

Sioe Frenhinol Cymru
Royal Welsh Show

24 - 27 Gorffennaf / July 2023

Atodlen a Rheolau
Ffariaeth
Schedule and Regulations
Farriery
Online Entries

If you entered at the 2022 Royal Welsh Show please log in using the link below,
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If this is the first time for you to compete or you competed PRIOR TO 2022

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Pafiliwn Ffariaeth & Haearnwaith
Farriery / Blacksmiths Pavilion

Ceisiadau Olaf

Closing date for entries

16 Mehefin / June 2023

Cyflwyno Gwobrau

Presentation of Awards

Fairery Competitions: - Presentation of awards will take place on the stand on Wednesday at 6.30pm for all classes.

Beirniad

Judge

Fairery Competitions: -

Russel Jones & Anthony Wilson

Alex Mercer - Best Shod Hunter (Monday)

Ian Schofield - Best Shod Shire (Thursday)

Manylion Cyswllt

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CYSTADLAETHAU PEDOLI CEFFYLAU A GWNEUD PEDOLAU **HORSE SHOING AND SHOE MAKING COMPETITIONS**

Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday -24, 25 & 26 July 2023

SWYDDOGION YR ADRAN - SECTION OFFICIALS

Cyfarwyddwr Cynorthwyol Anrhydeddus — Assistant Honorary Director

Mr Stephen K Pugh

Uwch Stiward — Senior Steward

Mr Elgan Rees Harries

Stiwardiaid — Stewards

Mr Daniel Thomas

Mr Terence Anthony

Mr Robert Duggan

Mr Nick Youngman

Mr Matthew Rees

Mr Dean Hogan

Mr Gareth Thomas

Mr Steve Glover

Mr Craig Issac

Mr Wayne Preece

Stiward Canlyniadau/Sgoriwr Results/Score Steward

Mr Richard Jones

Sylwebydd — Commentator

Mr Craig Williams

Gwesteiriwraig Beirniaid a Stiwardiaid — Judges/Stewards Hostess

Russel Jones & Anthony Wilson

Alex Mercer - Best Shod Hunter

Ian Schofield - Best Shod Shire (Thursday)

Cystadlaethau y Ceffyl wedi ei Bedoli Orau & Y Ceffyl Gwedd wedi ei Bedoli Orau Best Shod Horse

Competition & Best Shod Shire Competition

Stiward — Steward - Mr Cemaes Evans

Gof ar Ddyletswydd — Duty Farrier

Mr Daniel Thomas

Gof Cynorthwyol Ar Ddyletswydd — Assistant Duty Farrier

Mr Terence Anthony

RHAGLEN DIGWYDDIADAU - PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

The Society reserves the right to make alterations to the time and order as may be necessary.

DYDD LLUN • MONDAY

8.00am	-----	Best Shod Horse Competition — Hunters Riding
8.30am	Class 1	Open Shoemaking
2.00pm	Class 2	Apprentices- Mixed Open Class (years 1/2/3/4 – marked on individual years)
6.00pm	Class 1	Presentation of Awards

DYDD MAWRTH • TUESDAY

8.30am	Class 3	Hunter Shoeing Pairs
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DYDD MERCHER • WEDNESDAY

8.30am	Class 4	Ride and Drive Roadster - Pairs
1.00pm		
6.00pm	Class 3 & 4	Presentation of Awards
7.45pm	-----	Presentation to Champion Welsh Farriery in Main Ring

DYDD IAU • THURSDAY

9.30am		Best Shod Shire Competition
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CYDNABYDDIAETHAU - ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The Society acknowledges with grateful thanks the assistance and support given to the Farriery, Ornamental & Wrought Ironwork Sections by the following and any others that might support nearer the event: -

Stromsholm Limited

Wood Court, Chesney Wold, Bleak Hall, Milton Keynes, MK6 1 NE. Tel: - 01908 233 909

Heart of Wales Riding School

Tyddu, Dolau, Llandrindod Wells, Powys LD1 5TB. Tel: - 01597 851 884

Bryngwyn Riding Centre

The Old Rectory, Bryngwyn, Newchurch, Kington, Herefordshire HR5 3QN. Tel: - 01497 851 669

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Herefordshire College of Technology - The Centre for Rural Crafts

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The Worshipful Company of Farriers

Awards Secretary — Betty Peacock E-mail — bm.peacock@btinternet.com

British Farriers & Blacksmiths Association

The Forge, Avenue B, 10th Street, Stoneleigh Park, Warwickshire, CV8 2LG. Tel: - 02476 696 595

Eastlake & Beachell Ltd, Insurance Brokers & Financial Advisors

The Crescent, King Street, Leicester, LE1 6RX. Tel:- 0116 254 4277

The Worshipful Company of Blacksmiths & National Blacksmith Competition Committee

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The Worshipful Company of Blacksmiths

The Clerk- Ms Jill Moffatt, 9 Little Trinity Lane, London, EC4V 2AD

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Radnor Hills Mineral Water Company Limited

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Mr Huw Dyer AWCF

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Mr Jim Blurton — Farriery Tools Limited

Rose Hill, Kingswood, Forden, Welshpool, Powys, SY21 8TR. Tel: - 01938 580 222

Mustad Hoofcare SA & Silverback Chaps

Mr Danny Elliott, C/o South Gable, Underhill, Glaisdale, North Yorkshire, YO21 2PJ. Tel: - 07961 039023

Handmade Shoes (UK) Ltd

Handmade Shoes (UK) Limited, Units 3-4 Williams Court, Pitstone Green Business Centre, Pitstone, Leighton Buzzard, LU7 9GJ

AMODAU YMGEISIO: - CYSTADLAETHAU PEDOLI CEFFYLAU A GWNEUD PEDOLAU
CONDITIONS OF ENTRY: - HORSE SHOING AND SHOE MAKING COMPETITIONS

1. All competitors (except apprentices) must be registered under the Farriers (Registration) Act 2017
2. Time allowed is stated in each class.
3. All shoes will be available to view prior to the competition on the Forge & Farrier website www.forgeandfarrier.co.uk.
4. The number of entries will be limited to 24 in some of the classes. Entries will be accepted in the order received.
5. Competitors must bring their own tools and provide their own striker. Please state the name of the striker on entry form.
6. Forges, anvils, irons, nails and fuel/gas will be provided by the Society. All shoes must be made out of iron supplied by the Society. Anyone touching their shoes/feet after the bell has rung will be disqualified. Shoes should be laid on the anvil. The holes in the anvils are 1 inch square.
7. No striker will be allowed on the shoeing floor except by the special permission of the stewards. Any competitor infringing this rule will be liable to disqualification.
8. No oil or grease to be used on foot or shoe. Any competitor infringing this rule will be penalised.
9. Competitors must accept the foot allocated to them by the Society's Stewards.
10. Competitors will be required to agree their starting and finishing times with the Stewards.
11. Competitors must be ready to start when called upon by the stewards or they will be liable to disqualification.
12. The Stewards will announce total time allowed in each class.
13. Competitors who exceed the time limits will be penalised by half a point for every minute over the time.
14. No entry will be accepted without accompanying fee.
15. The decision of the Judges will be final.
16. Please note that all completed work in the above Competitions at the Show is the property of the Royal Welsh Agricultural Society Limited. No viewing of the feet will be allowed until they have been judged.
17. **Smoking is prohibited in the building.**
18. **Competitors must supply and wear his/her own Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) on the shoeing floor e.g., eye protection, footwear, apron and ear protectors.**
19. Competitors will be notified of individual times for competing which will be strictly adhered to.
20. The Royal Welsh Agricultural Society is committed to protecting your personal data and processing it only in accordance with legal requirements. For more details you should request a copy of our GRPR Policy. We process your personal data as it is necessary for the performance of our contract with you to facilitate your entry to the Show. We will not transfer your data outside of the EEA (European Economic Area) and will not share your data with third parties except for affiliated Societies to whom we may submit entries and results to be checked for validity and eligibility based on their legitimate interests. Results will also be circulated with members of the press and published on our website. We retain your data in accordance with our retention schedule to simplify future applications. You have various rights in the data we hold including rectification and objecting to processing.
21. Prizes will be awarded or withheld at the discretion of the judges whose decision is final. Prize money will be paid via BACS after the Show.
22. Protests - Any protest must be made in writing and handed into the Senior Steward before 5pm on the day of the competition, together with a deposit of £25 which will be returned if the protest is upheld. The decision of the Competitions Sub-Committee shall be final.
23. The Society reserves the sole right to nominate person(s) to conduct interviews with the media. Permission must be sought from the Society if any camera crews wish to accompany an exhibitor during the event.

DOSBARTHIAU - CLASSES
DYDD LLUN 24 GORFENNAF - MONDAY 24 JULY

DOSBARTH - CLASS 1
GWNEUD PEDOLAU (AGORED)
SHOE MAKING (OPEN)

To commence at 8.30am.

Open to registered Farriers only.

- 1 Concave hunter hind from 12 ½ " x 1" x ½ " flat bar steel
- 1 Fully fullered front from 12 ½ " x ¾ " x 7/16"
- 1 Plain stamped cob shoe from 11 ½ " x ¾ " x ½ "

All Shoes Clipped. Time : 1 hour. Judge to specify front or hind **Entry Fee: £25.00 (inclusive of VAT)**

GWOBRAU - PRIZES: 1st £50; 2nd £30; 3rd £20; 4th £10

There will be Special Prizes of Farriery Tools for the 1st, 2nd and 3rd prize winners to the value of £40, £30 and £20, donated by Mr James Blurton. Mustad Hoofcare SA will also give 1st, 2nd and 3rd prize winners a rasp each. A Special Prize will be donated to the winner kindly donated by Handmade Shoes Ltd - TBC. 1st – 4th prize cards and rosettes will be awarded.

Points awarded to the winners will count towards the Championship.

THE NUMBER OF ENTRIES WILL BE LIMITED TO 24 ON A FIRST COME BASIS.

DOSBARTH - CLASS 2

To commence at 2.00 pm.

GWNEUD ESGIDIAU - Prentisiaid 1af, 2il, 3ydd a 4edd BLWYDDYN CYMYSG -(Blwyddyn 1af ac 2il a 3ydd a 4edd flwyddyn yn cael eu barnu ar wahân)

SHOE MAKING - 1st, 2nd, 3rd & 4th YEAR APPRENTICES MIXED- (1st & 2nd Year and 3rd & 4th Year judged separately)

- 1 traditional plain stamped driving shoe (front) 12 ½ " x 1" x ½ flat
- 1 concave hunter shoe from 12 ½ " x ¾ " x 7/16 " - Judge to specify front or hind

All Shoes Clipped. Time: 50 Minutes. **Entry Fee: £10.00 (inclusive of VAT)**

GWOBRAU - PRIZES: 1st £40; 2nd £25; 3rd £20; 4th £15

There will be Special Prizes of Farriery Tools for the 1st, 2nd and 3rd prize winners to the value of £40, £30 and £20, donated by Mr James Blurton. Mustad Hoofcare SA will give 1st, 2nd and 3rd prize winners a rasp each. A Special Prize will be donated to the winner kindly donated by Handmade Shoes Ltd - TBC. 1st - 4th Prize cards and rosettes will be awarded.

THE NUMBER OF ENTRIES WILL BE LIMITED TO 24 ON A FIRST COME BASIS

DYDD MAWRTH 25 GORFFENNAF - TUESDAY 25 JULY

DOSBARTH - CLASS 3

**PEDOLI TRADDODIADOL CEFFYLAU HELA AGORED
OPEN TRADITIONAL HUNTER SHOEING PAIRS**

Open to registered Farriers only.

To commence at 8.30AM.

One open competitor and one restricted competitor (restricted not to have been placed in last 5 years in any open competition) to shoe a front and hind . Concave hunter front and concave caulkin and wedge hind.

All Shoes Clipped. Time : 75 Minutes.

Entry Fee: £25.00 (inclusive of VAT)

GWOBRAU - PRIZES: 1st £100; 2nd £50; 3rd £40; 4th £30

There will be Special Prizes of Farriery Tools for the 1st, 2nd and 3rd prize winners to the value of £40, £30 and £20, donated by Mr James Blurton. Also, a special prize of a Farriery tool to the value of £40 will be given to the best specimen shoe donated by Mr James Blurton. Mustad Hoofcare SA will give 1st, 2nd and 3rd prize winners a rasp each. 1st — 4th Prize cards and rosettes will be awarded.

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Points awarded to the winners will count towards the Championship.

THE NUMBER OF ENTRIES WILL BE LIMITED TO 12 PAIRS ON A FIRST COME BASIS.

DYDD MERCHER 26 GORFFENNAF - WEDNESDAY 26 JULY

DOSBARTH - CLASS 4

**RIDE A GYRRU PARAU FFYRDD
RIDE AND DRIVE ROADSTER PAIRS**

Open to registered Farriers only.

To commence at 8.30am.

One open competitor and one restricted competitor (restricted not to have been placed in last 5 years in any open competition) to shoe a front and hind. ¾ fullered front and plain stamp caulkin and wedge hind.

All Shoes Clipped. Time : 75 minutes.

Entry Fee: £35.00 (inclusive of VAT)

GWOBRAU - PRIZES: 1st £150; 2nd £80; 3rd £60; 4th £40

Competitors will be notified of competing times, which will be strictly adhered to.

There will be Special Prizes of Farriery tools for the 1st, 2nd and 3rd prizes winners to the value of £40, £30 and £20, donated by Mr James Blurton. Mustad Hoofcare SA will also give 1st, 2nd and 3rd prize winners a rasp each. Silverback Chaps will donate a prize voucher to the winner. 1st — 4th Prize cards and rosettes will be awarded.

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Points awarded to the winners will count towards the Championship.

NOTE: CLASS 6 WILL BE CANCELLED IF THERE ARE LESS THAN 4 ENTRIES.

THE NUMBER OF ENTRIES WILL BE LIMITED TO 12 PAIRS ON A FIRST COME BASIS.

CYSTADLEUAETH Y CEFFYL WEDI EI BEDOLI ORAU - CEFFYLAU HELA I'W MARCHOGAETH BEST SHOD HORSE COMPETITION - HUNTERS RIDING

BEIRNIAD - JUDGE

Mr Alex Mercer, Corner Forge Cottage, 4 Hall Lane, Brandon, Grantham NG32 2AS

To be judged at approximately 8.00am, Monday 24th July.

The presentation to be made the same time as the Hunters Riding Section.

For the best shod horse in the Hunters Riding section.

The judge will examine each horse before or during the line-up for judging, taking into consideration: -

- a) Condition of feet
- b) The making or preparation, and fitting of the shoes (c) Nailing and position of clips.

Normal shoes and showing plates are equally acceptable, provided they are suitable for the horse.

GWOBRAU - PRIZES:

SPECIAL - ARBENNIG S. 158 - *WORSHIPFUL COMPANY OF FARRIERS ROSETTE AND ENSCRIBED CARD For the best shod horse in each class. (Classes 150 — 154).

SPECIAL - ARBENNIG S. 159 WORSHIPFUL COMPANY OF FARRIERS BRASS PLAQUE For the overall best shod horse. (Special 158)

SPECIAL - ARBENNIG S. 160 - *WORSHIPFUL COMPANY OF FARRIERS AWARD

For the registered farrier responsible for the best shod horse. (Special 159)

The WCF will forward the award to the farrier after the Show

THE WORSHIPFUL COMPANY OF FARRIERS



The Worshipful Company of Farriers makes Best Shod Horse and Farriery Awards in order to promote, support and maintain the highest standards of excellence in Farriery.

Registered Farriers who are awarded the Company's Medals have attained the very high standard demanded by the Company.

The Company is grateful to **THE ROYAL WELSH AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY** for supporting these aims.

CYSTADLEUAETH Y CEFFYL GWEDD WEDI EI BEDOLI ORAU BEST SHOD SHIRE COMPETITION

The Society acknowledges with thanks the donation of a £50 voucher for the winner of this section by
Mr Huw Dyer AWCF, The Forge, Londonderry, Northallerton, North Yorkshire, DL7 9NE

BEIRNIAD - JUDGE

Mr Ian Schofield, Ford Farm, Llancafán CF62 3AG

To be judged at approximately 9.30am, Thursday 27th July.

Entry into this competition is optional.

This competition will be run concurrently with the judging of the In-Hand Shire Horses. The judge will examine each horse before or during the line-up for preliminary judging taking into consideration:-

- a) Condition of feet
- b) The making or preparation, and fitting of the shoes (c) Nailing and position of clips.

Normal shoes and showing plates are equally acceptable, provided they are suitable for the horse.

GWOBRAU - PRIZES:

SPECIAL - ARBENNIG S. 309 - RWAS SPECIAL ROSETTE - For the exhibitor of the best shod shire

SPECIAL - ARBENNIG S. 310 - RWAS SPECIAL ROSETTE - For the registered farrier responsible for the best shod Shire.

(All cups, trophies and awards which are not the responsibility of the Society are marked*.

Non-Society cups, trophies and awards will no longer have the winner's name engraved on by the Society. It will be the responsibility of the winner to carry out any necessary engraving.)

THOSE PERSONS REQUIRING FURTHER DETAILS FOR THE ABOVE BEST-SHOD COMPETITIONS PLEASE REQUEST A LIVESTOCK SCHEDULE.

GWOBRAU ARBENNIG - SPECIAL AWARDS

THE MUSTAD PERPETUAL CHALLENGE CUP

kindly presented by the Mustad Manufacturing Company for the winner of the Open Traditional Hunter Shoeing Class.

THE COOKE'S CUP

kindly presented by Messrs. William Cooke & Co, Tinsley Works, Sheffield for the winner in the Open Ride and Drive Class.

WELSH CHAMPIONSHIP AWARD

for the Pair of Competitors gaining the highest aggregate number of points in Classes 3 and 4.

THE MRS. E.E. MORRIS MEMORIAL CUP

kindly presented by Mr. E.E. Morris, FWCF.

THE WORSHIPFUL COMPANY OF FARRIERS

makes awards to promote, support and maintain the highest standards of excellence in Farriery. Farriers who are awarded medals have reached this very high standard. If the required standard is reached judges may award medals in the following classes:

Silver Medal— Overall performance in Classes 1 ,2, 4 & 6 and the RWAS Championship Rosette. Open to all 1, 3 & 4.

Bronze Medal— Class 1

Apprentice Bronze Medal— Class 2

RWAS SPECIAL PRIZE CARD AND CERTIFICATE

will be awarded to the Best Dressed Foot over two classes (3 & 4).



BRITISH FARRIERS & BLACKSMITHS ASSOCIATION "awards medals to promote and encourage competitions in farriery, concurrently assessing the farriery competitors' skills on forging and horseshoeing against the highest standards, impelling them to be triumphant over fellow competitors whilst striving to attain a "perfect score", thereby promoting excellence in farriery whilst maintaining a spirit of good sportsmanship and friendly competition".

SILVER MEDAL – for the winners of the above special prize.

BRONZE MEDAL – to the runners up.

There must be a minimum of 6 competitors in the class before the Silver and Bronze Medals are awarded.

CHALLENGE TANKARD

kindly presented by Mr. Stephen K. Pugh, to be awarded to the winner of Apprentice Class.

ST. MELLONS OPEN HORSE SHOING CHALLENGE CUP

kindly presented to the RWAS by the South Wales Branch of The National Association of Farriers Blacksmiths and Agricultural Engineers' for the winner of Class 1.

£50 VOUCHER- kindly donated by Mr Huw Dyer AWCF, The Forge, Londonderry, North Yorkshire, DL7 9NE for winner of the Best Shod Shire Competition.

£100 VOUCHER- kindly donated by Eastlake & Beachell Insurance Brokers & Financial Advisors for winner of Class 1.

50% DISCOUNT VOUCHER – kindly donated by Silverback Chaps for the Winner of Class 1.

Challenge Cups and Trophies — PLEASE NOTE: - Challenge Cups and Trophies are permanently housed in a purpose made Trophy Room situated in the Clwyd Glamorgan Hall. The winner of each Challenge Cup and Trophy will be awarded an Official RWAS Memento as a keepsake; their name will also be engraved on the Challenge Cups and Trophies. All cups, trophies and awards which are not the responsibility of the Society are marked with a*.

ENTER ONLINE

Please follow the instructions below on how to enter.

Visit the rwas.wales website > Royal Welsh Show > Competitions > ENTER NOW and register or click on the link below to directly register:

<https://enrolment.engage-powered.com/rwas/signup/?e=26&siteid=NONLS>

Please note that after completing your initial registration you will receive an email from the Royal Welsh Events team. If you don't receive the email after 10 minutes, please check your junk/spam mail.

In the email you will receive a link, username and password to log into your account to enter and pay for the classes you wish to enter.

Please click GO TO and then double click on the Farriery/Ornamental Competitions, please select the class you wish to enter and press submit, please repeat the process for each class you wish to enter and then go to the basket to check out and pay.

If you are having trouble with entering online, please contact Charlotte Porter on 01982553683 or email charlottep@rwas.co.uk who will be able to help you.

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