

CAITHNESS AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

40th OPEN INDUSTRIAL SECTION

County Show on Friday 17th and Saturday 18th July 2026
At Thurso East, Thurso

- 1 Entries to be set out in Marquee **BEFORE 12.30pm ON FRIDAY 17TH JULY 2026. NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED. JUDGING TO COMMENCE 1PM.**
The judge's decision is final
- 2 No exhibitor shall enter more than one exhibit in any class. On arrival, exhibitors will require to present the attached Entry Form along with the relevant money (**50p per entry, children entries free**) to the Steward of Entries. **THE EXHIBITOR SHOULD SECURELY ATTACH AN ENTRY LABEL (WITH NAME & FULL ADDRESS CLEARLY PRINTED) ON EACH EXHIBIT.**
- 3 Baking/Food items must be displayed on white paper plates (can be provided) – no china plates allowed
- 4 Each exhibit must be the exhibitor's own work; must not have been shown at any previous County Show Industrial Section. **All pictures must have hooks and cord on ready for hanging.**
- 5 All entries will be taken entirely at owner's risk. A night watchman will be on duty, but the Society will not be held responsible for any damage or loss of Exhibits on Showground
- 6 Prize Money in all classes: 1st - £5.00 2nd - £4.00 3rd - £3.00

Presentation of trophies will take place at 4pm on Show Day, in the Marquee. Exhibits may be removed thereafter but before 5pm when the Marquee will close. Cars will not gain entry to the Show Ground until after 4.30pm for safety reasons.

No responsibility will be taken for unclaimed exhibits.

OPEN INDUSTRIAL SECTION TROPHIES

- ❖ The Nan Budge Perpetual Trophy presented by Mrs Nan Budge, Achalone, for most points in the Baking Classes 1 - 13.
- ❖ Mrs Nan Bremner Silver Teapot (Perpetual) for the Best Exhibit in the Baking/preserves Classes 1 - 19. (Represented in 2004)
- ❖ The Society Spoon for most points in Preserves Classes 14 -19.
- ❖ The Thurso Townswomen's Guild Perpetual Trophy for most points in the Handicrafts. Classes 20-39.
- ❖ The Jack and Jean Saxon (Perpetual Trophy) for Best Exhibit in Handicrafts (Class 20 – 43)
- ❖ Perpetual Salver Presented by Mrs L Gunn for Best Exhibit in Handicrafts (Classes 20 – 39).
- ❖ The Hawkhill Perpetual Trophy for most points in the Industrial Section presented by Mrs J Crowe, Hawkhill, Keiss.
- ❖ The John O'Groats Perpetual Trophy for Best Exhibit in the Art Classes presented by Miss Elizabeth MacLean, North Keiss.
- ❖ Perpetual Trophy presented by Mr R W Macdonald, Northern Studios, Wick, for Best Photograph (classes 44 – 48).
- ❖ The Stemster Cup (Perpetual) presented by Mrs C Coghill and Family, Stemster Mains, Halkirk, for the Best Exhibit in the Caithness Photograph Class 44.
- ❖ The Society Shield for most points in the Junior Industrial Section.
- ❖ The Ashcroft Perpetual Shield for most points in Junior Industrial Section presented by Mrs May Ashcroft, Thurso.
- ❖ Shields for Junior Section presented by Mrs Kathryn Mackenzie, Loch Watten House
- ❖ The Lawrence Perpetual Trophy presented by Mrs E Lawrence, Buchollie, George Street, Wick, for most points in the Intermediate Industrial Section.
- ❖ Thurso Camera Club Trophy for Best Photograph Overall (Junior & Intermediate Sections)
- ❖ Granton Mains Perpetual Shield for Best Exhibit in the Intermediate Section
- ❖ Lapwood Perpetual Trophy presented by Mr L B Lapwood, Wick, for most points in the Dairy Produce Section.
- ❖ Crannag Perpetual Quaich presented by the Beattie Family, Dunnet, for most points in the Egg Classes.
- ❖ Caithness Ornithological and Fur Society Cup for Best Egg Exhibit in memory of Mr Tommy Bean.
- ❖ Orlig and District Bee Keepers' Association 90th Anniversary Cup for Most Points in the Hive Section.
- ❖ Macleod Trophy for Best Exhibit in the Hive Section.
- ❖ Rowan Bank Perpetual Trophy presented by Sheila Cormack, for the Best Exhibit in Industrial Section.

INDUSTRIAL SECTION

In Baking classes, tins to the nearest metric equivalent may be used.

ALL PHOTOGRAPHS MUST BE MOUNTED ON CARD, BE UNGLAZED AND NO LARGER THAN 5" X 7"

1	2 Treacle Oven Scones	26	Patch Work Pot Rest
2	2 Pancakes	27	Item made from Recycled T-Shirt
3	2 Butterfly Cakes	28	Best use of 1m x 1m Square of material
4	2 Small Shortbread Rounds	29	Hand Sewn Napkin with embroidered motif
5	2 Raspberry & White Chocolate Muffins	30	Cross Stitch picture (any size)
6	2 White Bread Rolls	31	Embroidered picture (any size)
7	1 wedge of Coffee & Walnut Sponge with buttercream filling (no decoration or dressing)	32	Picture in Felting
8	2 slices of Lemon Drizzle Loaf	33	Handmade Invitation to an Agricultural Ball (non computer generated, cover only to be judged)
9	2 Gluten Free Brownies	34	Button Picture (no larger than A4 framed)
10	2 Fruit Squares (shortcrust pasty)	35	Handmade decorated gift bottle bag (Any craft)
11	1 Individual Pork Pie	36	Handmade Rosette
12	4 Pieces of Pistachio Fudge	37	Sensory Activity Cushion Cover (Any Craft) no bigger than 14"
13	2 Bounty Bars	38	Keyring (Any Craft)
14	Jar of Apricot Jam	39	Article in any other craft not already in the schedule (No edible items)
15	Jar of Lemon Curd	40	Line Drawing (no shading)
16	Jar of Strawberry Conserve	41	Painting in Oil
17	Jar of Three Fruits Marmalade	42	Painting in Watercolour
18	Small Jar of Red Tomato Chutney	43	Painting in Pastels
19	Small Jar of Mint Jelly	44	Colour Photograph Caithness Theme "Rural" (location must be named)
20	Knitted Premature Baby Hat and Cardigan (no entry fee) Item will be donated to SCBU, Raigmore.	45	Colour Photograph 'Flowers'
21	Childs crochet Poncho (5-8 years)	46	Black and White Photograph
22	Knitted Childs Hat & Scarf Set	47	4 Colour photographs on 1 Theme
23	Knitted Doll/Character	48	Colour photograph with Caption
24	Best use of 50g wool (Any yarn)	49	Computer Generated Photograph
25	Machine Sewn Tooth Fairy Pouch		

Preserving Hint – Preserves should be filled well allowing only a small air space. Wax disc placed while still warm. Cellophane covers to be taut. Preserves must be date labelled.

HONEY

1	2 1lb jars of Liquid honey with gold screw top lids
2	2 1lb jars of Soft Set Honey with gold screw top lids
3	2 sections of Honey (round or square) (container with clear lid)
4	1 block of beeswax at least 8oz in weight
5	Two moulded beeswax candles – no colour added

All honey and wax exhibited must be produce of the exhibitor's own bees.

PRESCHOOL (UNDER 5's) – age must be shown on entry

1	Animal Made from Playdough	3	Picture made from Sweets (no larger than A4)
2	Decorated Chocolate mini roll (mini roll can be bought)		

JUNIORS INDUSTRIAL (5 to 8 Years old) – age must be shown on entry

1	Colour photograph "My Favourite Place" (Mounted on A4 Card, individual should not be present in the photo)	3	2 Chocolate Chip Cookies
2	A4 Drawing of Caithness Agricultural Show		

JUNIORS INDUSTRIAL (9 to 12 Years old) – age must be shown on entry

1	Colour Photograph "My Leisure Time" Theme (Mounted on A4 Card)	3	2 Pancakes
2	Caithness Agricultural Show Poster no larger than A3		

INTERMEDIATE INDUSTRIAL (13 TO 16 YEARS OLD)

1	Colour Photograph "Sky" (Mounted on A4 Card)	3	2 Pancakes
2	Item made from sea glass	4	Pitta Bread Pizza

DAIRY PRODUCE

1	½ lb Salt Butter	3	Crowdie
2	½ lb Fresh Butter		

EGGS

1	½ doz brown hen eggs	4	½ doz duck eggs
2	½ doz tinted hen eggs	5	Heaviest hen egg
3	½ doz speckled hen eggs	6	½ doz Any Variety not specified in schedule already

Open Industrial Convenor

Mrs Jacqueline Macleod, Tel: 07715274634. Can be contacted if you have any questions with regards to the schedule.