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**ECHT, SKENE & MIDMAR
AGRICULTURAL
ASSOCIATION**

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**Livestock
SCHEDULE**

For The
164th SHOW

to be held at
Echt Showground,
ECHT AB32 6UL

on

**SATURDAY
8th JULY, 2017**

ENTRIES CLOSE WEDNESDAY 14th JUNE, 2017

NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED

Judging starts at 9.00 a.m.

(Except where otherwise stated)

ALL PRIZE WINNING HORSES, GOATS AND HALTERED CATTLE
ARE REQUIRED TO TAKE PART IN THE PARADE.

ALL STOCK ARE TO REMAIN ON THE SHOWGROUND UNTIL
THE PARADE HAS FINISHED.

ECHT, SKENE and MIDMAR AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION

GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. An Annual subscription of £12.00 constitutes membership of the Association. All members joining the Association will be liable for 3 years consecutive subscriptions, after which they may withdraw from membership by giving notice to the Secretary 3 months before the Show. Subscriptions must be paid to the Secretary no later than the morning of the Show. No one in arrears will be allowed to compete.
2. To gain admittance to the Show free of charge, members and officials must display their badges.
3. All committee members are required to pay their membership subscription by the May meeting.
4. All prize monies offered in the schedule are sent out by the end of August. All Trophies are presented in November and should be returned at the following Show.
5. All stock must be adequately insured and it is the responsibility of the owner to do so.
6. Ownership and ages of all cattle will be reckoned from the date on the animal's passport or certificate of registration. Cows must have had calves prior to the Show, and when exhibited, must be either in milk, or, birth must have been within nine months previous to the Show. If in calf, birth must be certified within nine months of the Show.
7. Yearlings must retain calves' teeth, two year olds not more than four hard teeth.
8. All animals competing for Prizes awarded for Pure Stock must be entered in the respective herd, flock or stud books or must be eligible to be entered. Age of pedigree animals is determined by that entry. Proof must be submitted along with the entry.
9. Any Bull 1 year old and over must have a ring in its nose.
10. All Cattle must be halter led, (except for those entered in the Unhalted Classes).
11. All cattle must be from Attested (TB) Accredited Herds. Cattle must either be from BVD negative herds or each individual animal forward at the Show should have tested negative for the BVD virus. A declaration must accompany each animal.
12. In the Cattle and Sheep Sections no animal shall be shown in more than one class or one Section except for Special Prizes.
13. All stock must be the bona fide property of the Exhibitor and must have been in his or her possession from the 1st June in the year of the show. Exhibitors must, if required by a member of the Committee either on the day of the Show or one month thereafter, prove to the Committee that the stock exhibited by him or her was entered according to the regulations of the Society.
14. For the purpose of judging for Special Prizes, exhibitors must ensure their stock is placed before the judges at the proper time, of which due notice will be given.
15. Specific rules pertaining to individual sections and classes are detailed in the show schedule.
16. Livestock must be on the Show site by **8.30 a.m.** on the morning of the Show. They must remain until after the Parade and under no circumstances, except in an emergency, will this rule be altered. Committee members must seek the consent of the secretary before allowing an animal to leave the show site.
17. The Main Parade will be divided between Cattle, Horse and Goats at the discretion of the Parade Convener. Should circumstances arise the Committee reserves the right to remove any unruly animal from the parade or show ring if they see fit.
18. All arrangements for the management of the Show are to be carried out by the Committee.
19. In the event of any dispute, the decision of the Committee will be final and binding. Protests in connection with the Show must be lodged with the Secretary by 2 p.m. on Show Day and must be accompanied by a deposit of £10, which will be forfeited to the Society if the protest is found to be groundless.
20. The committee reserves the right to refuse entries from competitors making derogatory comments on social media about the show or anyone connected with the show.
21. Entries must be in the hands of the Secretary on or before **WEDNESDAY 14 JUNE 2017**. No late or incomplete entry forms will be accepted.
22. Any member contravening any of the rules will forfeit his or her right to any prize.
23. The Annual General Meeting of the Society shall be held in Echt Hall on the second Monday in November. The meeting will elect Office - Bearers and transact any other business of the Society.

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HEALTH AND SAFETY STATEMENT

The Committee recognises and accepts its responsibility to provide a safe and healthy show site and working environment for all livestock, exhibitors, stand holders, helpers and visiting members of the public. In all its activities, it works towards this aim.

The Committee also wishes to point out that it is the duty and responsibility of all those who attend the event to ensure their own health and safety and that of others around them.

The Committee adopts a No Smoking Policy in enclosed areas of the showground.
We thank you for your co-operation.

Think Safety and enjoy your visit to the Show.

Vet Services

Please Note: For the reassurance of livestock owners, the Association has secured the services of Ardene House Veterinary Practice as the official emergency service vets to the Show. A vet will be on site from approx. 7.00a.m. until the last of the animals depart the show site. Any necessary veterinary emergency treatment will be billed by Ardene to the animal's owner as a separate transaction and independent of the Echt Show Committee.

Playing in the MARQUEE on FRIDAY, 7th JULY 2017

'Skerryvore'

Entry by ticket only available from the Echt Show website – Tickets £15 each if purchased before 31st May 2017, thereafter £18.

Doors open 7p.m.

Saturday 8th July 2017

Ring Attractions

**The Strathorn Farm Clydesdales perform
their musical drills in the Main Arena
Sheep Dog Demonstrations**

Playing in the Marquee on Saturday 8th July from 9p.m.

'Night Fever Disco'

Tickets priced £10 are available at the door.

SPECIAL CUPS AND TROPHIES

In addition to the prizes detailed in each section, THE ECHT SKENE & MIDMAR AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION is pleased to offer the following prestigious trophies:

DUNECHT ESTATES PERPETUAL Trophy for the Champion of Champions, is competed for between the champions of the Cattle, Horse, Sheep and Goat Sections.

CUP presented by the late Mrs Hamilton, Skene House in memory of her husband Brigadier General Hamilton. To be presented to the exhibitor with most points in the Show. Points are awarded as follows; 1st Prize - 4 points: 2nd Prize – 3 points: 3rd Prize - 2 points: 4th Prize - 1 point.

CARNIE PERPETUAL CUP is presented in rotation over 3 years between the Cattle, Horse & Pony, & Sheep sections, and this year, 2017, will be presented to the Champion in the Sheep section.

CATTLE SECTION

The Show's Holding No is 66/005/8004

Exhibitors pay Membership of £12, a First Aid fee of £1, and £2 per entry for first 5 entries thereafter £1 per entry

(If there are less than 6 entrants in a class, no 4th prize will be paid)

Prize Money - 1st - £20.00: 2nd - £15.00: 3rd - £12.00: 4th - £10.00

Cattle Section Rules:

BY LAW: All exhibitors entering the Parade with MALE cattle any age must adhere to the Legal age requirement - exhibitors leading the animal must be over 16 and under 65 years of age.

Bull or Heifer Calves must be under one year old on show day.

SPECIAL PRIZES

H Murray Shield and £30 voucher donated by Harbro for the Overall Champion
Ardene House Perpetual Trophy presented by Ardene House Veterinary Practice and £20 voucher donated by Harbro for the Reserve Overall Champion

The Sunhoney Cup for the Best Animal of Opposite Sex to the Overall Champion.

Perpetual Trophy presented by the late Mr A Milne, for the Best Beef Cow in the Show

Gavin & Gill Trophy for the Best Animal in the Cattle Section Bred by Exhibitor (The Best Animal from each section Bred by Exhibitor, competes for this Trophy).

R. Scott Cup for the best Cow or Heifer with calf at foot in the Showground.

Dalgety Trophy and a cash prize of £100, donated by Mr Malcolm Allan for Best Group of 3 animals shown by one exhibitor

Cash prize of £50, donated by Mr Malcolm Allan, for the reserve Best Group of 3 animals shown by one exhibitor.

J Troup Perpetual Trophy, Southbank, Skene, for the Best Calf in Show yard

Trophy re-presented by Mr O.M. Smith for the best handled animal in the cattle parade, to be judged during the parade.

The Overall Champion will qualify for Keith Show Champion of Champions

ABERDEEN ANGUS CATTLE

1. BULL
2. BULL 1-2 years old
3. COW with calf at foot or in calf.
4. HEIFER 2 years old and over
5. HEIFER 1-2 years old
6. BULL or HEIFER CALF

Perpetual Cup presented by the late Major Smiley, Castle Fraser for the Champion Aberdeen - Angus and £30 voucher donated by Gray Feed Services and the Aberdeen Angus Cattle Society Rosette for the Champion. £20 voucher donated by Gray Feed Services for the Reserve Champion.

Perpetual Trophy presented by the Late Mr & Mrs Claeson - Gordon, Midmar for the Best Pair of Aberdeen-Angus Bred by Exhibitor. 1 Male and 1 Female

Following prizes are kindly donated by The North-east Scotland Aberdeen-Angus Breeders'

Club: Male Champion £10; Male Reserve £5; Female Champion £10; Female Reserve £5.

Association Rosettes for the Champion, Reserve Champion, Best Animal Bred By Exhibitor & Best Group of 3 animals shown by same exhibitor.

Echt Show 2017 is the nominated qualifying show for Aberdeen Angus cattle. Points gained at Echt will go towards herds competing for the North East Aberdeen Angus Breeders Herd of the Year competition.

BRITISH BLONDE CATTLE

7. BULL
8. BULL 1-2 years old
9. COW with calf at foot or in calf.
10. HEIFER 2 years old and over
11. HEIFER 1-2 years old
12. BULL or HEIFER CALF

Perpetual Shield for the Champion British Blonde.

British Blonde Society Sash and Rosette for the Champion

Association Rosettes for the Champion, Reserve Champion, Best Animal Bred By Exhibitor & Best Group of 3 animals shown by same exhibitor.

BRITISH BLUE CATTLE

13. BULL
14. BULL 1-2 years old
15. COW with calf at foot or in calf.
16. HEIFER 2 years old and over
17. HEIFER 1-2 years old
18. BULL or HEIFER CALF

Trophy presented by B Duffton, for Champion British Blue

British Blue Society Rosette for Champion.

British Blue Society Rosette for Reserve Champion

Association Rosettes for the Champion, Reserve Champion, Best Animal Bred By Exhibitor & Best Group of 3 animals shown by same exhibitor.

CHAROLAIS CATTLE

19. BULL
20. BULL 1-2 years old
21. COW with calf at foot or in calf.
22. HEIFER 2 years old and over
23. HEIFER 1-2 years old
24. BULL or HEIFER CALF

The Harry Evans Perpetual Trophy presented by Mr Harry Evans of the Fairground for the Champion Charolais.
Scottish and Northern Charolais Breeders Association Ltd Rosette for the Champion.

Association Rosettes for the Champion, Reserve Champion, Best Animal Bred by Exhibitor & Best Group of 3 animals shown by same exhibitor.

HIGHLAND CATTLE

25. Bull 2 years old and over
26. Bull 1-2 years old
27. Cow with calf at foot or in calf
28. Heifer born 2014
29. Heifer born 2015
30. Heifer born 2016
31. Bull or Heifer calf born 2017

Perpetual Salver for the Champion Animal.

The Highland Cattle Society Rosette for the Champion.

Association Rosettes for the Champion, Reserve Champion, Best Animal Bred By Exhibitor & Best Group of 3 animals shown by same exhibitor.

LIMOUSIN CATTLE

32. BULL
33. BULL 1-2 years old
34. COW with calf at foot or in calf
35. HEIFER 2 years old and over
36. HEIFER 1-2 years old
37. BULL or HEIFER CALF

The Aberdeen Trophy Centre Perpetual Award for the Champion Limousin.

The Scottish Limousin Club Rosette for the Champion

The Scottish Limousin Club Rosette for the Reserve Champion

The Neil Duncan Perpetual Shield presented by the late Neil Duncan, Burnside, Kintore for the Best Limousin animal Bred by Exhibitor.

Association Rosettes for the Champion, Reserve Champion, Best Animal Bred By Exhibitor & Best Group of 3 animals shown by same exhibitor.

Members can gain points for each animal placed, which will count towards the Exhibitor of the Year Competition sponsored by United Auctions Ltd.

SALERS CATTLE

38. BULL
39. BULL 1-2 years old
40. COW with calf at foot or in calf
41. HEIFER 2 years old and over
42. HEIFER 1-2 years old
43. BULL or HEIFER CALF

Phillips/Munro Perpetual Trophy represented in 2016 for the Champion Salers.

Sash and Rosette presented by the Salers Breed Society to the Champion.

The McIntyre Family Perpetual Trophy for Best Salers Female.

Association Rosettes for the Champion, Reserve Champion, Best Animal Bred by Exhibitor & Best Group of 3 animals shown by same exhibitor.

SIMMENTAL CATTLE

44. BULL
45. BULL 1-2 years old
46. COW with calf at foot or in calf.
47. HEIFER 2 years old and over
48. HEIFER 1-2 years old
49. BULL or HEIFER CALF

Perpetual Trophy presented by the late J B Anderson for the Champion Simmental.

British Simmental Society Rosette for the Champion.

British Simmental Society Rosette for the Reserve Champion.

British Simmental Society Rosette for the best Young Handler showing in classes 44 - 49.

Association Rosettes for the Champion, Reserve Champion, Best Animal Bred By Exhibitor & Best Group of 3 animals shown by same exhibitor.

ANY OTHER BREED OF CATTLE

If there is a large entry, this section may be split into Native/Continental Breeds on the day

50. BULL
51. BULL 1-2 years old
52. COW with calf at foot or in calf.
53. HEIFER 2 years old and over
54. HEIFER 1-2 years old
55. BULL or HEIFER CALF

Perpetual Trophy presented by the Bank of Scotland for the Champion.

Trophy presented by Turriff Agri-Parts, for Champion Shorthorn,

Beef Shorthorn Cattle Society Rosette for the Champion Shorthorn

Beef Shorthorn Cattle Society Rosette for the Reserve Champion Shorthorn

Association Rosettes for the Champion, Reserve Champion, Best Animal Bred By Exhibitor & Best Group of 3 animals shown by same exhibitor.

CROSS CATTLE

Unaltered Classes

Animals may compete in one class only, with the exception that Singles may compete as part of the Special Prizes for Best Pairs And Best Group of Three.

56. COW and CALF
57. PAIR OF CATTLE either sex under 2 years old.

The Gow Trophy for Dairy Cattle represented in 2016 for the Champion

Association Rosettes for Champion and Reserve Champion.

Haltered and Halter-Led Classes

Animals may compete in one class only, with the exception that Singles may compete as part of the Special Prizes for Best Pairs And Best Group of Three.

Animals from Classes 59 and 60 are eligible to compete in the Championship of the Cross Cattle Section.

58. COW in Calf or in milk.
59. BULLOCK (Confined to YFC Members, State Y.F. number on entry form - no substitutes on show day.
60. HEIFER (Confined to YFC Members, State Y.F. number on entry form - no substitutes on show day.
61. HEIFER Calf born on or after 1st January 2017.
62. HEIFER 1-2 years old.
63. HEIFER under 1 year old on show day.
64. BULLOCK Calf born on or after 1st January 2017.
65. BULLOCK 1-2 years old.
66. BULLOCK under 1 year old on show day.

Cup presented by J.Young, Muirton of Corse, Alford for the Champion Animal in the Cross Cattle Section. To be won three times in succession or 4 times otherwise. Won outright in 2015 and kindly represented in 2016 by the winner, Blair Duffton.

Norvite voucher for £30 for the Champion

Pair of Tankards presented by the late Mr K C Gammack, Kingswells, for the Reserve Champion Cross Bred Animal. (Perpetual)

Norvite voucher for £15 for the Reserve Champion

Perpetual Trophy presented by the family of the Late A. Milne, Turriff for the Best Cross Bred Calf
£25 donated by Aberdeen & Northern Marts for the Best Cross Calf.

Perpetual Trophy presented by G Maxwell Smith, Farr for the Best Continental bred Animal
£25 donated by Aberdeen & Northern Marts for the Best Continental bred animal.

Perpetual Trophy presented by Messrs W Nicol & Sons, Millbank for the Best Cross Bred Animal bred by Exhibitor.

Perpetual Trophy presented by Towns & Carnie Ltd for the Best Yearling Animal from classes 62 & 65.

Corsindae Trophy presented by the late Major L R K Fyffe for Best Native Bred Animal (Perpetual)
£25 donated by Aberdeen & Northern marts for Best Native Bred Animal.

William Milne Memorial Trophy presented by Mr & Mrs V Roger, Tillybrig, Dunecht for the Best Cross Bred animal from a farm of under 80 acres within a five mile radius of the Show.(Perpetual)

2 Crina Blocks Extra presented by Minsups to the Best Cross Bred animal from a farm under 80 acres within a five mile radius of the show.

Perpetual Cup presented by the late Mr Dingwall, for the Best Animal from a Farmer with less than 80 acres.

Perpetual Trophy presented by Mrs Marlene Pirie formerly of Durris for the Best Animal in Young Farmer Classes (Class 59 & 60)

Perpetual Trophy presented by the family of the late James Clark for the Best Pair of Cross Bred Animals (any sex) Animals from any class may be chosen.

Perpetual Piece of Plate presented by Aberdeen & Northern Marts Ltd. for the Best Pair of Yearling Cattle, any sex, Bred by Exhibitor, also £25 donated by Aberdeen and Northern Marts.

Cup presented by G Maxwell Smith, Farr, for the Best Group of 3 Cross Cattle shown by the same exhibitor. To be taken three times not necessarily in succession. Won outright in 2015 and kindly represented in 2016 by the winner, Blair Duffton.

Association Rosettes for the Champion, Reserve Champion, Best Animal Bred By Exhibitor & Best Group of 3 animals shown by same exhibitor.

CARCASE CLASSES

Cattle to be delivered to Scotbeef, Inverurie on Thursday 6th July 2017 before 5pm. Judging of the classes will take place on Friday 7th July 2017. The carcass winners may be viewed on Friday 7th July 2017 at Scotbeef from 3pm. All cattle must be SQBLA Farm Assured.

- 67. BULLOCK
- 68. HEIFER

W Christie Trophy for Champion Carcase animal.
Harbro Voucher to the value of £30 for the Champion
Harbro Voucher to the value of £20 for the Reserve Champion
Association Rosettes for Champion & Reserve.

YOUNG HANDLERS COMPETITIONS

Prize money – 1st - £8: 2nd - £6: 3rd - £4: 4th - £2

For these classes, entries cost £1. Entries are also accepted on show day (£2). Please report to the Steward
Entrants may show any breed of cattle, both pedigree or cross, and are judged on their ability to show and to demonstrate overall handling capability.

Animals may have been shown in a previous class.

Cattle must be halter led.

The cattle are not judged.

Any Young Handler under 16 years of age should be accompanied by an adult in the showing ring.

Young Handlers Classes

- 69. Junior Young Handler – aged 11 years and under
- 70. Intermediate Young Handler – aged 12 – 15 years
- 71. Senior Young handler – aged 16 – 26 years.

SPECIAL PRIZES

Trophy donated by Echt YFC 80th Anniversary for Champion Junior Young Handler in Cattle Section.(Class 69)

Norvite voucher for £10 for the Champion in Class 69.

Trophy presented by Mrs Clark, Auchlea for the Champion Intermediate Young Handler in Cattle Section. (Class 70)

Norvite Voucher for £10 for the Champion in Class 70.

I & B Matthew Trophy for Champion Senior Young Handler in Cattle Section (Class 71)

Norvite voucher for £10 for the Champion in Class 71.

The winners in each of the three Young Handler classes will receive a Tankard (to keep), kindly donated by Ardene House Veterinary Practice.

Association Rosettes for Champion and Reserve in each class.



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CATTLE ENTRY FORM Echt Show 8th July 2017

£12 Membership plus £1 First Aid charge.

£2 per entry for first 5 entries and £1 for each entry thereafter.

Please note there are three pages to this form.

Class	Paid (£2 per entry 1-5 entries £1 thereafter)	Name of Animal (for Cross Cattle please give description)	BVD negative	
			Herd	Ind
Y.H. Class (£1) per entry		Name of Young Handler	Age on day of show	
		Young Farmer Number if entering Cross Cattle & Name of Club (no substitutions on show day)		
Total Entry Money				

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Member ship £12 + First Aid Charge £1	£13.00	PLEASE NOTE: ANY PRIZE MONEY WILL BE PAID TO THE ENTRANT UNLESS YOU INFORM US OTHERWISE – IF DIFFERENT, PLEASE INDICATE IN THE LINE BELOW	
Total Enclosed		Name and address: _____ Cheques should be made payable to Echt, Skene & Midmar Agricultural Association and sent to the Secretary, details below. Or payment may be made by BACS to, Clydesdale Bank PLC, 38High Street, Banchory AB31 3SR. Sort Code 82-61-00, Account No 80251660. Please state your name as the online reference. Please also email gwen@grassguzzlers.co.uk with your name, date of payment, amount and stating 'Cattle Entry'. Documentation will be issued just prior to the show.	
Entrants Name			
Address			
Tel.No.		Mobile Tel. No.	
Email address (Please print clearly)			
Holding No			

By signing & completing this form I am agreeing to my details being used for the purposes of Echt Skene and Midmar Agricultural Association – Echt Show.

I confirm I have read Echt Show's Rules & Regulations & Health & Safety policy, and will pay due regard to Bio-Security requirements

Signature: _____

For your information, the Show's Holding No is 66/005/8004

If you would like to receive the schedule by Email in the future please tick this box

Please return your completed form to the Secretary

Closing date for entries Wednesday 14th June 2017

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TRANSPORT USED (please tick)
<input type="checkbox"/> Own <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial Haulier
If Haulier used please state name & address
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