

2025 Sheep

Association Cup awarded to Overall Sheep Champion.

Gill Trophy presented by the Gill Family, Banchory, for Reserve Overall Sheep Champion.

Special Prize of £100 for Overall Sheep Champion and £50 for Reserve Overall Sheep Champion.
Kindly sponsored by ABERDEEN & NORTHERN MARTS, INVERURIE.

Sheep Overall Champion and Reserve Overall Champion Sashes and Rosettes.

Kindly sponsored by GORDON CHRISTIE, BANCHORY.

Champions in Suffolk, Blackface, Texel, Blue-Faced Leicester, Blue-Faced Leicester Crossing Type, Northern Short-Tail, Beltex, Blue Texel, Ryeland, Any Other Continental Breed, Any Other Native Breed and Champion from Classes 263 - 264 in Cross Sheep Section are eligible to compete. To be judged at approximately 12.40pm.

New to Banchory this year. The winners of the Best Group of three consisting of One Male and Two Females from every breed go forward for an overall winner.

Special prize of £15 to Overall Champion Group of 3.

Trophy presented by Rodney Blackhall, Raemoir for Overall Champion Group of 3.

YOUNG HANDLERS CLASS

Attending Member – Becka Henderson & David Henderson

Class

193. SENIOR YOUNG HANDLERS CLASS FOR ANYONE 12 to 16 YEARS OLD, FOR ALL BREEDS.

194. INTERMEDIATE YOUNG HANDLERS CLASS FOR ANYONE 8 to 11 YEARS OLD, FOR ALL BREEDS.

195. JUNIOR YOUNG HANDLERS CLASS FOR ANYONE UNDER 7 YEARS OLD FOR ALL BREEDS.

Each handler should be accompanied by an experienced stockperson.

Must be age stated on Show Day.

Special prizes kindly sponsored by NORTH OF SCOTLAND TEXEL CLUB-1st £10, 2nd £5, 3rd £5, 4th £5.

Perpetual Trophy presented by Gordon and Julie Christie, Banchory for Best Senior Young Handler.

Perpetual Trophy presented by Leonard and Doreen McIntosh, Durris for Best Intermediate Young Handler.

Perpetual Trophy presented by Becka and David Henderson, Stonehaven for Best Junior Young Handler.

SUFFOLK
MV Accredited Only

Attending Member – Finlay Taylor

Premiums – 1st £15, 2nd £10, 3rd £8, 4th £5

Class

196. AGED RAM, NOT LESS THAN 2 YEARS OLD

197. SHEARLING RAM

198. EWE, MUST HAVE REARED A LAMB IN 2025

199. GIMMER

200. RAM LAMB

201. EWE LAMB

202. SUFFOLK BREEDERS CLUB PAIR (1 RAM LAMB AND 1 EWE LAMB)

NORTH EAST SUFFOLK BREEDERS CLUB

Class for Best Pair of Suffolk Lambs (1 Ram Lamb and 1 Ewe Lamb)

Rules

All Exhibitors must be members of the Suffolk Club.

Winning Pair of Lambs in this Class may be shown for Suffolk Champion but must be shown as a pair.

No Entries can be accepted which have been at the Highland Show. Rules as decided by the N.E Suffolk Club.

Special prize of a £30 voucher kindly sponsored by NORVITE, INSCH for the best pair of Suffolk Lambs from class 202.

Special Prizes of £15 for Champion Suffolk and £10 for Reserve Champion Suffolk.

Challenge Cup for Champion Suffolk.

Special Prize of £10 for Best Group of Three Suffolk's consisting of One Male and Two Females.

Perpetual Trophy presented for Best Group of Three Suffolk's consisting of One Male and Two Females.

Special Prizes of £10 for Best Pair of Ram Lambs, £5 for Reserve Pair of Ram Lambs, £10 for Best Pair of Ewe Lambs and £5 for Reserve Pair of Ewe Lambs.

BLACKFACE
Non-Accredited Only

Attending Member – Leslie Smith

Premiums – 1st £15, 2nd £10, 3rd £8, 4th £5

Class

203. AGED RAM, NOT LESS THAN 2 YEARS OLD

204. SHEARLING RAM

205. EWE, MUST HAVE REARED A LAMB IN 2025

206. GIMMER

207. RAM LAMB

208. EWE LAMB

Special Prizes of £15 for Champion Blackface and £10 for Reserve Champion Blackface.

Perpetual Salver presented by the late W.G Blackhall, Maryculter in 1969 for the Champion Blackface.

Special Prize of £10 for Best Group of Three Blackfaces consisting of One Male and Two Females.

Arnbarrow Perpetual Trophy presented by A and E Littlejohn for Best Group of Three Blackfaces consisting of One Male and Two Females.

Special Prize of £10 for Best Group of Five Blackfaces consisting of Ram, Ewe, Gimmer, Ram Lamb and Ewe Lamb.

Cup presented by Mrs Somerville, Fettercairn for the Best Group of Five Blackfaces consisting of Ram, Ewe, Gimmer, Ram Lamb and Ewe Lamb. To be won three times (not necessarily in succession) before becoming the absolute property of an Exhibitor.

Special Prizes of £10 for Best Pair of Ram Lambs, £5 for Reserve Pair of Ram Lambs, £10 for Best Pair of Ewe Lambs and £5 for Reserve Pair of Ewe Lambs.

TEXEL

MV Accredited Only

Attending Member – Andrew Watson & Lynne Anderson

Premiums – 1st £15, 2nd £10, 3rd £8, 4th £5

Class

209. AGED RAM, NOT LESS THAN 2 YEARS OLD

210. SHEARLING RAM

211. EWE, MUST HAVE REARED A LAMB IN 2025

212. GIMMER

213. RAM LAMB

214. EWE LAMB

Special Prizes of £15 for Champion Texel and £10 for Reserve Champion Texel.

Challenge Cup presented by Lewis Beddie, Torphins for Champion Texel.

Champion and Reserve Champion Rosettes presented by the Texel Sheep Society.

Special Prize of £10 for Best Group of Three Texel's consisting of One Male and Two Females.

Challenge Cup presented by G.M Agricultural Engineering, Turriff for Best Group of Three Texels consisting of One Male and Two Females.

Special Prizes of £10 for Best Pair of Ram Lambs, £5 for Reserve Pair of Ram Lambs, £10 for Best Pair of Ewe Lambs and £5 for Reserve Pair of Ewe Lambs.

BLUE-FACED LEICESTER

Attending Member – David McCartney & Robbie Coutts

Premiums – 1st £15, 2nd £10, 3rd £8, 4th £5

Class

215. AGED RAM, NOT LESS THAN 2 YEARS OLD

216. SHEARLING RAM

217. EWE, MUST HAVE REARED A LAMB IN 2025

218. GIMMER

219. RAM LAMB

220. EWE LAMB

Christie Cup presented by Messrs. Christie, Fettercairn for Champion Blue Faced Leicester.

Special Prizes of £15 for Champion Blue-Faced Leicester and £10 for Reserve Champion Blue-Faced Leicester.

Special Prize of £10 for Best Group of Three Blue-Faced Leicester's consisting of One Male and Two Females.

Special Prizes of £10 for Best Pair of Ram Lambs, £5 for Reserve Pair of Ram Lambs, £10 for Best Pair of Ewe Lambs and £5 for Reserve Pair of Ewe Lambs.

BLUE-FACED LEICESTER CROSSING TYPE

KINDLY SPONSORED BY CMD STONE, DRUMOAK

Attending Member – Magnus Barclay

Premiums – 1st £15, 2nd £10, 3rd £8, 4th £5

Class

221. AGED RAM, NOT LESS THAN 2 YEARS OLD

222. SHEARLING RAM

223. EWE, MUST HAVE REARED A LAMB IN 2025

224. GIMMER

225. RAM LAMB

226. EWE LAMB

Special Prizes of £15 for Champion Blue – Faced Leicester and £10 for Reserve Champion Blue – Faced Leicester.

Special Prize of £10 for Best Group of Three Blue – Faced Leicester's consisting of One Male and Two Females.

Special Prize of £10 for Best Pair of Ram Lambs, £5 for Reserve Pair of Ram Lambs, £10 for Best Pair of Ewe Lambs and £5 for Reserve Pair of Ewe Lambs.

NORTHERN SHORT-TAIL

Non-Accredited Only

Attending Member – Eric Smith

Premiums – 1st £15, 2nd £10, 3rd £8, 4th £5

Class

227. AGED RAM, NOT LESS THAN 2 YEARS OLD

228. SHEARLING RAM

229. EWE, MUST HAVE REARED A LAMB IN 2025

230. GIMMER

231. RAM LAMB

232. EWE LAMB

Shield presented by A & P Dow, Kincardine O'Neil for the Champion in the Northern Short-Tail Section.

Special Prizes of £15 for Champion Northern Short-Tail and £10 for Reserve Champion Northern Short-Tail.

Special Prize of £10 for Best Group of Three Northern Short-Tails consisting of One Male and Two Females.

Special Prize of £10 for Best Pair of Ram Lambs, £5 for Reserve Pair of Ram Lambs, £10 for Best Pair of Ewe Lambs, £5 for Reserve Pair of Ewe Lambs.

BELTEX

MV Accredited Only

Attending Member – Chris Taylor & Murray Taylor

Premiums – 1st £15, 2nd £10, 3rd £8, 4th £5

Class

233. AGED RAM, NOT LESS THAN 2 YEARS OLD

234. SHEARLING RAM

235. EWE, MUST HAVE REARED A LAMB IN 2025

236. GIMMER

237. RAM LAMB

238. EWE LAMB

Special Prize of £15 for Champion and £10 for Reserve Champion Beltex.

Special Prize of £10 for Best Group of Three Beltex consisting of One Male and Two Females.

Special Prizes of £10 for Best Pair of Ram Lambs, £5 for Reserve Pair of Ram Lambs, £10 for Best Pair of Ewe Lambs and £5 for Reserve Pair of Ewe Lambs.

BLUE TEXEL

Attending Member – Scott Begg & Kenneth Anderson

Premiums – 1st £15, 2nd £10, 3rd £8, 4th £5

Class

239. AGED RAM, NOT LESS THAN 2 YEARS OLD

240. SHEARLING RAM

241. EWE, MUST HAVE REARED A LAMB IN 2025

242. GIMMER

243. RAM LAMB

244. EWE LAMB

Special Prize of £15 for Champion and £10 for Reserve Champion Blue Texel.

Special Prize of £10 for Best Group of Three Blue Texels consisting of One Male and Two Females.

Special Prize of £10 for Best Pair of Ram Lambs, £5 for Reserve Pair of Ram Lambs, £10 for Best Pair of Ewe Lambs, £5 for Reserve Pair of Ewe Lambs.

RYELANDS

Non-Accredited Only

Attending Member – Hugh Gordon, Lewis Emslie & Calum Watt

Premiums – 1st £15, 2nd £10, 3rd £8, 4th £5

Class

245. AGED RAM, NOT LESS THAN 2 YEARS OLD

246. SHEARLING RAM

247. EWE, MUST HAVE REARED A LAMB IN 2025

248. GIMMER

249. RAM LAMB

250. EWE LAMB

Special Prize of £15 for Champion and £10 for Reserve Champion Ryeland.

Special Prize of £10 for Best Group of Three Ryelands consisting of One Male and Two Females.

Special Prize of £10 for Best Pair of Ram Lambs, £5 for Reserve Pair of Ram Lambs, £10 for Best Pair of Ewe Lambs, £5 for Reserve Pair of Ewe Lambs.

ANY OTHER CONTINENTAL BREED SHEEP

Attending Member – Duncan Blackhall & Blair Begg

Premiums – 1st £15, 2nd £10, 3rd £8, 4th £5

Class

251. AGED RAM, NOT LESS THAN 2 YEARS OLD

252. SHEARLING RAM

253. EWE, MUST HAVE REARED A LAMB IN 2025

254. GIMMER

255. RAM LAMB

256. EWE LAMB.

Trophy for Best Exhibit in Any Other Continental Breed Sheep Classes.

Special Prizes of £15 for Champion and £10 for Reserve Champion in Any Other Continental Breed Section.

Special Prize of £10 for Best Group of Three Any Other Continental Breed consisting of One Male and Two Females.

Special Prizes of £10 for Best Pair of Ram Lambs, £5 for Reserve Pair of Ram Lambs, £10 for Best Pair of Ewe Lambs and £5 for Reserve Pair of Ewe Lambs.

ANY OTHER NATIVE BREED SHEEP

Attending Member – Alan Blackhall & Robert Daniel

Premiums – 1st £15, 2nd £10, 3rd £8, 4th £5

Class

257. AGED RAM, NOT LESS THAN 2 YEARS OLD

258. SHEARLING RAM

259. EWE, MUST HAVE REARED A LAMB IN 2025

260. GIMMER

261. RAM LAMB

262. EWE LAMB.

Trophy for Best Exhibit in Any Other Native Breed Sheep Classes.

Special Prizes of £15 for Champion and £10 for Reserve Champion Any Other Native Breed Sheep.

Special Prize of £10 for Best Group of Three Any Other Native Breed Sheep consisting of One Male and Two Females.

Special Prizes of £10 for Best Pair of Ram Lambs, £5 for Reserve Pair of Ram Lambs, £10 for Best Pair of Ewe Lambs and £5 for Reserve Pair of Ewe Lambs.

CROSS SHEEP

Attending Member – Steven Johnstone & Sandy Shepherd

Premiums – 1st £15, 2nd £10, 3rd £8, 4th £5

Class

263. SINGLE EWE OF ANY BREED OR CROSS, MUST HAVE REARED LAMB IN 2025

264. PAIR OF GIMMERS OF ANY BREED OR CROSS

265. THREE TEXEL CROSS LAMB

266. THREE LAMBS OF ANY OTHER BREED OR CROSS

267. THREE LAMBS BEST SUITED FOR BUTCHERS' PURPOSES

268. BEST PET LAMB, ANY BREED OR CROSS

£15 for Champion from Class 263 - 264 and £10 for Reserve Champion.

Special Prize of £15 for Best Pen of Three Lambs.

Special Prize of a £10 voucher kindly sponsored by HARBRO for Champion from classes 263- 264.

The Upper Ashentilly Perpetual Trophy presented by L & D McIntosh, Durris for the Champion Single Ewe or Pair of Gimmers.

Challenge Trophy presented by the late William Abernethy, Crathes to be awarded to the Best Pen of Three Lambs in the Section.

Perpetual Trophy presented by Mr Alasdair Kellas, Kincardine O'Neil for Best Pet Lamb.

CARCASE LAMB COMPETITION

ALL LAMBS ENTERED IN THIS SECTION MUST BE FROM FARM ASSURED HOLDING

Lambs to be tagged and numbers given to Steward

All entered in Class 269 must be entered in 270

On Hook to be held at McIntosh Donald, Portlethen on Monday 28th July 2025

Attending Member – Steven Johnstone & Sandy Shepherd

Premiums for class 269 - 1st £15, 2nd £10, 3rd £8, 4th £5

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Class

269. PEN OF TWO LAMBS ON HOOF

270. PAIR OF LAMBS ON HOOK FROM CLASS 269

If large entry of Entire Male Lambs Class may be split.

Special Prizes of £15 for Champion Carcase Lambs on Hoof and £10 for Reserve Champion Carcase Lambs on Hoof.

Special prize of a £10 voucher kindly sponsored by HARBRO for the Champion Carcase Lambs on the Hoof.

Special Prizes of £15 for Champion Carcase Lambs on Hook and £10 for Reserve Champion Carcase Lambs on Hook.

Special prize of a £10 voucher kindly sponsored by HARBRO for the Champion Carcase Lambs on the Hook.

Perpetual Trophy presented by Messrs. Christie, Banchory for Best Pair of Lambs on Hoof.

Challenge Cup presented by the late Messrs. Middleton, Culter for the Best Pair of Lambs on Hook to be won outright if won three times not necessarily in succession.