

## **SCHEDULE**



## LiveScot & Native Pony Winter Fair

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> and Saturday 27th November 2021 Lanark Agricultural Centre, Lanark

Beef Cattle, Sheep, Commercial Calf Show, Dairy Show, Beef Ribs & Saddle of Lamb competition, Highland and Shetland Pony Show, Poultry Show, Young Handlers Competitions, Baking & Crafts Section, Potatoes, Grain, Hay, Grass Silage & Crooks

AND our newest editions pedigree calf and lamb classes

## Scottish National Premier Meat Exhibition

Wednesday 10th & Saturday 13th November 2021 Lawrie and Symington Lanark & Scotbeef Live/Dead Competition – Prime Cattle, Cows and Sheep

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All LiveScot and PME entries close: Friday 8<sup>th</sup> October
LATE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED

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#### **BAKING AND CRAFTS SECTION**

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# BEEF RIBS & SADDLE OF LAMB COMPETITIONS

With the support of the Royal Smithfield Club & Kepak McIntosh Donald



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Prizes:  $1^{st}$  - £40,  $2^{nd}$  - £30,  $3^{rd}$  - £20 Champion - £50 Reserve Champion - £25

Entries close: Friday 29th October 2021

**Delivery of entry**: The abattoir or producer is to arrange delivery of the entry to Lanark Agricultural Centre by 8am on Saturday 27th November 2021.

#### **BEEF RIBS**

Class 101 – Heifer Class 102 – Steer

Maximum whole carcass cold weight 380 kg.

All steers and heifers must be under 30 months of age.

The Champion Beef Rib will receive The Royal Smithfield LiveScot Perpetual Beef Rib Trophy

#### Preparation of entry:

The abattoir is to butcher the carcass to present The Primal Cut:

- A four-bone forerib cut from a nine-bone forequarter
- Ribs to be taken from the left-hand quarter (viewing live animal from rear; right of carcass when hung)
- Rib length not less than 2" and not more than 4" from edge of eye muscle
- Ribs to be untrimmed

Slaughter: The abattoir is to slaughter the animal approximately 8-10 days prior to the show

#### **SADDLE OF LAMB**

Class 103 – Lamb carcass, any breed or cross (up to 25 Kg) Class 104 – Lamb carcass, any breed or cross (over 25 Kg)

The Champion Saddle of Lamb will receive The Royal Smithfield LiveScot Perpetual Saddle of Lamb Trophy

#### Preparation of entry:

The abattoir is to butcher the carcass to present The Primal Cut:

- Full Saddle
- Cutting 6<sup>th</sup> rib from forequarter to the Chump
- Leaving Kidney knob in
- Breast off

**Slaughter:** The abattoir is to slaughter the animal approximately 5-7 days prior to the show

**Note**: The stewards reserve the right to make a short lead of entries if required.

#### **RULES & REGULATIONS**

Terms of Reference:

"Organiser" - Scottish National Fat Stock Club

"Showground" - Lanark Agricultural Centre or Scotbeef

"Event" – LiveScot or Premier Meat Exhibition

"Date of Event" – 10th, 13th or 27th November 2021

#### Disclaimer of Liability to Exhibitors

1. The Organiser shall disclaim liability for death or personal injury caused by the negligence of the Organiser, its employees, contractors, representatives or agents or any person whilst entering or leaving the Showground. The Organiser shall not be responsible for death, injury, disease or loss caused to any exhibitor or to his servant or agent, or to any animal, insect, bird or thing or whatever nature exhibited by the said Exhibitor or by an Vehicle brought by the Exhibitor to the Showground or Car Parks from whatever cause, death, injury, disease or loss arises. Exhibitors are at their own liability for their cattle.

Acceptance of the foregoing provisions is a condition of entry. Exhibitors are advised to insure against fire and other appropriate risk not only as regards their own property but also against any third party claims.

#### **Entry Fees**

- Entry fees are as stated at the beginning of each section.
   The correct monies must be remitted with the entry form in order that the entries can be processed. NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN.
- 3. Every entry form must be completed fully and signed by the Exhibitor or his authorised agent and by the Breeder, where appropriate, at time of entry. Where a class is provided for a specific breed or cross, animals of that breed or cross may only be entered in that class. Where animals are eligible for pure-bred or bred by exhibitor classes, it must be clearly stated on the entry form. No animal shall be entered in more than one class.

#### Age of Animals: Castration

4. The dates of birth of all Cattle except those entered in Butchers' Cattle and Cattle Carcase Classes, Live Sheep and Carcase Sheep classes must be stated accurately on the Certificate of Entry, and the ages will be calculated up to the date of the Show. In the case of sheep, the year of birth only to be given. All Steers must have been castrated before attaining the age of nine months. All wethers entered in the Live Sheep Classes must have been castrated before attaining the age of three months.

#### Ear Tags

5. All exhibitors must ensure that either UK or individual numbers are clear on movement documents and licences and their sheep are tagged with catalogue identification. All sheep must be tagged with catalogue identification and EID as necessary in accordance with Scottish Government and DEFRA Regulations.

#### **Correctness of Entries**

6. Exhibitors are solely responsible for the accuracy and eligibility of their entries. Exhibitors and Breeders must prove the correctness of their certificates if required to do so by the Stewards. If satisfactory proof is not presented by 14th December after LiveScot, the Exhibitor may be debarred from exhibiting at a future LiveScot and any prizes awarded will be forfeited.

#### Limitation of Entries

7. The Organiser reserves the right to refuse entries and to return the entry fees of any person. In the event of more entries being made for Classes in this Schedule than can be accommodated, the Organiser reserves the right to require Exhibitors to make a proportional reduction in the number of their entries, in which case a refund will be made of the relative entry fees.

#### Refusal of Entries

8. The Trustees of the Scottish National Fat Stock Club reserve the right to refuse, cancel or prohibit the exhibition of entries from any person, banned or under suspension by any agricultural breed society or club. Furthermore The Trustees of the Scottish National Fat Stock Club reserve the right to prohibit any such person to exhibit or act as an agent for any third party at LiveScot 2021.

#### **Examination by Veterinary Inspector**

- 9. All Cattle and Sheep shall be subjected to examination by a Veterinary Inspector, appointed by the Organisers, who shall satisfy themselves that the animals conform to the Regulations. Where an animal fails to satisfy the Veterinary Inspector, particularly with regard to dentition or castration, the matter shall be reported immediately to the Chief Steward, who may disqualify the animal. Animals suffering from Ringworm or any other infectious or contagious ailment may not be brought to LiveScot. Contravention of this Regulation shall render the Exhibitor liable to a fine of £20 and to disqualification. All such animals will be immediately removed from the Showground.
- 10. All animals must be inspected by LiveScot's veterinary surgeon before entry to stalling. Any animals not being vetted will be automatically disqualified.
- 11. All heifers must be free of the bull prior to closing date of entries for the competition ALL HEIFERS WILL BE SCANNED PRIOR TO THE COMPETITION and any animal found to be in calf will be disqualified with no refund of entry.

#### **Exhibition of Animals**

12. All exhibits must be paraded before Judges unless a Veterinary Surgeon's certificate is produced giving adequate reason for not parading the animal. In the event of any exhibit not complying with this regulation it will be debarred from the Auction Sale of Stock.

#### **Protests**

13. All protests must be made in writing to the Organiser before 5 p.m. on Saturday 27th November 2021 pertaining to the Lanark event and Wednesday 10th November 2021 pertaining to the Stirling event and must be accompanied by a deposit of £20 in each case which will be returned if the protest is upheld.

#### **Judges**

14. The Judges selected will be persons well qualified for the office; and with reference to the livestock, they will be requested to base their decisions on the amount and quality of flesh and early maturity, the main object being to encourage breeding and feeding of stock for the requirements of the public.

#### Disqualification

- 15. The Chief Steward has the power to disqualify any entry which has been entered in a wrong Class, or which is not of a breed or variety qualified to compete in the Class in which it is entered, and in cases where any Regulation has been broken with respect to such entry.
  - No Exhibitor shall have power to appeal, upon any ground whatsoever, from any disqualification made by the Judges.

#### **Presentation for Competition**

16. No animal or pen of animals shall again compete against any other animal or pen of animals that has previously been awarded a higher placing at the same Scottish National Winter Fair.

#### Prizewinners Disqualified

17. In the case of any Prize animal or exhibit being disqualified, the winner of the next succeeding Prize in that Class shall take the Prize that had been awarded to such disqualified animal or exhibit and the lowest Prize in the Class shall go to the reserve exhibit if there is sufficient merit.

#### Ownership

18. All Cattle and Sheep exhibited must have been **bona fide** the property of the Exhibitor at the published closing date for entries.

#### Responsibility of Exhibitors

19. The Exhibitors shall in all cases be considered responsible for the care of the Stock sold during the continuance of the Show, unless special agreement be made to the contrary.

#### Malpractice

20. A Veterinary Surgeon will be in attendance throughout LiveScot. Exhibitors must not carry out the inoculation of Livestock except in the presence of the official Veterinary Surgeon. Stewards and Judges are required to report at once to the Organiser any malpractice's observed or brought to their notice, and any animal which, in the opinion of the Stewards shall show evidence of malpractice, or addition or insertion of any extraneous substance, shall be reported to the Organiser with a view to disqualification and the Organiser shall determine whether the Exhibitor and/or his servant shall be allowed to exhibit at future Shows. The Stewards shall have full power without the consent of the Exhibitor to arrange for an exploratory operation or the slaughter of any such exhibit. Payment of any compensation, and, if so, the amount there of shall be at the sole discretion of the Organiser.

#### **Stock Attendants**

21. Stock Attendants must remain in attendance on their Stock during the continuance of the Show. All persons in charge of Stock will be subject to the order of the Stewards or Secretary, and they must be in attendance upon their animals for the purpose of having them weighed.

Exhibitors and Stock Attendants are on no account to have any communication with the Judges, and any information required from them must only be given through the medium of the attending Steward or the Secretary.

If any lot or lots of Stock are without an attendant during the time of Judging, they are liable to be passed over by the Judges as disqualified. To avoid delays in the Judging Rings, Exhibitors of Livestock must instruct their Stock Attendants to remain in close attendance upon their animals until the close of the Judging, under a penalty of £20 for those neglecting this Rule.

#### Attending Members' duties

22. Attending Members will accompany the Judges of each Section. It will be the duty of Attending Members to bring the animals out to the Judges and to see that no obstruction is offered to them, and that the space reserved for them is not encroached upon; to ticket the prize animals; to assist the Judges in completing the return of awards; and should any difficulty arise, to communicate with the Stewards or Secretary.

#### Distinguishing Number Tickets/Halter Tags

23. Animals while competing must only be distinguished by the number on their ticket, which should always be attached to them during the Show. Exhibitors of Sheep must also attach plastic number tags to their animals. Exhibitors of animals incorrectly numbered for weighing or placing in position will be subject to a fine of £20 in each case, and no Exhibitor will be allowed to compete at future Shows of the Organiser until such fine has been paid.

#### Grain etc sent for Competition

24. Grain, Silage and Hay etc for competitions must be in the Showground by 10.00a.m. on Saturday 27th November.

#### Food, Forage and Feeding Appliances

25. Straw will be provided free of charge. Exhibitors must provide their own feeding stuffs, pails or buckets and feeding troughs.

#### **Electrical Equipment**

26. Exhibitors must provide and use circuit breakers with all blowers and other electrical equipment and it is the exhibitor's responsibility to ensure that all electrical equipment is inspected and labelled as having been P.A.T. tested

#### Removal of Exhibits

27. No Livestock, other exhibits or implements shall be withdrawn from the Showground before 6.00 p.m. or such time as the Organisers may decide, on Saturday 27th November 2021. No animal shall be removed from its stall or pen until permission is given by the Stewards, who will determine the order of removal of Livestock.

All livestock will have to be removed from the showground by 9.00 p.m. on Saturday

27th November 2021 or 10.00 a.m. on Sunday 28th November by arrangement.

#### Payment of Prizes

28. Premiums will be paid by Cheque after the event.

#### **Interpretation of Regulations**

- 29. The decisions of the Chief Stewards acting for the Organisers are final in all matters relating to the Regulations contained in this prize list.
- 30. The Organisers' Health and Safety procedures must be complied with at all times.

#### TB HOTSPOT AREAS

We require that all cattle coming directly from high incidence TB areas (one or two yearly testing parishes — all currently in England and Wales), or cattle that have been purchased from these areas within the last 6 months, must be tested clear of TB during the 60 days before arrival at the event and must have a veterinary certificate or a test chart as confirmation.

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