

## **CATTLE**

Entrance Fee: £5 per entry

Prize money: £25, £20, £15 for 1st, 2nd and 3rd respectively.

Prize-winners are asked to collect their prize money from the Secretary's Tent on show day, upon receipt of the winners ticket(s) – see General Rules & Conditions.

Kingsbridge Show Rules and Conditions apply to this section – please check these before completing the entry form.

All classes are open except where stated and all stock must be from TB and Brucellosis Accredited Herds. In addition cattle must be either (i) from a certified BVD Accredited Herd (ii) your herd must have undergone a negative BVD Antigen test plus BVD vaccination. Veterinary Certification of the above BVD status is required with the entry form.

In addition, Cattle must also be at Level 1 or 2 for Johnes as part of a CHECS Scheme. Veterinary Certification of the above is required with the entry form.

NB: It is a requirement of DEFRA that on arrival to the showground, all livestock is inspected by the Show vet. All bulls over 12 months must have nose rings or bull clips. They must be double tied in cattle stands. It is advisable that in the interest of safety all bulls and beef cows over 12 months of age have nose rings or bull clips going to and from the rings. All cattle to be double tied. Handlers must be suitably attired and deemed competent to handle the animal, bearing in mind the age and temperament of said animal.

## **NEW FOR 2026:**

### **SUCKLER HERD COMPETITION**

### **Judged pre-Show**

Open to commercial and pedigree herds of pure or cross bred herds, within a 10 mile radius of the showground.

Herds to be judged on the farm and results announced at the Show.

Prizemoney of £50 awarded to 1<sup>st</sup> place in each of the two classes

#### **128. Best Suckler Herd of up to 49 cows**

A Perpetual Challenge Cup presented by Aune Valley Meat.

#### **129. Best Suckler Herd of 50 or more cows**

A Perpetual Challenge Cup presented by the late Nigel Grainger, and re-presented by Sandra Harvey.

**A Special Rosette for Best Stockman**

**A Special Rosette for Best Suckler Calf**

**A Special Rosette for Best Stock Bull**

## **DAIRY CLASSES**

100. Dairy cow, any breed, in milk.

- 101. Any Dairy Heifer, under 12 months at date of show.
- 102. Any Dairy Heifer, over 12 months not having calved.
- 103. Any Dairy Heifer in milk.
- 104. Any Dairy Cow Dry and in calf BEST DAIRY PAIR
- 105. Best Dairy Pair.

### **SOUTH DEVON CLASSES**

**Judge: To be confirmed**

- 106. Cow, exceeding 3 years at date of show, in milk or with own pedigree calf at foot.
- 107. Cow, exceeding 3 years at date of show, dry and in calf.
- 108. Heifer born in 2025.
- 109. Heifer born on or after 1st January 2026.
- 110. Bull born between 1st January 2026 and 1st January 2027.
- 111. Bull born before 1st January 2026.
- 112. Group of Cattle, namely: Bull any age, not necessarily bred by exhibitor and two females (must be owned by the same exhibitor).

The Stanley Wroth Memorial Perpetual Cup presented to the winner of class 106

The Longbrook Perpetual Challenge Cup presented by BV Toms to the winner of Class 108

The Sexton Challenge Cup for the Champion South Devon presented in memory of the late Henry Harvey, to be won three times in succession before becoming the absolute property of the winner. (Won by J Tucker 2025)

A Special Sash presented by the South Devon Herd Book Society for the Champion South Devon.

### **DEXTER CLASSES**

- 113. Cow in milk, any age.
- 114. Cow, dry and in calf, any age, or in-calf Heifer.
- 115. Male or Female under 2 at date of show
- 116. Bull, any age.
- 117. Best Dexter Pair.

### **PEDIGREE/PURE BRED BEEF**

**Judge: Becky Hurd**

Any Pedigree or Pure Bred Beef Breed other than South Devon or Dexter.

- 118. Bull, any age.

119. Cow or Heifer, in milk or in calf, over 30 months at date of show.

120. Heifer not having calved, under 30 months at date of the show.

121. Best Beef Pair. Any Pedigree or Pure Bred Beef Breed

Perpetual Challenge Cup awarded to Champion Pedigree/Pure Bred Beef Animal. (Won by: Mrs S Fildes 2024).

### **COMMERCIAL BEEF**

122. Heifer or Steer up to 15 months

123. Heifer 15-30 months

124. Steer 15-30 months

125. Best Commercial Beef Pair.

### **YOUNG CALF HANDLER**

**Judge: Mike Heard/Kerry Gaden**

126. Young Handler, under 12 years. Calf approximately 6 months or under.

127. Young Handler, 12 to 16 years inclusive. Calf approximately 9 months or under.

Class to be judged on presentation of animal and handling ability – not on conformation of animal.

**NB:** It is a condition of entry that children should only handle animals where they have the necessary strength and experience to cope with said animal. Children must always be under the supervision of a competent adult.

The Tomorrows Salver presented by Mrs JFJ Quant to the winning Calf Handler aged under 12 years. (Won by Martha Tucker 2025)

The Tomorrows Salver presented by Mrs JFJ Quant to the winning Calf Handler aged 12-16 years. (Won by Sue Riley 2024)

### **INTERBREED CHAMPIONSHIP**

**Judge: Mike Heard**

**Prizemoney of £50 to the Champion kindly sponsored by John Woodley**

**£25 to the Reserve Champion kindly sponsored by Miss Sue Hosking**

The Champion Exhibit from all cattle breeds excluding Commercial Beef. Championship Sash and Reserve Champion Sash.

Show Challenge Cup presented by Farm Industries Limited for the Exhibitor who obtains the highest number of points in the cattle classes, on the basis of 3,2,1 for 1st, 2nd and 3rd respectively. (Won by Mrs S Fildes 2024, J Tucker 2025).

The Peter Mingo Perpetual Challenge Cup will be presented at Kingsbridge Show in September to the Exhibitor gaining the most points in the Cattle Classes at the three Agricultural shows of Yealmpton, Totnes and Kingsbridge during the season. Competitors must compete at all three shows

to be eligible for this cup. First will be awarded 3 points, Second awarded 2 points and Third awarded 1 point for each class.