

**Strathendrick Agricultural Society  
195th Annual Drymen Show  
Saturday 31st May, 2025  
The Showfield, Drymen**



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**Entries can be made via Entrymaster using the following link:  
<https://drymenshow.lite.events>**

## REGULATIONS

1. The objects of the Society shall be the advancement of the agricultural capabilities of the County, the encouragement of the breeding of horses, cattle, sheep etc., the improvement of the breed thereof, and the promotion of Agricultural Science and Art, as well as kindred Arts generally.
2. Membership of the Society is open to everyone: all exhibitors must be paid-up members. For confined classes the Show District is confined to the Counties of Dunbartonshire, Stirlingshire, Renfrewshire and the Parishes of Aberfoyle and Port of Menteith.
3. The whole stock competing must be bona fide, the property of Competitors, and must (except in the case of Dog Classes) have been in their possession by or on April 30th, 2023, and certificates produced if required to satisfy the Judges of their age and qualifications, in every respect according to these Regulations.
4. The Ear Numbers of prize-winning animals in the Breed Classes, Championship and Cup winners will be inspected by stewards and recorded.
5. The age of Stock is to be calculated from the first day of January of the year of produce (unless otherwise stated).
6. No cattle from a stock where any contagious diseases have existed within the last six months shall be allowed to enter the Show Grounds .
7. All animals manipulated will be excluded from competition. Soaping or adhesive matter is prohibited. The decision of the Committee, who will have the power of calling in a veterinary surgeon, will be final.
8. Animals will not be preferred for being in the highest condition, but the Judges will take into consideration the fitness of shape and figure and the fitness of those for breeding good stock, as well as their suitability of size and other qualities for the pasture of the district. The Judges will be instructed to withhold the prize if they are of the opinion that there is not sufficient merit in any of the stock exhibited for such prize to justify an award. Should the question of disqualifying a whole class arise, the Judges will consult the Show Committee, and their joint decision will be final.
9. The Show will be held in field near Drymen and judging will begin at **9.30am** unless otherwise stated.
10. **DOGS MUST BE PROVIDED WITH COLLARS AND LEADS AND MUST NOT BE LEFT UNATTENDED.**
11. **All stock exhibited must remain in the Show Ground until after the Parade, or such later hours as may be fixed by the Committee. All prize-winning animals are required to take part in the Parade, under forfeiture of the prize money.**
12. All protests, which must be made in writing, to be lodged with the Secretary not later than the conclusion of the judging of the section to which they refer, must be

accompanied by a deposit of £10.00 which will be forfeited in the event of the protest not being upheld. In all cases of dispute, the decision of the Committee will be final.

13. The Society will not be liable for any loss or damage that may occur to any person attending the Show, or to his or her property, whether a visitor, exhibitor, competitor or otherwise.
14. All competitors found infringing any of the Rules will forfeit the Prizes that may be awarded to them, whether paid or not, without any claim for the repayment of entry monies, and will be expelled from the Society.
15. Anyone using insulting language to a Judge, Member of Committee, or Official of the Society; or otherwise, in the opinion of the Committee, misconducting himself at any of the Society's Shows or Meetings will, at the option of the Committee, be liable to forfeiture of all premiums awarded to him, and if a Member, to expulsion from the Society, if not a Member, expulsion from the Show Grounds.
16. The premiums will be paid by the Treasurer on the day of the Show. Should any of the animals gaining prizes be disqualified, the prizes will go to the next in order of merit. **Prize money must be collected before 3:00pm.**
17. Membership Subscription Rates are:

Single Membership	£10.00	
5 – 16 years old	£5.00	(age at date of payment)
4 years and under	£2.00	(age at date of payment)
Life	£250.00	

## **BONA FIDE AND ATTESTED STOCK**

### **CONDITIONS OF ENTRY**

1. NO EXHIBIT CAN BE SHOWN UNLESS MEMBERSHIP AND ENTRY MONEY HAVE BEEN PAID.
2. Late entries will be accepted up until 8:45am on the day of the show, although in order to allow issuing of entry passes in advance of the show and so not to delay judging on the morning of the show advance entries are always appreciated.
3. Substitution will be permitted in the same class by another of the same sex.
4. Where applicable, please state whether animals are from IBR-MN herds or MAEDI/VISNA (sheep) so pens can be allocated as appropriate. Herd number must be stated for Breed Classes and must be included in the entry form. **(THIS WILL BE CHECKED)**.
5. All animals attending the Show must have with them the relevant documents. It is the responsibility of cattle owners to ensure passports are stamped accordingly.

6. No cattle or horses will be allowed in a judging ring without appropriate numbers. It would be appreciated if handlers wore white coats.
7. All stock carrying vehicles (including trailers) must display the appropriate pass and must be parked as directed by stewards.
8. All trophies are perpetual, unless otherwise stated. They remain the property of the Society and should be returned before the next year's Show.

## **GUIDANCE NOTES AS ISSUED BY THE ANIMAL HEALTH & WELFARE DIVISION (SCOTTISH GOVERNMENT)**

Any sheep moving to shows must be individually identified in accordance with current Scottish Executive guidance.

Stock may be inspected at shows in order to satisfy disease control measures. The individual identification numbers should be listed on the stock movement document. This is the responsibility of the stock owner and not the show organiser. Once completed this document should be sent, by the stock owner, to the Scottish Animal Movement Unit. Cattle moving to & from shows must have their movements notified to BCMS with herd records and passports completed to show the movement took place.

It is the responsibility of the EXHIBITOR to record livestock movements and inform BCMS within 7 days of the show. Cattle born after 1st January, 1998 must have a Defra approved eartag in each ear. The tag in each ear must have the same unique number.

Animals moving to shows for exhibition the first time will not have to be kept separate prior to moving to the show irrespective of whether any other livestock have been moved onto those premises in the 13 day period immediately before moving. If attending only one show within any one 13 day period the animal will not require to be held separate on return from the show nor will the return home trigger a 13 day stand still for any other animal on the home farm. The Transport of Animals (Cleansing and Disinfection) (Scotland) Regulations 2005 applies to vehicles taking animals to and from a show. All horses will need a passport to be eligible to move. Horses born on or after May 16, 2005 will require a passport by December 31 in the year of its birth or by 6 months of age, whichever is later.

***All Regulations, Conditions, Guidance & Class information are correct at the time of print.***

### ***NEW INCREASED PRIZE MONEY***

***Breed Section Champion £20 and Reserve £10***

***Overall Breed Champion £100 and Reserve £50***

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***Livestock Parade £100***

***JUDGING FOR ALL SECTIONS COMMENCES AT  
approximately 9:30AM. EXCEPT WHERE STATED.***

**DAIRY CATTLE**

**HOLSTEIN FRIESIAN**

JUDGE: Jane Steel, Kepculloch Farm, Balfron

ENTRY: £5.00 unless otherwise stated.

PRIZES: 1<sup>st</sup> £12.00, 2<sup>nd</sup> £9.00, 3<sup>rd</sup> £6.00 unless otherwise stated.

Class 1: Heifer in calf.

Class 2: Cow in calf.

Class 3: Heifer in milk.

Class 4: Junior Cow in milk.

Class 5: Senior Cow in milk.

Class 6: Pairs Class.

PRIZE: The McQueen Rosebowl.

Class 7: Best animal in Holstein Friesian section, bred by exhibitor, and never out of possession. Confined to Show Area.

ENTRY: Free

PRIZE: Alex Cormack Perpetual Cup

Class 8: Best animal in Holstein Friesian section, bred by exhibitor.

ENTRY: Free

PRIZE: £5.00

Class 9: Champion Holstein Friesian

ENTRY: Free

PRIZE: Society Cup & £20.00

Class 10: Any Other Dairy Breed: Heifer in calf or milk.

Class 11: Any Other Dairy Breed: Cow in calf or milk.

Class 12: Best Heifer in Dairy Section (classes 1, 3 & 10)

ENTRY: Free

PRIZE: The Kilmarnock Perpetual Cup.

Class 13: Overall Champion in Dairy Section. (classes 1 – 12)

ENTRY: Free

PRIZE: The Hugh Wyllie Cup. (Cup becomes the property of the Exhibitor when won four times.

**YOUNG HANDLERS' DAIRY CALF CLASS**

**JUDGE: Jane Steel, Kepculloch Farm, Balfron**

*Class 14: Dairy Calf: (Born this year led by a junior under 14 years old.*

ENTRY: Free

PRIZE: The Taylor Cup

## **PURE BRED BEEF CATTLE**

*Entries may only be shown in 1 section except those in Classes (80, 81, 82 & 83.)*

### **ABERDEEN ANGUS**

JUDGE: Alistair Cormack, Letham Farm Cottage, Leven KY8 5NN

ENTRY: £5.00 unless otherwise stated.

PRIZES: 1st £12.00, 2nd £9.00, 3rd £6.00.

Class 15: Cow any age.

Class 16: Calf, either sex, under one year old on Show day.

Class 17: Heifer

Class 18: Bull any age.

Class 19: Best animal bred by exhibitor.

ENTRY: Free

PRIZE: £10.00

Class 20: Champion Aberdeen Angus.

ENTRY: Free

PRIZE: Caledonian Marts Perpetual Trophy & £20.00

### **HIGHLAND CATTLE**

*(Exhibitors are eligible for points towards the Show Fold of the Year Competition)*

JUDGE: Coln McPhail, The Paddock over Abington Farm, Abington, ML12 6SF

ENTRY: £5.00 unless otherwise stated.

PRIZES: 1st £12.00, 2nd £9.00, 3rd £6.00, 4th Rosette if 6 or more in class.

Class 21: Cow in milk, any age.

Class 22: Calf, either sex, born after 1<sup>st</sup> Jan

Class 23: Cow in calf, any age.

Class 24: Heifer, 3 years old.

Class 25: Heifer, 2 years old.

Class 26: Yearling Heifer.

Class 27: Senior Bull 2 years and over.

Class 28: Junior Bull.

Class 29: Pair of Highland Cattle (Sponsored by Mr J Caven)

Class 30: Champion Highlander

ENTRY: Free

PRIZE: Finnich Malise Cup & £50 (Sponsored by Messers McKechnie ) Reserve:  
Mary Bannerman Memorial Quaich

## **GALLOWAY BLACK or DUN (A) & BELTED or WHITE (B)**

*(if more than 4 in a class of either section, A or B, they can be split into separate groups)*

JUDGE: Alistair Cormack, Letham Farm Cottage, Leven KY8 5NN

ENTRY: £5.00 unless otherwise stated.

PRIZES: 1st £12.00, 2nd £9.00, 3rd £6.00.

**Exhibitors are eligible for the Galloway Society 'Herd of the Year' Competition.**

Class 31: Cow.

Class 32: Calf, either sex, under one year old on show day.

Class 33: Heifer.

Class 34: Bull.

Class 35: Champion Galloway (Black or Dun).

ENTRY: Free.

PRIZE: B.O.C.M. Pauls Cup & £20.00

Class 36: Champion Galloway (Belted or White)

ENTRY: Free

PRIZE: BOCM Paul's Tankard & £20.00

## **HEREFORD**

JUDGE: Alistair Cormack, Letham Farm Cottage, Leven KY8 5NN

ENTRY: £5.00 unless otherwise stated.

PRIZES: 1st - £12.00, 2nd - £9.00, 3rd £6.00.

Class 37: Cow.

Class 38: Calf, either sex, under one year old on show day.

Class 39: Heifer.

Class 40: Bull.

Class 41: Champion

ENTRY: Free.

PRIZES: Glenfinlas Cup & £20.00

## **OTHER NATIVE BREEDS**

JUDGE: Alistair Cormack, Letham Farm Cottage, Leven KY8 5NN

ENTRY: £5.00 unless otherwise stated.

PRIZES: 1st £12.00, 2nd £9.00, 3rd £6.00.

Class 42: Cow, any age.

Class 43: Calf, either sex, under one year old on show day.

Class 44: Heifer.

Class 45: Bull, any age.

Class 46: Champion.

ENTRY: Free.

PRIZE: The Calley Shield & £20.00

## LIMOUSIN

*(These classes form part of the Scottish Limousin Breeders' "Exhibitor of the Year" Competition. Members will be awarded points for the Judge's placings at this Show.)*

JUDGE: Chris Curry, Low Burradon Farm, Thropton, Morpeth, NE65 7HG

ENTRY: £5.00 unless otherwise stated.

PRIZES: 1st £12.00, 2nd £9.00, 3rd £6.00.

Class 47: Senior Bull 2 years and over.

Class 48: Junior Bull.

Class 49: Cow any age.

Class 50: Calf, either sex, under one year old on Show day.

Class 51: Heifer 2 years old.

Class 52: Yearling Heifer.

Class 53: Champion Limousin.

ENTRY: Free

PRIZE: Trophy presented by Cooler Air Services Limited & £20.00

## CHAROLAIS

JUDGE: Chris Curry, Low Burradon Farm, Thropton, Morpeth, NE65 7HG

ENTRY: £5.00 unless otherwise stated.

PRIZES: 1st £12.00, 2nd £9.00, 3rd £6.00.

Class 54: Bull, any age.

Class 55: Cow, any age.

Class 56: Calf, either sex, under one year old on Show day.

Class 57: Heifer 2 years old.

Class 58: Yearling Heifer.

Class 59: Champion Charolais.

ENTRY: Free.

PRIZE: The Alan McCaig Perpetual Trophy & £20.00

## SIMMENTAL

JUDGE: Chris Curry, Low Burradon Farm, Thropton, Morpeth, NE65 7HG

ENTRY: £5.00 unless otherwise stated.

PRIZES: 1st £12.00, 2<sup>nd</sup> £9.00, 3<sup>rd</sup> £6.00

Class 60: Bull, any age.

Class 61: Cow, any age.

Class 62: Calf, either sex, under one year old on Show day.

Class 63: Heifer 2 years old.

Class 64: Yearling Heifer.

Class 65: Champion Simmental.

ENTRY: Free.

PRIZES: The NWF Trophy (sponsor Mr & Mrs C Stanner) & £20.00



## **OTHER CONTINENTAL BREEDS**

JUDGE: Chris Curry, Low Burradon Farm, Thropton, Morpeth, NE65 7HG

ENTRY: £5.00 unless otherwise stated.

PRIZES: 1st £12.00, 2nd £9.00, 3rd £6.00.

Class 66: Cow, any age.

Class 67: Calf, either sex, under one year old on Show day

Class 68: Heifer.

Class 69. Bull, any age.

Class 70: Best animal in section.

ENTRY: Free.

PRIZE: The Tudur Shield & £20.00

## **COMMERCIAL BEEF CATTLE**

*(No entries accepted from other classes, except Class 81 & 82 (Juniors' Calf Classes).*

*Judging will take place in separate, enclosed rings.)*

JUDGE: Chris Curry, Low Burradon Farm, Thropton, Morpeth, NE65 7H

ENTRY: £5.00 unless otherwise stated.

PRIZES: 1st - £12.00; 2nd - £9.00; 3rd - £6.00.

Class 71: Beef cow with calf at foot, judged as a pair.

Class 72: Calf from above class.

Class 73: Cow or Heifer in calf (new class)

Class 74: Steer, any age, sired by Native breed.

Class 75: Steer, any age, sired by Continental breed.

Class 76: Heifer, any age, sired by Native breed.

Class 77: Heifer, any age, sired by Continental breed.

Class 78: Best Beef Animal bred by exhibitor:

ENTRY: Free.

PRIZE: Buchanan Castle Cup

(NOTE: *Bred Classes must show Stock Number.*)

Class 79: Champion in Beef Classes:

ENTRY: Free.

PRIZE: Sir Hugh Fraser Perpetual Cup & £20.00

## **YOUNG FARMERS CLASS**

JUDGE : Neil Christie, Dalarn, Balfron, G63

ENTRY: Free

PRIZE; 1<sup>st</sup> £12.00; 2<sup>nd</sup> £9.00; 3<sup>rd</sup> £6.00

Class 80: YFC Members, ANY BREED, ANY AGE.

## **YOUNG HANDLERS' BEEF CALF CLASS**

JUDGE: Neil Christie, Dalarn, Balfron, G63

ENTRY: Free

Class 81: Any breed of calf, led by a boy or girl, **aged 10 years and under and entered in his or her name.**

PRIZES: 1<sup>st</sup> - The Townfoot Cup & £10.00, 2<sup>nd</sup> £5.00, 3<sup>rd</sup> £3.00 and Rosettes

Class 82: Any breed of calf, led by a boy or girl **aged 11 – 16 years and entered in his or her name.**

PRIZES: 1<sup>st</sup> - The Jaw Trophy & £10.00, 2<sup>nd</sup> £5.00, 3<sup>rd</sup> £3.00 and Rosettes

Both the calf and handler will be judged as a whole in the above 2 classes.

## **BEEF INTERBREED PAIR CLASS**

JUDGE Neil Christie, Dalarn, Balfron, G63

ENTRY: Free.

PRIZE: 1st Donaldson Trophy

Class 83: Pair exhibited in classes **15 – 77** same breed, any age, either sex, same owner.

## **CHAMPIONS IN CATTLE SECTION**

JUDGE: Neil Christie, Dalarn, Balfron, G63

Class 84: Best Animal in Beef Section

ENTRY: Free.

PRIZE: Nicolson Memorial Trophy

Class 85: Best Animal in Dairy Section.

ENTRY: Free.

PRIZE: The George Ross Memorial Cup.

Class 86: Best Animal in Cattle Section.

ENTRY: Free.

PRIZE: James McKechnie Cup & £50.00

Class 87: Exhibitor with most points in Cattle Section. PRIZE: £50.00