

Irish Shorthorn Society Premier Show & Sale 2025

on Saturday, 8th November 2025

at THE SHOWGROUNDS, CARRICK-ON-SHANNON

Eircode: N41 YX82



*****All animals will be inspected prior to the sale
at a designated inspection centre*****

€35 Entry Fee

**Closing Date of entries: Thursday, 25th September 2025 at 4pm
(No late entries will be accepted)**

Name of Exhibitor:

Tel:

Herd Prefix:

Pedigree Name:	Tag no:	D.O.B:	Sex:

If heifer is in calf. Please state: Yes ☐ No ☐

Date of service: _____ Sire used: _____

If heifer will be scanned. Please state: Yes ☐ No ☐

Remarks: _____

Comment Box: maximum of 20 words per entry (for auctioneer).

Conditions of entry:

1. All animals will be inspected prior to the sale by an independent inspector during the week of **29th September 2025**. Inspection centres will be confirmed after entries close, based on the locations of entries received. By entering, you agree to accept the inspector's decision on whether your animal is suitable for the show and sale. **The inspector's decision is final.** If your animal does not pass inspection, **€30 of your entry fee will be refunded** to you.

2. Animal weight and age criteria is as follows:

Females: minimum ADG of 0.8kg a day + 40kg birth weight

Males: minimum ADG of 1kg a day + 45kg birth weight.

All entries **must** be born before the 1st of May 2025.

3. All animals **must** be pedigree registered in Herd book of the Irish Shorthorn Society.

4. All animals **must** be export tested. (contact your local DVO for clarification).

5. All animals **must** be genotyped/DNA tested.

6. All animals **must** be Tested TH FREE. (Copy of Weatherbys TH results must be available to the society).

7. Males over 12 months of age (on day of sale) **must** be fertility tested within 60 days of the sale date. This must be provided on the day of the sale.

8. Scanning certs for incalf females and fertility test certs for males **must** be provided on the day of the sale.

9. All males (over 300kg) **must** have a ring and a lead rope in their nose.

10. It is recommended that all females have a snaffle and lead rope in their nose.

11. All animals **must** be halter trained and if the inspector deems the animal to be unsafe, they will be disqualified.

12. Animals **must** not have ringworm.

13. No entries of males or females over 36 months of age.

14. Each exhibitor may enter a maximum of 4 animals per category. Categories are defined by **age and sex** as follows: Weanling Heifer (born 2025), Weanling Bull (born 2025), Maiden Heifer (born before 01/01/2025), In-calf Heifer, Intermediate Bull (Sept–Dec 2024), and Senior Bull (Jan–June 2024).

By entering this animal into the Sale, I accept and abide by the Sale Rules of the Irish Shorthorn Society Ltd. and the sale criteria outlined above and confirm that I know of no reason why this animal(s) could be infertile.

Signed: _____

Fully completed entry form to be returned to:

Irish Shorthorn Society, Unit 13, Business Development Centre, Parnell Square, Athlone, Co. Westmeath
by **post** OR by **email** to secretary@irishshorthorn.com by the closing date with the required entry fee.

Photos of entries can be sent via messenger to the Society Facebook page or WhatsApp to 0860461442 for promotion before the sale. Photos **must be** sent in by Friday 24TH October 2025.