

Young Handlers Classes (Cattle, Sheep & Heavy Horses)

Young Handler classes for cattle, sheep and heavy horses.

No entry fee and no first aid fee payable.

Cattle Young Handlers

Ring Name: Cattle Ring

Cattle Young Handlers - Classes for youngsters aged under 12 years on Show day and for those aged between 12-18 yrs of age on Show day.

Classes to be judged on the basis of presentation of the stock, knowledge and skill of the handler. These classes may be further split according to age of the handler if entries warrant, at the discretion of the Convener.

Entries on Show day welcome - no entry fee or first aid fee payable.

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Judge **Miss Emma Hodge**

Classes

Number	Name	Description
92	Calf born on or after 1 June 2023 to be shown by handler aged under 12 years of age on Show day.	Cattle Young Handlers aged under 12 yrs
93	Young Handler aged 12-18 years of age on Show day	Cattle Young Handlers aged 12-18 yrs old
CH11	Cattle Young Handlers Championship	1st prizewinners from Classes 92 and 93 to compete

Heavy Horse Young Handlers

Ring Name: Main Ring

Classes for Shetland ponies, Highland ponies and Clydesdale horses. See individual Class details for further information.

No entry fee or first aid fee applicable.

Judges – Clydesdale Mrs Mairi Barr; Highlands Mrs Louise Allan (Cushnie); Shetlands - TBC

Classes

Number	Name	Description
111	Young Handlers aged between 12-16yrs on Show day	Clydesdale Horse Young Handlers.
121	Young Handlers aged under 16yrs on Show day.	Highland Pony Young Handlers. No colts or stallions permitted to be shown in Young Handlers classes. Hard hats conforming to current British safety standards, and correctly secured, must be worn.
133	Young Handlers aged between 3-11yrs on Show day.	Shetland Pony Young Handlers aged between 3-11yrs. No colts or stallions permitted to be shown in Young Handlers classes. Hard hats conforming to current British safety standards, and correctly secured, must be worn by all handlers aged 14yrs or under.
134	Young Handlers between the ages of 12 to 16yrs on Show day.	Shetland Pony Young Handlers aged 12-16 yrs old. No colts or stallions permitted to be shown in Young Handlers classes. Hard hats conforming to current British safety standards, and correctly secured, must be worn by all handlers aged 14yrs or under.
CH20	Shetland Pony Young Handlers Championship	1st prize winners from Classes 133-134 to come forward. The Shetland Pony Stud-Book Society offers a rosette for Best Young Handler. Central Scotland Shetland Pony Group offers Special Rosettes for all placed in Classes 133 and 134.

Sheep Young Handlers

Ring Name: Sheep Lines

Classes for youngsters aged under 10 years of age on Show day and those aged 10-16 years of age on Show day. Classes further split for MV and non MV stock.

Entries on Show day welcome. No entry fee or first aid fee applicable.

Prize Money : 1st - £10; 2nd - £8; 3rd - £6; 4th - £4; 5th - £3; 6th - £2 per Class.

TROPHIES & PRIZES

The Fergusson Cup (Perpetual) presented by W Fergusson for the best exhibitor in the young handler (sheep) section.

Class to be judged on the basis of presentation of the stock, knowledge and skill of the handler. The winners of Class 319-322 will compete for the Fergusson Cup.

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Judges

Ms Pamela Nicol (Judge)

Classes

Number	Name	Description
319	MV Lamb born on or after 1 January 2024	To be shown by handler Under 10 years of age on Show day.
320	MV Lamb born on or after 1 January 2024	To be shown by handler aged 10-16yrs old on Show day.
321	Non MV Lamb born on or after 1 January 2024	To be shown by handler Under 10 years of age on Show day.
322	Non MV Lamb born on or after 1 January 2024	To be shown by handler aged 10 - 16yrs old on Show day.
CH70	Sheep Young Handlers Championship	1st placed prizewinners from Classes 319-322 to compete.