

Dear Exhibitor,

We are looking forward to welcoming everyone back to the Green Glens Arena on our **NEW DATE: OCTOBER 13TH AND 14TH**. After the long break prior to last year's show, and the changes to the venue layout, we are aiming to continue to improve the facilities of exhibitors:

1. There is a dedicated loader to assist exhibitors with unloading their feed and equipment and transferring it to the stalling area
2. The layout of the trade stands around the ring has been adjusted to allow for a bigger ring
3. We have improved 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 13th, and all animals must be penned by this time
5. Cattle can arrive from 2.00pm on Wednesday October 11th
6. We would like to remind exhibitors of the importance of having their **permits with them on arrival** at the show to ensure that there are no unnecessary delays
7. We have streamlined the entry process, and all entry fees will be collected by the IHFA's direct debit

We're incredibly grateful to have the support of AXA Insurance as our main sponsors for the 40th 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 Tuesday 19th September, and are to be sent to Georgia Greenan, IHFA, Clonakilty, Co. Cork, ggreenan@ihfa.ie. Looking forward to seeing you at the 41st National Dairy Show!

Yours sincerely,

Pat Ahern & Jason Helen

Cattle Coordinators