

2024 AGRICULTURE SECTION SHOW SCHEDULE

ON

SATURDAY 10th AUGUST 2024

AT

CHEPSTOW RACECOURSE (NP16 6BE)

SHOW CLASSES
LIVESTOCK, WOOL, GRAIN &
FODDER

CHEPSTOW SHOW AGRICULTURE SECTION

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HOLDING NUMBER OF THE SHOW 60/041/8003

TO ALL EXHIBITORS AND SHOW STEWARDS HEALTH AND SAFETY STANDARDS AT SHOWS

ANIMALS

- Separate walkways must be provided for any animals being moved through areas used by the public.
- Collecting rings should not be overcrowded.
- Minimum stress should be put on animals in lines or when being moved or judged.
- Animals should not have to stand waiting for entrance into collection rings or for a parade where they are in close proximity to large crowds of the public.
- Stock lines must be as close as possible to the judging rings or parade area.
- Bulls should be in the custody of an adult under the guidelines of the HSE Booklet GS36 viz. sections 12-19 and 47-56; organisers and stewards should familiarise themselves with these sections.
- Bulls in the Grand Parade must have two adult handlers leading them.
- Temporary crossing barriers manned by stewards must be used for movement of stock to separate them from the public.
- Fractious animals should be separately penned and, if necessary, withdrawn from judging.
- Children should only be allowed to handle animals with supervision of adults, except in specific classes.
- Dogs should be kept away from animals as far as possible and, in any case,
 MUST be kept on alead.

RELEVANT BIO SECURITY RULES CURRENTLY IN FORCE MUST BE STRICTLY OBSERVED AT ALL TIMES

N.B. Public Health and Safety is under the jurisdiction of the Health and Safety Executive South Wales. Animal Welfare, Machinery, Fixtures and Fittings and Children's Amusements etc - Environmental Health Officer, Monmouthshire County Council.

AGRICULTURE SECTION

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SHOW CLASSES

CATTLE SECTION

CHIEF STEWARD:

ENTRY FEES for CATTLE CLASSES

C. A. S. Members: £8 per entry Non-members: £10 per entry

JUDGING: With the exception of Butchers' Cattle, all Cattles Classes will be judged in a Cattle Ring (adjacent to the Cattle Stalls) or in the Main Ring.

PRIZE MONEY: Prize money (to be paid in cash on Show Day)

1-6 entries per Class 1st - £25 2nd - £15 3rd - £10

Prize money for Pairs 1st - £10 2nd - £5 3rd - £2

RULES OF THE SHOW

- 1. All cattle to be at the show ready for the commencement of judging at 10.00am.
- 2. All cattle to be stalled by 8:30am. Cattle may arrive from 6pm Friday with prior arrangement.
- 3. All cattle to be led.
- 4. The committee reserves the right to refuse any entries.
- 5. The committee reserves the right to cancel a class if there are insufficient entries.
- 6. Championship classes only the champion of each breed to be presented.
- 7. All complaints to be made before 5pm on day of show to the Agriculture Section Secretary.

MILKING FACILITIES

It is intended to provide a generator; exhibitors will need to bring their own milking machines.

CATTLE IDENTIFICATION (WALES) REGULATIONS 2007

All cattle born on or after 1 July 1996 may only be moved if accompanied by a properly completed cattle passport; this includes movement to and from shows. The cattle passport must remain on the showground for the duration of the animal's stay. This is the responsibility of the keeper of the animals. For any movement to a show, the owner of an animal must complete the "sellers" part of the passport in the normal way; details of the show should then be entered in the relevant "market" box by the keeper of the animal. Movement from the show back to the holding should then be recorded in the "buyers" part of the document by the keeper of the animal. Bar code labels recording movement to the show will be supplied to all exhibitors; please contact the Agriculture Secretary or Chief Steward on the day.



BEEF BREEDING SECTION

CATTLE ENTERED IN BEEF BREEDING CLASSES CANNOT BE ENTERED IN BUTCHERS' CATTLE CLASSES

BRITISH NATIVE BREEDS

- 1 Calf, Male or Female born after 1st January 2024
- **2** Cow in Calf or with Calf at foot
- **3** Heifer, any age, not having calved by Show Day.
- **4** Bull of any age.
- 5 Pair of animals, both of which to be entered in the classes 1-4.

Champion Rosette & Reserve Champion Rosette

CONTINENTAL BREEDS (PURE OR HALFBRED)

- 6 Calf, Male or female born after 1st January 2024
- **7** Cow in calf or with calf at foot.
- **8** Heifer, any age, not having calved by Show Day.
- **9** Bull of any age.
- **10** Pair of animals, both of which to be entered in the classes 6-9

Champion Rosette & Reserve Champion Rosette

BUTCHERS' CATTLE

Judge:

BUTCHERS' CATTLE CANNOT BE ENTERED INT THE BEEF BREEDING CLASSES NB: JUDGING TO TAKE PLACE WITHIN STALLING PENS IF NECESSARY

- 11 Pair of Butchers' Cattle (steers, heifers or combination).
- **12** Butchers' Steer.
- **13** Butchers' Heifer.

Champion Rosette & Reserve Champion Rosette £50 prize money to be awarded to Champion Butchers' Beast in Classes 12 & 13 The Arthur S. Griffiths Cup for best Butchers' Beast in Class 12/13



DEXTERSJudge:

ALL ANIMALS TO BE FULL PEDIGREE

- **14** Cow or Heifer in milk.
- **15** Dry Cow or Heifer in calf.
- 16 Heifer under 2 years of age on Show Day, and not having calved.
- **17** Bull of any age.
- Pair of Dexters, any age. (All animals to be the property of exhibitor and to have been entered in one of Classes 14 18).

Champion Rosette & Reserve Champion Rosette

Anchor Cup for Champion Dexter in Classes 14 - 18 inclusive.

E. Tye Cup for best Heifer under 2 years old (Class 16) entered in the *Wales & Border Counties Regional Dexter Championship. (*Wales and Border Counties Regional Dexter Championship is open to any animal of either sex, the property of one exhibitor living in Wales or the border counties of Avon, Gloucestershire, Cheshire or Shropshire).

BEEF CHAMPIONSHIP

To be judged by Committee of all Judges in the Beef Section

- 19 INTERBREED Pair
- 20 INTERBREED Individual

Supreme Champion Rosette & Reserve Supreme Champion Rosette
The Gillwood Cup for the SUPREME CHAMPION animal from the
Beef Breeding, Butchers' Cattle and Dexters in Classes 1-18.

The Gwyn Morgan Perpetual Challenge Cup for the Supreme Beef Breeding Animal in Classes 1-9. The D.O. Lidell Perpetual Silver Challenge Cup for the best Breeding Beef Heifer in Classes 3 & 8.



DAIRY SECTION

DAIRY CATTLE

Judge:

ANY BREED EXCEPT DEXTERS

- 21 Calf Born after 1st January 2024
- 22 Heifer under 19 months of age on Show Day.
- **23** Heifer in calf.
- 24 Dry Cow, any age, due to calve within 3 months of the Show.
- **25** Heifer in milk under 3 years of age.
- 26 Cow in milk (classes split into Senior & Junior Cows if entries are sufficient).
- **27** Best Pair of Females.

Jack Heath Perpetual Challenge Cup kindly donated by Mrs J. Heath for best Heifer in Class 22. 'Bill' Edwards Perpetual Challenge Cup kindly donated by Mrs K.E. Edwards for best Cow in Class 23. Lydney Farmers Perpetual Challenge Cup for best Pair of Females in Class 27.

DAIRY CHAMPIONSHIP

Supreme Champion Rosette & & Reserve Supreme Champion Rosette
Stanley Perpetual Silver Challenge Bowl kindly presented by the late Col. D.R. Stanley
to be awarded for Champion Dairy Animal in the Show in Classes 21 - 26.

J.E. Price Perpetual Challenge Cup for best Holstein Friesian in Classes 21-26.



YOUNG CATTLE HANDLERS

No entry fee Judges:

JUDGING WILL COMMENCE APPROX 12 NOON

JUNIOR - Open to any child 11 years of age or under on Show Day. Competitor to lead a calf under 12 months old; calf may be male or female of any breed or crossbreed. Handler to be unaccompanied, except in case of emergency.

(THE AGE OF THE HANDLER WILL BE TAKEN INTO ACCOUNT).

Chepstow Y.F.C. Cup for Best Junior Leader in Class 28.

SENIOR - Open to any young person aged between 11 - 17 years on Show Day. Animal of any breed, age or gender.

Home Farm Cup presented by the Richardson Family for Best Senior Leader in Class 29.

SHEEP SECTION

CHIEF STEWARD:

ENTRY FEES for SHEEP CLASSES

C. A. S. Members: £3 per entry

*Non-members: £5 per entry (*Membership application form is enclosed)

PRIZE MONEY: For classes 28-86 (to be paid in cash on Show Day)

1-6 entries per Class $1st - £15 \qquad 2nd - £10 \qquad 3rd - £5$ Group of 3 classes $1st - £5 \qquad 2nd - £3 \qquad 3rd - £2$

MAEDI VISNA (MV) ACCREDITED FLOCKS SCHEME

It is most important that exhibitors make quite clear on their entry forms, by ticking the correct box, whether they are MV Accredited. i.e. a fully accredited M.V. Accredited sheep must be accompanied by a MV/CAE HSR Certificate. This is very necessary to enable us to provide the correct penning and show facility. Members of this scheme will be aware of the regulations regarding coming into contact with non-accredited sheep, and the quarantine regulations thereafter.

RULES OF THE SHOW

- 1. All sheep to be penned by 9:30am ready for the commencement of judging at 10.00am.
- 2. All exhibits in Classes 70 & 71 must be shown untrimmed.
- 3. Sheep can only be exhibited in one section.
- 4. The Committee reserves the right to refuse any entries.
- 5. No straw to be used in the sheep pens.
- 6. Entries in the Commercial Sheep classes will be judged in pens; Judge may ask for rams to be led out of the pen.
- 7. It is the responsibility of the Exhibitor to present their sheep to the Judge at the correct time, particularly penned sheep.
- 8. Championship Class only the Champion of each breed section to be presented for the Sheep Championship.
- 9. Complaints must be made before 5pm on Show Day to the Agriculture Section Secretary.



ANY BREED WITHIN THE OPEN/MIXED BREED SECTIONS WITH 3 OR MORE EXHIBITORS MAY BE SPLIT INTO THEIR OWN CLASSES.

CONTINENTAL BREEDS

Judge:

- **30** Ram, one year old orover.
- 31 Ram Lamb.
- **32** Breeding Ewe, one year old or over.
- 33 Ewe Lamb.
- **34** Group of Three to include one of either gender.

Champion Rosette & Reserve Champion Rosette

Hendre Perpetual Challenge Cup for best Continental Sheep in Classes 30--34.

Charles Wright Memorial Salver for Champion Texel in Classes 30-34.

JACOB SHEEP (UNDER JACOBSOCIETY RULES)

Judge:

- 35 Ram, one year old orover.
- 36 Ram Lamb.
- **37** Breeding Ewe, two years old or over.
- **38** Shearling Ewe.
- 39 Ewe Lamb.
- **40** Group of Three to include one of either gender.

Champion Rosette & Reserve Champion Rosette K.G. Morgan Cup for best Jacob Sheep in Classes 35-39 inclusive.

BALWEN WELSH MOUNTAIN

Judge:

- **41** Ram, 2 shear or over.
- 42 Shearling Ram
- 43 Ram Lamb.
- **44** Breeding Ewe, 2 shear or over to have raised a lamb in 2024.
- **45** Shearling Ewe
- 46 Ewe Lamb.
- **47** Group of Three to include one of either gender.

Champion Rosette & Reserve Champion Rosette





BADGER FACE WELSH MOUNTAIN

Judge:

- 48 Ram, one year old orover.
- 49 Ram Lamb.
- **50** Breeding Ewe, one year old or over.
- **51** Ewe Lamb.
- **52** Group of Three to include one of either gender.

Champion Rosette & Reserve Champion Rosette

BLACK WELSH MOUNTAIN

Judge:

- **53** Ram, one year old orover.
- **54** Ram Lamb.
- **55** Breeding Ewe, one year old or over.
- 56 Ewe Lamb.
- **57** Group of Three to include one of either gender.

Champion Rosette & Reserve Champion Rosette

RARE BREEDS

Judge:

RESTRICTED TO BREEDS LISTED BY RARE BREEDS SURVIVAL TRUST GROUPS Priority & At Risk

Champion Rosette & Reserve Champion Rosette

- 58 Ram one year old orover.
- **59** Ram Lamb.
- **60** Ewe one year old orover.
- 61 Ewe Lamb.
- **62** Group of Three sheep to include one of either gender.

Champion Rosette & Reserve Champion Rosette

R. Astle Cup for best Rare Breed Sheep in Show in Classes 56-60.

Cotswold Farm Park Perpetual Challenge Trophy kindly donated by the Cotswold Farm Park for Champion Rare Breed Longwool Sheep

Miller Price Perpetual Trophy for best primitive sheep in the Rare Breed Sheep Classes 5861 Franmar Perpetual Trophy for exhibitor residing in the NP postcode who gains the highest points in Rare Breeds Classes 58-61.





OPEN

ANY OTHER BREED NOT INCLUDED ELSEWHERE

Judge:

63 Ram, one year old or over.

64 Ram Lamb.

- **65** Breeding Ewe, one year old or over.
- 66 Ewe Lamb.
- **67** Group of 3 to include one of either gender

Champion Rosette & Reserve Champion Rosette
Trevor Evans Cup for best Suffolk Sheep in Classes 63-66

SHEEP INTERBREED CHAMPIONSHIP

Supreme Champion Rosette & & Reserve Supreme Champion Rosette
Brian Papps Perpetual Salver for Champion Sheep in Classes
A.W. Stone Perpetual Challenge Cup to be awarded to the Exhibitor gaining
highest number of points in the Sheep and Lamb Classes

COMMERCIAL SHEEP

Judge:

- **68** Ram, any breed or crossbreed.
- **69** Ram Lamb, any breed or crossbreed.
- **70** Pair of Ewes, one year old or over, any breed or crossbreed.
- **71** Pair of Breeding Ewe Lambs, any breed or crossbreed.

Champion Rosette & Reserve Champion Rosett

BUTCHERS' LAMBS to be shown untrimmed Judge:

- **72** Pair of Butchers' Lambs, under 36 kg average liveweight.
- **73** Pair of Butchers' Lambs, 36 kg or over average liveweight.

CHAMPION ROSETTE & RESERVE CHAMPION ROSETTE £50 PRIZE MONEY TO BE AWARDED TO CHAMPION BUTCHERS' LAMBS K.G. MORGAN CUP FOR CHAMPION PEN OF FAT LAMBS.



YOUNG SHEEP HANDLERS

Judges:

JUDGING WILL COMMENCE APPROX 1PM

JUNIOR Open to any child 11 years of age or under on Show Day. Competitor to parade with sheep appropriate for the age of the handler. At the Judges' discretion, very young exhibitors may show an older sheep. Handler to be unaccompanied except in case of emergency. (THE AGE OF THE HANDLER WILL BE TAKEN INTO ACCOUNT).

JEAN PAPPS CUP FOR BEST PET LAMB AND HANDLER

SENIOR Open to any young person aged between 11 - 17 years on Show Day. Sheep of any breed, age orgender.

FLEECE COMPETITION

Judge:

Entry Fee: £3 Free for Members

Fleeces to be staged by 10am.

Rules:

- It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to ensure they enter the correct class (breed to be stated on entry form)
- All fleeces to be labelled with class entered and breed or cross & exhibitor name.
- All fleeces should be rolled and secured by neck wool.
- Fleeces that are artificially coloured or stained or fastened with twine will be eliminated.
- The judges decision is final.

Prize Money 1^{st} £8 2^{nd} - £5 3^{rd} - £3

- 76 Hill & Mountain eg. Cheviot, Exmoor Horn, Welsh Mountain, Kerry Hill, Llanwenog, Badger face etc
- 77 Medium/Extra fine/Fine eq: Charollais, Clun, Merino, Lleyn, Ryeland, Suffolk etc.
- **78** Naturally Coloured *eg: Jacob, zwartbles, Black Welsh Mountain etc*
- 79 Cross & Lustre eg: Devon & Cornwall, Greyface, Whitefaced Dartmoor, Leicester, Teeswater etc





FODDER AND GRAIN

Judge:

Entry Fee: £3 Free for Members

All exhibits to be staged by 10am.

Prize Money 1^{st} £8 2^{nd} - £5 3^{rd} - £3

80 Sample of Meadow Hay

81 2 Storks of Maize

82 Sample of Oats

83 Sample of Barley

84 Sample of Winter Wheat

85 Tallest Thistle

86 Largest Dock leaf (one leaf required)



