

Irish Texel Sheep Society Annual Show & Sale of Males

Wednesday 10th September 2014 at Enniscorthy Livestock Mart

All sheep must be penned for inspection by 10.30 am Judging at 12 noon

Sale to commence at 1 pm

ENNISCORTHY – 10TH SEPTEMBER 2014

	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th
Class 1 Shearling Ram				
Class 2 Ram Lamb				
Lambplus Ram Lamb				
Male Champion		Reserve Male	Champion	

CONDITIONS OF SALE

- 1. All entries to be penned by 10.30 am
- The designated Society Inspectors will inspect all entries and cull any entries which in their opinion, are incorrectly indentified i.e Pedigree details are incorrect. Or sheep that have been brushed or trimmed save squaring of the tail.
- 3. Sheep will be sold in Euro. Buyers will be charged a fee of 5% of the sale price.
- 4. No rams will be sold for under €250. No opening bid will be less than €150.
- 5. All sheep will be sold in the order of lot no. that they are printed in the catalogue.
- 6. Sheep not sold in lots 1 to 5 will be allowed back into the ring at the discretion of sale organizer and auctioneer.
- 7. All animals are sold as they stand and the purchaser is deemed to have examined each animal and fully satisfied himself/herself about the animal prior to purchasing.

VENDORS

Lot 3, 17, 25	Vendor John & Kathleen Darcy - Kilmallock, Ballymurn, Enniscorthy, Co. Wexford
6, 7, 18	Rep. Of Michael Kelly - Ballinacurra, Carrick-On-Suir, Co. Waterford
8, 9, 19, 20	John, Colm & Ml Mchugh - Cnoc Glas, Lisnashannagh, Carrickmacross, Co. Monaghan
12	Michael & Aidan Murphy - Belcarrig, Gorey Co. Wexford
10, 11, 21, 22	Anne Murphy - Belcarrig Gorey Co. Wexford
2, 4	John Renehan - Violethill Johnstown Co. Kilkenny
13, 23	Michael Sinnott Jnr - Knockbrandon Craanford Gorey Co. Wexford
14, 15, 24	John Taylor - Renaghmore, Grange Barna, Thurles, Co. Tipperary
1, 5, 16	Edward Tynan - Garrandarragh, Mullinavat, Co. Kilkenny

Sheep Ireland €uro-Stars

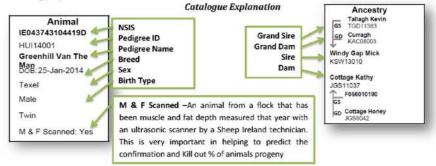


Background

Sheep Ireland was established "To achieve the greatest possible improvement, from genetic and other factors, in the profitability of the national sheep flock for the benefit of the Irish farmers and sheep industry".

How to select a ram fit for purpose?

Evaluations should **never be the only tool** you use when selecting animals for breeding. Animals must also be examined to ensure the animal is also physically correct; an animal that is not physically correct (ie. mouth, feet, etc.) cannot compensate for this fault regardless of its evaluation and should be avoided for breeding purposes.



€uro-Stars - How to interpret them

- Each star represents the ranking of each index in 20% bounds
- One star represents the bottom 20% of the breed
- Five star represents the top 20% of the breed
- · The higher the stars, the higher the predicted profitability of that animal

Rank

- This figure indicates more precisely where the animals rank within the breed. eg. Top 11% (see example below)
- This is displayed with the black pointer, the further to the right these are on the scale, the better its position with the breed.

 Top 1160%

Acc % (Accuracy%)

- Acc is an abbreviation of Accuracy. This figure is very important as it represents the amount of data behind each evaluation. Where Acc is low, much less emphasis should be placed on the evaluation, and vice versa.
- This is displayed with the grey pointer, the further to the right these are on the scale, the more
 information this evaluation is based on. e.g. Acc 43% (see example above)

Acc % parameters

V.Poor, 0% - 14% Poor, 15% - 24% Fair, 25% - 34% Good, 35% - 49% V.Good, 50% and above

1) Replacement (€1.126) — If a farmer desires a ram to breed both lambs both for slaughter and replacement ewe lambs then they should select a ram based on this index. The bulk of this index is a combination of Lamb Survivability, Days to Slaughter, No. of lambs born & Daughters milk. The € value beside the index represents the difference in profit that each lamb sired from this ram will have.

2) Terminal (€0.542) – If a farmer desires a ram to breed only lambs both for slaughter then they should select a ram based on this index. The bulk of this index is a combination of Lamb Survivability, Days to Slaughter. The € value beside the index represents the difference in profit that

each lamb sired from this ram will have.

3) Days to slaughter – This ranks animals on their genetic ability to grow. The index associated with this trait represents the difference in the predicted number of days required for the progeny of this ram to reach the desired slaughtered weight compared with other animals of the same breed.

 Lamb Survivability – This ranks animals based on lambing ease and lamb survival rate. Every positive % point on this index is an extra lamb surviving to 40 days and vice versa.

- No. of Lambs Born This ranks animals based on the predicted prolificacy of the females from this animal compared with other animals of the same breed
- 6) Daughters Milk This ranks animals based on the predicted milking performance of its daughters compared with other animals of the same breed

Ram Search

The Sheep Ireland Online Ram search is also available at sheep.ie; you can use this tool to get the most up to date evaluations for a ram, to search for rams by county, breed and evaluation ratings.

Contact Us

To Find out more about €uro-Star rams, LambPlus or the Online Ram search you can

- 1) Visit www.sheep.ie
- 2) E-mail query at sheep.ie
- 3) Call us on 1850 601 901

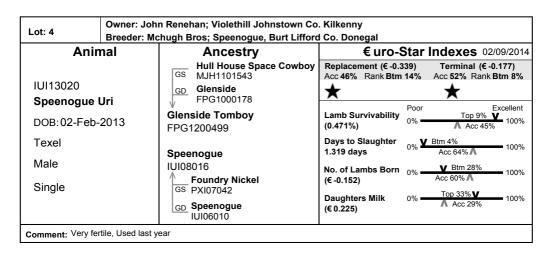


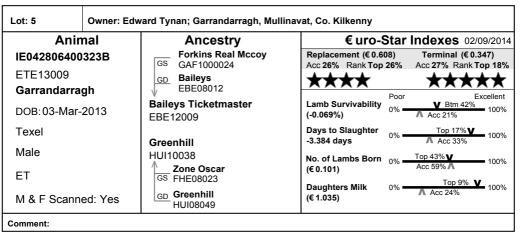
Shearling Rams

Lot: 1		lward Tynan; Garrandarragh, Mullina Pat Lyons; Turoe, Bullaun, Loughrea				
Αı	nimal	Ancestry	€ uro-	Star	Indexes 0	2/09/2014
IE0424216	602002G	GS FPG1000055	Replacement (€ 0.0 Acc 35% Rank Btm	,	Terminal (€ Acc 41% Ran	,
LPI13029		_{GD} Mullan	**		*	
Turoe Uni	que	√ HBN09057	^^	Poor		Excellent
DOB: 21-Fe	eb-2013	Racepark Titanium IBI12010	Lamb Survivability (-0.249%)	0% =	▼ Btm 25%	100%
Texel		Turoe	Days to Slaughter -0.347 days	0% =	▼ Btm 25%	100%
Male		LPP1000050	No. of Lambs Born	09/-	Top 41% V	100%
Single		GS LPP06114	(€ 0.118)	070 -	Acc 58% ∧ V Btm 32%	
M & F Sca	nned: Yes	GD Turoe LPP08023	Daughters Milk (€ -0.54)	∪% ■	▲ Acc 22%	100%

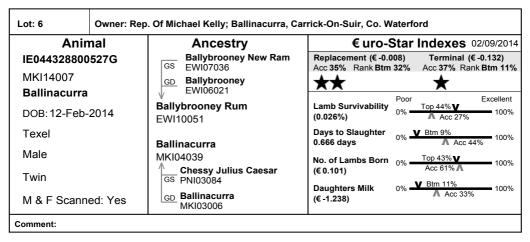
1 -4: 0	Owner: Joh	n Renehan; Violethill Johnstown	Co. Kilkenny	
Lot: 2	Breeder: Wi	lliam Doherty; Galdonagh, Glebe	, Manorcunningham, C	Co. Donegal
Anir	nal	Ancestry	€ uro-S	Star Indexes 02/09/2014
\/		GS MBZ08019	Replacement (€ -0.7 Acc 37% Rank Btm	, , , ,
YZI13043 Hillcrest Upt	ton	GD Curley TYC07006	*	
DOB: 09-Feb-	-2013	Curley Theo TYC1200240	Lamb Survivability (-1.209%)	Poor Excellent 0% Btm 3% 100%
Texel		Hillcrest	Days to Slaughter 0.824 days	0% Btm 7% Acc 56% \(\bigcap \)
Male		YZI11031	No. of Lambs Born	0% Btm 24% Acc 60% A
Single		GS PNI08012	(€ -0.203)	Acc 60% A 100% 100%
		GD Hillcrest YZI08035	Daughters Milk (€ 0.203)	Acc 19%
Comment: Very fe	rtile, Used last y	ear		

Animal	Ancestry	€ uro-Star Indexes 02/09/20
XAI13002 Kilmallock DOB: 26-Jan-2013 Texel Male Single	Tamnamoney Ned GS SRY07010 GD Forkins Gaf 05060(E) GAF05060 Cherryvale Ringmaster GCN1000101 Kilmallock XAI08001 ↑ Blackstown GS WWB06044 GD Kilmallock XAI05013	Flock is not a member of LambPlus

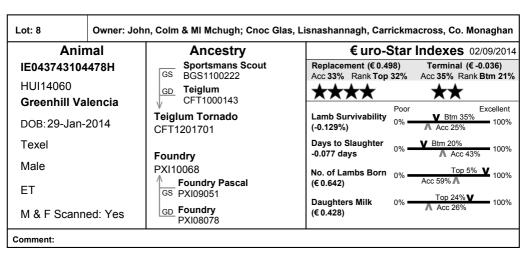


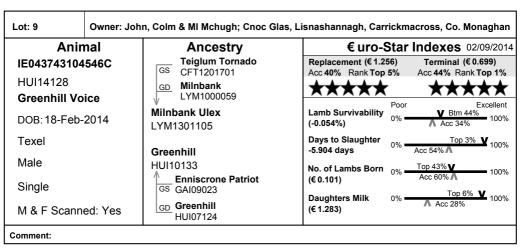


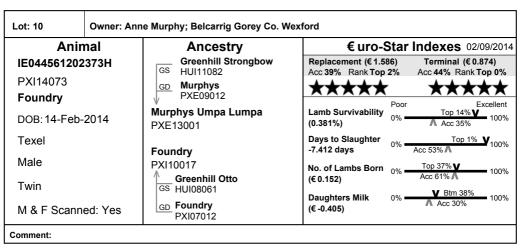
Ram Lambs

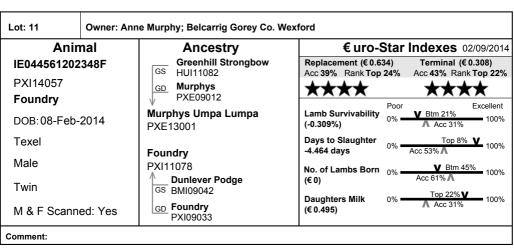


Animal	Ancestry	€ uro-Star Indexes 02/0	9/2014
IE044328800534B MKI14009	Tophill Nockout HPH07805 GD Baileys EBE09014	Replacement (€ 0.579) Terminal (€ -0. Acc 29% Rank Top 27% Acc 31% Rank B	
Ballinacurra DOB: 13-Feb-2014	Baileys Tim EBE12002	Lamb Survivability (-0.284%) Poor 0% Btm 23% Acc 22%	cellent 100%
Texel	Ballinacurra	Days to Slaughter -0.482 days	- 100%
Male Twin	MKI12001 ↑ Ballybrooney Rum	No. of Lambs Born 0% Top 16% V (€ 0.389)	- 100%
M & F Scanned: Yes	GS EWI10051 GD Ballinacurra MKI04039	Daughters Milk (€ -1.26)	- 100%







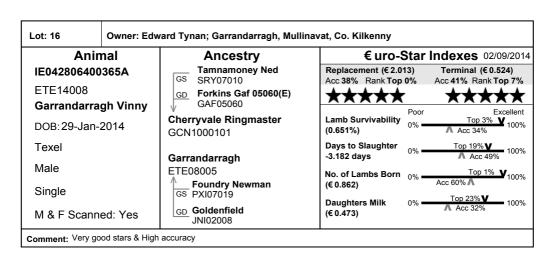


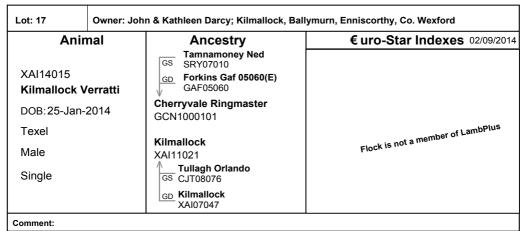
Lot: 12 Ow	ner: Michael & Aidan Murphy; Belcarrig, G	orey Co. Wexford
Animal	Ancestry	€ uro-Star Indexes 02/09/2014
IE044561202352	Sportsmans Superstar GS BGS1100223 GD Hillcrest	Replacement (€ 0.242) Terminal (€ 0.255) Acc 36% Rank Top 50% Acc 41% Rank Top 28%
Murphys DOB: 10-Feb-2014	YZI10073	Lamb Survivability Poor Top 29% Excellent 100% Acc 31% 100%
Texel	Foundry	Days to Slaughter 0%
Male	PXI11084 Tullagh	No. of Lambs Born 0%
Single M & F Scanned: \	/es GS CJT1000012 GD Foundry PXI09013	Daughters Milk 0%
Comment:	•	•

Animal	Ancestry	€ uro-Star Indexes 02/09/201
DSF14002 Knockbrandon Vit DOB: 28-Feb-2014 Texel Male Twin	Glenside Razzle Dazzle GS FPG1000055 GD Blackstown WWB09003 Slibh Ugo WHE13002 Hillcrest YZI12052 GS Garngour Nobleman GS CJN07610 GD Hillcrest	Flock is not a member of LambPlus

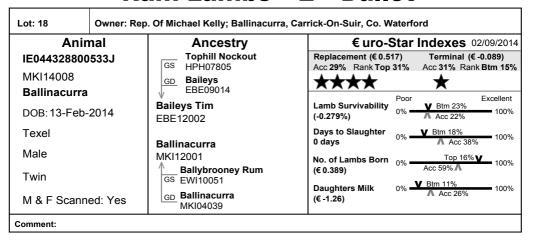
Lot: 14	Owner: Joh	n Taylor; Renaghmore, Grange	Barna, Thurles, Co. Tipperary
Anin	nal	Ancestry	€ uro-Star Indexes 02/09/2014
IE044267800 LTI14016 Renaghmore		GS TYC1200240 GD Hillcrest YZI11031	Replacement (€ -0.416) Terminal (€ 0.021) Acc 35% Rank Btm 12% Acc 40% Rank Btm 30% ★ ★
DOB: 04-Feb-		Hillcrest Upton YZI13043	Lamb Survivability Poor Excellent
Texel			Days to Slaughter -1.854 days O% Top 41% V Acc 50% 100%
Male		Renaghmore LTI12003 A Blackstown Oscar I	No. of Lambs Born 0% V Btm 4% 100%
Single		GS WWB08026	(E-0.025)
M & F Scanne	ed: Yes	GD Renaghmore LTI08018	Daughters Milk 0%
Comment:			

Lot: 15	Owner: Johi	n Taylor; Renaghmore, Grange	Barna, Thurles, Co. Tipp	perary
Anim	al	Ancestry	€ uro-S	Star Indexes 02/09/2014
IE0442678004 LTI14010	22D	GS FPG1200499 GD Speenogue	Replacement (€ 0.88 Acc 36% Rank Top 1	
Renaghmore DOB: 01-Feb-2	014	Speenogue Uri	Lamb Survivability	Poor Top 26% V 100% A Acc 29%
Texel		Renaghmore	Days to Slaughter -2.102 days	0% Top 36% ▼ Acc 51% ↑
Male Twin		LTI11017 Culdaff Rambo	No. of Lambs Born (€ 0.304)	0% Top 22% ▼ 100% Acc 59% ↑ 100%
M & F Scanned	d: Yes	GS EGE10003 GD Renaghmore LTI09024	Daughters Milk (€ -0.113)	0% Top 49% Acc 27% 100%
Comment:			•	

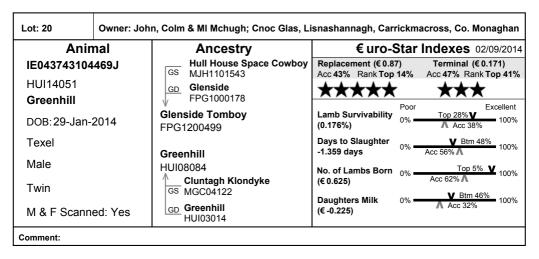




Ram Lambs - 2nd Ballot



Animal	Ancestry	€ uro-Star Indexes 02/09/201
HUI14029 Greenhill Volvo	Glenside Royal Soverign FPG10028 Chessy PNI09056	Replacement (€ 0.44) Terminal (€ -0.064) Acc 48% Rank Top 36% Acc 53% Rank Btm 17%
DOB: 28-Jan-2014	Chessy Spot On PNI11051	Lamb Survivability (0.266%) Poor Top 21% V Top 21% V 100%
Texel	Greenhill	Days to Slaughter 0%
Male Twin	HUI11003 Enniscrone Patriot	No. of Lambs Born 0% Top 9% V 100% (€ 0.507)
M & F Scanned: Ye	GS GAI09023 GD Greenhill HUI07057	Daughters Milk 0% — V Btm 44% 100% (€ -0.27) 100%



Lot: 21 Own	er: Anne Murphy; Belcarrig Gorey Co. \	Nexford
Animal	Ancestry	€ uro-Star Indexes 02/09/2014
IE044561202379E PXI14079	Racepark Titanium GS IBI12010 GD Turoe	Replacement (€ -0.44) Terminal (€ -0.271) Acc 40% Rank Btm 11% Acc 43% Rank Btm 4%
Foundry	LPP1101788	Poor Excellent
DOB: 16-Feb-2014	Turoe Ugene LPI13008	Lamb Survivability (-0.384%)
Texel		Days to Slaughter 0% Btm 33% 100%
Male	PXI07062 Hillhead Ferrari	-0.707 days
Twin	GS WHM99064	(E-0.152)
M & F Scanned: Y	es Foundry PXI05095	Daughters Milk 0%
Comment:	•	•

Ani	mal	Ancestry	€ uro-Star Indexes 02/09/201
IE04456120 PXI14095 Foundry	2400F	Greenhill Strongbow HUI11082 GD Murphys PXE09012	Replacement (€ 0.655)
DOB: 19-Feb	-2014	Murphys Umpa Lumpa PXE13001	Lamb Survivability Poor Excellent
Texel		Foundry	Days to Slaughter 0% Top 5% ▼ 100% Acc 53%
Male		PXI11079 Dunlever Podge	No. of Lambs Born 0% Acc 61% 100% 100%
Twin M & F Scani	ned: Yes	GS BMI09042 GD Foundry PXI09033	Daughters Milk 0% — Top 33% ▼ 100% (€ 0.225) 100%

Animal	Ancestry	€ uro-Star Indexes 02/09/201
DSF14003 Knockbrandon Vermon DOB: 28-Feb-2014 Texel Male Twin	Glenside Razzle Dazzle FPG1000055 GD Blackstown WWB09003 Slibh Ugo WHE13002 Hillcrest YZI12052 Garngour Nobleman GS CJN07610 GD Hillcrest YZI10098	Flock is not a member of LambPlus

Lot: 24	Owner: Joh	n Taylor; Renaghmore, Grang	e Barna, Thurles, Co. Tipperary
Anima	al	Ancestry	€ uro-Star Indexes 02/09/2014
IE0442678004	29J	GS FPG1200499	Replacement (€ -0.084) Terminal (€ 0.109) Acc 38% Rank Btm 28% Acc 42% Rank Btm 47%
LTI14018		GD Speenogue	** ***
Renaghmore		√ IUI08016	Poor Excellent
DOB: 05-Feb-20	014	Speenogue Uri IUI13020	Lamb Survivability 0% Top 33% ▼ 100% (0.126%) 100%
Texel		Panaghmara	Days to Slaughter -0.752 days O% Acc 52% ↑ 100%
Male		Renaghmore LTI12016	No. of Lambs Born 0%
Triplet		GS WWB08026	(€ -0.27) Acc 59% \(\begin{align*} \text{Top } 49% \(\begin{align*} \text{V} \end{align*} \text{Top } 49% \(\begin{align*} \text{Top } 49% \(\begin{align*} \text{Top } 49% \(\begin{align*} \text{Top } 49% \(\begin{align*} To
M & F Scanned	d: Yes	GD Renaghmore LTI08023	Daughters Milk 0% 100% Acc 29% 100% (€ -0.113)
Comment:			

Animal	Ancestry	€ uro-Star Indexes 02/09/20
	GS SRY07010	
XAI14006	GD Forkins Gaf 05060(E) GAF05060	
DOB: 04-Jan-2014	Cherryvale Ringmaster GCN1000101	
Texel		abor of LambPlus
Male	Kilmallock XAI10007	Flock is not a member of LambPlus
Triplet	GS CJT08076	
	GD Kilmallock XAI06038	





Application Form for Membership

Name:
Address:
Tel No Mobile
am the owner of 5 Pedigree Registered Females and I would like to apply for membership and a €1 share in the above named Society. I hereby to abide by the Rules of the Society, make payments as required and otherwise to be bound thereby. Applications need to be sent to the Society Secretary by 31st Dec in the year of applicants ntention to join the Society, to be eligible for participation in the following year's Society Sales.
Please register my flock under the prefix*
First Choice:
Second Choice:
*Farm name or first line of address usually taken as prefix
Signature:

Terms of Membership

€65 Entrance Fee & €50 Annual Membership Fee = €115
Details of females owned **must** be submitted with application

This form should be completed, signed and sent to:

The Secretary
Irish Texel Sheep Society
Kellistown Farm, Kellistown, Carlow



Application for Pedigree Registration of a Ram

Name of Ram*:		
Ear No. of Ram:(Flock code, Year Letter & Number)		·····•
Type of Birth:(S, Tw, Tr, E.T.)	Date of Birth	
Ram's Sire:		
Dam:		
Signature of Breeder:		<u>.</u>
Owner's Name:		
Owner's Address:		-
Date:		

This form, signed by the breeder, accompanied by a cheque or P.O. for \in 20, should be sent to :

The Secretary
Irish Texel Society
Kellistown Farm, Kelllistown
Co. Carlow

 * the rams name should consist of the breeder's prefix, e.g ABC and a name whose first letter is the year letter e.g 2014 is 'V'

Notes	



Sales Dates 2014

Society Sales		
Blessington 2 nd Main Sale	Friday	10 th Oct (evening)
Blessington (Multibreed)	Saturday	27 th September
Tullamore (Multibreed)	Saturday	23 rd August
Donegal		
Raphoe	Friday	29 th August
Raphoe	Friday	26 th September
Raphoe	Friday	10 th October
Raphoe In Lamb Ewe Sale	Friday	21st November
West Region		
Tuam	Tuesday	09 th September
Maam Cross	Saturday	13 th September
Roscommon 2 nd Sale	Saturday	20 th September
Athenry	Monday	29 th September
Mountbellew	Saturday	11 th October
Ballinasloe In Lamb Ewe Sale	Saturday	22 nd November
North Connacht		
Ballinrobe	Friday	12 th September
Ballina	Monday	22 nd September
North East		
Cootehill	Saturday	13 th September (2pm)
Carnaross	Tuesday	23 rd September (7pm)
Cootehill	Wednesday	08 th October (6pm)
South East		
Enniscorthy	Wednesday	10 th September
Carnew	Thursday	9 th October
South West		
Roscrea	Wednesday	17 th September

More sales dates will be confirmed for regions post publication of this notice.

Please check www.irishtexel.com or facebook for Irish Texel Sheep
& forthcoming sales to obtain the most current sales dates list.