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"BABY'S FIRST STEPS"

A PHOTO TAKEN BY BONNIE BARBEY OF A LOVELY NEWBORN WELSH COB FILLY IN WALES TRYING OUT HER VERY SUBSTANTIAL, BUT WOBBLY, LEGS FOR THE VERY FIRST TIME.

**Sincere apologies to John Levy and Mary's Prince of Wales. I put them down in the last issue in the WPCSA National Yearend Awards as being 3rd in the Cob Stallion category. They were actually tied for Reserve Champion.
So Sorry!**

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FROM THE EDITOR

A little hospitality goes a long way! Have you ever wondered why people who attended a show that you helped sponsor never returned after that first year they came? Or why that great judge whom everyone was raving about refuses to come back and judge again for your club? A little inhospitality goes a long way, too!

This is a topic that has been on my mind for a long time now, but my writing this article was actually triggered by a phone call that I received from the U.K. today. It seems that a number of the Welsh and British judges are becoming reluctant to travel to the USA because our treatment of them has been a great deal less than hospitable.

Getting a judge from overseas is very different than having good old Frank from the next town arrive an hour before the show starts and return to his cozy, warm bed an hour after it is over. Most often, the judges from the U.K. have to schedule a week in the USA to obtain a reasonable airfare. This means that sometimes they will arrive well before the show is scheduled to take place and other times they will remain in this country well after it ends. The hosting club or clubs must take this into consideration and not only have someone to meet them at the airport, but have a non-competing member that is willing to help them see the sights and get around before and after the show. Often, the visiting judge has no rental car and depositing him (or her) at a hotel or other facility and disappearing leaves him with no means of transportation. Hotel T.V. only has limited entertainment value!

Many of the visiting judges come from very small towns or villages and feel utterly lost in a big city. Your city may seem small and friendly to you, but it may be a booming metropolis to someone from a town of 50, including the sheep and horses. A number of them will stay in their rooms rather than tackle the seemingly overwhelming giant of the public transportation system or pay the high rates of the taxi cab. Again, have someone show them around and take them out for meals, if only dinner. Better yet, invite them over to your house for dinner. Small gestures mean a lot. What could have been an exciting and fun trip for these people can become a nightmare because no one thought of their needs ahead of time. There will be judges who are very self sufficient and independent that will have their own plans already made, but don't neglect to offer!

At the show, DON'T skip lunch! This is a tricky one due to classes running longer than estimated, but DON'T skip lunch! In Wales the judges are treated to a really fine lunch that is at least an hour long. They feel truly and rightly slighted when they either get no lunch break at all or a cold burger and fries is handed to them. If the show is running longer than usual and cannot be delayed (as in the case of another breed needing the arena

at a certain time) take a short break around noon and at least get them a snack with the promise of a nice meal later (paid for by the show with transportation provided). If there is no decent restaurant nearby, Betty, who has been the host to the judge and is not showing that day, can have some wonderful and scrumptious meal ready so the judge can sit down in a comfortable setting and relax while eating. Get creative! A card table with a table cloth and some flowers in a quiet corner would be a nice touch. No disgruntled competitors allowed within 100 feet!

Granted, hosting clubs must be very careful what they do in socializing with a judge before the show, but there are no limitations afterwards! Remember, the judge may be there for a few more days. Show them the stud farms and entertain them. Make sure they are taken to the airport. At the WOW show last summer, Thalia and George Gentzel had the judge and her husband (and us out-of-towners) over for a BBQ. It was a great evening and made us feel welcome and appreciated. We had driven 1,500 miles to get there and had the same trip home ahead of us the next morning. It felt really wonderful to be taken care of.

Which brings me to "show hospitality" in general. I know it is a wonderful time to see all your friends and catch up on the gossip...but...I have personally been on the outside of the circle and know how it feels to have my Cobs stabled in some distant corner while no one says anything to me. Being the type of person I am, I chase people down and make them talk to me, but most people won't do this. Here is where the hosting club needs to intervene. Stable newcomers in with the old-timers and go out of your way to interact with them. Offer help, take them to lunch, throw a stable block party at lunchtime or after the evening classes. Be friendly! It is not the ribbons, trophies, or lovely scenery that they will remember. It is the personal touch, that feeling of being cared about and part of the group that will bring them back next year.

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The Welsh Mountain Pony: Savior of the Welsh Pony of Cob Type.

By Dr. Wynne Davies, M.B.E.

After the ravages of the Second World War, there were only two Welsh Pony of Cob type stallions (father and son) and four mares left in the world. I use the terms "Welsh Mountain Ponies" and "Welsh Ponies of Cob type" rather than sections A and C since, at that time (volume XXXII of the Welsh Stud Book, 1939 - 1948), section C contained both Welsh Ponies of Cob Type and Welsh Cobs and Section D referred to geldings from 11 hands to 16 hands.

The two stallions were Welsh Patriot (foaled 1939, photo p. 56 in "Welsh Pony Champions" by Wynne Davies and J.A. Allen, 1988) and his son, Welsh Echo, foaled in 1944 (photo p. 58). Welsh Patriot was sired by the Welsh Cob stallion, Cymro'r Wy out of Welsh Homage, daughter of Blaenntwrch Firefly, a Welsh Mountain Pony mare sired by one of the most famous Mountain Ponies of all time, Bleddfa Shooting Star. Welsh Patriot was champion Welsh Pony of Cob type or Riding type at the 1947 Royal Welsh Show and sadly died in 1948. Welsh Echo, surprisingly, had a greater influence on the Welsh Pony of Riding type (the current Sec. B.) than on the Welsh Pony of Cob type (current Sec. C) by being the g-g-sire of the renowned Downland Chevalier.

Fortunately, just before he died in 1948, Welsh Patriot served one of the remaining Welsh Pony of Cob type mares, Dewi Pride (3rd prize mare at the 1933 Royal Welsh Show when Ceulan Comet, owned and bred by my father, was champion). The colt foal born in 1949 was Teifi Brightlight II (photo taken by Wynne Davies in 1953 on page 60 of "Welsh Pony Champions") who went on to be Royal Welsh champion Welsh Pony of Cob type in 1953, 1955, 1956, 1958, 1960, 1961, 1962, and 1964. Teifi Brightlight II was registered as just Teifi Brightlight, but it is less ambiguous to refer to him as TB II since there had already been a Teifi Brightlight foaled in 1936, again out of Dewi Pride, but sired by the Mountain Pony, Bowdler Brightlight, which we had as stud stallion at Ceulan in 1933 and 1934 and was later exported to Farnley Farms, Virginia. The first Teifi Brightlight was exported to Germany in 1939. However, "two swallows do not make a summer": two stallions, Welsh Echo and Teifi Brightlight II (who were anyway half brothers) do not constitute a firm foundation for a whole breed and it was two stallions sired by Welsh

Mountain Ponies who came to safeguard the future of this most popular (nowadays) of the Welsh breeds:

1. Lyn Cwmcoed was bred by Joan, Viscountess Chetwynd in 1960, sired by the reigning Welsh Mountain Pony stallion, Coed Coch Madog (winner of 139 first prizes and 63 championships including nine times Royal Welsh Show male champion), out of Piercefield Lady Lillian, daughter of the Welsh Cob stallion, Brenin Gwalia and the Welsh Pony of Cob type mare, Dyffryn Rosina (photo taken by Wynne Davies in 1947 on p. 414 of "Welsh Ponies and Cobs", 1980).

2. Menai Fury was foaled in 1963 and sired by the Welsh Mountain Pony stallion, Gredington Oswalt (g-son of Coed Coch Madog) out of the Welsh Pony of Cob type, Menai Queen Bee, daughter of the Mountain Pony, Menai Queen Bess, (foaled in 1914) by Bleddfa Shooting Star.

Menai Fury soon make his mark at stud. His son, Synod William, foaled in 1969, won the Royal Welsh Show championship in 1971 (again in 1977, 1980, and 1981) while Menai Fury himself was not Royal Welsh champion (although he won second prize many times) until 1976! Synod William represented similar bloodlines to Lyn Cwmcoed, Dyffryn Rosina being g-dam of both. Synod William founded the dynasty of exceptional Welsh Ponies of Cob type now situated at Synod Stud which won the seventh successive championship at the 1997 Lampeter Show and for the 16th time since it was first presented in 1970, the Pauline Taylor Championship Trophy was awarded to Synod!

Welsh Pony of Cob type foals mature at the height of the dam rather than the sire. The Section C's produced in this way end up with good height and "pony" quality rather than section A height with Cob sized heads and characteristics when bred the other way around.

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FROM THE MAILBAG

Don & Lynda Lewis

Lyndon Acres, TX

We have a few exciting happenings that we would love to have printed in the next NACC! First is our exciting birth! Our Section D mare, Lady Jonquil, by Sydenham Nocturn, our of a Sec. C mare, TLWS Gwerthfawr Y Penrhyn, foaled on April 23rd. He is our first purebred Cob born at Lyndon Acres! (We've successfully bred and raised two Cob/TB crosses). His (pending) name is Lyndon's Comet ap Telynor--barn name "Comet". His sire is Charlotte Upchurch's stallion Okeden Telynor. He is bay, with a blaze and two front ankle socks and two 3/4 hind stockings! Comet's dam will get some well deserved time off from showing while she plays "Mom". She is the WPCSA South Central Region Champion Adult Cob Hunter in '95 and '96 and was Nationally ranked both years!

Next, we purchases the Section D gelding, Carol-D Midnight Ryan, from Carol and Dwain Gaus of Carol-D Pony Farm in February, 1997. Ryan is 14.3hh, two years old and continuing to grey and grow. Look for him in the Cob hunters soon!

Finally, we sold our five year old Section D gelding, Lyndon's Nocturnal Shadow, to Barb Villani of Elizabeth, CO at the end of April this year. He is the 1996 WPCSA South Central Region Reserve Champion Cob Gelding. His new duties will include foxhunting twice a week as well as some eventing, perhaps. Oh, those versatile Cobs!

Diane Isaacson

Chaparral Stud, California

Maryann Reece and I decided to visit Janina Owens and Maryann's Cob (imported) mare, Parc Ceridwen. Ceridwen is by champion Parc Welsh Flyer (deceased) and out of Parc Angharad. Her full sister is owned by Gordon Heard of Crossroads. Ceridwen is in foal for 1997 to champion Sec. B, Chaparrals Te Quiero.

The day before we left, Janina called to tell us to bring our boots and hard hats for a trail ride. When we arrived, Janina, Paige Hines, and Bridgett had our mounts all saddled. I was given the honor of riding champion *Lleyeswick Brenin. Maryann rode Ceridwen and Paige rode her B mare, Bambi Dear. Janina rode Jaycobs Tywysoges Meghan whom Janina had sold to me at four days of age and I had sold to Paige in 1996. Bridgett rode Jaycobs Tywysoges Cariad (Meghan's older full sister) whom Janina had sold to Maryann and Maryann sold to Samar Asfar.

Brenin, as usual, was the perfect gentleman in the company of 4 mares. Maryann and I were tickled to see the training Janina had put into Meghan and Cariad. Both mares were in beautiful condition and well behaved on city streets as well as on the trails. We saw them go over bridges, under bridges, through

streams and even under an eight lane freeway. The ride was lovely with plenty of greenery and sunshine. As we returned to Janina's we discussed how many people had learned to ride on Brenin. He had a six year old girl, Jackie, waiting for her 2nd lesson upon our return.

We had lunch and watched the antics of Janina's Jack Russell Terriers. I have never laughed so much. We all decided that she needed a video so she could win the world's funniest video's with them.

Janina agreed to take my two stallions in training and at stud in March. Ch. Chaparral's Te Quiero (WPCSA Southwest B Champion) will be in training for harness and trail and Chaparral's Don Quixote in halter. They are half brothers. With the work involved in my medical business, it was necessary to find a trainer that I could trust to train Te Quiero in harness as I would. I was pleased to know that Janina was the only CA breeder to win 7 National Championships in 1996. What an honor!

Bonnie Barbey

Mynydd Hir Stud, Colorado

I hope that all of you are having a great foaling season. We have had three foals born to us this spring. Unfortunately, *Menai Elaina's colt died suddenly at eight days and we were all very sad. He was a very nice little boy and we had all become very attached to him. *Trefaes Belladonna and Megastar certainly came through with flying colors! Their son, Mynydd Hir Starbucks, is everything and more than we had hoped for from that cross. He just seems to have gotten the best of both in a combination that we think will surpass the two of them. As they are both Supreme Nat'l Champions, this should be great! Sadly, for me, everyone wants to keep him here and we have run out of pastures for stallions. That means I have to sell my baby, two year old Mynydd Hir Rising Star (Megastar x Menai Crugddu) that I was saving for matched pairs driving with Megastar and riding. He's just too nice to geld and we can only put stallions with certain groups in certain pastures.

Keoka Beryl (by *Nesscliffe Sunrise) presented us with a really lovely Megastar filly, Mynydd Hir Aspen Maiden, a dark bay with two hind socks and a star. She has the nicest personality of anything we've put on the ground. She is into everything that you're doing, but never gets pushy as some babies can tend to do. We like her movement alot as it is big and bold, but has a very feminine quality. Both she and Starbucks got pony heads, which pleases us no end. We have heard from some of our outside breeders. Fran Martin's *Okeden Clover had a filly, Martin's Tiger Lily, with ALL the trimmings, four whites and a blaze, including a lovely pony head and tiny ears. We have received several phone calls from Cob owners who have seen her to tell us

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how nice she really is! Gretchen Aitken of Oregon got a fine chestnut colt from Abby's Holiday and we hear he has all the trimmings, too. Congratulations guys! We are still awaiting more news.

We had a fun thing happen in May. There was a farrier's convention/seminar here in Durango and we got a call from the organizer saying that the farrier who was going to lead the seminar and do a shoe-making demonstration was Grant Moon from the Isle of Man. He had been on the Welsh shoeing team for years and had worked at the Royal Welsh for 5 years. Did we have a cob for him to use in the demonstration? Well, Brenhines was more than willing to participate, so about 100 farriers got a great look at a Cob while learning to make their shoes properly. I don't know about you, but getting the right shoes, and angles, and length, and size can be an incredible nightmare! Hopefully the good ol' cowboys 'round these here parts will know now that there is a big difference between shoeing a quarter horse and a Cob.

We went to the Carousel Horse Show in Scottsdale, Arizona in March. Wow, what a facility. Really the nicest we've been to! Wendy Borst of Phoenix worked extremely hard and got Welsh classes included in this multi breed show. I think that the Arabian, Morgan, Saddlebred, Hackney, etc...breeders were impressed by our Welsh. We had several purchase offers on our Cobs, although we weren't about to sell any of the three we brought. Geler Megan won an impressive youngstock (2 & under) Cob class. Megastar won the adult class with his half sister, *Minyffordd Maid of Honor (both out of Beech-Hay Dairy Maid) owned by Wendy Borst, taking second. Megastar went on to win the Cob Championship with Maid of Honor Reserve and then the Supreme Championship with Sec. A, Ceulan Lwcas Reserve. It was fun! We were pleased to do so well as we came from several feet of snow in Colorado to the 95 degree heat wave in Phoenix with some pretty heavy winter coats on our Cobs.

We did have a MAJOR disappointment at the show. We had concentrated fully on Megastar's riding and had only driven him once since September. We had him really working well and brought our trainer to the show to ride him first time out. I'll be riding him in the future. When David, our trainer, worked Mig the day before the show, a large crowd of owners



David Bradbury on *Minyffordd Megastar

and trainers of all breeds stopped their work and gathered on the rails to watch. They made a BIG impression and we handed out alot of cards and information. The roadster people went nuts! The height of his action combined with the big extension really excited everyone! The next day the driving classes were first, following the morning halter, and as Daniel and I watched him in the ring, Mig just wasn't himself. I mean, he did everything nicely, but Megastar, Mr. Fire and Flash, was nowhere to be found. He got a fourth...out of four horses! We took him to his stall, got out the thermometer and...105.2 degrees! Imagine how bad we felt. Imagine how bad HE felt! He had been off his feed for two full days and had seemed a bit warm, but it never crossed our minds that it was anything but travel and hot weather. DUH! We had to withdraw him from all remaining classes and nurse him for the next three days. Hose water isn't very cool in that climate, so hosing him down didn't help much. Brenhines got it, too. We felt like we had brought in the bubonic plague. Bummer.

Speaking of the plague, we went on a visit to the east coast and visited with a few breeders out thataway. We stayed with Jean Shemilt who treated us like royalty...especially since our son, Nathan, had 103 fever and a nasty cough and cold. We planted Nathan in a cozy bedroom upstairs, gave him the antibiotics that Jean's doctor phoned in for us, and set off to spend a few hours touring Farnley and Shenandoah. We had lunch with Mrs. Dunning and her daughter, Hetty Abeles. We had a wonderful visit. I thought we had a lot of horses! I think they had 140 or so. The next day we went to Kate Shields farm and gleaned as much driving info out of her as possible in a couple of hours. A delightful luncheon and visit with Gordon Heard of Crossroads ended our afternoon, we nipped back to Jean's house, gathered up Nathan, and got up to Reading, PA in time for our early morning meeting on Tuesday. By the way, if you visit Gordon Heard, expect at least one of your mares to foal at least 1-2 weeks early the day you see him. We've been there twice and we had foals born both mornings!

Anyway, everyone is fine now and we're looking forward to the American Nationals in Tulsa in September. Hope to see you all there!

News from North Central

Thalia Gentzel, Yesteryear/Helicon, IL

We are very excited about our new winter property near Alachua, Florida. Helicon Oaks is at 10919 NW 202 St., the same road on which Randall and Celia Evans live at Newberry to the south. We already feel so much at home although we will not be migrating until November.

Our Cobs, Helicon Steppin' Out and *Fronarth Lady's Delight returned late in May from harness training with Don Swenson and we are really looking forward to driving throughout the winter instead of "warehousing" in the frigid Illinois climate. Our location is idyllic with majestic oaks and sandy roads with canopies of branches meeting overhead. We will take as many animals as the trailer will hold comfortably, including our old stal-

From the Mailbag continued

lion, Glannant Epic (33 years old). He is the oldest active Welsh stallion in the U.S. and the U.K.. Parc Welsh Flyer, grandsire of our Delight had been their oldest, but he has now passed away.



*Blaengwen Dafydd y Gwas

On our previous visit to Florida in March we were especially eager to see the Evans' *Blaengwen Dafydd y Gwas as he was bred by Nicola Jones and her father Les Davies who own Supreme Champion, Blaengwen Brenin, sire of Delight. We were not disappointed in the handsome and versatile Dafydd! Mike and Lynda Gillen-Smith were at Dragon's Lair at the same time so we had an excellent Cob con-fab!

By the time this is printed, Celia and her helpers will have presented the Welsh Pony and Cob to the throngs at Equitana. The Cob helpers are Ruth Laufer of PA and George and myself from IL. Cob representatives are Celia's Dafydd and a Sec. C filly foal of his. We can rejoice in having such an amazing promoter as Celia in our ranks!

In the Wisconsin-Illinois stateline area we have had a



Knightwynd's Super Model

tremendous influx of quality Sec. D Cobs in the past six months. Bill Nielsen and family of Eau Claire, WI bought a pair of black geldings from CA. The pair, Dylan and Merlin have learned to drive and ride. Klaus Biesenthal, CDE expert with *Brynarian Briton and various combinations of his offspring, has purchased the Laufer's fillies, Knightwynd's Supermodel (*Parc Dilwyn x *Menai Mighty Model) and Windcrest White Diamonds (*Okeden Welsh Flyer x *Okeden Honeysuckle). Klaus is very pleased with these youngsters as well as homebreds from his *Ratibor son (Warmblood) and *Brynarian Briton mares. Klaus has an impres-

sive new property in the hills west of Freeport, IL and receives visitors most graciously.

Another new Sec. D arrival is Fran Martin's captivating



Windcrest White Diamonds

bay filly from *Minyffordd Megastar and *Okeden Clover, National Supreme and Grand Champions. Fran enjoys showing off her baby, Martin's Tiger Lily, at the Checki's Hillcrest Acres, Franksville, WI. Gayle Holcomb of Orfordville, WI is the proud owner of Wyvere Flying Duchess, a brown two year old, also from Nation Champion parents, Winterlake Alexander and *Lidgett Black Bess. At last year's WOW August show Gayle's Sec. B was stabled on the same aisle as the Barbey's. So impressed was Gayle with the Cobs that she brought husband, Kevin, back the next day to see them - and the acquisition of Duchess is the result! Pat Cunningham of Villa Park, IL journeyed to Kate Shields' Hastening Farm in VA to select the typey three year old black gelding, Hastening Riff Raff. (Hastening Tywysog Cymru x *Kentchurch Bonnie Mae) The six purchases and the Martin filly are all 100% Sec. D and all purchased from over 600 miles away (animals or shipped semen) which certainly points out that there is a strong market for the pure Sec. D Cob!

In May George and I went to watch *Brynarian Briton, sire of our Helicon Steppin' Out, and owner Mary Ann Chambers participate in a dressage driving clinic with Barbara Thomas. Briton was impressive in his dressage tests, though looking atypical for a Cob as his mane was pulled for combined training events with trainer Laura Clarkson. Last year this duo posted some excellent scores in each of the phases. Briton continues to set the standards for versatility, motion, attitude, and temperament.

We hope to see many Cob exhibitors at the silver WE (Welsh Enthusiasts, a group of promotion-oriented friends) on July 19th at Watertown, WI and at the gold WOW Show (double judged halter) at Roscoe, IL on Aug. 16-17. Call Pam McGlynn at (414) 474-3935 or me (815) 624-7400 for particulars. The WE show features Cob halter, pleasure driving, and carriage driving divisions, but no ridden classes. WOW offers a full slate of halter, english, western, hunter, plus pleasure and carriage driving.

Caring For The Neonate Foal

by India Haynes

As spring approaches, mare owners are anxiously awaiting the culmination of nearly a years work; foaling. More than 90% of foalings occur without incident. While the Welsh Cob is generally of a hardy constitution and usually foals without problems, care and attention need to be paid to the neonate to make sure it progresses through the first crucial stages.

Signs of Foaling: It is said that you can be pretty sure that a mare is about to foal when you see two feet sticking out from under her tail. This is *generally* accurate. In the days approaching parturition, the mare's muscles will usually slacken either side of the tail giving a sunken look - not always the case in well furnished Cob mares. The vulva will slacken and the bag will sometimes fill. Some mares will show wax on their teats 12 -36 hours before foaling and some will run milk when foaling is imminent. Then, of course, there are mares who give no signs at all.

Unless you have reason to be concerned about the condition of the mare or foal you probably do not need to be present except, of course, out of interest. The most important thing is to have a safe and secure place for the mare to foal. Foaling out in a well fenced grassy field or paddock is closest to the horse's natural environment, and foals, usually, do well if they are due to be born in appropriate weather. Mares can successfully foal in the herd environment if the pasture is large enough for her to get away from the crowd. Avoid muddy or wet paddocks or poor fencing where the foal might roll under and get separated from its mom. If you plan to foal inside, prepare a large box stall with no hazards. The bedding will depend on the construction of the floor. We use a layer of shavings with a layer of straw over our concrete floor. The wet drains through the straw so there are no wet patches against the foal when it lays down. If you plan to monitor your mare, there are simple security type closed circuit television set ups. A baby audio monitor can also be useful. *(editors note: we have a relatively expensive, but utterly cool signalling device with insertable tampon transmitter that pops out of the mare when labor starts. It sets off an alarm in the barn and a beeper in the house. It then dials three phone numbers and a message plays informing the answerer that the mare is foaling. It saves on sleep deprived nights and you never miss the birth! It can monitor several mares simultaneously with extra tampons.)*

If you catch your mare in the act of foaling, the best advise is to butt- out and just watch, the mare knows much more about it than you do. Get a good book on foaling that demonstrates correct and abnormal foaling positions so that you can recognize what is within normal limits. If you have doubts, call your vet, ready to relay information. The foaling process usually takes under an hour from rupture of the amniotic fluid to having the foal

up on it's feet. Expulsion of the afterbirth occurs within ten minutes to eight hours. If it is not expelled within a short period of time, tie it up so it does not drag or get stepped on. Do not tug on it to remove it. If it is delayed contact the vet. A retained afterbirth can introduce infection into the mare's uterus. *(editor: if the vet is coming to check the newborn, keep the placenta in a bucket of water for him/her to examine. If not, spread the placenta out on the ground and check for any obviously missing parts and that both "horns" are present. Have your vet explain what these are and how to find them. Any retained piece of the placenta is life threatening for the mare.)*

The foal should emerge from the sack during the delivery process or as soon as it hits the ground. The foal can quickly suffocate if the sack is not ruptured. If you find the foal in the sack, rip it near the face of the foal and wipe its nose and sweep the mouth and stimulate its chest. A sort of equine CPR can be done if you hold the muzzle shut and breath through the nostril. Vigorous chest rubbing can stimulate the foal. *(editor: an inexpensive foal recusitator can be obtained through many avenues and left hanging in the barn. Make sure that you and your workers know how to use it properly, as an emergency is no time to read instructions.)*



Newborn at Gristhill Stud
photo by Bonnie Barbey

As soon as the foal is out of the mare, she will usually begin to lick it to dry and stimulate it. This is also a period of bonding for the mare and foal. In my opinion, it is far more important that the foal bond with the mare than a human, so I recommend that you are not over zealous with the imprint stuff. But you can step in with towels at this point and give it a brisk rub. The naval will usually rupture as the foal emerges from the mare. If it does not you can cut it when it stops pulsing. Douse the naval liberally with iodine to avoid the possibility of infection reaching the foal through this channel. *(ed: a shot glass filled with betadine is great for already standing foals)* The foal will usually try to stand within a half hour. You can give it a hand but don't be in too much of a panic to get it up - both the mare and foal are tired. It should be standing solidly within a couple of hours and attempting to nurse.

It is essential that the foal receive the mare's colostrum to ensure it has the necessary antibodies. If the foal appears weak, give it help standing and support it while it nurses. You may need someone to hold the mare - she may resent the interference.

If you are a novice you may feel more confident having the vet out to check the foal over. He/she will inspect the foal for problems such as cleft palate, joint problems, hernias, and general well being as well as inoculating for tetanus, and will also inspect the after-birth to be sure that it is intact.

It is important that the foal passes the meconium. If it does not pass fairly soon after the foal begins to nurse (the colostrum has a laxative effect) or the foal shows signs of straining, give it an enema - use a fleet type enema available in any drug store. (*ed: one cup of warm water with 1 tsp of dishwashing liquid will work also*) Try to observe the foal urinating. Occasionally foals develop *patent urachus* - when the urachus (the vessel that connects the fetal bladder to the placenta) fails to close at birth and urine is

expelled through the navel. The foal will take many naps which is normal and healthy but if the foal appears lethargic, weak or disoriented, the vet should be called.

If all is well and the weather is good, it will be fine to turn the mare and foal out. Monitor the foal to see that it is nursing, sometimes if the mare's udder becomes sore she may prevent the foal from nursing, exacerbating the problem. It is not advisable to increase the mare's grain ration right away. It usually just gives the foal diarrhea. You can expect a case of scours (diarrhea) at about 8-9 days after foaling when the mare has her foal heat. If it is severe usually a dose of Pepto-Bismol works.

The neonate foal is potentially subject to many illnesses and problems. Keep in mind that most foals thrive with little intervention. The discussion of all the possible outcomes is not within the scope of one article. I recommend *Breeding Management and Foal Development* published by Equine Research.

UPCOMING EVENTS CALENDAR

JULY

- 4&6** 1997 WPCSA Eastern National (NEWPA July Show), Syracuse, NY **GOLD** (double breeding),
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- 13-14** Santa Barbara National Horse Show Santa Barbara, CA **GOLD** (double breeding) Contact Rae
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- 19-20** Welsh Enthusiasts, Watertown, WI, **SILVER** Judge: Kim Sievers Contact Pam McGlynn (414)
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AUGUST

- 7-17** Winkleman Foundation Exhibit in Heritage Village at Iowa State Fair, Des Moines, IA
- 9-10** Ohio Welsh Association Show, Canfield, OH, **GOLD** (double breeding) Contact Russ Straub
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- 16-17** Maryland Pony Breeders, Bel Air, MD, **GOLD**, (double breeding) Contact Margaret Almond
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- 16-17** Welsh of Wisconsin, Roscoe IL, **GOLD** (double breeding) Judges: Cecile Hetzel-Dunne and
Caroline Bachman (U.K.) Contact Pam McGlynn (414) 474-3935
- 23-24** North West Welsh Classic, Spanaway, WA, **GOLD** (double breeding) Contact Cathleen Loesch
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SEPTEMBER

- 6-7** Michigan, Ionia MI, **GOLD** Contact Martha Stover (616) 345-6663
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- 27** 16th Annual First Fruits of Harvest, Lohrville, IA Contact Renee Wilson (515) 544-3340

OCTOBER

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LOOK WHO'S NEW IN THE NURSERY

Victoria's Secret Born to Cwmfelen Haf (Sec D) a Palomino filly by Dapper Dan (Paint) on Victoria Day, June 19th, 1997. Owned by Hillary Tolhurst, Cwmfelen Stud

Mynydd Hir Starbucks (*Minyffordd Megastar x *Trefaes Belladonna) a bay colt, hind stocking, star with conjoined lightning bolt stripe. Also born **Mynydd Hir Aspen Maiden**, (*Minyffordd Megastar x Keoka Beryl x *Nesscliffe Sunrise) a mahogany bay filly, two hind socks, large star. Owned by the Barbey family, Mynydd Hir Stud.

Martin's Tiger Lily (*Minyffordd Megastar x *Okeden Clover) a bay filly, 4 socks and a blaze. Owned by Fran Martin
Lone Tree's Giorgio (*Minyffordd Megastar x Abby's Holiday) a chestnut colt, 4 socks and a blaze. Also, **Lone Tree's Lark in the Morning**. (Lone Tree's Romeo x Nocturn's Crown Sensation) A bay filly, two socks and a blaze. Owned by Gretchen Aitken.

Born in April '97 a long legged, gorgeous chestnut colt with lots of personality, two hind socks, star and blaze to *Okeden Britannia out of the TB stallion, Sun Master Owned by Jill Stryffeler

Lascaux Grove Welsh welcomed a Sec C. dun colt to the Cob world on Memorial Day. The first foal by *Menai Portrait out of Glendower Liberty. Three anklets, a star & stripe. Cute, Cute, Cute!

North Fork's Lord Nelson Born to *Llanarth Nansi by proud Papa, Canterbrook's Llwynog Ddu (Travallion's Royal Consort x Uplands Empress). A handsome bay colt. We're proud to welcome him. Owned by Carol Holcombe, North Fork Farm



IN THE KITCHEN WITH ANNA

A Vegetarian Evening

Tomato Soup

2 T oil	1 green pepper
2 stalks of celery	1 carrot
1 t oregano	1 1/2 t basil
2 14oz cans of tomatoes	
1 1/4 pints of water	
salt, sugar, & pepper to taste	

Chop veggies and saute them in oil. Add herbs and cook 2 min. Add tomatoes, salt, pepper, and sugar and cook 20 min. Blend in blender. Mix a small amount of the soup with some flour, milk, and white wine vinegar. Add to soup and stir until thickened.

Potato Crusted Lentil Hotpot

3/4 c lentils	5 medium sized potatoes
2 T oil	2 medium carrots
2 medium onions	3 stalks of celery
3 cloves crushed garlic	1 t curry powder
1 cup water/vegetarian stock cube	
2 T fresh parsley	2 T tomato paste
1 oz butter	1/2 t paprika powder

Boil the lentils for 10 min. Drain and rinse. Par boil spuds (potatoes). Stir fry the onions, carrots, garlic, and celery in oil for 5 min. Add the curry and cook 1 min. longer. Add tomato paste and water and the vegetarian stock cube. Bring to boil and simmer 10 min. Stir in parsley and lentils and spoon into a casserole dish. Slice the potatoes on top. Brush with melted butter. Sprinkle paprika on top and bake in medium oven (375 degrees) for 20 minutes.

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 We often spend an evening at my brother, Jonathan's, home in Llansilin, a few miles from here. As he is a vegetarian he is often found in his kitchen creating new recipes. He grows his own vegetables and herbs. On a summer evening we sit out in his garden with the magnificent views of the surrounding hills and enjoy his wonderful vegetarian meals.

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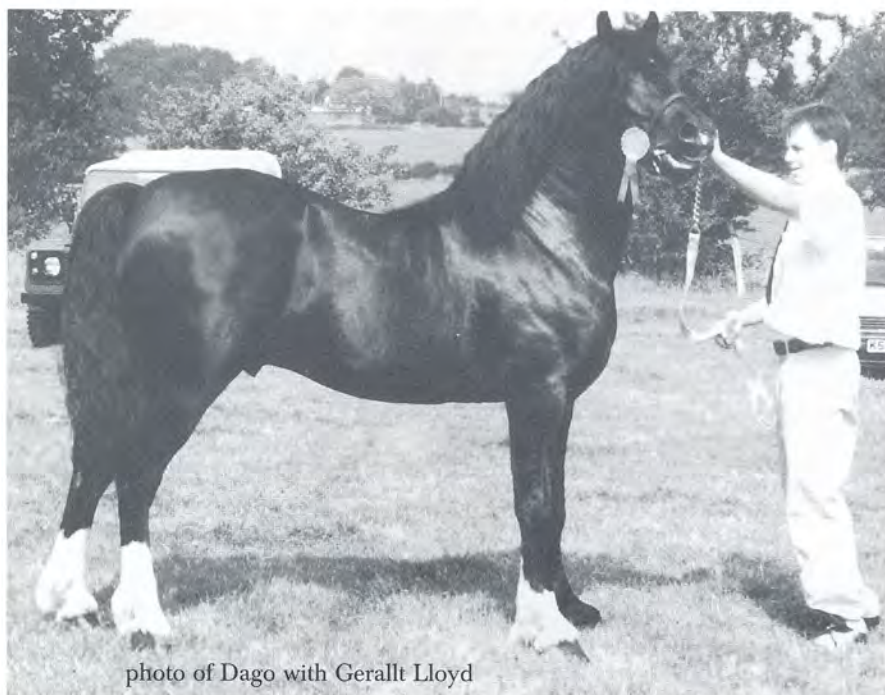
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Geler Dago
Welsh Cob Stallion *Born 1991*

Sire:
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Victor
30111



Dam:
Geler Sali
by
Parc Welsh
Flyer
5861

photo of Dago with Gerallt Lloyd

Dark bay in colour, Dago stands 15hh with clean, flat bone combined with high stepping forward moving action. Not shown until four years old when he made an immediate impact, winning a Welsh Pony & Cob Society Premium at the Lampeter Stallion Show, followed by a string of first prizes and championships over the following two years.

Though very much an infant at present, he has, nevertheless, had busy covering seasons, siring show winners and sale topping progeny. More of his stock should come to the fore in adult classes over the next few seasons.

His sire, Ystrad Dewi Victor, whom he very much resembles, was quite an outstanding stallion, who possessed an unique charisma, but who unfortunately died at the very early age of six years. He was bred at Ystrad Dewi who sold him as a yearling to Tugwell & Thomas, Bwlchllan Stud.

Dago dam, Geler Sali, bred from a long line of champion mares, is by Parc Welsh Flyer, and has proved a prolific breeding mare. Her progeny, apart from Geler Dago include Geler Noa, Geler Sara, Geler Naomi, Geler Llywelyn, Geler Megan, Geler Desert Queen, and now in 1997, just born, a bay filly with a star and small white socks. All of Sali's progeny have in one way or another, made their mark.

Here's wishing Dago luck, health, and success as he nears maturity. Long may he strive to enfuse his own particular bloodlines far and wide as his own personal contribution in conserving the future of Welsh Cob breeding!

Geler Tywysoges
by
Geler Dago
out of
Geler Brenhines
filly born 1996



CAROUSEL HORSE SHOW

WPCSA Bronze, March, 1997 Scottsdale, AZ

Judge: Susan Stevens

by Bonnie Barbey

The Carousel Horse Show in Scottsdale, AZ in March of this year was a delightful experience for all who attended and competed. The facility, Horserworld, is really well set up with solid (we Cob owners like the word "solid" don't we!) permanent stalls, huge workout arenas (many of them), and a gigantic, magnificent sunken, covered arena with plenty of comfortable seating. Running the Cobs in hand was like running a 10K. It's not often that we get plenty of trotting room! Great footing, too! No cement under the shavings in the corners for you to slip on.

The weather was sunny...perhaps a bit TOO at 95 degrees, and the concession stands got rich off of the parched exhibitors. I hear that this temperature is unusual, a record breaking high for March. Maybe it's just my luck, but whenever I go somewhere, a some record is broken. "We've just never seen 5 tornados in one day before." "23 inches of rain in a half hour is really unusual around here!" "Snow in August? Unheard of!" Joking, but it sure seems like it always happens to me!

We were sharing the main arena with many different breeds as this was a multi breed show. The judges all sat at nice tables in the center of the arena by a small gazebo trophy/announcer hut with lots of cold drinks available. We had plenty of time between classes to prepare as our classes were interspersed with all the other breeds and not in one big block. The show was well managed and moved along nicely, pretty much sticking to it's planned schedule. In the Welsh performance classes Sections A,B,C,D, and half Welsh were combined, giving bronze points instead of silver. This was done so that we would have full classes and I don't think there was one class cancelled. A few competitors chose not to attend because of this combining of sections. As this was the first year that we were invited to be a part of the prestigious Carousel Horse Show most of us felt that our support and attendance would not only put us in a position to be included again in the future, but would give us a chance to exhibit our Welsh with many other breeds. I felt it was well worth the trip (only 9 hours, a shorty for us!) and effort and would not hesitate to participate in the future. A great deal of thanks goes to Wendy Borst of Moonlight Ranch, Phoenix, for her tireless work in juggling all of the details of our division and getting it worked out so nicely.

The results below are only the Cobs, so there are ponies of other sections who placed that are not shown, thus the gaps in the report.

HALTER DIVISION

<u>Horse</u>	<u>Owner</u>
C/D FILLIES, COLTS, GELDINGS, 2 & UNDER	
1st Geler Megan	Todd & Bonnie Barbey
2nd Synod Red Miriam	Wendy Borst
3rd Minyffordd Midnight Moon	Wendy Borst
4th Desert Moon Premiere	Wendy Borst
5th Menai Cyfamod	Wendy Borst
C/D MARES, STALLIONS, GELDINGS, 3 & OVER	
1st Minyffordd Megastar	Todd & Bonnie Barbey
2nd Minyffordd Maid of Honour	Wendy Borst
3rd Jaycobs Tywysoges Meghan	Paige Hines
4th Haightmoor Brenhines	Todd & Bonnie Barbey

5th Mary's Cadi	Karen Roundtree
6th Jaycob's Prince of Wales	Karen Roundtree

CHAMPION AND RESERVE
 Champion Minyffordd Megastar
 Reserve Ch. Minyffordd Maid of Honour

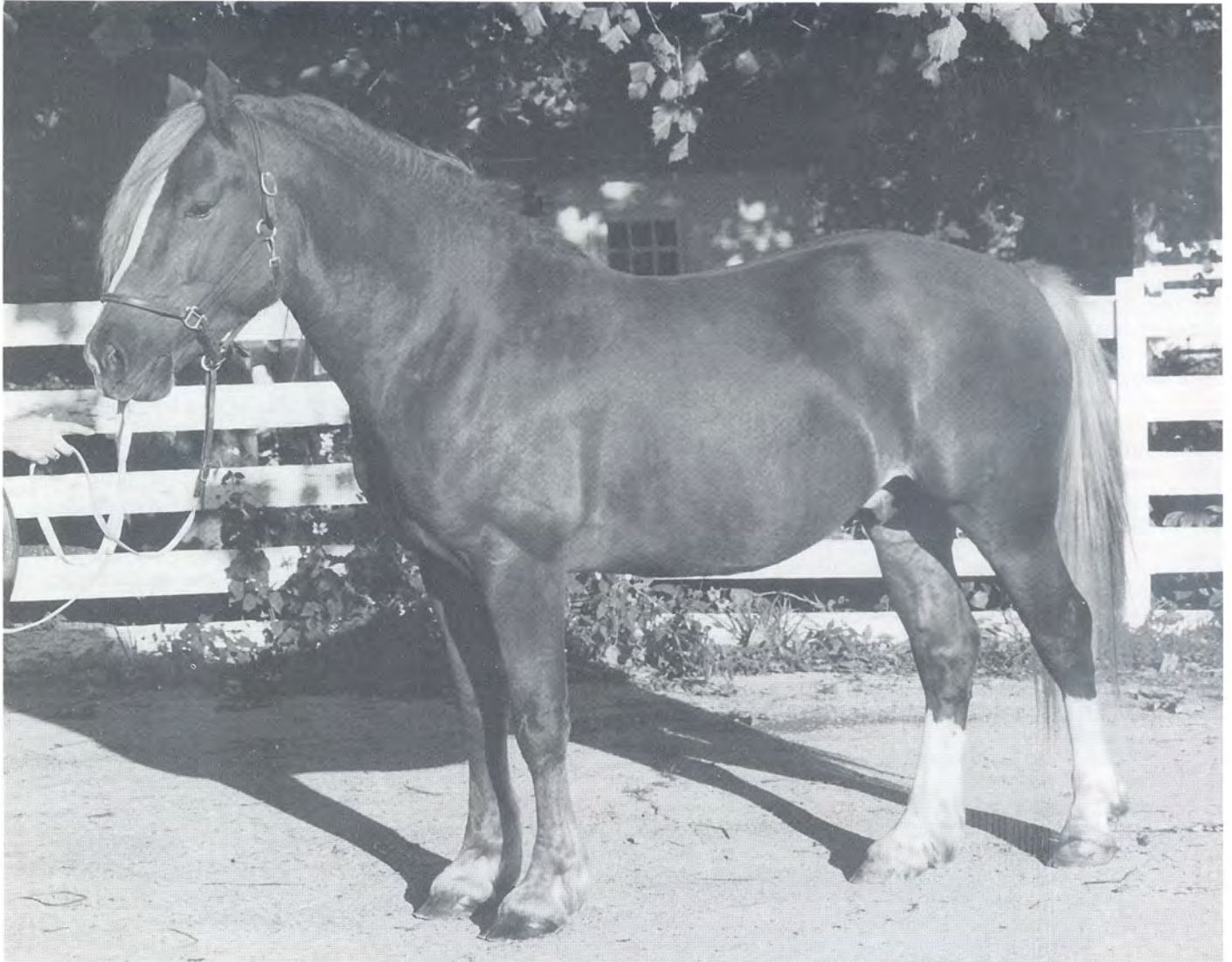
SUPREME CHAMPION
 Supreme Champion Minyffordd Megastar
 Reserve Ch. (Sec A stallion) Ceulan Lwcas

PERFORMANCE DIVISION

<u>Horse</u>	<u>Owner/Rider/Driver</u>
OPEN ENGLISH PLEASURE, CONFORMATION	
2nd Lleyeswick Brenin	Janina Owens
3rd Jaycobs Tywysoges Meghan	Paige Hines ridden by Janina Owens
4th Mary's Cadi	Karen Roundtree ridden by Kelly Arbaut
OPEN ENGLISH PLEASURE, WORKING	
1st Lleyeswick Brenin	Janina Owens ridden by Paige Hines
2nd Mary's Cadi	Karen Roundtree ridden by Kelly Arbaut
4th Jaycobs Tywysoges Meghan	Paige Hines ridden by Janina Owens
6th Nocturn's Supreme Honor	Wendy Borst
OPEN ENGLISH PLEASURE, STAKES	
1st Lleyeswick Brenin	Janina Owens ridden by Paige Hines
3rd Mary's Cadi	Karen Roundtree ridden by Kelly Arbaut
4th Nocturn's Supreme Honor	Wendy Borst
5th Jaycobs Tywysoges Meghan	Paige Hines ridden by Janina Owens
OPEN HUNTER UNDER SADDLE	
2nd Lleyeswick Brenin	Janina Owens
4th Nocturn's Supreme Honor	Wendy Borst ridden by Kelli Dempster
OPEN HUNTER OVER FENCES, CONFORMATION	
2nd Lleyeswick Brenin	Janina Owens ridden by Paige Hines
OPEN HUNTER OVER FENCES, WORKING	
1st Nocturn's Supreme Honor	Wendy Borst ridden by Kelli Dempster
3rd Lleyeswick Brenin	Janina Owens ridden by Paige Hines
OPEN PLEASURE DRIVING, CONFORMATION	
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Horse	Owner/Rider
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3rd Heather Hill Dylan ap Pendefig	"
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PERFORMANCE DIVISION

C/D CONFORMATION PLEASURE DRIVING

1st River Rock Merlin	Wm. Nielsen driven by Susie Weiss
2nd Hillcrest's Red Baron	George Griffith
3rd Fronarth Lady's Delight	George & Thalia Gentzel driven by Geo. Gentzel

C/D PLEASURE DRIVING WORKING

1st River Rock Merlin	Wm. Nielsen driven by Susie Weiss
2nd Hillcrest's Red Baron	George Griffith
3rd Fronarth Lady's Delight	George & Thalia Gentzel driven by Geo. Gentzel

C/D CONF. PLEASURE DRIVING STAKE

1st River Rock Merlin	Wm. Nielsen driven by Susie Weiss
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The Rocky Mountain Welsh Pony and Cob Club hosted a driving clinic in Utah in May of this year. It was open to all breeds and took place at Melville Arabians. WPCSA Director and judge Norman Kalinski was gracious enough to fly in and teach the one day seminar.

Norm started out by instructing us on how to select a proper driving horse or pony, going over conformation, movement, and several other factors. He then introduced us to different types of driving and taught us some of the basics for getting started. We went over styles of harness, bits, vehicles, and training aids. He showed us on a volunteer horse how to properly fit a harness, bit, crupper, etc... He had Jim and Melody Ashman build a *travois* (a two shaft with a crossbar device that you use for the "ready to hitch, but I'd like to not destroy my buggy" phase of training) out of PVC pipe and we hitched up our volunteer and ground drove him. (Hint: don't back up with one of these contraptions!)



A couple of other volunteer horse/ponies helped us out in the lunging, ground driving phase of the seminar and most of us got a crack at serpentine and figure eights. The ponies and horses were extremely patient, even the ones who were doing these things for the very first time!

After lunch, we got our horses out one by one and hitched them up. We got to drive them and receive personal instruction and suggestions from Norm. He drove some of the animals. He went over showing techniques, how to use the arena, proper reverses, attire, and etiquette. We



even practiced the proper way to line up and to receive our ribbons. Our victory passes were impressive!

That evening, we all gathered and watched driving videos. Norm had some good ones of some shows in which he had driven and some he had judged. We watched a little bit of the '96 Royal Welsh Driving classes. He had us evaluate and place the horses in some of the classes and we got reasonably good at it.

It was a fine day for all of us and we came away with some really valuable knowledge. Most of us felt capable of going home and tackling the training of those rowdy colts and fillies out in the pastures. Our thanks to the RMW-PCA for their work and sponsorship of this event and to Norman Kalinski for his informative teaching.

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painting of the late Pentre Eiddwen Comet. Royal Welsh Ch. '51,'53, '56-'59. Sire of Parc Welsh Flyer, Nebo Black Magic, Tyhen Comet, Llanarth Flying Comet, etc...



Mabnesscliffe Survivor (Craignant Flyer x Hewid Wendy x Hewid Cardi)
Sire of *Nesscliffe Sunrise



Mr. Hughs of Craignant Stud with portrait of Craignant Flyer (Parc Welsh Flyer x Trefaes Valmi x Hafrena Brenin)



Philippa Owens with Cascob Dafydd Ddu (Brenin Dafydd x Belton Black Beauty x Nebo Black Magic) G-Sire of *Minyffordd Mona Lisa & *Minyffordd Midnight Moon in the USA



George Gentzel and Ceredigion Tywysog at Frongoy (Fronarth) Royal Welsh Youngstock Champion 1975
Grandsire of *Parc Dilwyn in USA



Ceredigion Tywysog and Gwyn Jones at Frongoy (Brenin Dafydd x Tyngwndwn Malen x Brenin Gwalia)



Blaengwen Brenin on the move



Les Davies' & Nicola Jones' Blaengwen Brenin (Pompren Prince Hal x Synod Ruby Ann x Brynymor Welsh Magic) Supreme Champion at Lampeter this spring. Sire of *Fronarth Lady's Delight in USA



Blaengwen Brenin

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