Cattle & Sheep Section

Section Secretary & Entries to: **Mrs J A Sedgewick** Ricknall Grange Farm, Ricknall Lane, Aycliffe, Co Durham DL5 6JQ Telephone: 07836 773888 Email: juliesedgewick45@gmail.com If you enter online, please send an email to the above email address to inform me you have entered Entry Form at rear of schedule and available at www.sedgefieldshow.co.uk Cattle Entry Fee: £5 per class (young handler class - no entry fee) Prize Money: Classes 1 to 12 1st £20 2nd £15 3rd £10 Prize Money: Class 13 & 14 1st £15 2nd £10 3rd £5 Sheep Entry Fee: £4 per class (young handler and pet lamb class - no entry fee) Prize Money: Classes 15 to 26 1st £15 2nd £10 3rd £5 Prize Money: Classes 27,28,29,30 1st £10 2nd £6 3rd £4 _____ Please use the Cattle / Sheep Form and enclose a SAE. Entries close Monday 24th July 2023 - No late entries accepted. Classes will be conducted under current DEFRA regulations. Judging commences: Sheep and Cattle at 9.30am Exhibitor to remove all bedding before leaving the Show field. Trophies will be presented by the judges in the Cattle Secretaries tent after judging. Cups to be held for one year only. No Grand Parade of cattle or sheep. CONTINENTAL, NATIVE, COMMERCIAL AND YOUNG HANDLER CLASSES

Judge: Jim Courts, Thirsk

Trophies:

Hallmark Shield: Donated by Lucyland Blondes awarded to the Overall Interbreed Champion animal in the cattle section.

The Robert Brown Bowl: Donated by the late R Brown Esq awarded for the best pair of Cattle (pedigree or commercial) in the Show, the property of one owner.

The George Marley Salver: awarded to the Best Beef Animal shown in either the Pedigree, Native or Commercial classes by an exhibitor residing within a 5 miles radius of Sedgefield.

Seagrave Trophy: Donated by Janie's Pantry awarded to the best overall Continental animal.

A Silver Challenge Cup: Donated by the late Mrs Ramsden OBE and awarded to the Best Cross Bred Heifer

A Perpetual Challenge Cup: Donated by E B Hopkinson Esq and awarded to the Best Cross Bred Steer

The Ralph Holmes Trophy: Will be awarded to the Best Cross Bred Calf.

Hays Travel Young Handlers Trophy: Will be awarded to the Champion Cattle Young Handler

The Ted Pinkney Trophy: Will be presented to the Overall Pedigree Champion The Native Champion Cup: Will be presented to the Overall Native Cattle Champion Sedgefield Challenge Cup: Will be presented to Overall Commercial Beef Champion

Continental Beef Pedigree Classes

- Class 1 Any Continental Bull Any Age
- Class 2 Any Continental Cow or Heifer, born before 31st December 2020, in calf or with calf at foot.
- Class 3 Any Continental Maiden Heifer
- Class 4 Best Pair of Continental Animals (Owned by the same exhibitor)

Classes may by amalgamated or split dependent on entries

Native Pedigree Beef Classes

- Class 5 Any Native Bull Any Age
- Class 6 Any Native Cow or Heifer, born before 31st December 2020, in calf or with calf at foot.
- Class 7 Any Native Maiden Heifer
- Class 8 Best Pair of Native Animals (Owned by the same exhibitor)

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Commercial Beef Classes

- Class 9 Best Cross Bred Heifer
- Class 10 Best Cross Bred Steer
- Class 11 Best Cross Bred Pair (Owned by the same exhibitor)
- Class 12 Best Cross Bred Calf born 1st January 2023 onwards

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Best Cattle Young Handler to be judged after classes 1 - 12

- Class 13 Beef Cattle Young Handler 13 years and under (To be judged on the handling and knowledge of the animal)
- Class 14 Beef Cattle Young Handler 14 years to 18 years (to be judged on the handling and knowledge of the animal) No bulls or horned cattle to be used.

ALL CATTLE MUST BE HALTERED AND CANNOT BE RE-SHOWN IN ANY OTHER SECTION WITH THE EXCEPTION OF PAIRS

CONTINENTAL, CROSS BRED, NATIVE SHEEP YOUNG HANDLER & PET LAMB

Please note that due to space restrictions some classes have been changed for 2023, a native section has been added this year.

A waiting list will be started when we reach the maximum sheep entries, so please enter early.

We have also slightly increased the prize money.

A fourth prize of £4, will be awarded in any class with over ten entries.

A Challenge Cup kindly donated by the late W Craggs awarded to the Champion Continental Sheep from classes 15 to 18.

A Silver Salver kindly donated by the late Miss E E Brown will be awarded to the Champion British cross bred sheep from classes 19 to 21.

The Frank Hedley Challenge Cup awarded to the Champion Native Pure Bred Sheep from classes 25 & 26.

The George Robert Harrison Memorial Trophy will be awarded to the Champion Sheep Young Handler

Armstrong Richardson Trophy will be awarded to the Champion Pet Lamb

Tinsley Challenge Cup will be awarded to The Overall Sheep Champion

Judge: Robin Williamson, Hamsterley, Co Durham

Continental Pure or Continental Cross Bred

- Class 15 Continental ram, any age
- Class 16 Ewe to have reared lambs in 2023
- Class 17 Continental Gimmer Shearling
- Class 18 Continental Gimmer lamb

Maximum of two entries per class, per exhibitor

British cross bred shearlings

- Class 19 Mule Gimmer Shearling
- Class 20 Suffolk Cross Shearling
- Class 21 Any other British down breed cross

Maximum of two entries per class, per exhibitor

Judge: Philip Cowan, Witton le Wear, Co Durham

Native Pure bred

- Class 25 Native Ram, any age
- Class 26 Native ewe or shearling gimmer

Maximum of two entries per class, per exhibitor

SHEEP YOUNG HANDLERS

Judges: Philip and Amy Cowan, Witton le Wear, Co Durham THE CLASSES WILL BE JUDGED AT 10.30 AM (stock must arrive before 9.30am)

- Class 27 Best Sheep Young Handler 8 years and under (to be judged on the handling, knowledge and turnout of handler and animal)
- Class 28 Best Sheep Young handler 9yrs to 14 years (to be judged on handling, knowledge and turnout of handler and animal)
- Class 29 Best Pet lamb to be shown by 8 years and under. Lamb not to be shown in any other class and will have to be led.
- Class 30 Best Pet lamb to be shown by 9 years to 14 years. Lamb not to be shown in any other class and will have to be led.

PET LAMBS NOT TO BE SHOWN IN ANY OTHER CLASS AND WILL HAVE TO BE LED