

Elphin Agricultural Show

Summary of Programme of Events

08.00am	Show Grounds Open
10.30am	All Exhibits to be in show Grounds
11.00am	Judging Commences in all sections: Horses, Pony, Cattle, Sheep, Cookery, Crafts, Art, Photography, Flowers and Farm Produce
11.00 am	Judging of Poultry
11.30 am	Pony riding showing classes
12.00pm	Judging of Pets, Cats and Dogs
1.00pm	Official Opening
1.00pm	Gerard Butler Dance and Jiving Competition
2.00pm	Bonny Baby Competition Elphin 2023 Little Miss Elphin 2023 Little Master Parent & Child Look-alike & Elphin 2023 Miss Teen Most Glamorous Granny Most Appropriately Dressed Lady & Best Dressed Gentlemen
9.30 pm	Music by Regina McDermott in An Bothar Rua.

ALL DAY EVENTS:

Family Fun Day, lots of free kids entertainment, Magician, Monster Raffle

ELPHIN AGRICULTURAL SHOW

SOCIETY CO. LTD 2023

Patrons:	Fr. Stephen Ezenwegbu
President:	Paddy Farrell
Vice-Presidents:	J. Rogers,
Chairman:	Thomas Gormley
Vice Chairman:	John McDermott
Secretary:	Clare Connellan
Asst. Secretary:	Carmel Beirne & Michelle Shiel & Anne Gormley & Aine McDermott
Treasurers:	Gerry Beirne & Gordon Murray
Vet. Surgery:	Emlagh Lodge Vets
Hon. Med. Officers:	Dr. Colleran, (Now Doc)
Safety Officer:	Tommy Joe McDermott
Committee:	G. Murray, G. Beirne, K. Cox, J. O'Connor, K. Fox, P. Jackson, M. Shiel, C. Beirne, B. Beirne, T. Lee, J. McDermott, P. Farrell, A. Gormley, A. McDermott, M. Gunn, G. Donlon, C. McCaffrey, G. McDermott

RULES GOVERNING THE UNLOADING AND TYING OF CATTLE.

On the instructions of our safety advisor (appointed by the show society). All cattle must be unloaded into the holding pen provided in the show ground's and subsequently moved and tied to specially erected barriers in the vicinity of the holding pen. The tying of cattle to Lorries and trailers is no longer permitted by our insurance.

Rules and conditions of show.

1. Entries for general exhibits close on Friday, 25th August 2023. Horse and pony entries taken on field.
2. The Judges decision as to merit must be final. Any objection on other points is lodged before 5pm on the day of the show with the secretary, together with a fee of thirty Euros. All objections to be decided by the subcommittee and the fee returned except where the objection is considered frivolous.
3. No Second prize shall be awarded by the judge in any class in which 4 exhibits shall not appear before them. An exhibitor will not be awarded more than two first prizes with the same exhibit.
4. The Show yard will be open at 8am. All exhibits must be in before 10am. No exhibit may be removed until 4pm. Exhibitors failing to comply with this rule forfeit their prize.
5. All Exhibits must be shown under the owners name and must be the property of the exhibitor. Only one caretaker of each lot of cattle, horses and sheep will be admitted and must remain in charge of this lot during the time the show is open.
6. All Cattle must be haltered; otherwise they will not be admitted to the judging ring, except those in the unhaltered classes which will be judged in the mart pens. Untrained Gelding or Fillies must be shown in headstall or cavessons.
7. Subject to the foregoing regulation, the management of the show will be in the hands of a sub-committee who, on the event of non-attendance of judges, or in any unforeseen emergency, will make such orders and arrangements as these circumstances may appear to warrant.
8. If the sub-committee entertain a doubt as to whether anything exhibited be in accordance with the rules of the society will be competent for them to require that the exhibitor will make a declaration regarding any such declaration to be unsatisfactory (their decision to be final in all cases) such exhibitors prize if any shall lapse to the Society.
9. Horses awarded a prize shall be subject to Veterinary Examination.
10. Exhibitors are to realise that while every reasonable precaution will be taken to ensure the safety of exhibits, the committee will not accept any responsibility for loss or accidents of any kind arising out of or connected with the show.
11. No person will be allowed to enter the judging ring with the judge except the stewards of that class and those in charge of the animals. No stewards shall officiate in any class that he is an exhibitor or wear his steward's badge showing such exhibits.
12. Should any questions arise not provided for in the foregoing conditions, the same must be referred to the subcommittee whose decision shall be final and from which there is no appeal, and entries are accepted on these conditions.
13. The ages of young cattle shall be determined according to conditions set out for different classes. These conditions will be strictly enforced and the cattle examined prior to the judging to meet the age conditions are strictly fulfilled and beasts not of proper age be removed from class.
14. Exhibitors may enter for more than one class by paying the entrance fee for such classes.
15. Return of cups: The person to whom a cup is awarded shall give security to the society that the cup will be delivered to the society in as good condition as it was received, at least ten days

- previous to the date of the succeeding show.
16. Persons entering an exhibit and failing to send same for exhibition shall forfeit the entry fee.
 17. The Show committee reserves to itself the right to cancel any part of the show. It also has the right to refuse any entry.
 18. Prize Colours: 1st Red 2nd Blue 3rd Yellow
 19. All cattle exhibited must have appropriate identity card where necessary.

Please see the 2013 Animal Health Regulations for Exhibition and showing of animals

PLEASE REMEMBER CATTLE MOVEMENT CERT.

Certificate of Compliance is required prior to movement of Animal to show) Please see back of Cattle Entry Form

N.B Important Notice to animal Owners involved in Showing Animals from the Irish Shows Association

The Irish Shows Association would advise all Animal owners who have their animals insured to have the insurance cover extended to Cover them while showing animals at shows, we understand that it costs very little or nothing at all depending on who you have Insurance cover with. The reason for us giving you this advice is that if you're animal lashed out, and injured someone or damaged someone's property, and it is established that your animal was out of your control at that time, you may be held responsible or partly responsible for any injury or damage caused, you may end up paying all, or part of any settlement reached.

HORSE SECTION CLASSES MAYBE

AMALGAMATE IF NUMBERS ARE SMALL

Champion horse of show: John Duffy Memorial Cup

1st Prize €60 2nd Prize €30 3rd Prize €20

Entry Fee €10 (Late Payment €13)

Class 1: Best Foal

Class 2: Best Brood Mare Registered Irish Draughts in foal or foal at foot (Joe Neary Cup)

Class 3: ELPHIN SHOW MARE AND FOAL CHAMPIONSHIP

PRIZE FUND €500 1st prize €250 2nd Prize €150 3rd Prize 100

Entry Fee €15

Class 4: Best Yearling Colt or Filly

Class 5: Best two year old Colt or Filly

Class 6: Best three year old Colt or Gelding

Class 7: Best three year old Filly

1st Prize €100 2nd €50 3rd €25

Class 8: Inhand Championship Class 4 to 7 excluding Brood Mare and Foal 1st and 2nd prize winners from these classes

RIDING HORSES SECTION

Horses must be over 148 cm, four years and older.

- Class 9: Four/five year old TIH
- Class 10: Irish Draught Mare/Gelding four years and over
- Class 11: Light Weight Cob
- Class 12: Heavy Weight Cob

These two Classes 11 and 12 maybe combined depending on numbers.

- Class 13: Riding coloured
- Class 14: EX Racehorse
- Class 15: Large/small riding horse
- Class 16: Light Weight Hunter
- Class 17: Heavy Weight Hunter
- Class 18: Amateur Rider
- Class 19: Riding Championship 1st and 2nd prize winners from class 9 to 18
1st prize €100 2nd prize €50 3rd €25

PONY SECTION

Champion pony of show: Paddy McDermott Memorial Cup

1st Prize €60 2nd Prize €30 3rd Prize €20

Entry Fee: €10 (Late Payment €13)

Pony Inhand

- Class 20: Best Registered Connemara Brood Mare
- Class 21: Best Registered Connemara Foal
- Class 22: Best Registered Connemara Yearling
- Class 23: Best Registered Connemara two year old
- Class 24: Best Registered Connemara three year old and upwards
Colt, Gelding or Filly

NON-REGISTERED SECTION

- Class 25: Best non registered pony three years and under
- Class 26: Best Miniature Pony
- Class 27: Best Young Handler Age from 8-12 years old. Must wear safety helmet
- Class 28: Best Inhand Championship

Class 29: Cyril McDermott All Ireland Broodmare Pony Championship

PRIZE FUND 500

1st Prize €250 2nd Prize €150 3rd Prize €100

ENTRY FEE €15 (Late payment €18)

PONY RIDING SHOWING CLASSES

1st Prize €60 2nd Prize €30 3rd Prize €20

Entry Fee: €10 (Late Payment €13)

Pony must be 148cm and under and also be Four years and Older

- Class 30: Under 16 ridden Connemara Pony
- Class 31: Over 16 ridden Connemara Pony
- Class 32: Ridden pony any type under 16
- Class 33: Ridden pony any type over 16
- Class 34: Coloured Pony
- Class 35: 4/5 Year Old young pony
- Class 36: Ridden Pony Championship (Classes 30 to35)

DONKEY SECTION

1st Prize €60 2nd Prize €30 3rd Prize €20

Entry Fee: €10 (Late Payment €13)

- Class 37: Best Donkey at Show
- Class 38: Best Mare Donkey with foal at foot

DRIVING FOR STYLE AND APPEARANCE

Judging at 3.00pm

1st Prize €60 2nd Prize €30 3rd Prize €20

Entry Fee: €10 (Late Payment €13)

- Class 39: Driving for style and appearance

GIGS AND ROAD CARTS

Judging at 3.00pm

1st Prize €60 2nd Prize €30 3rd Prize €20

Entry Fee: €10 (Late Payment €13)

- Class 40: Gigs and Road Carts

CATTLE SECTION (Certificate of Compliance is required prior to movement of Animal to show)

Please see back of Cattle Entry Form)

CLASSES MAYBE AMALGAMATED IF CLASSES ARE SMALL

John Nerney Perpetual Cup for Supreme Champion of Show, pedigree or non pedigree. Only first prize winners eligible.

PEDIGREE CATTLE

1st Prize €100 2nd Prize €50 3rd Prize €20
Entry Fee €10 (Late Payment €13)

Class 41: Best Pedigree Bull any breed over 12 months

ANGUS SECTION (Certificate of Compliance is required)

Champion Angus – Special prize of €50 for champion Angus or Voucher of the equivalent value to be selected from first prize-winners in the Angus Classes,
Plus Irish Angus Sash

Reserve Champion Angus – €30 or Voucher of the equivalent value and special reserve champion rosette

Sponsor by Irish Angus Cattle Society

James Caslin Perpetual Cup for best Irish Angus Bull at the show

1st Prize €100 2nd Prize €50 3rd Prize €20

Entry Fee: €10 (Late Payment €13)

Class 42: Best Pure Bred Angus Bull born between 01/09/22 and 31/12/22
Sponsored by Elphin Credit Union

Class 43: Best Pure Bred Angus Heifer born between 01/09/22 and 31/12/22

Class 44: Best Pure Bred Angus Bull born before 01/09/22

Class 45: Best Pure Bred Angus Female born before 01/09/22

Class 46: Best Pure Bred Angus Bull born on or after 01/01/23

Sponsored by Allied Irish Bank

Class 47: Best Pure Bred Angus Heifer born on or after 01/01/23

HEREFORD SECTION (Certificate of Compliance is required)

The Patrick Connell Perpetual challenge cup plus €50 or Voucher for the champion Hereford at show.

The Paddy McGrath challenge Cup for the Best Hereford Cow at the show.

1st Prize €100 2nd Prize €50 3rd Prize €20

Entry Fee €10 (Late Payment €13)

Class 48: Best pure bred Hereford Cow – Sponsored by **Padraig McGrath**

Class 49: Best pure bred Hereford bull calf born since 01/1/23

Class 50: Best pure bred Hereford bull calf born prior to 31/12/22

Class 51; Best pure bred Hereford Heifer calf born since 01/1/23

Class 52: Best pure bred Hereford Heifer calf born prior to 31/12/22

SHORTHORN SECTION(Certificate of Compliance is required)

The Paddy Farrell Perpetual Trophy and Replica plus €50 or Voucher of the equivalent value for the Champion Shorthorn at show.

Sponsors in Shorthorn Section are:

Anthony Dockery, Rockville Shorthorn

Tommy Staunton, Caramba Shorthorn

Croghan Shorthorn Breeders Club

1st Prize €100 2nd Prize €50 3rd Prize €20

Entry Fee €10 (Late Payment €13)

Class 53: Best Shorthorn Cow in calf or with calf at foot

Class 54: Best Shorthorn Heifer born in 2022 **Sponsored by Anthony Dockery (Rockville Shorthorn)**

Class 55: Best Shorthorn Heifer calf born in 2023 **sponsored by Tommy Staunton (Pedigree Sales Shorthorn)**

Class 56: Best Shorthorn Bull Calf born in 2023 **sponsored by Tommy Staunton (Pedigree Sales Shorthorn)**

Class 57: Best Shorthorn Pedigree Male OR Female Calf born between 1/9/22-31/12/22

Class 58: Best Pair Registered Shorthorn Animals owned by the same Exhibitor **Sponsored by Croghan Shorthorn Breeders Club**

SIMMENTAL SECTION – Open Classes

1st Prize €100 2nd Prize €50 3rd Prize €20

Entry Fee €10 (Late Payment €13)

Class 59: Bull Class – born before 31/12/22

Class 60: Heifer Class – born before 31/12/22

Class 61: Bull Calf born on or after 1/01/23

Class 62: Heifer Calf born on or after 1/01/23

Class 59 & 60 is Sponsored by Paul and Vincent

Champion and Reserve Champion Simmental of the Show.

The Champion Simmental will receive.

The Padraig Kennedy Perpetual Cup and €50 or Voucher of the equivalent value

LIMOUSIN SECTION (Certificate of Compliance is required)

1st Prize €100 2nd Prize €50 3rd Prize €20

Entry Fee €10 (Late Payment €13)

Class 63: Best Female born before 31/08/2022

North West Limousin club confined classes

2023 North West Limousin club calf finals

The North West Limousin club comprises of breeders in Counties Galway, Mayo, Roscommon and

Sligo. Competition is confined to breeders from these counties or breeders who are accepted

members of the club. Only paid up members are eligible to enter (club membership of €20 may be

paid to any club official prior to the show).

Class_64_____ Pedigree registered male born on or after 1/9/2022

Class_65_____ Pedigree registered female calf born on or after 1/9/2022

Entrants present on show day will be divided into classes based on age. The bulls will be divided into three sections. If the number present is not divisible by three the extra calf (calves) will go to the

older group(s). However calves born on the same day will be in the same section. The same divisions will take place in the female section.

The champion calf chosen from the winners of the six classes will receive the Michael Dale cup.

Prizes 1st €100, 2nd €60, 3rd€40

Sashes awarded to all 1st prize winners

Champion Limousin awarded €50 sponsored by Ovaun Limousin herd

PEDIGREE CHAROLAIS CATTLE

MAIN SPONSOR IN CHAROLAIS SECTION

IRISH CHAROLAIS CATTLE SOCIETY

THOMAS AND ANNE GORMLEY

Stevenson and Sweeney FAMILY in memory of NOEL SWEENEY

Mattie Dockery Perpetual Cup for the Champion Pedigree Charolais Male of the Show. **Des Keane Perpetual Cup** for the Champion Pedigree Charolais Female of the show. Special prize of €50 or Voucher of the equivalent value for the Pedigree Overall Champion Charolais of the Show.

1st Prize €100 2nd Prize €50 3rd Prize €20

Entry Fee €10 (Late Payment €13)

Class 66: Best Pedigree Charolais Female born before 31/12/21

Class 67: Best Pedigree Charolais Bull born on or between 01/01/22 and 31/07/22

Class 68: Best Pedigree Charolais Heifer born on or between 01/01/22 and 31/07/22

Class 69: Best Pure Bred Charolais Bull born on or between 01/08/22 and 31/12/22

Class 70: Best Pure Bred Charolais Heifer born on or between 01/08/22 and 31/12/22

The All Ireland Pedigree Charolais Baby Calf Championship

Prize Money €1,500 Euro

Entry Fee €20 (Late Payment €25)

Sponsor by: Stevenson and Sweeney FAMILY in memory of

Noel Sweeney

1st Prize €250 2nd €150 3rd €125 4th 100 5th €75 6th €50

**Class 71: Best Pedigree Bull Calf born on or after
01/01/23**

**Class 72: Best Pedigree Heifer Calf born on or after
01/01/23**

Interbreed Group Competition

1st Prize €100, 2nd €75.

Entry fee €10 (Late Payment €13)

Class 73: Best Pair Pedigree Animals property of one exhibitor

**Class 74: Best Group of three for the Michael F. and Martha
Gunn Perpetual Cup**

Best three pedigree animals the property of one exhibitor. This class is for a team of three cattle of any breed that have been entered in the show class that they were eligible for. The three must be of the same breed.

COMMERCIAL CATTLE SECTION

HALTERED CLASSES

(Certificate of Compliance is required)

1st Prize €70 2nd Prize €30 3rd Prize €20

Entry Fee €10 (Late Payment €13)

Haltered animals are not eligible for unhaltered classes Tag No. will be read

Class 75: Best Bullock any breed with no teeth **Sponsor by Kepak**

**Class 76: Best Bullock any breed with two or more permanent teeth **Sponsor
by Kepak****

**Class 77: Best Heifer any breed with two permanent teeth or more **Sponsor
by Kepak****

**Class 78: Best Butchers Heifer (550kg or under) **Sponsored by
Homeland/Aurivo****

Class 79: Best Non Continental Heifer likely to make a Suckler Cow

**Class 80: Best Continental Heifer likely to make a Suckler Cow **Sponsored
By Progressive Genetics****

Entry fee for class 81 and 82 is €20 (Late Payment €25)

**Class 81: **All Ireland Continental Male Calf born in 2023
Prize Money €500 – 1st €150 2nd €125, 3rd €100, 4th
€75, 5th €50 Sponsored by Emlagh Lodge, Veterinary Centre,
Elphin****

- Class 82: **All Ireland Continental Female Calf born in 2023**
Prize Money €500 – 1st €150 2nd €125, 3rd €100, 4th €75, 5th €50 Sponsored by Percy French Hotel, Strokestown
- Class 83: Best pair of commercial animals
- Class 84: Best Stock person Boy or Girl, 8 to 12 years of age
(An Adult may accompany them in the ring)
- Class 85: Best Stock person Boy or Girl, 13 to 17 years of age

Class 86: All Ireland Beef Heifer (no permanent teeth on day of show)
PRIZE FUND €1,500 – 1ST €500, 2ND €300, 3RD €200, 4TH €150, 5TH €100, 6TH to 10TH €50 ENTRY FEE €20 BY DIRECT ENTRY (Late Pay. €25)
Animals entered in this class are not eligible to any other Class and championship
SPONSORED BY STEVENSON AND SWEENEY FAMILY in memory of Noel Sweeney

CLASS; 87

THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION AND
THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE PRESENTS
THE BREEDERS CHOICE
TRADITIONAL 4* OR 5*
BREEDING HEIFER

Sponsored by The Department of Agriculture

PRIZE FUND: €750

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.

Entry Fee: €15

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

Animals entered are not eligible to other classes/championship

COMMERCIAL SECTION (UNHALTERED)

Sponsored by Elphin Mart

(Certificate of Compliance is required)

Porter Cup for best entry in Commercial Cattle (Unhalted))

Aughrim Perpetual Trophy for overall winner – Belgian Blue

To be judged in the mart pens (unhalted)

1st Prize €100 2nd Prize €60 3rd Prize €40

DUE TO HEALTH AND SAFETY ALL UNHALTERED CATTLE WILL HAVE TO BE IN PENS BY 11.00 AM AND MUST NOT BE REMOVED UNTIL 4'O'CLOCK, No Exceptions.

Entry Fee €10 (Late Payment €13)

Class 88: Best Male or Female Non-Continental born on or after 01/01/22

Class 89: Best Weanling (Male) other than Belgian Blue born on or after 01/01/23

Class 90: Best Weanling (Female) other than Belgian Blue born on or after 01/01/23

**Class 91: All Ireland Commercial Breeding Heifer
Unhalted up to 3 years of age on day of show.**

PRIZES

1ST €250, 2ND €150, 3RD€100, 4th €75,5th €50

Winner receives the Ronnie McGuire Perpetual Cup ENTRY FEE €20 BY DIRECT ENTRY (Late Payment €25). Animals entered in this class are not eligible for other classes

**SPONSORED BY STEVENSON AND SWEENEY FAMILY in
memory of Noel Sweeney**

Class 92: Best Suckler Cow (Beef Breed) with calf calved on or after
01/01/23 at foot (Cow must be in milk)

SHORTHORN COMMERCIAL CLASSES SPONSORED BY IRISH SHORTHORN SOCIETY

Rule: Entry in these classes must have SHX on animal passport/identity card.

Proof of identity must be display on day of show.

1st Prize €100 2nd Prize €60 3rd Prize €40

Entry Fee €10 (Late Payment €13)

Class 93: Male calf born in 2023

Class 94: Female calf born in 2023 most likely to make suckler
cow

COMMERCIAL SUCKLER COW AND CALF CLASS PADRAIG BEIRNE (DOLLY) MEMORIAL CUP PLUS €200 CASH PRIZE

SPONSORED BY HIS SISTER MARTINA BURKE

1st Prize €100.00 2nd Prize €60 3rd Prize €40

ENTRY FEE €10 (Late Payment €13)

Class 95: Commercial Cow and Calf Class

Most improvement in one generation

- Calf must be progeny of the cow
- Calf must be born in 2023

For more details, see website or contact (087) 0873721545

SHEEP SECTION

Sheep Identification: On movement off the holding all sheep must be individual identified by an approved electronic ear tag(s) bearing the letters IE, an eight-character flock/herd number and an individual number of no more than 5 digits in accordance with the requirements of NSIS. All Sheep except lambs must be shorn in 2023

**ALL MOVEMENT OF SHEEP TO AND FROM SHOW MUST
BE RECORDED ON AIM THROUGH THE OWNER'S
SHEEP DISPATCH DOCUMENT. ALL MOVEMENT
OF SHEEP TO AND FROM SHOWS MUST BE
RECORDED IN KEEPER'S FLOCK REGISTER**

1st Prize €50 2nd Prize €30 3rd Prize €20

Entry Fee €8 (Late Payment €10)

All ewes must have produced lambs in 2023

Willie Casserly Memorial Cup for Champion Sheep of the Show

- Class 96: Best Pure Bred Suffolk Ram
- Class 97: Best Pure Bred Suffolk Ram Lamb
- Class 98: Best Pure Bred Suffolk Ewe Lamb
- Class 99: Best Pure Bred Suffolk Ewe
- Class 100: Best Pure Bred Charolais Ram
- Class 101: Best Pure Bred Charolais Ram Lamb
- Class 102: Best Pure Bred Charolais Ewe Lamb
- Class 103: Best Pure Bred Charolais Ewe
- Class 104: Best Pure Bred Texel Ram
- Class 105: Best Pure Bred Texel Ram Lamb
- Class 106: Best Pure Bred Texel Ewe Lamb
- Class 107: Best Pure Bred Texel Ewe
- Class 108: Best Pen of Cross Bred Ewes (minimum of 5) judge in pens
- Class 109: Best Pen of Cross Bred Hogget's (minimum of 5) judge in pens
- Class 110: Best Butchers Lamb
- Class 111: Best Pedigree Lamb, Ewe, or Ram 1 year old and upwards, other than Texel, Suffolk and Charolais
- Class 112: Best Pair Cross Bred Ewe Lambs suitable for breeding
- Class 113: Best Pair Factory Lambs
- Class 114: Best Pure Bred Ram Lamb any other breed than previous classes
- Class 115: Best Pure Ewe Lamb any other breed than previous classes
- Class 116: Best Ewe Hogget any other breed than previous classes
- Class 117: Best Young Handler by boy under 16
- Class 118: Best Young Handler by girl under 16

GOAT SECTION

1st Prize €25 2nd Prize €15 3rd Prize €10

Entry Fee €4 (Late Payment €5)

- Class 119: Best female Goat
- Class 120: Best Kid Goat male
- Class 121: Best Kid Goat female
- Class 122: Best Goatling male
- Class 123: Best Goatling female

TURF/STRAW SECTION

1st Prize €15 2nd Prize €10 3rd Prize €5

Entry Fee €4 (Late Payment €5)

- Class 124: Best 6 Sods of Black Turf
Class 125: Best 6 Sods of Brown Turf
Class 126: Best Miniature Garden

FARM PRODUCE

1st Prize €15 2nd Prize €10 3rd Prize €5

Entry Fee €3 (Late Payment €4)

- Class 127: Best 3 eating apples of one variety
Class 128: Best 3 cooking apples of one variety
Class 129: Best 3 heads of lettuce
Class 130: Best 3 Garden Beet
Class 131: Best 3 Parsnips
Class 132: Best 3 Carrots
Class 133: Best 4 Onions grown from sets
Class 134: Best Three Scallions
Class 135: Best 4 Seed Onions
Class 136: Best 4 Shallots
Class 137: Best 4 Pods of succulent garden peas
Class 138: Best 2 heads of Garden Cabbage
Class 139: Best 3 Early potatoes
Class 140: Best 3 Kerr Pinks
Class 141: Best 3 Golden Wonders
Class 142: Best 3 Potatoes other than any of the above
Class 143: Best box of mixed garden vegetables (potatoes excluded) -
not more than 3 samples of any one vegetable – box size
confined to 2' by 2' by 6 inches deep. **Sponsored by John Ames
Powerwashing Services, Elphin**
- Class 144: Best 4 sticks of Rhubarb
Class 145: Best 3 Home Grown Tomatoes
Class 146: Best 3 Swedes
Class 147: Best cucumber
Class 148: Biggest Onion
**Class 149: Best Scarecrow Sponsored by John Ames
Powerwashing Services, Elphin
1st Prize €30 2nd Prize €20 3rd Prize €10**

FLOWER SECTION

1st Prize €15 2nd Prize €10 3rd Prize €5

Entry Fee €3 (Late Payment €4)

- Class 150: Best Arrangement of Wild Flowers
- Class 151: Best Arrangement of Cut Flowers
- Class 152: Best Display of Roses
- Class 153: Best three stems of hydrangea
- Class 154: Best Single Rose
- Class 155: Best Homemade Corsage
- Class 156: Best Table Centre Arrangement
- Class 157: Best Pot Plant not in Flower
- Class 158: Best Gladiola (1 spike)
- Class 159: Best Arrangement of Dahlias
- Class 160: Best any pot plant in flower
- Class 161: Best floral arrangement in a cup and saucer

COOKERY SECTION

1st Prize €15 2nd Prize €10 3rd Prize €5

Entry Fee €3 (Late Payment €4)

- Class 162: Best Home made Rhubarb Tart
- Class 163: Best Home made Apple Tart
- Class 164: Best Home made 6 Fruit Scones
- Class 165: Best Shortbread
- Class 166: Best Cherry Cake
- Class 167: Best Banana Bread
- Class 168: Best Home made Boiled Fruit Cake
- Class 169: Best Home made Sponge Cake (Any Filling, no cream)
- Class 170: Best Fruit Queen Cakes
- Class 171: Best Home made Madeira Cake
- Class 172: Best Home made Ginger Cake
- Class 173: Best Carrot Cake
- Class 174: Best Home made Swiss Roll
- Class 175: Best Home made 6 Plain Scones
- Class 176: Best Home made 6 Queen Cakes
- Class 177: Best Home made Wholemeal Cake
- Class 178: Best Home made White Soda Cake
- Class 179: Best Cold Tea Brack
- Class 180: Best Coffee Cake
- Class 181: Best Quiche
- Class 182: Best Home made Dish of Potato Cakes

- Class 183: Best Home made Porter Cake
- Class 184: Best Celebration Cake
- Class 185: Best Treacle Cake
- Class 186: Best Fruit Crumble Tart
- Class 187: Best Red Velvet Cake
- Class 188: Best Lemmon Drizzle Cake
- Class 189: Best Sour dough bread
- Class 190: Best Home made Jar of Chutney
- Class 191: Best Plate of Boxty
- Class 192: Best Jar of Honey

WINNER IN EACH CLASS GOES FORWARD TO CLASS FOR ALL-IRELAND JAM (PLEASE ATTACH CLASS CARD TO POTS OF JAM/CHUTNEY WITH TAPE OR ELASTIC BAND)

- Class 193: Best Home made Gooseberry Jam
- Class 194: Best home made Blackcurrant Jam
- Class 195: Best Home made Marmalade
- Class 196: Best Home made Strawberry Jam
- Class 197: Best Home made Rhubarb Jam
- Class 198: Best Home made Raspberry Jam
- Class 199: Best Home made Mixed Fruit Jam
- Class 200: **ALL-IRELAND JAM** Sponsored by John Ames

Powerwashing

1st Prize €50 2nd Prize €30 3rd Prize €20 Entry fee €5

**ALL IRELAND TREACLE BREAD (NOT TREACLE CAKE)
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Each exhibitor will bake a treacle bread of any size. All entries will be cut and sampled at show. All items to be homemade by exhibitor. Competitions opened to amateur's male or female. Judges decision will be final

1st Prize €50 2nd Prize €30 3rd Prize €20 Entry fee €5

Class 201: Best Homemade Treacle Bread

BUTTER SECTION

1st Prize €15 2nd Prize €10 3rd Prize €5

Entry Fee €3 (Late Payment €4)

- Class 202: Best Dish of Homemade Butter
- Class 203: Best Dish of Decorated Butter

HANDCRAFT SECTION

1st Prize €15 2nd Prize €10 3rd Prize €5

Entry Fee €3 (Late Payment €4)

N.B Last year's 1st Prize Exhibits are exempt from this year's show

- Class 204: Any article using natural materials
Class 205: Linen Embroidery, any article of embroidery using suitable thread other than wool
Class 206: Hand Crochet made from wool/cotton
Class 207: Best Headpiece hat/fascinator
Class 208: Best Handmade Bag
Class 209: Best handmade cushion any medium
Class 210: Best Fine knitted article for an adult
Class 211: Best Article suitable for sale to tourists
Class 212: Best Homemade Jewellery
Class 213: Best Homemade Cuddly Toy
Class 214: Something new from something old
Class 215: Best Baby Knit Garment for Boy or Girl
Class 216: Best Tea Cosy
Class 217: Best Pin Cushion
Class 218: Any Article of clothing using a sewing machine
Class 219: Any handmade article not eligible in above classes

ADULT ART SECTION

1st Prize €15 2nd Prize €10 3rd Prize €5

Entry Fee €3 (Late Payment €4)

- Class 220: Best Landscape
Class 221: Best Decoupage 3D
Class 222: Best Painting any medium
Class 223: Best Black & White Sketch
Class 224: Best Collage
Class 225: Best Still life

JUNIOR SECTION

No Late Payment Fee but if you would like your name in Catalogue, Please enter in time.

1st Prize €15 2nd Prize €10 3rd Prize €5 Entry Fee €2

- Class 226: Drawing, Painting, Collage any subject under 5 years
Class 227: Drawing, Painting, Collage any subject 6 years to 8 years
Class 228: Drawing, Painting, Collage any subject 9 years to 12 years

- Class 229: Handwriting competition for children attending national school on 30/06/23(Everything Mom by Joanna Fuchs)
- Class 230: Poetry Competition for National School (Title – Show Day)
- Class 231: Greeting Card (Theme – Easter)
- Class 232: Best Decorated Egg
- Class 233: Best Decorated Vegetable and/or Fruit
- Class 234: Any Article home made and hand made under 12 years
- Class 235: Best Collection of Leaves
- Class 236: Best Fairy Garden
- Class 237: Best Desk Tidy (for Pencils, etc) made from Recyclable Materials
- Class 238: Best model made out of Playdough
- Class 239: Best Decorated Cake
- Class 240: Best Computer Drawn Poster (Theme – 1st Baby)
- Class 241: Best Decorated Wooden Spoon
- Class 242: Best Pebble Art
- Class 243: Best Model made by LEGO (Under 6 years of age)
- Class 244: Best Model made by LEGO (6years – 12 years)
- Class 245: Best Crazy Hat
- Class 246: Best Edible Necklace – made from fruit/vegetables or sweets

NATIONAL SCHOOL COOKERY SECTION

1st Prize €15 2nd Prize €10 3rd Prize €5 Entry Fee €2

- Class 247: Best Rice Krispies Buns
- Class 248: Best home made 6 Scones confined to National School
- Class 249: Best home made 6 Queen Cakes confined to National School
- Class 250: Best plate of Decorated Buns confined to National School
- Class 251: Best plate of Homemade Biscuits
- Class 252: Best plate of Pan Cakes

**Class 253: ALL-IRELAND JUNIOR APPLE TART UNDER 13 YEARS
SPONSORED BY Supervalu, Carrick on Shannon – ENTRY
€3**

1st Prize €30, 2nd Prize €20, 3rd Prize €10

**Class 250: ALL-IRELAND MUFFIN COMPETITION UNDER 18 YEARS
ENTRY FEE €5
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1st Prize €50, 2nd Prize €30, 3rd Prize €20

JUNIOR SECTION AGE 12 – 18 YEARS

1st Prize €15 2nd Prize €10 3rd Prize €5 Entry Fee €2

- Class 254: Best home made Apple Tart
- Class 255: Best Decorated Cake
- Class 256: Best home made Brownies
- Class 257: Best Homemade Article any Material
- Class 258: Best Most Imaginative item from LEGO
- Class 259: Best Breakfast Tray
- Class 260: Best Flower Display in Teacup
- Class 261: Best Display of Wildflowers
- Class 262: Best Celebration photo (Please have in Polypockets)
- Class 263: Best Piece of Art Work (drawing, painting, collage)

**Class 264: ALL-IRELAND JUNIOR APPLE TART UNDER 13 YEARS
SPONSORED BY Supervalu, Carrick on Shannon – ENTRY
€3**

1st Prize €30, 2nd Prize €20, 3rd Prize €10

**Class 250: ALL-IRELAND MUFFIN COMPETITION UNDER 18 YEARS
ENTRY FEE €5
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1st Prize €50, 2nd Prize €30, 3rd Prize €20

PHOTOGRAPHIC SECTION (No frames on photos please)

Please have your photos in Poly Pockets

1st Prize €15 2nd Prize €10 3rd Prize €5

Entry Fee €3 (Late payment €4)

Winner from each class will go forward to Class Best overall photo competition.

Winner will receive €30

- Class 265: Best Child photo coloured
- Class 266: Best Dog photo
- Class 267: Best Landscape Coloured
- Class 268: Best Black & White Photo
- Class 269: Best Funny Photo
- Class 270: Best Celebration Photograph
- Class 271: Best old photograph
- Class 272: Best Farm Scene
- Class 273: Best Local Photo
- Class 274: Best Overall Photo Competition

POULTRY SECTION – Judging in this section at 11.00 am

Entry Fee €3 – Cages will be guaranteed for entries in by closing date

(Late Payment €5)

1st Prize € 15 2nd Prize€10 3rd Prize €5

CHAMPION €50 Sponsored by the Horan Family

Reserve Champion Red Mills *Sponsored by Cooney's Hardware, Elphin*

(Elphin show society reserves the right to join classes if less than 10 entries in class) All Poultry have to stay until 4.30 pm – No Exception

Class 275: Best Goose

Class 276: Best Gander

Class 277: Best Soft Feather Heavy Large Female

Class 278: Best Soft Feather Heavy Large Male

Class 279: Best Soft Feather Light Large Female

Class 280: Best Soft Feather Light Large Male

Class 281: Best Hard Feather Large Female

Class 282: Best Hard Feather Large Male

Class 283: Best Hard Feather Bantam Female

Class 284: Best Hard Feather Bantam Male

Class 285: Best True Bantam Female

Class 286: Best True Bantam Male

Class 287: Best Soft Feather Heavy Bantam Female

Class 288: Best Soft Feather Heavy Bantam Male

Class 289: Best Soft Feather Light Bantam Female

Class 290: Best Soft Feather Light Bantam Male

Class 291: All Ireland Bantam Female:

1st Prize €100, 2nd Prize €50, 3rd Prize €25

1st, 2nd, 3rd place qualify for All Ireland Class

Classes 283,285, 287,289, 297

Class 292: All Ireland Bantam Male:

1st Prize €100, 2nd Prize €50, 3rd Prize €25

1st, 2nd, 3rd, place qualify for All Ireland Class

Classes 284, 286, 288, 290, 297

Class 293: Best Crossbreed Female Chicken

Class 294: Best Crossbreed Male Chicken

Class 295: Best Laying Hen

Class 296: Best Mother Hen and her Brood

Class 297: Best prepared/groomed chicken breed by a junior entry up to 16 years – Any Chicken Breed Prize for all entries

- Class 298:** All Ireland Large Female
1st prize €100, 2nd prize €50, 3rd prize €25
1st, 2nd, 3rd place qualify for All Ireland Classe
Classes 277, 279, 281, 293, 295, 296, 297
- Class 299:** All Ireland Large Male
1st prize €100, 2nd prize €50, 3rd prize €25
1st, 2nd, 3rd places qualify for All Ireland Class
Classes 278, 280, 282, 294, 297
- Class 300: Best Indian Runner Duck
 Class 301: Best Indian Runner Drake
 Class 302: Best Heavy Breed Duck
 Class 303: Best Heavy Breed Drake
 Class 304: Best Light Breed Duck excluding Indian Runner
 Class 305: Best Light Breed Drake excluding Indian Runner
 Class 306: Best Bantam Duck excluding call ducks
 Class 307: Best Bantam Drake excluding call ducks
 Class 308: Best Call Duck
 Class 309: Best Call Drake
 Class 310: Best Laying Duck
 Class 311: Best Crossbred Duck
 Class 312: Best Crossbred Drake
 Class 313: Best pair of Ducks

**Class 314: All Ireland Duck – 1st Prize €100, 2nd
 Prize €75, 3rd Prize €50**

Sponsored by Callery Family Endowment Fund
Ducks who are placed 1st, in Classes 300-313 inclusively qualify
for
All Ireland Class 314 (You can't enter directly to All Ireland
Class)

**Class 315: All Ireland Drake – 1st Prize €100, 2nd
 Prize €75, 3rd Prize €50**

Sponsored by Callery Family Endowment Fund
Drakes who are placed 1st, in Classes 301-312 inclusively qualify
All Ireland Class 315 (You can't enter directly to All Ireland
Class)

EGG SECTION

1st Prize €15 2nd Prize €10 3rd Prize €5

Entry Fee €3 (Late Payment €4)

- Class 316: Best 6 fresh Brown Hen Eggs
Class 317: Best 6 fresh White/tinted Hen Eggs
Class 318: Best 6 fresh Bantam Hen Eggs
Class 319: Best 6 fresh White Duck Eggs
Class 320: Best 6 fresh Blue/Green Duck Eggs
Class 321: Best 6 fresh Bantam Duck Eggs

PET SECTION

Will be Judged First prior to Dog Show in the Dog Ring

Entry Fee €3 – Entries taken Day of Show

All Exhibits must be presented in its own cage or basket.

1st Prize €15 2nd Prize €10 3rd Prize €5

Will be Judged First prior to Dog Show in the Dog Ring

- Class 322: Best Cage Bird
Class 323: Best unusual pet
Class 324: Best Rabbit

CAT SECTION

Will be Judged second prior to Dog Show in Dog Ring

1st Prize €15 2nd Prize €10 3rd Prize €5

Entry Fee €3 – Entries taken on Show Day

- Class 325: Best Cat
Class 326: Best Kitten
Class 327: Best Mother and Kittens

DOG SECTION

Entry Fee €4.00 – Entries taken on Day from 11.30 pm beside Dog Ring. All dogs must be kept on a leash and under strict control whilst in the show grounds. If animals are causing worry or are troubled and the safety of others is considered to be at risk, Show Stewards have the right to remove such animals and their owners from the show grounds.

Judging commences at 1.00 p.m.

NO CLASS CARD ON DISPLAY, NO ENTRY INTO RING

1st Prize €15 2nd Prize €10 3rd Prize €5 Plus Rosettes

- Class 328: Best Gundog (Pointer, Retriever, Setter, Springer Cocker Spaniel etc
- Class 329: Best Working Dog,(Bernese, St Bernard, Husky) etc
- Class 330: Best Terrier (excluding Jack Russell)
- Class 331: Best Guard Dog (Dobermann, Rottweiler)
- Class 332: Best Hound any variety
- Class 333: Best Sheep dog any variety
- Class 334: Best Toy Dog any variety Cavalier, Maltese, Pomeranian, Bichon Frise)
- Class 335: Best Utility Dog any variety (Poodle, Dalmation, Bull Dog, Shitzu

Entry Fee for All Ireland Dog Classes is €5

Class 336: All Ireland Jack Russell Male and Female

Class 337: All-Ireland Male Pup(Non-Pedigree) under 12 months

Class 338: All-Ireland Female Pup(Non-Pedigree) under 12months

Class 339: All-Ireland Male Pup(Pedigree) under 12 months

Class 340: All-Ireland Female Pup (Pedigree) under 12 month

- Class 341: Best non pedigree Dog
- Class 342: Best Dog in Fancy Dress
- Class 343: Best Dog I would like to take home
- Class 344: Best Golden Oldie Dog (Dogs over Seven years of Age)
- Class 345: Best Dog handled by a Lady
- Class 346: Best Dog handled by a Gentleman
- Class 347: Best Dog handled by a child under 12 years. Every entry in the class receives a prize
- Class 348: Dog with the waggiest tail

Prizes for All Ireland Classes in Dogs

1st Prize €50 Prize Money or Voucher/Product to this value

2nd Prize €30 Prize Money or Voucher/Product to this value

3rd Prize €20 Prize Money or Voucher/Product to this value

€50 Prize Champion Dog of Show

€25 Prize Overall Reserve Champion Dog of Show



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