

**Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> August 2024**

**BELLINGHAM**  
**SHOW**  
&  
*Country Festival*

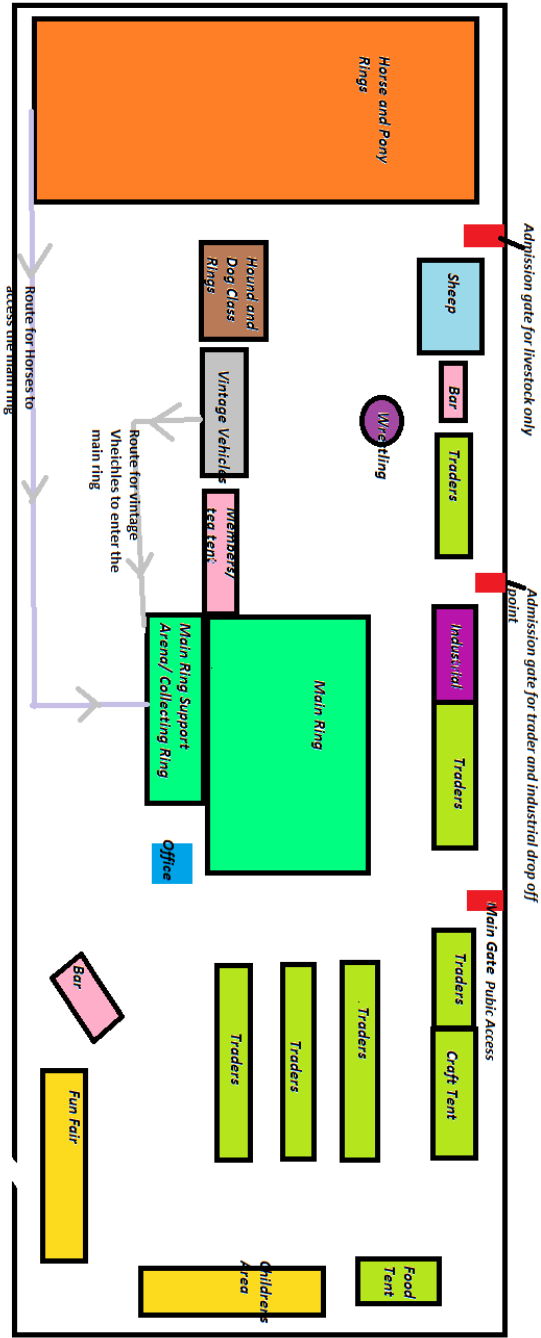


# **SHEEP SCHEDULE**

**Entry Closing Date  
12<sup>th</sup> August 2024**

Enter online <https://bellinghamshow.lite.events>

\*\*Please note that the layout may be subject to minor changes\*\*



Admission gate for livestock only

Admission gate for trader and industrial drop off point

Main Gate Public Access

# Bellingham Show & Country Festival

Is held under the auspices of the North Tyne and Redesdale  
Agricultural Society Est 1842 Ltd - Company No 9612953

President – Mr W Charlton

Chairman – Mr Colin Anderson

Vice Chairman – Mrs Lynn Little

Treasurer – Mr Robert Charman

Secretary- Miss Sarah Jayne Davidson

Directors – Mr Peter Loyd, Mr Tim Bird, Mrs Margaret Bird, Mrs Fiona Pattinson, Mrs Lynn Little, Mr Fred Wyrley-Birch, Mr Adam Peart, Mr Robert Charman, Mr Colin Anderson.

## Show Committee

Those named above plus

Mr Martyn Archer

Ms Diane Anderson

Mrs Kathryn Armstong

Mr Andy Clark

Ms Margaret Clarkson

Mr Richard Cooper

Mr Tom Davidson

Mr Neil Denham

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Mrs Katie Foster

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Hon Veterinary Surgeon- Scott Mitchell Veterinary Care & The Fold Farm Vets,  
Hexham

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To find out more about What's On at Bellingham Show and Country Festival please check out our website [www.bellinghamshow.co.uk](http://www.bellinghamshow.co.uk) or follow us on Facebook.

*"A fun day out in the Country for all the family to enjoy"*

# Judges 2024

**Black Face - Scotch Type** – Richard Carruthers, Merkland Farm.

**Black Face - Hexham type** – Charlie Halbert, Prospect Hill.

**Bluefaced Leicester** - Derek Hall, Firth.

**Mules** – Colin Dick, Hamildean.

**Young Handlers** – Malcolm Coubrough,

**Texel** – Hamish Currie, Eden Dales

**Shetland** – Suzanne Meikle, West Lothian.

**Overall** - Malcolm Coubrough,

**BSHA Rising Star Classes** – Sarah Ramsden

**SSADL Home Produced & Race Horses** – Di Drysdale

**Fancy Dress** – Mrs B Duggan

**Working Hunter Ring** – See classes

**Unaffiliated Working Hunter Ponies & NPS Section** – Glenis Cockbain

**Top Ride, Inhand Section & Hunter Pony Breeding** – Daniel Park

**Horse & Pony Sports** –Ms L Quinn

**Cobs, Unaffiliated Ridden Classes & BSPS Performance Classes** – Chris Grant

**Unaffiliated Ridden Classes** – Di Drysdale

**Home Baking (Savoury)** – Mrs Kathy Scott & Mrs Vera Scott, Otterburn

**Home Baking (Sweet)** – Guillaume Rideau & Anna Smy, Rochester

**Jams & Chutney** – Sue Wardle, Allenheads.

**Honey & Beekeeping** – Judith & David Stewart – Shotley Bridge

**WI. Judge** – Mary McTaggart & Margaret Young, Members of Cogsmill S.W.

**Children's Section - Home Baking & Crafts** – Mrs Judi Gibson, Allenheads

**Children's Section – Handwriting & Art** – Sally Danys & Paul Dennis, Hexham

**Craft** – Kath Richardson – Tarsset & Sue Harbottle - Falstone

**Floral** – Mary McTaggart & Margaret Young, Members of Cogsmill S.W.I

**Art** – Ben Haslam, Riding Mill

**Photography** – Rob Halliburton, Haltwhistle

**Dressed Walking Sticks** – Mr Tom Linton, Skipton

**Northumbrian Piping** – Ms Kathryn Tickell.

**Cumberland and Westmoreland Wrestling** –TBA

**Fox Hounds** – Edward Liddle, Cockermouth

**Companion Dog Show** – Leanne Jones

**Terriers** –TBC

**Gun Dogs** –Megan Borthwick, Stamfordham

**Border Collies** – Carol Baker,Wark

## **\* COMPETITION TIMETABLE**

**\* note main ring could be subject to change**

- 08:00 Equine Classes begin Main Ring
- 08:00 Equine Classes begin Peart Arenas Working Hunter Ring
- 08:30 Equine classes begin Dunelle Sheepdog Ring
- 09:00 Show field opens to the public.
- 09:00 Equine Classes begin – Ring 3
- 10:30 Judging Sheep Classes
- 10:30 Judging Industrial Tent
- 11:00 Companion Dog Show
- 11:30 Heavy Horse
- 12:00 Big Pete Monster Trucks – Main Ring
- 12:30 Beagle – Main Ring
- 13:00 Judging Northumbrian Piping Competition
- 13:00 Dog Show
- 13:00 Agricultural Demonstration – Main Ring
- 13:50 Vintage Vehicle Parade – Main Ring
- 14:00 Judging of Hounds
- 14:30 Fell Race – Main Ring
- 14:30 Fancy Dress Competition – Main Ring (Open to any animal with 4 legs and a heart)
- 14:45 Sheep Dog Trail Demonstration - Main Ring
- 15:00 Quoits
- 15:00 Cumberland Wrestling
- 15:00 Presentation of Industrial Section Trophies at Industrial Tent
- 15:15 Big Pete Monster Trucks
- 15:45 Supreme Championship – Main Ring
- 16:00 Inter Hunt Challenge – Main Ring
- 16:30 Lifting of Exhibits
- 17:00 Showground closes

# SHEEP

**JUDGING WILL BEGIN AT 10.30 AM**

**PLEASE NOTE** It is the exhibitors' responsibility to deliver and collect the necessary licences to and from the Show Officials. **Show CPH** is 31/069/8000.

All female sheep to be owned by exhibitor for at least 3 months before the date of the show.

**Chief Steward & Bio Security Officer:** Ms Diane Anderson.

The **Geoff Robson Memorial Perpetual Challenge Cup** to be presented to the Overall Champion. The **Tom MacKay Memorial Trophy** to be presented to the Reserve Overall Champion. The **Brieredge Trophy** for the Best Blackface Sheep in Show presented by Mr and Mrs B Anderson. An interbreed championship for the Groups of 3 sheep.

**Overall Champion Judge:** Malcolm Coubrough

**All Entries: £2 per class.**

## **BLACKFACE SHEEP – SCOTCH**

**Judge:** Mr R Carruthers, Merkland Farm.

The **Hexham Courant Salver** to be presented to the Champion in this section.

**Prize Money:** 1<sup>st</sup> £10; 2<sup>nd</sup> £7; 3<sup>rd</sup> £4; 4<sup>th</sup> rosette, **Champ & Res champ rosette**

- Class 1 Tup, shearling or over
- Class 2 Tup lamb
- Class 3 Ewe that has reared lambs this season
- Class 4 Gimmer
- Class 5 Ewe lamb
- Class 6 Pair of ewe lambs
- Class 7 Group – any three sheep

## **BLACKFACE SHEEP – HEXHAM**

**Judge:** Charlie Halbert, Prospect Hill.

The **William Henry Charlton Cup** to be presented to this section Champion

**Prize Money:** 1<sup>st</sup> £10; 2<sup>nd</sup> £7; 3<sup>rd</sup> £4; 4<sup>th</sup> rosette, **Champ & Res champ rosette**

- Class 8 Tup, shearling or over
- Class 9 Tup lamb
- Class 10 Ewe that has reared lambs this season
- Class 11 Gimmer
- Class 12 Ewe lamb
- Class 13 Pair of ewe lambs
- Class 14 Group –any three sheep

## **BLUEFACED LEICESTER SHEEP**

**Judge: Mr D Hall, Firth.**

The **Act Perpetual Trophy** to be presented to this section Champion

**Prize Money: 1<sup>st</sup> £10; 2<sup>nd</sup> £7; 3<sup>rd</sup> £4; 4<sup>th</sup> rosette, Champ & Res champ rosette**

Class 21 Tup, shearling or over

Class 22 Tup lamb

Class 23 Ewe that has reared lambs this season

Class 24 Gimmer

Class 25 Ewe lamb

Class 26 Group – any three sheep

## **MULES**

**Judge: Mr C Dick, Hamildean.**

The **Perpetual Tankard** to be presented to this section Champion. The **Mathew Wood Shield** will be awarded to the highest placed lamb exhibited by a NEMSA member.

**Prize Money: 1<sup>st</sup> £10; 2<sup>nd</sup> £7; 3<sup>rd</sup> £4; 4<sup>th</sup> rosette, Champ & Res champ rosette**

Class 27 Group of 5 ewe lambs

Class 28 3 ewe lambs

Class 29 Single ewe lamb

## **TEXEL**

**Judge: Mr H Currie, Eden Dales.**

**Open to both Solway & Tyne Texel Breds and Non- accredited.**

**Prize Money: 1<sup>st</sup> £10; 2<sup>nd</sup> £7; 3<sup>rd</sup> £4; 4<sup>th</sup> rosette, Champ & Res champ rosette**

Class 30 Ram one year and above

Class 31 Ram lamb

Class 32 Ewe which has reared lambs this season

Class 33 Gimmer

Class 34 Ewe lamb

Class 35 Group of any three sheep.

## **SHETLAND SHEEP**

**Judge: Ms S Meikle, West Lothian.**

This show is a Qualifying Show for the National Shetland Sheep Society Flock Competition.

There will be two **Nat West Trophies** one for the Champion Sheep in each section.

The **Bellingham Show Trophy** will be presented to the overall Champion.

The following awards will be made:-

The **Douglas Trophy** for the best lamb kindly presented by **Mrs Rena Douglas**

**Shetland Sheep Society Rosettes** for the Best Young Handler and the Best Novice Handler

**Prize Money: 1<sup>st</sup> £10; 2<sup>nd</sup> £7; 3<sup>rd</sup> £4; 4<sup>th</sup> rosette, Champ & Res champ rosette**

### **SHETLAND SHEEP – COLOURED**

Class 36 Ram of any age

Class 37 Ewe of any age

Class 38 Shearling ewe

Class 39 Ewe lamb

Class 40 Ram lamb

### **SHETLAND SHEEP – WHITE**

Class 41 Ram of any age

Class 42 Ewe of any age

Class 43 Shearling ewe

Class 44 Ewe Lamb

Class 45 Ram Lamb

## **YOUNG HANDLER'S CLASS**

**Judge: Malcolm Coubrough**

**Rosettes for all entrants. FREE ENTRY (To be taken on the day). Prize Money: 1<sup>st</sup> £10; 2<sup>nd</sup> £7; 3<sup>rd</sup> £4; 4<sup>th</sup> rosette**

Class 46 A sheep, any breed, exhibitor to be under 16 on show day

Entries in classes of prs of lambs and groups of sheep can be drawn from stock in other classes.

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## FANCY DRESS OPEN TO ANY ANIMAL WITH FOUR LEGS AND A HEART!

Kindly sponsored by Muckle LLP

Rosettes donated by Clare Dewhurst

Judge - Barbara Duggan

The Lucy Duggan Memorial Trophy to be presented to the winner of the Fancy dress class.

(ALL AGES) All Competitors will receive a rosette and prizes in kind.

Entries on field only

No Entry Fee

14:30 in the Main Ring Animals to be ridden, led or accompanied (as appropriate)

## OPEN QUILTS COMPETITION

Steward: Mr Harry Bertram

15:00 near the sheep bar

*Entries will be taken on the Show Field*

<i>Prizes</i>	<b>1<sup>st</sup></b>	<b>£15.00</b>
	<b>2<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>£10.00</b>
	<b>3<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>£5.00</b>

## FELL RACE

Steward: Andrew Clark

*Registration on the field at the Catalogue Hut.*

*Race start at 2.30pm, Main Ring.*

**NO ENTRY FEE** Competitors must be 16 years and older. Prizes spread over 15 sections.

*Runners kit can be left in the Secretary's Hut. The show committee take no responsibility for any loss or damage to property left there.*



Distance is 6.4km/ 4 miles. Climbing is 183m. Category is B/S .

# NORTHUMBRIAN PIPING COMPETITIONS

**Entry Free. Register at the Piping Marquee from 12.30pm onwards on Show Day**

**Judge: Ms Kathryn Tickell, Steward: Magnetic North East**

**Competitions start at 1pm**

## Classes

Novice

Intermediate

Open

Piping Pairs

Mixed Pairs

Half Longs

Champion of Champions

## Trophy

Archie Dagg Cup

Oliver Rose Bowl

Breckons Trophy

Robson Trophy

Greenhaugh Cup

G V Charlton Cup

Spencer Trophy

# CUMBERLAND & WESTMORLAND STYLE WRESTLING

**No entry fee** Entries will be taken on the show field at the Wrestling ring up to 3.15pm. Wrestling to start at 3.30pm. Wrestlers will weigh in before the draw.



**Costumes to be worn if possible.** Held under the auspices of the Cumberland & Westmorland Wrestling Association.

Officials from Cumberland & Westmorland Wrestling Association

Mr J Pringle, Rothbury

Mr E Younger, Ponteland

Mr P Thompson, Nenthead

Mr J Brown, Haydon Bridge

Class	First	Second	Third
Under 12 years	£10	£7	£4
Boys under 15 years	£10	£7	£4
Boys under 18 years	£20	£15	£10
Novices	£10	£7	£4
7 stone and under	£15	£8	£5

<b>12 stone and under</b>	<b>£50</b>	<b>£30</b>	<b>£10</b>
<b>14 stone and under</b>	<b>£50</b>	<b>£30</b>	<b>£20</b>
<b>Ladies 10 stone and under</b>	<b>£30</b>	<b>£20</b>	<b>£10</b>
<b>Ladies Open</b>	<b>£30</b>	<b>£20</b>	<b>£10</b>
<b>All Weights</b>	<b>£75</b>	<b>£50</b>	<b>£25</b>

## FOXHOUND SHOW

Chief Steward: Miss Leanne Little

**Entry fee £1.50 Judging commences at 2pm.** Entries taken on the show field on the day. The **Bellingham Horn** will be presented to the overall championship hound Reserve champion will be presented with a rosette.

**Prize money. 1<sup>st</sup> £7, 2<sup>nd</sup> £5, 3<sup>rd</sup> £4**

### Judge: Eddie Liddle

- Class 1 Group of four hounds
- Class 2 Couple
- Class 3 Unentered dog hounds
- Class 4 Entered dog hounds
- Class 5 Unentered bitches
- Class 6 Entered bitches



# COMPANION DOG SHOW

Chief Steward: Mrs L Little & Miss L Little, Miss M Bousfield

**Judging to commence 11am**

**Judge: Leanne Jones, Kielder**

## ***Entries on the field***

**Entry Fee £1.00. Prize Money: 1<sup>st</sup> £5; 2<sup>nd</sup> £3; 3<sup>rd</sup> £2**

**Trophy** for the best child's pet

1. Best dog with 6 legs
2. Dog the judge most wants to kidnap
3. Dog who loves the most
4. Dog with the waggiest tail.
5. Children's pet - any breed (children under 16 years)

# DOG SHOW -

**Judging to commence 1:00pm**

***Entries on the field. Entry Fee £1.50. Prize Money: 1<sup>st</sup> £5; 2<sup>nd</sup> £3; 3<sup>rd</sup> £2***

**Trophy** for the best Border Terrier in show. **Cup** for the best Border Terrier puppy in show. **Tankard** for the best Jack Russell Terrier in show. **Tankard** for the best Lakeland/Patterdale Terrier in show. **Tankard** for the best Cross Bred Terrier in show. **Cup** to the winner of Gun Dog Classes.

## **BORDER COLLIE CLASSES**

**Judge: Carol Baker, Wark.**

- Class 8 Border collie dog
- Class 9 Border collie bitch
- Class 10 Border collie puppy (under 12 months and not to have been shown in any other class except 1-6)

## **GUN DOG CLASSES**

**Judge: Megan Borthwick, Stamfordham**

- Class 11 Best dog
- Class 12 Best bitch
- Class 13 Best puppy (under 12 months and not to have been shown in any other class except 1-6)

## TERRIER CLASSES

Judging to commence 2:00pm

Judge: TBC

Class 14 Border terrier dog

Class 15 Border terrier bitch

Class 16 Jack Russell dog

Class 17 Jack Russell bitch

Class 18 Lakeland/Patterdale dog

Class 19 Lakeland/Patterdale bitch

Class 20 Cross bred dog

Class 21 Cross bred bitch

Class 22 Terrier puppy (under 12 months and not shown in any other class except classes 1-6)

Class 23 Veteran terrier (over 7 years)

Class 24 Any couple/ pair of terriers

***Only undocked or legally docked dogs may be entered for exhibition at this show.***

**N.B. Champions of each terrier class excluding 16, 17 & 18 will go forward to the Overall Champion Terrier and Cock of the North Qualifier**

## CONDITIONS

1. Competitions and premiums in this list are all open, except Classes where otherwise stated.
2. Closing date for entries will be strictly adhered to, at the Secretary's discretion.
3. Animals obtaining premiums to be the bona fide property of their exhibitor.
4. When there is no competition prizes will not be awarded except where the stock exhibited is thought worthy by the judges.
5. Neither the Society, in any of its officers or servants shall be in any way responsible, or accountable for anything that may happen (from any cause or circumstance whatever) to Exhibitors or their employees, or any animal or article exhibited, or property brought in to the Show field or otherwise for anything else in connection with or arising out of, or attributable to the Society's Show; or these in any other condition, or regulations prescribed by the society, in relation thereto.
6. No exhibit shall bear any distinctive marks or placard other than the society's official number.
7. Entry fees as stated in each section.
8. The Society do not hold themselves responsible or liable for any stock sent to the show, though every precaution will be taken to protect exhibitors from loss or damage.
9. All disputed questions shall be referred to the Show Council, by whom they will be finally settled without appeal. All objections to the Judge's decision or otherwise must be lodged with the Secretary in writing, within one week from the closure of the Show, accompanied by a deposit of £10 which is liable to forfeiture.
10. The Stewards shall have the power to order from the Show the stock or property belonging to any Exhibitor who shall infringe any of the regulations or conditions of the meeting, or shall refuse to comply with any instruction given by the Judges or Stewards.
11. All horses may be measured before entering the Judging Ring.
12. In no case shall a prize be awarded unless the Judges deem the stock of sufficient merit and the Judges will be specially cautioned not to award any prize to any animal showing signs of hereditary disease. The Judges may consult the Society's Veterinary Surgeon if they deem it expedient.
- 13. Horses must not be ridden around the Show Field in any circumstances.**
14. The Society reserves to itself by its Council the sole and absolute right to interpret these or any other prescribed conditions and regulations or Prize Sheets and to settle and determine all matters, questions or differences on regards thereto, or otherwise arising out of or connected with or incidental to the Show. Also to refuse and to cancel any entries, disqualify exhibitors, prohibit exhibition of entries, vary or cancel awards of prizes, or reserve numbers and relax conditions as the Society may deem necessary.
15. Prize money shall be paid to the successful exhibitor on Show Day. Please follow separate rules of Procedure for claiming prize money.
16. CANCELLATION In the event the Show Council cancel, a £5 administration fee will be retained and entry money over £5 will be returned.
17. WHILST EVERY CARE WILL BE TAKEN BY THE SHOW COMMITTEE, ALL ANIMALS ARE SHOWN AT THEIR OWNER'S RISK

## ***IMPORTANT* RULES FOR PAYMENT OF PRIZE MONEY.**

***It is intended this year to pay out the Prize Money of Bellingham Show by cash on Show Day. Your co-operation is requested to follow these rules very carefully.***

1. The Society will pay out Prize Money to successful exhibitors on Show Day, except to Exhibitors whose exhibits are sent by post and unaccompanied.
2. Successful Exhibitors of postal and unaccompanied exhibits will receive their Prize Money by cheque after the Show by post.
3. The Prize Money for the Sheep, Equestrian and Dog sections will be attached to the prize winning tickets and given to successful exhibitors when the Judging of the class is complete.
4. Exhibitors in the Baking, Industrial and Craft sections must complete prize claim forms.
5. Prize money will be paid out at the Secretary's office between 14.00 and 16.30 on show day to the successful exhibitors in the Baking, Industrial and Craft sections.
6. Only ONE EXHIBITOR may claim on a PRIZE CLAIM FORM, but it can be used to claim more than one prize.
7. The PRIZE CLAIM FORM, when submitted for payment, will be checked with the Official Prize List and, if correct, paid. The prize claim form can be retained by the Cashier as the Receipt for the Prize Money.
8. If any exhibitor is unable to collect their prize money they must claim by post on the official prize claim form.
9. If any Prize Money is not claimed on show day, it will be retained by the Society until the 30<sup>th</sup> of September of the current year after which date all claims will be considered VOID.
10. Claiming Exhibitors must be prepared to produce to the cashier their prize card as proof of identification.
11. PRIZE CLAIM FORMS may be obtained from the Stewards of the Secretary's Office.

***TROPHIES TO BE HELD UNTIL THE 1<sup>ST</sup> OF AUGUST WHEN THEY SHOULD BE RETURNED TO THE SECRETARY.***