

# SIMMENTAL

## THE BREED FOR PROFIT

### INCREASE PROFIT WITH SIMMENTAL



*Suckler Farmers are facing key decisions this spring that will effect the profitability of their Suckling enterprise*

- 1) **MALE PROGENY** – Must be off the farm as quickly as possible
  - a) Sold as Weanlings with good weight for age
  - b) Brought to slaughter at 14 – 16 months of age
- 2) **REPLACEMENT POLICY**
  - a) Purchase replacement heifers as maiden or in-calf
  - b) Breed Within Herd Replacement Heifers
    - Advantages of Breeding Within Herd
      - High Health Status
      - Guaranteed Supply
      - Background Knowledge
      - High Value market for surplus heifers

## Next Simmental Show & Sale

At Tullamore mart on  
This Saturday April 18th

40 Bulls & 22 Heifers

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Simmental X Breeding Heifer Sale at  
Roscommon on Friday May 15th.

To enter Heifers contact the  
Society Office on Number below

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