

1. White - Irish Coursing Club.

2. Yellow - Wildlife Ranger (if present).

3. Pink - Retained by Club.

## Capture Return Form - ( 2025 / 26 Season )

This form **MUST** be received in the ICC Office no later than 5 working days before your First Day of Coursing or 48 hours before your Trials.

Name of Club Rathdowney and District Coursing Club

Date netted Locations of capture  
MUST SHOW TOWNE AND TOWN & COUNTRYNumber of  
hares captured

19.10.2025 4

26.10.2025 6

2.11.2025 4

9.11.2025 2

16.11.2025 3

23.11.2025 6

30.11.2025 3

Club

19.10.2025 5

26.10.2025 4

2.11.2025 2

9.11.2025 5

16.11.2025 3

23.11.2025 5

30.11.2025 4

TOTAL

56

ICC	Season 2025/26	
Date	08/12/2025	
Club Name	Rathdowney	
Entry	Tag Number	Tag Colour
1	3	White
2	4	White
3	6	White
4	7	White
5	8	White
6	11	White
7	13	White
8	15	White
9	16	White
10	17	White
11	18	White
12	19	White
13	22	White
14	26	White
15	27	White
16	29	White
17	30	White
18	31	White
19	32	White
20	34	White
21	35	White
22	36	White
23	37	White
24	38	White
25	39	White
26	40	White
27	41	White
28	43	White
29	44	White
30	45	White
31	46	White
32	47	White
33	48	White
34	51	White
35	52	White
36	53	White
37	54	White
38	55	White
39	56	White
40	58	White
41	60	White
42	61	White
43	62	White
44	63	White
45	64	White

46	65	White
47	66	White
48	68	White
49	70	White
50	71	White
51	72	White
52	73	White
53	75	White
54	80	White
55	81	White
56	82	White

# Hare Release Form - ( 2025 / 26 Season )

**This form to be submitted by Control Steward to Irish Coursing Club  
once all hares have been released**

Name of Club:

[illegible]

Name of persons that witnessed release

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_  
3. \_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_

Name of WLR present for release [REDACTED]

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ (Control Steward)

**The same numbers of hares must be released back into the wild at the same locations from which such numbers were captured, unless otherwise agreed beforehand with the relevant National Parks & Wildlife Service staff.**

Coursing - Data Report 2025 / 26 season						THIS INFORMATION IS REQUIRED BY THE N.P.W.S.				
CLUB: <u>KATHDOWNEY - BORRIS IN OSSERY</u>						Date: <u>13 12<sup>th</sup> 13<sup>th</sup> 14<sup>th</sup></u>				
Column Name		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
Event Start Date		Total Hares each day	Total Competitive Courses Run or Total Trials Run each day	Total Courses for Reserves Run each day	Total Hares Pinned * <small>Please include Tag Numbers</small>	Total Hares Examined by Vet (see Section 3 Vet Form) <small>Please include Tag Numbers</small>	Total Hares <u>Confirmed Injured</u> by Vet (see Section 4 Vet Form) <small>Please include Tag Numbers</small>	Total Hares <u>Euthanized</u> by Vet <small>Please include Tag Numbers</small>	Total Hares which <u>Died</u> from Injuries <small>Please include Tag Numbers</small>	Total Hares <u>Died</u> from Natural Causes (Excl G & H) <small>Please include Tag Numbers</small>
Day	Date									
T										
1	12.12.25	56	46	3	1 (80)	1 (80)	0	0	0	0
2	13.12.25	56	46	2	1 (35)	1 (35)	0	0	0	0
3	14.12.25	54	44	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals										

A. Did any Hares escape? If so, please state how many and their Tag Numbers

B. Are all Hares accounted for? (escaped or otherwise) YES / NO

C. Please state if leverets present YES / NO

D. Did Vet certify hares fit to course each day? YES / NO

\*Hares held by muzzled greyhound(s) retrieved by hare steward and examined by Vet.

J. <u>Hare Release Information</u> (Full details must also be entered on new Hare Release Form)			
Day	Date	Number of Hares Released	If hares are released prior to conclusion of the meeting, please show Tag numbers of hares released and state reason for early release in the boxes below (including pregnant hares).
T			
1			
2	13.12.25	2	<span style="background-color: black; color: black;">[REDACTED]</span> 3pm
3			
		Number of Hares euthanized or found deceased from natural causes on day of release (if different from coursing day) Please include Tag Numbers	
Release Day	15.12.25	54	
Total			

Control Steward: [REDACTED]

Signature: [REDACTED]

To be completed by Veterinary Surgeon only

THIS FORM IS REQUIRED BY NPWS

Name of Club RATHDOWNNEY / BORMIS IN OSSORY  
Date(s) 12, 13, 14 DECEMBER

	Trials	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Release if Different
Section 1. - Number of hares each day?	—	56	56	54	54
Section 2. - Did you certify hares fit to course? (Yes or No)	—	yes	yes	yes	
Section 3. - Number of hares identified as pregnant? (Give Tag Number(s))	—	—	—	—	—
Section 4. - Number of hares <u>examined</u> ? (Give Tag Number(s))	—	<sup>1</sup> tag (80)	<sup>1</sup> tag (35)	—	—
Section 5. - Number of hares <u>confirmed</u> injured? (Give Tag Number(s))	—	0	0	0	0
Section 6. - Number of hares <u>euthanised</u> ? (Give Tag Number(s))	—	0	0	0	0
Section 7. - Number of hares <u>died</u> from <u>injuries</u> ? (Give Tag Number(s)) (not including hares euthanised)	—	0	0	0	0
Section 8. - Number of hares <u>died</u> from <u>natural causes</u> ? (Give Tag Number(s)) (not including hares euthanised or which died from injuries)	—	0	0	0	0

Signed by Vet [Redacted] (Vet stamp)

Print Name [Redacted]

Address [Redacted]

Contact No: [Redacted]

Date 15-12-25

Additional information including details of treatment administered to hares shown under Section 3 and/or Section 4 (include tag numbers):

This must be submitted to Mr. D. J. Histon, Secretary, Irish Coursing Club, Davis Road, Clonmel, Co. Tipperary within 7 days of your meeting taking place.



## Report on Coursing Meeting held at Rathdowney, Co. Laois

Date(s) 12, 13 & 14 Dec 2025

N.B. Please fill in each daily line.

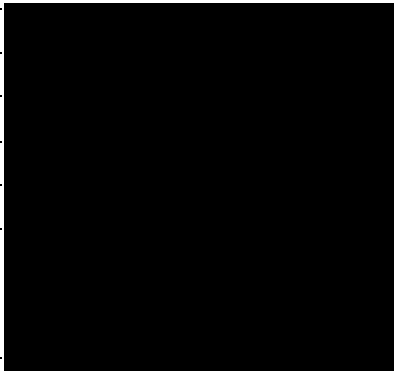
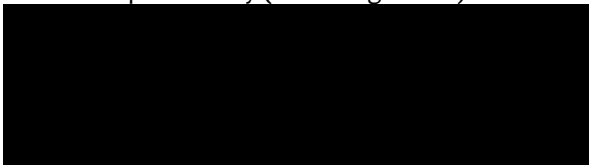
A	B	C	D	E				F		G		H		I		J		K	
Day	Date	Total hares at start of each day	No. of courses run (incl. Reserves)	No. of hares H(hit)/ P(pinned <sup>1</sup> ) by dog(s) (Including Tag Numbers)				No. of hares examined for injuries by Vet (including Tag Number)	No. of hares confirmed injured by Vet (including Tag Number)	No. of hares euthanised by Vet (including Tag Number)	No. of hares which died from injuries (including Tag Number)	No. of hares that died from natural causes <sup>2</sup> (including Tag Number)	No. of hares found dead in Hare Park the morning after day of coursing (incl. Tag Number)						
				H		P													
				No. Hares	Tag No.	No. Hares	Tag No.	No. Hares	Tag No.	No. Hares	Tag No.	No. Hares	Tag No.	No. Hares	Tag No.	No. Hares	Tag No.	No. Hares	Tag No.
Trial																			
1	12/12/25	56	49			1	80	1	80	0		0		0		0		0	
2	13/12/25	56	48			1	35	1	35	0		0		0		0		0	
3	14/12/25	54	44			0		0		0		0		0		0		0	
Totals					N/A		N/A		N/A		N/A		N/A		N/A		N/A		N/A

### Day of Release

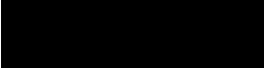



Number of hares euthanised or found deceased from natural causes on day of release, if different from Coursing Day (including Tag Number(s))	0

<sup>1</sup> - A pin is recorded as a hare coming in contact with muzzled greyhound(s) and is held

<sup>2</sup> - Not including hares euthanised or which died as a result of injuries

Hare Release Data				
Date of release	No. of hares released	Number of hares released, location & time of release		
13/12/25	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>		<u>15.00</u>
15/12/25	<u>13</u>	<u>13</u>		<u>13.30</u>
	<u>8</u>	<u>8</u>		
	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>		
	<u>10</u>	<u>10</u>		
	<u>4</u>	<u>4</u>		<u>16.00</u>
	<u>7</u>	<u>7</u>		
	<u>7</u>	<u>7</u>		
Release supervised by (NPWS Signature): 				

**General Comments:**

- (1) Were hares coursed more than once on any day? [ ☐ ] Yes [ ☒ ] No
- (2) Was there a veterinary presence in the running of the event? [ ☒ ] Yes [ ☐ ] No
- (3) Did the vet certify the hares fit for coursing? (Please speak to Vet in advance of meeting starting) [ ☒ ] Yes [ ☐ ] No
- (4) Was Coursing Park in good condition and escapes adequate? [ ☒ ] Yes [ ☐ ] No
- (5) Were all dogs muzzled? [ ☒ ] Yes [ ☐ ] No
- (6) Were all hares tagged at start of meeting? [ ☒ ] Yes [ ☐ ] No
- (7) Control Steward: Name:  Contact Number:   
Veterinary Inspector: Name:  Contact Number: 
- (8) Were hares found dead in the hare park submitted to Regional Veterinary Lab for post mortem? [ ☐ ] Yes [ ☐ ] No [ ☒ ] N/A



(9) Were the same number of hares released as far as possible in the same location that they were captured? [ ✓ ] Yes [ ] No

Signed:



Date: 15/12/2025