

**STAFFORDSHIRE AND BIRMINGHAM
AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY
UTTOXETER DISTRICT
2017 DISTRICT COMPETITIONS
*SCHEDULE***

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LEY MIXTURE

SHEEP

BEEF

DAIRY YOUNGSTOCK

DAIRY HERDS

GARDENS

CEREALS

MACHINERY

MAIZE

UTTOXETER DISTRICT AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

COMPETITIONS 2017 ENTRY FORM

This booklet contains the schedules for all the Uttoxeter District Agricultural Society Competitions for 2017; which are

Name.....

Trading As.....

Address.....

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Telephone..... Mobile.....

E-Mail

Please tick each class/classes you would like to enter.

COMPETITION	CLOSING DATE	JUDGING
LEY	23rd APRIL	1-10 MAY
SHEEP	2nd MAY	17-28 MAY
BEEF	25th JUNE	10-23 JULY
DAIRY HERD	5th JUNE	19-30 JUNE
DAIRY YOUNGSTOCK	5th JUNE	19-30 JUNE
GARDEN	12th JUNE	21-30 JUNE
CEREALS	19th JUNE	29 JUNE—12 JULY
MACHINERY	19th JUNE	29 JUNE—12 JULY
MAIZE	18th AUGUST	31 AUG—11 SEPT

Class 6	Ley Mixture	Class 20	Garden (Residential)	
Class 7	Ley Mixture	Class 21	Garden (Vegetable)	
Class 8	Ley (Grazing)	Class 22	Winter Barley	
Class 9	Sheep (Pedigree)	Class 23	Spring Barley	
Class 10	Sheep (Commercial)	Class 24	Winter Wheat (Feed)	
Class 11	Beef (Pedigree)	Class 25	Winter Wheat (Milling)	
Class 12	Beef (Sucklers)	Class 26	Winter Wheat (W.Crop)	
Class 13	Beef (Dairy)	Class 27	Oats	
Class 14	Beef (Intensive)	Class 28	Oil Seed Rape	
Class 15	Beef (Non –Inten)	Class 29	Beans	
Class 16	Youngstock (Large)	Class 30	Peas	
Class 17	Youngstock (Small)	Class 31	Machinery	
Class 18	Dairy Herd	Class 32	Maize	
Class 19	Garden (Farm)			

Number of Sheep

Are all sheep that are to be judged on the same premises **YES/NO**

Number of Homebred of Dairy Youngstock

Are all dairy young stock that are to be judged on the same premises **YES/NO**

Please note:

Presentation of awards will take place at the Annual Dinner on Friday 22nd September 2017 at the County Showground

There is no entry fee for any of the competitions

Many thanks for supporting the District

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Dates for 2017

Staffordshire County Show: Wednesday 31st May &

Thursday 1st June 2017

**Uttoxeter District Summer Luncheon: Sunday 18th June
2017 bkp Mr & Mrs J. Vernon, Fradswell**

**Uttoxeter District Ploughing and Hedge Laying Match:
Saturday 9th September 2017, bkp of the Rushton family,
on land adjacent to the Grindley Business Village**

**Uttoxeter District Annual Dinner and Presentation Night
Friday 22nd September 2017 , Stafford County Showground**

LEY MIXTURE COMPETITION

Judge— Mr J Heath

Entries close: 23rd April 2017

Judging between: 1st & 10th May 2017

Class 6—For the best ley mixture shown in its first full year of production (short term) (seeds to have been sown in 2016)

Class 7—For the best type of any other ley mixture (long term) (minimum of a 5 acre field)

Class 8—For the best type of grazing ley (any age, permanent or semi-permanent)

Trophy—The Hunters Challenge Cup presented to the overall ley mixture winner

BREEDING SHEEP FLOCK COMPETITION

Judge— Mr R Lawrence

Entries close: 2nd May 2016

Judging between: 17th & 28th May 2017

Class 9—For the best managed flock of pedigree sheep

Class 10—For the best managed flock of commercial sheep

Trophy—The Border Fine Art Figurine presented to the overall sheep flock winner

BEEF HERD COMPETITION

Judge— Miss H Wilson

Entries close: 25th June 2017

Judging between: 10th & 23rd July 2017

Class 11—For the best herd of pedigree beef cattle

Class 12—For the best herd of suckler cattle

Class 13—For the best herd of dairy beef cattle

Class 14—For the best herd of intensive beef cattle

Class 15—For the best herd of non-intensive beef cattle

TROPHY—The Don Atkin Cup is presented to the overall
beef winner

HOME BRED DAIRY YOUNGSTOCK COMPETITION

Judge— Mr P Kenny

Entries close: 5th June 2017

Judging between: 19th and 30th June 2017

Class 16—For the best large youngstock herd

Trophy—The Bagshaws Challenge Cup is presented to the
best large herd

Class 17—For the best small youngstock herd

Trophy—The Bagshaws Challenge Cup is presented to the
best small herd

Note—All female youngstock must be shown and should include
reared calves, yearlings and in calf heifers.

Harvest basket

**A competition open to members in two classes, to be judged on ploughing and
hedge cutting match day.**

All entries to be presented in a suitable basket.

All entries must be in place by 10.30am on match day.

**Any exhibitor may retrieve their entry between 4pm and 5pm on match
day. After 5pm exhibits will be disposed of at the Chairman's
discretion.**

Class 1. Basket of produce consisting of home grown fruit, vegetables, fungi or
flowers.

Class 2. Basket containing produce, as class 1, from any other source.

Classes will be judged to three places, with place cards awarded.

Specimen grain and produce competition

A competition open to members to be judged on ploughing and hedge cutting match day. (Saturday 9th September 2017)

All entries will have been harvested during the current harvest year.

All entries must be grown by exhibitor.

All entries must be in place by 11am on match day.

Any exhibitor may retrieve their entry between 4pm and 5pm on matchday. After 5pm exhibits will be disposed of at the Chairman's discretion.

Specimen grain

Class 1. Wheat. A 1.5kg sample of wheat in a clear plastic bag, maximum 15% moisture and of a named variety. If entry numbers allow the class will be split into milling and feed sections, at the Stewards discretion.

Class 2. Barley. A 1.5kg sample of barley in a clear plastic bag, maximum 15% moisture and of a named variety. If entry numbers allow the class will be split into malting and feed sections, at the Stewards discretion.

Class 3. Oats. A 1.5kg sample of oats in a clear plastic bag, maximum 15% moisture and of a named variety.

Class 4. Oil seed rape. A 1.5kg sample of oil seed rape in a clear plastic bag, maximum 8% moisture and of a named variety.

Class 5. Beans. A 1.5kg sample of beans in a clear plastic bag, maximum 15% moisture and of a named variety.

Specimen produce

Class 6. Hay. A small conventional bale of hay or approximately 5 kg sample taken from a big bale and presented in a suitable plastic bag.

Class 7. Maize. Two stems of growing maize, cut at ground level, presented in a bundle.

All classes will be judged to three places, with place cards awarded.

DAIRY HERD COMPETITION

Judge— Mr B Archer

Entries close: 5th June 2017

Judging between: 19th & 30th June 2017

Class 18—For the best herd of dairy cattle, any breed, pedigree or non pedigree herds

Note—all the necessary records should be made available at the time of judging

Trophy—The J H Prince Salver is presented to the best dairy herd

GARDEN COMPETITION

Judge— Mr & Mrs E Hill

Entries close: 12th June 2017

Judging between: 21st and 30th June 2017

Class 19—For the best farm garden

Class 20—For the best residential garden

Class 21— For the best vegetable garden

Trophy—The Mr E Barker Silver Challenge Cup is presented to the overall best garden

A cut glass bowl donated by Mr & Mrs G Roobottom presented to the best vegetable garden

CEREALS COMPETITION

Judge— Mr R Smith

Entries close: 19th June 2017

Judging between: 29th June & 12th July 2017

Class 22—For the best crop of Winter Barley

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Class 24—For the best crop of Winter Wheat (Feed)

Class 25—For the best crop of Winter Wheat (Milling)

Class 26—For the best crop of Winter Wheat (Wholecrop)

Class 27—For the best crop of Oats

Class 28—For the best crop of Oil Seed Rape

Class 29—For the best crop of Beans

Class 30—For the best crop of Peas

Trophy— The Meynall & South Staffs Hunt Supporter Cup is presented to the best individual crop judged

Trophy—The Saxton Challenge Cup is presented to the competitor with the highest number of points for cereals

MACHINERY COMPETITION

Judge— Mr R Smith

Entries close: 19th June 2017

Judging between: 29th June & 12th July 2017

Class 31—For the best maintained field machinery

Trophy— Silver Challenge Cup is presented to the best machinery

MAIZE COMPETITION

Judge— Mr J Heath

Entries close: 18th August 2017

Judging between: 31st August & 11th September 2017

Class 32—For the best crop of maize

Trophy— The Silver Challenge Cup is presented to the best crop of maize

OVERALL TROPHY

THE OVERALL PRIZE WINNER WHO GAINED THE MOST POINTS IN ALL THE DISTRICT COMPETITIONS WILL RECEIVE THE BRANDON CUP