

CVSOS 2012 Show , Equine Section Winners

Ridden Classes - Tack & Turnout — Leading Rein 8 & under : Jasper Connel Rider 12 & under :Hanna Owen, Rider 13 & Over : Helen Newbrook. **Equitation** : Leading Rein : Emily Martin-Jones, Rider 10 & under : Marlie Hutchinson, Rider 11,12 or 13 : Hanna Owen, Rider , 14, 15 or 16 : Lucie Kiddie, Rider 1.7 & over : Leanne Thomas. **Mountain & Moorland** over 13.2hh : Emily Jones, 13.2hh & under Olivia Hughes. **Family Horse** : Georgie Thomas, **Family Pony** : Hanna Owen. Fancy Dress : Joint 1st Rhuna Williams & Olivia Hughes. Winner of the Dave Evans Trophy for the child that most encapsulates the Spirit of the Show : Annabelle Ashton of Cefn Mawr.

Showjumping - Class 1 : George Cowley, Class 2 : George Cowley, Class 3 : Hannah Beaman, Horse & Hound : Joint 1st Morgan Nicholson & Hanna Newbrook. Novice jumping ; Anna Tulley.

In Hand Classes : Veteran : Mr & Mrs Mason Stepol Stud, Mountain & Moorland animal age 3 & under : Samira York, Mountain & Moorlands animal 4 & over : Jones & Starkey, Mountain & Moorland Champion : Jones & Starkey.

Welsh Cobs section C&D, Horse 3 & under : Ingrid Allen, Horse 4 & over : Mason -Stepol Stud. Welsh Cob Champion : Mason Stepol Stud.

Coloured section 3 & under : Sam Atkin,. 4 & over : Georgie Thomas, Coloured Champion: Georgie Thomas .

Other Breeds : 3 & under Elaine Bannister, 4 & over, Tracy Jones, Other Breeds Champion : Tracy Jones. **Champion Foal** : Elaine Bannister.

Overall Show Champion : Mason Stepol Stud with Stepol Superstition, Reserve Champion: Tracy Jones.

Mounted Games / Gymkhana.

Leading Rein the four race winners : Kim Thurlow, Phoebe Cook, Kim Thurlow, Phoebe Cook.

Rider 14 & under: Eden Daniel, Hanna Owen, Hanna Owen, Hanna Owen.

Open – rider any age : Emillie Goulbourn, Shelley Colohan, Shelley Colohan, Steve Benbow.

Invitation Race : Joint 1st, Sian Bates & Kathryn Foy.

Brief Commentary.

First a BIG thank you to Geoff Eamons & Tim for the excellent condition of the show field, and also to those at Taiygarth who have moved their horses off the showground for the few days prior to show day. The heavy rain on Friday night caused the first vehicle & trailer to get stuck at the entrance but help arrived within 10 minutes of a phone call and two sources of straw arrived simultaneously. Lightning flashed and thunder roared but the predicted storms kept away from "our little piece of heaven on earth" and the show progressed with the usual friendly rivalry with well chosen judges encouraging and competitors helping each other throughout the day. The little army of volunteers just get on their tasks and their reward is to see the smiling faces when the rosettes are awarded.

Thank you to all those who helped create a lovely atmosphere this year which was best demonstrated in the mounted games when ponies and hats were loaned to allow others to enjoy being a part of the show. See you all next year. Trevor Bates.