



BANTRY

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Bantry Agricultural Show

Schedule

Bantry Agricultural Show 2025

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Horses

Brood Mares and Foals

Entry Fee: €12 unless otherwise stated.

Prizes: 1st - €80
2nd - €50
3rd - €30
(unless otherwise stated)

1 Barren or Maiden Mare

2 Light Weight Brood Mare with foal at Foot

Sponsors: **Horse Sport Ireland**
Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine

3 Heavy Weight Brood Mare with Foal at Foot

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4 Irish Draught Mare - Confined to I.D. Class 1 & Class 2 Mares in Foal or with Foal at Foot – Diarmuid Dineen Memorial Cup

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5 Colt Foal - Progeny of Mares Entered in Classes 2, 3 & 4

6 Filly Foal - Progeny of Mares Entered in Classes 2, 3 & 4

7 Qualifier for Irish Draught Foal Championship Final – Bantry Show - Debarred from Classes 5 & 6

8 Qualifier for Irish Draught Colt & Filly Foal Championship Final – Ballinasloe Show

C1 Champion Brood Mare – Ted McSweeney Memorial Cup

Prizes: 1st - €30
2nd - €20

C2 Foal Championship - Joe O Sullivan Memorial Cup

Prizes: 1st - €30
2nd - €20

Young Horses

Entry Fee: €12 unless otherwise stated.

Prizes: 1st - €80
2nd - €50
3rd - €30
(unless otherwise stated)

9 3 Year Old Gelding or Filly Non Thoroughbred - Special Prize for Best Filly if not in First Three

- 10 2 Year Old Gelding or Filly Non Thoroughbred – John McCarthy Trophy
11 Yearling Colt, Gelding or Filly Non Thoroughbred
12 Coloured Horse, Gelding or Filly, to be Led
13 Young Show Persons Class - Horse/Pony - Over 148cm

C3 Champion Young Horse - Coppinger Family Memorial Cup

Entry to this class is free of charge.

Prizes: 1st - €30
2nd - €20

Ridden Hunters

Entry Fee: €12 unless otherwise stated.

Prizes: 1st - €80
2nd - €50
3rd - €30
(unless otherwise stated)

- 14 Heavy Weight Hunter, Gelding or Mare 4 Years Old and Over,
Calculated to Carry 13 Stone 7 lbs. and Upwards
15 Middle Weight Hunter, Gelding or Mare 4 Years Old and Over,
Calculated to Carry 12 Stone 7lbs to 13 Stone 7lbs
16 Light Weight Hunter, Gelding or Mare 4 Years Old and Over,
Calculated to Carry up to 12 Stone 7lbs
17 Small Hunter, Gelding or Mare Exceeding 154cm and Not Exceeding
160cm
18 Maxi Cob – Gelding, Mare 4 years & Over - Exceeding 155cm
19 Cob Not Exceeding 157cm
20 Family Horse Over 148cm - Confined to Exhibitors Who Have Not Been
Placed 1st or 2nd in Any Show in 2025

C4 Champion Hunter of the Show - Tina Murphy Cup

Entry to this class is free of charge.

Prizes: 1st - €30
2nd - €20

KWD €2,000 Irish Draught Foal Munster Championship

Entry to this category is free of charge unless otherwise stated.

C5 KWD Recycling €2,000 Irish Draught Foal Munster Championship

Sponsors: **KWD Recycling**
Bantry Show
Horse Sport Ireland
Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine

Driving

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

Prizes: 1st - €70

2nd - €50

3rd - €30

(unless otherwise stated)

21A Open Driving. Judged on Action, Style, and General Appearance -
Dieter Matthies Perpetual Cup [Entry on the Day]

21B Intermediate Driving. Judged on Turnout and Performance [Entry on
the Day]

21C Cart Class [Entry on the Day]

Pony

Young Handler

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

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

22 7 to Under 13 Years on 1st January of Current Year

23 13 to 17 Years on 1st January of Current Year

Led Pony Section

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

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

24 Show Hunter/Show Pony - 1 Year Old

25 Show Hunter/Show Pony - 2/3 Years Old

26 Pony Brood Mare Not Exceeding 148cm, 4year Old and Over, in Foal or With Foal at Foot by a Pony Stallion Not Exceeding 153cm. Ponies May Only Be Entered Into Class 26 or 32, Not Both

27 Foals Progeny of Mares in Class 26, Sire of Foal to Be Named - Foal to Be Led

28 Welsh Ponies Registered Pure Bred Any Age Colt/Gelding Mare/Filly. Reg. No. Must Be Given on Entry Form

29 Welsh Ponies Registered Part Bred Any Age Colt/Gelding Mare/Filly. Reg. No. Must Be Given on Entry Form

30 Pure Bred Connemara Pony, 4 Years & Older, Mare or Gelding of Any Age to Be Led. Reg. No. Must Be Given on Entry Form

31 Young Stock - Pure Bred Connemara Pony - 1 & 2year Old Colt, Gelding or Filly; 3 Year Old Gelding or Filly Only - Reg No. Must be Given on Entry Form

32 Connemara Pony - Registered Brood Mare - 4 Years and Over - Ponies May Only Be Entered Into Class 26 or 32, Not Both

33 Connemara Foal Any Sex - To Be Led

34 Ponies, Mares, Geldings; 4 Years Older, Not Exceeding 138cm

- 35 Miniature/Shetland Pony, Any Age, Mare, or Gelding
- 36 Registered Kerry Bog Pony – Any age
- 37 Cob - Any Age, Light Weight, or Heavy Weight
- 38 Irish Cob, Traditional Heavily Feathered Type, To Be Led
- 39A Led Championships
Prizes: No prizes listed.
- 39 CONFINED TO BANTRY POSTAL AREA - Ponies 3 Years Old & Over – NO STALLIONS ALLOWED
- 40 Qualifier for the All Ireland Irish Bred Pony Foal Championship – 4 Foals to Be Selected
Entry Fee: €15
- 41 Qualifier for the All Ireland Connemara Three Year Old Filly Championship. 2 Foals to Be Selected
Entry Fee: €15

Ridden Pony

- Entry Fee:* €10 unless otherwise stated.
Prizes: 1st - €40
 2nd - €30
 3rd - €20
 (unless otherwise stated)
- 42 Open Lead Rein Class for Pony Mares or Geldings 4 Years and Over, Not Exceeding 123cm
- 43 Novice Lead Rein Class for Children 10 Years and Under*
- 44 First Ridden Class for Ponies Mares or Geldings 4 Year Old & Over Not Exceeding 123cm*
- 45 Family Pony Not Exceeding 148cm Led or Ridden Confined to Non IPS Members
- 46 Show Pony 128cm Riding Class for Ponies Mares or Geldings 4 Years and Over, Not Exceeding 128cm*
- 47 Show Pony 138cm to 148cm Riding Class for Ponies Mares or Geldings 4 Years and Over, Not Exceeding 148cm*
- 48 Ridden Registered Connemara Mare or Gelding Five Years Old and Upwards
- 49 Irish Cob, Traditional Heavily Feathered Type - To Be Ridden
- 49A Ridden Pony Champion
 Entry to this class is free of charge.

Prizes: No prizes listed.

Ridden Hunter

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

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

50 Open and Novice 143cm to 153cm Hunter Pony Class for Ponies, Mares, or Geldings 4 Years Old and Over, Not Exceeding 153cm*

51 Open and Novice 133cm Hunter Pony Class for Ponies, Mares, or Geldings 4 Years Old and Over, Not Exceeding 133cm*

51A Ridden Hunter Championship

Entry to this class is free of charge.

Prizes: No prizes listed.

Supreme Champion Pony of Bantry Show 2025

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

51B Supreme Champion Pony of Bantry Show

Sponsors: **Bantry Show**

Donkey

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

Prizes: 1st - €40

2nd - €30

3rd - €20

(unless otherwise stated)

52 Donkey to be Led Any Age

53 Donkey Foals to Be Led

54 Donkey & Foal at Foot to be Led

54A Champion Donkey

Sponsors: **Bantry Show**

Prizes: No prizes listed.

Sheep

Scotch

Entry Fee: €5 unless otherwise stated.
Prizes: 1st - €30
2nd - €20
3rd - €10
(unless otherwise stated)

55 Best Ram
Sponsors: **Cronin's Hardware**

56 Best Ewe
Sponsors: **Cronin's Hardware**

57 Best Ram Lamb
Sponsors: **Cronin's Hardware**

58 Best Ewe Lamb
Sponsors: **Cronin's Hardware**

59 Best Hogget Ewe
Sponsors: **Cronin's Hardware**

60 Best Hogget Ram
Sponsors: **Cronin's Hardware**

61 Pair of Ewe lambs
Sponsors: **Cronin's Hardware**

Suffolk

Entry Fee: €5 unless otherwise stated.
Prizes: 1st - €30
2nd - €20
3rd - €10
(unless otherwise stated)

62 Best Ram Any Age
63 Best Ewe
64 Best Ram Lamb
65 Best Ewe Lamb

Dorset

Entry Fee: €5 unless otherwise stated.
Prizes: 1st - €30
2nd - €20
3rd - €10
(unless otherwise stated)

66 Best Dorset Ram
Sponsors: **Cronin's Hardware**

67 Best Dorset Ewe
Sponsors: **Cronin's Hardware**

68 Best Dorset Ram Lamb
Sponsors: **Cronin's Hardware**

69 Best Dorset Ewe Lamb
Sponsors: **Cronin's Hardware**

Texel

Entry Fee: €5 unless otherwise stated.
Prizes: 1st - €30
2nd - €20
3rd - €10
(unless otherwise stated)

70 Best Texel Ram

71 Best Texel Ewe

72 Best Texel Ram Lamb

73 Best Texel Ewe Lamb

Charollais

Entry Fee: €5 unless otherwise stated.
Prizes: 1st - €30
2nd - €20
3rd - €10
(unless otherwise stated)

74 Best Charollais Ewe

75 Best Charollais Ram

Cheviot

Entry Fee: €5 unless otherwise stated.
Prizes: 1st - €30
2nd - €20
3rd - €10
(unless otherwise stated)

76 Best Cheviot Ewe

77 Best Cheviot Ewe Lamb

78 Best Cheviot Ram

Swaledale

Entry Fee: €5 unless otherwise stated.
Prizes: 1st - €30
2nd - €20
3rd - €10
(unless otherwise stated)

79 Best Swaledale Ram Any Age

80 Best Swaledale Ewe

81 Best Swaledale Ewe Lamb

82 Best Swaledale Ram Lamb

Overall Supreme Champion of Bantry Show - John Pyburn Memorial Cup

Entry to this category is free of charge unless otherwise stated.

83 Open to All 1st Place Winners

Sponsors: **Pyburn Family**
Prizes: 1st - €70
2nd - €30

Special Classes

Entry Fee: €5 unless otherwise stated.
Prizes: 1st - €30
2nd - €20
3rd - €10
(unless otherwise stated)

84 Butcher Lambs - Pen of 3/5 Lambs

85 Best Pen of Ewe Lambs - Any Breed - 3/6 Lambs

Children Handling Classes

Entry to this category is free of charge unless otherwise stated.

86 Children's Handling Class for a Lamb of Any Breed

Entry Fee: €5

Prizes: 1st - medal
2nd - medal
3rd - medal

€500 Champion Suffolk Ram of Bantry Show - Special Suffolk Ram Class

Entry Fee: €8 unless otherwise stated.

Sponsors: **Bantry Hire & Sales**

87 Best Suffolk Ram

Prizes: 1st - €300
2nd - €50
3rd - €50
4th - €20
5th - €20
6th - voucher value €20
7th - voucher value €20
8th - voucher value €20

€1,000 All Ireland Crossbred Breeding Ewe Championship

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

Sponsors: **Bantry Credit Union**

88 Best Crossbred Breeding Ewe

Entry Fee: €15

Prizes: 1st - €300
2nd - €200
3rd - €150
4th - €100
5th - €75
6th - €50
7th - €50
8th - €25
9th - €25
10th - €25

€1,000 All Ireland Scotch Ram Final

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

89 Best Scotch Ram

Sponsors: **Bantry Tyre Centre**

Prizes:

1 st	- €700
2 nd	- €200
3 rd	- €100

Cattle - Dairy

Friesian

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.
Prizes: 1st - €150
2nd - €100
3rd - €80
4th - €60
5th - €60
6th - €60
7th - €60
8th - €60
(unless otherwise stated)

90 Young People’s Handling

Sponsors: **Carbery Group**
Entry Fee: €5
Prizes: 1st - Male/Female Calves
2nd - Male/Female Calves and Male/Female Calves

91 Female Calf Born on or After 01-01-2025

Sponsors: **Carbery Group**
Prizes: 1st - €60
2nd - €50
3rd - €40

92 Friesian Heifer Born on or Before 31-12-2024

Sponsors: **Carbery Group**

93 Friesian Heifer - Calved Once - Born on or After 01-01-2023

Sponsors: **Carbery Group**

94 Pedigree Friesian Cow In-Calf or in Milk

Sponsors: **Carbery Group**

Friesian YMA Showmanship League

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.
Prizes: 1st - rosette
2nd - rosette
3rd - rosette
(unless otherwise stated)

95A YMA Showmanship League 2025 (Junior)

Sponsors: **Carbery Group**
Entry to this class is free of charge.

95B YMA Showmanship League 2025 (Intermediate)

Sponsors: **Carbery Group**
Entry to this class is free of charge.

95C YMA Showmanship League 2025 (Senior)

Sponsors: **Carbery Group**

Entry to this class is free of charge.

Dairy Shorthorn

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

96 Cow or Heifer Any Age

Sponsors: **Carbery Group**

Prizes: 1st - €150

2nd - €100

3rd - €80

4th - €60

5th - €60

6th - €60

7th - €60

8th - €60

97 Male or Female Calf Born on or After 01-01-2025

Sponsors: **Carbery Group**

Prizes: 1st - €60

2nd - €50

3rd - €40

Jersey

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

Prizes: 1st - €150

2nd - €100

3rd - €80

4th - €60

5th - €60

6th - €60

7th - €60

8th - €60

(unless otherwise stated)

100 Cow in Milk

Sponsors: **Carbery Group**

101 Female Calf Born on or After 01-01-2025

Sponsors: **Carbery Group**

Prizes: 1st - €60

2nd - €50

3rd - €40

102 Heifer Born on or Before 31-12-2024

Sponsors: **Carbery Group**

Dairy Pair

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

103 Best pair of Dairy Breed - Friesian, Jersey & Shorthorn

Sponsors: **Carbery Group**

Prizes: 1st - €60
 2nd - €40
 3rd - €30

Overall Dairy Fresian, Shorthorn & Jersey Champion and Reserve Champion

Entry to this category is free of charge unless otherwise stated.

103A Overall Dairy Champion & Reserve Champion

Supreme Champion & Reserve Champion of Bantry Show

Cattle - Beef

Young Handlers

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

104 Young Handlers Class – UNDER 13 YEARS

Entry Fee: €5

Prizes: 1st - trophy
2nd - trophy
3rd - trophy

105 Young Handlers Class – OVER 13 YEARS

Prizes: 1st - €90
2nd - €60
3rd - €45

Bantry Show Angus

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

Prizes: 1st - €90
2nd - €60
3rd - €45
(unless otherwise stated)

106 Pedigree Male Calf Born 01-08-2024 to 30-11-2024

107 Pedigree Female Calf Born 01-08-2024 to 30-11-2024

108 Pedigree Male Calf Born 01-12-2024 Onwards

109 Pedigree Female Calf Born 01-12-2024 Onwards

110 Pedigree Heifer 01-01-23 to 31-07-2024

111 Pedigree Cow Any Age

112 Pedigree Bull Born on or Before 31-07-2024

112A Overall Aberdeen Angus & Irish Angus Championship

Entry to this class is free of charge.

Prizes: No prizes listed.

Hereford

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

Prizes: 1st - €90
2nd - €60
3rd - €45
(unless otherwise stated)

113 Pedigree Male Calf Born 01-08-2024 to 30-11-2024

114 Pedigree Female Calf Born 01-08-2024 to 30-11-2024

- 115 Pedigree Male Calf Born 01-12-2024 Onwards
- 116 Pedigree Female Calf Born 01-12-2024 Onwards
- 117 Pedigree Cow or Heifer Any Age
- 118 Pedigree Bull Born on or Before 31-08-2024
- 118A Overall Hereford Champion & Reserve Champion

Entry to this class is free of charge.
Prizes: No prizes listed.

Belgium Blues

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.
Prizes: 1st - €90
2nd - €60
3rd - €45
(unless otherwise stated)

- 119 Pedigree Male or Female Calf Born On or After 01-08-2024
- 120 Pedigree Male or Female Calf Born On or After 01-12-2024
- 121 Pedigree Cow or Heifer Any Age
- 122 Pedigree Bull Born On or Before 31-07-2024
- 122A Overall Belgian Blue Champion & Reserve Champion

Prizes: No prizes listed.

Limousin

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.
Prizes: 1st - €90
2nd - €60
3rd - €45
(unless otherwise stated)

- 123 Pedigree Male or Female Calf Born On or After 01-08-2024
- 124 Pedigree Male or Female Calf Born On or After 01-12-2024
- 125 Cow or Heifer Any Age
- 125A Overall Limousin Champion & Reserve Champion

Prizes: No prizes listed.

Charolais

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.
Prizes: 1st - €90
2nd - €60
3rd - €45
(unless otherwise stated)

- 126 Pedigree Male or Female Calf Born On or After 01-08-2024
- 127 Pedigree Male or Female Calf Born On or After 01-12-2024
- 128 Cow or Heifer Any Age

128A Overall Charolais Champion & Reserve Champion

Entry to this class is free of charge.

Prizes: No prizes listed.

Simmental

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

Prizes: 1st - €90
2nd - €60
3rd - €45
(unless otherwise stated)

- 129A Pedigree Bull Born On or After 01-08-2024
- 129B Female Calf Born On or After 01-08-2024
- 130 Pedigree Bull or Female Calf Born On or After 01-12-2024
- 131 Cow or Heifer of Any Age

131A Overall Simmental Champion & Reserve Champion

Entry to this class is free of charge.

Prizes: No prizes listed.

Commercial Beef

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

Prizes: 1st - €90
2nd - €60
3rd - €45
(unless otherwise stated)

- 132 Best Beef Bull Calf Born On or After 01-01-2025
- 133 Best Beef Heifer Calf Born On or After 01-01-2025
- 134 Best Beef Heifer or Bullock with no Permanent Teeth on Show Day
- 135 €1,250 All Ireland Commercial Calf Final

Sponsors: **Bantry Show**
Jimmy Barry Motors

Entry Fee: €15

- Prizes:* 1st - €400
2nd - €300
3rd - €250
4th - €100
5th - €50
6th - €50
7th - €50
8th - €50
9th - €50
10th - €50

136 Interbreed Pair

137 The Breeder's Choice Traditional 4* or 5* Breeding Heifer

Sponsors: **Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine**

Entry Fee: €15

- Prizes:* 1st - €250
2nd - €125
3rd - €75
4th - €50
5th - €50
6th - €50
7th - €50
8th - €50

138 Commercial Cow with Calf at Foot

138A Overall Pedigree Supreme Champion & Reserve Champion

Prizes: No prizes listed.

Pedigree Beef Shorthorn

Entry Fee: €10 unless otherwise stated.

- Prizes:* 1st - €150
2nd - €100
3rd - €80
4th - €60
5th - €60
6th - €60
7th - €60
8th - €60
(unless otherwise stated)

139 Pedigree Male or Female Shorthorn Calf

Sponsors: **Carbery Group**

- Prizes:* 1st - €60
2nd - €50
3rd - €40

140 Pedigree Beef Heifer Born on or Before 31.08.2024

Sponsors: **Carbery Group**

141 Pedigree Beef Shorthorn Cow Any Age

141A Overall Pedigree Beef Shorthorn Champion and Reserve Champion

Pedigree Champion & Reserve Champion of the Show

Entry to this category is free of charge unless otherwise stated.

142 Pedigree Champion & Reserve Champion of the Show