

GOWER AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY



SUNDAY 3rd AUGUST 2025

Penrice Castle Park, Reynoldston Gower SA3 1LA

STICK COMPETITION

JUDGE

John Hallet

Carmarthen

Qualifier For The World

Stickmaking Championship 2025

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SCHEDULE OF CLASSES OPEN

Class

- 1 Plain Shepherds Crook – Wood
- 2 Plain Shepherds Crook – Horn
- 3 Plain Walking Stick – Wood (*40 inch max*)
- 4 Plain Walking Stick – Horn (*40 inch max*)
- 5 Plain Market Stick - Wood
- 6 Plain Market Stick- Horn
- 7 Plain Knob Handle Walking Stick – Wood
- 8 Plain Knob Handle Walking Stick - Horn
- 9 Plain Thumb Stick - wood
- 10 Plain Thumb Stick - Horn
- 11 Decorated Stick - Wood
- 12 Decorated Stick - Horn
- 13 Plain Thumb Stick – Antler
- 14 Matching Pair of Ladies & Gents Sticks
- 15 Any Stick by a Gower Resident
- 16 Any Stick by a Junior (*16 Years or under*)

NOVICE CLASSES

- 17 Any Wood Stick Made By A Novice
- 18 Any Horn Stick Made By A Novice

MAXIMUM THREE ENTRIES PER CLASS

All entries to be returned by Saturday 19th July 2025

To- Mr Geraint Davies, Maes Y Deri, Mwrwg Road, LLangennech,
Llanelli, Carmarthenshire, SA14 8YR Tel:- 01554 821003
Mob: 07817 288348

**Exhibitors will be sent a Free Entry Pass to the Show,
on Return of Their Entry Form.**



GOWER SHOW 2025

STICKMAKING COMPETITION

Sunday 3rd August 2025 at Penrice

Castle Park, Penrice Estate, Gower SA3 1LA

		No. of Entry	Official Use Only
Class 1	Plain Shepherds Crook - Wood		
Class 2	Plain Shepherds Crook - Horn		
Class 3	Plain Walking Stick – Wood (40 inch maximum)		
Class 4	Plain Walking Stick – Horn (40 inch maximum)		
Class 5	Plain Market Stick - Wood		
Class 6	Plain Market Stick - Horn		
Class 7	Plain Knob Handle Walking Stick - Wood		
Class 8	Plain Knob Handle Walking Stick - Horn		
Class 9	Plain Thumb Stick - Wood		
Class 10	Plain Thumb Stick - Horn		

Class 11	Decorated Stick - Wood		
Class 12	Decorated Stick - Horn		
Class 13	Plain Thumb Stick - Antler		
Class 14	Matching Pair Of Ladies & Gents Sticks		
Class 15	Any Stick by a Gower Resident		
Class 16	Any Stick by a Junior (16 Years or Under)		
Class 17	Any Wood Stick Made by a Novice		
Class 18	Any Horn Stick Made by a Novice		

Maximum of Three Entries per Class* Qualifier For The World Stickmaking Championship 2025

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Mwrwg Road, Llangennech, Llanelli Carms, SA14 8YR Tel 01554 821003 Mob: 07817 288348

Exhibitors Information (please complete) :-

Name:

Address:
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Postcode: Telephone No:

**Exhibitors will be sent an Entry Pass to the Show on return of this Entry Form. Sticks must be in place by 10.45am.
Judging will commence at 11am prompt. Presentations will be made at 4.30pm. Sticks can be collected after 5pm.**

COMPETITION RULES

SUNDAY 3rd August 2025

1. Entry is free, open to all comers, but limited to **THREE STICKS PER CLASS**
2. Entry form must be returned by **Saturday 19th July 2025**
3. Sticks entered, must be the work of the competitors
4. **No** sticks to be entered bearing competitors name or brand on any part of the stick
5. Walking sticks in classes 3, 4, 17 & 18 must be 40 inch or under in length, while market sticks in classes 5, 6, 17 & 18 **must** be over 40 inch
6. A stick with any kind of decoration can only be entered in Classes 11, 12, 17 & 18
7. Novice classes confined to persons who have not competed in any stick making competition before 1st January 2023
8. The stewards will have authority to decide in which class any stick should be entered
9. All entries **MUST** be in place by 10.45am
10. Judging will commence at 11am prompt
11. The judge decision is final
12. Prizes will be presented at 4.30pm
13. No stick to be removed before 5pm
14. Stewarding of sticks will be undertaken, but the organisers cannot be held responsible for any loss or damage

Vehicle parking

The Society has a responsibility to maintain the Park's high standard. Therefore, exhibitors bringing their entries on Saturday and early Sunday morning may have to park their vehicles a little further from the marquee. There will be help available from volunteers for multiple entries.

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.
