

CATTLE

IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR CATTLE EXHIBITORS : PROCEDURE FOR MOVEMENT OF CATTLE INTO AND OUT OF THE SHOW

DISEASE CONTROL

NB - only animals free from disease restrictions, including Tuberculosis, Brucellosis and Bluetongue (herd or individual animal restrictions), may be permitted to move to a Show. To minimise the risk to other livestock, exhibitors are encouraged to have Show animals tested for Tuberculosis by their Private Veterinary Practitioner in the 30 days beforehand. All bovine animals that are more than 12 months of age (with the exception of bullocks) must have a 'clear' Brucellosis test for a sample taken within the 30 days prior to movement to a Show. Exhibitors should bring proof of this negative Brucellosis test result to the Show. Cattle, pre-movement tested in a herd, can move to a Show but must return directly to the same herd in which they were tested. These cattle can then move to another Show provided the move occurs within 30 days of the original date of sampling and the 6 day whole farm standstill requirements have been fulfilled.

IDENTIFICATION

All cattle must be properly identified and comply with the Cattle Identification Regulations.

GENERAL PRINCIPLES

- Cattle going to a Show(s) must be accompanied by a fully completed MC2 document identifying the Show premises as the destination.
- Cattle moving from a Show must return to their presenting herd.

The number of Shows to which cattle may travel is not limited provided these conditions are met on all occasions.

MOVEMENTS TO OR FROM A SHOW

On arrival at the Show, the cattle must be accompanied by a fully completed MC2 document and proof of a negative result to the Brucellosis Pre-Movement Test. The top 3 copies (MC2A-White, MC2B-Yellow and MC2C-Pink) must be brought to the Show. All 3 copies will be checked by a Show Representative and stamped with the Show Stamp. The MC2A (white) will be retained by the Show Operative.

MOVEMENTS FROM A SHOW (including Show Operator's Responsibilities)

1. Where the exhibitor has their Sticker Book with them the Show will issue an MC2 endorsed with the herd number of the exhibitor and the serial number of the 'move in' MC2. The MC2A (White) and MC2B (Yellow) 'move out' copies should be stapled to the Yellow 'move in' copy and have a yellow confirmation sticker applied. This should then be sent to the local DARD office by the Show Operatives. The MC2C (Pink) 'move out' copy should be stapled to the Pink 'move in' copy and have the corresponding pink sticker applied. This should be given to the herd keeper for his/her own records (see Annex A).
2. Where the exhibitor does not have their sticker book with them the Show will issue a 'move out' MC2 with ALL details completed (including animal details). The MC2A (White) copy should be sent to the local DARD office and the MC2B (Yellow) and MC2C (Pink) copies should be given to the exhibitor. The MC2B, with a yellow sticker attached, must be returned to the herd keeper's local DARD office within **7 days** (to avoid an NMN status) and the MC2C, with corresponding pink sticker attached, should be kept for his/her records (see Annex B).

PROCEDURE FOR MOVEMENT OF CATTLE FROM THE REPUBLIC OF IRELAND (ROI) INTO AND OUT OF SHOWS

NB - In order to receive cattle from the ROI, the Show premises must be operating to full EU Assembly Centre Standards for cattle and be approved for this purpose. As part of these requirements ROI cattle must be kept segregated from NI cattle and must be re-exported directly from the show premises to their premises of origin in the ROI as soon as the show ends.

Cattle Imported Directly to a Show

NB - animals must be registered on APHIS before they can move into a Show. Cattle entering a Show will be accompanied with a Passport and a Health Certificate.

The Show Operative will enter the animal(s) details onto the MC2 then send the completed MC2A (White) MC2B (Yellow) and MC2C (Pink) documents to the local DARD office. MC2D (Blue) should be retained in MC2 book. The Show will be issued with its own MC self written notification book.

Cattle Re-Exported Directly from a Show.

Cattle being re-exported to ROI will need to be accompanied by:

- MC2L (produced by the local DVO);
- Passport (produced by the local DVO);
- Their original Health Certification suitably endorsed by the Veterinarian responsible for the Show.
- Non Co-Minglement Certificate which will be issued by the Veterinarian responsible for the Show.

SAFETY -To comply with safety requirements, animals of suspect temperament must NOT be presented at this Show. Exhibitors' attention is drawn to the Health and Safety Executive Guidance Note (GS36) regarding the safe custody and handling of Bulls at Agricultural Shows. Exhibitors should ensure that all animals are halter-trained, before being brought to the Show. It is essential that snaffles be worn during the showing of animals

IMPORTANT! All cattle, sheep and goats must be kept in the areas immediately adjacent to the area in which they are competing and out of the way of the public. No cattle, sheep or goats are to be led amongst the public. No cattle, sheep or goats to be led by children under the age of 8. IT IS A CONDITION OF ENTRY TO THE SAINTFIELD SHOW THAT THE OWNERS AND KEEPERS OF ALL CATTLE, SHEEP & GOATS HAVE A POLICY OF INSURANCE IN EFFECT TO COVER PUBLIC LIABILITY RISKS.

WHERE INSUFFICIENT ENTRIES ARE OBTAINED APPROPRIATE CLASSES WILL BE AMALGAMATED

PREMIER EXHIBITOR AWARD

The Bank of Ireland Perpetual Challenge Trophy

Presented to the owner gaining most points in the Cattle Section

1st: 10 points 2nd: 7 points 3rd: 5 points 4th: 3 points

ENTRY FEE: For all Cattle Classes - £10

PRIZES: 1st - £25

2nd - £15

3rd - £10

According to number of entries (see page 1 of schedule for details)

DAIRY SECTION

CLASS NO C1

THE THOMPSON'S/NISA DAIRY COW CHAMPIONSHIP 2019 **(Pedigree or Non- Pedigree)**

All exhibitors wishing to qualify for the Thompson's/NISA Dairy Cow Championship Final must enter the name of their animal(s) in the show programme. The qualifiers for the Final will be the first and second prize winners in the Thompson's Feeds/NISA Class. This Qualifying Class is open to all dairy animals at the Show that have not already qualified for the Final. To maximise attendance of qualifiers at the final, stewards will enquire from the qualifying exhibitors if it is their intention to be present at the final at Antrim Show on Saturday 27th July 2019.

In the event of qualifiers not wishing to attend the final then the judge will be asked to identify further qualifying animals. Qualifying exhibitors who do not attend the final may be disqualified from competing in championships organised by NISA in 2019 unless good reason is given for such non-attendance.

No exhibitor may qualify more than two animals at the final. Animals cannot qualify in dairy classes at Antrim Show for the final.

Thompson's staff will present special rosettes to the exhibitors of both qualifying animals at each qualifying show. Each animal shown at the final will receive an attendance voucher in the form of a £50 Feed Voucher.

The Prizes at the Final are as follows:-

Animals placed 1st to 6th in the Championship will receive Prize Money as follows:

Champion	£500 plus sash.
Reserve Champion	£300
2nd Reserve Champion	£200.
4th Place	£150
5th Place	£100
6th Place	£50

In addition £100 plus Sash will be awarded to the highest placed Exhibitor-Bred animal at the Championship (born on farm, not purchased embryo), and the exhibit with the Best Udder will also receive £100 plus sash.

The Thompson's Perpetual Shield will also be presented to the Champion.

DAIRY CHAMPIONSHIP

DANSKE BANK DAIRY INTER BREED CHAMPIONSHIP

Champion: £60 & The Andrews Perpetual Cup

*Presented by Andrew Milling Ltd.,
Belfast*

Dairy Champion

Reserve Champion: £30 & The Joseph Orr Perpetual Cup

*Presented by the late Mr Joseph Orr, JP
Saintfield*

Reserve Dairy Champion

Saintfield Milk Recording Association Cup

*Presented by Mr Robert
Pettigrew*

for the best Dairy Cow

Silver Cow Trophy

Presented by Genus Breeding (NI) Ltd.

for the best Pedigree or Non-Pedigree

Exhibitor Bred Dairy Cow

The Robert Rea Perpetual Cup

*Presented by the late Mr Robert Rea, Lisbane House,
Saintfield*

For the best Holstein Friesian Female

This Show is also included on the list to qualify for the Bibby Perpetual Challenge Trophy for Holsteins. This trophy is awarded annually to the exhibitor gaining the highest number of points for Champions, Reserve Champions and 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th places at the RUAS Show, and likewise at selected Shows in Northern Ireland.

“Holstein UK offers Rosettes for Champion, Reserve Champion, Best Exhibitor Bred, Junior Champion & Best Udder in Show”.

The Victory Perpetual Cup

*Presented by Minnis Bros.,
Saintfield*

For the best Ayrshire Exhibit

Animals entered must be registered in Appendix or Fully Pedigree Section of the Ayrshire Herd Book, Ayrshire Hybrid or Red & White Sections of the Ayrshire Society Herd Book and be at least one-half Ayrshire. If Black and White in colour, animals must be Registered in the Herd Book's Full Pedigree Ayrshire Section

The Macrory Cup Presented by Mr

Wm. Macrory, Belfast Champion
Exhibit in the Jersey Section

Class No. C2 Pedigree Heifer (maiden).

C3 Pedigree Heifer, in milk.

C4 Pedigree Cow, in milk, any age.

C5 Pedigree Cow, in calf (dry), any age.

C6 Pedigree Calf, Bull or Heifer under 12 months

C7 Pedigree Bull over 12 months

C8 Pedigree Pair (property of same owner)

BEEF SECTION

LINDEN FOODS/NISA PEDIGREE BEEF HEIFER CHAMPIONSHIP 2019

FOR THE BEST PEDIGREE BEEF HEIFER born on or after 1st January 2018

SAINTFIELD DISTRICT SHOW is a Qualifying Show for the Linden Foods/NISA Pedigree Beef Heifer Championship organised by the Northern Ireland Shows Association. Eligible exhibits will be those entered in their appropriate class at the Show and included in the Show Catalogue.

The two highest placed eligible animals will qualify for the final at Clogher Valley Show 31st July 2019. To maximise attendance of qualifiers at the final, stewards will enquire from the qualifying exhibitors if it is their intention to be present at the final. In the event of qualifying exhibitors not wishing to attend the final, the judge will be asked to identify further qualifying animals.

Animals cannot qualify at the show hosting the final.

To maximise the promotion of the championship, qualifying exhibitors and their animals are required to participate in the Linden Feeds promotional photographs at the final.

No exhibitor may qualify more than two animals for the final.

Prize money at the final will be:

1st - £300; 2nd - £200; 3rd - £100; 4th - £50

Special rosettes and attendance money of £20 will be awarded to the exhibitor of each qualifying animal forward at the final. Exhibitors of qualifying animals who do not appear at the final may be disqualified from participating in the 2019 championship unless an acceptable reason is given for such absence.

PEDIGREE BEEF CHAMPIONSHIP AWARDS

***The Ulster Bank Perpetual Cup &
£60.00***

*Presented by Ulster Bank
Ltd.*

Champion Pedigree Beef
Animal

Cottage Perpetual Cup & £30.00

*Presented by Ulster Bank
Ltd.*

Reserve Pedigree Beef
Animal

CO. DOWN MALE BEEF CHAMPIONSHIP

Entry Fee: £5.00

Champion: £60 Reserve Champion £30

- Class No.** C9 This class will be open to all male animals pedigree and non-pedigree aged between 12 - 18 months.
All animals must be led and entered previously in their appropriate class.

SHORTHORN CLASS

Judged By Adrian Irvine

***R A Morrow Perpetual Challenge
Cup Presented by the late Mrs Christina
Morrow Champion Shorthorn***

- Class No.** C10 Shorthorn Calf, Bull or Heifer.
C11 Shorthorn Heifer, (maiden).
C12 Pedigree grade registered or Dairy Shorthorn Cow in calf or cow with calf at foot.
C13 Pair of Shorthorn animals, property of one exhibitor and entered in their respective class.

ABERDEEN ANGUS - PEDIGREE

The Irish Aberdeen-Angus Association will present the Champion Aberdeen Angus animal with an engraved whiskey glass. This animal must be registered in the Herdbook of the Aberdeen Angus Cattle Society and be exhibited by a member of the Aberdeen Angus Society. The glass will only be presented if there are a minimum of 5 Aberdeen Angus cattle exhibited at the show. Rosettes will also be presented to the Champion and Reserve Champion of the show.

The Alexander Dickson Memorial Cup
Champion Exhibitor

***The TJ Horner Perpetual Challenge Cup Presented
by the wife and family of the late Mr TJ Horner, Crossgar
Reserve Champion Exhibitor***

***Championship Award and Reserve
Award***

Judged By Adrian Irvine

- Class No.** C14 Pedigree Aberdeen Angus Cow, in calf or having produced a calf during the 12 months prior to the show.
C15 Pedigree Aberdeen Angus Heifer, born on or after 1st January 2016, and before 1st January 2018.
C16 Pedigree Aberdeen Angus Heifer, born on or after 1st January 2018, and before 1st January 2019.
C17 Pedigree Aberdeen Angus Bull, any age.

C18 Pedigree Aberdeen Angus Calf, Bull or Heifer born on or after 1st January 2019.

C19 Pair of animals property of one exhibitor and entered in their respective class.

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HEREFORD - PEDIGREE

The Martin Perpetual Cup

Presented by J D Martin & Co., Estate Agents & Auctioneers

Champion Exhibit in the Hereford Section

Class No.

C20 Pedigree Hereford Cow any age, in calf or having produced a calf during 12 months prior to the show.

C21 Pedigree Hereford Heifer born on or after 1st Jan 2017 and before 1st Jan 2018

C22 Pedigree Hereford Heifer born on or after 1st Jan 2018 and before 1st Jan 2019.

C23 Pedigree Hereford Bull, any age.

C24 Pedigree Hereford Calf, Bull or Heifer born on or after 1st January 2019

C25 Pair of two animals property of one exhibitor and entered in their respective class

CHAROLAIS - PEDIGREE

Champion Award

The Cecil Robinson Perpetual Challenge

Cup *Presented by Mr C Robinson, Hollyvale,*

Ballygowan Champion Exhibit in the Charolais Section

Class No. C26 Pedigree Charolais Cow any age, in calf, or having produced a calf during the previous 12 months prior to the show.

C27 Pedigree Charolais Heifer born on or after 1st Jan 2017 and before 1st Jan 2019.

C28 Pedigree Charolais Heifer born on or after 1st Jan 2018 and before 1st Jan 2019.

C29 Pedigree Charolais Bull any age.

C30 Pedigree Charolais Calf, Bull or Heifer born on or after 1st January 2019

C31 Pair of two animals property of one exhibitor and entered in their respective class.



SIMMENTAL – PEDIGREE

The Northern Bank Perpetual Challenge Cup

*Presented by the Northern
Bank Ltd.*

Champion Exhibit in the Simmental Section

Champion - Cow Bell

*Presented by the N.I. Simmental Cattle
Breeders Club*

Hydro Fertilisers Trophy - Class 193

Presented by Hydro Fertilizers

- Class No.** C33 Pedigree Simmental Cow, any age, in calf or having produced a calf in the previous 12 months.
- C34 Pedigree Simmental Heifer born on or after 1st Jan 2017 and before 1st Jan 2018.
- C35 Pedigree Simmental Heifer born on or after 1st Jan 2018 and before 1st Jan 2019.
- C36 Pedigree Simmental Bull any age.
- C37 Pedigree Simmental Calf, Bull or Heifer born on or after 1st January 2019
- C38 Pair of two animals property of one exhibitor and entered in their respective class.

LIMOUSIN - PEDIGREE

Limousin Show Team of the Year Award

*Sponsored by Danske
Bank*

Points may be obtained for the Lusby Shield and the Danske Bank "Limousin Show Team of the Year" Award

The Northern Ireland Limousin Cattle Club

*have kindly added £75.00 towards the prize
money*

- Class No.** C39 Pedigree Limousin Cow any age, in calf, or having produced a calf during 12months prior to the show.
- C40 Pedigree Limousin Heifer born in 2017
- C41 Pedigree Limousin Heifer born in 2018.
- C42 Pedigree Limousin Senior Bull born before 2018.
- C43 Pedigree Limousin Junior Bull born in 2018
- C44 Pedigree Limousin Calf, Bull or Heifer born in 2019
- C45 Pair of animals property of one exhibitor and entered in their respective class.

BRITISH BLONDES

The SR Martin Cup

Champion Exhibit in the British Blondes
Section

- Class No.** C46 Pedigree British Blonde Cow, born on or before 31st December, 2015, in calf or in milk.
- C47 Pedigree British Blonde Junior Cow or Heifer, born in 2016, in calf or in milk.
- C48 Pedigree Blonde Heifer born in 2017.
- C49 Blonde Heifer born after 1st Jan 2018 and before 30th June 2018.
- C50 Pedigree British Blonde Senior Bull, born before 31st December 2017
- C51 Pedigree British Blonde Junior Bull, born after 1st January 2018.
- C52 Pedigree British Blonde Calf, Bull or Heifer born on or after 1st July 2018
- C53 Pair of animals property of one exhibitor and entered in their respective class.

NI Blonde Cattle Club
YOUNG HANDLERS CHAMPIONSHIP

Young Handler Under 14 years– Annahilt Residential Perpetual Trophy

Young Handler 14 - 23 years - Whelan Juvenile Perpetual Trophy

Rules:

1. The competition is open to members of the N. Ireland Blonde Cattle Club (either full or associate)
2. Competition will be judged on a points Basis
3. Competitor's age is taken on the day of the show

SHOW HERD OF THE YEAR 2019
John Thompson & Sons Ltd. Cup & Tankards

Rules:

1. Competition is open to members of the Northern Ireland Blonde Cattle Club.
2. Competition will be judged on a points basis:
 - 10 points awarded for the 1st Blonde exhibited
 - 5 points awarded for the 2nd and subsequent Blondes exhibited.
 - 5 points awarded for 1st placing
 - 4 points awarded for 2nd placing
 - 3 points awarded for 3rd placing
 - 2 points awarded for 4th placing
 - 1 point awarded for 5th placing

Champion 2 points Reserve Champion 1 point

BANK OF IRELAND CALF CHAMPIONSHIP 2019
United Feeds Perpetual Challenge Cup

Rules:

1. Competition is open to members of the Northern Ireland Blonde Cattle Club.
2. Competition will be run as a series of qualifying classes at participating shows. From each show the 2 highest placed animals, not previously qualified, born on or after 1st July 2018 will be eligible to take part in the final.
3. The final will be staged at Castlewellan & District Agricultural Show on Saturday 13th July 2019.
4. Prize money will only be payable at the final stage of the competition.
5. Attendance money will be given to those exhibitors who exhibit their qualified calf (calves) for judging at the final.

BRITISH BLUE

All members of the British Blue Cattle Society are entitled to apply to the society for a credit to their society account. First animal shown will receive £25, with £10 each for the second and third entries up to a maximum of £45.

Saintfield District Show is a Qualifying Points-Scoring Show for the Best Exhibitor of the Year. Sponsored by Norbrook Laboratories

Champion: £100 Reserve Champion £50

- Class No. C54 Junior Bull born on or after 1st October 2017 and before 18th June 2018.
- C55 Senior Bull born on or before 30th September 2017
- C56 Junior Heifer born on or after 1st Oct. 2017 and before 18th June 2018.
- C57 Senior Heifer born between 1st Oct. 2016 and 30th September 2017
- C58 Cow born on or before 30th September 2017.
- C59 Bull calf under one year of age on day of show.
- C60 Heifer calf under one year of age on day of show.
- C61 Pair of BB Cattle, property of one exhibitor and entered in above classes.

If a cow is shown with calf at foot, the calf's age should not exceed 10 months on day of show.

Should there not be enough cattle to fulfil a particular class, then it would be up to the steward to decide an amalgamation of classes.

SALER

The Wilson Conservation Cup
Champion Exhibit in the Saler Section

The Wilson Conservation Cup
Reserve Champion Exhibit in the Saler Section

- Class No.** C63 Cow in calf or calf at foot.
- C64 Heifer born on or before 31st December 2017.
- C65 Heifer born on or after 1st January 2018.
- C66 Bull under 2 years.
- C67 Bull any age

CROSS BRED COMMERCIAL

The Martin Phillips Memorial Perpetual Challenge Cup
Presented by Dr M R Phillips, Crossgar in memory of his parents
Champion in the Cross Bred Beef Section

The Walsh Family Perpetual Challenge Cup
Presented by the Walsh Family, Saintfield

- Class No.** C68 Crossbred Bull Calf under 1 year on day of Show.
C69 Crossbred Heifer Calf under 1 year on day of Show.
C70 Crossbred Beef Bullock 1 year and under 2 on day of Show.
C71 Crossbred Beef Heifer 1 year and under 2 on day of Show.
C72 Crossbred Beef Bullock, 24-30 months on the day of Show

MINORITY AND RARE BREEDS CATTLE

- Class No.** C73 Irish Moiled Cow in Milk or in Calf.
C74 Irish Moiled Junior Bull or Heifer.
C75 Dexter Cow in Milk or in Calf.
C76 Dexter Junior Bull or Heifer.
C77 Any other Rare or Minority Breed - Cow in Milk or in Calf.
C78 Any other Rare or Minority Breed - Junior Bull or Heifer.

RARE, TRADITIONAL & RE-ESTABLISHED CATTLE BREEDS

THIS IS A QUALIFYING SHOW FOR THE CATTLE DERBY which will be competed for in three separate sections

- 1. SENIOR CATTLE DERBY** - The two highest placed eligible female animals born on or before the 31st December, 2017, will qualify for the final at Gosford provided the animal has not already done so.
- 2. JUNIOR CATTLE DERBY** - The two highest placed eligible female animals born on and after the 1st January 2018, up to and including the 31st August, 2018, will qualify for the final at Gosford Show, provided the animal has not already done so.
- 3. CALF DERBY** - The two highest placed eligible male or female animals born on and after the 1st September, 2018, will qualify for the final at Gosford, provided the animal has not already done so.

All animals must be owned by a fully paid up member of the Rare Breeds Survival Trust or a child of a fully paid up member of the Trust.

Prize of £50 for winner of each Derby at final in Gosford. All qualifiers will have their entry fee repaid, payable on appearance at the final.

Qualifying shows are - Balmoral, Ballymena, Armagh, Saintfield, Omagh, Castlewellan, Clogher & Antrim.

For further information contact Mr B Hunter bigbhunter@talk21.com

YOUNG HANDLERS COMPETITION

At the conclusion of the Dairy & Beef Classes there will be a competition for the Young Handlers covering two age groups.

C79 (a) 10 - 14 years old (b) 15 - 18 years old (c) 19-24 years old

The competition will be judged on presentation and handling. The cattle to be shown must have been exhibited in the classes for which they are eligible.

The MASSEY CUP will be presented to the winner in each age group.

Please indicate on your entry form if you wish to enter this competition. The name and date of birth of the handler must be given on the entry form.

NO ENTRY FEE & NO ENTRIES ACCEPTED ON THE DAY

