##  **HOSE 2022**

###### FARRIERY COMPETITIONS

### **HELD AT: THE FORGE, HOSE, NR MELTON MOWBRAY, LEICESTERSHIRE**

### **BY KIND PERMISSION OF MR STUART SPENCE AFCL & MR RICHARD SPENCE AWCF**

#### ON: SATURDAY 8TH OCTOBER 2022

Organised by:

THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FARRIERS, BLACKSMITHS AND AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERS – LEICESTERSHIRE BRANCH

#### JUDGES:

##### OPEN – MR DAVID SMITH AWCF

***APPRENTICES – MR RICHARD MARSH AWCF***

**LIMITED ENTRIES – PLACES ALLOCATED ON A FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED BASIS**

# CLASS 1 – TRADITIONAL HUNTER SHOEING Time Allowed – 50 Minutes

*Competitors will be required to make:*

* One shoe from fullered concave steel provided.
* Prepare the allocated foot, fit and nail the shoe to the foot.
* One tooled and fullered specimen to the Judge’s specification.

**1st Prize: £120 equivalent, The D L Gully Perpetual Trophy, Plus THE WORSHIPFUL COMPANY OF FARRIERS SILVER MEDAL** (Makes awards in order to promote, support & maintain a high standard of excellence in farriery. Registered Farriers who are awarded medals have attained the very high standard demanded by the Company).

2nd Prize: £90 equivalent, 3rd Prize: £60 equivalent, 4th Prize £40 equivalent, 5th Prize: £30 equivalent, Highly Commended, Commended (prizes will be given to the equivalent of money)

* *Best Prepared Foot: £10*
* *Best Specimen Shoe: £10 – Plus the Robert Wood Trophy*
* *Best Leicestershire Branch Member: £10 - Plus the Walter & Kathleen Spence Trophy*

# ENTRY FEE: £40 – Non Members £45

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**CLASS 2 - HOSE 2022 APPRENTICE CLASS WILL BE A 2 PERSON TEAM CONSISTING OF ONE 1ST & 2ND YEAR AND ONE 3RD & 4TH YEAR**

**Time Allowed – 60 Minutes**

**1ST & 2ND YEAR (SHOE A): 131/2 - 7/8 X 7/16 HUNTER FRONT**

**3RD & 4TH YEAR (SHOE B): 131/2 – 7/8 X 7/16 HUNTER HIND**

**SHOE C WILL BE A FULLERED SHOE WHICH EITHER COMPETITOR CAN BE INVOLVED IN THE MAKING OF.**

**EACH TEAM MUST CONSIST OF ONE 1ST & 2ND YEAR AND ONE 3RD & 4TH YEAR APPRENTICE. FAILURE TO DO SO WILL MEAN DISQUALIFICATION.**

Individual prizes will be awarded to 1st & 2nd Year and 3rd & 4th Year and overall team winners with shoe A+B+C added together.

* *Best Leicestershire Apprentice*

# ENTRY FEE: £35

# RULES AND CONDITIONS

1. These competitions are for indentured apprentices and registered farriers only.
2. The decision of the Judge(s) on all matters is final.
3. The Leicestershire Branch of the NAFB&AE reserves the right to limit the entries. Entries will be accepted in the order received and places allocated on a first come, first served basis.
4. **NO** entry will be accepted without the accompanying fee.
5. Entries will only be accepted by post on the official entry form – telephone entries will **not** be accepted.
6. Competitors are required to be present and be ready to commence work at the time notified, failure to comply will disqualify.
7. Competitors must start and finish on the bell, no overtime will be allowed.
8. Open competitors must accept the foot allocated to them.
9. Competitors will provide their own tools and Striker. Strikers will not be allowed on the shoeing floor and will not assist competitors beyond their capacity as Strikers.
10. To comply with Health & Safety Regulations, all persons in the forge area must wear protective footwear, safety glasses and apron/chaps. **No** person will be allowed on the shoeing area without the above safety measures. All competitors to wear and provide their own personal protective equipment.
11. Protests should be made in writing to the Show Secretary within one hour of the occurrence referred to **and** be accompanied by a fee of £10.
12. All work completed at the Show is the property of the Leicestershire Branch of the NAFB&AE.
13. Entries on the day will be at the full prize i.e. £40 members and £35 apprentices.
14. Prizes will be to the equivalent of money or to the value of the money outlined in the schedule.
15. Class 2 – Must consist of one 1st & 2nd Year and one 3rd & 4th Year apprentice, failure to do so will result in disqualification.
16. The committee reserve the right to have the final decision on the day of the competition.