

SHOW SALE CATALOGUE

BEDFORD LIVESTOCK SHOW SOCIETY

2024

MICHAELMAS SHOW

to be held on

SATURDAY 21st SEPTEMBER 2024

at

THRAPSTON MARKET

PRESIDENT: Mr David Gunner

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Miss Molly Bampton

Mr Paul Bates

Mr Tom Blakemore

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Mr Fred Wootton

Secretary: Alistair Brodie

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*Presentation of the Prizes will take place at the Annual
Dinner & Dance, to be held at Bedford Blues Rugby Club, on the evening of
Friday 22nd November 2024, 6.00 pm for 7.30 pm
Tickets £60 from the Chairman or Committee*

GUESS THE WEIGHT COMPETITION

A competition will be held to guess the weight of a beast.

All are invited to have a go at guessing the weight, on the hoof, in kilograms. A donation from the competition will go to the Society's chosen charity:-

East Anglian Air Ambulance

The beast will be weighed by the Senior Auctioneer at the beginning of the Michaelmas Show on Saturday 21st September 2024.

PRIZE : BOTTLE OF SCOTCH WHISKY

LIST OF JUDGES & STEWARDS

CATTLE CLASSES

Judges: Cattle: **Mr Peter Dunn**
Calves: **Mr Leigh Granger**
Stewards: Mr Paul Bates
Mr Josh Geary
Mr James Hopperton
Mr Sam Helliwell
Mr Andrew Wager (calves)

SHEEP CLASSES

Judge: **Mr Steve Deeming**
Stewards: Mr Tom Blakemore
Mr Russell Cartwright
Mr Pat Mould
Mr William Saunders
Mr Fred Wootton

PIG CLASSES

Judge: **Mr Keith Littlewood**
Steward: Mr James Hopperton

GOAT CLASS

Judge: **Mr Keith Littlewood**
Steward: Mr Freddie Wootton

POULTRY CLASSES

Judge: **Daniel Twell**
Stewards: Nigel Farmer & Lyndon Read

TIMETABLE

9.00 am	All entries penned
9.15 am	Judging of the Stock
10.00 am	Sale of Show Poultry
10.30 am	Sale of Show Pigs, followed by Commercial Pigs & Goats
	Sale of Show Calves followed by Commercial Calves
	Sale of Show Sheep followed by Commercial Sheep
11.30 am	Sale of Show Cattle followed by Commercial Cattle

Please Note:

The Champion and Reserve Champion of each section will be sold first, followed by each class in lot order, irrespective of awards.

REMARKS

Entries are all subject to the rules as published on the schedule and entry forms.
Prize colours: 1st - Red, 2nd - Blue, 3rd - Yellow, 4th - Green, 5th - Brown

Exhibitors' rosettes will be pinned to sheep, pig and goat pens and handed to the cattle exhibitors. Buyers may obtain duplicate rosettes for first prize winners and Champions from the Market Office, when collecting their bills.

LIST OF TROPHIES & PRIZES

CATTLE

- Champion Beast - Challenge Cup presented by Mr A J Merry & Mr R Dolemore
- A Cash Prize of £150
- Reserve Champion - A Challenge Cup presented by the late Mr Joseph Roff
- A Cash Prize of £75
- Best Beast of Opposite Sex to the Champion - A Challenge Trophy presented by the Luton Industrial Co-operative Society
- A Cash Prize of £25
- Young Exhibitor - A Cash Prize of £50, for the Best Animal shown by an exhibitor aged 10 - 26 years in Classes 1 to 6
- Best Turned Out Beast - A Cash Prize of £25
- Best Beast of Non Continental Breeding - A Challenge Cup presented by Mr G T Frossell for the Best Animal of Traditional Native Breeding
+ A £25 Shearwell Voucher
- Hereford Prize - A Challenge Cup presented by the Midland & East Anglian Hereford Breeders Association for the Best Animal sired by a Pedigree Hereford Bull
+ A £25 Shearwell Voucher

CLASSES 1 - 5 - A Challenge Cup presented by Messrs Banks of Sandy for the Best Steer in Classes 1 - 5

CLASSES 1 - 5 - A Challenge Cup presented by FBC Ltd for the Best Heifer in Classes 1 - 5

CLASSES 1 - 6 - A Challenge Cup, presented by Mr E S Jones, of Haynes, for the Best Steer or Heifer shown by a Young Exhibitor aged 10 - 26 years

CLASSES 1 - 5 - The Edward Stratford Memorial Trophy, presented by Mrs Mabel Stratford, for the Best Steer or Heifer bred by the Exhibitor in Classes 1 - 5
+ A £25 Shearwell Voucher

CLASS 5 - The Richard (Dick) King Memorial Cup, for the Best Pair of Beasts in Class 5

CLASS 6

- A Challenge Cup, presented by Mr Andrew Wager, for the Best Calf under 3 months of age exhibited in Class 6

CLASS 4

- Young Beast Prize - A Challenge Cup presented by Mrs B Brown, for the Best Animal in Class 4

SHEEP

- Champion Pen - A Challenge Cup presented by Mr & Mrs F W Wallis of Riseley, for the Champion Pen of Lambs in Classes 7, 8, 9 & 11
 - A Cash Prize of £100
- Reserve Champion Pen - A Challenge Cup presented by Berry Bros & Cowling for the Reserve Champion Pen of Lambs in Classes 7, 8, 9 & 11
 - A Cash Prize of £50

CLASS 16

- A Challenge Cup, presented by Mr & Mrs J Hurley, in memory of their late son David, for the Best Pen of Sheep shown by an exhibitor aged 10 - 26 years
 - A Cash Prize of £50

PIGS

- Champion Pig - A Challenge Cup, presented by Mr & Mrs E D Benson of Wavendon, for the Champion Pig entered in Class 14
 - A Cash Prize of £75
- Reserve Champion Pig - A Challenge Cup, presented by Mr Howard Stanbridge, for the Reserve Champion Pig entered in Class 14
 - Cash Prize of £25
- Young Exhibitor - A Cash Prize of £50, for the Best Pig shown by an exhibitor aged 10 - 26 years

GOATS

- Champion Goat - A £25 Shearwell Voucher

THE ALAN HOWE MEMORIAL SALVER

Presented by Mrs Betty Howe in memory of her late husband Alan, awarded to the Exhibitor gaining the most points in the cattle, sheep, pig and goat sections of the show based on the following points system:-

Champion: 5 Reserve Champion: 4 First: 3 Second: 2 Third: 1

Higher awards take precedence, in the event of a tie.

CHAMPIONSHIP RESULTS 2024

CATTLE

CHAMPION BEAST

WON BY

RESERVE CHAMPION BEAST

WON BY

BEST BEAST OF OPPOSITE SEX TO THE CHAMPION

WON BY

SHEEP

CHAMPION PEN OF SHEEP

WON BY

RESERVE CHAMPION PEN OF SHEEP

WON BY

PIGS

CHAMPION PIG

WON BY

RESERVE CHAMPION PIG

WON BY

GOATS

CHAMPION GOAT

WON BY

POULTRY CLASSES

CHAMPION BIRD

WON BY

RESERVE CHAMPION BIRD

WON BY

CATTLE CLASSES

CATTLE (Sold at 11.30 am) - Sponsored by Barton Petroleum

(Breed/etc)

- Class 1 Best Haltered Beast**
(1st £100, 2nd £80, 3rd £60, 4th £40, 5th £20)
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|----|----------------------------------|-------------------|
| 1. | G R Fountaine & Son, Beachampton | Lim X (Home Bred) |
| 2. | Josh Geary, Hanslope (YE) | Pure Hereford |
| 3. | Kevin Ludgate, Tebworth | Lim X Heifer |
| 4. | D G Short, Warmington | Steer (465) |
- Class 2 Best Continental Beast (unhaltered)**
(1st £100, 2nd £80, 3rd £60, 4th £40, 5th £20)
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| 11. | G R Fountaine & Son, Beachampton | BBX (Home Bred) |
| 12. | Angela Gates, Kempston | Lim Steer (031) |
| 13. | Angela Gates, Kempston | Lim Heifer (029) |
| 14. | Angela Gates, Kempston | Lim Heifer (035) |
| 15. | Kevin Ludgate, Tebworth | Lim X Heifer |
- Class 3 Best Native Bred Beast (unhaltered)**
(1st £100, 2nd £80, 3rd £60, 4th £40, 5th £20)
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| 21. | G R Fountaine & Son, Beachampton | Angus X |
| 22. | Henry Harrison, Wilden (YE) | Hereford Steer (Homebred) |
| 23. | Archie How, Hargrave (YE) | Hereford |
| 24. | Archie How, Hargrave (YE) | Hereford |
| 25. | D G Short, Warmington | Hereford Steer |
| 26. | D G Short, Warmington | Hereford Steer |
- Class 4 Best Store Beast (under 12 months - unhaltered)**
(1st £100, 2nd £80, 3rd £60, 4th £40, 5th £20)
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| 31. | Fred Wootton, Ravensden (YE) | Aberdeen Angus X Steer |
| 32. | Fred Wootton, Ravensden (YE) | Aberdeen Angus X Steer |
- Class 5 Best Pair of Beasts (unhaltered)**
(1st £100, 2nd £80, 3rd £60, 4th £40, 5th £20)
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| 39. & 40. | R A Ford, Hallaton | South Devon |
| 41. & 42. | Angela Gates, Kempston | Lim Steer (033/034) |
| 43. & 44. | C E Hancock & Son, Sandbach | Lim Steers |
| 45. & 46. | SJ & RE Helliwell, Wootton | Lim/BBX Steer |
| 47. & 48. | Charles Hopperton, Staughton Moor | Devon Steers |
| 49. & 50. | Charles Hopperton, Staughton Moor | Angus Steers |
| 51. & 52. | Kevin Ludgate, Tebworth | BBX Steers |
- Class 6 Best Calf (unhaltered)**
(1st £100, 2nd £80, 3rd £60, 4th £40, 5th £20)
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| 35. | J E G James, Bozeat | Blue Bull |
| 36. | J E G James, Bozeat | Blue Bull |
| 37. | J E G James, Bozeat | Blue Bull |
| 38. | J E G James, Bozeat | Blue Heifer |
| 39. | J E G James, Bozeat | Blue Heifer |
| 40. | J E G James, Bozeat | Angus Bull |

SHEEP CLASSES (Sold at 10.30 am) - Sponsored by Richardson Machinery Sales Ltd

Class 7	Best Pen of 3 Continental Sired Lambs (1st £60, 2nd £40, 3rd £30, 4th £20, 5th £10)	
Pen 67.	Cartwright Farms, Turvey	Continental X
Pen 68.	G R Fountaine & Son, Beachampton	Beltex X (Home Bred)
Pen 69.	G R Fountaine & Son, Beachampton	Texel X (Home Bred)
Pen 70.	Josh Geary, Hanslope (YE)	Beltex X
Pen 71.	S J Hubbard, Oakham	Texel
Pen 72.	S J Hubbard, Oakham	Texel/Beltex
Pen 73.	M & M Hutton, Ashby Parva	Roussin X
Pen 74.	W H Saunders, Oakley	Texel X
Pen 75.	Mark & Sophie Turner, Oakham	Texel X
Pen 76.	Ann Wilson, Harpole	Rouge

Class 8	Best Pen of 3 Native Sired Lambs (1st £60, 2nd £40, 3rd £30, 4th £20, 5th £10)	
Pen 78.	G R Fountaine & Son, Beachampton	Suffolk X
Pen 79.	Henry Harrison, Wilden (YE)	Lleyn
Pen 80.	Edward Harrison, Wilden (YE)	Lleyn
Pen 81.	Stimpson & Co Ltd, Stoke Goldington	Cheviot X
Pen 82.	Scald End Farm, Thurleigh	Lleyn
Pen 83.	Mark & Sophie Turner, Oakham	Border Leicester X

Class 9	Best Pen of 6 or more Store Lambs (1st £60, 2nd £40, 3rd £30, 4th £20, 5th £10)	
Pen 84.	W G Childs & Son, Twywell	Texel X
Pen 85.	Josh Geary, Hanslope (YE)	Texel X
Pen 86.	DLJ Hughes, Baldock	Suffolk
Pen 87.	M & M Hutton, Ashby Parva	Roussin X
Pen 88.	Padray Farms, Higham Ferrers	Texel
Pen 89.	Padray Farms, Higham Ferrers	Texel
Pen 90.	Chayse Sansom, Deenethorpe (YE)	Texel
Pen 91.	Troy Sansom, Deenethorpe (YE)	Texel
Pen 92.	Scald End Farm, Thurleigh	Lleyn
Pen 93.	J Woodbridge & M Wallis, Wadenhoe	Texel X

Class 10	Best Pen of 3 or more Breeding Theaves (1st £60, 2nd £40, 3rd £30, 4th £20, 5th £10)	
Pen 94.	Mark & Sophie Turner, Oakham	Border Leicester X
Pen 95.	J Woodbridge & M Wallis, Wadenhoe	5 Texel X
Pen 96.	J Woodbridge & M Wallis, Wadenhoe	Suffolk X

Class 11 Best Pen of 3 or more Ewe Lambs

(1st £60, 2nd £40, 3rd £30, 4th £20, 5th £10)

Pen 97.	Mark Blakemore, Pavenham	Texel
Pen 98.	Tom Blakemore, Pavenham	Blue Texel
Pen 99.	W G Childs & Son, Twywell	6 Texel X
Pen 100.	G R Fountaine & Son, Beachampton	Blue Texel (Home Bred)
Pen 101.	G R Fountaine & Son, Beachampton	Texel X (Home Bred)
Pen 102.	Patrick Fraser, Leighton Buzzard (YE)	6 Texel
Pen 103.	DLJ Hughes, Baldock	Suffolk
Pen 104.	S J Hubbard, Oakham	Texel
Pen 105.	M & M Hutton, Ashby Parva	Texel X
Pen 106.	W H Saunders, Oakley	Texel X
Pen 107.	Chayse Sansom, Deenethorpe (YE)	Texel
Pen 108.	Troy Sansom, Deenethorpe (YE)	Texel
Pen 109.	Stimpson & Co Ltd, Stoke Goldington	Cheviot X

Class 12 Best Pen of 3 or more Cull Ewes

(1st £60, 2nd £40, 3rd £30, 4th £20, 5th £10)

Pen 113.	Mark Blakemore, Pavenham	Texel
Pen 115.	Tom Blakemore, Pavenham	Texel
Pen 117.	Cartwright Farms, Turvey	Continental X
Pen 119.	Patrick Fraser, Leighton Buzzard (YE)	Texel
Pen 121.	Josh Geary, Hanslope (YE)	Texel X
Pen 123.	Henry Harrison, Wilden (YE)	Lleyn
Pen 125.	S J Hubbard, Oakham	Texel/Beltex
Pen 127.	W H Saunders, Oakley	Texel X

PIG CLASSES (Sold at 10.30 am) - Sponsored by Arnold Thomson**Class 13 Best Single Butcher's Pig of any weight**

(1st £60, 2nd £40, 3rd £30, 4th £20, 5th £10)

Fineseasons, Sutton Bassett	Large White X
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Class 14 Best Pen of 2 or More Pigs of any weight

(1st £60, 2nd £40, 3rd £30, 4th £20, 5th £10)

Fineseasons, Sutton Bassett	7 Pietrain Piglets
Fineseasons, Sutton Bassett	6 Pietrain Piglets

GOAT CLASS (Sold at 10.30 am) - Sponsored by Shearwell**Class 15 Best Single Goat of any weight**

(1st £60, 2nd £40, 3rd £30, 4th £20, 5th £10)

Wild Berry Farm, Radwell	Boer Billy
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**POULTRY CLASSES (Sold at 10am) - Sponsored by NFU Mutual
Bedfordshire**

(Rosettes Awarded)

Further Entries in these classes will be accepted on the day up to 9am. Please see the Stewards who will direct you to the correct pens according to the classes

Class 16 Child (exhibitor under 10 years) - **Any Breed of Chicken or Waterfowl**

Class 17 Juvenile (exhibitor 10-16 years) **Any Breed of Chicken or Waterfowl**

Class 18 Any Breed of Large Fowl (no game birds)

Class 19 Any Breed of Bantam

Class 20 Lightweight Ducks (including Call Ducks)

Class 21 Heavyweight Ducks

Class 22 Game Birds

Class 23 Turkeys & Geese

Class 24 Pairs & Trios

THE ANNUAL DINNER & DANCE

Together with Presentation of Prizes

To be held this year

at

BEDFORD BLUES RUGBY CLUB

6.30 pm for 7.30 pm

(Please note that the Bar will close at 7.15pm for 15 minutes to ensure that the evening's proceedings commence on time)

Friday 22nd November 2024

Tickets £60 per person

Mark Blakemore 07802 291171

William Saunders 07711 089677

Charlie Tomkins 07801 420747

or from Bletsoes office 01832 732241

Bedford Blues Rugby Club
The Marquee, Goldington Road, Bedford MK40 3NE

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