

Dovea Genetics

National Simmental Calf Finals.

Venue: National Ploughing Championships, Tullamore

Date: Wednesday September 16th at 1.00 pm

Featuring 5 National Simmental Titles:

1. National Senior Heifer Calf born on or between 01-12-25 & 31-01-26
2. National Junior Heifer Calf born on or after 01-02-26
3. National Senior Bull Calf born on or between 01-12-25 & 31-01-26
4. National Junior Bull Calf born on or after 01-02-26
5. National Polled Calf born on or after 01/12/25
(Calves must be Genotyped Homozygous or Heterozgous Polled)

Note:

Entries must be made direct to the Irish Simmental Cattle Society: Email peadar@irishsimmental.com or Tel 057 93 24577 by 12 noon on Monday September 7th 2026.
(Tag Number and Class Number is all that is required)

Note: Calves can only be entered in any one of the above classes.

Entry Fee: €20

Note: €10 for Calves shown at Club Finals

Prize Fund (Per National class)

1st €100 Dovea Voucher + €100, 2nd €75 Dovea Voucher + €75 & 3rd €100

Entry Conditions:

1. All Calves must be fully Pedigree Registered.
2. All Calves will be weighed with the following conditions applying:

All entries must be weighed on the morning of the Show by our appointed Stewards. Where animals are in excess of pre-informed set weight gains, breeders will be informed of this, and future Herd inspections will apply.

These excess weight gains are as follows: A maximum Average Daily Gain (ADG) of 1.9kgs/day for bulls & 1.7kgs/day for heifers on birth weights of 55 & 50 kgs respectively.

Notes: Calves verified at Birth will be weighed but herds are exempt from Inspection should calves exceed set weights.

Exhibitor Raffle: Note: there will be a raffle immediately after the Show, in which all exhibitors who have not been placed 1st, 2nd or 3rd in the classes will be entered.

Prizes include the following with additional prizes to be added:

1 st Prize	Portosal Gas Dehorner
2 nd Prize	Fee Society Membership 2027
3 rd Prize	5 x Crailing Barrister Straws
4 th Prize	3 x Overhivy A.I. Straws
5 th Prize	2 x Gretnahouse Supersonic A.I. Straws

Show Day Arrangements

Below please see the outlined Key Arrangements for Show Day.

Arrival time:	6 am
Show Time:	1 pm
Departure Time:	7 pm

Note: Animals may arrive on the night before (Tuesday 15th) after 8pm.

For Additional Information: Tel: Irish Simmental 057 93 24577 info@irishsimmental.com