

CRANLEIGH & SOUTH EASTERN AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

PLOUGHING MATCH

Sunday, 17th September 2017

SCHEDULE & ENTRY FORM



Pound Lee Farm, Wildwood Lane, Alfold, Surrey, GU6 8JR

By kind permission of Mr John James, Holdhurst Farm Estates

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Entries close: 5th September 2017

Judges: Surrey County Agricultural Society

TRACTORS

Prizes: 1st - £20.00, 2nd - £15.00, 3rd - £10.00.

Entry fee: £15.00 per class

Class 1 TRACTOR - with two furrow mounted match plough

Kindly sponsored by **The Forty One Trust, Billingshurst, West Sussex**

Class 2 TRACTOR - with two or more furrow mounted non-match plough

Class 3 TRACTOR - with reversible plough with any number of furrows.

VINTAGE TRACTORS

Prizes: 1st - £20.00, 2nd - £215.00, 3rd - £10.00.

Entry fee: £15.00 per class

A vintage tractor is a model which has been in production before 31st December 1959

Class 4 VINTAGE TRACTOR WITH MOUNTED PLOUGH (OPEN) - any type of tractor and plough.

Plough to have been in production before 31st December 1959.

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Class 5 VINTAGE TRACTOR WITH TRAILED PLOUGH (OPEN); any trailed plough.

NOVICE CLASS

Prizes: 1st - £20.00, 2nd - £15.00, 3rd - £10.00.

Entry fee: £15.00 per class

Class 6 NOVICE CLASS

Any tractor or plough, please state number of furrows on entry form. This class is open to all novices but competitors who either live or work in Surrey can also gain points in this class for **The Surrey County Novice Ploughing Championship** and **The Ted Comley Memorial Perpetual Challenge Trophy**

All participants will never have won or been placed in the host match.

Open to anybody who works or lives in the county of Surrey, and over the age of 13 years with relevant insurance. To qualify for the championship you must score points at the following matches: West End, Chertsey, Chobham, Cranleigh, Surrey County and Guildford, four out of the six to count.

Only verbal assistance from end of furrow is allowed. If possible the organiser of the match will supply helpers or ploughmen may bring their own assistant, if advised prior to the match.

Points to be awarded to Surrey participants will be as follows: 1st = 50, 2nd = 40, 3rd = 30, 4th = 20, 5th = 10.

The Ted Comley Memorial Perpetual Challenge Trophy will be presented to the overall winner with £70, 2nd £50, 3rd £30, 4th £20, 5th £10.

A competitor may only win for a maximum of 2 years.

The winner will be announced at the last Surrey match to take place during the calendar year.

Competitors entering this class will not be eligible for the CSEAS Overall Ploughing Championship.

TRACTOR MAINTENANCE

Prizes: 1st - £10.00, 2nd - £6.00, 3rd - £4.00

Entry fee: FREE

Judged by: TBC

These classes will be judged on a points system and entry will be automatic. Any tractor having done under 500 hours will be excluded. An inspection will take place during ploughing.

Class 7 TRACTOR MAINTENANCE

All non-vintage tractors will be entered. The age of the tractor will be taken into account.

Class 8 BEST MAINTAINED VINTAGE TRACTOR

All vintage tractors will be entered.

CHAMPIONSHIPS, TROPHIES AND SPECIAL PRIZES

A **Perpetual Challenge Trophy** and a prize of **£40.00** will be awarded to the **Overall Champion Ploughman** of the day with **£20.00** to the **Reserve Champion**.

The **Holdhurst Perpetual Challenge Trophy** presented by G Bardeau Esq will be awarded to the **Champion Ploughman** from **Classes 1 and 2**, with a prize of £20.00 awarded to the Champion and £10.00 to the Reserve Champion. Kindly sponsored by **Loseley Park Farm, Guildford, Surrey (01483 304440)**

A **Perpetual Challenge Trophy** presented by the late Mr J Hewitt will be awarded to the **Champion Vintage Ploughman** from **Classes 4 and 5** with a prize of £20.00 awarded to the Champion and £10.00 to the Reserve Champion.

The **"Gaffers Mug"** presented by Gordon Harvey Esq will be awarded for the best ploughing by a gaffer in classes 1 - 3 inclusive.

The **Rydinghurst Silver Perpetual Tankard** presented by Miss M Ackroyd, will be awarded to the Best Ploughman under 25 years of age.

The **Shell Perpetual Challenge Shield** will be awarded to the Best Novice Ploughman
A special prize of £10.00 will be awarded for the best ploughing in the field by a person under 25 years of age on the date of the Match.

Oakes Bros Ltd will arrange for a New Holland Ploughing Award for the Tractor Driver judged to have done the best ploughing with a Ford or New Holland tractor.

GENERAL CONDITIONS

1. A draw for ploughing positions will take place and the order in which such positions are drawn will be printed in the programme issued at the match.
2. Rolling not allowed.
3. Twin tractor wheels are not allowed, nor any change of wheels.
4. Three siting poles only, assistance to set and remove is permitted
5. Handling, treading or shaping of furrows is not allowed.
6. Ploughs must be fitted with skimmers, tailpieces are permitted
7. Plough bodies are to be in the 'Ploughing' position at all times, all plough bodies must be used when finishing.
8. All competitors must plough single handed.
9. The CSEAS have the power to cancel or amalgamate classes, if in their opinion there are insufficient entries.

Timing:

1. All tractors to be on the ground by 8.30am.
2. Veerings to be opened from 9.00am.
3. Ploughing will commence at 9.45am.
4. Three hours will be allowed to plough the plot. Fifteen minutes extra time will be allowed for any cast off necessary.
5. At finishing time the run can be completed without stopping.

Opening:

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| Conventional Ploughing | - Double Split no ground to be left unturned |
| Reversible Ploughing | - Single furrow opening with right-hand bodies. |

Start:

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| Conventional Ploughing | - Start to consist of 11 or 12 furrows |
| Reversible Ploughing | - Start to consist of 8 or 9 furrows. |

Ploughing:

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| Conventional Ploughing | - Cast to next highest number |
| Reversible Ploughing | - Plough from next highest number back to own start. Alternate bodies to be used at all times. |

Finish:

- Only one wheel mark to be visible, penalty 20 pts.
Conventional - Last furrow to be cast to own start, penalty 20 pts. Finish to consist of last 12 furrows.
Reversible - Finish to consist of last 15 - 16 furrows.

Depth:

- Depth must be reached on completion of the start and adhered to until commencing the finish.
Failure to plough specified depth results in 20 penalty pts per ½ inch above specification.