

1970 Ballyshannon Agricultural Show Results

The Revived 17th Annual Show took place on Wednesday 9th September 1970 at Ballyshannon Livestock Mart, Ballyshannon, Co. Donegal.

Note: Addresses or townlands are in Ballyshannon area unless otherwise stated.

Special Prize/Cups:

The Atkinson Perpetual Challenge Cup awarded for the highest total marks in Cattle Section:– Joseph Morrow – Abbey House, Ballyshannon

Macra na Feirme Perpetual Challenge Cup (for best Horse in the show):- Robert J. Davis – Cloughroe, Ballybofey

Licensed Traders Cup (best shorthorn type heifer):- Irvine Kerrigan – Tubber, Cavangarden

Dairymans Cup (for best Dairy Cow in show):- Michael Dolan – Portnason, Ballyshannon

Macra na Feirme Cup (for best calf non pedigree):- Patrick J. Slevin – Forthwilliam, Ballyshannon

Grocer's Cup (for best butchers beast): Michael McGrath - Ard-na-Graine, Portnason, Ballyshannon

Blackface Sheep Challenge Cup:- James Graham - Ballintra

Silver Medal for Best exhibit in the Hereford Section:- Dr J.W. Wray – Ballyholey, Raphoe

HORSES

Class – Cob 3-years old and upward suitable for ridding or driving:

1st Mrs R.S. O'Donnell – Beever, Brookhill House, Kinlough, Co. Leitrim

2nd Mrs Jean Davis – Cloughroe, Ballybofey

3rd Mr Norman Davis – Cloughroe, Ballybofey

Class – Colt or Filly likely to make a farm horse (not exceeding three years):

1st Mrs Jean Davis – Cloughroe, Ballybofey

2nd Mr Brendan McGowan – Cluain Barron, Ballyshannon

3rd Mr Thomas Daly - Kildoney

Class – Farm Mare 4-years old and up:

1st Mr Robert J. Davis – Cloughroe, Ballybofey

2nd Mr Wm. J. Davis – Cloughroe, Ballybofey

Class – Farm Gelding 4-years old and up:

1st Mr John Eillott – Forte House, Garrison, Co. Fermanagh

2nd Mr William J. Kennedy – Carrenagh, Letterkenny

3rd Mr John Eillott – Forte House, Garrison, Co. Fermanagh

Class – Ponies (mare or gelding), not exceeding 13.2 hand:

1st Mrs R.S. O'Donnell – Beever, Brookhill House, Kinlough, Co. Leitrim

2nd Mr G.J. Ormand – Lareen, Kinlough, Co. Leitrim

3rd Mr G.J. Ormand – Lareen, Kinlough, Co. Leitrim

Class – Ponies (mare or gelding), over 13.2 hand and not exceeding 14.2 hand:

- 1st Mr G.J. Ormand – Lareen, Kinlough, Co. Leitrim
2nd Mr G.J. Ormand – Lareen, Kinlough, Co. Leitrim

Class – Foal (suitable for Farm Work):

- 1st Mr Robert J. Davis – Cloughroe, Ballybofey
2nd Mr Wm. J. Davis – Cloughroe, Ballybofey
3rd Mr Norman Davis – Cloughroe, Ballybofey

Class – Broad Mare with foal at foot:

- 1st Mr Norman Davis – Cloughroe, Ballybofey
2nd Mr Wm. J. Davis – Cloughroe, Ballybofey

Class – Best Donkey:

- 1st Miss Ann M. Barron - Ballymacgroarty
2nd Mr Wm. Johnston – Main Street, Ballyshannon
3rd Mr Wm. Patterson – Ballinacarrick, Ballyshannon

CATTLE SECTION

PEDIGRE CLASSES

Friesian Cow or Heifer, in calf or in milk

- 1st Mr Cathal Campbell – Portnason, Ballyshannon
2nd Mr Cathal Campbell – Portnason, Ballyshannon
3rd Mr Teddy McShea – Tully, Ballyshannon

Best Friesian Heifer with not more than two teeth:

- 1st Mr Cathal Campbell – Portnason, Ballyshannon
2nd Mr J.J. Vaughan – Portnason, Ballyshannon

Best Friesian Heifer Calf:

- 1st Mr J.J. Vaughan – Portnason, Ballyshannon
2nd Mr Desmond Murphy – “Breamar”, Bundoran

Aberdeen Angus Bull, 1 year old:

- 1st Mr Thomas Dally – The Hill, Kildoney
2nd Mr Thomas Graham – Mullins, Laghey

Aberdeen Angus Cow or Heifer, in calf of milk:

- 1st Mr Thomas Graham – Mullins, Laghey
2nd Mr Thomas Graham – Mullins, Laghey
3rd Mr Joseph Morrow – Abbey House, Ballyshannon

Aberdeen Angus Heifer (with no more than 2 permanent teeth):

- 1st Mr L.I. Griffith – Lowertown, Cavangarden
2nd Mr Thomas Graham – Mullins, Laghey
3rd Mr Joseph Morrow – Abbey House, Ballyshannon

Aberdeen Angus Calf (calved 1970):

- 1st Mr L.I. Griffith – Lowertown, Cavangarden
- 2nd Mr Joseph Morrow – Abbey House, Ballyshannon
- 3rd Mr Thomas Graham – Mullins, Laghey

Hereford Cow or Heifer in calf or in milk:

- 1st Mr L.I. Griffith – Lowertown, Cavangarden
- 2nd Mr L.I. Griffith – Lowertown, Cavangarden
- 3rd Mr Joseph Morrow – Abbey House, Ballyshannon

Hereford Heifer with not more than two teeth:

- 1st Mr Desmond Murphy – “Breamar”, Bundoran
- 2nd Mr Joseph Morrow – Abbey House, Ballyshannon
- 3rd Mr John Vaughan – Portnason, Ballyshannon

Hereford Male Calf, calved 1970

- 1st Dr. J.W. Wray – Ballyholey, Raphoe
- 2nd Mr David Vaughan – Main Street, Ballyshannon
- 3rd Mr L.I. Griffith – Lowertown, Cavangarden

Hereford Heifer Calf, calved 1970

- 1st Mr Joseph Morrow – Abbey House, Ballyshannon
- 2nd Mr David Vaughan – Main Street, Ballyshannon
- 3rd Mr Joseph Morrow – Abbey House, Ballyshannon

OPEN CLASSES

Shorthorn Bull (any age):

- 1st Mr Michael Dolan – Portnason, Ballyshannon
- 2nd Mr John Gavigan – Finner, Ballyshannon
- 3rd Mr John Gavigan – Finner, Ballyshannon

Shorthorn Type Cow, in calf or in milk:

- 1st Mr John Gavigan - Finner, Ballyshannon
- 2nd Mr John Gavigan – Finner, Ballyshannon
- 3rd Mr David Vaughan – Main Street, Ballyshannon

Shorthorn Type Heifer (not more than two permanent teeth):

- 1st Mr John Vaughan – Dunmuckrum, Ballyshannon
- 2nd Mr Michael McGrath & Sons - Ard-na-Graine, Portnason, Ballyshannon
- 3rd Mr Gerry Pye – Redbrae, Tullaghan, Co. Leitrim

Friesian type Cow in calf or milk:

- 1st Mr J.J. Vaughan – Portnason, Ballyshannon
- 2nd Mr J.J. Vaughan – Portnason, Ballyshannon
- 3rd Mr Joseph Morrow – Abbey House, Ballyshannon

Friesian type heifer in calf:

- 1st Mr Michael McGrath & Sons - Ard-na-Graine, Portnason, Ballyshannon
- 2nd Mr J.J. Vaughan – Portnason, Ballyshannon

3rd Mr Michael Dolan – Portnason, Ballyshannon

Friesian type Heifer (not more than two permanent teeth):

1st Mr John Vaughan – Dunmuckrum, Ballyshannon

2nd Mr J.J. Vaughan – Portnason, Ballyshannon

3rd Mr J.J. Vaughan – Portnason, Ballyshannon

Dairy type cow, in calf or milk (other than shorthorn or friesian):

1st Mr Joseph Morrow – Abbey House, Ballyshannon

2nd Mr Teddy McShea – Tully, Ballyshannon

3rd Mr Patrick Dolan – Portnason House, Portnason, Ballyshannon

Bullock (any age):

1st Mr Joseph Morrow – Abbey House, Ballyshannon

2nd Mr Joseph Morrow – Abbey House, Ballyshannon

3rd Mr Joseph Morrow – Abbey House, Ballyshannon

Bullock (not more than two permanent teeth):

1st Mr Joseph Morrow – Abbey House, Ballyshannon

2nd Mr Joseph Morrow – Abbey House, Ballyshannon

3rd Mr Michael McGrath & Sons - Ard-na-Graine, Portnason, Ballyshannon

Bullock (no permanent teeth):

1st Mr Michael McGrath & Sons - Ard-na-Graine, Portnason, Ballyshannon

2nd Mr Michael McGrath & Sons - Ard-na-Graine, Portnason, Ballyshannon

3rd Mr Joseph Morrow – Abbey House, Ballyshannon

Beef Type heifer, any age:

1st Mr Joseph Morrow – Abbey House, Ballyshannon

2nd Mr T. Bailey – Blaney, Enniskillen, Co. Fermanagh

3rd Mr Michael McGrath & Sons - Ard-na-Graine, Portnason, Ballyshannon

Beef Type Heifer (no permanent teeth):

1st Mr T. Bailey – Blaney, Enniskillen, Co. Fermanagh

2nd Mr Michael McGrath & Sons - Ard-na-Graine, Portnason, Ballyshannon

3rd Mr Michael McGrath & Sons - Ard-na-Graine, Portnason, Ballyshannon

CONFINED CLASSES

Dairy Shorthorn Type Cow:

1st Mr John Gavigan – Finner, Ballyshannon

2nd Mr Eddie McDermott – Erne Street, Ballyshannon

3rd Mr John Gavigan – Finner, Ballyshannon

Dairy Shorthorn Type Heifer, in calf:

1st Mr Eddie McDermott – Erne Street, Ballyshannon

2nd Mr Eddie McDermott – Erne Street, Ballyshannon

Dairy Shorthorn Type Heifer, (not more than two permanent teeth):

1st Mr Eddie McDermott – Erne Street, Ballyshannon

- 2nd Mr Eddie McDermott – Erne Street, Ballyshannon
3rd Mr John Gavigan – Finner, Ballyshannon

CALVES SECTION (OPEN)

Shorthorn type Male calf (calved 1970)

- 1st Mr Brendan Dolan – Knather, Ballyshannon
2nd Miss Dinah Kerrigan – Tubber, Cavangarden
3rd Mr L.I. Griffith – Lowertown, Cavangarden

Shorthorn type Female calf (calved 1970):

- 1st Mr Irvine Kerrigan – Tubber, Cavangarden
2nd Mr Irvine Kerrigan – Tubber, Cavangarden
3rd Mr Irvine Kerrigan – Tubber, Cavangarden

Friesian type Heifer calf (calved 1970)

- 1st Mr Gerry Ferguson – Bridge End, Ballyshannon
2nd Mr Michael McGrath & Sons - Ard-na-Graine, Portnason, Ballyshannon

Beef type calf (calved 1970):

- 1st Mr Brendan McGowan – Cluain Barron, Ballyshannon
2nd Mr Patrick Dolan – Portnason House, Portnason, Ballyshannon
3rd Mr Gerry Ferguson – Bridge End, Ballyshannon

CALVES CONFINED

Shorthorn heifer calf (calved 1970):

- 1st Mr Denis Ward – Castlélaken, Ballyshannon

Beef type calf (calved 1970):

- 1st Mr Brendan McGowan – Cluain Barron, Ballyshannon
2nd Mr Denis Ward – Castlélaken, Ballyshannon
3rd Mr Harry McGrory – Donegal Road, Ballyshannon

SHEEP

Ram (Blackface Mountain Breed):

- 1st Mr James Graham – Rathneeny, Laghey
2nd Mr James Graham – Rathneeny, Laghey
3rd Mr James Graham – Rathneeny, Laghey

Yearling Ewe (Blackface Mountain Breed):

- 1st Mr James Graham – Rathneeny, Laghey
2nd Mr James Graham – Rathneeny, Laghey

Aged Ewe (Blackface Mountain Breed):

- 1st Mr Patrick Kelly – Drumrooske, Donegal Town

Pair of Ewes (any other breed):

- 1st Mr A McConnell – Lettergul, St Johnstone

2nd Mr Irvine Kerrigan – Tubber, Ballyshannon
3rd Miss Dinah Kerrigan – Tubber, Ballyshannon

Ram (any other breed):

1st Mr Wm.J. McConnell – Feddyglass, Raphoe
2nd Mr A. McConnell – Lettergul, St. Johnstone
3rd Mr Thomas Daly - Kildoney

Pair of Lambs (any other breed):

1st Mr Thomas Daly - Kildoney
2nd Mr Wm.J. McConnell – Feddyglass, Raphoe
3rd Mr A. McConnell – Lettergul, St. Johnstone

*All results are as published in the Donegal Democrat on 11th September 1970