

43rd ANNUAL BRONZE MEDAL SHOW

Powderham Castle, Kenton, Exeter, Devon

Sunday, 17 June 2018



Section B 2 or 3 year old filly class

Thank you to everyone for supporting, helping and skivvying at the show to make it such an enjoyable day for all. Judy Pring, secretary extraordinaire, who ran the day so smoothly and with good heart even when tested! Annie Edwards and Jean Waldron for being her 'right hands' on the entries desk. Sue and Janet Hardy for their tireless support, wisdom and enthusiasm. Kay Wisker, the hostess with the mostest, who served judges/stewards lunches from her parlour all day without a word of complaint and stayed right to the end to pack up everything (we even showed the gazebos who was boss!). Our stewards Sam Pring; Ann John Brice, Helen Jeans, Paul Davis, Paul Windsor-Horne, Meg Andrews (we stole her from Dawlish Show!) I really hope I haven't missed anyone. Our judges, Sara Glazebrook, Helen Myers, Lesley Hilliard, Dai Williams, Sonia Smith and Lorraine Partridge, who did a splendid job as always. Vicky Stephens, thank you for wonderful cold meats and apple pie to serve to the judges, and for the loan of the walkie-talkie radios. Sharon Gay for donating clotted cream for the pie, and also for helping put up the rings with me on Thursday. Cathy Andrews (also pinched from Dawlish!) you are a star turn and have helped very much in the set-up for the day. Holly Bates, PA announcer with professional flair! Thanks to my employers Stile Farm Feeds for loan of a gazebo, chairs, tables and sponsoring the unaffiliated ring schedules. And last but not least our generous sponsors.

You are all amazing. Thank you xx Oops, forgot the trade stands! Love at First Bite catering & BLM Photography, I hope you had a profitable day!



Diptford Birdsong

Reserve Supreme In Hand, In Hand Welsh Part Bred Champion and Overall Part Bred Champion

Yes, we could have done with a few more entries in a couple classes, but those forward were all of a lovely standard. It proves that you don't have to have hundreds of ponies forward to find the good ones; they are always there. Quality over quantity every time.

Nicki McGuire



PS: What a lovely surprise to arrive at the field the next day and find that Sharon Gay and her son Wilf had taken down all the rings and collected all the litter.