

Results of the 125th Spring Show & Sale of Highland Cattle
Sunday 14th February & Monday 15th February 2016
Judge, Mr Donald MacNaughton of the Rannoch Fold



Commentator for the Show, Mr Angus MacKay, Judge Mr Donald MacNaughton & new Breed Secretary Sian Sharp

The 125th anniversary show and sale of Highland Cattle attracted a significant audience from both the UK and Europe. The steady trade saw 20% of the animals sold head to Germany and a further 4 animals went to Denmark, 3 animals headed to Estonia and 2 animals made their way to Italy. This year's judge was Donald MacNaughton, a well-known and respected stockman who wasted no time in sifting through the show classes and selecting his Champions. Although most section averages were back slightly on the previous year the clearance rate was 80% with 79 animals sold out of a total of 99.

Averages

- 3 - Aged Bulls - £1925
- 4 - Senior Bulls - £2048 (5, £3780 last year)
- 18 - Two Year Old Bulls - £2561 (13, £2913 last year)
- 11 - Yearling Bulls - £726 (3, £630 last year)
- 4 - Senior Females - £2573 (10, £2121 last year)
- 7 - Three Year Old Heifers - £1118 (11, £1743 last year)
- 10 - Two Year Old Heifers - £1145 (16, £1482 last year)
- 21 - Yearling Heifers - £750 (24, £795 last year)
- 1 - Unaltered female - £200

Male Championship

Overall Male Champion & Two Year Old Male Champion and winner of the Craig Sellar Trophy and W.Pearson Brown Memorial Trophy for best two year old bull

COIRNEAL OF BALMORAL from H.M. The Queen, Balmoral Estates. Sired by PRIONNSA DUBH OF CRAIGOWMILL and out of PHIOBAIDH 93RD OF BALMORAL 56976, this bull achieved the second highest bid of the day, with Tom Nelson, the recently retired Highland Cattle Society President, securing the bull for his Glengorm Fold for 7000 guineas.



**The Roy Cruickshank Goblet awarded to the stockman bringing out Champion animal
Mr Fearghus Ormiston**



Reserve Overall Male Champion & Reserve Two year old Male champion, winner of the Caledonian Marts (Stirling) Trophy

CAMPBELL OF TILBOURIES from J & L Fraser & Son. Sired by **CAMPBELL 1ST OF TORDARROCH 9684** and out of **CIARA DUBH OF LISMORE 62269**, this young bull has been successfully shown during 2015. He was Male Champion at the Sutherland, Nairn & Grantown shows. Campbell is the first exhibit from the Fraser family at Oban and Mrs Jon H Strickland paid the top price of the day, of 9000 guineas to secure this bull for the Cladich Fold.



Female Championship

Overall Champion, Senior Heifer Champion & winner of DM Stewart Memorial Trophy

SUSAN 19TH OF ORMSARY from Sir William J Lithgow, Bt & Son (Ormsary). Sired by CALLUM 2ND OF GOLDENBERRY 10038 and out of SUSAN 11TH OF ORMSARY 61275, Susan was sold in-calf to Padruaig of Gildenvale and topped the female trade at 5000 guineas to Mr David Smith of Fraserburgh.



Angus W MacGillivray Memorial Quaich for stockman bringing out Champion female

Mr Alan Bosomworth

Reserve Overall Female Champion and Three Year Old heifer champion

HAZEL 15TH OF KNOCKENDON from Ronald & Frances Fergie. Sired by JAMES BEUSACH OF AN SIDHEAN 9767 and out of HAZEL 5TH OF KNOCKENDON 63978, Hazel went to the same home as the Overall Champion, Mr David Smith, for 1500 guineas.

Aged Bulls – sponsored by The Farmers Guardian

Section1, Class 1

1st & Best Aged bull - **EOIN MHOR 11TH OF MOTTISTONE** from Mr Michael Poland who sold to newly elected council member Sir James Paice

2nd & Reserve Aged Bull - **ANGUS MOR OF GLENGOYNE** bred by Mr Ewan MacKay and owned by Mr Angus MacKay, he went to Mr Parkinson for 1500guineas.

3rd - **CEANNARD 5TH OF GLENGORM** from Sydney & Maureen O'Hara – unsold

4th - **ADHAMH 1ST OF ACHNACROISH** from Sydney & Maureen O'Hara and sold to Manfred Ruser of Germany.

Senior Bulls – sponsored by The Farmers Guardian

Section 2, Class 2

1st & Best Senior Bull - **JOCK OF RHUDLE** bred by Mr John Warmerdam and owned by Mr Duncan Buchanan sold to Rossal Estate for 1500 guineas.

2nd -& Reserve Senior Bull - **IAIN DUBH OF GLEANN DAIDH** from Grace Noble – unsold.

3rd - **IAIN OF MOTTISTONE** from Mr Michael Poland – unsold

4th - **HAMISH OF KNOCKENDON** from Ronald & Frances Fergie and sold to Mr John Cooper from Tordarroch Estate for 1800 guineas.

Two Year Old Bulls – sponsored by MacPhee & Partners

Section 3, Class 3

1st , Two Year Old Champion and Overall Male Champion - **COIRNEAL OF BALMORAL** from H.M. The Queen, Balmoral Estates and sold to Glengorm for 7000 guineas.

2nd - **CALLUM 10TH OF GOLDENBERRY** from Mr Alan Kennedy – unsold.

3rd - **COINNEACH 2ND OF CORNTOWN** from Mr Ron MacLean and sold to Mr Grant from Aviemore for 1000 guineas.

4th - **EOIN MHOR 14TH OF MOTTISTONE** from Mr Alan Kennedy, bred by Mr Michael Poland and sold for 2000 guineas to Lorne Nelson at Achnacloch.

Section 3, Class 4

1st ,Reserve Overall Male Champion and Reserve Two Year Old Champion - **CAMPBELL OF TILBOURIES** from J & L Fraser & Son who sold for 9000 guineas to Mrs John H Strickland of Cladich.

2nd - **CATHAG DUBH OF CRAIGOWMILL** from Messrs Brown who sold for 5000 guineas to Leys Estate, Inverness.

3rd - **FERGUS RUADH 5TH OF KNOCKENDON** from Ronald & Frances Fergie who sold for 1800 guineas to Mr D Fountain, Lockerbie.

4th - **STRUAN OF GLENKINGLASS** from Mr R D Schuster – withdrawn from sale.





Cathag Dubh of Craigowmill

Section 3, Class 5

- 1st - **JAMIE OF CRAIGLUSCAR** from Hamish E T Irvine and sold for 2200 guineas to Martin Kock of Germany.
2nd - **JOCK 2ND OF ISLE OF BUTE** from R & E McMillan – unsold.
3rd - **CALUM OF CRAIGLUSCAR** from Hamish E T Irvine, sold for 2200 guineas to Euch Estates.
4th - **TORRIDON OF GLEANN DAIDH** from Grace Noble, sold to Society President Mr Tom Thomson from Woodneuk for 1000 guineas.

Yearling Bulls– sponsored by MacPhee & Partners

Section 4, Class 6

- 1st , Best Yearling Bull and Winner of the Dounside Challenge Bowl - **CEILIDH OF MORTIMERS** from Mortimers Farm Ltd, sold for 1800 guineas to Willi Bange & Sons & H Hoof, Germany.
2nd & Reserve Yearling Bull - **BOND OF MOTTISTONE** from Mr Michael Poland, sold to Mr Kairo Pilviste from Estonia for 1000 guineas.
3rd - **CHALLENGER 4TH OF MOTTISTONE** from Mr Michael Poland – unsold.
4th - **MACSAUL OF ACHNACROISH** from S & I McKay – unsold.

Senior Heifers– sponsored by CKD Galbraith, presented by Nicky Archibald

Section 5, Class 7

- 1st , Best Senior Heifer and Overall Female Champion - **SUSAN 19TH OF ORMSARY** from Sir William J Lithgow, Bt & Son (Ormsary), sold to Mr David Smith of Fraserburgh for 500 guineas.
2nd & Reserve Senior Heifer - **PEIGI DUBH 8TH OF INVER** from Mr John A Lithgow, sold to Mr Graham for 1600 guineas.
3rd - **GRUAGACH 48TH OF ORMSARY** from Sir William J Lithgow, Bt & Son (Ormsary), sold to Mrs J c Whitehouse, Sussex for 2000 guineas.

4th - **SUSAN 18TH OF ORMSARY** from Sir William J Lithgow, Bt & Son (Ormsary) – unsold.



Three Year Old Heifers - sponsored by CKD Galbraith

Section 6, Class 8

1st & Reserve Three Year Old Heifer - **UNA RUADH 48TH OF POLLOK** from Glasgow City Council, sold to Mr David Smith of Fraserburgh for 1200 guineas.

2nd - **RICHENDA 18TH OF ASHMORE** from Ashmore and Strone Estate Ltd – unsold.

3rd - **BARABAL 9TH OF POLLOK** from Glasgow City Council, sold to Woodneuk Farms Ltd for 850 guineas.

4th - **JENNY 4TH OF MOTTISTONE** from Mr Michael Poland, sold to Mr Grant for 1000 guineas.

Section 6, Class 9

1st, Overall Three Year Old Heifer Champion & Reserve Overall Femal Champion - **HAZEL 15TH OF KNOCKENDON** from Ronald & Frances Fergie sold for 1500 guineas to Mr David Smith of Fraserburgh.

2nd - **PRIMROSE 11TH OF KNOCKENDON** from Ronald & Frances Fergie, sold to Mr David Smith of Fraserburgh for 1600 guineas.

Two Year Old Heifers - sponsored by CKD Galbraith

Section 7, Class 10

1st & Reserve Two Year Old Heifer - **PHIOBAIDH 109TH OF BALMORAL** from H.M. The Queen, Balmoral Estates – withdrawn from sale.

2nd - **LORRAINE OF BALNABROICH** from Michael & Sally Nairn sold to Mr Christoph Klinger of Norfolk for 700 guineas.

3rd - **SAMANTHA TERESA 2ND OF BORLAND** from Mr K Howman – unsold.

4th - **SASKIA OF ALLANFEARN** from Maureen MacArthur & John Ashton – unsold.

Section 7, Class 11

1st & Best Two Year Old Heifer - **ALIS 3RD OF BORLAND** from Mr K Howman, sold for 2500 guineas to Mr David Smith of Fraserburgh.

2nd - **AMY BELLE OF ALLANFEARN** from Maureen MacArthur & John Ashton and sold to North of Scotland Highland Cattle Club Secretary Mrs Veronica Thomson for 1200 guineas.

3rd - **CLAIRE 2ND OF BALNABROICH** from Michael & Sally Nairn, sold to Manfred Ruser, Germany for 700 guineas.

4th - **BEAN RUADH 2ND OF DAMS** from Mr & Mrs C W Wilson, sold to Manfred Ruser, Germany for 600 guineas.

Yearling Heifers - sponsored by CKD Galbraith

Section 8, Class 12

1st, Overall Yearling Champion and winner of the Y W Mok Trophy - **MILIS 1ST OF SEAM** from Mr & Mrs Simon Haley – withdrawn from sale.

2nd - **LIZZIE 3RD OF SEAM** from Mr & Mrs Simon Haley – unsold

3rd - **IONA RUADH OF CEANNACROIC** from Dunlossit (Farming) Ltd, sold to Manfred Ruser, Germany for 500 guineas.

4th - **FRAOCH OF SHELLACHAN** bred by Lt Col Colin Stewart Winter, Vendor: Mr D Dempster, sold to Manfred Ruser of Germany for 800 guineas.

Section 8, Class 13

1st, Reserve Overall Yearling Heifer - **EVE 6TH OF BORLAND** from Mr K Howman, sold to Manfred Ruser, Germany for 900 guineas.

2nd - **BANARACH OF SHELLACHAN** from Lt Col Colin Stewart Winter, sold to Mr J Uhre from Denmark for 2000 guineas.

3rd - **FRAOCHAN OF TORRIE** from Mrs H Barker, sold to Mr Christoph Klinger, Norfolk for 800 Guineas.

4th - **TEE PEE HARRIS 2ND OF ARDBHAN** from Mr & Mrs A A MacDonald, sold to Mr J Uhre, Denmark for 1200 guineas.

Section 8, Class 14

1st - **BROOKE RUADH OF CEANNACROIC** from Dunlossit (Farming) Ltd, sold to Mr A Hyslop & Son for 500 guineas.

2nd - **ANNIE 7TH OF KYNEDOR** from C.P & M.P Bruce, sold to Mr A Hyslop & Son for 600 guineas.

3rd - **PENNY DUBH OF MOSSCAIRN** from Archie & Kay Aitchison, sold to Mr & Mrs D Cran, West Linton for 650 guineas.

4th - **RAONAI RIABHAG 1ST OF ARDBHAN** from Mr & Mrs A A MacDonald, sold to Manfred Ruser, Germany for 800 guineas.

Cows - sponsored by CKD Galbraith

Section 9, Class 15

1st & Best Cow - **ALICE SEONAG 5TH OF GLENGORM** from Mr & Mrs Simon Haley, bred by Glengorm – unsold.

Unhalted Females - sponsored by CKD Galbraith

1st - **CRUINNEAG 2ND OF ARDORAN** from Ardoran Marine, sold to Mr T A Groves for 200 guineas.

Best Pair of Females of Any Age

1st – Maureen MacArthur & John Ashton (Allanfearn)

2nd - Sir William J Lithgow, Bt & Son (Ormsary)

3rd – Michael & Sally Nairn (Balnabroich)

4th – Mr Donald Dempster (Teaghlach)

Young Handlers Class – sponsored by Allflex & Fearing

JUDGE – Mrs Catherine McKechnie

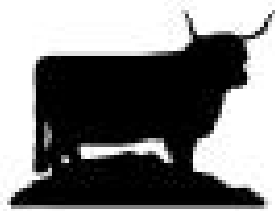
- 1st – Emily Armstrong – aged 10
- 2nd – Jayden McLachlan – aged 8
- 3rd – Donald MacLean – aged 16
- 4th – Beth Noble – aged 13



Other Leading Prices

- Lot 11 - **LEUMADAIR OF GLENGORM** from Glengorm, sold to Mr J Uhre from Denmark for 2500 guineas.
- Lot 13 - **MCLATCHIE RUADH OF ARDBHAN** from Mr & Mrs A A MacDonald, sold to Mr K Hilborn for 2000 guineas.
- Lot 20 - **DONALD DUBH OF CAILAICH** from R & S Strachan, sold to Mr H Hoof, Germany for 2500 guineas
- Lot 28 - **TOMINTOUL 1ST OF GLENGORM** from Glengorm, sold to Mr H MacPhail, Isle of Mull for 2200 guineas
- Lot 30 - **LACHLAN OF EILEAN MOR** from Karen & Michael Macgregor, sold to T A Groves, Dunoon for 2400 guineas
- Lot 41 - **BRAVEHEART OF MORTIMERS** from Mortimers Farm Ltd, sold for 1200 guineas to Blairlogan Highlanders
- Lot 53 - **MAIRINA EALASOID 9TH OF GLENGORM** from Glengorm, sold for 1200 guineas to Mr David Smith of Fraserburgh
- Lot 69 - **SGUILLIN 3RD OF MOTTISTONE** from Mr Michael Poland, sold for 1200 guineas to Mr David Smith of Fraserburgh
- Lot 73 - **EILEEN SEAN OF KILLOCHRIES**, from Killochries Fold, sold for 1100 guineas to Mr B Wainwright
- Lot 77 - **BESS SEAN 2ND OF KILLOCHRIES** from Killochries Fold, sold for 1400 guineas to Mr B Wainwright
- Lot 102 - **SEONAI D SINEAG GHEAL 1ST OF ARDBHAN** from Mr & Mrs A A MacDonald, sold to Mrs D Acella, Italy

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