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Hello,

Thank you for getting in touch regarding membership with the **Irish Shorthorn Society**. Please find attached the following documents:

- Membership Form*
- ICBF Release Form* – Required to grant the Society access to your animal records for registration.
- Current Fee Schedule – A breakdown of all fees associated with the Society.
- Calf Registration Form – You can also register calves online via our website: <https://irishshorthorn.com/online-calf-register/>
- Zurich Insurance Letter
- Breeder Directory

The first two forms (marked with a *) are mandatory to complete your membership application. The first-year membership fee of **€90.00** is due upon submission.

Payment Options:

You can make the payment via:

- **Cheque** (Payable to *Irish Shorthorn Society*)
- **Card Payment** (Over the phone)
- **Bank Transfer** (Details below):

IBAN: IE69 AIBK 9374 0104 8260 77

BIC: AIBKIE2D

Payment Reference: Please use your **Herd Prefix**

Account Name: Irish Shorthorn Society

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me at **+353 (0) 86 0461442** or via email at secretary@irishshorthorn.com.

Looking forward to welcoming you to the Society!

Best regards,

Shauna Mulhall

Breed Secretary

Irish Shorthorn Society



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Membership & Herd Prefix Application Form

(PLEASE PRINT IN BLOCK LETTERS)

Applicant Details

I, _____ (Breeder's Full Name),
of _____

_____ (Breeder's Address),

request becoming an annual member and shareholder of the Irish Shorthorn Society Ltd. and make this application to be admitted a member accordingly. Shareholding applied for: 1 ordinary one-euro share(s) in above Society.

 **Phone No.:** _____  **Email:** _____

Herd Prefix Registration

Your **Herd Prefix** is a unique brand name for your herd. It appears at the beginning of all pedigree-registered animals' names and is included on pedigree certificates. The prefix must be **one word only**.

- **Preferred Prefix (1):** _____
- **Preferred Prefix (2):** _____

Herd Type: ☐ Beef Shorthorn ☐ Dairy Shorthorn

Data Protection & Marketing Consent

Your data will be used in line with our Privacy Policy (available at www.irishshorthorn.com or on request)

☐ I confirm that I have read and accept the Privacy Policy.

Preferred Contact Method (tick one):

☐ Email ☐ Post

SMS / WhatsApp Updates:

☐ Yes ☐ No

☐ I consent to sharing my contact details with my local Shorthorn club.

 To opt out at any time, email: secretary@irishshorthorn.com.

Breeding Programme & Rules of Procedure

The **ISS Breeding Programme** and **ISS Rules of Procedure** are available at www.irishshorthorn.com or in a hard copy by contacting the ISS office.

☐ I, _____, confirm that I have read and understand the ISS Breeding Programme and the ISS Rules of Procedure.

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____



To whom it may concern,

I _____*, hereby:

- (a) give permission to the Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine (the “**Department**”) to make available a copy of my herd's calf registration data, animal identification and movement system data (AIM) and my name, address, mobile number, animal events data and other relevant cattle breeding data to Irish Cattle Breeding Federation Society Limited (“**ICBF**”) for the National Cattle Breeding Database (the “**Database**”). I understand that all such information will be stored in the Database and will be used for the purpose of cattle breeding activities.
- (b) consent and agree to ICBF (i) obtaining any data relating to animals which I either own now, have previously owned, or acquire in the future that ICBF shall consider relevant (including information relating to an animal's performance, health, meat quality and genetic makeup) (“**Animal Data**”) from any source available to it including meat processors, vets, AI companies and milk processors; and (ii) entering such Animal Data on its Database and using such Animal Data in any way it deems appropriate in providing its services and carrying out its activities including by making such Animal Data publically available or passing it to third parties including those organisations listed below.
- (c) acknowledge that my personal data as provided in this form (ie my name, address, phone number and email address, Eircode) (“**Personal Data**”) will be retained by ICBF in conjunction with the Animal Data and may be used by ICBF when Animal Data is being compiled or assessed and also for the purpose of communicating with me. ICBF's lawful basis for doing this is: the performance of a contract, its legitimate interest in administering its business, compliance with its legal and regulatory obligations and/or your consent (where this has been provided). I also specifically consent to my Personal Data being given to the organisations for the purposes listed below and understand that **I can withdraw this consent in respect of my Personal Data at any time by emailing ICBF at dpo@icbf.com .**

Organisation(s) to which data may be passed:

IRISH SHORTHORN SOCIETY LTD - Co Westmeath - (SH)

Purpose(s) for which such data may be shared:

For the purpose of executing the Herdbook Service, including report generation, certificate generation, catalogue generation, billing, handheld processing, website publication, journal publication, email, text message and written communications

Address: * _____ **Mobile No:** _____

_____ **Phone No:** _____

_____ **Email:** _____

Eircode: _____

Herd Designator: * 372_____ (e.g.3722112345)

BTE Herd Number: *

Country Letter	6 Digit Herd Number						Check Digit
e.g. D	1	0	4	7	1	3	5

Signature: * _____ **Date: *** ____ / ____ / 20____ ** indicates Mandatory field*





Schedule of Fees 2026

Membership Fees:		Member
Application for Membership (SH & MS) (Includes first year subscription):		€90
- membership fee €65.00, - herd Prefix fee €24.00, - shareholding €1.00		
Annual Membership fee:		€65
€55.00 (if paid by standing order or before March 1st) €65.00 (if paid after March 1st)		
Associate and oversea membership		€40
Registration Fees:		
Male registration fees (SH & MS)		
	Member	Non-Member
Within 275 days (9 months)	€50	€100
Over 275 days (9 months) and under 12 months	€100	€200
Over 12 months and under 18 months	€150	€300
Over 18 months	€250	€500
Male animals not registered by the breeder/original owner		
Movement recorded on the AIMS System under 12 months	€150	€300
Movement recorded on the AIMS System over 12 months	€300	€600
Female registration fees (SH & MS)		
Within 90 days (SH)	€35	€70
Within 90 days (MS)	€30	€60
Over 90 days and under 12 months	€70	€140
Over 12 months and under 24 months	€100	€200
Over 24 months	€150	€300
Female animals not registered by the breeder/original owner		
Movement recorded on the AIMS System under 12 months (SH & MS)	€100	€ 200
Movement recorded on the AIMS System over 12 months (SH & MS)	€150	€300
Other Fees:		
DNA Kit Order through Society	€35	€70
Importation of Pedigree data from other Herd books (2 generations only)	€75	€150
Importation of Pedigree data from other Herd books (More than 2 generations)	€125	€250
Amendment of certificate (change of ownership or TH or DNA status)	€15	€30
Embryo Registration	€20	€40

Please Note:

- Membership must be paid before any animal can be registered.
- Membership is deemed to be lapsed if two full years' subscriptions remain outstanding.
- All lapsed members must re-apply for membership, pay for re-issue of herd prefix if still available if they wish to become members again.
- All animals must be genotyped prior to registration from 1st of January 2024.
- All payments to be made before certificates are sent by An Post.
- Zootechnical certificates requiring change of ownership details should be returned to the Society office and a new cert will be issued with updated details.
- Where an animal has not been registered by the original breeder prior to sale, and the new owner seeks to register the animal using the breeder's herd prefix (with the breeder's permission form), the registration shall be treated as a movement registration. The applicable movement registration fee will apply regardless of whether the breeder grants prefix permission.

Payment Methods:

- Clicking on the stripe link on the invoice via the email only sent from secretary@irishshorthorn.com.
- Online bank transfer, banking details on invoice.
- Phone to pay by card over the phone.
- Post a cheque to the society office.

Colour:

- Roan (RO)
- Red (R)
- Red and little white (RLW)
- White (W)

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Genotyping/DNA**Testing:**

ALL calves must be genotyped from 1st of January 2024 to obtain a certificate.

ANIMAL REGISTRATION FORM

Tag Number (First 10 Digits)

Animal Name e.g. ATHLONE DAISY RO P <i>Max 30 characters (including spaces)</i>	ET	Twin	Sex: M or F	Tag Number (last 5 digits)	Colour	Polled or Horned	Beef or Traditional or Milking Shorthorn	<u>Th status (if relevant)</u> TH free (need to send copy of weatherbys result) or Predicted TH free by inheritance (if dam and sire cert is stamped with predicted TH free by inheritance) or TH status not verified or TH carrier
1								
				Tag Number				
2								
				Tag Number				
3								
				Tag Number				
4								
				Tag Number				
5								

I hereby apply to have the animal registered in the Herd Book of the Irish Shorthorn Society and enclose appropriate registration fee €_____.

I hereby declare that the foregoing particulars are true and correct.

Signed: _____

Herdname: _____

Tel: _____

Date: _____



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Irish Shorthorn Society Partnership with Zurich Insurance:

We are grateful to Zurich for their continued support of our Youth Development Programme.

We would be most grateful to our members if you would consider Zurich for your farm insurance cover.

If you are willing to allow Kevin McDonagh from Charles P. Scanlon Insurance Brokers Ltd. to contact you regarding your farm insurance, please fill out the form below and return it to the office as soon as possible.

I consent to being contacted by Charles P. Scanlon Insurances Ltd.

Name: (Block Capitals) _____

Phone: _____

Signed: _____

Date: _____



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Irish Shorthorn Society – Breeders Directory

The Irish Shorthorn Society is setting up a new online Shorthorn Breeder Directory.

It will contain the following information: Breeders name, herd name, address, contact number and/or email. The format is a list of the counties in Ireland, clicking onto a county will present details of Shorthorn breeders who have opted to be included.

Breeders who would like their details included on the Irish Shorthorn Society website must complete this form and return it to the society office by post or email.

***Membership must be paid up to date to avail of this advertising opportunity*.**

I wish to be included in the updated Breeder Directory and give my permission to have the following information published on the Irish Shorthorn Society website.

(BLOCK CAPITALS)

Name: _____

Herd Name: _____

Town/Area: (optional) _____

County: _____

Contact Number: _____

Email Address: (optional) _____

Signed: _____

Date: _____