



BFBA National Championships 2023

Farrier Competition

Judges

Mr A Ferrie FWCF

Mr G Golby AWCF

Mr R Jones DipWFC

**To Be Held At
Defence Animal Training Regiment
Ashfordby Road
Melton Mowbray
LE13 0HX**

Please note that entries close 3rd November 2023

Saturday 25th November

This 'class' is open to those competitors with 1st, 2nd or 3rd placings in Open National and County Competition including the BFBA Lockdown League during the previous five years.

Every competitor in the Championship to be a current year BFBA member. A list of competitors and their strikers will be submitted to the BFBA office prior to the start of the Championship in order to check entry eligibility.

Open Class:

- Each competitor to make, fit and nail on a $\frac{3}{4}$ " fuller shoe, toe clip front and quarter clipped hind on one allocated foot.
- Make one heavy horse hind shoe from $17\frac{1}{2}$ " x $1\frac{1}{4}$ " x $\frac{1}{2}$ " with Calkins and plain stamped nail holes hammer drawn toe clip, size to suit.
- Make one deep seated fullered bar shoe $1\frac{1}{2}$ " – 6" wide $6\frac{1}{2}$ " long. No Tool striking another in the making of the clip, no flatters
- Time limit 75 minutes
- Striker allowed

This class is open to 24 competitors on a first come first served basis.

Entry fee is £120. [Please see entry form.](#)

Apprentice class:

This 'class' is open to those competitors who are officially recorded as 1st, 2nd, 3rd or 4th year apprentices with the Farriers Registration Council.

- **Each apprentice competitor to make:**
- **Front straight bar shoe from 7/8" x 3/8" - 16½" fullered concave section**
- **Front deep seated open heel shoe plain stamped from 1" x ½" – 11½" flat section**
- **Time limit 50 minutes Apprentice**
- **Striker allowed**

This class is open to 24 competitors on a first come first served basis.

Entry fee is £30. **Please see entry form**

Accommodation

Premier Inn Melton Mowbray Hotel LE13 1JE

The Harboro Hotel 01664 560121 LE13 1AF

Sysonby Knoll Hotel 01664 563563 LE13 0HP

Quorn Lodge Hotel 01664 566660 LE13 0HR

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