



## The Game Fair Shoeing Lab Farriery Championships and lectures 2017

Hatfield house  
28-30 July 2017

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Join us for a  
asado grill  
(half a cow)  
and drinks on  
Saturday  
night



Two Day knock out competition based on points, the top 8 competitors with highest point scores over the 2 days will make the grand final.



This form must be completed and returned to The Shoeing Lab  
by 8th June 2017

The Shoeing Lab, Walton lane, Grimley Worcestershire, WR2 6LR  
Tel: 01905 641640  
Email: theshoeinglab.gamefair@gmail.com  
Please fill out in block capitals,



Competitors Contact: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name to appear in catalogue: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Town: \_\_\_\_\_ Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Farrier Registrations number: \_\_\_\_\_  
Shirt size: \_\_\_\_\_

I agree to abide by the decisions of the judges in respect of each entry. I understand that a condition of entry. I hereby certify that the above is correct to the best of my knowledge and undertake to conform to the rules and regulations of the show.  
Competitors must comply with the Health and Safety regulation and Must provide their own Personal Protective Equipment.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Joining us for food, Please tick box to confirm

Entry Fees,  
Apprentice £170 inc Camping and VAT  
Seniors £310 inc Camping and VAT

Shirt size needed for live feed and scoring.

Class	Name of Striker	Entry Fees
Total Entry fee		£



Open	Apprentice
<p><b>Friday</b>            Pair ¾ Fullered Fronts 40 min            Surprise Forging 50 mins            (shoes released on the day)</p> <p><b>Saturday</b>            Speed forging 20 Mins (one shoe)            Open Therapeutic Shoemaking            50 mins 2 Morden therapeutic shoes, one of which            to utilising inserts from a Werkman ortho kit            Photos available online 30 days before contest</p> <p><b>Sunday</b>            Top 8 Grand Final            Shoeing front &amp; hind 90 mins            Style of shoeing TBA</p>	<p><b>Friday</b>            Pair Plain Stamped Fronts 40 mins (12" ¾ x 3/8)            Surprise Forging 50 mins            2 shoes (shoes released by judges on the day)</p> <p><b>Saturday</b>            Speed forging (one shoe) 20 mins            Open Therapeutic Shoemaking 50mins            2 therapeutic shoes (no welding required and            photos available online 30 days before contest)</p> <p><b>Sunday</b>            Top 8 Grand Final            3 Shoes 70 mins            (Photos available 30 days before contest)</p>



**JUDGE A (UK) Mr D P Smith AWCF**

**JUDGE B (USA) Mr C Trnka**

**JUDGE C (EUR) Mr C Montagna (ITA) Senior**

**JUDGE D (EUR) Mr M Surinyach (ESP) Apprentice**

**A Prize fund of £5000**

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## What happens next- pre Show

After the close of entries you will be sent a pack containing the following:

- A wristband to provide access to the Showground or for Apprentices, one exhibitor's ticket.
- A Blacksmith/Farrier Car Park pass to gain access to the designated parking/ camping area
- A timetable of your class showing the running order.

## Prizes

In no case shall a prize be awarded unless the Judge, after consultation with the Stewards, deems the entries to have sufficient merit. Where there is only a small entry in a class and the Judge, after consultation with the Stewards, considers the exhibits unworthy of the highest prize offered, it shall be in their power to award a lower prize. The Judge's decision shall be final.

Exhibitors wishing to have trophies engraved should do so at their own cost but any engraving must be similar in size, style and layout to previous engravings to ensure consistency. The Show will seek reimbursement for the cost of repairing any damage caused to trophies through mishandling or engraving.

Competitors must be in attendance at the Forge at least half an hour before the commencement of their round. Latecomers will be disqualified.

The Stewards will be responsible for timekeeping and will enter details on the Time Sheet which will be displayed under the clock in the Shoeing Shed. All work must be completed in the time specified. Any competitor going over the specified time will be disqualified. No waiting time will be allowed.

Competitors must provide their own tools.

Each competitor must make his own arrangements for a striker. The striker's name must be shown on the entry form. The competitions cannot be delayed for a striker who is acting as a striker for another competitor, or where the competitor is himself a striker and under these circumstances the Stewards may disqualify the competitor.

Forges, anvils, steel and gas will be provided by the Show.

In this clause the term Exhibitor shall include persons taking part in any competition or display arranged by the Show, and the owner of any animal, plant, machinery or other thing involved in any such competition or display or otherwise exhibited on the Showground. Save for death or personal injury caused by the negligence of the Show, its servants or agent, the Show will not be responsible for death, injury, disease, damage or loss caused to any exhibitor or to his or her servant or agent or to any animal, article, plant, machinery or thing of whatever nature brought onto the Showground by the said exhibitor from whatever cause death, injury, disease, damage or loss arises.

The Show will not be responsible in any way for any article, plant, machinery or object of any kind exhibited on the Showground. The exhibitor shall assume full responsibility therefore, including liability for all claims arising out of the exhibition, handling or housing of such exhibits and the conduct of the stand generally. The exhibitor shall indemnify the Show against all claims, damages or expenses whatsoever in any way arising out of the presence of the exhibitor or his exhibits on the Showground. Acceptance of the foregoing provisions shall be a condition of entry.

Non-competing farriers must not be on the floor whilst a class is in progress.

## Objections

Any Exhibitor wishing to lodge an objection having reference to an entry exhibited at the Show must make the same in writing to the Show Office, and deposit the sum of £300. If on investigation the objection is not sustained to the satisfaction of the Stewards, the sum thus deposited shall at the discretion of the Council, be forfeited to the funds of the Show. All objections must be delivered at the Show Office on the Showground on the day on which the award is made, and no objection will be SUBSEQUENTLY received, unless a satisfactory reason be assigned for the delay. The Stewards will consider such objections at the Show Office, at which time and place any person making the objection must attend or be represented by an authorised agent. The decision of the Stewards shall be final.

The Show reserves the sole and absolute right to interpret these or any other prescribed conditions and regulations, or Prize Sheets, and to settle arbitrarily and determine all matters, questions or differences in regard thereto, or otherwise arising out of or connected with or incident to the Show. Also to refuse and to cancel any entries, disqualify exhibitors, prohibit exhibition of entries, vary or cancel awards of prizes or reserve numbers, and relax conditions, as the Show may deem expedient.

## Health & Safety Regulations:

Competitors are to comply with Health & Safety regulations and MUST provide and use their own Personal Protective Equipment.

Exhibitors are reminded that they must conform to the requirements of the Health and Safety at Work Act 1974 and other relevant Health and Safety legislation. Exhibitors must also comply to The Equalities Act 2010 (formerly The Disability and Discrimination Act); the Regulatory Reform (Fire Safety) Order 2005; the Health Act 2006 incorporating the Smoke free Legislation. Environmental Health Officers, Trading Standard Officers and Fire Officers will be in attendance at the Show and have the authority to take appropriate enforcement action.

Smoking is prohibited in all buildings.

