# The Isle of Wight Farriery Competition



## **Schedule**

### Saturday September 1st, 2012

(Closing date for entries, 4th August, 2012)

To be judged by:

Mr. Grant Moon AWCF(classes 1,2&3)

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Mr. Nigel Fennell AWCF (classes 4,5&6)

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#### Classes 1,2 and 3 to be held in the indoor arena

at



PO33 3TH

#### Class1: Cob shoeing class.

(Entry fee £25) Limited to the first 32 entrants.

Open to all registered farriers. Rough cut allowed. One ¾ fullered shoe to be made and fitted to a foot and a specimen to be made to the judges specifications. Striker allowed. (GAS FORGE)

(Time allowed 55 mins.)

#### Class2: Therapeutic Shoemaking.

(Entry fee £25) Limited to the first 32 entrants.

Open to all registered farriers. Two therapeutic shoes to be made to the judges specifications. Striker allowed. (GAS FORGE)

(Time allowed 50 mins.)

#### Class3: Speed Shoemaking.

(Entry fee £10. Pay and enter on the day.)

Make a caulk and wedge  $\frac{1}{4}$  clipped shoe from 13  $\frac{1}{2}$ " of  $\frac{3}{4}$ x7/16 concave bar with 3 minute pre heat. The best shoe takes it! (GAS FORGE)

(Time allowed 20 mins.)

Class4; Apprentice shoemaking 1st & 2nd years.

(Entry fee £15)

Two rounds in which the competitor will make 2 pairs of shoes made to the judges specification. 2 minute pre-heat allowed. <u>Out of own workstation/van.</u>

(Time allowed 40 mins each round.)

Class5: Apprentice shoemaking 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> years.

(Entry fee £15)

Two rounds in which the competitor will make 2 pairs of shoes to be made to the judges specification. Fullering may be included. 2 minute pre-heat allowed. Out of own workstation/van.

(Time allowed 40 mins each round.)

Class6: Apprentice Therapeutic shoemaking.

(Entry fee £15)

Two therapeutic shoes to be made to the judges specification. Striker allowed. 2 minute preheat allowed. <u>Out of own workstation/van.</u>

(Time allowed 50 mins.)

All apprentices will be required to work on their own workstations/vans. Gas will be supplied on the day at a discounted rate to avoid "Dangerous goods declaration" on the ferries, however if you still wish to bring your own gas, remember to inform Wightlink at time of booking.

#### **PRIZES**

#### Classes 1&2:

 $1^{st}$ : £150,  $2^{nd}$ : £100,  $3^{rd}$ : £50,  $4^{th}$  £20

Prize cards to 6th place.

#### Classes 4 & 5:

1st: £50, 2nd: £25, 3rd: £15, 4th: £5

Prize cards to 6<sup>th</sup> place.

#### Class 6:

1st: £80, 2nd: £50, 3rd: £25, 4th: £10

Prize cards to 6th place.

#### Class 3:

The winner will receive 50% of the entries paid for that class on the day.

A special prize will also go to the best apprentice specimen.

The "Philip Legge Memorial Trophy" will be awarded to the competitor who gains the most points over rounds 1 and 2 combined.

Prize of a voucher&tool sponsored by A Cottam&co. for the best dressed foot in class 1.

Prize for best specimen class 2, a voucher and tool kindly donated by A. Cottam&co.

of 4 bottles of

Thanks to our sponsors at Goddard's brewery, a prize of 4 bottles of will be given to the winner of classes 1,2,4,5 and 6 (provided they are at least 18 years of age).

All prizes will be presented at the evening party, which will include live music from "Off the Wall", soul and disco band, a hog roast and some local beers at the Brickfields bar!!

Source - Forge & Farrier

#### **TRAVEL**

Our generous sponsors at Wightlink Ferries are offering a discounted rate for all competitors for which they will need to give a promotional code at the time of booking. The codes can be obtained from Simon Legge by text on 07968 485154 or email at splegge@btinternet.com.

#### **RULES:**

\*All steel and nails will be provided. Specimen steel will be pre-cut.

\*Competitors will be required to provide their own safety equipment, which should be worn at all times whilst competing.

\*Any entries received after the closing date (4/8/2012) will not be accepted.

\*Only competitors, strikers and officials will be allowed into the shoeing area.

\*Any competitor who is not stationed at their designated workstation 5 minutes before their class will forfeit their entry.

\*All work, including brushing, must cease when stewards call time up. Failure to comply may result in disqualification.

\*Specimens will be published 2 weeks prior to the competition.

#### **ACCOMMODATION:**

Camping will be available on site with shower and toilet facilities supplied at the cost of £5 per person per night. Those wishing to do so must fill in the camping section on the entry form and include payment with their entry fee.

For those of you who prefer to have your creature comforts, a list of alternative accommodation is listed below!!

Yelfs Hotel, Ryde: 01983 564062

Abingdon Lodge Hotel, Ryde: 01983 564537

Ryde Castle Hotel: 01983 563755

Travelodge, Newport: 0871 984 6348

**Premier Inn, Newport: 08715 278556** 

Or contact Simon Legge on 07968 485154 or email <a href="mailto:splegge@btinternet.com">splegge@btinternet.com</a> for a list of B&Bs.