

Dear Exhibitor,

After a long break, we are looking forward to welcoming everyone back to the Green Glens Arena on October 21<sup>st</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup>. This year's show is the 40<sup>th</sup> National Dairy Show, and we are planning one of our biggest shows to date. We would like to encourage everyone to consider entering what promises to be a great show. To that end, we have made a few changes to improve the facilities available for cattle exhibitors:

1. There is a dedicated loader to assist exhibitors with unloading their feed and equipment and transferring it to the stalling area
2. Cattle will be housed in a different area of the Green Glens complex, in an improved stalling area
3. We have adjusted our prize fund, with a greater spread of higher value prizes in each class.  
**Each in-milk animal at the show will win a minimum of €200**
4. Classes start at 3.30pm on Friday October 21<sup>st</sup>, and all animals must be penned by this time
5. Cattle can arrive from 2.00pm on Wednesday October 19<sup>th</sup>

We're incredibly grateful to have the support of AXA Insurance as our main sponsors for the 40<sup>th</sup> National Dairy Show. As part of their sponsorship package, **each exhibitor will receive an AXA Farm Insurance Voucher to the value of €100.**

If you have any questions, please contact Cattle Co-ordinators, Pat Ahern on 086 355 2903, or Jason Helen on 087 346 6911. Entries close on October 4th, and are to be sent to Georgia Greenan, IHFA, Clonakilty, Co. Cork, ggreenan@ihfa.ie. Looking forward to seeing you at the 40<sup>th</sup> National Dairy Show!

Yours sincerely,

Pat Ahern & Jason Helen

Cattle Coordinators