

GOWER AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

SUNDAY 3rd August 2025

Penrice Castle Park, Reynoldston Gower SA3 1LA



LIVESTOCK

ENTRIES CLOSE FRIDAY 4TH JULY 2025

SHOWGROUND HOLDING

NO: 59/152/8002

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JUDGES

CLASS	JUDGE
WELSH BLACK	ALUN RICHARDS, CWM CELYNEM, PUMPSAINT
HEREFORD	BRYN MORGAN, CASTELLAUMAWR ,WHITLAND
BEEF CATTLE BRITISH	BRYN MORGAN, CASTELLAUMAWR ,WHITLAND
BEEF CATTLE CONTINENTAL	DYLAN JAMES , 6 LLYS Y NANT KINGS ROAD, LLANDYBIE
PAIR CLASS	ALUN RICHARDS, CWM CELYNEM, PUMPSAINT
COMMERCIAL CATTLE	BERTIE DAVIES, TYLLWYD, DRYSLWYN
DAIRY CATTLE	MR DEWI EVANS TYDDYN Y FFRWD, ANGLESEY
YOUNG HANDLERS	MRS JAMES, PENTYWHEEL ,LLANDOVERY
SUCKLER HERD COMPETITION	DYLAN JAMES 6 LLYS Y NANT KINGS ROAD, LLANDYBIE
CATTLE SUPREME CHAMPION	MR JOHN JAMES, PENTYWHEEL, LLANDOVERY
SUFFOLKS	MR GAVIN REES, YNYSAU GANOL, LALNWRDA
RYELANDS	TBA
WELSH MULE & HALF BREED	MR CHRIS EDWARD, PWLLYWRACH FARM, COLWINSTON,COWBRIDGE
ANY OTHER X BREED	KATE HOVER ,CWMHYDFER ,TRECASTLE
TEXELS	MR OWEN WILLIAMS ,LLANGWN HAVERFORDWEST
CHAROLLAIS	MR DEWI EVANS TYDDYN Y FFRWD, ANGLESEY

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WELSH MOUNTAIN	MRS DAVIES, ABERGORLECH, CARMARTHENSHIRE
ANY OTHER HILL BREED	ELVET JONES ,CWMHYDFER ,TRECASTLE
COLOURED SHEEP	MR HOWELLS BRYNCYNAN FARM, MAESTEG
YOUNG HANDLERS	TBC
BUTCHERS LAMBS	ALUN RICHARDS, CWM CELYNEM, PUMPSAINT
SUPREME CHAMPION / GROUP 3	MR NEIL JONES TYMAWR, GARTH
PIGS	CHERRY DAVIES, TYLLWYD, DRYSLWYN

NOTICE TO ALL EXHIBITORS

1. Please be aware of necessary licences/passports required for movement of livestock.
2. Only vehicles carrying/towing livestock will be permitted entry to the livestock area.

TRADE EXHIBITORS

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THE JNO OLIVER WATKINS PERPETUAL CHALLENGE TROPHY

Best Agricultural Horticultural Stand

THE GOWER AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY CUP

Best Trade Stand

NOTICE TO ALL EXHIBITORS

WINNERS TO HOLD TROPHIES FOR ONE YEAR ONLY. ALL PRIZE CUPS MUST BE HANDED IN PRIOR TO THE COMMENCEMENT OF JUDGING FOR PRESENTATION AFTER EACH CLASS.

(In person or with proof of posting please)

Judging to commence at 10.00am. There will be a 15 minute warning before your class/section.

If you are not in the ring on time, judging WILL commence without you.

Please be aware of any licence requirements for the movement of livestock.

Entries & Fees to be paid by Monday 28th JULY 2025

either by post to Sian Tucker,

cheque payable to The Gower Agricultural Society

OR by Bank Transfer

Payee: Gower Agricultural Society

Sort code: 404331 A/c no: 44029399 using ref:

Entrant's Name & 'LIVESTOCK'

CATTLE

Class	Entry Fee		1st	2nd	3rd
WELSH BLACK CATTLE					
1	£3	Bull over 12 months	£20	£10	£6
2	£3	Cow or Heifer in calf or with calf at foot	£20	£10	£6
3	£3	Maiden Heifer born after 1st March 2024	£15	£8	£4
4	£3	Calf not exceeding 12 months	£15	£8	£4
CHAMPIONSHIP: Breos Perpetual Challenge Cup & Glyn Jones Qualifier Rosette					
Best Welsh Black Exhibit (Presented by S.I. & L.J. Evans)					

Class	Entry Fee		1st	2nd	3rd
HEREFORD CATTLE					
Hereford Cattle may compete in the following classes provided they are entered in the herd book or any other registers maintained by the Hereford Society.					
5	£3	Bull born before January 2024	£20	£10	£6
<i>Class 6 kindly sponsored by The Granary, Scurlage</i>					
6	£3	Bull born after January 2024	£20	£10	£6
7	£3	Cow in milk or in calf	£20	£10	£6
8	£3	Heifer not exceeding 24 months	£15	£8	£4
9	£3	Calf not exceeding 12 months	£15	£8	£4
CHAMPIONSHIP: The Faraam Challenge Cup & Hereford Cattle Society Special Championship Rosette					

BEEF CATTLE - BRITISH

(Excluding Hereford and Welsh Blacks) *Section kindly sponsored by Mr J Husband, John F Harvey, Chartered Accountants, Swansea.*

10	£3	Bull over 12 months	£20	£10	£6
11	£3	Cow or Heifer in milk or in calf	£20	£10	£6
12	£3	Heifer not exceeding 24 months	£15	£8	£4
13	£3	Calf not exceeding 12 months	£15	£8	£4
CHAMPIONSHIP: Hamilton W Crawford Challenge Cup					
Best British Beef Cattle Exhibit (Excluding Welsh Blacks and Hereford)					

BEEF CATTLE - CONTINENTAL

Section kindly sponsored by the late Mrs M Harries and family, Kilvrough Farm, Parkmill.

14	£3	Bull over 12 months	£20	£10	£6
15	£3	Cow in milk or in calf	£20	£10	£6

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16	£3	Heifer in milk or in calf over 24 months	£15	£8	£4
17	£3	Heifer not exceeding 24 months	£15	£8	£4
18	£3	Calf not exceeding 12 months	£15	£8	£4

CHAMPIONSHIP: The Lemuel Harries Memorial Trophy

Class	Entry Fee		1st	2nd	3rd
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PAIR CLASS

19	£3	Pair of Cattle, the property of the exhibitor (OPEN TO ALL BEEF BREEDS)	£15	£8	£4
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CHAMPIONSHIP: W D Beynon Cup

COMMERCIAL CATTLE

Section kindly sponsored by Mr Lyn Jones, Brooklands Farm, Pembrey.

20	£3	Heifer any age	£15	£8	£4
21	£3	Steer any age	£15	£8	£4
22	£3	Cow or Heifer, in milk or calf	£15	£8	£4
23	£3	Suckler Cow and Calf (to be judged in res)	£20	£10	£6

CHAMPIONSHIP: Andrew Evans Perpetual Challenge Trophy

DAIRY CATTLE

24	£3	Cow in milk	£20	£10	£6
25	£3	Cow in calf - to calve not later than 3 months after the Show	£20	£10	£6
26	£3	Heifer in milk	£20	£10	£6
27	£3	Heifer not in milk	£15	£8	£4
28	£3	Pair of Cattle	£15	£8	£4

CHAMPIONSHIP: C C Vivian Cup Best Female Dairy Animal CHAMPIONSHIP: George Richards Perpetual Memorial Trophy Best Pair of Dairy Cattle

YOUNG HANDLERS COMPETITION

Any animal to be shown excluding bulls

29		Handler to be under 12 years of age	£15	£8	£4
30		Handler to be aged between 12 and 18 years of age	£15	£8	£4

Show Directors Cups Awarded to the Best Junior Handler from each class

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THE PRESIDENT'S CUP & £50 SUPREME CHAMPION CATTLE SECTION



THE LADY BLYTHESWOOD PERPETUAL MEMORIAL TROPHY

Awarded to the exhibitor from the City & County of Swansea gaining most points in the Cattle Section.

No animal will be eligible to qualify for points in more than one class. Points

will be awarded as follows: - **1st - 3pts** **2nd - 2pts** **3rd -1 pts**

SHEEP

THIS SECTION WILL BE JUDGED IN THE SHOW RING. **MV AND NON-MV SHEEP MUST NOT BE TRANSPORTED TO THE SHOW TOGETHER. IF THIS IS FOUND TO HAVE OCCURRED THE SHEEP CANNOT BE UNLOADED AND DEFINITELY NOT ALLOWED TO COMPETE AT THE SHOW**

NOTICE TO ALL EXHIBITORS

1. Exhibitors requiring M.V. accredited pens, please state CLEARLY on your entry form.
2. Only vehicles carrying/towing livestock will be permitted entry to the livestock area.
3. Animals to compete in one class only, except in young handler, group classes & Championships
4. All sheep entry changes must be with Secretary 2 days prior to the Show.

Class	Entry Fee		1st	2nd	3rd
SUFFOLK					
31	£3	Ram, one year old or over	£12	£8	£5
32	£3	Ram lamb	£12	£8	£5
33	£3	Single ewe, any age	£12	£8	£5
34	£3	Single ewe lamb	£12	£8	£5
35	FREE	Group of three consisting of two females and one male from same exhibitor	£12	£8	£5
CHAMPIONSHIP: The Len Jeffreys Perpetual Memorial Trophy					
RYELANDS (PEDIGREE WHITE)					
36	£3	Ram, one year old or over	£12	£8	£5
37	£3	Ram lamb	£12	£8	£5
38	£3	Single ewe, any age	£12	£8	£5
39	£3	Single ewe lamb	£12	£8	£5
40	FREE	Group of three consisting of two females and one male from same exhibitor	£12	£8	£5
CHAMPIONSHIP: The Gower Agricultural Rosette & Ryelands Society Champions Rosette Trophy. The Abraham Jones Memorial Shield.					
WELSH MULE & WELSH HALF BREEDS					
41	£3	Ewe with lamb	£12	£8	£5
42	£3	Single Ewe any age (Not to be entered in class 41)	£12	£8	£5
43	£3	Single ewe lamb	£12	£8	£5
44	£3	Group of 3 consisting of 3 females from same exhibitors	£12	£8	£5
CHAMPIONSHIP: The Gower Agricultural Perpetual Trophy					
ANY OTHER BREED/CROSS BREED (CONTINENTAL OR BRITISH LOWLAND)					
45	£3	Ram, one year old or over	£12	£8	£5
46	£3	Ram lamb	£12	£8	£5
47	£3	Single ewe, any age	£12	£8	£5
48	£3	Single ewe lamb	£12	£8	£5
49	FREE	group of three consisting of two females and one male from same exhibitor	£12	£8	£5
CHAMPIONSHIP: Lowland Champion Cup					

Class	Entry Fee		1st	2nd	3rd
TEXELS					
50	£3	Ram, one year old or over	£12	£8	£5
51	£3	Ram lamb	£12	£8	£5
52	£3	Single shearling ewe	£12	£8	£5
53	£3	Single ewe, 2yrs old or over	£12	£8	£5
54	£3	Single ewe lamb	£12	£8	£5
55	FREE	Group of three consisting of two females and one male from same exhibitor	£12	£8	£5

CHAMPIONSHIP: The Texel Society Rosette & The Scurlage Castle Cup

Presented in memory of Mr Emrys Evans (Scurlage Castle Farm) to the best exhibit in Texel section.

CHAROLLAIS					
56	£3	Ram, one year old or over	£12	£8	£5
57	£3	Ram lamb	£12	£8	£5
58	£3	Single ewe, any age	£12	£8	£5
59	£3	Single Yearling Ewe	£12	£8	£5
60	£3	Single ewe lamb	£12	£8	£5
61	FREE	Group of three consisting of two females and one male from same exhibitor	£12	£8	£5

CHAMPIONSHIP: The Admiral Silver Perpetual Challenge Cup

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62	£3	Aged ram	£12	£8	£5
63	£3	Yearling ram	£12	£8	£5
64	£3	Ram lamb	£12	£8	£5
65	£3	Aged ewe	£12	£8	£5
66	£3	Yearling ewe	£12	£8	£5
67	£3	Ewe lamb	£12	£8	£5
68	FREE	Group of three consisting of two females and one male from same exhibitor	£12	£8	£5
CHAMPIONSHIP: The Welsh Mountain (Reg) Cup					

68A	FREE	The Welsh Mountain Sheep Society Special class for Young Members of the Pedigree Welsh Mountain Sheep Society. Under 16 years of age. (Points go towards the 'Champion Young Handler' of the year)	£12	£8	£5
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Class	Entry Fee	ANY OTHER HILL BREED	1st	2nd	3rd
69	£3	Ram, one year old or over	£12	£8	£5
70	£3	Ram lamb	£12	£8	£5
71	£3	Single ewe, any age	£12	£8	£5
72	£3	Single ewe lamb	£12	£8	£5
73	FREE	Group of three consisting of two females and one male from same exhibitor	£12	£8	£5

Class	Entry Fee		1st	2nd	3rd
COLOURED SHEEP - ANY BREED BRITISH					

(NOT TO BE SHOWN IN ANY OTHER CLASSES)

74	£3	Ram, one year old or over	£12	£8	£5
75	£3	Ram lamb	£12	£8	£5
76	£3	Single ewe, any age	£12	£8	£5
77	£3	Single ewe lamb	£12	£8	£5
78	FREE	Group of three consisting of two females and one male from same exhibitor	£12	£8	£5

COLOURED SHEEP - ANY BREED CONTINENTAL

79	£3	Ram, one year old or over	£12	£8	£5
80	£3	Ram lamb	£12	£8	£5
81	£3	Single ewe, any age	£12	£8	£5
82	£3	Single ewe lamb	£12	£8	£5
83	FREE	Group of three consisting of two females and one male from the same exhibitor	£12	£8	£5

Championship - The Gower Show Coloured Sheep Champion Cup



THE NEW HOUSE CUP

FOR THE BEST GROUP OF THREE - CONSISTING OF TWO FEMALES AND ONE MALE. GROUP FROM EACH SECTION. PROPERTY OF THE SAME OWNER.

Presented in memory of the late J.M.Jones, New House Farm, Overton

SUPREME CHAMPION - THE ERNEST STEVENS CUP AND £50

OPEN TO CHAMPION AND RESERVE OF THE SHEEP SECTIONS

Kindly sponsored by The Gower Butcher, Portland Street, Swansea



THE CRAYFORD PERRY CUP

AWARDED TO THE EXHIBITOR FROM THE GOWER PARISHES GAINING MOST POINTS IN THE SHEEP SECTION



BUTCHER'S LAMBS

(LAMBS WILL BE WEIGHED ON THE MORNING OF THE SHOW)

Section kindly sponsored by Paul Tucker & Son, Penclawdd

84	£3	Pair of Butcher's Lambs - not exceeding 38 Kilos liveweight	£12	£8	£5
85	£3	Pair of Butcher's Lambs - exceeding 38 Kilos liveweight	£12	£8	£5

CHAMPIONSHIP: Glamorgan Lamb Trophy

YOUNG HANDLER'S OPEN CLASSES

Kindly sponsored by E Evans & Sons, Scurllage Castle Farm

86	£3	Handler to be under 8 years old (under 5 years old to be supervised by an adult)	£12	£8	£5
87	£3	Handler to be between 8 years and 16 years	£12	£8	£5

CHAMPIONSHIP: Gower Show Championship Trophies and Rosettes
(Championship is awarded to young handler in classes 80 & 81)

NOTICE TO ALL EXHIBITORS

1. To be judged on presentation and handling in the Ring.
2. Class 86-87 is open to residents and non-residents of Gower parishes.
3. Show Directors trophies presented to winners of classes 86-87.

PIGS

Exhibitors please note that they must obtain a licence to move pigs from their local authority.

Class	Entry Fee		1st	2nd	3rd
88	£3	Boar, any age	£12	£8	£5
89	£3	Sow, in farrow, or with litter	£12	£8	£5
90	£3	Gilt, in farrow	£12	£8	£5

COMMERCIAL PIGS

91	£3	Pig, suitable for bacon trade Weight exceeding 85 kilos	£12	£8	£5
92	£3	Pig, suitable for porktrade Weight not exceeding 67 kilos	£12	£8	£5

(No animal to compete in more than one class)

**PIGS SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP: The George Lewis
Memorial Cup plus £50 - Best Pig in Show**

The D Austin Jones Perpetual Memorial Trophy:

To the exhibitor gaining most points in the Pig Section

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JOHN PRITCHARD MEMORIAL BURSARY

Mr John Pritchard was a most active member and Director of the Gower Agricultural Society, holding the position of Show Director until he died in 1989. In his memory the Society introduced the John Pritchard Memorial Bursary, awarded to a young person to further their education in agriculture.

The bursary will be awarded again this year to a young person(s) or group (aged under 26 years) involved in agriculture locally to assist in furthering their education in agriculture or horticulture. This may include such activities as attending college, training courses, skills days or funding tutoring, competitions or YFC events.

Further details and application forms available from:
John Furneaux (Show Director) 01792 390754

CONDITIONS OF EXHIBITION

1. All livestock must be on the showground no later than 9.00am on the morning of the show. Exhibits shall not be removed from the showground before 3pm without the permission of the Show Director or Livestock Secretary.
2. The decision of the Judges shall be final.
3. Any objection to an exhibit must be lodged with the Secretary in writing and a deposit of £10 paid within two hours of the Class being judged. The deposit of £10 will be returned if the objection is upheld, but forfeited to the Society if the objection is not sustained. The objection will be considered by the Committee.
4. If in the opinion of the judge or judges the exhibits in any class are of insufficient merit, the Committee reserves the right to withhold the whole or any part of the prize money.
5. All entries must be made in writing and submitted no later than the Friday stated in your relevant section in the schedule.
6. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse or reject any entry without stating the reason for doing so and to cancel any class or group of classes not less than three days before the date of the Show.
7. The Committee reserves to itself the right to withhold or reduce the scheduled prize money in the event of there being insufficient number of exhibitors or is so recommended by the judge.
8. Any exhibitor who does not comply with the rules of the Society or these conditions shall be debarred from exhibiting and may at the discretion of the Committee forfeit all prize money won.
9. MV and non MV sheep must not be transported to the Show in the same trailer. On arrival and before unloading in their designated area, exhibitors of MV accredited sheep must provide a current certificate of accreditation and must use the designated MV water supply at the livestock area.
10. It is the responsibility of all the owners/keepers to hand in cattle passports and movement licences on arrival to the Livestock Secretary.
11. All cattle and sheep must be properly haltered and secured to the satisfaction of the stewards. Exhibitors must not leave cattle unattended during the Show. The Society, its Officers or Stewards will not be responsible for any errors or mistakes that may occur in the placing, penning or securing of exhibits.
12. All exhibitors and their handlers in charge of stock will be subject to the orders of the stewards, and any such person disobeying such orders may be expelled from the Showground.
13. No diseased animal will be allowed to enter the Showground. The Show's appointed Vet to be the sole judge. The certificate of the Show's appointed Vet, whether as to age or soundness, shall be required only in cases where the judges are in doubt, or where the stewards consider it necessary. The decision of the Inspector in such cases, shall be final and conclusive.
14. The Society will not in any case or under any circumstances hold itself responsible for any loss, damage, misdelivery, illness or accident that may occur through or to any exhibit or person from any cause whatsoever and it shall be a condition of entry that each exhibitor shall hold the Society harmless and indemnify it against legal proceedings arising from any of the above- named circumstances.
15. No person shall enter any judging area, enclosures or tents during the time judging is proceeding, except the Secretary's Steward properly appointed to assist the judges in such areas, and the attendants in charge of the animals being judged and no person shall have communication with the judges except the Secretaries and such Stewards. All exhibitors acting in opposition to this condition shall forfeit such premiums as may be awarded to them and the Stewards shall report to the Committee any infringement of this condition.
16. A number label will be allotted by the Section Secretary to each exhibitor and such number shall be displayed when the animal is exhibited.
17. Should any question arise as to the construction or applicability of any rules of these conditions, or any other matter requiring urgent decision, on the day of the Show, the same shall be decided by the Show Director

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18. An exhibitor on winning and receiving a trophy shall sign for the trophy and be responsible for its safe keeping. The trophy must be returned to the Society (unless won outright) not later than one month before the following show. Return of the trophy should be in person or with proof of posting receipt.
19. In these rules the Committee referred to shall be the Management Committee of the Gower Show.

THIRD PARTY LIABILITY

The Society, its Officers or Servants, shall not be responsible to any person whatsoever while on the Society's premises or while entering or leaving same, for any damage or loss however caused, to the property of any such person or for any injury fatal or otherwise to any such person.

The Society, its Officers or Servants shall not be responsible for any accident, damage or loss, however caused, that may occur to any exhibitor or his servant, or to any animal, article or property, brought into the Showground, or while entering or leaving or being carried into or out of the said Showground. Each exhibitor shall be solely responsible for any loss, injury or damage that may be done to or occasioned by, or arising from any animal, article or property exhibited or brought on to the Showground by him, and he shall indemnify and hold harmless the Society from and against all actions, suits, expenses and claims on account of or in respect of any such damage or injury which may be caused or occasioned.



GOWER SHOW 2025

ENTRY CATTLE, SHEEP & PIGS

Please complete and return WITH ENTRY FEES to the Secretary, Miss Siân Tucker, The Beeches, Horton, Gower, Swansea SA3 1LB. Tel: 01792 390207 / 07812 109555
www.gowershow.co.uk

Entry fees must be received by closing date or no entry in to class.

N.B. Cattle entries - please include ear tag number.

Please tick if M.V. accredited ☐

PLEASE ENCLOSE A PHOTOCOPY OF M.V CERTIFICATE WITH ENTRY FORM

Class No.	Name and Ear Tag No.	Entry Fee

Please be aware of any licence requirements for the movement of livestock.		TOTAL

I hereby certify this entry to be correct and agree to my details appearing in the show catalogue

Name:

Address:

..... Postcode:

Telephone No: Email:..... Date:

It is the responsibility of the owner/keeper to hand in cattle passports and movement licenses on arrival to the secretary.

NO EXHIBITS TO BE REMOVED FROM THE SHOWGROUND BEFORE 3PM

**ALL PRIZE CUPS/TROPHIES MUST BE HANDED IN PRIOR TO THE COMMENCEMENT OF JUDGING
FOR PRESENTATION AFTER EACH CLASS.**

ENTRIES CLOSE FRIDAY 4th JULY 2025

NO LATE OR PHONE ENTRIES TAKEN

