

# SECTION 4 – POULTRY AND EGGS

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## Rules and Conditions

1. All birds must be penned by 10 am
2. No substitution of entries permitted
3. Judging commences at 11 am
4. Access to the judging area is restricted to the judge(s) and steward(s)
5. It is a condition of Entry that no bird may be removed before 4.30pm and must be removed before 5.30pm
6. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to enter the exhibit(s) in the correct class(es)
7. The breed of each bird must be given on the entry form
8. Where 3 or more birds of one breed are entered in a class, a separate class may be arranged at the discretion of the judge(s)/steward(s)
9. Where there are fewer than 3 entries in a class, the class may be combined with another related class at the discretion of the judge(s)/steward(s)
10. Eggs must be displayed on plates provided by the stewards on the show day

## POULTRY

**Entry Fee: €3**

**Prize Money: 1<sup>st</sup> €15, 2<sup>nd</sup> €10, 3<sup>rd</sup> €5**

**CLASS 240** – Best Bantam, Hard Feather, Female  
**CLASS 241** – Best Bantam, Hard Feather, Male  
**CLASS 242** – Best Large Fowl, Hard Feather, Female  
**CLASS 243** – Best Large Fowl, Hard Feather Male  
**CLASS 244** – Best True Bantam, Female  
**CLASS 245** – Best True Bantam, Male  
**CLASS 246** – Best Bantam, Soft Feather, Light, Female  
**CLASS 247** – Best Bantam, Soft Feather, Light, Male  
**CLASS 248** – Best Bantam, Soft Feather, Heavy, Female  
**CLASS 249** – Best Bantam, Soft Feather, Heavy, Male

**CLASS 250** – Best Large Fowl, Soft Feather, Light, Female  
**CLASS 251** – Best Large Fowl, Soft Feather, Light, Male  
**CLASS 252** – Best Large Fowl, Soft Feather, Heavy, Female  
**CLASS 253** – Best Large Fowl Soft Feather, Heavy, Male  
**CLASS 254** – Best Pair of Bantams (Male and Female of the Same Breed) *New class for 2022!*  
**CLASS 255** – Best Bantam Duck  
**CLASS 256** – Best Bantam Drake  
**CLASS 257** – Best Duck (Large), any breed  
**CLASS 258** – Best Drake (Large), any breed  
**CLASS 259** – Best Crossbred Laying Hen *New class for 2022!*  
**CLASS 260** – Best Looking Hen (Crossbred or Purebred), Entered by an Exhibitor Under 16 Years  
*New class for 2022!*

**CLASS 261 – ISA The All Ireland True & Rare True Bantam Breeding Pair Chicken Championship Qualifier**

THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION & SWINFORD SHOW SOCIETY  
PRESENT

**THE ALL IRELAND TRUE & RARE TRUE BANTAM BREEDING  
PAIR CHICKEN CHAMPIONSHIP FINAL**

CLASS NO. 730

SPONSORED BY: IRISH MARQUEE HIRE LTD  
PRIZE FUND: €1000

**RULES AND CONDITIONS**

1. The Bantam final is open to all breeds of True & Rare True Bantam Breeding Pairs i.e. **Belgian, Dutch, Japanese, Pekin, Rosecomb, Sebright, Booted, Nankin & Ohiki.**
2. No more than two pairs from each qualifying show will be eligible to compete in the final.
3. Individual competitors may qualify no more than one pair for the final.
4. Chickens qualifying for entry in the final may not be entered in any other classes at Swinford Show.
5. The chickens must be penned in the cages provided at the show grounds by 10.30am.
6. Winners to be announced at 2pm
7. These rules should be read in conjunction with the Irish Shows Association Rules and Swinford Agricultural Show Rules.
8. No bedding allowed in show cages
9. Exhibitors must be owners and be present at the final.

**Entry Fee - To Qualifying Show €3. To Final €6**  
**PRIZES - 1<sup>st</sup>: €200, 2<sup>nd</sup> €150, 3<sup>rd</sup> €100, 4<sup>th</sup> €60, 5<sup>th</sup> €40,  
6<sup>th</sup> €30, 7<sup>th</sup> to end €20**

**FINAL: SWINFORD SHOW Sunday 28th August 2022**

**CLASS 262 – ISA The All Ireland Soft Feather: Heavy Breeding Pair Chicken Championship Qualifier**

THE IRISH SHOWS ASSOCIATION & SWINFORD SHOW SOCIETY PRESENT

**THE ALL IRELAND SOFT FEATHER: HEAVY BREEDING PAIR  
CHICKEN CHAMPIONSHIP FINAL**

CLASS NO. 731

SPONSORED BY: S.A.M. DUFFY TYRES, CULMORE, SWINFORD  
TOWER HARDWARE, MAIN ST. SWINFORD  
PRIZE FUND: €500

**RULES AND CONDITIONS**

1. The Soft Feather final is open to all Soft Feather: Heavy Breeding Pairs i.e. **Australorp, Barnevelder, Brahma, Cochon, Croad Langshran, Dorking, Faverolles, Frizzle, Marans, New Hampshire Red, Orpington, Plymouth Rock, Rhode Island Red, Sussex, Wyandotte.**
2. No more than two pairs from each qualifying show will be eligible to compete in the final.
3. Individual competitors may qualify no more than one pair for the final.
4. Chickens qualifying for entry in the final may not be entered in any other classes at Swinford Show.
5. The chickens must be penned in the cages provided at the show grounds by 10.30am.
6. Winners to be announced at 2pm
7. These rules should be read in conjunction with the Irish Shows Association Rules and Swinford Agricultural Show Rules.
8. No bedding allowed in show cages
9. Exhibitors must be owners and be present at the final.

**Entry Fee - To Qualifying Show €3. To Final €6**  
**PRIZES - 1<sup>st</sup>: €125, 2<sup>nd</sup> €100, 3<sup>rd</sup> €75, 4<sup>th</sup> €50, 5<sup>th</sup> €30, 6<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> €20**

**FINAL: SWINFORD SHOW Sunday 28th August 2022**

**Overall Champion**

*will receive the Monaghan Poultry Fanciers' Shield*

Champion: €50

**Overall Reserve Champion**

*will receive the Eric Montgomery Memorial Shield*

Reserve: €25

**Cup for the Best Local Exhibitor** (*from County Monaghan*)

**EGGS**

**Entry Fee: €2**

**Prize Money: 1<sup>st</sup> €10, 2<sup>nd</sup> €7, 3<sup>rd</sup> €5**

**CLASS 270** – 3 Duck Eggs of the Same Colour (Any Colour)

**CLASS 272** – 3 Brown Hen Eggs

**CLASS 273** – 3 Hen Eggs, 3 Different Colours

**CLASS 274** – 3 Bantam Eggs of the Same Colour (Any Colour)

**CLASS 275** – Largest Brown Hen Egg *New class for 2022!*

**CLASS 276** – Best Yolk (Please supply one uncracked egg. The judge will crack open the egg when they are judging the class.) *New class for 2022!*

**Champion Egg(s) of the Show: €20**