

North Dorset Beekeeper' Association display

# BEES & HONEY SCHEDULE

The rural day out!

**ENTRIES CLOSE: 3RD AUGUST 2022** 

<u>ENTRIES ACCEPTED ONLINE & VIA POST - SHOW OFFICE, TURNPIKE SHOWGROUN</u>D, MOTCOMBE, SHAFTESBURY, DORSET, SP7 9PL



# Gillingham and Shaftesbury Bees & Honey Show Schedule 2022

(staged alongside the North Dorset Beekeepers' Association display)

# In the **Beekeeping marquee**

Turnpike Showground, Motcombe, Shaftesbury, Dorset, SP7 9PL

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> August 2022

Gates open at 8.30am

Entries in this section close 3<sup>rd</sup> August 2022. This date will be strictly adhered to.

### Paper Entries must be sent with exact entry fees in a sealed envelope to:

Show Office, Turnpike Showground, Motcombe, Shaftesbury, Dorset, SP7 9PL Telephone: 01747 823955 Email: <a href="mailto:info@gillinghamandshaftesburyshow.co.uk">info@gillinghamandshaftesburyshow.co.uk</a> from whom further particulars & entry forms may be obtained.

Cheques payable to the 'Gillingham & Shaftesbury Agricultural Society'.

Enter and pay online via www.gillinghamandshaftesburyshow.co.uk

Prizes will be presented at 4.30pm on Show Day. Prize money may be collected from 3-6.00pm

Committee: Mrs Lesley Gasson, Dr Sue Billington and Mrs Lynne Richley

**Judge: Mrs Susie Perkins** 

Somerset

Entry Fee £1 per entry Prizes for all classes 1st £5.00 2nd £2.00 3rd £1.00

### **Open Classes**

- 1. Two 340g/12oz jars of light clear runny honey
- 2. Two 340g/12oz jars of medium clear runny honey
- 3. Two 340g/12oz jars of naturally granulated honey
- 4. Two 340g/12oz jars of creamed honey
- 5. Three jars of honey with labels as for sale
- 6. Two cartons of cut comb displayed in crystal comb containers 200g to 250g
- 7. One shallow frame of honey suitable for extraction in a bee proof showcase

- 8. One piece of beeswax not less than 170g displayed in a clear plastic bag
- 9. Two plain moulded beeswax candles displayed in safe candle holders
- 10. Two patterned beeswax candles displayed in safe candle holders
- 11. An item of decorative beeswax either moulded or sculpted (not a candle) not more than 300g
- 12. One bottle of either sweet or dry mead in a punted bottle with white flanges
- 13. A display of five hive products with a Jubilee theme not including any of the classes above e.g. polish, wax wraps
- 14. 12 pieces of honey fudge using all the ingredients in the recipe given below
- 15. One lemon honey cake displayed on a white plate in a plastic bag using the recipe given below.
- 16. Photograph of bees, hives or honey production: A4 size mounted on card and labelled in the centre bottom of the mount. The class number to be attached top right.

### **Novice Classes**

- 17. Two 340g/12 oz jars of clear honey
- 18. Two 340g/12 oz jars set honey
- 19. One cake of beeswax minimum 227g moulded in a plain shape
- 20. Two identical candles any type
- 21. One shallow frame of honey suitable for extraction in a bee-proof case.

### **North Dorset BKA members only Classes**

- 22. Two 340g/12oz Jars of light honey
- 23. Two 340g/12oz jars of medium honey
- 24. Two 340g/12oz jars of crystallised honey
- 25. Two 340g/12oz jars of soft set/creamed honey
- 26. One frame of honey for extraction in a suitable bee proof case
- 27. Two containers of cut comb minimum weight 227g in crystal comb containers
- 28. One cake of beeswax minimum 227g in a plain mould
- 29. Two moulded candles displayed in safe candle holders
- 30. Two Candles made in any way except moulded displayed in safe candle holders

# **Recipes**

### Honey fudge

125g butter 500g sugar 150ml milk

### 2tablespoons honey

Put all the ingredients in a saucepan and dissolve the sugar, butter and honey until liquid stirring all the time over heat. Once liquid raise the heat and continue stirring until the mixture reaches 240°C on a sugar thermometer. Remove from the heat and allow to cool then beat the mixture until it starts to granulate. Pour into a shallow tin 20x15 cms. Allow to cool further and cut into pieces.

### **Lemon Honey Cake**

100g soft butter50g caster sugar25gchopped mixed peel

100g honey2eggs225g plain flour75g milk2 tsp baking powderpinch of salt

finely grated rind of one lemon

Glazing

2 tbsp caster sugar 3tbsp lemon juice

1tbsp honey

Sift the flour, b.p. salt and bicarb in a separate bowl. Cream the butter, sugar, lemon rind and honey. Add the eggs one at a time. Combine with the flour, add the milk and mixed peel and beat. Put the mixture in a lined 1kg loaf tin. Cook in a slow oven Gas 3 for about 1hour 45minutes. Remove from the oven prick all over . Heat the honey, sugar and lemon glaze and drizzle all over the cake.

# **Conditions**

Classes in this schedule are open to amateurs only. Exhibitors may enter a MAXIMUM of TWO ENTRIES in any one class.

- 2. All exhibits shown must be the bona-fide product of the exhibitor.
- 3. No exhibit may be entered in more than one class.
- 4. All exhibits must be staged between 7.30 a.m. and 1 p.m. on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> August. Judging will take place that afternoon. Exhibitors must vacate the marquee by 1.30pm. This rule will be strictly enforced.

Note - The marquee will be in the charge of officials throughout the night of 16th/17th August.

5. Exhibit numbers must be obtained from the Steward in the Beekeeping Marquee during the Staging Period shown in Condition 4 above.

7 Every care will be taken of exhibits, but the Committee will not be responsible for any loss or damage sustained as a result of the exhibition. This includes plates and equipment which are left at owners risk. The Association reserves the right to dispose of any items left in the marquee after the Show

- 8. Exhibitors must provide their own dishes and candle holders, etc., and see that their exhibits are properly staged in their correct class. No responsibility can be entertained by the Committee for disqualification or loss attributed to neglect of this rule.
- 9. Entries must be made on the form provided and be sent to the General Show Secretary with the exact amount of entry fees no later than first post on 3rd August 2022. No entry will be accepted without the fee, or after the closing date. Entries can also be sent online via the Gillingham & Shaftesbury Show www.gillinghamandshaftesburyshow.co.uk.
- 10. The Judge has the power to award or reduce prizes according to the merits of exhibits, and their decision in this respect shall be final.
- 11. Prize monies will be paid out in the Bees & Honey Marquee from 3-6 pm on the day of the Show. Prize money not collected by the end of September will be returned to the Society's funds.
- 13. Protests must be made in writing to the Show Office before 2.00pm on showday, and must be accompanied by a deposit of £5, which will be forfeited if the protest fails. In all cases of a dispute the decision and discretion of the committee shall be final and binding.
- 14. Collection of exhibits Exhibitors must present the receipt cards to the Steward before collecting exhibits. No exhibit may be removed from the marquee until 4.30 p.m. but all exhibits must be cleared by 7.00 p.m. Any exhibits not collected by that time will be disposed of by the Society.
- 15. One free showday admission ticket will be issued to any one individual who enters eight or more items, limited to one ticket per exhibitor, to be collected on staging of exhibits.
- 16. Exhibitors may supply some of their honey and/or limited beeswax products for sale at the show.

### **Rules**

1) No card, label, trade or distinguishing mark of an exhibitor may be placed on any part of an exhibit, other than the labels provided by the Show Secretary.

**Jars**. Such labels shall be fixed to jars to leave 1cm space between the bottom of the label and the base of the jar.

**Candles** are to be displayed erect and one candle may be lit by the judge. Labels to be placed near to the base of the candles. For other wax exhibits, the labels are to be placed on the under surface of 27g blocks and upon. the upper surface of other wax exhibits.

**Comb Honey** to be exhibited in standard white or clear commercial 227g containers with a clear lid. Labels to be placed on the top right-hand corner of the front vertical face of the showcase or container and the duplicate placed on top of the frame or section.

**Cut Comb** one label on the front of the case, the other on the top right hand corner of the lid.

**Cake** One label on the upper surface of the cake, the other on the stand.

**Fudge** labels to be placed on the plate or stand.

All cakes &confectionary to be exhibited on a white paper plate with a doily covered with clingfilm or clear plastic. Plates, doileys & clingfilm can be supplied by teshow.

**EXCEPTION TO RULE 1.** Exhibitors to use their own labels (as for retail) in class 5. (Show labels are also to be attached in class 7).

**2)** Every article exhibited and sold must be bona-fide the property of the exhibitor. All honey and wax must be gathered from flowers in the natural way within the United Kingdom by bees the property of the exhibitor at the time of gathering.

**EXCEPTION TO RULE 2.** The wax and honey used in the polish and cookery exhibits must have been produced within the United Kingdom but may have been purchased. (Classes 13, 14, 15).

- 3) Frames of comb honey suitable for extraction must be shown in "beetight glazed cases" and capable of easy withdrawal. 1 label on top r/h corner of the glass & 1 label on the top bar of the frame
- 4) Mead must be shown in clear white 75 cl punted glass bottles of a round section with rounded, not fluted shoulders, stoppered with white plastic flanged stoppers only (contents approx. 26fl.oz.).
- **5) EXHIBITS.** No exhibit may be tasted or interfered with in any way byan exhibitor or any other person during the show without permission of the Show Secretary or Official Stewards. The Show Committee (and Stewards) will take normal care of exhibits during the show but will not be responsible in any circumstances for the loss or damage sustained by exhibitors.
- 6) **The Bayliss Cup** will be awarded to the exhibitor gaining the most points overall. Points awarded will be calculated on the following basis:- 1st....6pts. 2nd....5pts. 3rd....4pts VHC or 4th...3 pts HC 2 pts C 1 pt.
- 7) In the event of the judge not awarding a First Prize to a sponsored class the Show Secretary may decide to award the sponsored first prize to another class. In the event of a tie, the cup or prize will be awarded jointly.
- 8) Exhibitors may enter more than one exhibit in a class but no exhibitors in any class may take more than one prize.
- 9) All exhibitors must be a member of a Beekeeping Association
- **10)** In the event of any query the Show Secretary's decision is final.



# **ENTRY FORM**

Entries close 3<sup>rd</sup> August 2022 - Late entries will NOT be accepted Show Office, Turnpike Showground, Motcombe, Shaftesbury, Dorset, SP7 9PL

**Entry Fee** 

Enter online via www.gillinghamandshaftesburyshow.co.uk

### **ENTRIES FROM ONE PERSON ON A FORM**

Class No.

Description

	TOTAL ENTRY FEE	
	EXHIBITS MUST BE DONE ON TUESDAY 16 <sup>th.</sup> AUGUS NO ENTRY TO BE REMOVED UNTIL AFTER PRIZE ayable to 'Gillingham & Shaftesbury Agricultural Soci	GIVING
PLEASE PRINT		
Name of Exhibitor (Mr,	/Mrs/Ms/Miss)	
Address		
		Post code
	Email	
Signature		

I agree to abide by the Rules & Regulations – see inside front cover of the schedule