

Dundonnell Farm Dog Trial 2018

The Dundonnell Farm Dog trial was held over two days this year to make room for the **Ewe, Me and the Dog Encourage Challenge Final** and to ensure time for finals in the **HF Richardson Novice** and **Snow Anderson Memorial, Tilt Renewables Open.**

It was a weekend of contrasts with Dundonnell living up to its reputation of changeable weather, Saturday was a delightful autumnal day..... Sunday was wickedly windy and warm.

The event was a bit the same with more than its fair share of retirements and some exceptional runs in all classes.

Special thanks to our sponsors,

Ackroyd and Dadswell (Wool brokers) who supplied the Dundonnell Dunny.

HF Richardson (stock and station agents) who sponsored the Novice.

Tilt Renewables (Developers of Renewable Energy Projects) who sponsored the Improver, Snow Anderson Memorial Open and the all-day BBQ.

Results

Encourage

First	Shane Nairn	Idano Jedda	97	5:12	
Second	Sarah Newman	Bix	96	4:38	
Third	Christie Shrubsole	Ardooen Peaches	94	4:51	Run off
			90		
Forth	Sophie Murfitt	Gwydir Nina	94	4:58	Run off
			84	4:41	

Shane had a good win after 20 years away from trialling

Sophie was stiff to not get a podium finish

Ewe, Me & the Dog Encourage Challenge

Place	Qualifier	Dog	Round 1	R	ound 2		Total
1st	Daniel Ball	Whispa	79	9:12	61	9:22	140
2nd	Peri Chappel	H2H Gem	78	9:30	61	8:59	139
3rd	Christie Shrubsole	Ardooen Peaches	62	10:49	55 O/1	-	117

All competitors had two runs in the challenge, only three of the nine completed both runs

First place came down to the wire with some excellent work on display

HF Richardson Novice

place	Handler	Dog	R1		final		Total
1st	Shane Nairn	Jedda		84	;	80	164
2nd	Peri Chappel	H2H Gem		70	;	82	152
3rd	Tom Johnson	Bamb Nala		69	!	58	127
4th	Simon Borthwick	Dolly		69	!	55	124
5th	Kate Jubb	Ernie		69	Ret		69

Shane came back from his disappointment in the Challenge final the day before to snatch the Novice Tom Johnson snatched third after many years of competing here

Tilt Renewables Improver

Place

1st	Gary Sharrock	Kamala Turbo	77	
2nd	Vincent Gedve	Scoriochre Flash	63	

Only two of the seven dogs entered in the Improver completed the course

place	Handler	Dog	Round 1	Final	Total
1st	Joe Spicer	Gogetta Basil	95	96	191
2nd	Joe Spicer	Gogetta Regret	91	95	186
3rd	Joe Spicer	Gogetta Package	86	93	179
4th	Vincent Gedye	Scoriochre Pontus	82	89	171
5th	Vincent Gedye	Scoriochre Turbine	81	78	159
6th	Gary Sharrock	Kamala Turbo	77	79	156
7th	Paul Pierce	Sting	77	Ret	77
8th	Mitch Jubb	MyambaRJ	77	Ret	77

Joe again showed us what professionalism looks like, well done Joe.

It's a tough trial and a good one to win. Thanks to all that attendeed and participated, hope to see you and others in 2019.



