

**MIDLAND & WESTERN LIVESTOCK
IMPROVEMENT SOCIETY LTD.
CARRICK-ON-SHANNON**

WINTER FAIR SCHEDULE 2024

MONDAY NOVEMBER 18TH

SHOW & SALE

of

**ALL SENIOR CATTLE
AND BULL WEANLINGS**

SHOW at 9.00a.m.

SALE at 12.30p.m.

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 24TH

HEIFER WEANLINGS

- ALL BREEDS

SHOW at 11.00a.m.

MONDAY NOVEMBER 25TH

SALE at 10.00a.m.

ENTRIES ONLINE AT :- midlandwesternlivestock.com

ENTRIES MUST CLOSE

Friday November 1st

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EXHIBITORS PLEASE NOTE:

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FRIDAY 1ST NOVEMBER

CLOSING DATE WILL BE STRICTLY ADHERED TO.

Please read the Rules

**Catalogue and Exhibit Numbers
will be given to Exhibitors on Show morning.**

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**ALL SPONSORS WILL BE ACKNOWLEDGED IN
CATALOGUE**

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Mohill, Co. Leitrim.**

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***To assist with hosting the Event safely
the Committee will limit Entries on 24th /25th
to 400***

CONDITIONS & RULES OF ENTRY FOR SHOW and SALE

1. Exhibitors are requested to study the Rules and should not enter an animal for Show or Sale unless they are willing to fully comply with all Rules and Regulations of the Society.
2. Department of Agriculture and Food Rules and Regulations apply in every respect.
3. Exhibitors should take due care in completing their Entry Form and **National ID Tag Number and Herd Number of Exhibitor / Owner must be given**. The Society cannot be held responsible for any errors or omissions which may occur, for any reason whatsoever, in the Catalogue. All Animals entered (with the exception of Stockperson Classes) must be in the Exhibitors Herd on or before August 31st 2024 No more than **5 Exhibits** will be accepted from any Herd Owner per Show and Sale
To assist with hosting the Event safely
the Committee will limit Entries on 24th /25th to 400
4. Entries with entry fee of €50 per animal, (CLASS 27 & 28 - €5) will only be accepted on the online entry form before November 1st.
No Entries can be accepted without full Entry Fees and no Refund of Entry Fees will be made for Catalogued Entries.
5. **No animal will be allowed compete in more than one class**, with the exception of Stockperson Classes and the responsibility of having the animal entered in the correct class rests solely with the exhibitor.
6. **Each Breed must be entered in it's Breed Class.**
7. In the event of animals changing teeth after entry, they will be entitled to enter the next suitable class.
8. There will be no class for bull calves exceeding 550 kgs.
9. Calves other than those mentioned in Rule 7 can move to the class appropriate to their weight.
10. Animals will be sold on Sale Day in Catalogue Order according to their specific Breed Class .
11. Commission of 1% of the Sale price will be deducted.
12. **The Society may not be in a position to provide stalling for each animal in the Shed on day of Show or Sale.**
Exhibitors must not move numbers without consulting a Steward.
13. **Cattle entered for Sale cannot be removed after Show Classes – they must remain on the premises for the Sale.**

14. Exhibitors or their agents found disobeying Stewards or communicating or interfering with Judges or Department Officials will be debarred from future Sales. The Judges decision is Final.
15. **Any Exhibitor found to have altered or interfered with their Weight Docket will be debarred from future Shows and Sales**
16. The Society shall decide on any disputes, objections or queries regarding this Event and in all cases of dispute the decision of the Society must be final.
17. **All animals must be haltered and led and kept under strict control. In the interest of safety all animals must be led by competent adults. Exhibitors alone are responsible for the feeding, watering and safe keeping of their animals. All exhibitors are advised to extend their Insurance cover for attendance at this Event. In the event of an animal proving dangerous the Safety Officer shall have the authority to direct the Exhibitor to remove the animal immediately from the Showgrounds.**
The Society accepts no responsibility for accidents, loss or damage to persons or property or to animals left in the Showgrounds overnight. Any accident involving an animal exhibited at the Show or Sale is the sole responsibility of the exhibitor and/or the owner of the animal.
18. The arrangement of Classes for Judging, Prizes to be awarded and the Order of Sale may be altered and will be finalised at the discretion of the Committee. Classes may be amalgamated for Judging if the Society deem it necessary.
19. The Auctioneer acts as agent for the Vendor and any action taken by a Purchaser must be against the Vendor and not the Auctioneer or the Society and vice versa .

Please read the Rules

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SCHEDULE OF CLASSES
MONDAY NOVEMBER 18th CLASSES 1 – 26

JUDGES : Mr. Martin Tumilty, Banbridge, Co. Down
Mr. Gareth Corrie, Newtownards, Co. Down

CLASS 1 **Bullock any Breed – Showing two or more permanent teeth**
1st €150, 2nd €120, 3rd €100, 4th €80, 5th €50

*Sponsored by: **Bord Bia***

CLASS 2 Heifer any Breed – Showing two or more permanent teeth
1st €150, 2nd €120, 3rd €100, 4th €80, 5th €50

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CLASS 3 Charolais X Bullock retaining calf's mouth
1st €150, 2nd €120, 3rd €100, 4th €80, 5th €50

*Sponsored by: **Irish Charolais Cattle Society***

CLASS 4 Charolais X Heifer retaining calf's mouth
1st €150, 2nd €120, 3rd €100, 4th €80, 5th €50

*Sponsored by: **Agvancetrading .com***

CLASS 5 Limousin X Bullock retaining calf's mouth
Must show Limousin Characteristics
1st €150, 2nd €120, 3rd €100, 4th €80, 5th €50

*Sponsored by: **Irish Limousin Cattle Society***

CLASS 6 Limousin X **BEEF** Heifer retaining calf's mouth.
Must show Limousin Characteristics (Prize winners may
be DNA Tested)

1st €150, 2nd €120, 3rd €100, 4th €80 5th 4 Bags of Bull Calf
Creep Feed presented by **Connolly's Redmills Feeds**

*Sponsored by: **Gabriel O'Dowd Hoofcare, Woodbrook, Croghan
& Cryan's Hotel, Carrick on Shannon***

CLASS 7 Belgian Blue X Bullock retaining calf's mouth
1st €150, 2nd €120, 3rd €100, 4th €80, 5th €50

*Sponsored by: **Natural Nutrition, Ballyfarnon, Boyle***

CLASS 8 Belgian Blue X Heifer retaining calf's mouth
Prizes will be awarded in the form of Vouchers
for *Progressive Genetics* to the value of 1st €150, 2nd €120,
3rd €100, 4th €80, 5th €50

*Sponsored by: **Progressive Genetics***

CLASS 9 Best Butcher's Heifer - 600 Kgs. and under
1st €150, 2nd €120, 3rd €100, 4th €80 , 5th €50
Prizemoney will only be paid out after Animal is sold
Only Animals Catalogued to be exhibited in this Class
Sponsored by: FBD Insurance

CLASS 10 Angus Bullock – Non Continental showing not more than two permanent teeth and showing Angus Characteristics
1st €150, 2nd €120, 3rd €100, 4th 4 Bags of Bull Calf Creep Feed presented by ***Connolly's Redmills Feeds***
Sponsored by : Dunnes Bar, Main Street, Carrick on Shannon & Supermacs, Carrick on Shannon

CLASS 11 Angus X Heifer suitable for export or breeding showing not more than two permanent teeth
No Continental breeding Blue Card must show **AAX** and must be presented prior to Class Prizewinners may be DNA Tested
1st €140, 2nd €90, 3rd €70, 4th 4 x 18kg Lifeline Precalver presented by ***Uniblock Ireland Ltd.***

Prizemoney only payable to Animals offered for Sale
Sponsored by: Irish Angus Cattle Society

CLASS 12 Commercial Beef **Shorthorn** Heifer born between 1st November 2022 and 31st December 2022. *Animal must not be Pedigree Registered. or eligible for Pedigree Registration All animals must have SH or SHX on their ID Card.. Any animals found to be ineligible on Show Day will be disqualified from this Class*
1st €140, 2nd €100, 3rd €80, 4th €50
Sponsored by: Irish Shorthorn Society & Alo O'Hara, Elphin

CLASS 13 Commercial Hereford Sired Bullock or Heifer , over 450kgs on Show Day. All animals should be designated Hereford or Hereford X on their ID Card. Calves maybe DNA Tested .
1st €140, 2nd €80 3rd €60 , 4th €50 , 5th €40
Sponsored by: Irish Hereford Breed Society Ltd.

CLASS 14 Charolais X Male Calf 550 kgs or under
1st €150, 2nd €120, 3rd €100, 4th €80, 5th €50
Sponsored by: Irish Charolais Cattle Society

CLASS 15 Charolais X Male Calf 400 kgs or under
1st €150, 2nd €120, 3rd €100, 4th €80, 5th €50
Sponsored by: Irish Charolais Cattle Society

CLASS 16 Limousin X Male Calf 550 kgs. or under showing Limousin Characteristics Must be Limousin sired & maybe DNA tested
1st €150, 2nd €120, 3rd €100, 4th €80, 5th €50

Sponsored by: Irish Limousin Cattle Society

CLASS 17 Limousin X Male Calf 400 kgs. or under showing Limousin Characteristics .Must be Limousin sired & maybe DNA tested
1st €150, 2nd €120, 3rd €100, 4th €80, 5th €50

Sponsored by: Thomas Crowe, Veterinary Surgeon, Carrick on Shannon & Paul & Vincent Animal Feeds

CLASS 18 Commercial Male Parthenaise Calf born in 2024.
**Must show PTX or PT Dam on their National ID Card .
DNA proof maybe required**

1st €150, 2nd €120, 3rd €100, 4th €80, 5th €50

Sponsored by : Irish Parthenaise Cattle Breed Society

CLASS 19 Angus X Male Calf 450kgs or under showing Angus Characteristics
1st €140, 2nd €80, 3rd €60, 4th €80, 5th €50

Sponsored by: John Glancy t/a Bertie Glancy & Sons, Elphin & A.W. Ennis/ Erin Farm Feeds

CLASS 20 Irish Shorthorn Premium Beef Weanling Bull Calf.
Animal must not be Pedigree Registered. or eligible for Pedigree Registration All animals must have SH or SHX on their ID Card..
Any animals found to be ineligible on Show Day will be disqualified from this Class

1st €140, 2nd €100 3rd €80, 4th €50

Sponsored by: Shorthorn Marketing Company Ltd.

CLASS 21 Belgian Blue X Male Calf 550kgs. or under
1st €150, 2nd €120, 3rd €100, 4th €80, 5th €50

Sponsored by: Belgian Blue Cattle Breeding Society of Ireland

CLASS 22 Belgian Blue X Male Calf 400 kgs. or under
1st €150, 2nd €120, 3rd €100, 4th €80, 5th €50

Sponsored by: Natural Nutrition, Ballyfarnon, Boyle

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CLASS 23 National Simmental X In- Calf or Maiden Heifer over 550kgs and born on or after 01/05/2022

CLASS 24 National Simmental X Yearling Heifer between 451kgs & 550kgs

Rules for Classes 23 and 24 All Entries to show **SI or SIX** on their **N. I.D. Card**. Where a **NID Card** is reissued, proof of the original registration must accompany the **NID Card to the Show**.

All Entries must have a Simmental sire recorded on the DAFF Database and that Sire must be included on the entry form. **No entry will be accepted without a Sire**. The Exhibitor of any Heifer which may subsequently fail a Genomic Parentage Test may be banned from showing in Simmental Society Organised Classes for two years from the test result date.

Animals will be Judged on ability to make a Suckler Dam

1st €75 and 1 Litre of Taurador Pour-on presented by Norbrook,
2nd €100, 3rd €75, 4th €50

Cash Prizes Sponsored by The Irish Simmental Cattle Society Ltd.

CLASS 25 Breeding Heifer under 700kgs, other than Limousin Breed.
Sponsored by: Tateetra & Rathmore Farms, Dundalk

CLASS 26 Limousin X Heifer **Suitable for Breeding UNDER 700kgs.**
Must show Limousin Characteristics (Prize winners may be DNA Tested)
1st €150 2nd €120 3rd €100 4th €80 5th €50

Sponsored by: Irish Limousin Cattle Society

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CLOSING DATE WILL BE STRICTLY ADHERED TO.

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Catalogue, Receipts for Entry Fees and Exhibit Numbers
will be given to Exhibitors on arrival
Animals will be taken into Yard FROM 5 p.m. – 8 p.m.
on SUNDAY NOVEMBER 17TH

CHAMPIONSHIPS

Charolais Champion *Confined to Classes 3, 4, 14 & 15 and Charolais Prize-winners in Classes 1, 2 & 25* 1 litre Taurador presented by NORBROOK and Voucher for 20 Bags GREENVALE ANIMAL FEEDS

Reserve Charolais Champion 1 litre Dectospot presented by BIMEDA ANIMAL HEALTH

Limousin Champion: *Confined to Classes 5, 6, 16, 17 & 26 and Limousin Prize-winners in Classes 1 & 2.* Winner receives 15 Bags of Pedigree Mega Punch presented by KIERNAN MILLING, GRANARD

Reserve Limousin Champion: Veterinary Product Presented by AGRI – LLOYD INTERNATIONAL

Belgian Blue Champion: *Confined to Classes 7, 8, 21 & 22 and Belgian Blue Prize-winners in Classes 1, 2 & 25* €100 Voucher for BOVA AI, LIMERICK and Voucher for 20 Bags GREENVALE ANIMAL FEEDS

Reserve Belgian Blue Champion: Veterinary Product Presented by AGRI – LLOYD INTERNATIONAL

Angus Champion: €100 VOUCHER FOR Veterinary Products presented by JOHN QUINN, V.S., ASHWOOD VETERINARY CLINIC, MOHILL

Reserve Angus Champion Veterinary Product presented by MERIEL

Simmental X Senior Heifer Champion : Voucher for Bull Calf Creep Feed presented by CONNOLLY'S REDMILLS FEEDS

Reserve Simmental X Senior Heifer Champion : 4 x 18kg Lifeline Precalver presented by UNIBLOCK IRELAND LTD.

SCHEDULE OF CLASSES
FOR

Heifer Weanlings - All Breeds

CLASSES 27 - 41

Show

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 24TH

SHOW at 11.00am

Sale

MONDAY NOVEMBER 25TH

SALE at 10.00am

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SCHEDULE OF CLASSES
SUNDAY NOVEMBER 24th CLASSES 27 – 41

Judges : Mr. James Nisbet, Scotland
Mr. Drew Hyslop, Scotland

CLASS 27

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YOUNG STOCKPERSON CLASS 2024

For Youth between 12 and 14 years

Exhibitors will be judged on their ability to show and handle an animal born in 2024

PRIZES: 1st Trophy presented by Martin O'Connor, Strokestown
and €80, 2nd €65; 3rd €50; 4th €40; 5th €35, 6th to end of line €20

This Class will be judged first at 11.00a.m.

CLASS 28

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YOUNG STOCKPERSON CLASS 2024

For Youth between 15 and 17 years

Exhibitors will be judged on their ability to show and handle an animal born in 2024

PRIZES: 1st RDS Silver Medal and €80, 2nd €65; 3rd €50; 4th €40; 5th €35, 6th
to end of line €20

CLASS 29 Charolais X Female Calf 450 kgs. or under
1st €150, 2nd €120, 3rd €100, 4th €80, 5th €50

Sponsored by: Smyths Daleside Feeds, Ballindrait, Co. Donegal

CLASS 30 Charolais X Female Calf 350 kgs or under
1st €150, 2nd €120, 3rd €100, 4th €80, 5th €50

Sponsored by: Irish Charolais Cattle Society

CLASS 31 Commercial Female Parthenaise Calf born in 2024
Must show PTX or PT Dam on their National ID Card .
DNA proof maybe required

1st €150, 2nd €120, 3rd €100, 4th €80, 5th €50

Sponsored by : Irish Parthenaise Cattle Breed Society

CLASS 32 Angus X Female Calf 450kgs or under showing Angus
Characteristics 1st €150, 2nd €120, 3rd €100, 4th €80, 5th €50

Sponsored by: Farm Relief Services, Boyle
& A.W. Ennis /Erin Farm Feeds

CLASS 33 Commercial Hereford Sired Female not weighing over 450kgs on Show Day. All animals should be designated Hereford or Hereford X on their ID Card. Calves maybe DNA Tested .
1st €140, 2nd €80 3rd €60 , 4th €50 , 5th €40

Sponsored by: Mc Hugh's Bar, Carrick on Shannon

CLASS 34 Commercial Beef **Shorthorn** Heifer born on or after 1st January 2024 *Animal must not be Pedigree Registered. or eligible for Pedigree Registration All animals must have SH or SHX on their ID Card.. Any animals found to be ineligible on Show Day will be disqualified from this Class*

1st €140, 2nd €100 3rd €80, 4th €50

Sponsored by: Natural Nutrition, Ballyfarnon, Boyle

CLASS 35 National Simmental X Weanling Heifer between 351kgs & 450kgs
See Rules under

CLASS 36 National Simmental X Heifer Calf 350kgs or under.

Rules for CLASSES 35 and 36

All Entries to show SI or SIX on their N. I.D. Card

Where a NID Card is reissued, proof of the original registration must accompany the NID Card to the Show. All Entries must have a Simmental sire recorded on the DAFF Database and that Sire must be included on the entry form. **No entry will be accepted without a Sire** The Exhibitor of any Heifer which may subsequently fail a Genomic Parentage Test may be banned from showing in Simmental Society Organised Classes for two years from the test result date. Animals will be Judged on ability to make a Suckler Dam

Prizes in Classes 35 & 36 1st €75 and 1 litre of Taurador Pour-on presented by Norbrook , 2nd €100, 3rd €75, 4th €50

Cash Prizes Sponsored by The Irish Simmental Cattle Society Ltd.

CLASS 37 Limousin Female X Calf 450 kgs. or under **suitable for Breeding** showing Limousin Characteristics

Must be Limousin sired & maybe DNA tested

1st €150, 2nd €120, 3rd €100, 4th €80, 5th €50

Sponsored by: Irish Limousin Cattle Society

CLASS 38 Limousin Female X Calf 450 kgs. or under showing Limousin Characteristics Must be Limousin sired & maybe DNA tested

1st €150, 2nd €120, 3rd €100, 4th €80, 5th €50

Sponsored by: Irish Farmers Association

CLASS 39 Limousin Female X Calf 350 kgs. or under showing Limousin Characteristics . Must be Limousin sired & maybe DNA tested

Prizes will be awarded in the form of Vouchers for Homeland Stores to the value of 1st €150, 2nd €120, 3rd €100, 4th €80, 5th €50

Sponsored by : Aurivo /Nutrias Animal Feeds

CLASS 40 Belgian Blue X Female Calf 450 kgs. or under
1st €150, 2nd €120, 3rd €100, 4th €80, 5th €50

Sponsored by : Corby Rock, Monaghan

CLASS 41 Belgian Blue X Female Calf 350 kgs.or under

Prizes will be awarded in the form of Vouchers for Eurogene AI Services to the value of 1st €150, 2nd €120, 3rd €100, 4th €80, 5th €50

Sponsored by : Eurogene AI Services, Tipperary

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***Animals will be taken into Yard FROM 5 p.m. – 8 p.m.
on SATURDAY NOVEMBER 23rd***

€2,000 Dovea Genetics Sired Calf Bonanza

This Bonanza is open to Dovea Genetics Sired Calves, any breed or weight, as long as they have already entered in an Exhibit Class prior to this Bonanza.

PRIZES : - will be awarded in the form of CASH and VOUCHERS to the value of :- 1st: € 500

2nd: €400

3rd: €300

4th: €200

5th to 10th: €100

- 1. Sires of all calves will be verified before Prizemoney is awarded and calves may be subject to DNA Testing.*
- 2. Judging will be carried out by an Independent Judge*
- 3. Prize money will only be paid out after animal is sold.*

PLEASE SUPPORT OUR RAFFLE

**DRAW will take place on
Monday November 25th
at 6.00p.m.**

PRIZES include

1st €1,000 CASH PRIZE

2nd €500 EASYFIX VOUCHER

Presented By EASYFIX, Ballinasloe

3rd MOOCALL CALVING SENSOR

4th €100 VOUCHER presented by McKeon Agri, Ballinalee, Longford

AND OTHER VALUABLE PRIZES

Tickets €5 each, Book of 3 €10

Tickets on Sale from Committee Members or Office.

JUNIOR FEMALE CHAMPIONSHIPS

Charolais Junior Female Champion: Confined to Classes 29 & 30
2.5 litre of Taurador presented by NORBROOK

Reserve Charolais Champion: 500 ml. Dectospot presented by
BIMEDA ANIMAL HEALTH

Limousin Champion: Confined to Classes 37, 38 & 39

€100 VOUCHER FOR Veterinary Products presented by JOHN QUINN,
V.S., ASHWOOD VETERINARY CLINIC, MOHILL

Reserve Limousin Champion: 500 ml. Dectospot presented by
BIMEDA ANIMAL HEALTH

Belgian Blue Champion: Confined to Classes 40 & 41

Winner receives 20 Bags of Weanling Boost presented by
KIERNAN MILLING, GRANARD

Reserve Belgian Blue Champion:
4 x 18kg Lifeline Precalver presented by
UNIBLOCK IRELAND LTD.

Simmental X Junior Heifer Champion: - Classes 35 & 36

Voucher for Bull Calf Creep Feed presented by
CONNOLLY'S REDMILLS FEEDS

Reserve Simmental X Junior Heifer Champion
4 x 18kg Lifeline Precalver presented by
UNIBLOCK IRELAND LTD.

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for our Auction
on Show Day Sunday November 24th*

9 Straws (3X3) of “Ballinloan Jaeger Bomb”

Presented by:-

Elite Pedigree Genetics,

Silverstream, Co. Monaghan.

Lough Rynn Castle Hotel, Mohill,

CD Carrick Commercials,

Tullyleague, Carrick on Shannon.

Mitchell Meats, Mohill,

Glancy’s Supervalu Supermarket,

Carrick on Shannon.

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