Cattle

Chief Steward: Mr Tom Osborne
Additional rules for Cattle to the General Show Rules & Conditions:
All cattle must be halter led whilst on the showground.

Exhibitors and stock attendants must be fully aware of their obligations for the safety of the general public and fellow exhibitors and stock attendants at all times whilst on the show ground and must observe orders given by stewards or officials when leading stock to and from the Judging Rings and Main Ring for Grand Parade. Stock attendants are responsible for their own cattle at all times.
BULLS
All exhibitors of bulls should make themselves familiar with HSE Guidance Note GS36 "Safe Custody and Handling of Bulls at Agricultural Shows, Markets and Similar Premises Off the Farm." This Guidance Note gives the following methods for handling bulls at events:
1. One person using a bull staff attached to the bull's nose ring and a rope or chain attached to a halter or head chain through the nose ring with a competent person standing by able to assist in the control of the bull if required; if in doubt two experienced people to lead.
2. One person using a rope or chain attached to a halter with a second rope or chain attached directly to the nose ring or via the nose ring to the halter, with a competent person standing by able to assist if necessary.
3. The stewards have the power to refuse the entry of any animal which they consider might get out of control or to ask for any animal to be removed from the show ground.

GENERAL
1. All Cattle must be on the showground by 8.30am and not removed before 4.00pm. Judging to commence at 9.00am prompt. Passports to be taken to the check-in tent. Milk Certificates to be handed to the Chief Steward on arrival.
2. For the purpose of this show a cow is an animal which has completed its first lactation and is in calf for her second or subsequent calf. A heifer is an animal which has calved once only before show day and has not completed her first lactation. Animals with sealed teats will be disqualified.
3. All classes are open unless stated. Names and earmarks must be given for Pedigree and Grading Register animals B, C or D.
4. If the Chief Steward considers that any dairy animal on the showground is overstocked he shall demand her to be relieved at once.
5. All prize winning animals must be ready to enter the main ring when required for the Grand Parade (at approximately 3.20pm).
6. Exhibitors must provide their own straw and fodder.
7. Please ensure you are ready to enter the showing ring in plenty of time.

The Society reserves the right to amalgamate classes/sections where necessary.
20/08/2023 08:30

Young Handler - Dairy

Ring: Cattle Section

Judges

Mrs Carol Pledge (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
336	Dairy Young Handler 7 to 10 years old on show day	
337	Dairy young handler 11 to 16 years old on show day	

Young Handler - Beef

Ring: Cattle Section

Judges

Mr Paul Pennington (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
338	Beef young handler 7 to 10 years old on show day	
339	Beef young handler 11 to 16 years old on show day	

Shorthorn Dairy

Special rules:
All cows and heifers are required to be entered in the Coates's Herd Book Main, Supplementary or Grade B sections. To be red, white or roan in colour.
These classes are run under the Shorthorn Dairy Society Showing Regulations.

Reminder: all must be halter led.
Ring: Cattle Section

Judges

Mrs Carol Pledge (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
200	Maiden heifer born after 1.1.22	
201	Heifer in calf born before 31.12.21	
202	Cow or heifer in milk	
203	Dry cow or heifer in calf	
204	Pair of females already exhibited in above classes	

Aberdeen Angus

Ring: Cattle Section

Judges

Mr Robert Veneer (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
240	Calf born on or after 1.1.23	
241	Cow or heifer born before 1.1.21 in calf or with calf at foot	
242	Bull born on or before 31.12.21	
243	Bull born on or after 1.1.22	
244	Heifer born on or before 31.12.21	
245	Heifer born on or after 1.1.22	
246	A pair of animals drawn from the above classes	

Hereford

Ring: Cattle Section

Judges

Mr Edward Mills (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
268	Calf born on or after 1.1.23	
269	Cow or heifer born before 1.1.21 in calf or with calf at foot	
270	Bull born on or before 31.12.21	
271	Bull born on or after 1.1.22	
272	Heifer born on or before 31.12.21	
273	Heifer born on or after 1.1.22	
274	A pair of animals drawn from the above classes	

British Blue

Ring: Cattle Section

Judges

Mr Patrick Greed (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
289	Calf born on or after 1.1.23	
290	Cow or heifer born before 1.1.21 in calf or with calf at foot	
291	Bull born on or before 31.12.21	
292	Bull born on or after 1.1.22	
293	Heifer born on or before 31.12.21	
294	Heifer born on or after 1.1.22	
295	A pair of animals drawn from the above classes	

Holstein Friesians

Special rules:
Exhibitors must be members of the Holstein Friesian Society (HFS). All entries must be entered in the Herd Book or Class B & C of the Supplementary Register.

Reminder: all cattle must be halter led.
Ring: Cattle Section

Judges

Mrs Jane Targett (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
205	Maiden heifer born after 1.1.22	
206	Heifer in calf born before 31.12.21	
207	Cow or heifer in milk	
208	Dry cow or heifer in calf	
209	Pair of females already exhibited in above classes	

Dexters

Affiliated with the Dexter Cattle Society
Every animal must be entered in the Herd Book of the Dexter Cattle Society
Ring: Cattle Section

Judges

Mrs Jay Hunt (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
224	Maiden heifer under 18 months old on showday	
225	Heifer in calf over 18 months of age	
226	Cow or heifer in milk	
227	Dry cow or heifer in calf	
228	Pair of females	
229	Bull under 30 months	
230	Bull of any age	
231	Group of three animals, one bull allowed already exhibited in preceding classes	

British White

Ring: Cattle Section

Judges

Mr Paul Pennington (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
247	Calf born on or after 1.1.23	
248	Cow or heifer born before 1.1.21 in calf or with calf at foot	
249	Bull born on or before 31.12.21	
250	Bull born on or after 1.1.22	
251	Heifer born on or before 31.12.21	
252	Heifer born on or after 1.1.22	
253	A pair of animals drawn from the above classes	

Highlands

Ring: Cattle Section

Judges

Mr C Edwards (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
275	Calf born on or after 1.1.23	
276	Cow or heifer born before 1.1.21 in calf or with calf at foot	
277	Bull born on or before 31.12.21	
278	Bull born on or after 1.1.22	
279	Heifer born on or before 31.12.21	
280	Heifer born on or after 1.1.22	
281	A pair of animals drawn from the above classes	

Limousin

Ring: Cattle Section

Judges

Mr Patrick Greed (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
296	Calf born on or after 1.1.23	
297	Cow or heifer born before 1.1.21 in calf or with calf at foot	
298	Bull born on or before 31.12.21	
299	Bull born on or after 1.1.22	
300	Heifer born on or before 31.12.21	
301	Heifer born on or after 1.1.22	
302	A pair of animals drawn from the above classes	

Jersey

Reminder all cattle must be halter led
Ring: Cattle Section

Judges

Mrs Carol Pledge (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
210	Maiden heifer born after 1.1.22	
211	Heifer in calf born before 31.12.21	
212	Cow or heifer in milk	
213	Dry cow or heifer in calf	
214	Pair of females already exhibited in above classes	

Any Other Dual Purpose Breed

Exhibitors can only enter Dual Purpose or Any Other Native Breed Class or Beef: Native Breed Classes
The Dual Purpose Champion if female will go forward to the Supreme Dairy or if male will go forward to the Beef Supreme Championship
Ring: Cattle Section

Judges

Mrs Jay Hunt (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
232	Maiden heifer under 18 months old on showday	
233	Heifer in calf over 18 months of age	
234	Cow or heifer in milk	
235	Dry cow or heifer in calf	
236	Pair of females	
237	Bull under 30 months	
238	Bull of any age	
239	Group of three animals, one bull allowed already exhibited in preceding classes	

Devons

Ring: Cattle Section

Judges

Mr Edward Mills (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
254	Calf born on or after 1.1.23	
255	Cow or heifer born before 1.1.21 in calf or with calf at foot	
256	Bull born on or before 31.12.21	
257	Bull born on or after 1.1.22	
258	Heifer born on or before 31.12.21	
259	Heifer born on or after 1.1.22	
260	A pair of animals drawn from the above classes	

Any Other Native Beef Breeds

Ring: Cattle Section

Judges

Mr Edward Mills (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
282	Calf born on or after 1.1.23	
283	Cow or heifer born before 1.1.21 in calf or with calf at foot	
284	Bull born on or before 31.12.21	
285	Bull born on or after 1.1.22	
286	Heifer born on or before 31.12.21	
287	Heifer born on or after 1.1.22	
288	A pair of animals drawn from the above classes	

Lowlines

Ring: Cattle Section

Judges

Mr Robert Veneer (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
303	Calf born on or after 1.1.23	
304	Cow or heifer born before 1.1.21 in calf or with calf at foot	
305	Bull born on or before 31.12.21	
306	Bull born on or after 1.1.22	
307	Heifer born on or before 31.12.21	
308	Heifer born on or after 1.1.22	
309	A pair of animals drawn from the above classes	
CA17	Lowlines Championship	

Any Other Dairy Breed

Ring: Cattle Section

Judges

Mrs Jane Targett (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
216	Maiden heifer born after 1.1.22	
217	Heifer in calf born before 31.12.21	
218	Cow or heifer in milk	
219	Dry cow or heifer in calf	
220	Pair of females already exhibited in above classes	

Young Farmers Club Beef Cattle

See general rules available in the schedule.
Open to all current YFC members
Ring: Cattle Section

Judges

Mr C Edwards (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
321	Beef steer or heifer from a dam of any dairy breed, born on or after 01/08/22	
322	Beef steer or heifer. Pure bred with a dam and sire British native breeds, born on or after 01/08/22	
323	Beef heifer or steer, pure or crossbred, born on or after 01/08/22	

Galloway

Ring: Cattle Section

Judges

Mr C Edwards (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
261	Calf born on or after 1.1.23	
262	Cow or heifer born before 1.1.21 in calf or with calf at foot	
263	Bull born on or before 31.12.21	
264	Bull born on or after 1.1.22	
265	Heifer born on or before 31.12.21	
266	Heifer born on or after 1.1.22	
267	A pair of animals drawn from the above classes	

Commerical Beef

Ring: Cattle Section

Judges

Mr Edward Davies (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
317	Continental steer suitable for retail trade	Animal to have been in the ownership of the exhibitor and prepared by the exhibitor or employee for at least 3 months prior to show day.
318	Continental heifer suitable for retail trade	Animal to have been in the ownership of the exhibitor and prepared by the exhibitor or employee for at least 3 months prior to show day.
319	Native steer suitable for retail trade	Animal to have been in the ownership of the exhibitor and prepared by the exhibitor or employee for at least 3 months prior to show day.
320	Native heifer suitbable for retail trade	Animal to have been in the ownership of the exhibitor and prepared by the exhibitor or employee for at least 3 months prior to show day.

Any Other Continental Beef Breeds

Ring: Cattle Section

Judges

Mr Patrick Greed (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
310	Calf born on or after 1.1.23	
311	Cow or heifer born before 1.1.21 in calf or with calf at foot	
312	Bull born on or before 31.12.21	
313	Bull born on or after 1.1.22	
314	Heifer born on or before 31.12.21	
315	Heifer born on or after 1.1.22	
316	A pair of animals drawn from the above classes	

Young Farmers Club Dairy Cattle

See general rules available in the schedule.
Open to all current YFC members
Ring: Cattle Section

Judges

Mrs Jane Targett (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
221	Holstein heifer born on or after 1st August 2022	
222	Holstein heifer 6 months or under on show day	
223	Dairy heifer, any other breed born on or after 1st August 2021	