

**MIDLAND & WESTERN LIVESTOCK**  
**IMPROVEMENT SOCIETY LTD.**

CARRICK-ON-SHANNON

**SCHEDULE FOR 2018**

**WINTER FAIR SHOW & SALE**  
*of*  
**COMMERCIAL LIVESTOCK**

**SHOW - SUNDAY NOVEMBER 25<sup>th</sup>**  
**at 11.00a.m.**

**SALE - MONDAY NOVEMBER 26<sup>th</sup>**  
**at 11.00 a.m.**

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***ENTRIES MUST CLOSE***  
***MONDAY NOVEMBER 5TH***

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**EXHIBITORS PLEASE NOTE:**

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**MONDAY NOVEMBER 5TH**

CLOSING DATE WILL BE STRICTLY ADHERED TO.

**Entries will only be accepted, with correct Fees,  
on OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM.**

**by Society Secretary: Lourda McGowan,  
Mohill, Co. Leitrim.**

***Telephone: 086 3883112***

***Email: midlandandwestern@gmail.com***

***Please read the Rules***

**Cheques, Postal Orders or Drafts must be made payable to  
*The Midland & Western Livestock  
Improvement Society Ltd.***

**Catalogue, Receipts for Entry Fees and Exhibit Numbers  
will be given to Exhibitors on Show morning.**

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IN CATALOGUE***

## **CONDITIONS & RULES OF ENTRY FOR SHOW and SALE**

1. Exhibitors are requested to study the Rules and should not enter an animal for Show or Sale unless they are willing to fully comply with all Rules and Regulations of the Society.
2. Department of Agriculture and Food Rules and Regulations apply in every respect.
3. Exhibitors should take due care in completing their Entry Form and **National ID Tag Number and Herd Number of Exhibitor / Owner must be given.** The Society cannot be held responsible for any errors or omissions which may occur, for any reason whatsoever, in the Catalogue.  
**ALL ANIMALS ENTERED ( WITH THE EXCEPTION OF CLASS 1) MUST BE IN THE EXHIBITORS HERD ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 25<sup>TH</sup>**
4. Entries with entry fee of **€35 per animal. (Class 1 €5)** will only be accepted **on the official entry form** and must be sent to the Society Secretary:-Lourda McGowan, Mohill, Co. Leitrim before **November 5<sup>th</sup>**.  
**Cheques must be made payable to The Midland & Western Livestock Improvement Society Ltd. Tel: 086 3883112**  
**No Entries can be accepted without full Entry Fees and no Refund of Entry Fees will be made for Catalogued Entries.**
5. **No animal will be allowed compete in more than one class** ,with the exception of Class 1 and the responsibility of having the animal entered in the correct class rests solely with the exhibitor.
6. In the event of animals changing teeth after entry, they will be entitled to enter the next suitable class.
7. There will be no class for **bull** calves exceeding 550 kgs.
8. Calves other than those mentioned in Rule 7 can move to the class appropriate to their weight.
9. Commission of 1% of the Sale price will be deducted.

10. **The Society may not be in a position to provide stalling for each animal in the Shed on day of Show or Sale.**  
Exhibitors must not move numbers without consulting a Steward.
11. **Cattle entered for Sale cannot be removed after Show Classes – they must remain on the premises for the Sale.**
12. Exhibitors or their agents found disobeying Stewards or communicating or interfering with Judges or Department Officials will be debarred from future Sales  
**The Judges decision is Final**
13. ***Any Exhibitor found to have altered or interfered with their Weight Docket will be debarred from future Shows and Sales***
14. The Society shall decide on any disputes, objections or queries regarding this Event and in all cases of dispute the decision of the Society must be final.
15. **All animals must be haltered and led and kept under strict control. In the interest of safety all animals must be led by competent adults. Exhibitors alone are responsible for the feeding, watering and safe keeping of their animals and all exhibitors are advised to extend their Insurance cover for attendance at this Event. In the event of an animal proving dangerous the Safety Officer shall have the authority to direct the Exhibitor to remove the animal immediately from the Showgrounds.**
16. The Society accepts no responsibility for accidents, loss or damage to persons or property or to animals left in the Showgrounds overnight. Any accident involving an animal exhibited at the Show or Sale is the sole responsibility of the exhibitor and/or the owner of the animal.
17. The arrangement of Classes for Judging , Prizes to be awarded and the Order of Sale may be altered and will be finalised at the discretion of the Committee. Classes may be amalgamated for Judging if the Society deem it necessary.

**Class 1**      **YOUNG STOCKPERSON CLASS 2018**

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**The Midland & Western Livestock Improvement Society Ltd**

**For Youth between 12 and 17 years**

*Exhibitors will be judged on their ability to show and handle an animal born in*

**2018PRIZES: 1<sup>st</sup> RDS Silver Medal and €80, 2<sup>nd</sup> €65; 3<sup>rd</sup> €50;**

**4<sup>th</sup> €40; 5<sup>th</sup> €35, 6<sup>th</sup> to end of line €20**

**This Class will be judged first at 11.00a.m.**

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**CLASS 2**      Bullock any Breed – Showing two or more permanent teeth  
1<sup>st</sup> €150, 2<sup>nd</sup> €120, 3<sup>rd</sup> €100, 4<sup>th</sup> €80, 5<sup>th</sup> 50

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**CLASS 3**      Heifer any Breed – Showing two or more permanent teeth  
1<sup>st</sup> €150, 2<sup>nd</sup> €120, 3<sup>rd</sup> €100, 4<sup>th</sup> €80, 5<sup>th</sup> 50

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**CLASS 4**      Charolais X Bullock showing no permanent teeth  
1<sup>st</sup> €150, 2<sup>nd</sup> €120, 3<sup>rd</sup> €100, 4<sup>th</sup> €80, 5<sup>th</sup> €50

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**CLASS 5**      Charolais X Heifer showing no permanent teeth  
1<sup>st</sup> €150, 2<sup>nd</sup> €120, 3<sup>rd</sup> €100, 4<sup>th</sup> €80, 5<sup>th</sup> €50

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**CLASS 6**      Limousin X Bullock showing no permanent teeth.  
Must show Limousin Characteristics  
1st €150, 2nd €120, 3rd €100, 4th 4 Bags of Bull Calf Creep Feed **presented by**

***Connolly's Redmills Feeds***

*Sponsored by: **Cryan's Hotel, Carrick on Shannon***

***Gabriel O'Dowd Hoofcare, Woodbrook, Croghan***

**CLASS 7**      Belgian Blue X Bullock showing no permanent teeth  
1<sup>st</sup> €150, 2<sup>nd</sup> €120, 3<sup>rd</sup> €100, 4<sup>th</sup> €80, 5<sup>th</sup> €50

*Sponsored by: **Dunnes Bar, Main Street, Carrick on Shannon & FBD Insurance***

**CLASS 8**      Belgian Blue X Heifer showing no permanent teeth  
1<sup>st</sup> €150 2<sup>nd</sup> €120 3<sup>rd</sup> €100 4<sup>th</sup> €80 5<sup>th</sup> €50

*Sponsored by **Progressive Genetics***

**CLASS 9** Hereford X Bullock or Heifer with not more than two permanent teeth. All animals should be designated Hereford or Hereford X on their ID Card  
1<sup>st</sup> €140, 2<sup>nd</sup> €80 3<sup>rd</sup> €60 , 4<sup>th</sup> €50 , 5<sup>th</sup> €40

*Sponsored by: **Irish Hereford Breed Society Ltd. & Padraig McGrath, Agri Supplies, Creeve, Elphin***

**CLASS 10** Angus Bullock – Non Continental showing not more than two permanent teeth and showing Aberdeen Angus Characteristics  
1<sup>st</sup> €150, 2<sup>nd</sup> €120, 3<sup>rd</sup> €100, 4<sup>th</sup> €80, 5<sup>th</sup> €50

*Sponsored by: **Irish Aberdeen Angus Cattle Association***

**CLASS 11** Angus X Heifer suitable for export or breeding showing not more than two permanent teeth  
**No Continental breeding** Prizewinners may be DNA Tested  
1<sup>st</sup> €140, 2<sup>nd</sup> €90, 3<sup>rd</sup> €70, 4<sup>th</sup> €60, 5<sup>th</sup> €40

**Prizemoney only payable to Animals offered for Sale**

*Sponsored by: **Irish Angus Cattle Society***

**CLASS 12** Best Butcher's Heifer - 600 Kgs. and under  
1<sup>st</sup> €150, 2<sup>nd</sup> €120, 3<sup>rd</sup> €100, 4<sup>th</sup> €80  
Prizemoney will only be paid out after Animal is sold  
Only Animals Catalogued to be exhibited in this Class

**CLASS 13** Limousin X Heifer Suitable for Breeding showing no permanent teeth. Must show Limousin Characteristics (Prizewinners may be DNA Tested)  
1<sup>st</sup> €150 2<sup>nd</sup> €120 3<sup>rd</sup> €100 4<sup>th</sup> €80 5<sup>th</sup> €50

*Sponsored by: **Irish Limousin Cattle Society***

**CLASS 14** Blonde Heifer over 380 Kgs.  
1<sup>st</sup> €150, 2<sup>nd</sup> €120, 3<sup>rd</sup> €100

*Sponsored by **Irish Blonde Cattle Society Ltd.***

**RULES:-** Open only to Blonde sired progeny born in the Republic, with Irish Tag.

No UK or Northern Ireland Cattle allowed. All entries must have a National ID card marked BA (Blonde D'Aquitaine). Entries are not open to Pedigree Registered Cattle, but are open to Pure Bred Non-Registered Animals. All Prizewinners may be DNA tested to verify Blonde parentage. Entries must be sired by a Blonde AI Sire or Pedigree Registered Blonde Sire available to be DNA tested or with a DNA on file.

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**CLASS 15** Simmental X In- Calf or Maiden Heifer over 550kgs. and born on or after 01/05/2016 *See Rules under Class 18*

**CLASS 16** National Simmental X Yearling Heifer between 451kgs & 550kgs  
*See Rules under Class 18*

**CLASS 17** National Simmental X Weanling Heifer between 351kgs & 450kgs  
*See Rules under Class 18*

**CLASS 18** National Simmental X Heifer Calf under 350kgs

**Rules for CLASSES 15 -18** : All Entries to show SI or SIX on their National I.D. Card

Where a NID Card is reissued , proof of the original registration must accompany the NID Card to the Show. All Entries must have a Simmental sire recorded on the DAFF Database and that Sire must be included on the entry form.

All Entries must be available to be DNA typed on the day by an ISCS Official before being considered for judging  
Animals will be Judged on ability to make a Suckler Dam

**Prizes in Classes 15 -18** 1<sup>st</sup> “Top Stock” Product Value €50 and €100,  
2<sup>nd</sup> €100, 3<sup>rd</sup> €75, 4<sup>th</sup> €50

*Product Prizes Sponsored by P. J. & Oige Farrelly, Virginia, Co. Cavan*  
*Cash Prizes Sponsored by The Irish Simmental Cattle Society Ltd.*

**CLASS 19** Angus X Male Calf 450kgs or under showing Angus Characteristics  
1<sup>st</sup> €140, 2<sup>nd</sup> €80, 3<sup>rd</sup> €60, 4<sup>th</sup> 4 Bags of Bull Calf Creep Feed  
presented by ***Connolly’s Redmills Feeds***

*Sponsored by: John Glancy t/a Bertie Glancy & Sons , Elphin & John Quinn Veterinary Surgeon, Mohill*

**CLASS 20** Angus X Female Calf 450kgs or under showing Angus Characteristics  
1<sup>st</sup> €140, 2<sup>nd</sup> €80, 3<sup>rd</sup> €60, 4<sup>th</sup> 4 Bags of Bull Calf Creep Feed  
presented by ***Connolly’s Redmills Feeds***

*Sponsored by: Drumshanbo Livestock Mart & Paul Logan, AI Services ,Mohill*

**CLASS 21** Commercial Beef Shorthorn X Heifer under 2 years on Show Day.  
*Must not be Pedigree Registered. All animals must have SH or SHX on their ID Cards* 1<sup>st</sup> €140, 2<sup>nd</sup> €100 3<sup>rd</sup> €80, 4<sup>th</sup> €50

*Sponsored by: Irish Shorthorn Society & Alo O’Hara, Elphin*

**CLASS 22** Charolais X Male Calf 550 kgs or under  
1<sup>st</sup> €150, 2<sup>nd</sup> €120, 3<sup>rd</sup> €100, 4<sup>th</sup> €80, 5<sup>th</sup> €50

*Sponsored by: Irish Charolais Cattle Society*

**CLASS 23** Charolais X Male Calf 400 kgs or under  
1<sup>st</sup> €150, 2<sup>nd</sup> €120, 3<sup>rd</sup> €100, 4<sup>th</sup> €80, 5<sup>th</sup> €50

*Sponsored by: Irish Charolais Cattle Society*

**CLASS 24** Limousin Male X Calf 550 kgs. or under showing Limousin  
Characteristics Must be Limousin sired & maybe DNA tested  
1<sup>st</sup>€150, 2<sup>nd</sup>€120, 3<sup>rd</sup>€100, 4<sup>th</sup>€80, 5<sup>th</sup> 50

*Sponsored by: Irish Limousin Cattle Society*

**CLASS 25** Limousin Male X Calf 400 kgs. or under showing Limousin  
Characteristics .Must be Limousin sired & maybe DNA tested  
1<sup>st</sup> €150, 2<sup>nd</sup> €120, 3<sup>rd</sup> €100, 4<sup>th</sup>€80, 5<sup>th</sup> €50

*Sponsored by: Elphin Livestock Mart*

**CLASS 26** Belgian Blue X Male Calf 500 kgs. or under  
1st €150, 2nd €120, 3rd €100, 4th €80, 5th 4 x 18kg LifeLine Pre Calver  
presented *by Unibloc*

*Sponsored by: Thomas Crowe, Veterinary Surgeon & David Rattigan, Elphin*

**CLASS 27** Charolais X Female Calf 450 kgs. or under  
1<sup>st</sup> €150, 2<sup>nd</sup> €120, 3<sup>rd</sup> €100, 4<sup>th</sup> €80, 5<sup>th</sup> €50

*Sponsored by: Smyths Daleside Feeds, Ballindrait, Co. Donegal*

**CLASS 28** Charolais X Female Calf 350 kgs or under  
1<sup>st</sup> €150, 2<sup>nd</sup> €120, 3<sup>rd</sup> €100, 4<sup>th</sup> €80, 5<sup>th</sup> €50

*Sponsored by: Natural Nutrition, Ballyfarnon, Boyle*

**CLASS 29** Limousin Female X Calf 450 kgs. or under showing Limousin  
Characteristics Must be Limousin sired & maybe DNA tested  
1<sup>st</sup> €150, 2<sup>nd</sup> €120, 3<sup>rd</sup> €100, 4<sup>th</sup> €80, 5<sup>th</sup> €50

*Sponsored by: Irish Limousin Cattle Society*

**CLASS 30** Limousin Female X Calf 350 kgs. or under showing Limousin  
Characteristics . Must be Limousin sired & maybe DNA tested

**Prizes will be awarded in the form of Vouchers for Homeland Stores  
to the value of 1<sup>st</sup> €150, 2<sup>nd</sup> €120, 3<sup>rd</sup> €100, 4<sup>th</sup> €80, 5<sup>th</sup> €50**

*Sponsored by Aurivo /Nutrias Animal Feeds*



**CLASS 31** Blonde Heifer Weanling 380 kgs or under  
1<sup>st</sup> €150, 2<sup>nd</sup> €120, 3<sup>rd</sup> €100

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**CLASS 32** Belgian Blue X Female Calf 450 kgs. or under  
1<sup>st</sup> €150, 2<sup>nd</sup> €120, 3<sup>rd</sup> €100, 4<sup>th</sup> €80, 5<sup>th</sup> €50

*Sponsored by: **Dovea Genetics, Dovea, Thurles***

**CLASS 33** Belgian Blue X Female Calf 350 kgs. or under  
1<sup>st</sup> €150, 2<sup>nd</sup> €120, 3<sup>rd</sup> €100, 4<sup>th</sup> €80, 5<sup>th</sup> €50

*Sponsored by: **Paul & Vincent Animal Feeds & Shane Fitzpatrick, Flynn's Bar***

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following who have kindly donated Items for our  
Auction on Show Day**

***Lough Rynn Castle Hotel, Mohill  
Elite Pedigree Genetics, Silverstream,  
Co. Monaghan***

***Mega Show Supplies, Ballinagare, Castlerea  
Glancy's Supervalu Supermarket,  
Carrick on Shannon***

***Eugene Donohoe, ARK ANIMAL CARE***

# **CHAMPIONSHIPS**

**Senior Charolais Champion** (Confined to Classes 4 & 5 and Charolais Prize-winners in Classes 2 & 3) €100 Voucher for BOVA A.I.SERVICES, LIMERICK and Voucher for 20 Bags GREENVALE ANIMAL FEEDS

**Reserve Senior Charolais Champion** 500ml Closamectin presented by NORBROOK

**Junior Charolais Champion:** (Confined to Classes 22, 23, 27 & 28 )  
2Litre Headstart presented by OSMONDS IRELAND

**Reserve Junior Charolais Champion:** 4 X 18 kg of LifeLine Pre Calver Presented by UNIBLOC IRELAND LTD., DUNDALK

**Senior Limousin Champion:** (Confined to Classes 6 & 13 and Limousin Prize-winners in Classes 2 & 3 ) €100 Voucher for BOVA A.I. SERVICES, LIMERICK and 200 ml.. Ivomec Super presented by KILLANASSETT CO-OPERATIVE STORE, MANORHAMILTON

**Reserve Senior Limousin Champion:** Litre Liquid Thrive Cattle Presented by AGRI – LLOYD INTERNATIONAL

**Junior Limousin Champion:** (Confined to Classes (24, 25, 29 & 30 )  
4 Bags of Bull Calf Creep Feed presented by CONNOLLY'S REDMILLS FEEDS

**Reserve Junior Limousin Champion:** 4 X 18 kg of LifeLine Pre Calver Presented by UNIBLOC IRELAND LTD., DUNDALK

**Senior Belgian Blue Champion:** (Confined to Classes 7 & 8 and Belgian Blue Prize-winners in Classes 2 & 3) **500ml Closamectin presented** by NORBROOK and Voucher for 20 Bags GREENVALE ANIMAL FEEDS

**Reserve Senior Belgian Blue Champion:** Litre Liquid Thrive

Cattle Presented by AGRI – LLOYD INTERNATIONAL

**Junior Belgian Blue Champion:** (Confined to Classes 26, 32 & 33 )

€100 Voucher for GAIN ANIMAL NUTRITION presented by GLANBIA

**Reserve Junior Belgian Blue Champion :**

LITRE EPRINEX POUR ON presented by MERIEL

**Angus Champion:** €100 Voucher for BOVA A.I. SERVICES, LIMERICK

**Reserve Angus Champion** €50 Voucher for GAIN ANIMAL

NUTRITION presented by GLANBIA

**Simmental Champion:** “Top Stock” Product Value €50

Presented by P. J. & OIGE FARRELLY, VIRGINIA

**Reserve Simmental Champion** “Top Stock” Product Value €50

Presented by P. J. & OIGE FARRELLY, VIRGINIA

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***Animals will be taken into Yard FROM 6pm onwards  
on Saturday 24<sup>TH</sup>***

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**PLEASE SUPPORT OUR RAFFLE**

**DRAW** will take place on  
Monday November 26<sup>th</sup> at 6.00p.m.

**PRIZES include**

**WEANLING HEIFER**

**VOUCHERS FOR:-**

**CASTLEKNOCK HOTEL  
& COUNTRY CLUB, DUBLIN**

**SUNDAY LUNCH at MACNEAN RESTAURANT  
presented by NEVEN MAGUIRE**

**VETERINARY SUPPLIES**

**Tickets €5 each, Book of 3 €10**

*Tickets on Sale from Committee Members or Office.*

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