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LOOK OUT FLORIDA !!

The COBS are coming, The COBS are coming !!

by Celia Evans, Dragon's Lair Welsh

When we returned to Florida in 1991, most of the horse people here thought "Welsh" meant a pony that was just a little bigger than a Shetland or some kind of crossbred. They had no idea of what a Cob was. In fact, some of the people putting on AHSA rated shows are still spelling Cob, cobb. Up until 1995, the only Cob we saw in Florida was our "Wonderful Winter Visitor," *Kentchurch Chime, performing at the Winter Dressage Shows. It was fun standing by the warm-up ring listening to people, watching Chime. "Isn't he CUTE!" "He is ADORABLE!" "What do you think he is?" These same people were standing with their mouths hanging open as Chime came across the diagonal at the extended trot, and the comments were: "WOW!" "Did you see that!" "That is what I'd call extended!" So Chime gave Florida it's first glimpse into the wonderful breed of the Welsh Cob.

Next came *Blaengwen Dafydd Y Gwas, another stallion, and like Chime, very handsome with very elegant movement, and three of Chime's lovely daughters. They have all been shown and exhibited at the Florida Equestrian Festivals and some open shows, always creating interest, and often winning their classes against the Arabs, Quarterhorses, Morgans, Paints, and others.

Then Mary Alice Williams was gracious enough to loan us *Trevallion Princess of Wales to breed to Dafydd and along came several little Cobs by Dafydd: Dragon's Lair Okula (Madoc Erian), Dragon's Lair Karli (Madoc Rhiannon), Dragon's Lair Goblin (Trevallion Princess of Wales), Dragon's Lair Rose Red (Trevallion Princess of Wales), Dragon's Lair Pink's Perfection

(Periwinkles Ticked Pink, and Dragon's Lair C Sharp (Madoc Rhiannon /GTF Master Mark).

Now, here we are in the spring of 1997, with Lynda Gillen-Smith, her husband Mike Smith, and their family of three beautiful Cobs: Glenhaven Welsh Margarita, Glenhaven Welsh Atlanta, Solstice Chivas Regal, and the wonderful retired Arab, "Colty" moving in right next door. They have named their farm "Solstice." What fun! Someone new and close by to play horses with.

Then in August, while reading the pony ads in the Florida Horse and Pony (newspaper), we discovered still yet another new pony farm in South Florida advertising Farnley and Shenandoah ponies and standing a Cob stallion. Upon calling, we found or met Lisa Singer of Jumping Fox Farms. Her main interest is in hunter ponies, and she is now standing her lovely bay cob, Shenandoah Ensign, to produce larger ponies. She seems to be a lovely person, and I hope to get to know her better as time goes on.

Now, with the coming of November, we are waiting for our new "SNOW BIRDS"(maybe that should be Show Birds), Thalia and George Gentzel. They have purchased a ten acre winter farm, Helicon Oaks, located on northwest 202 street (the same street as Dragon's Lair and Solstice), about 5 miles north of us. They should arrive with their 13 or so four-legged children before *Fronarth Lady's Delight, *Fronarth Lady Anne, and Helicon Steppin' Out.

So, if you are planning to attend the Welsh AGM in February or are just in Florida for a visit, give any of us a call and come see the wonderful and growing array of Cobs Florida has to boast.

THERE HAVE BEEN SEVERAL CHANGES TO THE NACC FEE SCHEDULE. PLEASE TAKE A GOOD LOOK AT PAGE 31 SO THAT YOU WILL KNOW WHAT THE NEW FEES ARE FOR ADVERTISING, CLASSIFIED ADS, AND STALLION ADS.

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1997 Welsh Cob Fall Sales

By Claudia Novak

After missing the last two Welsh Cob sales, I was lucky enough to be once again visiting the UK at the 'right' time of year. Perhaps due in part to not seeing the last two sales, I was totally impressed with some of the changes that I saw this year. Even though I missed Friday, the traditional gelding and performance day, Saturday and Monday gave me an excellent feel as to how the market for Welsh Cobs is changing in the UK.

Saturday is the social day of the Cob sales. Many good Cobs go through the sales but the make up of the audience is totally different. For some people, it may be their first adventure into seeing Welsh Cobs at a sale. Travelers from around the globe and the UK flock to this fall **event**. It is really hard to explain the Cob sales if you haven't been there. The closest thing to the Cob Sales that I have experienced, are the incredible youngstock TB sales I have gone to in Saratoga, NY. Just as in Saratoga, the prices for Cobs for the year are pretty much set by the prices that go on at this sale. The prices reflect how strong the market is and what breeding trends are going on.

What is going on in the UK? First of all, I was greatly heartened to see that the youngstock was not dominated by sad little colts that had just been weaned off their mothers. The overall quality of youngstock was up **but** the market just wasn't there. I saw numerous youngstock that deserved to make the reserve (300 guineas) however didn't reach the mark. More than a few decent youngstock went home unsold. Then again, the real quality and outstanding youngstock made prices well into the four digits with one filly going for 3,100 guineas (Neuadd Parc Dancing Queen by Synod Ranger out of Neuadd Parc Rowena) while I was watching. If you were looking for weanlings, this was the year to buy.

Another trend that really impressed me this year was the high value that animals that were broken to saddle brought. Although Friday is traditionally the 'performance' day, stock that was ridden into the ring on Saturday and Monday brought better money. This has not been the trend in the past. Perhaps the Welsh are catching onto what us Americans have known for a long time. A good halter/breeding stock animal will make an outstanding performance animal!

This year also brought out some excellent young stallions being offered for sale. Three very consistent in type black sons of Horeb Euros saw good trade over the two days I saw, being in the 3,000 to 4,500 guinea range. My favorite of the three was Gwynfaes Sion (Horeb Euros x Penllynuchel Deiniolen by Ffloslas Sir Gwynfor) who went for 4,500. He was sold early on Monday and set the 'mood' for the day. I was taken with him earlier that morning when I saw him in the stabling area. He came out of the stall with good manners yet moved outstandingly. Over an hour later in the sales ring, he was still moving bril-

liantly. Too bad he couldn't have fit in my suitcase.

The high point of the sale was Synod Rambo (Thorneyside The Boss x Synod Rosemary by Brenin Dafydd). If you judge the value of an animal by the size of the blurb in the catalog, you would have **never** guessed the quality of this animal. It was a very modest entry saying he had done well in the show ring the last two years and was quiet in the stable. Even if you don't have a weakness for tidy chestnut stallions with tasteful white (as I do), you would have been very impressed. This beautifully turned out chestnut stallion seemed to float around the ring with better than break-even action. As he entered the ring at about 1:00 p.m. on Monday, a quietness hit the crowd. Everyone was just watching this chestnut stallion parading around the ring. I wished this stallion could have been shown in something larger than the tiny sales ring. He just ate up the ring with his stride! 10,000 guineas later, this outstanding individual had been purchased, according to the rumor I heard, by a 'race horse man'. Sadly, Synod Rambo didn't break the record for top selling Cob in the history of the Welsh Cob Sales. (Mabnesscliffe Survivor sold for 10,400 guineas) I find it difficult to explain the 'electricity' that was flowing round the sales ground. **THIS** was a special moment! I have never seen a Welsh Cob sell for this amount of money! The poor auctioneer had his hands full trying to quiet down the crowd after this event.

Overall, I think the 1997 sales was the most memorable for me. Quality was up. Prices were totally unpredictable. Good quality mares of outstanding breeding made 1,000 to 2,000 guineas. Yet mares of much lesser quality (in my American eyes) went for more money! I couldn't figure it out. In speaking to several major Cob breeders, they also couldn't understand the prices either. This made me feel better.

If you were trying to pick out a date to visit Wales, I would highly recommend the third weekend in October. The weather is fairly nice, and the fall sale of Welsh Cobs in Builth Wells is outstanding. Saturday was close to 80 degrees this year (I think a record). You get to meet all the major breeders of Cobs. All the major studs in Wales are on 'visitor alert,' so if you can, visit studs and see all their stock. I think I may have been the only American at the sale this year. You also get to meet people from around the world that love Welsh Cobs. It is great fun trading stories with the Dutch and Germans that are annual visitors. The auctioneer did have some 'fun' with a French visitor that bought what he thought was a filly on Sat. that was, in actual fact, a colt. The colt went through the sales again on Monday. I guess the moral to this story is **know** what you are bidding on before you raise your hand. My hands are always locked to my sides. This is difficult since I 'talk' with my hands! Perhaps I will see you next year at the Cob sales in October?



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3rd. *Menai Pride's Choice (Peter Jones) 4th. Gwenos Welsh Rose (Penelope Rose) 5th. Siberian
Jubilee (Beaverwoods Farm)

C/D Mares 3 & Over

1st. Beaverwoods Bracken (Beaverwoods Farm) 2nd. Beaverwoods Puffyn (Beaverwoods Farm)
3rd. Bardwyn Brocade (Sarah Lang) 4th. *Ceulan Copper Bracken (Lawrence Flaska) 5th. Lysian
Cwsg Y Penrhyn (Sarah Lang)

C/D Stallions & Geldings 3 & Over

1st. *Menai Magic's Boy (Pete Dagenais & Family) 2nd. Juglan's Royal Phantom (Penelope Rose)
3rd. *Merioneth Merlyn (Beaverwoods Farm) 4th. Coblynau Cilcennin (Jennifer Parsons)

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Reserve Champion Cob: *Menai Pretty Girl

Champion Of Champions: *Menai Magic's Boy

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Flora Ddu (Patti Murphy)

Sec. D 2 Year Old Fillies and Colts

1st. Madoc Queen Victoria (Ellen Flock)

Grand Champion Sec. D: *Sydenham Diplomat

Reserve Gr. Champion Sec. D: Madoc Queen Victoria

Sec. C 2 & Under Colts & Fillies

1st. Balsuma The Gipper (Alan & Suzy Schockett) 2nd. *Cwmfelen Destiny (Ellen Flock)

Grand Champion Sec. C: Balsuma The Gipper

Reserve Gr. Champion Sec. C: *Cwmfelen Destiny

1/2 Welsh 2 & Under Colts & Fillies (both Cob crosses)

1st. Brightwood Independence (Shirley Foster) 2nd. Kiddery Amazing Grace (Lucy Smith)

Grand Champion 1/2 Welsh: Brightwood Independence

Reserve Gr. Champion 1/2 Welsh: Kiddery Amazing Grace

Overall Supreme of Show: *Sydenham Diplomat

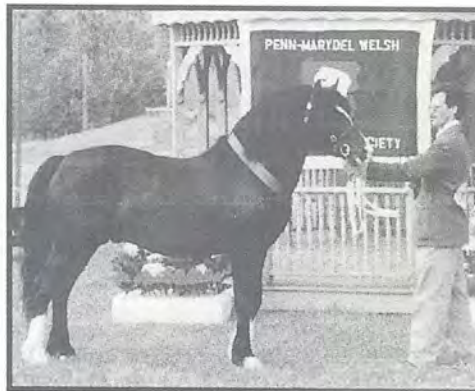
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FROM THE MAILBAG

Heather Hill Farm, Pat Holmes

We have had a busy and action filled year at Heather Hill. Starting in the fall with the sale of Heather Hill Dylan ap Pendefig to Bill Nielson of Wisconsin. Bill is using Dylan as a driving Cob. Karen Roundtree purchased Heather Hill Glyn Owen our super star baby who made us all proud at the 1996 Western National with his many wins including Res. Supreme Champion Cob all at 3 months old. Watch for him in 1998 with Karen at the shows. The Svoboda family of Saratoga, Ca., purchased Mary's Tywysog this spring, and he is destined to become an all around Cob gelding for the entire family.

Our intentions were to show alot during 1997, but the reality was we only made it to one Welsh Show. Where does the time go? We went to the Western Nationals in Turlock, Ca. It was a lovely grounds, and the hospitality was the best. We were very pleased with Ed's (Mary's Prince of Wales) Stallion Championship, Grand Champion Cob and Supreme Champion of the show for the second consecutive year. This year, Ed expanded his efforts and was also English Pleasure Champion Cob and won The Carriage Driving-Turnout class as well as the open class. Truly a Cob of many talents. Ed also showed training level dressage this year and received scores that qualified him for the year-end championships for both C.D.S and U.S.D.F. One of Ed's first offspring, the Half-



Welsh Mary's Pennywise, (photo left) also made a good show debut at the 1997 West. National by winning his pleasure class. Like his father he seems to have a talent for dressage. Pennywise is owned by Elizabeth Everett

and trained by Laura Stevens.

Our other stars this year were Okeden Mai and Bristol Belle (see photo below). Mai came out of the brood mare field to help some new comers learn to ride and love Cobs. In that pursuit, she won the 17 and under Pleasure at the Western Nationals and was also the highest

placed Cob in the leadline pleasure (4th out of 19 entries). She is an excellent producer of top quality foals and seems to be developing the enthusiasts to show them. Good job Mai! Belle loves to jump and work in general. She went



to her first riding show ever in May and won the hunter under sad-

dle and the beginning Hunters, both classes filled with thoroughbreds and other 'big' horses generally thought more suitable for the job. We really do hope to get to more Welsh shows in the coming year. We have just purchased a 15.1 hand Cob gelding, Paith True Bloom, at the Cob Sale in Builth Wells for John Levy to show next season and are working away with some of our younger Cobs, hoping to get them out next season. HAPPY HOLIDAYS TO ALL.

News from the Inland Northwest, Lascaux Grove Welsh

Once again, the show season is over, and we're already looking forward to next Spring as we wade through muddy paddocks to plug in tank heaters. All Welsh Enthusiasts were hosts again of the Northwest Welsh Classic double gold show in the Seattle area of Washington. It was quite a successful show, especially from the Cob standpoint as all the Cob performance classes and divisions were filled this year! Attesting to the versatility of the Cobs, some showed in driven, over fences, and ridden classes. We do, however, need a larger turnout in the youngstock Cob and stallion halter classes. We look forward to an even bigger showing in '98. Mark your calendars now for the weekend of the 22nd and 23rd of August. The show will be double gold and have a US and UK judge.

From our personal farm's standpoint, we had quite a successful year in the show ring. In open shows, our Cob stallion, North Forks Sir Oliver Blakeslee, was nearly unbeaten with seven firsts and one second place ribbon in as many shows with all different judges and against all the sections of the breed. With this record, he went on to be high point Welsh for the Washington State Horsemen and also Champion Halter Welsh for the Northeast Zone of Washington. Needless to say, we are quite proud! He is really an ambassador for the breed. At open shows, he attracts a lot of attention from people wanting to know what he is - most are unfamiliar with a Welsh Cob. Also this year, we were very proud to have our first "Lascaux" bred foals making their mark in the show ring. "Oliver's" '96 section C colt foal "Lascaux Local Hero", out of *Parc Dainty, and owned by Tina Beamer and Ann Cochrane, made his debut appearance at the last show of the season here in Spokane. Not only did he win his open Welsh halter class, but then went on to win Champion Halter Pony against all breeds and ages of ponies and miniatures! Quite a start for what promises to lead to Supreme Championships! (We are being completely objective in this viewpoint.)

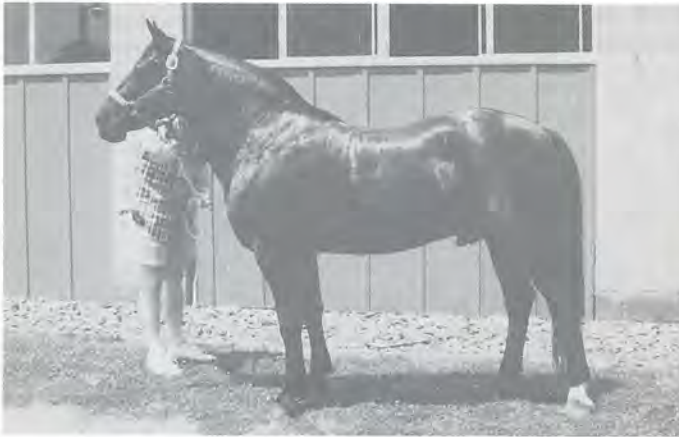
In mid October, Hal was lucky enough to again get to make an impromptu trip to England on business. Coincidentally, it was the same weekend as the Royal Welsh Cob sale! On his last trip, he got the opportunity to visit the Menai stud and the Parc stud. This trip he dropped by the Parvadean and Popsters studs. As on his previous trip, he was glad he didn't have room on the plane as he would have come home with a full load! It's quite exciting to see so many section Cs at one time, there are so few in the U.S. He noted the emphasis on "Pony Type" and not size. Many of his favorites were under 13hh and had lots of pony character without sacrificing the cobiness. It seems that in the U.S.A. many people expect the section Cs to be right up to 13.2hh and shy away

From the Mailbag continued

from anything in the 12hh area. Perhaps as the popularity for the Cs increases in the U.S, so will the awareness of what a C should be. He was able to attend the sale on the opening Friday and enjoyed watching the people as much as the ponies going through. The sale, held on the Royal Welsh show grounds at Builth Wells, is as much a social event as a way to sell and buy new stock. He returned on Saturday and was able to meet many of the breeders whose names he had read in the green book or whose pictures he had seen posing with their prize winning ponies. He garnered a few invitations to visit studs the following day, Sunday, when there is no sale. Unfortunately, he was called back to work and didn't get a chance to visit the Synod and the Derwen stud as he had hoped. He had also hoped to attend the final day of the sale on Monday, as they say the breeders save their best for last. Perhaps there will be another chance in the not too distant future!

News From Wisconsin

Wisconsin recently welcomed two new Cobs from the East Coast purchased by Susan Townsend of Oshkosh WI. Crossroads Black Magic, **photo below**, (Derwen Rebound X Heathwood



Golddust) is a 16yr old jet black gelding that is well broke and was used as a camp horse. Kanawah Queen Beth, **photo below**, (Crossroads Apollo X Crossroads Queen Elizabeth) is a lovely 10 yr.old mare that is in foal to Crossroads John Morgan . MaryJo Burmesch & Pat Didier traveled up to Oshkosh from their homes in Port Washington to meet Susan and her new Cobs. When talking horses, no one ever seems to be at a loss for words or stories; new friends are readily made. Hopefully, these two new additions will come to the Welsh of Wisconsin Shows next year to add to



the already well-filled Cob classes.

Pat & MaryJo also traveled quite a bit farther, to Kansas City, the first weekend in October with Pat's Sect C pony, Fieldstone's Glory, to compete in the Combined Driving Event of the Greater Kansas City Carriage & Driving Club. In all, 3 entries made the 12 hr. trip from Wisconsin. It was a very enjoyable event, and Glory performed well (in spite of Pat's Dressage nerves!) They won the Training Level Pony Division and came in 2nd Training Level overall.

The winter season project at Mawrllyn Welsh Cobs is going to be putting Pat's mare, Glory, together with MaryJo's mare, Stella, as a driving pair. Both mares are by Merioneth Merlin and move very much alike and are driving well as singles. Stella had been driven as a pair with her sister, Smoke Tree Ella Lee, for many years so it shouldn't be too hard to move Glory in as her pair-mate.

Another new addition to the Cob herd in Wisconsin is Pat Cunningham's purchase of Hastening Riff Raff, a Sect D gelding from Kate Shields in Virginia. Pat reports that he is a pleasure to work with and is doing well under saddle.

Well, here's hoping that the winter of '97-'98 allows everyone time to get out and enjoy their Cobs....

Cob News from Maine

Several Mainers made the trip to Topsfield, MA, for the first ever New England Welsh, Pony and Cob Society youngstock show and sale. Shirley Foster and Patti Murphy trailered together. Cob yearlings Waterford Mascot and Waterford Flora Ddu and Cob x QH Brightwood Independence all made the trip and took home many prizes. India Haynes took her imported yearling, Sydeham Diplomat and wound up Supreme under judge Paul Maye. Although the show was not heavily supported, the club hopes it has a bright future., as it is a perfect way to showcase our youngstock in a relaxed show setting. This was the day after the Oxford Agricultural Society show which has a good turnout of Cobs in the Cob and open classes.

Maine is forming a new Driving Club. It will offer pleasure drives, clinics, shows, etc. There is a large crew of really fun people who are keen to drive. Several Welsh Cobs and ponies were at Patsy O'Briens for the inaugural pleasure drive and pot luck lunch including Mary Gray and her palomino, Christopher Robin, Shirley Foster with Waterford Bryn Melin, and India Haynes with Waterford Diplomat. For more information contact Mary Gray at (207) 829-9908

We are awaiting the arrival of two new Cobs to Maine. Rebecca Lash of Waldoboro has bought a very flashy yearling colt Cyfyng Tywysog Trevor, and India Haynes purchased a black colt by Cascob Dafydd Ddu. Hopefully they will arrive before winter does. We shipped a lovely black colt to California to Karen Roundtree. This colt ,by Sydenham Nocturne out of Waterford Diplomat, was champion colt at NEWPCS show. Fran Maxwell of Framingham, MA, has bought Thomaston Princess Chloe (Sydenham Nocturne x Waterford Famous Victory) to go Combined Driving.

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"Welsh Cobs"

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< *Hastening Gwynneth*

Bayford True Patriot

x

Crugybar Brenhines Cymru

*7 Year old bay mare, 14.2hh.
Grand Champion only 2 times
shown.*

*Wonderful jumper.
Has had one foal.*

Hastening Tywysog Cymru >

Bayford True Patriot

x

Crugybar Brenhines Cymru

*6 year old chestnut gelding, 14.2hh
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Steve & Ginny Kohls Photography

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*Bayford True Patriot x *Kentchurch Bonnie Mae*

*2 year old black mare. Will mature 15 hh. Won
Spring Fling '97.*

*Sweet tempered, full siblings have excelled in all
disciplines.*

*Also for sale, Hastening Finale, weanling colt, full
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*Congratulations to Fran Maxwell
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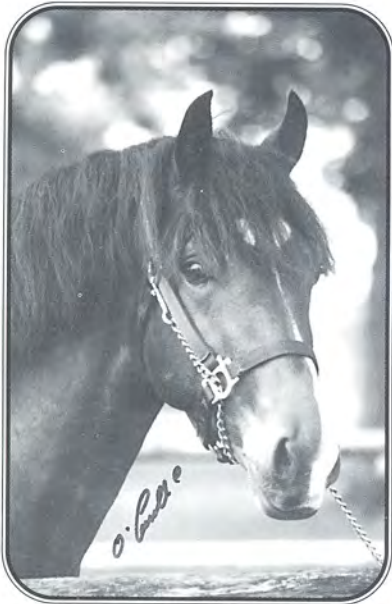


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1997 WOW Breeder's Show: Champion Cob under both judges

Shown by Meiron Evans, Gwynfaes Stud, Wales

Meredith is now going well under saddle at all three gaits.



photos by Pam O'Connell



< **Wyvere Flying Duchess**
(Winterlake Alexander x Lidgett Black Bess)

Congratulations to Duchess & the Holcomb Family on her success in halter classes in 1997 and also to Hannah Holcomb, winner of the Lafayette Sandy Short Stirrup Award at WOW Breeder's Show with Duchess.

photo by Pam O'Connell

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Winterlake Duncan

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14.1hh Broken to ride and drive.
Has shown English Pleasure and Dressage.
Champion in Halter Geldings, T.A.P.S.
1997

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1997 Dun Filly By *Lidgett Meredith
To mature around 14hh. Lovely movement and
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Both foals have great potential for performance.



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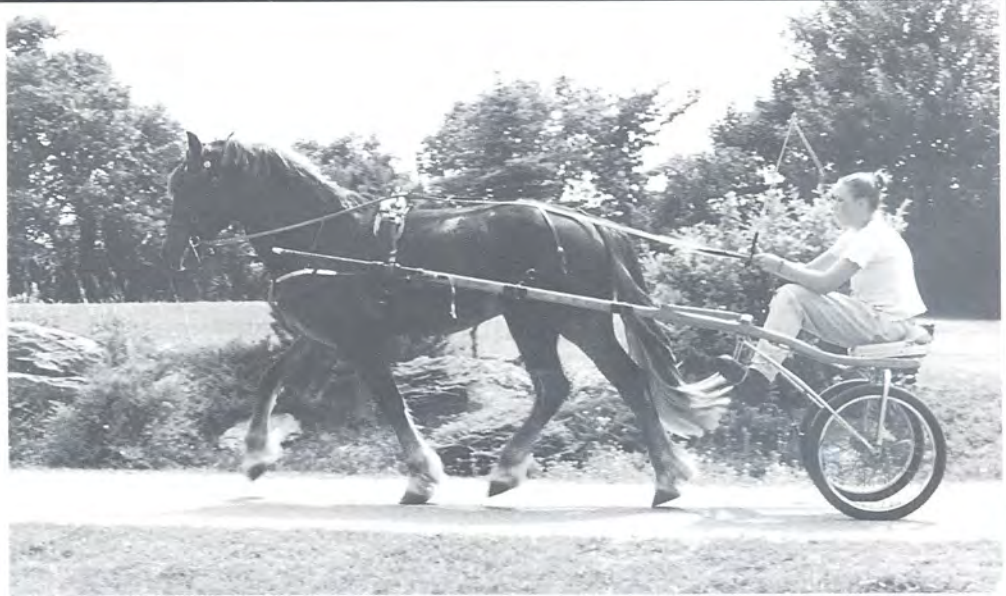
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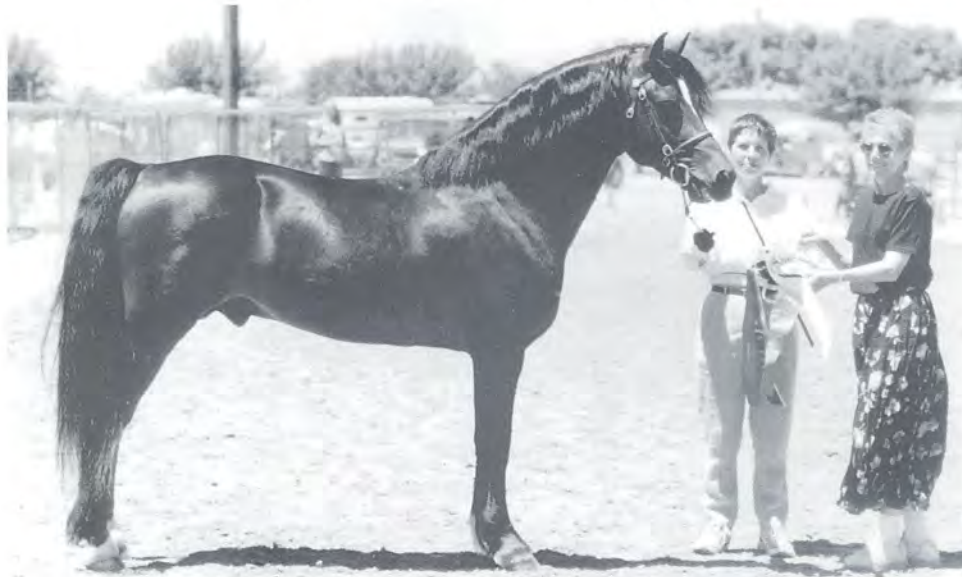


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(*CYFFTLILOG PENDEFIG X *SCOLE SARAH)



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(LLANARTH TRUE BRITON X LLANARTH MAIR)

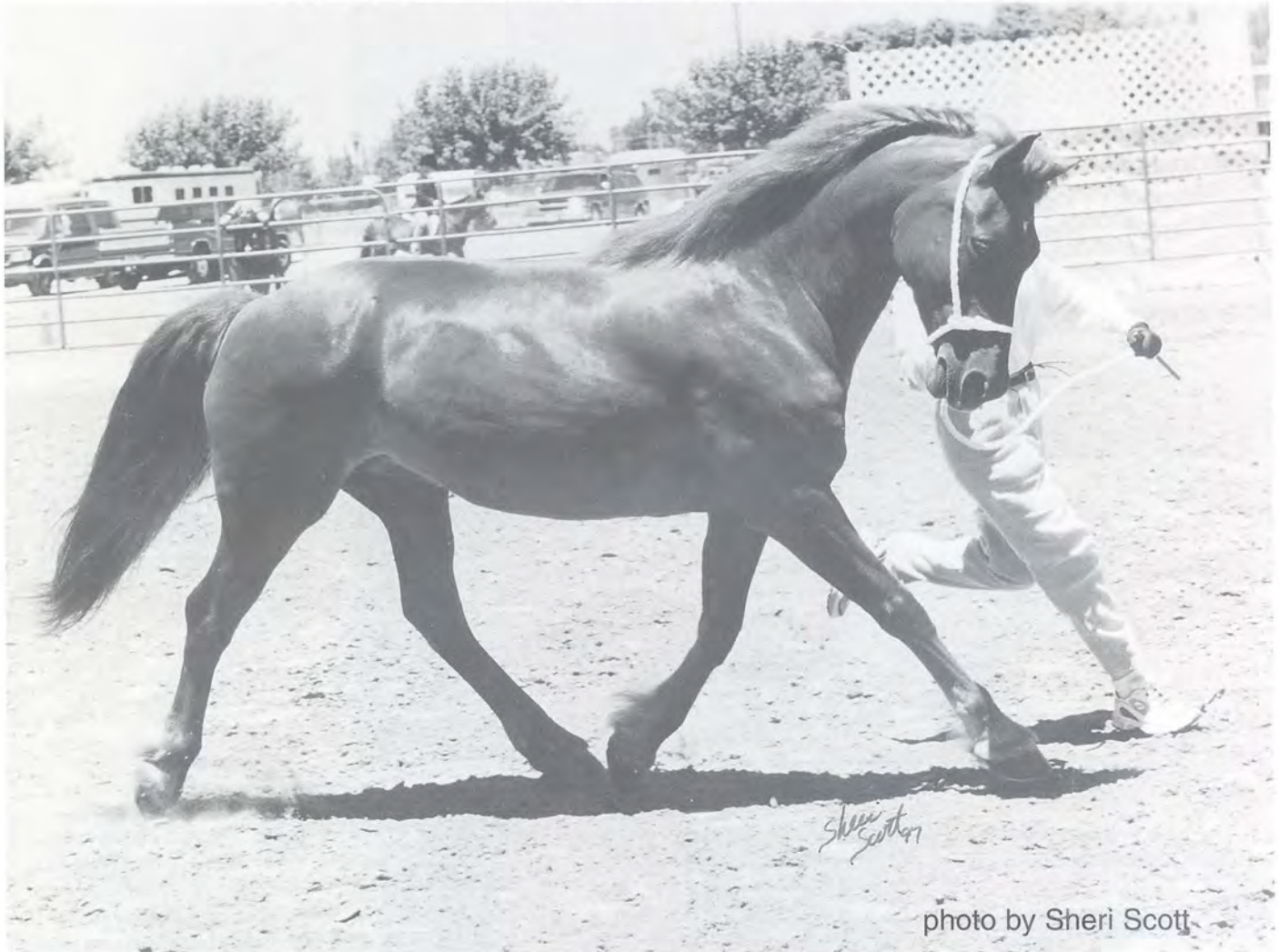


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We are proud of our brood mares-----MAI took time between foals to show at the Western Nationals 1997 and win English Pleasure 17 and Under. Rider, Andrea Svoboda

CONGRATULATIONS TO KAREN ROUNDTREE ON THE PURCHASE OF HEATHER HILL GLYN OWEN, MAI'S 1996 COLT. GLYN OWEN WAS JUNIOR CHAMPION OF SHOW AT LAST YEARS WESTERN NATIONALS. HE IS BY *CYFFYLLIOG PENDEFIG

MAI AS WELL AS *LLANARTH RHONWEN, *KENTCHURCH MARISA, AND *SCOLE SARAH WILL ALL HAVE 1998 FOALS BY PENDEFIG. RESERVE YOURS SOON. MARY'S APRIL WILL HAVE A FOAL BY *KENTCHURCH CHIME.

***CYFFYLLIOG PENDEFIG AND HIS SON, MARY'S PRINCE OF WALES, ARE AT STUD TO APPROVED MARES.**

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Congratulations to:

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Winterizing Your Cob...

or early preparations for next breeding or showing season

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Living in such a large country it is hard to generalize about anything so regional as the weather but when it comes to seasonal horse care there are some basic principals that cross all weather bars. As with so many aspects of horse care forward planning separate the winners from the also rans. This planning begins with establishing your goals for the coming year. Focusing on getting your mare in foal or bringing out that two-year-old in hand or planning a campaign on the CDE circuit will dictate your spring conditioning schedule- which begins the previous autumn.

The first issue to address for the autumn/winter season is the fuzz factor. Cobs naturally sprout copious hair for the winter season, harking back to their ancestors on the windy, wet Welsh hills. This oily coat is great if you are living out under the winter skies, but it is a real drag if you are trail riding every day in southern California. There are two plans of attack for hair: prevention and clipping.

To inhibit the growth of a heavy winter coat, you can blanket and hood your animals from the onset of the season - which, in Maine, starts about August 25th. Because it is usually too warm to use winter weight blankets that early in the season, start with a sheet when the days begins to grow shorter and work your way up. Many stables use lights to prolong the "day". This can also influence mares' cycles, so they need to be used judiciously. The drawback to blanket-ing is that you cannot go back to "au natural" mid-season.

Another alternative is to body clip. This helps the animal in regular work by avoiding overheating and lessening cooling-out time. Total body clipping is prevalent in the US. In Europe, a wider variety of styles are used according to needs. If the animal is clipped - which is done after the animal has a full coat - it will need to be blanketed. The exception to this is a modified trace clip. If a strip is clipped down the animals gullet it will help with cooling out without taking away too much natural protection. The drawback to "partial" clipping is that you will have obvious lines until the summer coat comes in - in the north-

east, that can be June 1st.

Attention to trimming the feet is important during this time. When the coat changes, there is usually rapid growth in the foot. Keeping the unshod foot trim will avoid chipping when the ground freezes. If frozen ground and snow are an issue, shoeing must be done with that in mind. Stock hunter shoes are dangerous on ice and snow. Borium studded shoes with leather or synthetic pads will reduce slipping but will ball up with snow. Over-the-hoof slip on boots such as Easy-boots (a misnomer as you know if you have ever tried to put one on) won't ball up, have good traction with the borium studs, and they don't need to be worn all the time - only when the animal is in work. For those in milder climates, mud and wet going will suck shoes off so keep regular appointments with the farrier.

If you keep your horses in paddocks during the winter, keep current on de-worming. A botocide is recommended after the first hard freeze.

Horses can do well while out in amazingly hard conditions if they have sufficient calories to keep them warm. We winter our mares and stallions out in New England with a run-in shelter (which they never use) and free choice hay. They are all shiny, fat, and cough and snuffle free all winter. The downside is that it is hard to keep them in "work" with the exception of growing foals.

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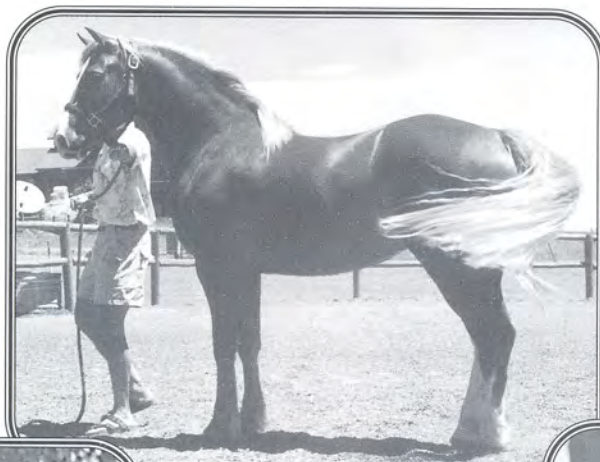
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Chestnut, flaxen mane & tail
Blaze & hind stockings, 14.3hh
1994 American National Supreme
Champion Welsh
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Mother of our amazing Megastar colt, Mynydd Hir Starbucks.



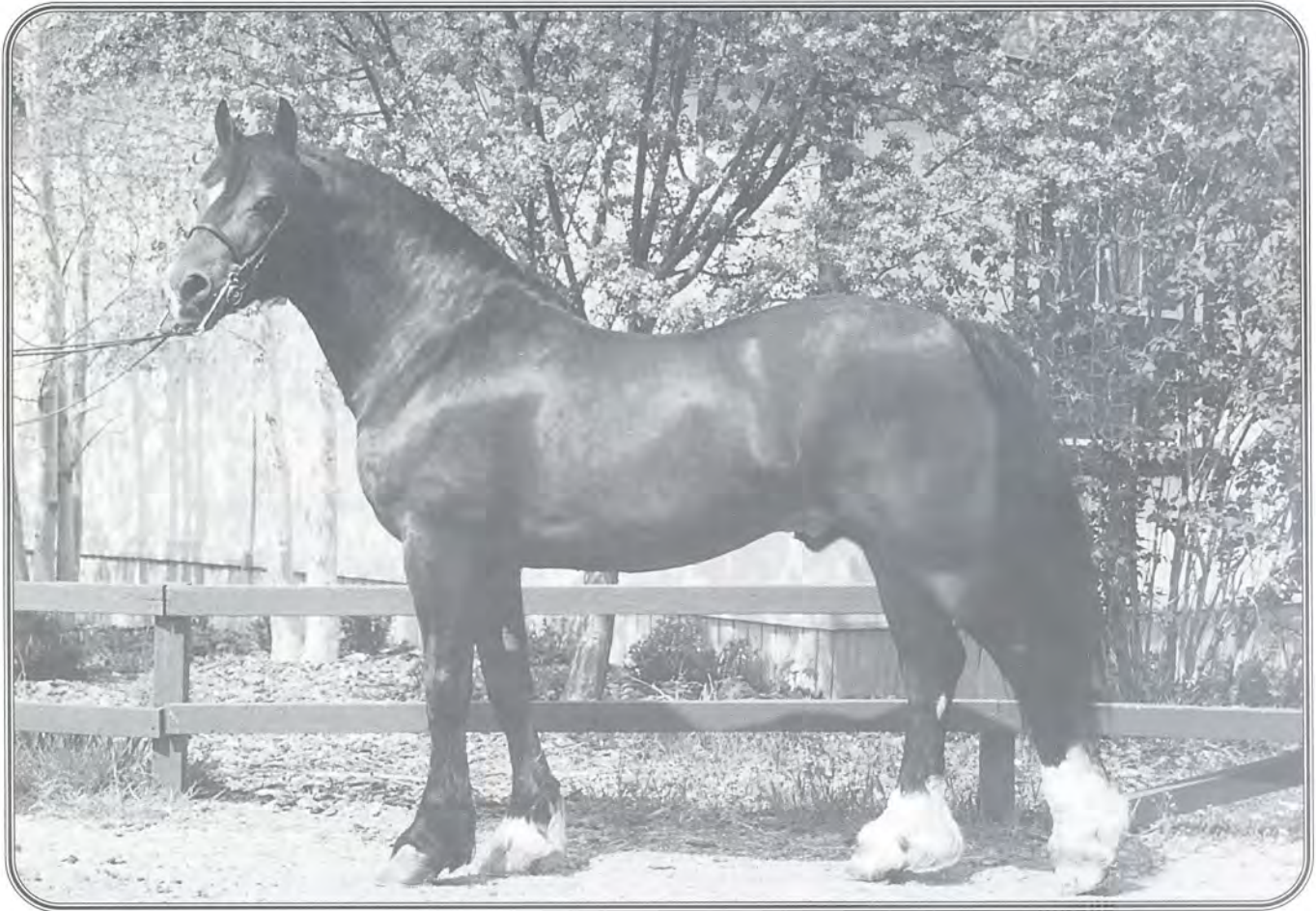
< *Menai Elena
(Menai Sparkling Magic x Nanthenfod Eleanor)
Chestnut, light mane & tail
Star, almost 15.3hh

*Haigh Moor Brenhines >
(Fronarth Victor x Taybog Ceridwen)
Black, 4 socks, & star
14.2 - 14.3hh



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***Lidgett Meredith** (D-35997) (Nebo Warrior x Lidgett Lady of Meredith) Sec. D, Bay with 4 white socks, star, & snip. 14.1hh (at 2 years old) Stud fee \$400 Standing at Wyvere Welsh, Rt. 1, Box 186, Waldron, Arkansas 72958

***Lleyeswick Brenin** (Nebo Brenin X Lleyeswick Pixie) 1980 bay, Sec. D. Janina Owens, Jaycobs Farm, 10356 Independence Ave., Chatsworth, CA 91311 (818)349-5472

Lockeridge Waterloo Sec D Cob 15.1hh, dark bay, imported 1981. Royal Cob Farm, 374 Prospect Mountain Rd., Litchfield, CT, 06759 (860)567-0426

Mary's Prince of Wales D-33095 (Cyffylliog Pendefig X Scole Sarah) 14.2hh, dark bay. Patricia Holmes, Heather Hill Farm, 4040 Woodside Rd., Woodside, CA 94062 (415) 851-2840

***Menai Cardi Crusader** (yearling) Black, 14.2hh. Liddle Pony Farm, Wendy & Tom Liddle, 10.000S 6222W., Payson, UT 84651

***Menai Portrait** (Menai Bonheddwr, C X Wyedean Petra, C) Sec C, 1994, Dark bay, 4 socks, and a blaze. Should mature 13hh. Lascaux Grove Welsh, Hal Westbrook & Lei Broadstone, S. 518 Wheatland, Medical Lake, WA 99022 (509)244-3953

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***Minyffordd Midnight Moon** (Fronarth Trysor x Minyffordd Madonna x Cascob Dafydd Ddu) 14.3hh, Dark liver chestnut, Sec. D. Introductory rate \$500. (A.I. Available) The Moonlight Ranch, Wendy Borst, 9606 N. 37th St. Phoenix, AZ (602) 953-2220

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Omega Bay (Reggie) (Parc Dilwyn X Gwrthafarn Rosemary) 1991, dark bay w/hind socks. Jack Seminary, Victoria Acres, RRI Box 264, Altamont, NY 12009 (518)861-6610

***Parvadean The Governor** (C-35511) (Synod Replay x Parvadean Ginette) Sec. C, Black, 13.0 1/2hh. \$800 U.S. funds, A.I. or live cover, Alan & Suzy Schockett, Balsuma Farm, 33 Thomas Blanchard Drive, Plympton, MA 02367 USA ph/fax 617-585-3447 **Penrhyn Telynor** D-33926 (Llanarth Trustful X Fair Tegolin of Penrhyn) Sec. D, 14.1hh, Bright Bay, 4 socks & blaze. Stud fee \$450, A.I. Available. Triple Trouble Farm. Ellen Flock, 73 Burnt Hill Rd., Hope, RI 02831 (401)828-8410

Powysvalley Trooper York (Derwen Duke of York x Derwen Tonc) Sec. D, 15hh, chestnut w/flaxen mane & tail. Transported semen, LFG. By private treaty. Glenhaven Welsh, 2861 Baseline Ave., Santa Ynez, CA 93460 (805) 686-5510.

***Scole Flying Scotsman** (Llanarth Rhun X Bolgoed (S) Ultimatum) 14.2hh, palomino, Sec. D. \$900 Stud fee. Cairngan Stud, Jean Robocker, 1655 Montford Rd. Kalispell, Montana 59901 (406)756-6344

***Sydenham Diplomat** (Llanarth Lloyd George x Aberhosan Angharad x Nebo Magic) Sec. D, 14.3hh. Chestnut, 4 socks and blaze. Transported semen and live cover. video available. &750. MC/Visa.India Haynes, Waterford Stud, RR2, Box 937, South Waterford, ME 04081 (207)583-6650

***Sydenham Nocturne** (Llanarth Flying Comet x Sydenham Jonquil) D-195 Black, 15hh, star, 2 hind socks. Nancy Malone, Newmarket Saddlery, PO Box 1011, Argyle, TX 76226 (817) 464-3209

Thornbeck Brenin (Fronarth Tywysog Du X Cen-Y-Cerrig Y Penrhyn) 100% Sec D. Bright chestnut with blaze and 4 stockings. 14.2hh, 1992. Standing at Thornbeck Farm (c/o Barb Brown), RR#1, Millville, NB, CAN E0H 1M0, 45 minutes from Houlton, Maine. Introductory offer, \$350 purebred/\$250 grade.

Windcrest Maroc D-388 (Okeden Sensation X Llanarth Melangell) Private Treaty, LFG. Sara Bloomer, 74 Moore Rd. Wantage, NJ, 07461 (201) 702-1360

Windcrest True Briton (Dafydd y Brenin Cymgaeg x Okeden Britannia) 1990, 15.1hh, Sec. D, English & USA Reg., Chestnut w/2 hind socks, star & blaze, flaxen mane & tail. Classic Cob floating movement. Rides & drives. Excellent disposition Private Treaty. Jill Stryffeler, Lisbon Ohio (330) 424-5345

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Winterlake Alexander (D-32790) (Brynarian Black Magic X Okeden Jolly) 100% D Cob. Brown, 2 whites behind, small stripe, 15.1hh. Fee \$500. Supreme and National Champion. Owner, June Wendelborg. Standing at Candlelight Welsh Ponies, Rt. 12, Box 649, Lenoir, NC 28645 (704)758-1390 or (704)758-9422.

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Mynydd Hir Morning Star. (*Minyffordd Megastar x Keoka Beryl x *Nesscliffe Sunrise) 1996 Welsh Cob gelding, bay, two stockings and a sock, star and stripe (very flashy). Excellent conformation, type, bone, and substance. As he enters his second year he is REALLY coming on. **Big**, correct movement. Imprinted and well handled. Fabulous bloodlines on both sides. Will make excellent performance, driving, or delightful trail horse.

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Royal Welsh Sale...by Dr. Wynne Davies

Despite there being 104 fewer animals entered (757 in 1997 compared with 861 in 1996) the sale total for the Royal Welsh of Welsh Cobs, Welsh Ponies of Cob Type and Welsh Part-breds conducted by auctioneers Russell, Baldwin, and Bright was only about £1,000 down on the previous year. The average price was up to £711 and the percentage sold was the highest for five years. There also was the usual demand from overseas with buyers from America (1), Denmark (5), Finland (2), Germany (49), Belgium (3), France(3), and Holland resulting in 64 purchases for export with 36 all going to German, Mr. Albacher, for a riding school. The 1988 record of 10,400 guineas paid for Mabnesscliffe Survivor was almost broken when Harry Johnson's seven year old stallion, Synod Rambo, fetched the highest price of 10,000 guineas from a purchaser who has never previously owned a Welsh Cob, but will have him standing at stud at the Idyllic Stud of Mrs. Jenny Kilbey at Newmarket. Rambo (pictured below winning at Glanusk) was bred by Cerdin and Doreen Jones at the Synod Stud. He was Champion this year at Glanusk and the Royal Bath and West and was produced by Len Bigley of the Llanarth Stud. Teifi Jones of the Merwydd Stud sold his six year old stallion, Cilbran Daniel, son of the multi-champion, Horeb Euros, for 3,000 guineas since he has daughters coming on at the stud. He replaced him by buying at 4,500 guineas the exceptional three year old colt, Gwynfaes Sion, bred by Meirion Evans of the Gwynfaes and Penllwynuchel Stud.



Sonya Mindt and Round the world yachtswoman, Tracey Edwards of the Llangennydd Stud on the Gower, paid 4,500 guineas for the eye-catching six year old stallion, Trevallion Armani, half brother to this year's Royal Welsh Show Champion, Trevallion Giorgio. The Llangennydd Stud has won many championships with their Welsh Cobs this year including the Supreme Championship at Bridgend and at this sale added more of the highest-class Cobs including Tireinon Spring Blossom at 2,700 guineas from Roy Higgins of Tireinon and Abergavenny Keepsake at 2,500 guineas from John Batt of Abergavenny. Cerdin and Doreen Jones hit the high spot for the second time when their filly foal, Synod Ruby Black, was the top Cob foal at 2,600 guineas, selling to John and Jacky Kirk of the Donys Stud.

It is a very rare achievement to breed a "cremello" Welsh Cob, but Mrs. Joan Tysilio Jones of the Dwyfor Riding Centre bred four in four years from 1990 to 1994 and all four appeared ridden in the sale ring together, beautifully turned out and matching like peas in a pod, a sight never seen before and that probably will never be seen again. The Brazier Family, famous for their driven Welsh Cobs at the Royal Welsh Show, bought three, but the last, seven year old mare, Dwyfor Cyfaill, was bought for 2,000 guineas by David Smith and Angela Jones of the Broughton Stud, who used to own her grand-sire, Llanarth Siriel.

The best trade for Welsh Ponies of Cob Type was for foals, Dafydd and Sian Morris of the Neuaddparc Stud selling their filly foal, Neuaddparc Dancing Queen, daughter of the 1995 Royal

Welsh Champion, Neuaddparc Rowena, to top the section at 3,100 guineas to Mrs. Penfold of the Gristhills Stud. Close on her heels at 2,800 guineas was Cerdin and Doreen Jones' black filly, Synod Raimunda, her sire, Sunod Reagan being full brother to Synod Ranger, sire of Neuaddparc Dancing Queen.

The Paith Stud is well known for producing superb Cobs under saddle. They sold their home-bred, Paith True Bloom, to top the geldings at 3,000 guineas to Pat Holmes of Woodside, CA, USA.

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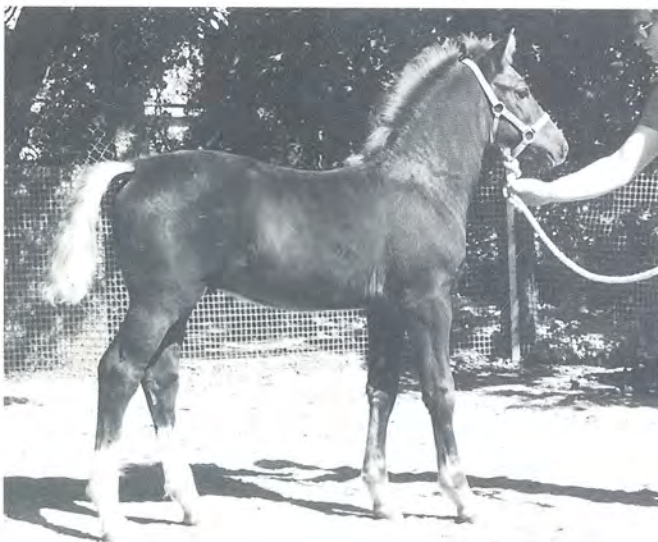


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Section D - Colt - pictured at three months
Margarita's first foal

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