

RULES

1. Entry forms, accompanied by entrance fees made payable to The Gower Agricultural Society, must be returned to the Honey Show Secretary:
**BY NO LATER THAN SATURDAY 6th AUGUST 2011.
NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER THIS DATE.**
2. It is expected that the tent should be ready to accept entries for staging by 1pm (approx.) on Saturday 6th August. All exhibits to be staged by 2.30am. Judging to commence 3.00pm.
3. Every entry must bear a numbered label supplied by the Secretary. On every Shallow Comb, label to be attached at top right hand corner. On every jar of Honey and every bottle of mead, metheglin or melomel, number must be affixed about 12mm from bottom of the bottle or jar. Cakes of wax must have label fixed on the underside. In classes 15, 22 & 23 the label should be fixed to the plate supplied.
4. Extracted honey must be exhibited in 454g jars, screw or twist top.
5. Meads, metheglin and melomel to be shown in clear glass bottles, 70/75cl approx., with white flanged stoppers.
6. Mead, metheglin and melomel labels to be plain white supplied by Show Secretary, written in block capital letters. NO other labels will be allowed.
7. Cakes and Beeswax must be displayed on disposable plates, supplied by the Senior Steward. ie. for Classes 15, 22 & 23.
8. Exhibitors may enter more than one exhibit in a class, but no single exhibit may be shown in more than one class and an exhibitor shall not be entitled to more than one award in any class.
9. The Judge reserves the right to withhold prizes in case of insufficient merit. Decision of the judge is final.
10. Exhibitors only may bring honey for sale on a sale or return basis (max. 22.5kg), an approved commission being charged. Honey to be sold only by stewards appointed by committee. Any deemed to be sub-standard will be rejected. The honey offered for sale must conform to existing regulations.

HONEY PRESENTED FOR SALE MUST BE FITTED WITH TAMPER EVIDENT SEALS.

11. All objections to be made in writing to the Secretary before 4.00pm on the day of the show, with a deposit £4 which will be forfeited if the Committee declares the objection frivolous.
12. The Committee will not be responsible for any loss or damage done before, during or after the Show.
13. No exhibit may be removed before 5.00pm (except with the permission of the Chief Steward). Any person found interfering with the exhibits will be liable to expulsion and the forfeiture of any prize won.
14. No person shall be allowed in the Marquee during the time of judging, except those officially engaged.
15. Senior Steward and the Judge's Steward are not allowed to exhibit.
16. Entries must be produced by the exhibitors, except that wax used in Class 3, also honey used in Baking, Preserves and Meads etc., need not be the produce of exhibitors.
17. Prize money to be paid on Show day.
18. Special awards listed to be held for one year only.
19. Payment for honey sold under Rule 10 will be made within 30 days of the Show date.



GowerShow 2011

Penrice Castle Park, Reynoldston, Gower
Sunday 7th August 2011

HONEY SECTION

ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED UP TO 1.00pm SATURDAY 6th AUGUST 2011.

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TROPHIES WILL BE PRESENTED ON SUNDAY 7th AUGUST 2011 at 4.30pm.

SPECIAL AWARDS (to be held for one year only)

1. **DOROTHEA DANIEL-JENKINS CHALLENGE CUP** will be awarded to the exhibitor with the highest aggregate points in Classes 6 - 10 inclusive.
2. **SWANSEA AND DISTRICT BKS SHIELD** will be awarded to the exhibitor with the highest aggregate points in Classes 22 and 23.
3. **RHYD SERTH APIARIES TROPHY** will be awarded to the exhibitor winning first prize in Class 5.
4. **TOM DAVIES TROPHY** will be awarded to the exhibitor with the highest aggregate points in Classes 18 - 21.
5. **Dr. HUDSON'S TROPHY** will awarded to the best exhibit in Show.
6. **PRESIDENT'S CUP** to be awarded to the winner in Class 1.
7. **THE JOHN JAMES MEMORIAL CUP** to be awarded to the winner of Class 3.
8. **EDMUND AND MARY COOKE CUP** awarded to the winner of Class 18.

Points awarded as follows:
1st - 4 points, 2nd - 3 points and 3rd - 2 points

