Show Pony Riding Classes for which both Novice & Open Classifications are currently included in the list of I.P.S. specifications.

The Council reserves the right to cancel any Pony Classes in which there are less than 4 entries. All prize money must be collected prior to leaving the ring. Entries will not be accepted on the field or over the phone – no exceptions

Affiliated to the Irish Pony Society

All entries must be received by 22th of July

Entry fee in all pony classes €15

Prizes: 1st: €50, 2nd: €30, 3rd: €20.

Judging starts at 10am sharp

RING 3

Judge; Mrs. Sharon Fitton,

Class 21. OPEN LEAD REIN

For ponies, mares or geldings, 4 years old &over, not exceeding 123cms. Suitable for &to be ridden by riders who have not attained their 8th birthday on 1st January of current year.

Class 22. OPEN FIRST RIDDEN PONY

For ponies, mares or geldings, 4 years old & over, not exceeding 123cms. Suitable for & to be ridden by riders who have not attained their 10th birthday on 1st January of current year.

Class 23, OPEN 123CMS, SHOW HUNTER PONY

Confined to ponies, mares or geldings, 4 years old & over, not exceeding 123cms. Suitable for & to be ridden by riders who have not attained their 11th birthday on 1st January of current year.

Class 24. OPEN MOUNTAIN & MOORI AND LEAD REIN

For Mares & Geldings, 4 years old & over, not exceeding 123cms. Riders not to have attained their 9th birthday on 1st January of current year.

Class 25 OPEN MOUNTAIN & MOORI & FIRST RIDDEN

For Mares & Geldings, 4 years old & over, not exceeding 128cms. Riders not to have attained their 12th birthday on 1st January of current year.

Class 26. MINI CHAMPIONSHIP

All 1st & 2nd prize winners in classes' 18-22 eligible The prize winners in this class (champion & reserve) are invited to compete in

Class 27. FAMILY PONY LEAD REIN

For ponies not exceeding 138cms, for riders under 12 years.

Ponies need not be Irish Pony Society affiliated.

Class 32, the overall Champion Ridden pony.

Class 28. OPEN SHOW STARTER STAKES.

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

Class 29. OPEN SHOW PONY RIDING

For ponies, mares or geldings, 4 years old & over, exceeding 123cms, not exceeding 148cms. Suitable for & to be ridden by riders of correct age.

Class 30. SHOW HUNTER PONY

For ponies, mare or geldings, 4 years & over, exceeding 123cms but not exceeding 133cms, riders under 17 on the 1st of January of the current year.

Class 31, Open 143cms, Show Hunter Pony

For ponies, mares or geldings, 4 years old & over, exceeding 133cms. Not exceeding 143cms. Suitable for & to be ridden by riders who have not attained their 17th birthday on 1st January of current year

Class 32 OPEN 153CMS SHOW HUNTER PONY

For ponies, mares or geldings, 4 years old & over, exceeding 143cms. Not exceeding 153cms. suitable for & to be ridden by riders who have not attained their 20th birthday on 1st January of current year.

Class 33. OPEN RIDDEN CONNEMARA

4 years old & over, riders under 16 years on 1st January of current year.

Class 34. OPEN RIDDEN CONNEMARA

4 years old & over, riders over 16 years on 1st January of current year.

Class 35. NOVICE RIDDEN CONNEMARA

Confined to ponies 4 years old, or 5, 6, 7, year old ponies that have not gained 50 points in Ridden Connemara,

Class 36 CHAMPION RIDDEN PONY

All 1st & second prize-winners in classes' 25-33 eligible.

The Bernal Cup

BREEDING & YOUNG STOCK

Ring 3 This section is kindly sponsored by Paddy Rohan's Bar, Sarsfield Street, Nenagh.

Class 37. REGISTERED CONNEMARA ANY AGE
To be shown in-hand.

Class 38. YOUNG STOCK
1. 2. 3 year old colt, gelding or filly.

Class 39. Broodmare Class not exceeding 153cms

Class 40. FOAL CLASS
Produce of mares in Class 35
Free entry, rosettes only, no prizemoney.

Class 41. PUREBRED REGISTERED WELSH PONY OR COB To be shown in hand, any age any sex.

Class 42. Part Bred registered Welsh Pony To be shown in hand, any age any sex.

Class 43. CHAMPION WELSH

1st & 2nd Prize winners from classes 39 & 40 eligible

Class 44. Breeding & Young STOCK CHAMPIONSHIP The Collins Perpetual Trophy to Champion 1st & 2nd prize winners in 35-40 eligible

Class 45. SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP, OPEN TO CHAMPIONS & RESERVE CHAMPIONS Champion & reserve mini, champion & reserve ridden, champion & reserve in hand, champion & reserve mini worker, champion & reserve worker.

WORKING HUNTER

Ring 4 Entry Fee €20

IPS Affiliated for Points but non-members welcome

JUDGE: Mrs. Mary Carter,

Working Hunters, Ridden Hunters & Ridden Cob

Working Hunter Classes - judging starts at 11.00 am sharp

Class 46. OPEN WORKING HUNTER LEAD REIN

For ponies, mares or geldings, 4 years old & over, not exceeding 123CMs. To be ridden by riders who have attained their 3rd birthday but not their 8th birthday on 1st January of current year. Riders in this class may not compete in any other class on the same day with the exception of any other lead rein, first year first ridden, first ridden & first year cradle stakes classes.

Class 47 OPEN CRADLE STAKES

For ponies, mares or geldings, 4 years old & over, not exceeding 123cms. Suitable for & to be ridden by riders who have not attained their 11th birthday on 1st January of current year.

Class 48. OPEN WORKING STARTER STAKES

For ponies, mares or geldings, 4 years old & over, not exceeding 133cms. Suitable for & to be ridden by riders who have not attained their 12th birthday on 1st January of current year.

Class 49. MINI WORKING HUNTER CHAMPION 1st & 2nd prize winners from class 43 to 45 eligible

Class 50. FAMILY PONY WORKING HUNTER (70 CM) Open to non-IPS members

Class 51. OPEN 133CMS. WORKING HUNTER PONY

For ponies, mares or geldings, 4 years old & over, exceeding 123cms. Not exceeding 133cms. Suitable for & to be ridden by riders who have not attained their 14th birthday on 1st January of current year.

Class 52. OPEN 143CMS. WORKING HUNTER PONY

For ponies, mares or geldings, 4 years old & over, exceeding 133cms. Not exceeding 143cms. Suitable for & to be ridden by riders who have not attained their 17th birthday on 1st January of current year.

Class 53. OPEN 153CMS. WORKING HUNTER PONY

For ponies, mares or geldings, 4 years old & over, exceeding 143cms. Not exceeding 153cms. Suitable for & to be ridden by riders who have not attained their 20th birthday on 1st January of current year.

Class 54. OPEN INTERMEDIATE WORKING HUNTER PONY

For ponies, mares or geldings, 4 years old & over, not exceeding 158cms. Suitable for & to be ridden by riders who have not attained their 25th Birthday on 1st January of current Year

Class 55. PONY WORKING HUNTER CHAMPIONSHIP

1st & 2nd from to Class 50 - 54

Class 56. NOVICE WORKING HUNTER HORSE 4 years & over, Fence Height 90cm

Class 57. OPEN WORKING HUNTER HORSE
4 years & over, Fence Height 1m.
Sponsored by GBBS International Ltd, Greg Broderick, Ballypatrick.

Class 58. WORKING HUNTER HORSE CHAMPIONSHIP

1st & 2nd from Classes 56 & 57

CATTLE



SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS:

The following changes are being introduced for keepers of bovine animals who wish to show cattle - these changes apply from the 2014 show season. Keepers of cattle are now required to obtain a Certificate of Compliance prior to the movement of an animal to a Show. Certificates of Compliance can be obtained online from the Animal Identification & Movement (AIM) system through the www.agfood.ie facility or from the Cattle Movement

Notification Agency.

When applying for a Certificate of Compliance, keepers should not specify a destination herd.

On the day of the Show, the Certificate of Compliance should be presented to the Show Secretary along with the bovine passport for the animal.

The keeper & the Show Secretary will then sign the Movement Notification section of the Certificate which will then be sent to the local DVO for recording onto the AIM system.

Please note that only cattle for which a valid Certificate of Compliance is provided to the Show Secretary will be allowed to the shown on the day of the Show. These Certificates will replace the previously-used CMMS 4 forms.

Entry fee: €15 per entry per Class Judging will start at 12.00 sharp

Exhibitors of Purebred Classes must present Society's certificate at show. Classes to be judged according to order in prize list. All animals must have appropriate tag & card. All animals over six weeks must be T.B. tested within 12 months of date of show. Keepers of cattle are now required to obtain a Certificate of Compliance prior to the movement of an animal to a Show (See note above).

Prize money in Cattle Classes: 1st €100; 2nd €70; 3rd €50 unless otherwise stated.

DAIRY SECTION

HOLSTEIN FRIESIAN CLASSES

Class 52. PEDIGREE HOLSTEIN FRIESIAN HEIFER - MAIDEN OR IN CALE

Class 53. Pedigree Holstein Friesian Heifer Calf Born on Or After 1/9/2024

Must be Holstein in the above classes

BRITISH FRIESIAN CLASSES

Must be British Friesian

Class 54. Pedigree British Friesian bull calf born on or after 1/9/2024 The Francis Burke Perpetual Cup

HEREFORD CLASSES

Class 55. Pedigree Registered Bull born between 1/7/2024 & 30/09/2024 Sponsor AIB

Class 56. Purebred Registered Bull born between 1/10/2024 & 31/12/2024 Sponsor CENTRAL Auctions

Class 57. Pedigree Registered Bull calf born in 2025 **Sponsor Dovea Genetic**

Class 58. THE €1,000 PREMIER HEREFORD BULL CALF OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP Confined to 1st – 3rd. prize winners in Classes 61 - 63

Prizes: 1st €350; 2nd €250; 3rd €150; 4th €100; 5th €75; 6th €75

Entry fee of €15 will be deducted from prize money

Sponsor Hereford prime

Class 59. Pedigree Registered Heifer Born on or After 1/7/2023 & on or Before 31/12/2023.

Sponsor P. Harty

Rev. Rd. Michael Harty Memorial Cup

Class 60. Pedigree Registered Heifer Born on or After 1/01/2024 & on or Before 30/06/2024

Sponsor Hereford Munster branch

Class 61. Pedigree Registered Heifer Born on or After 01/07/2024 & on or Before 30/09/2024

Sponsor Hereford Munster branch

Class 62. Pedigree Registered Heifer born on or after 01/10/2024 & on or before 31/12/2024

Class 63. Pedigree Registered Heifer Born in 2025 Sponsor Liffey Mill

Class 64. THE €1,000 PREMIER HEREFORD HEIFER CALF OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP Confined to 1st— 3rd prize winners in Classes 10 - 12 Prizes: 1st, €350; 2nd, €250; 3rd, €150; 4th, €100; 5th, €75; 6th, €75 Entry fee of €15 will be deducted from prize money **Sponsor IHBS & ABP**

Class 65. Pedigree Registered Hereford Cow with Calf at foot.

Murphy Cup

Class 66. HEREFORD EXHIBITED BY HANDLER UNDER 18 YEARS OLD Free entry 1st €40, 2nd €30, 3rd €20.

Class 67. CLEARY MEMORIAL CUP FOR CHAMPION HEREFORD

SHORTHORN

Class 68. Pedigree Registered Shorthorn Heifer Born on or After 01/01/2024

Class 69. Pedigree Registered Shorthorn Heifer Born on or After 01/02/2025

Class 70. BEST CHAMPION OF THE SHOW

Class 71. Pedigree Registered Aberdeen Angus cow with Calf at Foot.

Class 72. Pedigree Registered Aberdeen Angus Bull Calf, Born on/After 01/09/24

Class 73. Pedigree Registered Aberdeen Angus Heifer Calf Born on or After 01/09/24

Class 74. Pedigree Registered Aberdeen Angus Heifer Born Between 01/09/23 & 31/08/24.

COMMERCIAL

Class 75. Bull Calf. Any Breed, Born on OR AFTER 01/01/2025

Class 76. Heifer Calf. Any Breed. Born on or After 01/01/2025

Class 77 BEEF BULLOCK

Class 78. BEEF HEIFER Nenagh Mart Cup

Class 79. Store Bullock with not more than two permanent teeth Nenagh Credit Union Cup

Class 80. THE BREEDER'S CHOICE TRADITIONAL 4* OR 5* BREEDING HEIFER Sponsored by The Department of Agriculture

RULES AND CONDITIONS

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

Prizes Fund: 1st €250; 2nd €125; 3rd €75; 4th - 8th €50

YOUNG HANDELERS

Rules for the following classes:

- 1. All participants must be a member of the society.
- 1. All participants must be underage by the 1st of January 2025
- 2. Animals used must be HF or HFX.

We kindly ask can the entry form include:

- 1 Parents name
- 2. Children's name
- 3. Herd prefix
- Class 81. Next Gen Herefords Under 11 Young Handlers Class
- Class 82. Next Gen Herefords Under 14 Young Handlers Class
- Class 83. Next Gen Herefords Under 18 Young Handlers Class

GOATS

Judging will start at 13.00 sharp

Entry fees: €8 per class

Minimum of 4 entries required for prizes to be awarded Prize fund unless otherwise stated: 1st €50, 2nd €30, 3rd €20.

Class 1. MII KING GOAT

Class 2. Best female over 1yr, not currently milking

Class 3. FEMALE OR MALE KID

Class 4. MALE PUCK

Class 5. CHAMPION & RESERVE



Judging will start at 12.00 sharp.

Entry fees: €8 per entry per Pedigree Class, free entry for Handler Class

€5 per entry per non-pedigree Class.

Prize fund unless otherwise stated: 1st €50, 2nd €30, 3rd €20.

Date of shearing must be given on Entry Form

SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS:

Department of Agriculture, Food & the Marine, 2014 Identification:

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

Movement Documentation

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

AIM Notification

The movement of sheep to & 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: The owner/keeper presents the signed & completed dispatch document to the show secretary who checks it to ensure that it is completed in full.

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 & (iv) signs the dispatch document.

The show secretary then forwards the completed pink section of the dispatch document to the local DVO within 7 days of the show movement. The show secretary keeps the white copy for his/her records. 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 & from shows must be recorded in the keeper's flock register.

PEDIGREE

SUFFOLK BREED

Class 6. RAM SHEARLING & UPWARDS Sponsored by REA Eoin Dillon

Class 7. EWE SHEARLING & UPWARDS

TEXEL BREED

Class 8. RAM SHEARLING & UPWARDS

Sponsored by William Talbot Auctioneer

Class 9 FWE SHEARLING & LIPWARDS

CHAROLLAIS BREED

Class 10. RAM SHEARLING & UPWARDS

Sponsored by DNG Michael Gilmartin

Class 11. EWF SHEARLING & UPWARDS

VENDEEN BREED

Class 12. RAM SHEARLING & UPWARDS

Class 13. EWF SHEARLING & UPWARDS

COMMERCIAL

Class 14. BEST BUTCHER LAMB 1st €30 2nd €20 3rd €10

Class 15. BEST EWE LAMB 1st €30 2nd €20 3rd €10

Class 16. BEST FACTORY LAMB 1st €30 2nd €20 3rd €10

Class 17. BEST HOGGET EWE (SUITABLE FOR BREEDING) 1st €30 2nd €20 3rd €10 Class 18. BEST EWE, 2 YEARS & UPWARDS 1st €30 2nd €20 3rd €10

Class 19. BEST PAIR OF LAMBS BORN ON OR AFTER 1/1/2024 1st €30 2nd €20 3rd €10

YOUNG HANDLERS

Class 20. HANDLER U12 YEARS – ALL LAMB CLASSES

1st €30 2nd €20 3rd €10

Harry Howard cup for best hogget ewe suitable for breeding

HORTICULTURE & HOME INDUSTIES

The Judges shall not award a prize unless there is sufficient merit. Winning exhibitors in the Horticulture Hall will receive their prize money from the Senior Steward when they remove their exhibit from display. All prize money must be collected on Show Day

To make this section more interesting for the public, each entry should be named where possible.

In the event of a tie, the correct naming will count.

All entries €2 per class.

PRIZE FUND: 1st €10. 2nd €7. 3rd €5 unless otherwise stated.

Marquee opens from 7.30am on show morning & will be closed for judging at 9.30am sharp. Marquee will open to the public at 12.30pm. Exhibits cannot be removed before 4.00pm.

HORTICULTURE

In the Horticultural Classes, all vegetables must be washed, trimmed & cleaned, & must be grown by the exhibitor & in his possession for at least two months previous to the Show.

The Rowan Cup will be awarded to the exhibitor with the most points in the horticulture section.

Class 1. TRADITIONAL COTTAGE GARDEN

Vegetable patch, Flowers and/or Orchard.

Printed Picture to be sent to the show office by the 25th July

Print should be 7x5cm

Show office address: North Tipp Show, Banba Square, Nenagh, Co. Tipperary

VEGETABLE

Class 2. Best 6 POTATOES, ROUND, FOR TABLE USE

Class 3. Best 6 POTATOES, KIDNEY OR LONG, FOR TABLE USE

Class 4. BEST 4 ONION SETS

Class 5. Best 2 Courgettes, MAX SIZE 15CM

Class 6. BEST 6 SCALLIONS

Class 7. BEST 2 HEADS OF LETTUCE
Any variety, correct naming will affect scoring

Class 8. BEST 6 PODS OF PEAS

Class 9. BEST 3 CARROTS

Class 10. BEST 3 BEETROOTS

Class 11. Best Head of Cabbage, Max size 14"

Class 12. Best 6 Tomatoes DANNY HASSETT CUP

Class 13. Best Display of Herbs, different varieties, in Jars

Class 14. BEST COLLECTION OF VEGETABLES
Min of 6 varieties
Max 24" X 18"

Class 15. Best single vegetable exhibit – any variety

Class 16. BEST AMUSING / KNOBBLY VEGETABLE

Class 17. BEST SINGLE HERB

FRUIT

All entries €2 per class. ALL Prizes: 1st €10, 2nd €7, 3rd €5 unless otherwise stated

The Dann Cup will be awarded to the exhibitor who wins the most points in the fruit section

Class 18. FIVE STALKS OF RHUBARB

Class 19, PLUMS 6 BEST

Class 20. BEST 3 COOKING APPLES

FLOWERS

Entries in Classes 21 – 26, to be 'exhibited' in container of max .height 6" (15cms) unless otherwise stated

Class 21. SWEET PEA, ONE VASE, SIX BLOOMS, ONE VARIETY

Class 22. SWEET PEA, ONE VASE, SIX BLOOMS, MIXED VARIETY

Class 23. Roses, one vase, 3 varieties Hybrid Tea, one bloom each

Class 24. ROSE OF THE SHOW

Best single bloom. Special prize to winner

Class 25. Bowl of Eight Roses, any Variety, any Colour

Class 26. HYDRANGEA, ONE VASE, THREE BLOSSOMS

Class 27. Dahlia of show – BEST SINGLE BLOOM

Class 28. 'HIGH SUMMER' A COLLECTION OF HOT COLOURS Max width 20"

Class 29. Shrubs / Ornamental / Flowering, mixed varieties, one vase

Class 30. GLADIOLI, ONE VASE, ONE SPIKE

Class 31. SPIREA SHRUB, 3 STEM

Class 32. Dahlias, Decorative, 3 BLOOMS, 1 VASE

Class 33. Dahlias, Cactus/Semi-cactus, 3 blooms, 1 vase

Class 34. Dahlias, Pompoms, 3 Blooms, 1 VASE

Class 35. THREE SUNFLOWERS

DECORATIVE

Prizes in decorative section: 1st €25, 2nd €10, 3rd €5 unless otherwise stated. **The Courtney Cup** for most points in Classes 38 to 43

Class 36 "SUMMER BASKET"

Dried Flowers

24 inches square allowed.

Height unrestricted.

Oasis allowed

Class 37. "SEASONAL DELIGHTS".

An arrangement incorporating fruit, vegetables & flowers.

Max size, 24 inches square

Class 38. An EXHIBIT, GREEN & WHITE PREDOMINATING Space 24" square

Class 39. "TEA TIME" – FLOWERS & CHINA Space allowed not to exceed 6" in height, depth & width.

Class 40. An exhibit suitable for a dining table center

Class 41. A GARDEN ON A ROUND PLATE UNDER 14YR OLD PERSON 1st €20, 2nd €10, 3rd €5

Class 42. A FACE MADE FROM FRUIT & / OR VEGETABLES 1st €20, 2nd €10, 3rd €5

Arranged on a board. Space 12" Square.

Confined to U/14

Class 43. An ARRANGEMENT OF WILD FLOWERS COLLECTED BY UNDER 14YR OLD PERSON

1st €10, 2nd €7, 3rd €5

COOKERY SECTION

All entries €2 per class.

PRIZE FUND: 1st €10. 2nd €7. 3rd €5 unless otherwise stated

Class 44. Pot of Raspberry Jam.

Class 45. POT OF BLACKCURRANT JAM.

Class 46. Pot of Gooseberry Jam.

Class 47 POT OF STRAWBERRY JAM

Class 48. Pot of Homemade Marmalade

Class 49. Pot of Chutney suitable for use with cold meats

Class 50. POT OF LEMON CURD

HONEY

Class 51. Pot of Local Home Produced Honey

Home Brew

Entry fee €2. Winner €10

This Section is Sponsored & Judged by Canvas Brewery, Aglish.

Class 52. HOME BREWED CIDER

One bottle to be delivered to show office by 12pm 28th July. Another to be brought to the horticultural tent before 10am on show day.

Class 53 HOME BREWED BEER

One bottle to be delivered to show office by 12pm 28th July. Another to be brought to the horticultural tent before 10am on show day.

BAKING

Class 54. White SODA BREAD (CAKE / LOAF)

Class 55. Brown Soda Bread (Cake / Loaf)

Class 56. SIX SCONES. WHITE

Class 57. SIX SCONES, BROWN

Class 58. VICTORIA COFFEE CAKE, ICED

Class 59, PASTRY TART - SHORT CRUST

Class 60. ICED QUEEN CAKES

Class 61. FRUIT CRUMBLE

Class 62. SAVORY TART / QUICHE

Class 63. DECORATED CHOCOLATE CAKE

Class 64, Swiss Rou

Class 65. CARROT CAKE

Class 66. SIX LUXURY COOKIES

Class 67. JAM SANDWICH (SPONGE) 4 EGG MIXTURE

Class 68. 4 PIECES OF CHOCOLATE BISCUIT CAKE

Class 69. "UNICORNS & RAINBOWS"

A selection of 6 decorated cupcakes

Class 70. Novelty Cake Suitable for a birthday 1st €20, 2nd €15, 3rd €10

Class 71. SIX DECORATED RICE KRISPIE BUNS Confined to Primary School Students

Class 72. FLATBREAD DECORATED WITH FRUITS & HERBS ON TOP

Class 73. FOUR MUFFINS, ANY VARIETY

Class 74. SIX BISCUITS ON A PLATE

Class 75. GLUTEN FREE CAKE Confined to U/16 year olds

Class 76. PROTEIN BAR Confined to U/16 year olds

Class 77. PROTEIN BALL Confined to U/16 year olds

HOME INDUSTRIES

All items must be h& knit (not machine knit)

All items must be created in previous 12 months & not previously exhibited at North Tipperary Show.

Maximum number of 3 items per entrant per class.

Entry fee €2 per exhibit. Prize Fund: 1st €15, 2nd €10, 3rd €7

Eileen Shanahan Memorial Trophy & €100 to overall winner of classes 78-82

Class 78. Any Garment in any Yarn Hand-Knit or Crochet

Class 79. Any HAND SEWN ITEM USED FOR DECORATIVE PURPOSES Including but not limited to: Pictures, cushions or table mats / runners (including embroidery, applique or cross stitch item, any items designed for hanging should be unframed).

Class 80. Best repair / Repurpose / UPCYCLE OF AN ITEM OF CLOTHING.

Class 81. Any novelty item knit, crochet or sewn

Class 82. Any home sewn item including patchwork, quilting or a garment

Class 83. BEST DECORATED PRINGLE BOX

Confined to under 16 year olds. Put exhibitor's age on entry form

Prize Fund: 1st €10, 2nd €7, 3rd €5

Class 84. Best decorated egg (hard boiled)

Confined to under 16 year olds. Put exhibitor's age on entry form

Prize Fund: 1st €10. 2nd €7. 3rd €5

Class 85. Best Decorated Picture Frame

(max size 10x8 inches)

Confined to under 16 year olds. Put exhibitor's age on entry form

Prize: 1st €10, 2nd €7, 3rd €5

Class 86. Best Decorated wooden spoon

Confined to under 16 year olds. Put exhibitor's age on entry form

Prize Fund: 1st €10, 2nd €7, 3rd €5

Class 87. BEST NECKLET MADE FROM SWEETS — MUST BE 100% EDIBLE Confined to under 16 year old. Put exhibitor's age on entry form

Prize Fund: 1st €10, 2nd €7, 3rd €5

ART & CRAFT

Entries must not have been previously shown. Maximum of 2 entries per person per class.

Class 88. BEST BIRD BOX MADE FROM RECYCLED MATERIALS

Class 89. A DRAW & DESIGN A POSTER FOR THE 150TH NORTH TIPP SHOW Use of mixed materials allowed

Class 90. A LANDSCAPE PAINTING IN OIL OR ACRYLIC Confined to Amateurs, no previous winners Prize Fund: 1st €20, 2nd €15, 3rd €10 State size of exhibit on entry form

Class 91. PAINTING, WALK DOWN MEMORY LANE, IN NORTH TIPPERARY Confined to amateur artists

Prize Fund: 1st €20, 2nd €15, 3rd €10

State size of exhibit on entry form

Class 92. PAINTING, ANY FARM ANIMAL Confined to amateur artists.

State size of exhibit on entry form Prize Fund: 1st €20, 2nd €15, 3rd €10

Class 93. FREEH& PENCIL DRAWING
A4 Size Subject: Rachel Blackmore
Must be Mounted & Framed, with string to hang

Class 94. HANDWRITING - ADULTS

It's a long way to Tipperary – First verse to be handwritten script style, on an A4 sheet

Class 95. A COLOURED DRAWING A4 PAGE SIZE Theme: farming from long ago Confined children 8 & under State age on entry form

Class 96. HANDWRITING - CHILDREN
Bono, Beautiful day – First verse to be handwritten
Confined to children aged of 12 & under
State age & school on entry form

Class 97. BEST DECORATED WELLIE U/12 Prize Fund: 1st €20, 2nd €15, 3rd €10

Class 98. ART THEME "BIODIVERSITY"

A piece of work using any medium, e.g. acrylic, water colour, marker pens Confined to secondary school student State size of exhibit on entry form

Class 99. MODEL FARM - USING LEGO.

Confined to primary school children.

Maximum size 16" x 12"

(Please state age & school on entry form)

Class 100 FANCY DRESS CHILD

Confined to children 12 & under
Dress from the decades, a special 150 years celebration
Children can dress for any period in the last 150 years
Free to enter, winner chosen on the day

Class 101, FANCY DRESS ADULT

Open to all attendees over 12 years old Dress from the decades, a special 150 years celebration Dress for any period in the last 150 years Free to enter, winner chosen on the day

EGGS

Entry Fee €2.

Prize Fund: 1st €10, 2nd €7, 3rd €5 unless otherwise stated.

The Judges shall not award a prize unless there is sufficient merit.

Class 102. HALF- DOZEN HEN EGGS - WHITE

Class 103. Hai F- DOZEN HEN EGGS - BROWN

Class 104. HALF- DOZEN HEN EGGS - TINTED OR SPECKLED

Class 105. HALF- DOZEN - DUCK EGGS

POULTRY

Entry Fee €2.

Prize Fund: 1st €10, 2nd €7, 3rd €5 unless otherwise stated.

The Judges shall not award a prize unless there is sufficient merit.

O'Driscoll Cup for Champion Bird

Class 106. LAYING HEN - ANY BREED

Class 107. BEST PAIR OF DUCKS (ANY BREED)

Class 108. BEST GOOSE / GOSLING

Class 109. Best Purebred Poultry exhibit

Class 110 Best Male - Cockerel

Class 111. BEST BANTAM

Class 112. Brood of Duck or goslings.

Class 113. BEST GOOSE & GANDER

PHOTOGRAPHIC SECTION

€50 Prize for the best overall picture, to be selected from winners of the classes below. Prize Money kindly sponsored by McNamara Solicitors, Pearse Street, Nenagh

Entry Fee €2

Prize Fund: 1st €10, 2nd €7, 3rd €5 unless otherwise stated

The Judges shall not award a prize unless there is sufficient merit

RULES

- 1. Photographs to be mounted, with cord for hanging
- 2. Maximum photo size for Classes 219 to 222 is 5" x 7"
- 3. Any work having won at a previous show is not eligible
- 4. Exhibits to be the work of the exhibitor
- 5. Entries must not have been previously shown.

Class 114. AGRICUI TURAI SCENE

Class 115. MEMORY LANE

Class 116 "HAPPINESS IS "

Class 117. "Sporting Event"

Class 118. OPEN
Any subject, size 10" x 8"

Class 119. FARMYARD IN GREYSCALE €50 voucher from Black Box Framing Gallery for 1st place

DOGS

Entries taken on field from 11.30 am. Entry fee €3 per class, per dog. Great prizes in kind & rosettes. Competition commencing at 1.00 pm. No entries will be taken after this time.

RULES FOR ALL CLASSES:

- No puppies under 12 weeks of age
- All dogs should be fully vaccinated up to date
- Classes 5 to 15 open to both dogs & bitches
- All classes open to both pure bred/IKC registered dogs & non-pure bred/non-IKC registered dogs
- Dogs must be kept on a lead at all times, except when doing obedience work in the show ring
- Owners must clean up after their dogs & make sure they have access to water
- Please do not leave your dogs unattended/in your car

Class 1: Terrier (smooth coated) Bitch

Class 2: Terrier (smooth coated) Dog

Class 3: Terrier (rough / broken coated) Bitch

Class 4: Terrier (rough / broken coated) Dog

Class 5: Golden Oldie (10 years of age or older)

Class 6: Gundog

Class 7: Hound / Herding Breeds

Class 8: Working / Utility Breeds

Class 9: Scruffiest Mutt Bad Hair Day!

Class 10: Toy Breed

Class 11: Childs Best Friend (Dog to be shown by a child under 12)

Class 12: Handling Class

Class 13: Dog most like its owner

Class 14: Rescue Dog

Class 15: Matching Pair

Class 16: Dog I would like to Take Home

Class 17: Traditional Irish Breeds

Exclusively for the following breeds: Irish Wolfhound, Irish Terrier, Kerry Beagle, Kerry Blue Terrier, Irish Soft Coated Wheaten Terrier, Glen of Imaal Terrier, Irish Setter. Irish Red & White Setter. Irish Water Spaniel.

Class 18: Best in Show 'Cyl Smith Memorial Cup'

Message from Dara Calleary Td Minister For Rural & Community Development and The Gaeltacht

Welcome to the 2025 North Tipperary Agricultural Show. As Minister for Rural & Community Development & the Gaeltacht, I am delighted to be in a position to support the North Tipperary Agricultural Show for 2025. My Department will again this year provided €1 million to over 120 other agricultural shows combined across the country, including your own event here in North Tipperary.

Ní hamháin gur ceiliúradh ar shaol na tuaithe agus ar thraidisiúin na tuaithe iad seónna, is ceiliúradh freisin iad ar an nuálaíocht agus ar scoth na tuaithe. Déanann na seónna ceiliúradh freisin ar atá i gceist agus ar an tábhacht atá le Meitheal a bhfuil rath na bpobal seo ina croílár.

Like the show here in North Tipperary, each local show around the country continues to be a key social event in the agricultural calendar. They have so much to offer, not just in terms of the competitions that are taking place here today, but also for the platform they provide to local businesses, local farmers & for local craft & artisan food producers. The local show is also one of the best days of the year for meeting neighbors & friends.

Your local shows provide a great link between our towns & villages & the rural hinterlands that support them. A place where exhibitors, producers, farmers & the wider public meet face to face to share all that is good about life in the countryside.

Each of the shows taking place this year have something special that makes them st& out from the rest. It may be the pedigree livestock competitions or perhaps the exhibitions & food offerings. Whatever it is, your local agricultural show has something for everyone.

I would like to acknowledge the work that goes on for many months behind the scenes to bring this show to fruition. The efforts of committee members & local volunteers is a testament to how much this show means to the locality. Of course there is a sense of local rivalry for those much coveted titles & awards but it is always in the very best of spirits. The way in which neighbouring farms & parishes come together to support each other is a key component of country life. This sense of Meitheal is always on display as part of the local show.

Today is a chance to take a break from the busy farming schedule this time of year. I hope those of you attending the show this year thoroughly enjoy the day & that it gives everyone a chance to celebrate all that is good about rural Ireland. I will be visiting a number of the shows around the country & meeting as many of you as I can.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

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