
SHEEP

Dispatch documents will be required and will be inspected by the Department of Agriculture officials.

Prizes: Prize money as outlined.

First Prize winners also receive a specially commissioned Medallion.

Rules & Conditions for the Sheep Section - See Rules & Regulations at back of the Schedule

1. All pedigree animals entered in the Sheep Section **must** be registered with the relevant breed society or association.
2. All sheep must be tagged and have a completed dispatch docket.
3. Record of Movement must be recorded on owners' dispatch dockets.
4. Sheep from both scrapie and non-scrapie monitored flocks are permitted to attend.
5. Animals being exhibited in the Commercial Sheep Section **cannot** be exhibited in the Pedigree classes on Show Day.
6. Only cataloged entries can be exhibited on Show Day.
7. All animals must be correctly tagged. (Note Department Rules at the end of the Schedule.)

All sheep to remain on the Show Grounds till 3 pm

The Irish Shows Association would advise all animal owners to have their animals insured and 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 whom you have insurance with. The reason for this advice is that if your animal lashed out and injured someone or damaged someone's property and it was 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 and you may end up paying all or part of any settlement reached.

N.B.: If exhibitors require rails to divide pens, we advise that they should bring their own stock.

Judging starts at 10am

Closing date for all hardcopy entries is : Tuesday 1st July 2025

Closing date for all online entries is: Friday 4th July 2025

No entries accepted on Show Day.

TEXEL

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

Prizes: 1st - €50, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €20, 4th - €15 (unless otherwise stated)

Class 300: Texel Ram

Two Shear & Upwards

Sponsors: **Irish Texel Sheep Society**

Class 301: Texel Shearling Ram

Sponsors: **Irish Texel Sheep Society**

Class 302: Texel Ram Lamb

Sponsors: **Irish Texel Sheep Society**

Class 303: Texel Ewe

Two Shear & Upwards

Sponsors: **Irish Texel Sheep Society**

Class 304: Texel Shearling Ewe

Sponsors: **Irish Texel Sheep Society**

Class 305: Texel Ewe Lamb

Sponsors: **G.H Best**

Class 306: FBD National Livestock Show Texel Champion

Sponsors: **Agri Lloyd, Finglas, Dublin 11**

Prizes: **1st - €120, 2nd - €60**

VENDEEN

Entry Fee: **€10 unless otherwise stated.**

Prizes: **1st - €50, 2nd - €35, 3rd - €20, 4th - €10 (unless otherwise stated)**

Class 309: Vendeen Ram

Two Shear & Upwards

Sponsors: **Charleville Estate, Tullamore**

Class 310: Vendeen Shearling Ram

Sponsors: **C.Brophil & Sons Family Butchers, Tullamore**

Class 311: Vendeen Ram Lamb

Sponsors: **J Grennan & Sons, Rath, Co Offaly**

Class 312: Vendeen Ewe

Two Shear & Upwards

Sponsors: **J Grennan & Sons, Rath, Co Offaly**

Class 313: Vendeen Shearling Ewe

Sponsors: **Irish Vendeen Sheep Society**

Class 314: Vendeen Ewe Lamb

Sponsors: **Ger Coughlan Farm Supplies, Kinnitty, Co Offaly**

Class 315: FBD National Livestock Show Vendeen Champion

Sponsors: **Crystalyx**

Prizes: **1st - €120, 2nd - €60**

Class 316: Group of 3 - 2 Females and 1 Ram

Any age

Sponsors: **Irish Vendeen Sheep Society**

SUFFOLK

Entry Fee: **€10 unless otherwise stated.**

Prizes: **1st - €50, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €20, 4th - €10 (unless otherwise stated)**

Class 319: Suffolk Ram

Shearling & Upwards

Sponsors: **McManus Brothers, Belmont, Birr, Co Offaly**

Class 320: Suffolk Ram Lamb Bred by Exhibitor

Sponsors: **Volac**

Class 321: Suffolk Ewe

Shearling & Upwards

Sponsors: **Suffolk Sheep Society**

Class 322: Suffolk Ewe Lamb

must be breed by the exhibitor.

Sponsors: **Suffolk Sheep Society**

Class 323: FBD National Livestock Show Suffolk Champion

Sponsors: **Michael & John Cole**

Prizes: 1st - €120, 2nd - €60

CHAROLLAIS

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

Class 324: Charollais Young Handlers

12 years old and younger

Sponsors: **Irish Charollais Sheep Society**

Prizes: 1st - Rosettes 1st-6th and Merchandise 1st-6th

Class 325: Prime Butchers lamb sired by a Charollais ram

Weighing Over 48 Kilos and Upwards

Sponsors: **Irish Charollais Sheep Society**

Prizes: 1st - €300, 2nd - €200, 3rd - €100, 4th - €50, 5th - €50, 6th - €50

Class 331: Prime Factory lamb sired by a Charollais ram

Weighing up to 48 Kilos

Sponsors: **Irish Charollais Sheep Society**

Prizes: 1st - €300, 2nd - €200, 3rd - €100, 4th - €50, 5th - €50, 6th - €50

Class 326: Charollais Ram

Shearling & Upwards

Sponsors: **Dolan Farm Supplies,**

Prizes: 1st - €50, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €20, 4th - €10

Class 327: Charollais Ram Lamb

Sponsors: **G.H Best**

Prizes: 1st - €50, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €20, 4th - €10

Class 328: Charollais Ewe

Shearling & Upwards

Sponsors: **IFA**

Prizes: 1st - €50, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €20, 4th - €10

Class 329: National Champion Pair of Charollais Ewe Lambs

- Must be Bred by Exhibitor

Sponsors: **Irish Charollais Sheep Society**

Prizes: 1st - €200 and National Champion Rosette and Sash, 2nd - €100, 3rd - €50

Class 330: FBD National Livestock Show Charollais Champion

Sponsors: **FRS Fencing, Roscrea, Co Tipperary**

Prizes: 1st - €120, 2nd - €60

ROUGE DE L'OUEST

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

Prizes: 1st - €50, 2nd - €25, 3rd - €20, 4th - €10 (unless otherwise stated)

Class 333: Crossbred Rouge de l'Ouest Ewe Lamb

Sponsors: **Irish Rouge de l'Ouest Sheep Society**

Class 334: Crossbred Rouge de l'Ouest Shearling Ewe and upwards

Sponsors: **IFA**

Class 335: Rouge de l'Ouest Ram

Shearling and Upwards

Sponsors: **Seamus Dooley, Dooley Wools**

Class 336: Rouge de l'Ouest Ram Lamb

Sponsors: **Irish Rouge de l'Ouest Sheep Society**

Class 337: Rouge de l'Ouest Senior Sucked Ewe

2 Years and upwards.

Sponsors: **Irish Rouge de l'Ouest Sheep Society**

Class 338: Rouge de l'Ouest All Ireland Shearling Ewe Championship

Sponsors: **Wrafter Family, Kilbeggan**

Prizes: 1st - €100 and All Ireland Champion Rosette and Sash, 2nd - €60, 3rd - €40, 4th - €30, 5th - €20

Class 339: Rouge de l'Ouest All Ireland Ewe Lamb Championship

Sponsors: **IFAC, Tullamore**

Prizes: 1st - €100 and All Ireland Champion Rosette and Sash, 2nd - €60, 3rd - €40, 4th - €30, 5th - €20

Class 340: Rouge de l'Ouest Female Champion

Sponsors: **Agri Lloyd, Finglas, Dublin 11**

Prizes: 1st - Champion Rosette

Class 341: FBD National Livestock Show Rouge de l'Ouest Champion

Sponsors: **Anthony Maher, Clonaslee**

Prizes: 1st - €120, 2nd - €60

GALWAY

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

Prizes: 1st - €50, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €20, 4th - €10 (unless otherwise stated)

Class 342: Galway Ram

Shearling and Upwards

Sponsors: **Galway Sheepbreeders Association**

Class 343: Galway Ram Lamb

Sponsors: **Galway Sheepbreeders Association**

Class 344: Galway Ewe

Shearling and Upwards

Sponsors: **Galway Sheepbreeders Association**

Class 345: Galway Ewe Lamb

Sponsors: **Galway Sheepbreeders Association**

Class 346: Galway Novice Ewe Lamb

Sponsors: **Galway Sheepbreeders Association**

Class 347: FBD National Livestock Show Galway Champion

Sponsors: **Galway Sheepbreeders Association**

Prizes: 1st - €120, 2nd - €60

BELTEX

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

Prizes: 1st - €50, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €20, 4th - €10 (unless otherwise stated)

Class 348: Beltex Senior Ram

Sponsors: **Beltex Sheep Society**

Class 349: Beltex Shearling Ram

Sponsors: **Beltex Sheep Society**

Class 350: Beltex Ram Lamb

Sponsors: **Beltex Sheep Society**

Class 351: Beltex Senior Ewe

Sponsors: **Anthony Maher, Clonaslee**

Class 352: Beltex Shearling Ewe

Sponsors: **Beltex Sheep Society**

Class 353: Beltex Ewe Lamb

Sponsors: **Beltex Sheep Society**

Class 354: FBD National Livestock Show Beltex Champion

Sponsors: **J Grennan & Sons, Rath, Co Offaly**

Prizes: 1st - €120, 2nd - €60

JACOB

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

Prizes: 1st - €50, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €20, 4th - €10 (unless otherwise stated)

Class 355: Jacob Ram

Shearling and Upwards

Sponsors: **Carriganassa Racing Yard**

Class 356: Jacob Ram Lamb

Sponsors: **Ballinasloe Mart**

Class 357: Jacob Shearling Ewe

Sponsors: **Kehoe Brothers Machinery**

Class 358: Jacob Ewe

2 Years Old and upwards

Sponsors: **Dialacom, Tullamore**

Class 359: Jacob Ewe Lamb

Sponsors: **Irish Casing Company**

Class 360: FBD National Livestock Show Jacob Champion

Sponsors: **Portumna Mart**

Prizes: 1st - €120, 2nd - €60

BELCLARE

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

Prizes: 1st - €50, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €20, 4th - €10 (unless otherwise stated)

Class 363: Belclare Senior Ram

Two Shear and Upwards

Sponsors: **Belclare Sheep Society**

Class 364: Belclare Hogget Ram

Sponsors: **Belclare Sheep Society**

Class 365: Belclare Ram Lamb

Sponsors: **Cafe 4 U, Bridge Centre**

Class 366: Belclare Senior Ewe

Two Shear and Upwards

Sponsors: **Atkins Farm Machinery**

Class 367: Belclare Hogget Ewe

Sponsors: **Belclare Sheep Society**

Class 368: Belclare Ewe Lamb

Sponsors: **Belclare Sheep Society**

Class 369: FBD National Livestock Show Belclare Champion

Sponsors: **Animal Pharmacy, Ballyfin, Portlaoise, Co. Laois**

Prizes: 1st - €120, 2nd - €60

WELSH LLEYN

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

All Ireland

Prizes: 1st - €60, 2nd - €40, 3rd - €30, 4th - €20 (unless otherwise stated)

Class 372: National Lleyn Ram Shearling

Sponsors: **Midland Veterinary, Tullamore**

Class 373: National Lleyn Ewe Shearling

Sponsors: **Chanelle Group**

Class 374: National Lleyn Ram Lamb

Sponsors: **Midland Veterinary, Tullamore**

Class 375: National Lleyn Ewe Lamb

Class 376: National Lleyn Ewe

Two Shear and Upwards

Sponsors: **Laois and Offaly Education & Training Board**

Class 377: National Lleyn Ram

Two Shear and Upwards

Sponsors: **Midland Veterinary, Tullamore**

Class 378: National Lleyn Group of 5 Shearling Ewes

Judged in Pen.

Sponsors: **Covetrus**

Class 379: National Lleyn Group of 3 (2 Females & 1 Male)

Judged in Pen.

Sponsors: **Acravet Ltd**

Class 380: FBD National Livestock Show Lleyn Champion

Sponsors: **Midland Veterinary, Tullamore**

Prizes: 1st - €120, 2nd - €60

ZWARTBLES

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

Prizes: 1st - €50, 2nd - €25, 3rd - €20, 4th - €10 (unless otherwise stated)

Class 381: Zwartbles Early Ewe Lamb

born between 15.12.24 and 28.02.25

Sponsors: **Permanent TSB**

Class 382: Zwartbles Late Ewe Lamb

born on or after 01.03.25

Sponsors: **Man and Beast**

Class 383: Zwartbles Early Ram Lamb

born between 15.12.24 and 28.02.25

Class 384: Zwartbles Late Ram Lamb

born on or after 01.03.25

Sponsors: **Man and Beast**

Class 385: Zwartbles Shearling Ewe

Sponsors: **Man and Beast**

Class 386: Zwartbles Shearling Ram

Sponsors: **Man and Beast**

Class 387: Zwartbles Ewe

Sponsors: **Buckley's Supervalu Birr**

Class 388: Zwartbles Ram

Sponsors: **Man and Beast**

Class 389: FBD National Livestock Show Zwartbles Champion

Sponsors: **Fitzpatrick Garages**

Prizes: 1st - €120, 2nd - €60

BORDER LEICESTER

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

Prizes: 1st - €50, 2nd - €20, 3rd - €10 (unless otherwise stated)

Class 390: Border Leicester Ram

Shearling & Upwards

Sponsors: **South of Ireland Border Leicester Sheep Society**

Class 391: Border Leicester Ewe

Shearling & Upwards

Sponsors: **South of Ireland Border Leicester Sheep Society**

Class 392: Border Leicester Ewe Lamb

Sponsors: **South of Ireland Border Leicester Sheep Society**

Class 393: Border Leicester Ram Lamb

Sponsors: **South of Ireland Border Leicester Sheep Society**

Class 394: FBD National Livestock Show Border Leicester Champion

Sponsors: **O'Donovan Engineering, Coachford, Co. Cork**

Prizes: 1st - €120, 2nd - €60

BLUE FACED LEICESTER

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

Prizes: 1st - €50, 2nd - €25, 3rd - €20, 4th - €10 (unless otherwise stated)

Class 398: Blue Faced Leicester Shearling Ram

Sponsors: **Blue Faced Leicester Sheep Breeders Association**

Class 399: Blue Faced Leicester Shearling Ewe

Sponsors: **Blue Faced Leicester Sheep Breeders Association**

Class 400: Blue Faced Leicester Ram Lamb

Sponsors: **Blue Faced Leicester Sheep Breeders Association**

Class 401: Blue Faced Leicester Ewe Lamb

Sponsors: **Blue Faced Leicester Sheep Breeders Association**

Class 402: FBD National Livestock Show Blue Faced Leicester Champion

Sponsors: **Quinns of Baltinglass**

Prizes: 1st - €120, 2nd - €60

PROGENY CLASS

MULE CLASSES

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

Class 403: Mule Hoggot Ewe Progeny Out of Blue Faced Leicester Ram

Sponsors: **Blue Faced Leicester Sheep Breeders Association**

Prizes: 1st - €50, 2nd - €25, 3rd - €20, 4th - €10

Class 404: Mule Ewe Lamb Progeny Out Of Blue Faced Leicester Ram

Sponsors: **Blue Faced Leicester Sheep Breeders Association**

Prizes: 1st - Perpetual Cup and €50, 2nd - €25, 3rd - €20, 4th - €10

1st place - Perpetual Cup

STOCKPERSON

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

Class 395: Junior Stockperson of the Sheep Section

Rules & Conditions

1. Exhibitors must exhibit a pedigree or commercial sheep.
2. Exhibitors must be 16 or under on the day of the Show.
3. Proof of age must be available.

Sponsors: **Irish Country Meats (ICM)**

Prizes: 1st - €75, 2nd - €50, 3rd - €30, 4th - €20

LANARK

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

All Ireland

Prizes: 1st - €50, 2nd - €25, 3rd - €15, 4th - €10 (unless otherwise stated)

Class 405: National Lanark Ewe Lamb

Sponsors: **Sheepproducts.ie**

Class 406: National Lanark Hoggot Ewe

Sponsors: **South Of Ireland Lanark Sheep Breeders**

Class 407: National Lanark Aged Ewe

Sponsors: **Gerry Rice Scanning**

Class 408: National Lanark Ram Lamb

Sponsors: **Goss Fly Screens**

Class 409: National Lanark Shearling Ram

Sponsors: **Applied Concepts Ltd, Birr, Co Offaly**

Class 410: National Lanark Aged Ram

Sponsors: **Cafe 4 U, Bridge Centre**

Class 424: FBD National Livestock Show Lanark Champion

Sponsors: **Castlepaints**

Prizes: 1st - €120, 2nd - €60

IRISH DUTCH SPOTTED SHEEP

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.
Prizes: 1st - €50, 2nd - €25, 3rd - €20, 4th - €10 (unless otherwise stated)

Class 411: Irish Dutch spotted Ram Shearling and older

Sponsors: Irish Dutch Spotted Sheep Association

Class 412: Irish Dutch spotted Ewe Shearling and older

Sponsors: Irish Dutch Spotted Sheep Association

Class 413: Irish Dutch Spotted Ram Lamb

Sponsors: Irish Dutch Spotted Sheep Association

Class 414: Irish Dutch Spotted Ewe Lamb

Sponsors: Irish Dutch Spotted Sheep Association

Class 415: FBD National Livestock Show Irish Dutch Spotted Champion

Sponsors: Quinns of Baltinglass

Prizes: 1st - €120, 2nd - €60

BLUE TEXEL

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.
Prizes: 1st - €50, 2nd - €25, 3rd - €20, 4th - €10 (unless otherwise stated)

Class 416: Blue Texel Ram Lamb

Sponsors: Irish Blue Texel Sheep Society

Class 417: Blue Texel Ewe Lamb

Sponsors: Irish Blue Texel Sheep Society

Class 418: Blue Texel Shearling ewe or older

Sponsors: Irish Blue Texel Sheep Society

Class 419: Blue Texel Shearling ram or older

Sponsors: Irish Blue Texel Sheep Society

Class 420: FBD National Livestock Show Blue Texel Champion

Sponsors: Irish Farmers Journal

Prizes: 1st - €120, 2nd - €60

DASSENKOP SHEEP

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.
Prizes: 1st - €50, 2nd - €25, 3rd - €20, 4th - €10 (unless otherwise stated)

Class 421: Dassenkop Female any age

Sponsors: Tullamore Credit Union

Class 422: Dassenkop Male any age

Sponsors: Mellotte O'Carroll Solicitors

Class 423: FBD National Livestock Show Dassenkop Sheep Champion

Sponsors: **The Office Centre, Tullamore**

Prizes: 1st - €120, 2nd - €60

COMMERCIAL SHEEP

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

Prizes: 1st - €50, 2nd - €30, 3rd - €20, 4th - €10 (unless otherwise stated)

Class 425: Pedigree Ram

Two Shear and Upwards

Sponsors: **FRS Fencing, Roscrea, Co Tipperary**

Class 426: Pedigree Ram Lamb

Sponsors: **FRS Fencing, Roscrea, Co Tipperary**

Class 427: Pair Ewes (Non-pedigree)

Sponsors: **Portumna Mart**

Class 428: Pair Shearling Ewes (Non-pedigree)

Sponsors: **Cafe 4 U, Bridge Centre**

Class 429: Pair Ewe Lambs (Non-pedigree)

Sponsors: **Ballinasloe Mart**

Class 430: Pair of Butcher's Lambs

Sponsors: **C.Brophil & Sons Family Butchers, Tullamore**

Class 431: Pair Store Lambs

Sponsors: **Offaly Quality Lamb Producers Co-Op**

Class 432: Pair of Factory Lambs Championship

Sponsors: **Offaly Quality Lamb Producers Co-Op**

Prizes: 1st - €140, 2nd - €100, 3rd - €70, 4th - €40, 5th - €30, 6th - €20

Class 433: FBD National Livestock Show Commercial Champion

Sponsors: **Irish Country Meats (ICM)**

Prizes: 1st - €120, 2nd - €60

SWALEDALE SHEEP

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

All Ireland

Prizes: 1st - €50, 2nd - €25, 3rd - €15, 4th - €10 (unless otherwise stated)

Class 512: National Swaledale Ewe Lamb

Sponsors: **Swaledale Sheep Breeders Association**

Class 513: National Swaledale Hoggot Ewe

Sponsors: **Swaledale Sheep Breeders Association**

Class 514: National Swaledale Aged Ewe

Sponsors: **Swaledale Sheep Breeders Association**

Class 515: National Swaledale Ram Lamb

Sponsors: **Swaledale Sheep Breeders Association**

Class 516: National Swaledale Shearling Ram

Sponsors: **Permanent TSB**

Class 517: National Swaledale Aged Ram

Sponsors: **Chanelle Group**

Class 518: FBD National Livestock Show Swaledale Champion

Sponsors: **Tullamore Credit Union**

Prizes: **1st - €120, 2nd - €60**

SCOTCH BLACKFACE

Entry Fee: **€10 unless otherwise stated.**

Prizes: **1st - €50, 2nd - €25, 3rd - €20, 4th - €10 (unless otherwise stated)**

Class 437: Scotch Blackface Ewe Lamb

Sponsors: **Munster Scotch Blackface Association**

Class 438: Scotch Blackface Ram Lamb

Sponsors: **Buckley's Supervalu Birr**

Class 439: Scotch Blackface Hogget Ewe

Sponsors: **Munster Scotch Blackface Association**

Class 442: Scotch Blackface Aged Ewe

Sponsors: **Munster Scotch Blackface Association**

Class 440: Scotch Blackface Hogget/Aged Ram

Sponsors: **Munster Scotch Blackface Association**

Class 441: FBD National Livestock Show Scotch Blackface Champion

Sponsors: **Permanent TSB**

Prizes: **1st - €120, 2nd - €60**

4* OR 5* MULTI BREED RAM CLASSES

Entry Fee: **€10 unless otherwise stated.**

Prizes: **1st - €140, 2nd - €100, 3rd - €60 (unless otherwise stated)**

Class 528: 4* or 5* Multi-Breed Shearling Ram and Upwards

This Class is open to all Genotype 4* or 5* Shearling Rams and Upwards

Full tag Number must be submitted with entry to ensure that genotype rating can be verified.

Sponsors: **Irish Country Meats (ICM)**

Class 529: 4* or 5* Multi-Breed Ram Lamb

This Class is open to all Genotype 4* or 5* Ram Lamb

Full tag Number must be submitted with entry to ensure that genotype rating can be verified.

Sponsors: **Irish Country Meats (ICM)**

VALAIS BLACKNOSE

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

Prizes: 1st - €50, 2nd - €25, 3rd - €15, 4th - €10 (unless otherwise stated)

Class 361: Valais Blacknose Ewe Lamb

Born on/after 1st Jan 2025

Sponsors: **Irish Valais Blacknose Sheep Society**

Class 362: Valais Blacknose Ram Lamb

Born on/after 1st Jan 2025

Sponsors: **Mileage Tyres Services, Mullingar**

Class 370: FBD National Livestock Show Valais Blacknose Champion

Sponsors: **Fitzpatrick Garages**

Prizes: 1st - €100, 2nd - €80