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Chairman's Welcome

Welcome once again to Beith Farmers' Society's Annual Show, at our new home Hill of Beith Farm. As we look forward to Another show season let's hope the weather helps to make the day and the coming year a Pleasure.

I would like to thank all the sponsors and Exhibitors for their continued support and, Hopefully it will be a Great Day Out for all.

lan Gillan, Chairman

Annual Show

Hill of Beith Farm, Beith - Saturday 26th April 2025

CPH Number: 69/201/8000

Entrance all Vehicles turn up the farm road to enter the field. Limited parking in Show field over flow car park at Geilsland

Classes:	Dairy Cattle, Prime Stock, Commercial Breeds, Highland, Sheep Clydesdale, Ponies, Dogs and Poultry.
Industrial Section:	Mrs A Young, 40 Roebank Road, Beith Tel: 01505 502353
Pony Classes:	Lisa Murray Tel: 07807 199735
Poultry Classes:	Mr A Kirkpatrick, Strathmore, Glengarnock Tel: 01505 683251
Admission: Adults -	£4.00, Children under 14 years - £2.00 Car & Driver - £5.00 All entries subject to Society Rules

Office-Bearers

Honorary President:	R. Boyd, Beith, Barrmill Road, Beith
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Judging:

Pony Classes: Cattle, Heavy Horse, Sheep & Poultry Followed by Grande Parade Jumping Classes: Dog Show:

Judges: 2025

All Dairy Breeds

Primestock/Commercial

Highland Cattle

Interbreed

Clydesdale & Vintage Tractors

Sheep Border Leicester, Suffolk, Continental Texel, Zwartbles, Native Blackface, Blueface 9.00 am prompt 10.00 am prompt

1.00 pm 12.00 pm prompt

Mr Andrew Brown, Kirkhill Farm, Craigie

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Mr William Gilbert, Boag Farm, Kilbirnie

Mr John William McIntyre, Gillmill Cottage, Stewarton

Mr John Gilmour, Humeston Farm, Maybole

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Rules and Regulations

- STOCK MAY BE INSPECTED AT THE SHOW, in order to satisfy disease control measures.
- All Stock exhibited must have been bona fide property and in possession of the exhibitor least one calendar month previous to the show.
- Age of stock in all cases will be calculated from January 1st of the year in which calved or foaled, competitors must if required satisfy judges or committee as to the their stock.
- All animals must be shown in their natural state. Committee have the power to exclude animals which has been blistered or punctured or had adhesive matter applied to alter appearance in milk or teats or in any other way will forfeit £5.00 to the fund Society. No soaping of any animal will be allowed.
- Cattle passports must be brought with exhibitors to the show and must be presented to secretary on arrival. The show organisers will only notify Scoteid of the show movement on and off the show field.) It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to record movements back onto their holdings.
- All cattle shown must be from a BVD negative herd or be individually blood negative for BVD. Documentation proving this must be shown before unloading. Stewards are empowered to refer to ear numbers to check on the ScotEID database.
- All cattle to conform to regulations approved by any Brucellosis or Tuberculosis schemes.
- All bulls six months and above must be properly secured by rope fastened to a ring through nose and double haltered.
- The transport of Animals (cleansing Disinfection) (Scotland) Regulations 2005 vehicles taking animals to and from the show. The show organisers must be informed name and address of haulier.
- The names and addresses of all persons handling stock for the exhibitors must be and retained for 3 months beyond the show date.
- All sheep must be individually identified in accordance with current legislation. The identification numbers should be listed on the movement book. Please note this is the responsibility keeper to ensure the correct details are recorded and passes on to the relevant authorities.
- All MAEDI-VISNA /CAE stock must be accompanied by a current and valid health certificate to be shown to steward before the stock is unloaded.
- Any person bringing forward animals from stock in which there has been any (SCRAPIE) within a period of three months will be liable to a penalty of £20.00.
- All Exhibits are shown at own risk.
- All handlers must be in control of their animals always.
- A parade of all prize cattle and horses will be held at conclusion of judging and no stock allowed to leave the field before that time unless by permission of the committee.
- Any person infringing any of the above, or any other rules of the Society in which penalty is not attached, will be fined £1.00 and will forfeit the prize money in classes he infringed.
- All protests must be lodged in writing with the Secretary before the date of payment prize money, all questions and disputes of any kind shall be settled by the Committee of Management, whose decision will be final.
- Power is reserved to the Committee of Management or someone authorised by the Committee to measure the ponies and the decision of the Committee will be final.
- All exhibitors must be members of the Society Yearly Membership £2.00

Judging begins at 10.00am prompt In the event of a large turnout. Classes will be split Entry Fee for all Classes £2 unless otherwise stated Prize Money for Classes 1st-£7; 2nd-£5; 3rd-£3 unless stated differently

Holstein Friesian Cattle

- 1. Cow in milk, having had only two calving's
- 2. Cow in milk, having had three calving's or more
- 3. Back calving cow, any age, to calf after 1st July and not later than 31st December, not shown in foregoing classes
- 4. The Derby for 2025 for the best two or three-year-old heifer
- 5. Pair of females shown in foregoing classes
- 6. Calf born after 1st September 2024 led by under 14-year-old
- 7. Calf born after 1st December 2024 led by under 14-year-old
- 8. Maiden Heifer born before 1st September 2024
- 9. Holstein confined to Garnock Valley & Lochwinnoch Parish
- 10. best registered female of Holstein Breed.

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the best Holstein/Friesian (registered or unregistered)

Any Other Dairy Breed

- 11. Cow in milk, any age
- 12. Back Calving Cow, any age to calf after 1st July and not later than 31st December. Not shown in foregoing classes
- 13. Derby for 2025 for two or three-year-old Heifers in milk or in calf
- 14. Pair of females shown in foregoing classes
- 15. Confined to Garnock Valley & Lochwinnoch Parish
- 16. Female any age, bred by Exhibitor
- 17. Calf born after 1st September 2024, to be shown & led under 14-year-old
- 18. Calf born after 1st December 2024 to be shown & led by under 14-yearold
- 19. Maiden Heifer born before 1st September 2024

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All Dairy breeds shown in foregoing Classes

- 20. Official Milk Records for all Dairy Breeds. To produce to the secretary no later than 10am (to calve within 400 days.) (Free Entry)
- 21. Best Udder in Show Nominated by the section Judge Prize $\pounds 10$
- 22. Dairy Interbreed to be judged by the Umpire. (Free Entry) 1st- £10; 2nd-£5
- 23. Best Female of the Dairy Breeds confined to Garnock Valley & Lochwinnoch Parish (Free Entry)

The exhibitor with most points in Holstein & Any other Dairy Breed Section

 Interbreed. Pair of animals from the same exhibitor. All cattle sections to be judged by the umpire. Champion - £20 Reserve - £15 Donated by R. Boyd Donated by J. Reid

Pedigree

- 25. Beef Bull any breed,
- 26. Cow in Calf or Calf at foot
- 27. Heifer Maiden or in Calf
- 28. Heifer under one year old

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- kindly sponsored by Andrew Kirkpatrick Champion £20 Reserve £10 29. Pairs – Shown by exhibitor in foregoing classes.
- CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION for the best animal in

Pedigree section (excluding Highland)

Commercial Breeds

- 30. Crossbreed cow in calf or calf at foot
- 31. Breeding Crossbreed Heifer any age
- 32. Prime Heifer
- 33. Prime Bullock (Cross Breed) Calf Teeth
- 34. Prime Bullock (Cross Breed) Two Broad Teeth
- 35. Suckled calf (no bulls) born between 1st April 2024 & 30th September 2024
- 36. Suckled Calf. Born after 1st October 2024

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- Best Bullock or Heifer, bred and reared by exhibitor. Kindly Sponsored by Ian Gillan 1st-£15; 2nd - £10
- 38. The best Prime Animal. Confined to Garnock Valley & Lochwinnoch Parish.
- 39. Beef Calf male or female born in current year to be led by under 14-year-old
- 40. Beef Calf from Dairy Herd, male or female, born after 1st Sept. 2024

Young Farmers' Clubs

Kindly Sponsored by Allan Blair

- 41. Young Farmers' Club, any Prime Beef male. 1st £75; 2nd £50 3rd- £25
- 42. Young Farmers' Club, any Prime Beef Female. 1st -£75; 2nd -£50 3rd -£25

All Bulls to be double haltered

Highland Cattle

All prize money for Highland Cattle Section is donated by J& D. Pierce,

- (Contracts) Kilbirnie
- 43. Bull, born 2024
- 44. Bull, born before 2024
- 45. Cow in milk with own calf at foot, or in calf
- 46. Heifer, born before 1st January 2023
- 47. Heifer, born on or after 1st January 2023
- 48. Heifer, born on or after 1st January 2024
- 49. Calf born after 1st September 2024 to be led by under 14- year-old
- 50. Pairs class, two animals in same ownership.

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Judging begins at 10.00am prompt

All M.V. Accredited and non-Accredited Sheep Classes

Border Leicester

- 51. Best Tup.
- 52. Ewe or Gimmer with lamb at foot
- 53. Ewe Hogg
- 54. Tup Lamb or Ewe lamb
- 55. Group of three

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Black Faced

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- 56. Best Tup
- 57. Ewe or Gimmer
- 58. Ewe Hogg
- 59. Black Faced Ewe and Cross lambs. Lambs to be taken
- into consideration
- 60. Group of three

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61. Cross Ewe with lamb at foot. Lamb to be taken into consideration.

Suffolk

- 62. Ewe or Gimmer with Lamb at foot
- 63. Ewe Hogg
- 64. Best Tup, any age
- 65. Tup Lamb
- 66. Ewe Lamb
- 67. Group of three

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Blue Headed Leicester

- 68. Ewe or Gimmer in Lamb or Lamb at foot
- 69. Ewe Hogg
- 70. Best Tup, any age
- 71. Tup Lamb or Ewe Lamb
- 72. Group of three

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Native Breeds

- 73. Tup any age
- 74. Ewe any age
- 75. Gimmer
- 76. Tup or Ewe Lamb

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Texel Sheep

- 77. Tup any age
- 78. Ewe any age
- 79. Gimmer
- 80. Tup or Ewe Lamb

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Zwartbles

81. Tup &Ewe Zwartbles (This will be separated into different classes depending on numbers entered).

Champion & Reserve Champion

Continental Sheep

(Not to be shown in any of the previous classes)

- 82. Tup any age
- 83. Ewe any age
- 84. Gimmer
- 85. Tup or Ewe Lamb

Champion & Reserve Champion OVERALL BEST CONTINENTAL IN SHOW (from Texel, Zwartbles & Continental Classes)

86. Young Farmers club

First prize-winners in foregoing classes debarred. Any breed of sheep OVERALL, CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION

- 87. Pet Lamb, any breed, to be shown by under 14-year-old
- 88. Working Collie

(Note: If more than six entries, this class will be divided into two classes).

Clydesdale horses

Judging – 10am prompt

- 89. Clydesdale Best Male 3 years and over
- 90. Clydesdale Best Female 3 years and over
- 91. Sweepstake: Pair of Clydesdales, any age, shown in foregoing classes.
- 92. Colt, Filly or Gelding under 3 years. Special award to best foal.

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Krufts & Scruffs Fun Dog Show



Free entry

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Registration 10.30 to 11.30 with the first class starting at noon.

Judge - Stacey Thomson

- 1. Best Pedigree Dog
- 2. Best Pedigree Bitch
- 3. Best Crossbreed Dog
- 4. Best Crossbreed Bitch
- 5. Best Puppy (up to 12 Months)
- 6. Best Veteren (7 Years & Older)
- 7. Best Six legs
- 8. Waggiest Tail
- 9. Best Junior Handler (up to 16 years)

Reserve Best in Show Best in Show

Pony Classes Starts 9.00 a.m. Entries taken on day

All Classes - \pounds 00 entry fee – Contact Lisa Murray on 07807199735 for further details

Judge: Krystan Blackie - Dunblane

- 1. Turnout Pony 14.2hh Under. Rider 16 and Under Kelly Cup to Winner
- 2. Lead Rein Pony 12.2hh Under. Rider to be 8 Years and Under Lamont Cup to Winner
- 3. Best Child's Pony 14.2hh Under. Riders 16 and Under
- 4. Family Pony 14.2hh Under. Riders 16 and Under
- 5. Ridden Hunter Pony 15hh Under. Rider 16 and Under
- 6. Championship

Jumping Classes Not before 1.00pm All Classes - £6.00 entry fee

Judge: Cara McLellan

Open Horse and Pony Jumping. To be placed separately if entries permit. Lead Rein entries accepted for classes 7,8 & 9, to be placed separately.

- 7. Crosspoles (Timed) Lead rein/beginners off lead rein
- 8. 40cm
- 9. 50cm
- 10. 60cm
- 11. 70cm
- 12. 80cm

Prize Money1s-£6.00; 2nd- £4.00; 3rd - £2.00

Thanks to: Dyan at Hazelbank Equestrian, Debbie Rodwell, Richard & Jessica Cree, Robert Campbell Farrier, Yvonne at The Feedroom, Fiona & Courtney Robin, Nicola at The Missing Piece – Equestrian Coaching, Fiona Lamont, Allison Mulholland, Laura & Megan Findlay, Duskhill Livery, Fullwoodhead Dairy Supplies, Alex Milne and many more family and friends who donated prizes.

Beith Farmers Society Annual Show

Industrial Section	Hill of Beith, Beith	Saturday, 26th April 2025
Trophies		
The Archibald Trophy	Most points in	n the Industrial Section
The Drambuie Trophy	Perpetual Sal	ver for most points in Baking
	Section	
J A Garven Trophy		h Handicraft Section to be won 3 ession or 4 years in all
Alison McIntyre Trophy	Best Exhibit in 1&2in Foursor	Classes 1-16 in Open and Class ne Team
Children's Perpetual Tro		n Children's Section n memory of Mrs J A Garven)

Baking and Preserves

Class

- 1 3 Fruit Oven Scones
- 2 3 Pancakes
- 3 Lemon Drizzle Cake
- 4 Quarter Sultana Cake
- 5 Quarter Wedge of Plain Butter Sponge 13 3 Peppermint Creams
- 6 3 Tattie Scones
- 7 3 Shortbread Biscuits
- 8 3 Pieces of Traybake

Handicrafts

Class

- 17 Hand Knitted/Crocheted Article (Any Ply) 21 Favourite Bud Vase
- 18 An Embroidered Article
- 19 A Folded Napkin
- 20 Snapshot of flour/flowers

- 9 Plate Apple Tart (Shortcrust Pastry)
- 10 3 Single Meringues
- 11 Individual Quiche
- 12 ? Ib Tablet
- 14 Jar of Lemon Curd
- 15 Jar of Chutney
- 16 Jar of Jam
- 22 Foliage Plant
- 23 Flowering Plant
- 24 Arrangement in an item of Footwear
- Special Prize for Class 3 (Lemon Drizzle Cake)- Prize £5

Children's Section

- a 5 years and under
- b 6 to 10 Years
- c 11 to 15 years
- d All Children

- 25 Coloured Drawing of Easter Egg
- 26 Pasta Necklace
- 27 Decorated Digestive
- 28 3 Fairy cakes
- 29 3 Pancakes
- 30 Draw and Colour Your Initials
- 31 Favourite Fridge Magnet

Points

Prize Money

		Aduits and	Children
First Prize	5	First	£1.20
Second Prize	3	Second	£1.00
Third Prize	1	Third	£0.70

Entry Fee

Adult Classes - 30p Children's Classes - 20p

Rules

- 1 Articles must be staged by 10.00am and must not be moved before 3.00pm. Tent must be cleared by 3.30pm.
- 2 Only one prize will be awarded to a competitor in one class.
- 3 The Committee will not be responsible for loss or damage to articles.
- 4 No envelopes required. Stickers will be provided.
- 5 D'Oyles will be provided in baking section.
- 6 The Judge's decision is final.

The Jen Gillan Perpetual Trophy

Most points in the Foursome Team Competition Foursome Competition Entry Fee £2 To be entered before day of the Show to the Secretary Requirements (Space Allowed for Complete Display 2' by 2')

- 1 Fruit Loaf
- 2 Individual Cheesecake
- 3 Knitted/Crocheted Hat
- 4 Floral Arrangement in a Stemmed Container (Any Material)

Prize Money 1st Team - £8.00 2nd team - £6.00 3rd Team - £4.00

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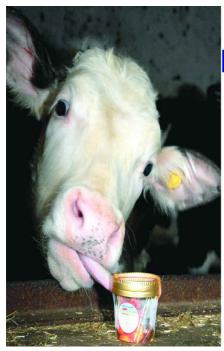
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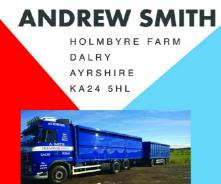


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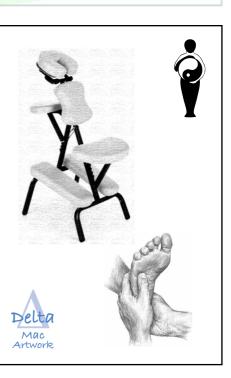
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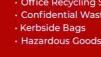


















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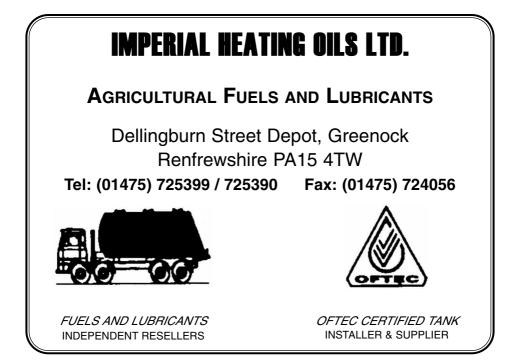


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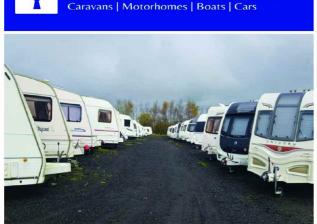
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