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# Official Charolais Society SHOW AND SALE

Golden Vale Mart  
**TULLAMORE**  
Co. Offaly

Saturday  
21<sup>st</sup> February, 2026

Show: 10.30am  
Sale: 12.30pm

Auctioneer: Tom Cox

Catalogue: €2



# SHOW AND SALE ARRANGEMENTS

## In-take of Cattle

Friday evening 20<sup>th</sup> February 5.00pm – 7.00pm  
Saturday morning 21<sup>st</sup> February 7.30am – 9.00am

**Judging of Classes:** 10.30am

**Sale Steward:** Shane Maguire

## CLASSES

## LOT NO.

1. Male born 9<sup>th</sup> June 2024 to 12<sup>th</sup> September 2024

1 - 11

1st	2nd	3rd	4th
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2. Male born 14<sup>th</sup> September 2024 to 29<sup>th</sup> September 2024

12 - 22

1st	2nd	3rd	4th
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3. Male born 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2024 to 27<sup>th</sup> October 2024

23 - 30

1st	2nd	3rd	4th
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4. Male born 4<sup>th</sup> November 2024 to 21<sup>st</sup> January 2025

31-39

1st	2nd	3rd	4th
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Champion

Reserve Champion

**12.30p.m.**

**Sale Commences in Catalogue Order**

First five (5) animals into the ring, if unsold,  
may be re-run at the end of the sale.

**Champion & Reserve Champion will be sold after lot 15**

**ALL ANIMALS CATALOGUED WILL BE  
SOLD UNDER THE SALE RULES  
OF THE IRISH CHAROLAIS CATTLE SOCIETY  
AS PRINTED IN THIS CATALOGUE.**

Neither the Charolais Society, the Auctioneers or Tullamore Mart, will be responsible for any injury, loss or damage sustained by any person or animal at the Show and Sale, whether as a result of the negligence of the Charolais Society, the Auctioneers or Tullamore Mart, or of their respective servants or agents or otherwise.

Males: 1 – 39

Minimum opening bid: €3,000

Minimum selling price: €3,500

Please note that any fertility claims must be notified to FBD Insurance within 3 months of the date of sale (*full terms and conditions printed in catalogue*).

If you wish to defer the insurance on a bull, please complete the relevant paperwork prior to leaving the mart on day of sale.

# **Irish Charolais Cattle Society Ltd.**

## **CONDITIONS OF SALE**

All registered pedigree Charolais animals exposed for sale at sales held under the auspices of the Irish Charolais Cattle Society Ltd., (hereinafter called "the Society") shall be sold subject to and in accordance with the following rules.

These Conditions (and where appropriate at auctions, these Conditions, together with the General Auction Conditions of Sale), form the basis of the contract between the Vendor and the Purchaser, and from the Contract, all conditions and warranties implied under the Sale of Goods Act 1893 and the Sale of Goods and Supply of Services Act 1980 or any other statutory enactment or implied by any law or custom or usage are expressly excluded.

In the event of a Sale by Auction and there arising conflict between these conditions and the General conditions of the Auction, these conditions shall prevail.

The consignor must be a member of the Irish Charolais Cattle Society Ltd.

### **PEDIGREE**

A member (or his/her representative) entering an animal for any sale held under the auspices of the Society must comply with the following rules:

- (a) The pedigree of each animal is guaranteed to be correct by the person whose name appears as Vendor in the sale catalogue,
- (b) No liability whatsoever is undertaken by the Society or the Auctioneers for the accuracy or otherwise of the statements appearing in the catalogue or made at the sale. The vendor is responsible for such statements and for any error, omission or mis-statement.
- (c) The Society reserves the absolute right to take blood samples, hair samples and/or tissue samples from any animal presented at shows and sales and to have the sample/s independently analyzed at a certified Laboratory. A sample will also be given to the Vendor for his/her own use.
- (d) The Council of the Society may, prior to any Sale appoint an Inspector/s to inspect animals forward at the Sale in order to ascertain that such animals are fit for inclusion in the Sale. The Inspector/s so appointed shall be the sole judge/s as to whether or not an animal may be included in the Sale and shall have the power to debar from the Sale any animal which they consider is not of a fit standard. No Vendor will have any claim for damages in respect of any animal, which is rejected until this rule.
- (e) Contravention of any of these Rules shall be reported by anyone having knowledge of the contravention, to the Council of the Society who shall take such action as it considers appropriate and may instruct the Auctioneers to reject the animal from the sale.
- (f) Should any dispute arise as to the identification in the Irish Charolais Herd Book of any animal exposed for sale or as to the pedigree of any such animal, such dispute shall be referred to the Council of the Society or to such sub-Committee as the Council may appoint as Arbiters or Arbitrators and their decision shall be final

### **VETERINARY**

- (a) Animals affected with any disease of an infectious nature are strictly prohibited from being brought to any sale held under the auspices of the Society, and should any such animal be knowingly or negligently be brought, the Vendor will be held responsible for all damage or loss occasioned thereby. Affected animals which have been treated may be accepted provided

they are accompanied by a Vet's certificate, certifying that treatment has been given and the condition is no longer contagious.

- (b) All animals must be TB tested. Entries into the Premier and Christmas Cracker Show/Sale must be export tested.
- (c) All entries must be BVD tested and free of the virus.
- (d) Animals sold as Export Tested must have a valid export certificate which is in-date for a minimum of 3 working days following the sale.
- (e) The Bull and Female Fertility Guarantees as printed apply to the sale.
- (f) All entries for the Premier & Christmas Cracker Show/Sale must be vet inspected.

## **SALE**

- (a) All animals are sold as they stand and the purchaser is deemed to have examined each animal and fully satisfied himself about the animal prior to sale.
- (b) The animals exposed for sale must be the bona fide property of the Vendor/s at the time of sale and free of all liens, charges and encumbrants. The animals must be exposed for sale separately (except that a dam and her calf may be sold together if so stated in the catalogue) according to the numbers in the catalogue, except in the case of the male and female champions.
- (c) The highest bidder shall be declared the Purchaser. In the event of any dispute the Auctioneer shall have absolute discretion either to settle the dispute or re-offer the animal immediately. The Auctioneers reserve the right to refuse any bid without giving a reason for so doing.
- (d) All lots will be sold in Euro. A commission of 5% of the purchase price is payable by the Purchaser. The commission of 5% is payable by the Purchaser on all animals purchased including those purchased privately on the sale premises at the time of sale.
- (e) Each animal forward at the Sale must be offered for sale by auction before any private sale shall be permitted or recognised by the Auctioneers.
- (f) Immediately after the sale of an animal the purchaser shall:-
  - (i) sign the sale card if so required.
  - (ii) give his/she full name and address and proof of identity to the Irish Charolais Cattle Society and/or the Auctioneers if so required.
  - (iii) pay the full price (including 5% commission) and VAT if applicable to the Auctioneer/Mart/Society.
  - (iv) On the full full price (including the 5% commission) being paid, the Purchaser shall receive from the Auctioneer/Mart/Society a written removal order and shall at his/her own expense remove the animal on the day of the sale or within such period as may be laid down by the Auctioneer at the commencement of the Sale.  
No animal shall be removed without the Auctioneer/Mart/Society's written removal order and any animal so removed shall be recovered by the Auctioneers summarily without further warrant.
- (g) In the event of any Purchaser not paying for and/or not removing the animal purchased in compliance with the preceding Clause, hereof the Auctioneers of the Society in their opinion may, without the consent of the Vendor either (i) sue the Purchaser for the price and interest there on from the date of sale at the rate of 18% per annum and for the keep of and any other expenses incurred by them in connection with such animal or (ii) resell the animal either publicly or privately and on behalf of the vendor recover from the defaulting purchaser the deficiency (if any) attending such resale and interest thereon as aforesaid together with the keep and all other expenses. The defaulting Purchaser shall have no defense to the action taken by the Auctioneers or the Society. In the event of there being any surplus after paying interest, keep and other expenses as aforesaid, such surplus shall be paid to the defaulting Purchaser.

- (h) All animals are at the risk of the Vendor before Sale. Animals stalled in the Mart/Sale premises over night are strictly at the risk of the Vendor prior to the sale and at the risk of the Purchaser following the fall of the hammer. Immediately after the purchase of each animal is declared, the risk of the animal shall pass to the Purchaser, but until the price is paid the right of property shall not pass and delivery of the animal may be suspended. "Vendor's risk" and "Purchaser's risk" shall mean respectively "risk of any damage or injury to the animal itself, other animals, persons, property, vehicles, etc., resulting from disease, accident, negligence of the auctioneers, the Society, the Mart or of their respective servants or agents or occurring in any other way whatsoever"
- (i) In the case of animals sold privately within the premises of the Auctioneers/Mart the risk and the passing of the property thereof shall be governed by the bargain made between the parties and the application of the Rule in the preceding clause shall be subject to such bargain.
- (j) No undertaking by the Auctioneers, the Mart or the Society or their servants to take charge of any animal after the sale or to forward it to its destination shall be held to impose upon the Auctioneers, the Mart or the Society any legal obligations or invalidate any of these Rules.
- (k) Apart from the Male and Female breeding guarantees as laid down in these Rules all animals are sold as the stand and the Purchaser is deemed to have examined each animal and fully satisfied himself about the animal prior to sale. Purchasers are invited to insure against risks connected with their purchase at their own expense.
- (l) Purchasers have one hour from the fall of the hammer to make complaints/objections, which must be in writing to the Auctioneer's office at the salepremises.
- (m) The guarantees required by the Society in conditions of entry for official sales and given by the Vendor, are binding only between the Vendor and the Purchaser during the period of the guarantee.
- (n) If any person shall purchase a lot and not pay for it, nothing contained herein shall preclude the Auctioneers or the owner of the lot from compelling the purchaser to pay for it. Alternatively if the Auctioneers or Vendor shall so think fit, the lot may at any time be resold by public or private sale and the deficiency (if any) attending such re-sale shall be immediately made good by the defaulter at this sale
- (o) No money will be paid to the Vendor of any lot unless the lot be paid for and cleared by the Purchaser. The Auctioneers, the Mart or the Society will not be answerable for any deficiency that may arise on the re-sale of uncleared property, nor will the said parties be responsible for the price of any lot delivered without the Auctioneer's/Mart's written removal order.

## **OVERSEAS PURCHASERS AND RE-TESTS**

- (a) All animals sold for export are offered for sale subject to passing the required tests for export. Any other test/re-test required by the Purchaser must be arranged with the Vendor/s prior to sale and notified to the Auctioneers/Mart in writing.
- (b) All tests/re-tests must be carried out within six months after the day of sale. If the Purchaser does not test/re-test within the six months period he is bound to accept and pay for the animal unless otherwise agreed with the Vendor.
- (c) All tests/re-tests must be carried out on the premises of the Vendor. Before any test/re-tests are carried out the Purchaser must have deposited with the Auctioneers/Mart 25% of the purchase price – this deposit must be paid to the Auctioneers/Mart on the day of sale. The remainder of the purchase price will fall due to be paid whenever the results show that the animal has passed those tests required under the test/re-test agreement. In the event of the animal failing to pass the test/re-test the sale will be cancelled and the deposit refunded (unless otherwise agreed by the Vendor).
- (d) The full purchase price and any expenses payable by the Purchaser will be paid to the Auctioneers/Mart before the animal will be exported from the Republic of Ireland.

## **COMMISSION**

All animals will be sold in Euro + 5% commission. This includes animals, which may be sold privately on the premises at the time of the sale.

## **GENERAL**

- (a) Without prejudice to the foregoing Rules it is hereby expressly declared that the Vendor by selling and the Purchaser by purchasing any animal shall be bound by the above Rules notwithstanding the terms of any statutory enactment or custom of trade to the contrary.
- (b) The Auctioneer is Judge of the Sale, to whom all disputes and differences of any kind which may arise at and in relation to the Auction, wither between Vendors and bidders or among bidders themselves shall be referred and his/her decision, shall be final and binding on all parties.
- (c) Any dispute as to any matter for the settlement of which no provision is made in these Rules shall be referred to an Arbitrator or Arbitrators to be appointed, failing agreement between or amongst the parties, by the Auctioneers or by the Society. The decision of the Arbitrators so appointed shall be final and binding on all parties to the dispute. Any Arbitration under this Clause shall be subject to the provision of the Arbitration Act for the time being in force in the Republic of Ireland and shall be deemed to be a reference to Arbitration thereunder.
- (d) The Auctioneers act as Agents for the Vendors and any action taken by a Purchaser must be against the Vendor and not against the Auctioneers, the Mart or the Society and vice versa. No responsibility whatever rests with the Society, the Mart or the Auctioneers in regard to the qualifications of the animals sold by Auction and all purchases must be made on this distinct understanding.
- (e) Original importations cannot be exported.
- (f) Vendors must leave each of their sold animals with a strong halter suitable for transit. Vendors not complying with this Rule will be subject to a fine of 20.00/euro per animal.
- (g) Neither the Society, the Auctioneers or the Mart shall be responsible for any injury, damage or loss sustained by any person or animal on the premises of the Auctioneers or the Mart whether as a result of the negligence of the Auctioneers, the Mart or the Society or of their respective servants, or Agents or otherwise.
- (h) The Irish Charolais Cattle Society Ltd., the Auctioneers and the Mart cannot accept any responsibility for loss or damage to cards, trailers, lorries or any other property.

## **FEMALE FERTILITY GUARANTEE**

Any cow or heifer that is stated by the Vendor as having been served or artificially inseminated not less than 12 WEEKS before the date of the sale shall be guaranteed by the Vendor to be in calf to the service date or date of artificial insemination and to the bull stated, unless any alteration to the service particulars is announced from the rostrum or by the Vendor at the time the animal is sold.

Claims on females in this section must be made by 6.00pm, or within one hour from the fall of the hammer, on the day of sale.

The term “running with the bull” implies no guarantee of pregnancy unless specifically stated by the Vendor at the time of sale. Neither shall the provision by the Vendor of a certificate of positive pregnancy diagnosis imply any such guarantee, this being merely an expression of opinion.

All heifers sold as un-served shall be so guaranteed.

All heifers, unless sold suckling their dams, carry a guarantee of fertility.

Calves, sold suckling their dams are given to the Purchaser free. No guarantees apply unless specifically given by the Vendor at the time of sale.

## TIME LIMITS

Any heifer, which is calved down prior to attaining the age of 36 months, shall be deemed to be fertile for the purpose of this guarantee.

Claims in the case of a maiden heifer which proves incapable of breeding because of malformation or abnormality of the genital system, shall be made not before the animal reaches 27 months of age and no claim will be admissible after the animal has attained 36 months of age.

In the case of a heifer sold as un-served and which subsequently proves to be in calf, a claim must be made within six calendar months of the date of sale.

## COWS

In the case of a female sold as being certified in calf all claims must be made by 6pm on the day of sale or within one hour of the fall of the hammer on the day of sale.

All other unserved cows are guaranteed fertile up to a maximum of 6 calendar months from the date of the last calving.

Claims under this clause must be made within this time period.

No claim will be admitted under these rules where it can be proven that a cow or heifer is carrying a mummified calf, or has aborted or re-absorbed a foetus and no guarantee is given or implied that any cow or heifer will carry a calf full time.

Females that do not calve to the stated service or insemination date must be notified to the Vendor and/or Society within two calendar months of the date that the animal should have calved according to the particulars of service or insemination stated in the sale catalogue. In all such cases no claim will be admissible unless there is an interval of more than four weeks between the presumed due date (according to the stated particulars of service or insemination) and the actual calving date.

The gestation period for pedigree Charolais cattle is 286 days. In the case of a cow or heifer which calves at a later date than the expected due date (according to the stated particulars of service or insemination) the onus of proving the identity of the sire shall be upon the vendor.

All claims, which may be competent under the Female Fertility Guarantee, must be submitted in writing to the Vendor and the Secretary of the Society. In respect of females purchased for export a claim must be made prior to the shipment of the animal.

Claims must be accompanied by a Veterinary Certificate, a note of all natural services and artificial inseminations and veterinary treatments by the Purchaser or his Veterinary Surgeon.

In notifying a claim the Purchaser must allow access to the Vendor and/or his Veterinary Surgeon, to the animal, with the rules of good pedigree animal husbandry applying at all times.

To establish a claim the Purchaser and Vendor shall mutually agree upon a Veterinary Surgeon to examine the animal and failing agreement within three weeks after the receipt of the claim by the Society, a Veterinary Surgeon shall be appointed by the Society. In his certificate the Veterinary surgeon must state or not the condition of the animal was due to any injury or disease contracted since the sale. Should the Veterinary surgeon's certificate establish the Purchaser's claim the Vendor shall be bound to accept delivery of the cow or heifer (subject to the Dept. of Agriculture regulations under the Bovine T.B. eradication and Brucellosis eradication schemes) and refund to the Purchaser the full purchase price of the animal which shall be at the Vendor's risk 7 days from the date of the notification to the Vendor of the Veterinary Surgeon's decision. Failing agreement between the Vendor and the Purchaser the Society shall decide by which part the Veterinary Surgeon's fees and expenses shall be paid and this decision shall be final and binding on both parties.

## **WARRANTY**

Safe as hereinafter provided no warranty whatever is given as to the performance or fertility of any bull.

## **BULL FERTILITY GUARANTEES**

The insurer named assumes all responsibility in connection with any liability associated with the purchase price of any bull sold through the ring which rendered infertile subject to the condition outlined below.

**Please note that this guarantee solely applies to bulls sold and remaining in the Republic of Ireland.**

## **GUARANTEE**

The insurer guarantees that each bull is capable of getting stock, by natural service, from fourteen months of age which shall be deemed to be fulfilled as soon as five females or fifty per cent, whichever is the lesser number of animals put to the bull are in calf to the bull by natural service subsequent to the Sale.

While all bulls are sold as potential breeding stock, due to their age at the time of Sale, their fertility cannot be proven. The guarantee and indemnify provided is for the purchase price (submitted by the Irish Charolais Society) of the bull only and **any cost associated with the validation of a claim or consequential losses are excluded.**

## **CONDITIONS**

- (1) That they apply to bulls bought so long as they remain in the Republic of Ireland.
- (2) That incapacity due to injury from whatever cause, or to illness suffered or contracted after the date of sale is not covered by the Guarantee

### **The foregoing guarantee is subject to the following conditions: -**

- (a) The bull shall be fairly tried with a view to him putting a female in a state of pregnancy by natural service within two months of the date of sale, or within two months of attaining the age of fourteen months, whichever is the later. For the purposes of this guarantee a bull shall not be deemed to be "fairly tried" when less than three female animals in season have been properly presented to or run with the bull.
- (b) If, upon purchase of the bull, it is found impracticable for the Purchaser to fairly try the bull within the period stated at (a), due to the Purchaser's normal calving programme, the Insurers must be informed in writing immediately after the Sale. At the discretion of the Insurers the date of commencement of the three month guarantee trial period may be deferred for a further month beyond the date of purchase provided in which the Purchaser has notified them as aforesaid that he proposes to commence using the bull. The Insurers shall not unreasonably refuse to extend the time and in any event shall communicate its decision in writing to the Purchaser within seven days of receipt of the said notice from the Purchaser.
- (c) The Purchaser shall give notice to the Insurers of an inability of the bull to put a female in a state of pregnancy by natural service, or a suspected inability in this respect not before the expiration of one month nor after the expiration of three months from the date of sale or of the bull attaining fourteen months, or any extension of the commencement of the trial period granted pursuant to (b) above, whichever is the later.
- (d) On receipt of the notice referred to in (c) the Insurers may request at the insurers discretion any of the following at the purchasers own expense in order to validate the fertility of the bull and submitted to the Insurers within 30 days of the date of notification

- (i) Bull fertility test and associated report
- (ii) Certificate and report by a qualified veterinary surgeon declaring that the inability to put a female in a state of pregnancy by natural service is not the result of injury, accident, disease or neglect happening after the sale, and that he has examined the females on which the bull has been tried and has found them in a normal breeding condition and that they are not responsible for the bull's inability to put a female in a state of pregnancy by natural service.
- (iii) Scanning report
- (e) The Purchaser shall (if required) allow a Veterinary Surgeon appointed by the Insurers to examine and try the bull.
- (f) The insurer retains salvage of any bull subject to a claim or deducts the salvage value from any claim settlement
- (g) All claims will be between the Purchaser and the Insurer. The insurer will not be under any liability whatever to the Purchaser in respect of any loss sustained by the Purchaser however this loss arises and whether it be consequential or otherwise.
- (h) All veterinary regulations under the Guarantees must be strictly adhered to and the rules of good pedigree animal husbandry must apply at all times.
- (i) Under no circumstances will the insurer be liable for more than the purchase price of the animal.
- (j) The guarantee does not apply to animals re-sold during the period of the guarantee, the new Purchaser will not be entitled to the benefit of the guarantee. The guarantee will expiry in these instances.

The Insurers referred to in this guarantee are:

FBD Insurance Plc., FBD House, Bluebell, Dublin 12. Tel. 01 – 4093200

FBD Insurance Plc is regulated by the Central Bank of Ireland

## **GENERAL**

- (a) In cases where the Vendor insures against his liability under the Guarantees the Insurers shall take over the whole rights and Liabilities of the Vendor under the Guarantees and Procedure Rules.
- (b) All veterinary regulations under the Guarantees must be strictly adhered to and the rules of good pedigree animal husbandry must apply at all times.
- (c) Under no circumstances will the Vendor be liable for more than the purchase price of the animal.
- (d) The guarantees required by the Society in conditions of entry for official sales and given by the Vendor, are binding only between the Vendor and the Purchaser during the period of the guarantee. Should an animal be re-sold during the period of the guarantee the new Purchaser will not be entitled to the benefit of the guarantee unless the Vendor in a written instruction to the official Auctioneers of sale agrees that the guarantee shall be binding as between him and the new Purchaser.
- (e) The Auctioneers shall be entitled to charge VAT in accordance with Government Order relating thereto in force at the time.

**FOR THE IRISH CHAROLAIS CATTLE SOCIETY LTD.  
AND AUCTIONEERS SO APPOINTED BY THE SOCIETY.**

## **SAFETY STATEMENT – PLEASE TAKE NOTE**

- Safety is a priority and all attending this show/sale should be aware of safety at all times.
- Caution and care needs to be exercised at all times particularly at livestock events such as this.
- Children must be accompanied and under the strict supervision of a competent adult at all times.
- Older children up to and including the term “minors” should not be involved with any work activity involving cattle at this event.
- Please do not enter either the show or sale rings.
- Please keep behind barriers/rope/railings etc. at all times.

## **Myostatin**

In the Additional Information section of each animal you will find Myostatin Results. Myostatin is a gene that influences the production of proteins which control muscle development. Currently in cattle, there are 19 known mutations of the gene, however, research to date has shown that there are two common mutations of the gene in Charolais cattle – F94L & Q204X. If a Charolais has one copy of either variant (one allele) it is classed as heterozygous, if it has two copies of either variant (two allele) it is classed as homozygous. If there are no results shown in the additional information section, this simply means the results could not be read from the sample at testing.

The F94L is a variant commonly known as the “Profit Gene”. This variant has been found to increase the size of muscle fibres with no associated increase in calving difficulty, or lowered fertility or longevity. Variant Q204X is more commonly found in the Charolais breed. Homozygous animals exhibit greater loin depths, large rounded rump & thighs, reduced fat cover & greater meat tenderness. However, they may also have heavier birth weights & slightly reduced milking ability & calving ability in females. Heterozygous animals have been found to exhibit the above characteristics albeit to a lesser extent.

Knowing the myostatin status of an animal should help you to select breeding animals with the most appropriate myostatin traits for your breeding programme. This will inevitably improve calving ease, carcase conformation and quality, without compromising on key maternal traits, such as milk and fertility.

## Whole Herd Performance Recording (WHPR) Stamp

As you look through this sale catalogue you will notice a stamp attached to the Euro-Star index of certain animals. This stamp is assigned to animals whose Breeder's signed their herd's up to the ICBF WHPR program and the animal was at least weighed by ICBF.



### Background

The ICBF Whole Herd Performance Recording Program (WHPR) was set up ICBF with 3 main goals:

1. Reward Breeders: Give Pedigree Breeders the real reward of promoting their bulls for sale to commercial suckler farmers.
2. Accurate Data: Ensure that the data recording in these herds is done in an accurate and timely manner.
3. Data that's recorded must be relevant to the 'Replacement' & 'Terminal' Indexes that ICBF produces on them. In particular, the data must put more emphasis on maternal traits such as milk and fertility.

### So what exactly does the stamp mean?

The stamp flags animals whose Breeder's have voluntarily signed up to the ICBF WHPR programme and the animal itself has been independently weight recorded by ICBF. ICBF monitor the data recording in these herds and carry out random 'Spot Checks' in these herds. Herds that fail to meet certain requirements will not be allowed remain in the programme. All participating herds will receive a whole herd scoring and weight recording session from ICBF.

It is important to note , however, that a stamp does not necessarily guarantee an animal of high genetic merit. The Euro-Star figures and appearance of an animal should be taken into account before making a purchase.

### What else will the programme do?

**Buyer Confidence:** A bull purchased with a 'WHPR' stamp will have been at least weighed by ICBF. This data will be publically displayed by ICBF so a purchaser is fully aware of all available data before making a purchasing decision.

**Stockbull Finder:** After the WHPR visit, all young bulls from the herd will also be automatically put up for sale on the ICBF 'Stockbull Finder' search engine on the ICBF website. The 'Stockbull Finder' is the only search engine for young Stockbulls in Ireland where all of the bulls have been independently weighed by ICBF.



**Euro-Stars Reliability %:** Scoring & Weighing will increase the reliability % of an animal's Euro-Stars. The Euro-Stars of low reliability animals are more likely to change.

**Gene Ireland Young Bull:** ICBF will also monitor these herds for potential elite breeding bulls. The best bulls from these herds will be selected by a breed committee. Following a full progeny test, complimentary semen from these bulls will only be made available for pedigree matings to breeders who are also in the WHPR programme.

All pedigree breeders are invited to join the programme. For further information please contact ICBF at 023-8820452 or the Irish Charolais Cattle Society on 01-4198050.

### Genotyping Symbol

As you look through this catalogue you will see a Genotyped stamp attached to the Euro-Star index of certain animals. This stamp is assigned to animals which have been genotyped and the results of which have been included in the evaluations.



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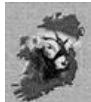
\*Cover is standard where public liability is active

Terms and conditions and normal underwriting criteria apply. FBD Insurance Group Ltd trading as FBD Insurance is regulated by the Central Bank of Ireland. Farm Insurance is underwritten by FBD Insurance plc.

**Protection.** It's in our nature.



<b>Lot</b>	<b>Vendor</b>
8	Michael Carey - Sionhill Killucan Co Westmeath
37, 38	John Coughlan - Station Road Lahinch Co Clare
30	Rory Cullen - Esker South Killoe Co Longford
25	Jim Geoghegan - Lisnagree Streamstown Mullingar Co Westmeath
22	Michael Green - Dromore Feakle Co Clare
1	Joe Keary - Kylemore Killimor Ballinasloe Co Galway
9	Basil + Victoria Kells - Bohora Derrylane Killeshandra Co Cavan
21, 34	Mattie Kelly - Cloughbrack Newbridge Ballinasloe Co Galway
36	Kathleen Kenny - Laragh Streamstown Mullingar Co Westmeath
2	Patsy Lynch - Terryrone Moville Lifford Co Donegal
19, 20	Michael Lynch - Knock Ballybofey Lifford Co Donegal
29	Seamus Mc Cann - Oberstown Lusk Co Dublin
16	Christopher McCarthy - Martinstown Crookedwood Mullingar Co Westmeath
6	Michael Mc Girr - Drumany Aughnasheelin Carrick-On-Shannon Co Leitrim
26, 27	Niall Mc Nally - Derryolam Carrickmacross Co Monaghan
13, 14, 17	Kevin Molloy - 'Seaview' Kilmurphy Kilmacanogue Bray Co Wicklow
28	Wayne Mulligan - Rathfenton Geashill Co Offaly



<b>Lot</b>	<b>Vendor</b>
3	Harry Noble - Kilcoursey Edgeworthstown Co Longford
35	John O Connor - Streamstown Mullingar Co Westmeath
15	Patrick & Martin O'Grady - Fallduff Louisburgh Co Mayo
32	Garrett Quinlivan - Drumdigus Kilmurry Mc Mahon Kilrush Co Clare
5, 18, 31	Louise Quinn - Ballymoran House Edenderry Co Offaly
10	Martin Ryan - Copperfield House Cabra Thurles Co Tipperary
4, 33	William Scanlon - Furmoyle Carrowniskey Westport Co Mayo
12	Mr Martin Shevlin - Nolagh Shercock Co Cavan
23, 24	Daniel Weston - Meelick Rosenallis Portlaoise Co Laois
39	Joseph Whittaker - Derrygolan Tullamore Co Offaly
7, 11	Alan Wood - Cloonamine House Crossmolina Co Mayo

## Lot 1 KEARYS VICI (ET)

ID: 372223132270657

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 09-Jun-2024

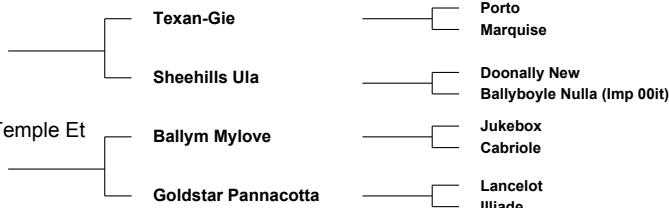
Owner: Joe Keary - Kylemore Killimor Ballinasloe Co Galway

### Breeder:

Sire: Goldstar Echo

GHX

Sire Verified (SNP)



Dam: Goldstar Shirley Temple Et  
372212403680529

Dam Verified (SNP)

### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (F94L, Q204X). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

## Lot 2 TERRYVILLE VIPER

ID: 372222185470670

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 30-Jun-2024

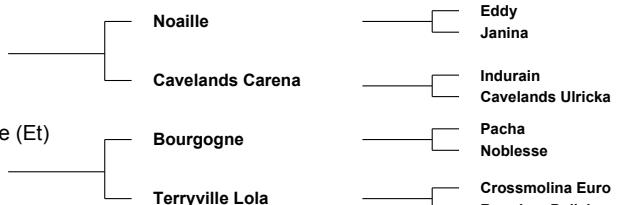
Owner: Patsy Lynch - Terryrone Moville Lifford Co Donegal

### Breeder:

Sire: Cavelands Fenian

LZF

Sire Verified (SNP)



Dam: Terryville Sapphire (Et)  
372222185440635

Dam Verified (SNP)

### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (F94L, Q204X). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

## Lot 3 NOBLE VISA

ID: 372216595821254

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 10-Jul-2024

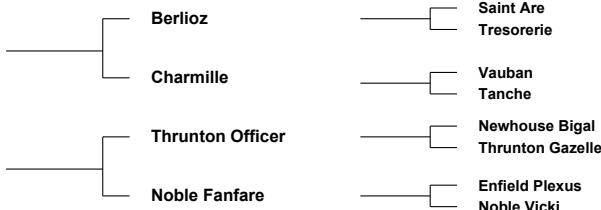
Owner: Harry Noble - Kilcoursey Edgeworthstown Co Longford

### Breeder:

Sire: Major

MJR

Sire Verified (SNP)



Dam: Noble Spice  
372216595841173

Dam Verified (SNP)

### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (Q204X). Myostatin Single Carrier: (F94L). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

## Lot 4 FERMOYLE VITO

ID: 372223807190434

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 20-Aug-2024

Twin to Female

Owner: William Scanlon - Furmoyle Carrowniskey Westport Co Mayo

### Breeder:

Sire: Orbi

CH6490

Sire Verified (SNP)



### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (F94L). Myostatin Single Carrier: (Q204X). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

## Lot 5 BALLYM VENGA BOY ET

ID: 372225370790979

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 22-Aug-2024

Owner: Louise Quinn - Ballymoran House Edenderry Co Offaly

### Breeder:

Sire: Ballym Mylove

CH4880

Sire Verified (SNP)



Dam: Ballym Hermaine

IE301515180223

Dam Verified (SNP)



### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (F94L). Myostatin Single Carrier: (Q204X). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

## Lot 6 AUGHNASHEELIN VENT ET

ID: 372219889330486

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 03-Sep-2024

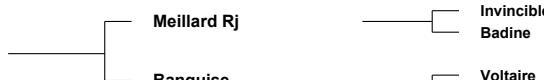
Owner: Michael Mc Girr - Drumany Aughnashelvin Carrick-On-Shannon Co Leitrim

### Breeder:

Sire: Pirate

PTE

Sire Verified (SNP)



Dam: Vern Helen

IE311317650214

Dam Verified (SNP)



### Additional Information:

Myostatin Single Carrier: (F94L, Q204X). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

## Lot 7 CROSMOLINA VERNONT

ID: 372219201671659

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 06-Sep-2024

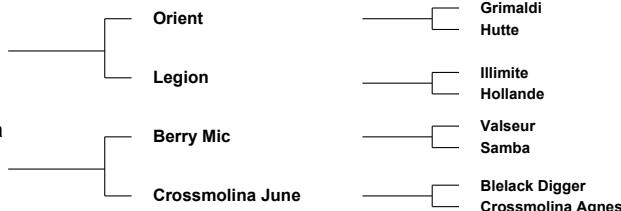
Owner: Alan Wood - Cloonamine House Crossmolina Co Mayo

### Breeder:

Sire: Vosgien Vf

VVF

Sire Verified (SNP)



Dam: Crossmolina Talia

372219201681486

Dam Verified (SNP)



GENOMIC  
EVALUATION

### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (Q204X). Myostatin Single Carrier: (F94L). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle	121	31%
Skeletal	121	33%
Function	91	16%

Animal scored. Scores or weaning weights NOT included in evaluation

## Lot 8 CHANONSTOWN VISION

ID: 372223020231393

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 06-Sep-2024

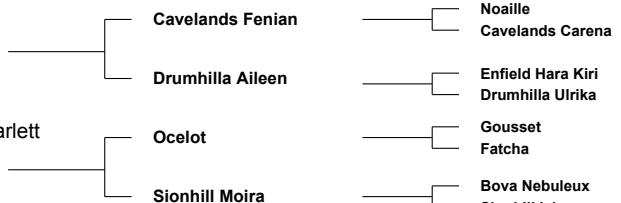
Owner: Michael Carey - Sionhill Killucan Co Westmeath

### Breeder:

Sire: Pottlereagh Mark

CH4160

Sire Verified (SNP)



GENOMIC  
EVALUATION

### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (F94L, Q204X). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

## Lot 9 DALEHILL VANCE

ID: 372223845031106

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 07-Sep-2024

Owner: Basil + Victoria Kells - Bohora Derrylane Killeshandra Co Cavan

### Breeder:

Sire: Tonnalauro Oh Man  
372216495310352



Dam: Dalehill Marina  
IE121580390867

Dam Verified (SNP)



### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (F94L, Q204X). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

## Lot 10 GOLDSTAR VOLVIC ET

ID: 372212403650641

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 10-Sep-2024

Owner: Martin Ryan - Copperfield House Cabra Thurles Co Tipperary

### Breeder:

Sire: Reglissee  
CH9700

Sire Verified (SNP)



Dam: Goldstar Nightengale Et  
372212403650402

Dam Verified (SNP)



### Additional Information:

Myostatin Single Carrier: (F94L, Q204X). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

## Lot 11 CROSMOLINA VAL

ID: 372219201651657

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 12-Sep-2024

Owner: Alan Wood - Cloonamine House Crossmolina Co Mayo

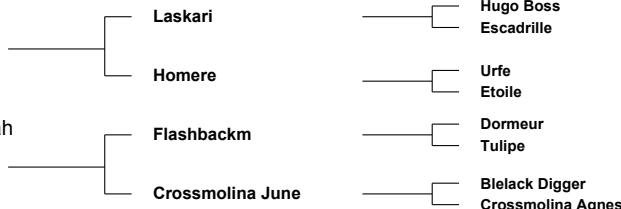


### Breeder:

Sire: Ocean

S3628

Sire Verified (SNP)



Dam: Crossmolina Sarah

372219201641409

Dam Verified (SNP)



### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (Q204X). Myostatin Single Carrier: (F94L). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle	122	21%
Skeletal	122	21%
Function	98	7%

Animal scored. Scores or weaning weights NOT included in evaluation

## Lot 12 NOLAGH VANCE 2

ID: 372212099220226

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 14-Sep-2024

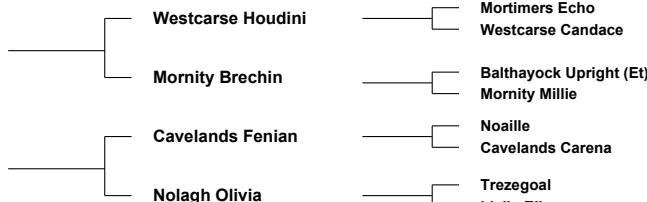
Owner: Mr Martin Shevlin - Nolagh Shercock Co Cavan

### Breeder:

Sire: Mornity Nero

CH4687

Sire Verified (SNP)



### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (F94L). Myostatin Single Carrier: (Q204X). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

## Lot 13 SUGARLOAF VASCO DE GAMA

ID: 372226357290088

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 15-Sep-2024

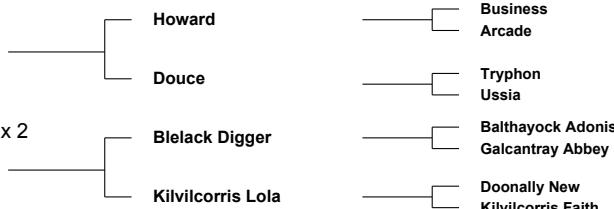
Owner: Kevin Molloy - 'Seaview' Kilmurry Kilmacanogue Bray Co Wicklow

### Breeder:

Sire: Lapon

CH4321

Sire Verified (SNP)



Dam: Kilvilcorris Phoenix 2

372217889881123

Dam Verified (SNP)

### Additional Information:

Myostatin Single Carrier: (F94L, Q204X). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

## Lot 14 SUGARLOAF VOLVO

ID: 372226357260085

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 17-Sep-2024

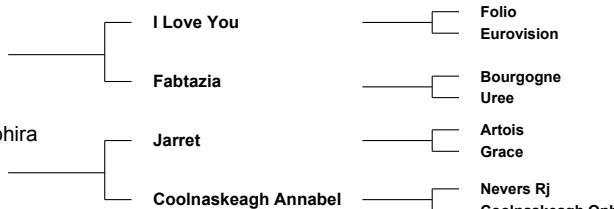
Owner: Kevin Molloy - 'Seaview' Kilmurry Kilmacanogue Bray Co Wicklow

### Breeder:

Sire: Neptune

CH7161

Sire Verified (SNP)



### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (Q204X). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

## Lot 15 HILLSIDEHOUSE VLADIMIR

ID: 372218133280174

Breed: Charolais

Twin to Male

Sex: Male

DOB: 18-Sep-2024

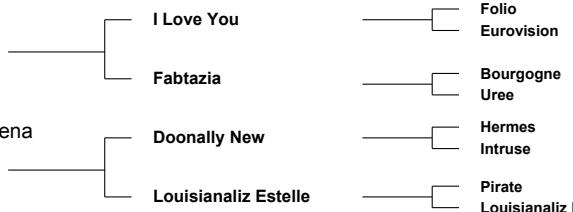
Owner: Patrick & Martin O'Grady - Fallduff Louisburgh Co Mayo

### Breeder:

Sire: Neptune

CH7161

Sire Verified (SNP)



Dam: Hillsidehouse Serena  
372218133210143

Dam Verified (SNP)

### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (Q204X). Myostatin Single Carrier: (F94L). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

## Lot 16 RONNAMONT VITO

ID: 372216125470947

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 20-Sep-2024

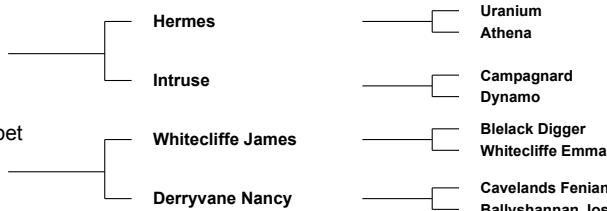
Owner: Christopher McCarthy - Martinstown Crookedwood Mullingar Co Westmeath

### Breeder:

Sire: Doonally New

CF52

Sire Verified (SNP)



### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (Q204X). Myostatin Single Carrier: (F94L). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

## Lot 17 SUGARLOAF VAN DAMME

ID: 372226357250084

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 21-Sep-2024

Owner: Kevin Molloy - 'Seaview' Kilmurry Kilmacanogue Bray Co Wicklow

Breeder:

Sire: Vosgien Vf

VVF

Sire Verified (SNP)



Dam: Kilvilcorris Rachel

372217889861162

Dam Verified (SNP)



### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (F94L, Q204X). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

## Lot 18 BALLYM VALETTA 2

ID: 372225370770985

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 22-Sep-2024

Twin to Female

Owner: Louise Quinn - Ballymoran House Edenderry Co Offaly

Breeder:

Sire: Ballym Saloup

FR0334781565

Sire Verified (SNP)



Dam: Ballym Louis V 2

IE301515130359

Dam Verified (SNP)



### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (F94L). Myostatin Single Carrier: (Q204X). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.



## Lot 21 CLOUGHBRACK VICTORIOUS

ID: 372223804240640

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 27-Sep-2024

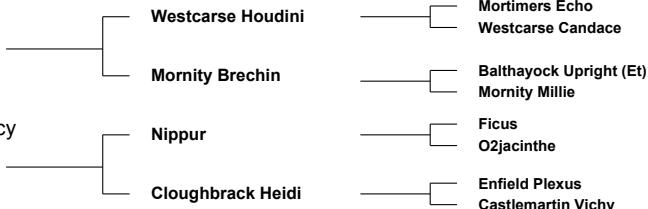
Owner: Mattie Kelly - Cloughbrack Newbridge Ballinasloe Co Galway

### Breeder:

Sire: Mornity Nero

CH4687

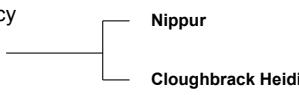
Sire Verified (SNP)



Dam: Cloughbrack Nancy

IE181942370442

Dam Verified (SNP)



### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (Q204X). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

## Lot 22 FEAKLE VAN

ID: 372223381570326

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 29-Sep-2024

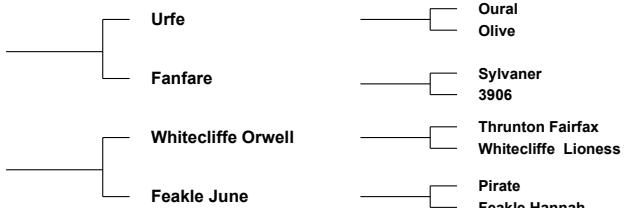
Owner: Michael Green - Dromore Feakle Co Clare

### Breeder:

Sire: Hamel

CH6298

Sire Verified (SNP)



### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (F94L). Myostatin Single Carrier: (Q204X). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

## Lot 23 SLIABHBLOOM VINCENT

ID: 372213339880373

Breed: Charolais

Twin to Male

Sex: Male

DOB: 03-Oct-2024

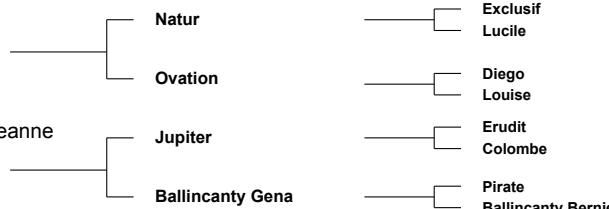
Owner: Daniel Weston - Meelick Rosenallis Portlaoise Co Laois

### Breeder:

Sire: Voimo

VMO

Sire Verified (SNP)



Dam: Sliabhbloom Roseanne

372213339860322

Dam Verified (SNP)

### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (F94L, Q204X). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

## Lot 24 SLIABHBLOOM VICTOR

ID: 372213339870372

Breed: Charolais

Twin to Male

Sex: Male

DOB: 03-Oct-2024

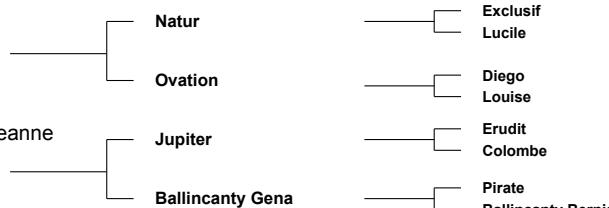
Owner: Daniel Weston - Meelick Rosenallis Portlaoise Co Laois

### Breeder:

Sire: Voimo

VMO

Sire Verified (SNP)



### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (F94L, Q204X). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

## Lot 25 LISNAGRE VERIE ET

ID: 372218079581090

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 03-Oct-2024

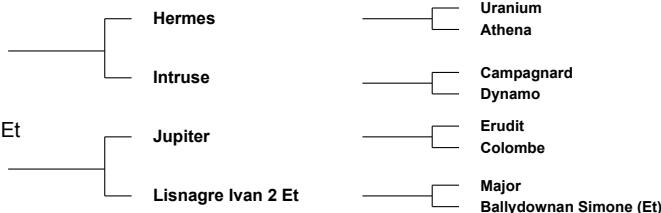
Owner: Jim Geoghegan - Lisnagree Streamstown Mullingar Co Westmeath

### Breeder:

Sire: Doonally New

CF52

Sire Verified (SNP)



### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (F94L). Myostatin Single Carrier: (Q204X). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

## Lot 26 DERRYOLAM VISTON

ID: 372212074090633

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 06-Oct-2024

Owner: Niall Mc Nally - Derryolam Carrickmacross Co Monaghan

### Breeder:

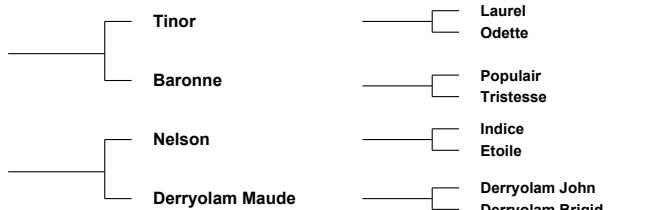
Sire: Fiston

FSZ

Sire Verified (SNP)

Dam: Derryolam Poppy  
372212074050381

Dam Verified (SNP)



### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (F94L, Q204X). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle	120	39%
Skeletal	106	39%
Function	98	30%

Animal scored. Scores or weaning weights NOT included in evaluation

## Lot 27 DERRYOLAM VACHA

ID: 372212074010634

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 12-Oct-2024

Owner: Niall Mc Nally - Derryolam Carrickmacross Co Monaghan

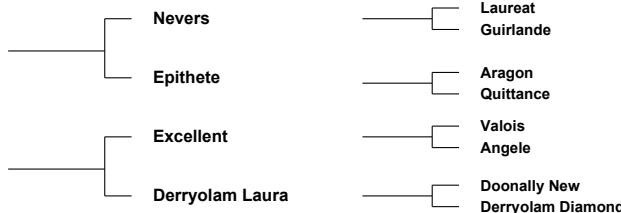


### Breeder:

Sire: Pacha

CF31

Sire Verified (SNP)



Dam: Derryolam Sarah

372212074060457

Dam Verified (SNP)



### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (F94L, Q204X). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle	87	35%
Skeletal	88	35%
Function	110	21%

Animal scored. Scores or weaning weights NOT included in evaluation

## Lot 28 RATHFESTON VERN

ID: 372224504480721

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 15-Oct-2024

Owner: Wayne Mulligan - Rathfeston Geashill Co Offaly

### Breeder:

Sire: Cattanview Supreme

CH8541

Sire Verified (SNP)



### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (F94L). Myostatin Single Carrier: (Q204X). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

## Lot 29 TOPNOTCH VICTIM

ID: 372225404630435

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 18-Oct-2024

Owner: Seamus Mc Cann - Oberstown Lusk Co Dublin

### Breeder:

Sire: Clenagh Superior Et  
CH8968

Sire Verified (SNP)



Dam: Topnotch Jaffa  
IE171092920207

Dam Verified (SNP)



### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (Q204X). Myostatin Single Carrier: (F94L). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

## Lot 30 GLERA VICTORIOUS

ID: 372225409480176

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 27-Oct-2024

Owner: Rory Cullen - Esker South Killoe Co Longford

### Breeder:

Sire: Knockmoyle10 Loki Et  
CH4159

Sire Verified (SNP)



Dam: Uristeen Tillie Et  
372215999260342

Dam Verified (SNP)



### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (Q204X). Myostatin Double Carrier: (F94L). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

## Lot 31 BALLYM VALETTA 3

ID: 372225370750991

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 04-Nov-2024

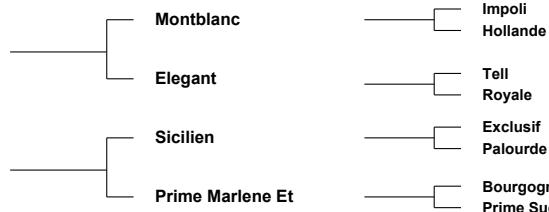
Owner: Louise Quinn - Ballymoran House Edenderry Co Offaly

### Breeder:

Sire: Ballym Royal

F654

Sire Verified (SNP)



Dam: Prime Rianna

372224907370345

Dam Verified (SNP)

### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (F94L, Q204X). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

## Lot 32 KILMURRAY VIP

ID: 372214062030556

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 07-Nov-2024

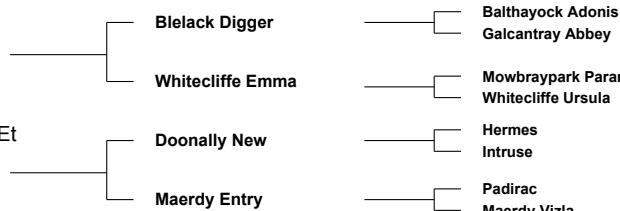
Owner: Garrett Quinlivan - Drumdigus Kilmurry Mc Mahon Kilrush Co Clare

### Breeder:

Sire: Whitecliffe James

CH4061

Sire Verified (SNP)



### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (Q204X). Myostatin Double Carrier: (F94L). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

## Lot 33 FERMOYLE VEROME

ID: 372223807130437

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 12-Nov-2024

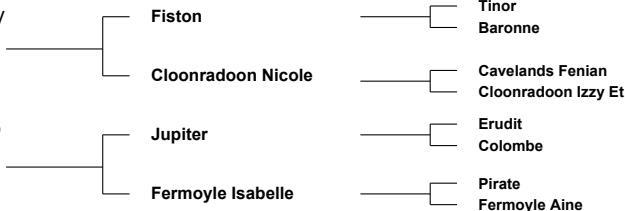
Owner: William Scanlon - Furmoyle Carrowniskey Westport Co Mayo

### Breeder:

Sire: Cloonradoon Ricky

CH7503

Sire Verified (SNP)



Dam: Furmoyle Orlando

372223807120337

Dam Verified (SNP)

### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (F94L). Myostatin Single Carrier: (Q204X). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

## Lot 34 CLOUGHBRACK VANCOUVER

ID: 372223804290653

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 14-Nov-2024

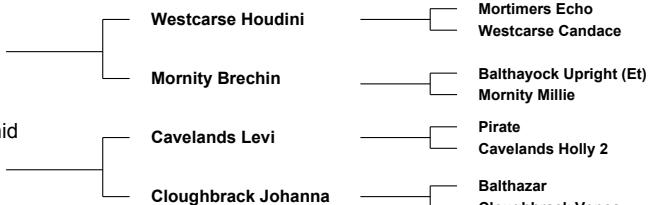
Owner: Mattie Kelly - Cloughbrack Newbridge Ballinasloe Co Galway

### Breeder:

Sire: Mornity Nero

CH4687

Sire Verified (SNP)



### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (F94L, Q204X). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

## Lot 35 LARAHILL VERMONT ET

ID: 372226480820076

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 20-Nov-2024

Owner: John O Connor - Streamstown Mullingar Co Westmeath

### Breeder:

Sire: Pirate

PTE

Sire Verified (SNP)



Dam: Ballydownan Octavia Et

372214296992940

Dam Verified (SNP)



### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (F94L). Myostatin Single Carrier: (Q204X). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

## Lot 36 LARAGHCASTLE VITO

ID: 372213143990206

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 05-Dec-2024

Owner: Kathleen Kenny - Laragh Streamstown Mullingar Co Westmeath

### Breeder:

Sire: Laraghcastle Thomas

372213143990189

Sire Verified (SNP)



Dam: Laraghcastle Top Lady

372226480860030

Dam Verified (SNP)



### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (Q204X). Myostatin Single Carrier: (F94L). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

## Lot 37 RANNAGH VAUXHALL VIVA

ID: 372215803710189

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 10-Dec-2024

Owner: John Coughlan - Station Road Lahinch Co Clare

Breeder:

Sire: Cloonfad Pedro  
372219903910487

Sire Verified (SNP)



Dam: Calla Reberty  
372214805631022

Dam Verified (SNP)



### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (F94L, Q204X). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

## Lot 38 RANNAGH AHMAN 1

ID: 372215803760193

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 04-Jan-2025

Owner: John Coughlan - Station Road Lahinch Co Clare

Breeder:

Sire: Grangwood Royal Oak Et  
CH8262

Sire Verified (SNP)



Dam: Ballycalla Lena  
IE131808810097

Dam Verified (SNP)



### Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (F94L). Myostatin Single Carrier: (Q204X). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle		
Skeletal		
Function		

Animal not scored.

# Lot 39 HAWKSWOOD AL

ID: 372218289591509

Breed: Charolais

Sex: Male

DOB: 21-Jan-2025



Owner: Joseph Whittaker - Derrygolan Tullamore Co Offaly

## Breeder:

Sire: Lapon

CH4321

Sire Verified (SNP)



Dam: Hawkswood Olivia

372218289520966

Dam Verified (SNP)



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EVALUATION

## Additional Information:

Myostatin Non Carrier: (Q204X). Myostatin Single Carrier: (F94L). (Non Carrier Polled-Celtic).

Linear composites	Value	Reliability
Muscle	119	39%
Skeletal	112	37%
Function	102	25%

Animal scored. Scores or weaning weights NOT included in evaluation

## **AFTER PURCHASE CARE OF YOUNG STOCK BULLS**

Purchasing a stock bull is a significant investment in future performance, output and genetic gain. This investment is well worth taking good care of. A well looked after bull may perform better and last longer. The following snippets are intended to provide a check list for purchasers.

### **Immediate Aftercare**

- A 60+ day transition period recommended to get the young bull accustomed to the new environment.
- A sale and associated transportation generate stressful conditions that will lower an animal's immune system and extra vigilance is required.
- A change of owners usually results in a new diet, a new environment, new stock and perhaps new disease challenge.
- Take care when transporting the bull home from the sale, he may have never travelled alone before and this may induce some anxiety. On arrival do not totally isolate him from other stock. If he is being penned alone it would be helpful to have an animal in the next pen etc.
- Find out what you can about the bull's diet prior to purchase and if possible start with 60-70% of the previous diet and use a 3-4 week transition period.
- Young bulls still need to grow by at least one kilogram/day, so do not withdraw concentrates too rapidly.
- Bulls require exercise to remain fit so ensure they are not overly confined.
- Introduce cows to the bull as they come on heat initially until you are sure that he is serving correctly. It is also advisable to ensure you abide by the terms of any insurance terms and conditions that may require you to check his ability to put a female in-calf within a time period.

### **Health Issues**

- BVD can be a devastating disease. Bulls being purchased are certified virus free and ideally vaccinated. If the bull is entirely clean and comes in contact with an animal shedding the BVD virus, he could succumb to transient infection and whilst he will probably recover fully, fertility may be impaired.
- It is strongly recommended to vaccinate bulls annually against IBR, PI 3 and RSV viruses.
- Treat bulls for internal and external parasites twice yearly at a minimum.
- Consider giving an annual booster vaccine against Clostridial diseases.
- Consider vaccinating against Leptospirosis and other contagious diseases depending on local risk and veterinary advice.

## **Nutritional Requirements**

- Whilst it may be desirable to reduce the level of fleshing on some young bulls it is important to appreciate they are still rapidly growing and have a higher nutritional requirement than other cattle of similar weight, especially during the breeding season.
- The plan of nutrition must support reproduction performance.
- Target condition score 2.5-3.0.
- Young bulls on poor pasture may need supplementation.
- Note: Mineral/Vitamin deficiency will reduce fertility.
- In the months before the breeding season assess condition and general health status and act accordingly.
- During the breeding season supplement if necessary.
- After the breeding season, some bulls may need supplementation to replenish reserves, repair the body and get ready for a new season especially where there are two calving periods (Spring and Autumn)

## **General Management**

- Observe in action frequently in case of any injury, lameness, general health issues or structural soundness issues.
- When housed, bull pens' should always be adequately spacious to facilitate exercise and the lying area comfortable and safe.

## **Bull Power Guide**

- Over working the bull should be avoided and the following table is used internationally as a guide to the bull per cow ratio advisable.

<b>BULL AGE</b>	<b>NUMBER OF COWS</b>
Yearling	15 – 20
2 Year Old	20 – 30
3 Year Old	30 – 40

**The best simple rule to use is 1 cow/month of age once over 15 months**

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# OFFICIAL SHOW & SALES SPRING 2026

## TULLAMORE MART

Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> April.

Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> May

## ELPHIN MART

Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> March



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