

# CATTLE EXHIBITORS INFORMATION PACK



ROYAL NORTHERN AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

## ARRIVAL

All livestock are required to be **on site by 2pm on Tuesday 24th February**. Weighing will take place between 2pm and 4pm. This is necessary to allow time for preparation of a detailed supplementary catalogue showing weights etc. In addition, all Cattle must be accompanied by their Passport & Cattle Movement Document.

Livestock vehicles should enter the Show yard at Gate 1 – This is the first gate on leaving the A96 Aberdeen – Inverness road. Exhibition cattle should unload at banks 17 - 21.

**ALL VEHICLES MUST GO TO THE FLOAT PARK AREAS IMMEDIATELY AFTER UNLOADING.**

## LONG HAUL CATTLE

In cases of long haul or island cattle, earlier arrival times can be requested and agreed direct with ANM.

## HALTER LED CATTLE

All halter led Cattle must be suitably trained and be led by an experienced handler, who will accept full risk and responsibility for their animals. No exhibitors to be under 16 years old.

## BIO-SECURITY

Disinfectant is available at door between loading bays 9 & 10 and going through into the 700 pens.

All cattle must be from a BVD NEGATIVE holding or individually tested.

## VEHICLE ACCESS

The mart is open from 6.30 a.m. on show day but **no vehicle access** will be given to the lairage area so please make sure you have everything unloaded on the Tuesday afternoon.

**13-DAY RULE** - Scottish Government advises that the sale elements of the event dictate that all Cattle (sold or unsold) or Sheep going back to farms after the Show, will trigger the 13-day standstill. Where appropriate, approved separation arrangements should be in place in advance of the event. Any queries about these aspects should be to the Scottish Government office – Tel - 0300 2446822.

Penning details will be given within this email. The Exhibition Cattle will be listed in the supplementary catalogue which is available for sale along with the RNAS Show Catalogue – Price - £2.

**Your tickets will also be out with this email.** This ticket must be scanned at any gate for entry to Royal Northern Spring Show. It can be scanned from a device or as a printed ticket. If you are scanning it from a device, please make sure you have it saved to your device before arriving as internet signal for downloads can be a problem at the location. All persons over 16 years of age will require a ticket.

If you purchased your membership on entering this will be sent separately. Thank you for your support.

Your insurance cover must be adequate for your participation in such events.

Thank you for your support and for entering the Royal Northern Spring Show 2026. Any queries, please contact the show secretary at anytime.