

Report on Coursing Meeting held at East Donnell, on Jan 2nd

Day No: 1

Please fill in each box and use separate sheet for each days coursing.

No. of hares at start of coursing	No. of courses run	No. of hares killed	No. of hares hit by dogs (muzzled)	No. of hares injured by dogs	No. of hares which had to be put down as a result of injuries.	No. of hares which died from accidental causes	No. of hares released	Time and date of release	Where released and numbers	Releases supervised by:
63 + 3 dead hares in paddocks	48 + 5 losses	0	5				25	2nd January 16.00	Munoz Aster Farr (8)	Carl Byrne

General Comments:

- (1) Were hares coursed more than once on any day [] Yes [X] No.
- (2) Did hares appear to be healthy [X] Yes [] No.
- (3) Were escapes adequate [X] Yes [] No.
- (4) Were all dogs muzzled [X] Yes [] No.
- (5) Were hares earmarked prior to release [] Yes [X] No.
- (6) Was Coursing Park in good condition [X] Yes [] No. *vet*
- (7) Was there a veterinary involvement in the running of the event [X] Yes [] No.
- (8) Was there a post mortem examination of hares found dead in the paddock [] Yes [X] No.

Signed: Carl Byrne

Date: 2nd January 2016

Report on Coursing Meeting held at East Doneyd, on 3rd January 2016 Day No: 2

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38	27	0	2	0	0	0	38	3 rd January 16.00 17.00	McShewes Buet (7) Tullyearp (8) Big Isle (10)	A-Spree A-Spree. C. Byrne. C. Byrne.

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Signed: C. Byrne

Date: 3rd January 2016

RE: East Donegal Coursing Meeting 02/03 January 2016

On day 1 of the coursing meeting in East Donegal , there were 48 courses run .The Hares appeared to be in fairly good condition after the severe weather that we have had over the last six weeks. The club committee agreed to cancel two of the races ,the Greenbrae two course duffer and the working members stake on the second day of the meeting as the thought that the weather had taken its toll on the hares and they didn't want to risk any unnecessary suffering on the hares. On the evening of the first days coursing we released 25 hares and kept just the required amount to run the second days meeting. On the morning of the first days coursing there were three dead hares in the Hare paddocks, this was probably due to the weather.

In my opinion the club members made the correct decision to cancel two of the courses and release the twenty five hares and the kept the stronger hares for day two.

Carl Byrne
Conservation Ranger
East Donegal

Carl Byrne
6/01/16



