

Penrice Castle Park, Reynoldston Gower SA3 1LA

CROPS AND LEYS

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GOWER AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY 2023

FIELD CROPS SECTION

Kindly sponsored by Mr Christopher Beynon & Mr Ellis Davies

HARVESTED CROPS AND ROOTS COMPETITION

Prize Money: 1st - £3 (3pts), 2nd - £2 (2pts), 3rd - £1 (1pt)

Entry Fee: Free Judging: 10.00am on Show Day

JUDGES:

Mr John Thomas, Gileston Farm, Vale of Glamorgan, & Mr Lyndon Joseph, Mount Pleasant Farm, Bridgend.

| | Class | Description | Class | Description | |
|--|-------|-----------------------------|-------|--|--|
| | 1 | Best Bale of Meadow Hay | 17 | Heaviest Fodder Beet | |
| | 2 | Best Bale of Seed Hay | 18 | Best Sheaf of Spring Wheat | |
| | 3 | Best Sample of Meadow Hay | | (an award will also be given to the Best Presented Sheaf in this class) | |
| | 4 | Best Sample of Seed Hay | 19 | Best Sheaf of Winter Wheat | |
| | 5 | Best Sample of Clamp Silage | | (an award will also be given to the Best | |
| | 6 | Best Sample of Bale Silage | 20 | Presented Sheaf in this class) | |
| | 7 | Best Cabbage (3) | 20 | Best Sheaf of Spring Oats (an award will also be given to the Best | |
| | 8 | Best Potatoes (6) | | Presented Sheaf in this class) | |
| | 9 | Best Beetroot (6) | 21 | Best Sheaf of Winter Oats | |
| | 10 | Best Market Swede (6) | | (an award will also be given to the Be Presented Sheaf in this class) | |
| | 11 | Best Stock Swede (6) | 22 | Best Sheaf of Spring Barley (an | |
| | 12 | Best Fodder Beet (6) | | award will also be given to the Best Presented Sheaf in this class) | |
| | 13 | Best Plants of Maize (3) | 23 | Best Sheaf of Winter Barley (an | |
| | 14 | Best collection (any 4 from | 23 | award will also be given to the Best Presented Sheaf in this class) | |
| | | classes 1- 13 & 18 - 23) | | | |
| | 15 | Heaviest Potato | | Overall Best Presented Sheaf - an award will be given to the Overall Best | |
| | 16 | Heaviest Swede | | Presented Sheaf from classes 18 – 23. | |

The **GEORGE TUCKER MEMORIAL TROPHY** will be award to the competitor gaining the most points in the harvested field crops section exhibited on Show Day (Overall Best Presented Sheaf and Best Presented Sheaves are not included in the points total.)

The winner of the Overall Best Presented Sheaf of corn will receive a prize of £20.00, kindly donated by MR ROBERT SYMONDS.

NOTICE TO ALL EXHIBITORS

- Stewards will accept entries between 8.00am and 9.30am on morning of the show. Exhibit numbers to be collected from steward and clearly displayed.
- Prize money for the Harvested Crops & Roots section will be available at midday on Show Day to be claimed from the Steward at the Roots section. If not collected, it will be considered as a donation to the Show.
- 3. Presentation of cups/awards will take place in the Horticultural Tent at 4.30pm

Details & Entry Forms contact:

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STANDING CEREAL CROPS COMPETITION

JUDGE: Mr John Thomas, Gileston Farm, Vale of Glamorgan.

| Class | Description | Class | Description |
|-------|--------------|-------|---------------|
| 1 | Winter Oats | 5 | Winter Barley |
| 2 | Spring Oats | 6 | Spring Barley |
| 3 | Winter Wheat | 7 | Wholecrop |
| 4 | Spring Wheat | | |

GRASSLAND/LEY COMPETITION

JUDGE: Mr Lyndon Joseph, Mount Pleasant Farm, Bridgend

| Class | Description | Class | Description | Class | Description |
|-------|-------------|-------|-------------|-------|--|
| 1 | New Ley | 2 | Permanent | 3 | Permanent grassland |
| | | | grassland | | first year of sowing |

The **GOWER FIELD CROPS SHIELD** will be awarded to the exhibitor gaining the most points in the Field Crops. Cereal and Grassland/Lev competitions.

The **GORDON GRIFFITHS BURSARY** will be awarded to the young farmer (under 40 years of age) who controls the day to day running of the farm and who, in the opinion of the judges, has excelled in the growing crops and roots classes.

NB: The winner of the 2022 bursary will not be eligible for the award again this year.

NOTICE TO ALL EXHIBITORS

- 1. Points will be awarded as follows 1st 3pts, 2nd 2pts, 3rd 1pt
- 2. The points will NOT be carried forward to the Harvested Crops competition.
- 3. Presentation of cups/awards will take place in the Horticultural Tent at 4.30pm

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