



# SHEEP SECTION



Entry Fee: £5 (unless otherwise stated)

Prizes: 1<sup>st</sup> £13, 2<sup>nd</sup> 10, 3<sup>rd</sup> £7

Cheques payable to NAAA Ltd

PLEASE NOTE: ALL SHEEP MUST COMPLY WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TAIL DOCKING REGULATIONS.

PLEASE NOTE ALL DRIVERS OUTSIDE A RADIUS OF 65KM MUST HAVE ANIMAL TRANSPORTER AUTHORISATION CERTIFICATE.

## Sheep Young Handler Classes

Kindly sponsored by STEELE FARM SUPPLIES

Starts At 1pm

Entries on the field: £5. Prizes: 1<sup>st</sup> £30, 2<sup>nd</sup> £20, 3<sup>rd</sup> £15

Judge: John Barclay

Class	200	BALLYMONEY SHOW Young Sheep Handlers Competition, 7 and under	Open to those aged 7 or under on day of show. Need to be accompanied by an adult.
Class	201	BALLYMONEY SHOW Young Sheep Handlers Competition, 8 - 14	Open to those aged 8 - 14 on day of the show.
Class	202	CLOGHER VALLEY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY PRESENT THE CYDECTIN YOUNG HANDLERS SHEEP QUALIFIER	Sponsor to be confirmed. Rules: 1. Three young handlers can qualify (if not already qualified at a previous show) 2. The handler can use any breed of sheep 3. All qualifiers will receive a qualifying rosette and plaque at Clogher Valley Show 4. This event is open to those aged 8 - 14 at the date of the final. 5. Winner will receive the Robin Wylie Perpetual Cup & Cydectin Challenge Shield & Prizes. Qualifying shows: Ballymena, Ballymoney, Lurgan, Armagh, Saintfield, Omagh, Limavady, Castlewellan & Clogher Valley. FINAL: CLOGHER VALLEY SHOW: Wednesday, 26 <sup>th</sup> July 2023

## Sheep Interbreed Special Prizes

Judge: John Barclay

Special Prize	S90	<b>SHEEP INTERBREED COMPETITION.</b> Champion in each breed eligible. Kindly sponsored by <b>JOHN McELDERRY LTD</b> £200 sponsorship to be divided as follows - Supreme Champion £80; Reserve Champion £55; 3rd £40; 4th £25. ROBERT W. HANNA MEMORIAL PERPETUAL TROPHY for Supreme Champion Sheep Exhibit
Special Prize	S91	<b>Champion Pedigree Ram Lamb</b> - All Breeds. Kindly sponsored by <b>FARMCARE PRODUCTS</b> All 1st Prize Winners eligible - 1st £25; 2nd £15; 3rd £10.
Special Prize	S92	<b>Champion Ewe Lamb</b> - All Breeds. Kindly sponsored by <b>FARMCARE PRODUCTS</b> All 1st Prize Winners eligible - 1st £25; 2nd £15; 3rd £10.
Special Prize	S93	<b>DANSKE BANK / NISA SHEEP CHAMPIONSHIP 2023</b> For the best ewe, any breed, any age, having reared a lamb in 2023. All exhibitors wishing to qualify for the Danske Bank / Northern Ireland Shows Association Sheep Championship Final must enter the name / breed of their animal(s) and exhibitor details with the Qualifying Show. The Qualifiers for the Championship will be the first and second prize winners in the Danske Bank / NISA class. This qualifying class is open to all ewe's, any breed, any age, having reared a lamb in 2023, at Ballymoney Show, which has not already qualified for the Final. Stewards will enquire from the qualifying Exhibitors if it is their intention to be present at Antrim Show on Saturday, 22 <sup>nd</sup> July 2023 for the final. In the event of the Qualifiers not wishing to attend the Championship, then the Judge will be asked to identify further qualifying animals. Qualifying Exhibitors who do not appear at the Championship may be disqualified from competing in Championships organized by NISA in 2024, unless good reason is given for such nonattendance.

		<p>No Exhibitor may qualify more than two exhibits for the Championship. Animals cannot qualify for the Championship in sheep classes at Antrim Show.</p> <p>NISA will present special rosettes to the Exhibitors of both qualifying animals at each Qualifying Show. Each animal forward at the Championship will be paid attendance money of £20.</p> <p><b>Prizes at the Final: 1st Prize £300 plus Crystal Trophy and Sash, 2nd Prize £200, 3rd Prize £100, 4th Prize £50.</b> (The above prize monies include the £20 attendance monies).</p> <p>Prize money will be forwarded, by cheque, to the named exhibitor at the address notified to the Qualifying Show. It is important that details of the exhibitor, animal, address, contact details, are correct.</p> <p>The Qualifying Shows are: Ballymoney, Lurgan, Armagh, Saintfield, Ballymena, Newry, Omagh, Castlewellan and Co Londonderry.</p>
Special Prize	S94	<p><b>MOST SUCCESSFUL SHEEP EXHIBITOR AWARD.</b> Kindly sponsored by <b>ANDERSON GILLAN BARR SOLICITORS.</b> £120 to be divided as follows: 1st £60; 2nd £40; 3rd £20. These prizes going to the exhibitors gaining the most points in all sheep classes excluding special classes. The scoring to be 7 points for 1st, 4 points for 2nd, and 2 points for 3rd.</p>
Special Prize	S95	<p><b>BALLYMONEY SHOW YOUNG SHEEP HANDLERS CUP</b> for Best Young Sheep Handler Kindly Presented by the Barr Family, Kells, Ballymena</p>

## NI Continental Sheep Final

Class	203	<p><b>THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION &amp; CLOGHER VALLEY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY PRESENT The Northern Ireland Continental Sheep Final For Ewe or Ram Any Age</b> Sponsored By: Clogher Valley Show &amp; Danske Bank. Prize Fund: £500 <b>Entry fee: To qualifying show £3, to final £5</b> <b>Prizes: Champion £200, Reserve £100, 3<sup>rd</sup> £75, 4<sup>th</sup> £50, 5<sup>th</sup> to 7<sup>th</sup> £25</b> RULES AND CONDITIONS 1. Competition confined to Continental Ewe or Ram any age. 2. Three exhibitors to qualify 3 sheep for the final. 3. An exhibitor may only qualify (max) three sheep for the final Qualifying shows: Armagh, Ballymoney, Castlewellan, Lurgan, Omagh &amp; Saintfield. FINAL: CLOGHER VALLEY SHOW: Wednesday, 26<sup>th</sup> July 2023</p>
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## Beltex

Kindly Sponsored by BANK OF IRELAND

Judge: Eric Mackey

Class	204	Ram any age
Class	205	Ewe two shear and upwards having reared a lamb in 2023
Class	206	Shearling ewe
Class	207	Ram lamb
Class	208	Ewe lamb
Class	209	Pair of lambs (1 ewe and 1 ram), must be entered in eligible classes
Special Prize	S96	<b>BELTEX CHAMPION</b> £20, Reserve £10

## Blackface (Lanark Type)

Kindly Sponsored by MOORE'S ANIMAL FEEDS LTD

Judge: Mike Grant

Class	210	Ram two shear and upwards
Class	211	Shearling ram
Class	212	Ewe any age rearing lambs
Class	213	Shearling ewe
Class	214	Ram lamb
Class	215	Ewe lamb
Class	216	Pair of lambs (1 ewe and 1 ram), must be entered in eligible classes
Special Prize	S97	MOORE'S ANIMAL FEEDS kindly present the <b>BLACKFACE LANARK CHAMPION</b> £20, Reserve £10

# Blackface (Perth Type)

Judge: Joseph Grant

Class	217	Ram two shear and upwards
Class	218	Shearling ram
Class	219	Ewe any age rearing lambs
Class	220	Shearling ewe
Class	221	Ram lamb
Class	222	Ewe lamb
Class	223	Pair of lambs (1 ewe and 1 ram), must be entered in eligible classes
Special Prize	S98	<b>BLACKFACE PERTH CHAMPION</b> £20, Reserve £10 THE JOHN KENNEDY CUP for Champion Blackface (won outright in 1984 by John Crawford Esq, JP and kindly represented in 1985)

# Blue Faced Leicester

Kindly Sponsored by ULSTER BANK LTD

This show counts towards the Show Points Special, kindly sponsored by Ulster Bank Ltd

Judge: Kieran McGrath

Class	224	Ram two shear and upwards
Class	225	Shearling ram
Class	226	Ewe two years and over
Class	227	Ewe one year old
Class	228	Ram lamb
Class	229	Ewe lamb
Class	230	Pair of lambs (1 ewe and 1 ram dropped in 2023 and entered in eligible Classes)
Class	231	Group of 3 lambs born in current year, all entered in eligible classes and include one opposite sex
Special Prize	S99	ULSTER BANK LTD kindly present the <b>BLUE FACED LEICESTER CHAMPION</b> £20, Reserve £10 THE YOUNG PERPETUAL CHALLENGE CUP kindly presented by R Young & Co, Glasgow and FA McCaughan, Ballycastle for the Champion Exhibit.

# Blue Texel

Kindly sponsored by McCARROLL PLANT HIRE

Judge: Dwayne Shiels

Class	232	Ram any age
Class	233	Ewe any age
Class	234	Shearling ewe
Class	235	Ram lamb
Class	236	Ewe lamb
Class	237	Pair of lambs (1 ewe and 1 ram), must be entered in eligible Classes
Special Prize	S100	MCCARROLL PLANT HIRE kindly present the <b>BLUE TEXEL CHAMPION</b> £20, Reserve £10

# Border Leicester (Pedigree)

Kindly Sponsored by FINVOY TYRE SERVICES

Judge: Morris Breen

Class	238	Ram any age
Class	239	Ewe any age with lamb or lambs at foot
Class	240	Gimmer
Class	241	Ram lamb
Class	242	Ewe lamb
Class	243	Pair of lambs (1 ewe and 1 ram dropped in 2023 and entered in eligible Classes)
Special Prize	S101	FINVOY TYRES kindly present the <b>BORDER LEICESTER CHAMPION</b> £20, Reserve £10 THE JAMES CLOW & CO LTD CUP presented to the Champion Border Leicester
Special Prize	S102	BORDER LEICESTER EXHIBITOR OF THE YEAR AWARD. This show qualifies for the above reward. The winner of this competition is announced at the AGM in September (BLSB).

# Charollais

Kindly sponsored by K W SUPPLIES

Judge: David Anderson

Class	244	Shearling ram and older
Class	245	Ewe two shear and upwards, having reared a lamb in 2023
Class	246	Shearling ewe
Class	247	Ram lamb
Class	248	Ewe lamb
Class	249	Group of three (only one animal from each class allowed and must have been entered in class)
Special Prize	S103	K W Supplies kindly present the <b>CHAROLLAIS CHAMPION</b> £20, Reserve £10 KANE & MCPHERSON PERPETUAL CHALLENGE CUP kindly presented for the Champion Charollais

# Dorset

Kindly sponsored by HVS ANIMAL HEALTH

Judge: Steven Lyons

Class	250	Ram, any age
Class	251	Ewe, any age
Class	252	Shearling ewe
Class	253	Ram lamb
Class	254	Ewe lamb
Class	255	Pair of lambs (1 ewe and 1 ram) entered in eligible Classes
Class	256	Group of Three - with no more than one entry from any class
Special Prize	S104	HVS ANIMAL HEALTH kindly present vouchers to the <b>DORSET CHAMPION</b> £20, Reserve £10 THE DORSET HORN AND POLL DORSET SHEEP BREEDERS ASSOCIATION PERPETUAL CUP for the Champion Dorset

# Dutch Spotted Texel

Kindly Sponsored by S M Motors, Ballymoney

Judge: Dwayne Shiels

Class	257	Ram any age
Class	258	Ewe any age
Class	259	Shearling ewe
Class	260	Ram lamb
Class	261	Ewe lamb
Class	262	Pair of lambs (1 ewe and 1 ram), must be entered in eligible classes
Special Prize	S105	S M Motors kindly present the <b>DUTCH SPOTTED TEXEL CHAMPION</b> £20, Reserve £10

# Greyface

Judge: Morris Breen

Class	263	Ewe 2 years and over, suckling lamb or lambs
Class	264	Ewe 1 year old dry and unsuckled
Class	265	Ewe 1 year old suckling lamb
Class	266	Ewe lamb
Class	267	Pair of ewe lambs (each must be entered in the ewe lamb class)
Special Prize	S106	<b>GREYFACE CHAMPION</b> £20, Reserve £10

# Hampshire Down

All sheep, shearing and older should be shorn bare after the 1st April

Judge: John Mercer

Class	268	Ewe any age
Class	269	Ram, any age
Class	270	Ewe lamb
Class	271	Ram lamb
Class	272	Pair of lambs (1 ewe and 1 ram), must be entered in eligible Classes
Special Prize	S107	<b>HAMPSHIRE DOWN CHAMPION</b> £20, Reserve £10

# Ile de France

Judge: David Anderson

Class	273	Ram, any age
Class	274	Ewe, any age
Class	275	Shearling ewe
Class	276	Ram lamb
Class	277	Ewe lamb
Class	278	Pair of lambs (1 ewe and 1 ram), must be entered in eligible Classes
Special Prize	S108	<b>ILE DE FRANCE CHAMPION</b> £20, Reserve £10

# Kerryhill

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Only sheep eligible for registration or registered in the KHFBFS may be shown in these classes.

**Judge: James Barr**

Class	279	Ram, any age
Class	280	Ewe, any age
Class	281	Ram lamb
Class	282	Ewe lamb
Class	283	Pair of lambs (1 ewe and 1 ram), must be entered in eligible Classes
Special Prize	S109	ULSTER BANK LTD kindly present the <b>KERRYHILL CHAMPION</b> £20, Reserve £10

# Lleyn

**Judge: Edward Adamson**

Class	284	Ram, any age
Class	285	Ewe, any age
Class	286	Shearling ewe
Class	287	Ram lamb
Class	288	Ewe lamb
Class	289	Pair of lambs (1 ewe and 1 ram), must be entered in eligible Classes
Special Prize	S110	<b>LLEYN CHAMPION</b> £20, Reserve £10

# Mules

Progeny of Black Face ewes and Blue Faced Leicester rams

**Judge: Kieran McGrath**

Class	290	Ewe 2 shear and upwards having reared a lamb in 2023
Class	291	Shearling ewe
Class	292	Ewe lamb
Class	293	Pair of lambs (must be entered in ewe lamb classes)
Class	294	Blackface Ewe rearing two lambs born in 2023
Special Prize	S111	<b>MULES CHAMPION</b> £20, Reserve £10

# North Country Cheviot

**Judge: Alastair Armstrong**

Class	295	Ram two shear and upwards
Class	296	Shearling ram
Class	297	Ewe any age with lamb or lambs at foot
Class	298	Ewe one year old
Class	299	Ram lamb born in 2023
Class	300	Ewe lamb born in 2023
Class	301	Pair of lambs (1 ewe and 1 ram, must be entered in eligible classes)
Special Prize	S112	<b>NORTH COUNTRY CHEVIOT CHAMPION</b> £20, Reserve £10 THE OLD CASTLE HATCHERY CUP presented to the Champion

# Rouge De L'Ouest

**Judge: Moore Hamilton**

Class	302	Ram any age
Class	303	Ewe two shear and upwards having reared a lamb in 2023
Class	304	Shearling ewe
Class	305	Ram lamb
Class	306	Ewe lamb
Class	307	Pair of lambs (1 ewe and 1 ram) must be entered in eligible classes
Special Prize	S113	<b>ROUGE DE L'OUEST CHAMPION</b> £20, Reserve £10

# Suffolks

**Kindly sponsored by P & T THOMPSON SHEEP BREEDING**

**Judge: Lesley Liggett**

Class	308	Ram two shear and upwards
Class	309	Shearling ram
Class	310	Ewe any age with lamb or lambs at foot
Class	311	Shearling ewe
Class	312	Ram lamb
Class	313	Ewe lamb
Class	314	Pair of lambs (1 ewe and 1 ram), must be entered in eligible Classes
Class	315	Group of 3 lambs born in current year, ear marked and bred by exhibitor. (All must be entered in eligible classes and include one opposite sex)
Special Prize	S114	P & T THOMPSON SHEEP BREEDING kindly present the <b>SUFFOLK CHAMPION</b> £20, Reserve £10 MESSRS CRAIGS OF KILREA PERPETUAL CHALLENGE CUP presented to the Suffolk Champion
Special Prize	S115	THE DUNLOP CUP re-presented 2005 by The McCracken Family for BEST OPPOSITE SEX TO THE CHAMPION SUFFOLK
Special Prize	S116	TOM ROBINSON ESQ, NDA, NDD CRANKILL, BALLYMENA, PERPETUAL CHALLENGE TROPHY for BEST GROUP OF 3 SUFFOLK LAMBS BORN IN CURRENT YEAR
Special Prize	S117	North Antrim & East Londonderry Suffolk Club Perpetual Shields for the CHAMPION & RESERVE SHOW TEAMS. The Club will also award points at this show for the Competition kindly sponsored by John Thompson and Sons. Awards to be presented at Annual Dinner Dance.
Special Prize	S118	SUFFOLK MALE OF THE YEAR - Smith/Kline Trophy
Special Prize	S119	SUFFOLK FEMALE OF THE YEAR - Suffolk Sheep Society NI Branch Trophy

# Texels

**Kindly sponsored by MANOLA FARM SUPPLIES**

All exhibits in this section must not be dressed

**Judge: Jim Currie**

Class	316	Ram any age
Class	317	Ewe any age
Class	318	Shearling ewe
Class	319	Ram lamb
Class	320	Ewe lamb
Class	321	Pair of lambs (1 ewe and 1 ram), must be entered in eligible Classes
Class	322	Pair of hogget ewes with two teeth

Special Prize	S120	<b>TEXEL CHAMPION</b> £20; Reserve £10
Special Prize	S121	<b>THE NI TEXEL SHEEP BREEDERS CLUB</b> will present £20 to the Champion Texel and £10 to the best ram lamb (provided it is not already Champion, then the prize passes to the Reserve).
Special Prize	S122	"The Natural Stockcare Shearling Ewe Show Champion & Reserve Award" will be presented to the First and Second placed Shearling Ewes at Ballymoney Show. Points may be gained in all the classes, which will be counted towards the Natural Stockcare Texel Show Flock Competition.

## Valais Blacknose

**Judge: Geoffrey Ringland**

Class	323	Ram any age
Class	324	Ewe any age
Class	325	Shearling ewe
Class	326	Ram lamb
Class	327	Ewe lamb
Class	328	Pair of lambs (1 ewe and 1 ram), must be entered in eligible Classes
Special Prize	S123	<b>VALAIS BLACKNOSE CHAMPION</b> £20; Reserve £10

## Zwartbles

**Judge: Sam Watson**

Class	329	Ram any age
Class	330	Ewe any age
Class	331	Shearling ewe
Class	332	Ram lamb
Class	333	Ewe lamb
Class	334	Pair of lambs (1 ewe and 1 ram), must be entered in eligible Classes
Special Prize	S124	<b>ZWARTBLES CHAMPION</b> £20; Reserve £10

## Butchers Lambs (Non-registered)

Animals in this section are not eligible for entry in any other section

**Judge: David Anderson**

Class	335	Single lamb born in 2023
Class	336	Pair of lambs born in 2023 (both must be entered in previous Class)
Special Prize	S125	Hunter Kane & Son kindly present the <b>BUTCHERS LAMBS CHAMPION</b> £20; Reserve £10

## Any Other Pedigree Breed

Open to any breed not already classified in the schedule

**Judge: Sam Watson**

Class	337	Ram, any age
Class	338	Ewe, any age
Class	339	Ram lamb
Class	340	Ewe lamb
Special Prize	S126	<b>ANY OTHER PEDIGREE BREED CHAMPION</b> £20; Reserve £10