



AYRSHIRE BRANCH COMPETITION 17th, 18th & 19th MARCH 2016



JUDGES:

**Jim Balfour AWCf, Kevin Balfour DWCF,
Wayne Balfour DWCF, Lewis Balfour DWCF
Pat Balfour (Eagle Eye Judge)**

FORMAT

THURSDAY 4PM – 6PM

CLINIC WITH OUR “SHOEING JUDGES”

£20 Senior & £10 Apprentices

FRIDAY

Gas Forging Open & Apprentice

Apprentice Shoemaking. 1st & 2nd Year / 3rd & 4th Year. (Coal Forges)

Open Class (Hunter Shoeing) (Gas Forges)

SATURDAY

Gas Forging Open & Apprentice

Eagle Eye Open & Apprentice (Gas Forges)

2 Person Open Shoemaking (Coal Forges)

2 Person Apprentice Draught (Coal Forges)

Intermediate Shoeing (Hunters) (Gas Forges) (some Intermediate rounds may be held Friday)

2 Person Roadster Shoeing (Gas Forges)

SATURDAY EVENING Prize giving and Dinner Dance held at the
Menzies Hotel, Irvine.

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THE "LIBERTY NAILS" SPONSORED, APPRENTICE GAS FORGING:-

MAKE TWO SHOES. ONE ¾ FULLERED BARSHOE OUT OF ¾" x 3/8", TO MEASURE 5 ¼" x 5 ½" TO SUIT E5. ALSO MAKE ONE HUNTER HIND SIDE CLIPPED SHOE OUT OF 13 ½" 7/8" x 7/16" CONCAVE TO SUIT E5. (AS PER DRAWINGS)

NO STRIKER.

NO TOP TOOLS & NO CUTTING

TIME LIMIT - 45 MINUTES

THE "HANDMADE SHOES (UK) LTD" SPONSORED OPEN GAS FORGING:-

MAKE TWO SHOES. A HIND WITH BRAZED ON JAR CALKS AT THE HEELS, OUT OF 12" ¾ x 5/16 AND 6" OF 10mm ROUND. PLAIN STAMPED, 6 NAIL HOLES TO SUIT MUSTAD LIBERO ARC 4. ALSO, MAKE AN ITALIAN STYLE HIND SHOE WITH ITALIAN STYLE CALK & WEDGE OUT OF 11 ½" 1" x 3/8, TO BE ¾ FULLERED & SIDE CLIPPED WITH 9 NAILS TO SUIT MUSTAD LIBERO ARC 5. (DRAWINGS WILL BE POSTED ON FORGE & FARRIER)

TIME LIMIT - 45 MINUTES

HANDMADE SHOES (UK) LTD HAVE KINDLY SPONSORED JACKETS TO THE PRIZE WINNERS OF THIS CLASS.

***NOTE - APPRENTICES MAY ENTER ONLY 1 OF THE ABOVE GAS FORGING CLASSES. HOWEVER THOSE APPRENTICES ENTERING THE OPEN GAS FORGING CLASS WILL EARN NO POINTS TOWARDS THE APPRENTICE CHAMPIONSHIP.**

THE "B.L. FARRIER SUPPLIES LTD" SPONSORED, 1ST & 2ND YR APPRENTICE

CLASS:- MAKE 2 SHOES, ONE FRONT AND ONE HIND. BOTH TO HAVE UPRIGHT HEELS. FRONT TOE CLIP - 6 NAILS. HIND WITH SIDE CLIPS - 6 NAILS. FRONT 12 ½" AND HIND 12 ¼" BOTH TO BE MADE FROM ¾ x 7/16 CONCAVE STOCK.

(HAMMER CLIPPED) NO BOB PUNCHES (OPEN TO ALL UNQUALIFIED FARRIERS)
NO STRIKER. **(PLEASE NOTE COAL FORGES)**

TIME LIMIT- 40 MINUTES

THE "B.L. FARRIER SUPPLIES LTD" SPONSORED, 3RD & 4TH YR APPRENTICE

CLASS:- AS 1ST & 2ND YEAR CLASS BUT FRONT 12 ½" AND HIND 13", HIND ALSO TO BE CAULK & WEDGE. **(HAMMER CLIPPED) NO BOB PUNCHES**
NO STRIKER. TIME LIMIT – 40 MINUTES

THE "SILVERBACK CHAPS" SPONSORED, OPEN CLASS:- SHOE THE DIAGONAL FEET OF A HORSE. FRONT FEET TO HUNTER STYLE - SLOPING HEELS - FROM CONCAVE METAL. HIND FEET TO BE CAULK AND WEDGE WITH SIDE CLIPS MADE FROM MATERIAL SUITABLE FOR HORSE.

NO STRIKER.

***NOTE - ENTRIES RESTRICTED TO FIRST 42 COMPETITOR ENTRIES RECEIVED.
(PLEASE NOTE GAS FORGES)**

TIME LIMIT- 1 HOUR

THE "LIFE DATA LTD" SPONSORED, 2 PERSON ROADSTER SHOING:- SHOE A SIDE OF A HORSE. FRONT 3/4 FULLERED, TOE CLIP. HIND PLAIN STAMPED CALK AND WEDGE. TOE CLIP.
(CONTESTANTS CAN ONLY ENTER ONCE.) (FIRST 20 TEAMS ENTERED ONLY)
(PLEASE NOTE GAS FORGES)

TIME LIMIT - 1 HOUR

THE "STROMSHOLM" SPONSORED, 2 PERSON APPRENTICE DRAFT SHOEMAKING CONTEST:- MAKE 2 SHOES. FRONT 19", 3/4 FULLERED, CLIPPED. HIND 19", 3/4 FULLERED, CLIPPED. SHOES TO BE OPPOSITES. 8 NAILS TO SUIT E10.
(HAMMER CLIPPED) NO BOB PUNCHES **HOT RASPING ALLOWED**
(PLEASE NOTE COAL FIRES) - (CONTESTANTS CAN ONLY ENTER ONCE)

TIME LIMIT – 45 MINUTES

THE "MAXI HAULAGE LIMITED" SPONSORED, 2 PERSON OPEN SHOEMAKING:- TO MAKE ONE PAIR DRAFT SHOES (OPPOSITE SIDES). FRONT 3/4 FULLERED CLIPPED, 8 NAILS, TO BE MADE FROM 19" 1 1/4" X 1/2". HIND PLAIN STAMPED, TOE CLIPPED, 8 NAILS, TO BE MADE FROM 19 " 1 1/4 X 1/2". ALSO MAKE A ROADSTER CAULK AND WEDGE OUT OF 14" OF 1 1/4" x 1/2". TOE CLIPPED. (DRAWINGS WILL BE PUT ON FORGE & FARRIER)
SHOES NOT TO BE BEVELLED.
(HAMMER CLIPPED) NO BOB PUNCHES **HOT RASPING ALLOWED**
(PLEASE NOTE COAL FIRES) (CONTESTANTS CAN ONLY ENTER ONCE)
(QUALIFIED FARRIERS ONLY)

TIME LIMIT- 50 MINUTES

THE "MBM VETERINARY GROUP" SPONSORED, EAGLE EYE:- EACH COMPETITOR IS ALLOWED 10 SECONDS TO LOOK AT THE FOOT THEN IS REQUIRED TO FORGE A SHOE, OF JUDGES CHOICE. NO STRIKER.
CLASS SPLIT INTO OPEN & APPRENTICE. TIME LIMIT- T.B.C.

THE "DAVID SHEARER" SPONSORED, INTERMEDIATE SHOING:- OPEN TO THOSE FARRIERS WHO HAVE NEVER WON A 1ST OR 2ND IN A SHOING COMPETITION. TO SHOE ONE FOOT OF A HORSE HUNTER STYLE AND MAKE ONE CONCAVE CAULK & WEDGE SHOE (SPECIMEN AS PER JUDGE)
NO STRIKER. (NO POINTS AWARDED TOWARDS CHAMPIONSHIP)
(PLEASE NOTE GAS FORGES)
PLEASE NOTE - IF YOU ENTER THIS CLASS YOU CANNOT ENTER THE OPEN SHOING CLASS.

TIME LIMIT- 1 HOUR

DRAWINGS AVAILABLE TO VIEW AT www.forgeandfarrier.co.uk

(DRAWINGS WILL BE AVAILABLE TO VIEW FROM MID FEBRUARY.)
SPECIAL THANKS TO CLAIRE AT FORGE & FARRIER.

**TOP FIVE APPRENTICE JACKETS KINDLY SPONSORED
BY MUSTAD HOOFCARE
TOP FIVE OPEN JACKETS KINDLY SPONSORED
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RULES

- 1-** ALL COMPETITORS MUST USE THE MATERIAL AND NAILS PROVIDED.
- 2-** ALL WORK MUST CEASE WHEN THE TIME UP SIGNAL IS GIVEN. FAILURE TO DO SO WILL RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION.
- 3-** SAFETY BOOTS, EYE PROTECTION AND EAR PROTECTION TO BE WORN WHILE COMPETING, FAILING TO DO SO IS AT YOUR OWN RISK.
- 4-** **APPRENTICES MUST WEAR SAFETY GLASSES** WHILE COMPETING FAILING TO DO SO WILL RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION.

PRESENTATION OF PRIZES WILL BE HELD AT THE DINNER AND DANCE IN THE MENZIES HOTEL, IRVINE.
TIME- 7.15 P.M. PROMPT.

HOTEL ACCOMMODATION IS AVAILABLE AT THE MENZIES HOTEL, IRVINE.
PLEASE RETURN BOOKING FORM IF REQUIRED.

£32.50 PER PERSON BED AND BREAKFAST - TWIN ROOM / DOUBLE ROOM.
£47.50 PER PERSON BED AND BREAKFAST - SINGLE ROOM.

**AYRSHIRE BRANCH B.F.B.A COMPETITION
THE SMITHY, HIGH STREET, NEWMILNS
AYRSHIRE. KA16 9EE**

	<u>B.F.B.A MEMBERS</u>	<u>NON B.F.B.A MEMBERS</u>
<u>2 PERSON ROADSTER SHOEING</u>	£40.00 per team.....	£50.00 per team
<u>2 PERSON APPRENTICE SHOEMAKING</u>	£18.00 per team.....	N/A
<u>2 PERSON OPEN SHOEMAKING</u>	£35.00 per team.....	£40.00 per team
<u>INTERMEDIATE CLASS</u>	£20.00	£25.00
<u>OPEN CLASS</u>	£20.00	£25.00
<u>APPRENTICE 1st & 2nd YEAR CLASS</u>	£ 10.00	N/A
<u>APPRENTICE 3rd & 4th YEAR CLASS</u>	£ 10.00	N/A
<u>OPEN EAGLE EYE</u>	£6.00	£8.00
<u>APPRENTICE EAGLE EYE</u>	£6.00	N/A
<u>OPEN GAS FORGING</u>	£15.00	£18.00
<u>APPRENTICE GAS FORGING</u>	£10.00	N/A
<u>TOTAL</u>		<u>TOTAL</u>

TOTAL ENTRY FEES £.....

THURSDAY CLINIC. SENIOR £20.00. APPRENTICE £10.00 £.....

DINNER DANCE TICKETS £37.00 each -..... £.....

B.F.B.A REG. NO: TOTAL ENCLOSED £.....

NAME

ADDRESS NAME OF PARTNER

..... (FOR 2 MAN CLASSES)

TEL:.....

EMAIL:.....

PLEASE TURN OVER FOR HOTEL BOOKING FORM.

ENTRIES CLOSE 7th MARCH 2016

ALL CHEQUES MADE PAYABLE TO - AYRSHIRE BRANCH N.A.F.B.&A.E.

AN AUCTION WILL BE HELD IN THE EVENING AND ALL DONATIONS WOULD BE GRATEFULLY RECEIVED.

THE TIMES WILL BE AVAILABLE TO VIEW AT www.forgeandfarrier.co.uk
PLEASE TICK THE BOX IF YOU WISH THE TIME SHEET POSTED OUT

SPECIMEN SHOES WILL ALSO BE AVAILABLE TO VIEW AT www.forgeandfarrier.co.uk
PLEASE CALL JILL ON 07921 958 745 IF YOU WISH DRAWINGS POSTED OUT.
PLEASE SEND ENTRY FORMS TO THE ABOVE ADDRESS.

MENZIES HOTEL BOOKING FORM

NAME

ADDRESS

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TELEPHONE NUMBER

NO. OF ROOMS REQUIRED. TWIN DOUBLE SINGLE FAMILY

NIGHTS REQUIRED

**PLEASE PAY HOTEL ON ARRIVAL, DO NOT SEND PAYMENT
WITH ENTRY FORMS.**

HOTEL PRICES:

TWIN / DOUBLE ROOM £32.50 PER PERSON PER NIGHT. BED & BREAKFAST.

SINGLE ROOM £47.50 PER ROOM PER NIGHT. BED & BREAKFAST.

FAMILY ROOM HAS A SUPPLEMENT OF £20.00.

Due to previous years "no shows" the Ayrshire Branch have been left with hotel bills. Any cancellations should be made 7 days prior to arrival date; failure to cancel a booking will result in you being charged for the full amount.