CHEPSTOW AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY



2025 AGRICULTURE SECTION SHOW SCHEDULE

SATURDAY 9th AUGUST 2025 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 over crowded.
- 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 the 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- Fractious animals should be separately penned and, if necessary, withdrawn from judging.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 the 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 a lead.

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

CHAIR: VICE-CHAIR: CHIEF STEWARD: Kevin Rees Davies - Tel: 07403 770469 Christopher Waters - Tel: 07920 842 910 Kay Richardson - Tel: 07773 421 391

Registered Charity No. 516919

SHOW CLASSES

CATTLE SECTION

It is with regret that due to a shortage of volunteers and dwindling Cattle numbers we as a Section have made the difficult decision to not run Cattle Classes at the 2025 show.

We will review this decision on an annual basis.

We would like to thank all who have exhibited previously.



YOUNG CATTLE HANDLERS

No entry fee

Judges: TBC

JUDGING WILL COMMENCE APPROX 12 NOON

28 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 cross-breed. 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.

29 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

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 28-75 (to be paid in o	cash on Show Da	ay)
1-6 entries per Class	1st - £15	2nd - £10	3rd - £5
Group of 3 classes	1st - £5	2nd - £3	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: Mr. Gwyn Jones

- **30** Ram, one year old or over.
- 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)

- **35** Ram, one year old or over.
- 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: Mr. Paul Wozencraft

Judge: Mr. Mike Bundy

- 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

- 48 Ram, one year old or over.
- 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

- **53** Ram, one year old or over.
- 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: Mr. Josua Brigg

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

Champion Rosette & Reserve Champion Rosette

- 58 Ram one year old or over.
- 59 Ram Lamb.
- 60 Ewe one year old or over.
- 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 58-61 Franmar Perpetual Trophy for exhibitor residing in the NP postcode who gains the highest points in Rare Breeds Classes 58-62.



Judge: Miss Ellie Layton

Judge: Mr. Stephen Forsyth



ANY OTHER BREED NOT INCLUDED ELSEWHERE

Judge: Mr. Stephen Forsyth

- 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: Mr. Rob Edwards

- **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 untrimmedJudge: Mr. Gwyn Jones72Pair of Butchers' Lambs, under 36 kg average liveweight.

73 Pair of Butchers' Lambs, 36 kg or over average liveweight.

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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.

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YOUNG SHEEP HANDLERS

Judge: Miss Ellie Layton

JUDGING WILL COMMENCE APPROX 1PM and not before.
74 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

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

FLEECE COMPETITION

Judge: Mrs. Hilary Bond-Harding

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 1st £8 2nd - £5 3rd - £3

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



FODDER AND GRAIN

Entry Fee: £3 Free for Members

Judge: TBC

All exhibits to be staged by 10am.

Prize Money 1st £8 2nd - £5 3rd - £3

- **80** Sample of Meadow Hay
- 81 2 Storks of Maize
- 82 Sample of Oats
- 83 Sample of Barley
- 84 Sample of Wheat
- **85** Tallest Thistle
- 86 Largest Dock leaf (one leaf required)
- 87 Best Bramble



CHEPSTOW SHOW FARM COMPETITIONS

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MEMBERSHIP-Vice President (Two adults, dedicated parking, members' tent) £50.00 Member (One adult, members' tent) £20.00 Family (Two adults, two children 5-17 years, members' tent) £40.00 OR

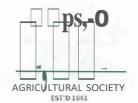
DONATION ENTRY £5.00

TOTAL

Cheques pa1yable to Chepstow Agricultural Socie1y

Bacs Details Please use surname and farm as reference Barclays Bank Chepstow Agricultural Society sort code 20-60-58 Ace number 70929603.





CHEPSTOW SHOW FARM COMPETITIONS 2025

Please Return by April 2025

Please tick classes of interest

LEYS	any age ley, grazed	
LEYS	short-term ley, any age, ungrazed	
LEYS	long-term ley, ungrazed	
DAIRY	small dairy herd, under 120 cows	
DAIRY	large dairy herd, over 120 cows	
DAIRY	dairy herd, in-calf heifers	
DAIRY	dairy cow - black & white	
DAIRY	dairy cow - any other breed	
DAIRY	dairy heifer-in-milk - any breed	
BEEF	beef store cattle, no fewer than 10	
BEEF	fat cattle, no fewer than 10	
BEEF	suckler herd, with calves at foot	
BEEF	stock bull	
SHEEP	flock of pedigree sheep	
SHEEP!	fl'ock of commercial sheep	
CROPS	oil seed rape, minimum 5 acres	
CROPS	winter barley, minimum 5 acres	
CROPS	wheat, minimum 5acres	
CROPS	spring barley, minimum 5 acres	
CROPS	oats, minimum 5 acres	
CROPS	standing maize, minimum 5 acres	
CROPS	roots (forage rape, kale, swede, turnip, fodder beet etc.)	
BALES	hay, any bale size	
BALES	silage, any bale size	
BALES	haylage, any bale size	
CLAMP	grass silage in a clamp	
CLAMP	maize silage in a clamp	

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