

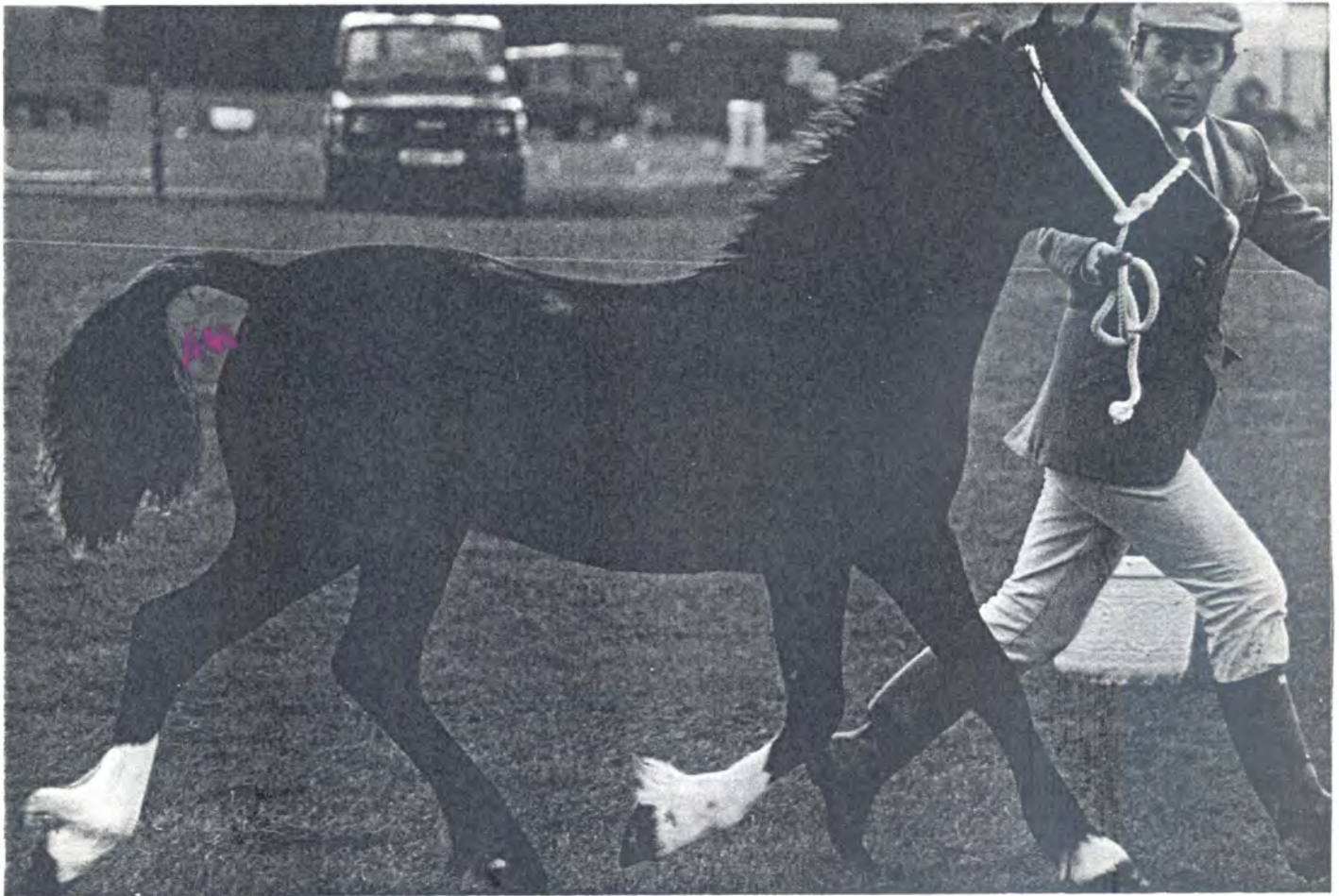


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## *On the Cover...*

**PARVADEAN THE GOVERNOR,**  
Section C yearling colt owned by Suzy & Alan  
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India and I wish to thank all of you for the continued support that we are receiving. It is extremely important for India and I to continue to get your news. This is the only way that we can keep you informed of what is happening here in the States and Canada. We also wish to address the issues that you are interested in. We will also continue to give "news" of what is happening in the U.K.. We have included two articles on recent "adventures" of North Americans in the U.K. We also hope that you enjoy our new "mini" tour of three Cob studs in the U.K.

PLEASE take the time to write us. Your letters may not all appear but your "ideas" will be the driving force behind what articles appear in future issues. We definitely hope to make this YOUR newsletter. We also hope to offer a "survey" of your opinions.

In this issue you will see some great photos taken at the Royal Welsh. The photos were taken by Arthur Thomson. The photos were sent to us by Gail Morris. Gail has been on the board of directors of WPCSA of America for close to or over twenty years. Joe, Gail's husband, passed away suddenly while Gail was at the Royal Welsh. Joe will be missed by all that knew him. Even though he was a paraplegic for close to thirty years, he took us for a tour of his pony farm when I visited there over ten years ago. I wish to extend to Gail and her two daughters my and I am sure your deepest sympathy.

Since India and I have taken over the publication of NACC several issues have had numerous phone calls and letters. I will try to question you on a couple of them. We are hoping to get a "unified" opinion on how important or not these matters are to you.

One way to promote your Welsh Cob is showing. It is a very expensive and time consuming adventures. Showing requires a great deal of planning and a checkbook that allows it. Open all breed competitions make the general public aware of the talents of our Welsh Cobs. This is certainly important to do if we wish Welsh Cobs to become more popular.

Showing at an all Welsh WPCSA show is another way to promote your Welsh Cob. It is certainly a thrill to be in a ring with numerous other Welsh Cobs. It is also exciting to see how British and American judges rate your animal up against others of your breed. Because our countries are so large, this is a difficult task. Be prepared to spend numerous hours in your truck traveling to the closest all Welsh show.

Finding an all Welsh show that offers Cob classes is not as easy as it seems. Some shows do not offer Welsh Cob classes this year. I have spoken to WPCSA show managers who stated that they have offered Cob classes in the past and no one came. I know that this happens. Historically, shows that have offered Welsh Cob classes for a number of years seem to have fairly large classes.

How do you feel about a Gold Sanctioned WPCSA show that does not at least offer Welsh Cob classes? How do you feel about a nationally rated (Eastern, Central, Western or American National), show that does not offer Welsh Cob classes? How do you feel about the current rules on showing Welsh Cobs in the U.S.? Should we have the same show rules as in Canada, the U.K. and the rest of the world?

Welsh Cob rules have been included in AHSA for a number of years. Currently, we have no AHSA yearend awards for Welsh Cobs. Should we? I was involved in getting the yearend award for adult's riding Welsh ponies. It was pretty straight forward. We collected enough money to purchase an AHSA yearend award trophy (at the time about \$900), and we got the award instituted. I think that this could also be done for Welsh Cobs. First of all, do we want to do this?

Your input to these ideas are extremely important. If you want change, you have to write about it. **NO CHANGE WILL HAPPEN UNLESS YOU WRITE ABOUT IT.** Currently, the WPCSA will be taking "rule changes" for 1996. I am sure that "extraordinary" rules changes will be considered as they are with AHSA. We hope to print response to these questions in the next issue of NACC.

Yours, Claudia Novak

Exciting news for Welsh Cob people that are considering bringing mature stock into the U.S. on the East Coast. A new USDA quarantine station for mature stock has been set up at River House Hanoverian, RR1 Box 369, Haverhill, NH 03765 (603)272-4834. I spoke at length to Verne Bacholder about his new operation. Mare care on open or breed mares will be \$20 per day (average stay 30 days). Vet fees run about \$1200. This of course, is on top of your quarantine stay at Newburgh, NY and does not include sealed transportation from Newburgh, NY. Stallions are also accepted. Vet fees run about \$2,000. On average, a stallion requires a 45 day stay (\$3,500) but this cost does include services of test mares. These prices shaves thousands off what I was quoted in the past. Call for particulars.

North Central News

Submitted by Pat Didler

First of all, on behalf of myself and all the North Central NACC subscribers, let me add our thanks and good luck to Cindy, Ann and Kristen. Be assured that the tremendous job you have done with NACC has been and will be appreciated by all for years to come.

Next, we extend a sincere Thank You to India Haynes and Claudia Novak who have so generously and capably taken over the reins of this publication and also Ruth Laufer who will be managing the Directory.

Now on to North Central News..... Tanja Schafer's dream has finally come true... the 100% Section C yearling colt Beaverwood Hawthorne (Merioeth Merlin x Beaverwood Bracken) was purchased by Tanja from Kristen Brunner, Beaverwood Farm. Hawthorne traveled from Ontario to Rene Yuhas farm in Michigan where Tanja went to meet him and bring him back to Wisconsin. The pictures that I saw of this young colt were great. I am anxious to get a free weekend this summer to drive up to visit and see Hawthorne "in person".

The Welsh of Wisconsin sponsored Welsh classes at two different shows this June. Saturday, June 11, they were held in conjunction with the Great Lake Miniature Horse & Pony Assn. show at the fairgrounds in Jefferson, WI and on Sunday, June 12, in Russell, IL together with the Somers Saddle Club show. Results of the Cob classes are listed elsewhere in this issue. We had to miss both shows because of weddings and graduations, all falling on the same weekend!! However, we are anxiously awaiting the WOW Breeders & Futurity Show to be held at Jefferson August 20 & 21st.

Here at Mawrllyn Welsh Cobs, I am working my mare, Madoc Queen Elizabeth in harness and long lines and also under saddle. Lizzie, a pleasure to ride with three wonderful gaits, is still a little timid but we have bravely ventured forth onto trails, into the woods, across creeks and over hills, learning as we go along. My gelding, Crossroads Rhayader, has developed a peculiar and frustrating allergy problem when we go out on the trails, but someone suggested rubbing Vicks Vaporub in his nostrils, and, by golly, it seems to help a great deal. So much for the x-rays, scoping and antihistamines I spent half my salary on last summer trying to diagnose and treat him. My

filly, Mawrllyn's Masterpiece, is growing into a beautiful lady. I still can't decide if I should sell her or keep her. I have decided to breed Lizzie again next year.

Speaking of breeding, I had a nice phone visit with Thalia Genzel of Yesteryear Farm, Rockton, IL. She & her husband, George, having always admired all of our Cobs in the area have arranged to finally get one of their own. They have leased the lovely Cob mare, Okeden Clover from Fran Martin. She will be bred to Brynarian Briton this summer. The foal will stay at Yesteryear Farm and Clover will return to Fran next year. It should be a wonderful cross with outstanding bloodlines both parents carry. We'll all be awaiting the Gentzels for next year's 100% D Cob foal.

Received a note from Marcia Zabrocki, 460 Hwy 23, Wrenshall, MN 55797. She is very interested in the Welsh Cob and would like to hear from anyone in the upper midwest who may have a Cob for sale. She would appreciate any information. I wrote her and encouraged her to attend the WOW Show in August, so I hope all you North Central owners/breeders will be there to show her our stuff! That about it from around here... enjoy your Cobs... more later!

News From South Central

Submitted by Wyvere Welsh

Two Cobs attended the Fayetteville & District Combined Training Association Show at Lowell, Arkansas. Madoc Prince William, owned and ridden by Lena Bryne and Lidgett Black Bess, owned and ridden by Amanda Williams both earned good scores and several ribbons in Introductory and Training Level dressage tests and combined tests, which are a combination of dressage and jumping scores. The Cobs earned many compliments on their looks and temperament as well as on their dressage and jumping abilities.

Wyvere Welsh has had a 100% fillies this year - three foals have been born at the farm this spring - one TB/Cob cross, a section D and a section B. All are gorgeous (of course) and they are having a great time chasing each other around the pasture. They are all for sale along with Smoke Tree Huey Lewis, national champion Cob in performance.

News From California

Pat Holmes writes to tell about her foals: Llanarth Rhonwen has a beautiful black colt by

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Cyffylliog Pedefig. Scole Sarah has a lovely bay filly also by Cyffylliog who is owned by Polly Swinerton. Kathy H has a colt by Mary's Prince of Wales owned by Jean Terry. Kentchurch Marisia has a big pretty chestnut filly by Mary's Prince of Wales.

News From Illinois

Submitted by Mary Ann Chambers, Applegate Welsh Cobs

Our plans this summer include learning to drive a pair. Although Briton and George have done this before, I have a great deal to learn. The biggest task seems to temper their enthusiasm with finesse instead of muscle. Two horse power really does give you an engine.

Our idea that I did want to present to you and the readership is that of having a club to promote Cobs. It's difficult to do it alone and one thought came to mind was that we could sponsor Cob and half Cob classes at the Welsh shows. I was unable to stir up interest last year but perhaps this is an idea whose time has come!

News From Iowa

Submitted by Renee Wilson

The fifth Annual Small Farm SHOWDEO® was held the first Saturday of May at Winkleman Farm southwest of Lohrville, Iowa, with the theme "It is better to trust in the LORD than put confidence in princes" Psalm 118:9

The group did not attend because of the weather and other difficulties; however individuals and volunteers of all ages enjoyed the program of self-reliance living activities.

SHOWDEO® 94, produced by Winkleman Foundation for the handicapped, included pony lead-racing, calf haltering, goat tying, lamb and other homestead animal handling, square dancing, planting and seeding for erosion control, spring salad making (and eating) and Share-time.

Contributions included square dance leading by Lester and Elizabeth Fouts of Rockwell City, Animals loaned by Ken Wise Family of Sac City and Frank O'Tool Family of Carroll, supplies donated by the Wilmer Lundt Family of Linn Grove and the Clifford Dowling Family of Lake City and a cash donation by Rosalie Pageler of Adel, Iowa.

The Foundation is pleased to announce the creation of the Overcomer Award for "triumph in the face of adversity". The first recognition will be given at the 17th Annual Wagon Train-Camp Meeting,

Saturday, June 25th, at Winkleman Farm. Nominations may be submitted by any Iowa group or individual to: Winkleman Foundation for the Handicapped, 3971 Preston Ave., Lohrville, Iowa 51453. All events and exhibits produced by Winkleman Foundation are part of a Christian renewal program staffed entirely by volunteers and funded totally by donations. To obtain information or to offer assistance in any way, please contact Renee Wilson Special Events Coordinator, 515-544-3340, Farnhamville or Bill & Betty Winkleman, 712-465-2125, Lohrville, Iowa.

News From Kansas

Submitted by Jeri Jackson

We have Madoc Rees, a 1986 gelding (Kentchurch Chime x Llanarth Mary Alice by Llanarth True Briton) who we have been switching from driving to going under saddle and over fences. We are very active in Pony Club and also enjoy combined training, so my thirteen year old daughter, Kelli and Rees have been working very diligently. Recently they competed in a one day event in preparation for the Heritage Park Horse Trails this fall.

This was Kelli's first "official" outing with Rees, who doesn't make 15 hands and we were all concerned and excited about how he might do in open competition against TB and Warmbloods. With his body type, he tends to get a bit warm sometimes, plus we worried that he might not be able to make the allotted time on the cross country course. We only had a little over one hour between each discipline, so to keep him fresher, we pulled his tack, sponged him down and let him relax in between. They finished the dressage phase in first place with a score in the 70's. Next was Kelli's favorite phase, cross country, which they finished clean and with time to spare; first again! Last was the stadium phase where mental and physical conditioning is paramount. Again, a clean round with no time penalties and a first place finish. She finished first overall out of twelve entries comprised of both jrs. and srs..Rees had the second highest dressage score of the day in all divisions. Happily, Rees finished the day as fresh as when we hauled in that morning. It was really nice the way so many people came up to us to admire the "little" horse with a lot of bone and a bigger heart. Everyone wanted to know what breed he was, and believe it or not, most folks actually liked his hairy feet!

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We try to learn something new every day and so keep working on the finer points of each phase so we can continue to do justice by this wonderful creature. We enjoy Rees very much and hope our search for another Cob goes well. Finally, a special thanks to Randy Bullard for selling him to us.

News from Ohio

Submitted by Jill Ann Stryffeler

Jackie F. Smith piloted the Half-Welsh mare, Sea Wind Marquessa, to national fame by placing first in the United States Dressage Federation All Breeds Award Program at Training level sponsored by the Welsh Pony & Cob Society of America. The duo exceeded all requirements and also won the Lake Erie College Winter Dressage Series Championship at Training Level in process.

Sea Wind Marquessa, who is in foal to the thoroughbred stallion, Deregulation, a son of the infamous Secretariat, also competed this summer with Jackie F. Smith and owner, Jill A. Stryffeler, at USCTA horse trails in Kentucky, Pennsylvania, New York and Ohio. Her accumulated scores captured a national award from United States Combined Training Association. Jill and her children will attend the annual meeting of the USCTA and accept recognition of this feat in Orlando in December (1993).

Jill goes on to tell that Sea Wind Marquessa produced a very fine colt in May. Mom is doing a superb job with "Pegasus", a very leggy, handsome offspring. His full name is RainbowMagic Pegasus!

News From Washington

Submitted by Roxanne Kilby

Last year we bought a Section D bay Welsh Cob filly from Ann Lamb. Her name is Avondale Rowena (Whinny for short) (Balsuma Highflyer x Brynarian Morwena). She just turned one year this March, and is already 14.2 hands. She is stunning!

Whinny is very smart and easy to train. My daughter Jackie has section A Welsh Mountain Pony, and I lead Whinny through the trails while they ride. Hopefully, with the next year or two, my husband Brian will also have a Welsh Cob. We also hope the NACC will still be around. Thank you so much for all of your efforts -they are greatly appreciated.

News From British Columbia

Submitted by Peter Wilding-Davis

Firstly, my sincere thanks to Ann, Cindy and Kristen for all their hard work, dedication mad interest

in section C's and D's and for the great publication they put out. Secondly, my very best wishes to the new team taking on the NACC, thank you for ensuring this fine publication carries on.

Cumfadog Trystan (Llanarth Maldwyn x Llanarth Malin) foaled July 1993, has arrived safely at his new home with Jeannien and Edward Listine, 14521 Walters St., Corona, CA 91720 and we wish them many happy years with Trystan.

Submitted by Nrom & Sandy Evans

Cob Hill Farm has a lovely large Cob filly (Cob Hills Cariad) out of Juglans Seren Wen by Brynarian Bleddyn. She is bay going grey. We also have a half Welsh Cob colt (Cob Hills Iron Will) out of TB Tiffeney Blue by Brynarian Bleddyn. Both foals are just lovely and the half Welsh is already sold. We are thrilled to find that NACC will carry on, as we read them over and over.

News From the UK

Submitted by Raymond Osborne Jones

The following corrections should be made to the article that appeared in the last issue of NACC being Jigsaw of Welsh Cobs. Derwen Derwena was by Llwynog-y-garth not Cahn Dafydd. Eiddwen's Image was sired by Mathrafal Eiddwen not Mathrafal. Nebo Black Magic was sold as a colt to Roscoe Lloyd. It was he who sold him "out of the principality". Mr. Roscoe Lloyd didn't buy Black Magic at Llanybyther but at Essex. Brynmor Welsh Magic was out of Hwyllog Briallen. The next issue of Cob Review should be out for the Cob Sales in October! Black Horse Publications, Llwynmalus, Ystrad Meurig, Dyfed SY25 6AJ.



# O v e r H i l l & D a l e

## C O B N E W S F R O M H O M E & A B R O A D

### From Horse & Hound, Dr. Wynne Davies

Glorious weather and a visit from the Princess Royal on the third day resulted in record attendance of 229,712 at this year's Royal Welsh Show at Llanelwedd, Builth Wells, Powys. The 258 classes attracted 3,274 entries with the in-hand classes for the Welsh breeds providing more than half the total - the largest being 90 Welsh section A yearling fillies.

Reserve in the Creber, judged by the breeder Dick Swain, was Doreen and Cerdin Jone's 12 year old section C stallion, Synod Roy Roger. This was Roy Roger's first championship trophy, though the same line, Synod Roger and Synod Reagan have won it four times and Synod William a further four times. Reserve for the male section C title was a yearling colt, Parvadean The Governor, a son of Parvadean Stud's Synod Replay. The Governor is owned by Mr and Mrs. Alan Schockett of Massachusetts, who flew over to watch this competition and were among the hundreds of oversea Welsh Pony and Cob enthusiasts.

From 177 female section C's, two non-related Abigails finished as champion and reserve. These were Geraint Davie's barren mare class winner Ashgrove Abigail, a daughter of a Synod Ranger son Persie Renown and Mrs. Avis's two-year old filly Knockbridge Abigail, by Synod Tyon.

This year's 60 strong Welsh Cob stallion class proved a triumph for Mr and Mrs. Jone's Nebo Hywel by the 23 year old Nebo Brenin.

The mare classes were strong with Fronarth Stud's Fronarth Welsh Model winning the barren class; David Edward's Abercippyn Rose Cariad winning the novice and Yvonne and Barry Abrey's Tardebigge Esther winning open. Fronarth Welsh Model went on to take the championship and stand overall reserve to Nebo Hywel - a place she previously occupied in 1991.

Nebo Stud came to the fore again in the young stock which it won with its three-year old son Nebo Thomas, another son of Nebo Brenin. The Abercippyn Stud also flourished for the second time when their two-year old filly Abercippyn Welsh Maid was reserve young stock and reserve female champion.

There was a drama in the ridden section C's and D's which began as three classes, with Stephanie Edwards of the London Stud judging the 33 Cob stallions and 61 mare and geldings and Rosie

Russell-Allen of the Aston Stud the 26 mixed section C's.

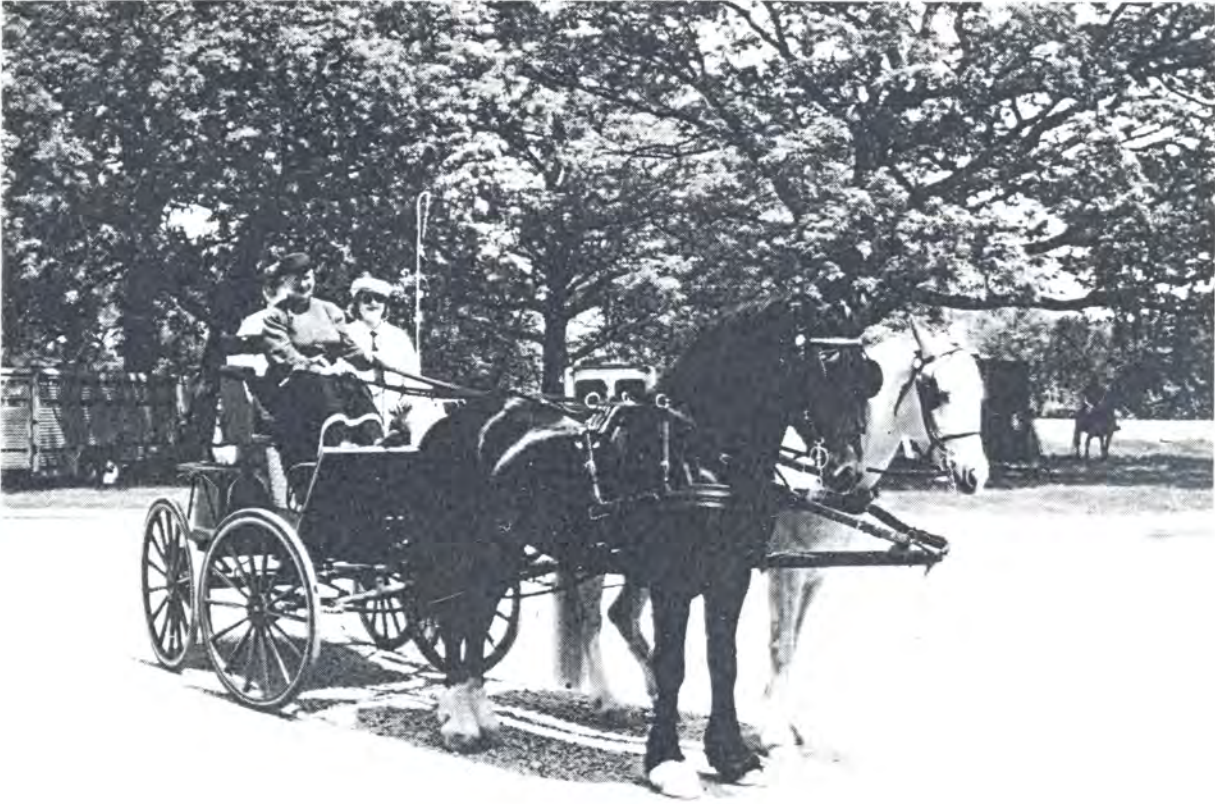
Stephanie had lined up her stallions and successfully ridden the top three, but when she came to mount her fourth he reared and took off, getting entangled in the ropes. Stephanie was taken to the Builth Wells hospital but has since been released.

Cheryl Frith from the Ristol Stud in Shropshire, who has traveled with her stallion to compete in the class and who had judged these classes in 1991, took the task of being the judge. However, when 61 mares and gelding arrived she discovered that she had owned two of the geldings, so Mr. Dilwyn Thomas, director of the horse section, split them into two classes, Cheryl judging the mares and Rosie Russell-Allen, having successfully dispensed with an excellent class of section C's reappeared to ride and judge the section D geldings.

Peter and Anne Jone's 12 year old section C stallion Menai Furious went beautifully for Katy Girdler to win his class and championship from the winning gelding, the Weller family's Llanina Malgwn, ridden by James Crowley, who had already qualified for Olympia.







*Brynarian Briton*  
*sire: Llanarth Malchwyn Ap Braint*  
*dam: Llanarth Dilys*

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*sire: Brynarian Briton*  
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# Feature Article

## Mini Tour Of Cob Studs - Part 1



The southeast border of Wales and England is a great place to start seeing Welsh Cobs. For the last two years, I have spent time in Malvern because of my husband's work. The Malvern Hills have been home to Welsh ponies and Cobs for as long as there has been history in the U.K. and make a great side trip to this tour. Travel in the U.K. can be hard to judge since it takes more than a little while to get from one place to another. In part due to this, Hereford is a lovely town that I always seem to be "flying" through on my way to Hay-on-Wye or Buith Wells.

After the "horrors" of the M25 the quiet surroundings of M4 lull you into sleepiness especially after arriving in the U.K. in the wee hours of morning with little sleep! From the M4 you take the M5 north. The M5 is the straight route following the Severn River. You can get off at the M50 and follow it west. A49 will take you north. You will now be heading west again on A438.

A438 can be a confusing road in Hereford. I know that last year I had an unguided tour of Hereford Center because I missed the bypass south of Hereford. You will need to call to get directions for each of the farms that we are listing. It is also important to call ahead to make sure some one will be home to give you a tour

Just remember when you travel in the U.K., make sure that you have someone that can read signs and compare them to a good map! Sometimes the signs do not even tell you the road that you are on but rather the next major town coming up. When I travel alone, I write on piece of paper all the towns that I will be going through and all the road changes that I am going to be making. It is hard to find places to stop on the side of narrow roads and you may have to travel a fair distance before you find a turn off.

I thought New England was famous for the rotaries until I went to the U.K.. Remember you can go around the rotary as many times as you want. I have been known to travel around a rotary at least once to make sure that I knew all the "options" available. Believe it or not, this has saved me a great deal of time in the long run.

The Golden Valley is exactly what it sounds like. It is beautiful beyond simple words. Last year in England, we spent four rain soaked days (record rain fall with Windsor being flooded). On a low cloudy, misty Thursday morning, I left Malvern for a 1 1/2 hr drive to the Golden Valley. I got behind several trailers trucking sheep to the local markets and thought I would never make it to Hay-on-Wye. I took a left off of A438 and headed for Dorstone following tiny little signs up even tinier roads. I came to Arthur's Stone. Spread before me with a sudden visit from the sun was a truly Golden

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Valley. The sun sparkled off the rain soaked trees with one of the most memorable rainbows that I have ever seen. Do take the time to visit this breath taking view.



### Llanarth Maraschino

Hay-on-Wye may be famous for it's great bookstore but I have to sadly admit that I have never stopped at one. For a librarian to admit this is very difficult. I have always been in a hurry to make my way to Llanarth.

Peter & Olwen Roberts, York House, Hardwicke Road, Cusop, Hay-on-Wye HR3 5QX (0497)820705 run a B&B that accepts Visa and Mastercard in their traditional Victorian guest house. Two other B & B's near Hay-on-Wye, Glasbury, 3 1/2 miles from the center in a 17th century Welsh longhouse (0874)730780 and Llanigon, 2 miles from the center (0497)820008.

### Llanarth

Mr. & Mrs. Len Bigley, The Quarters Farm, Michaelchurch Escley, Hereford HR2 0PT (0114498123667)

From Hay-on-Wye, the ten mile road up and up again to Michaelchurch Escley is a prayer that you don't meet someone coming down too fast! Caroline Bachman told me the horror story of Len Bigley leaving his farm for the International Welsh show in Europe and having the brakes go on his lorry

on his way down. It was a large miracle that people and all the ponies weren't killed.

Len and Ann Bigley have a lovely farm where you can see some exceptional Section A's, Section B's and Section D's. As a Section B breeder, I really wanted to see Twyford Signal (16596) (Pendock Peregrine (12865) x Twyford Sparkle (F.S. 2 15981)). We also got to see his full brother Mollegaard Spartacus that has qualified numerous times for Horse of the Year.

Llanarth Lord Nelson (20381) (Tyhen Comet (5134) x Llanarth Lady Valiant (16302) by Cymro Lan (3330)) was a very typey little stallion. He has been winning a great deal under saddle

The mare band was only about ten but had excellent quality. All of these mare go back to the great matron Llanarth Flying Saucer (1134 F.S.2) (Llanarth Braint (1854) x Llanarth Rocket (645 F.S.1)). The matron at Llanarth today is Llanarth Sian (Tyhen Comet x Llanarth Flying Saucer). Len jokingly called her the "tank". She had bone, substance and a great chest and tremendous depth of hip!

Two younger mares took our eyes being



### Llanarth Nesta with colt by Ceredigan Twysog

Llanarth Nesta (Derwen Telynor x Llanarth Flying Comet daughter) and a lovely bay by Llanarth Lord Nelson out of a Pentre Comet mare.

# Feature Article

## Mini Tour Of Cob Studs - Part 1



year's Royal Welsh yearling winner, Cascob Princess Heledd, and the top price animal at this year's Spring Welsh Pony & Cob Society's sale being of this breeding.

Foesidoes is a high hill farm, where the Cobs and also a herd of Welsh Mountain ponies must take second place to cattle and sheep. There is usually stock for sale and visitors are always welcome, particularly if they can tolerate slight disorganization!

Note: Cascob is only about 18 miles from Buith Wells so if you are heading to a Cob sale or going to the Royal Welsh, you are not far off the beaten path.

### Cascob Dafydd Ddu

#### Cascob

Mrs. M.C. Edwards, Foesidoes, Cascob, Presteigne, Powys, LD8 2PF (011445476215)

By Mary Edwards

There have always been horses at Foesidoes, Cascob. Before and during the war they were working cart horses, and later unregistered shepherding ponies. However about 1958, some ponies were entered in the Welsh Pony and Cob Society's Foundation Stock Registry. Their progeny and descendants became successful performance animals for a growing family.

Very soon a Cob mare was purchased. She was Parc Princess II by Caradog Llwyd. She was a daughter of the famous mare Parc Lady and several of her descendants are still at the stud. Another foundation mare was Belton Black Beauty, sired by Nebo Black Magic during his time in London from the well known harness mare, Pitchford Black Beauty. From her came our present stockgetter Cascob Dafydd Ddu by Brenin Dafydd, and several others of her line have become International and Royal Welsh winners.

Our senior stallion, now twenty four year old, is Nebo Dafydd also by Brenin Dafydd from Tyngwddwn Mathrafal Lady. He is looking exceptionally well for his age, and is the sire of several of the most successful breeding mares. His stock "nick" well with stock of Cascob Dafydd Ddu. Last

### Cascob Eluned by Nebo Dafydd with colt by Cascob Dafydd Ddu



The first time my daughter and I went to Wales, we visit numerous Cob farms. By the end of one day a tired twelve year old said from the back seat, "Who are we visitng next?" I would respond with "A Jones". Gretchen said "But, Mom, we have been to three Jones's already TODAY! Well, I guess I can't get the name wrong!" I guess the next stud will be perfect for our next visit!

# Feature Article

## Mini Tour Of Cob Studs - Part 1

### **Conygar Welsh Cobs**

N.A. Jones, Conygar, Cusop, Hay-on-Wye,  
Herefordshire, HR3 5RD (01144497820398)



### **N. A. Jones driving Kindale Lucky Lad**

Conygar Welsh Cobs to quote N.A. Jones "is a hobby only, as we are very busy with our Bakery business (most Cob studs in Wales know us as Jones the BAKER)". Don't take this statement as meaning that they don't take their Cob seriously! The Jones are 7 miles east of Len Bigley's and 15 miles north of Cascob. The Baker Jones also take their driving very seriously since they have a lovely collection that includes a BAKER'S VAN (1920). Their collection includes lovely antiques and new vehicles that they can do weddings and shows with.

### **Conygar Bess**



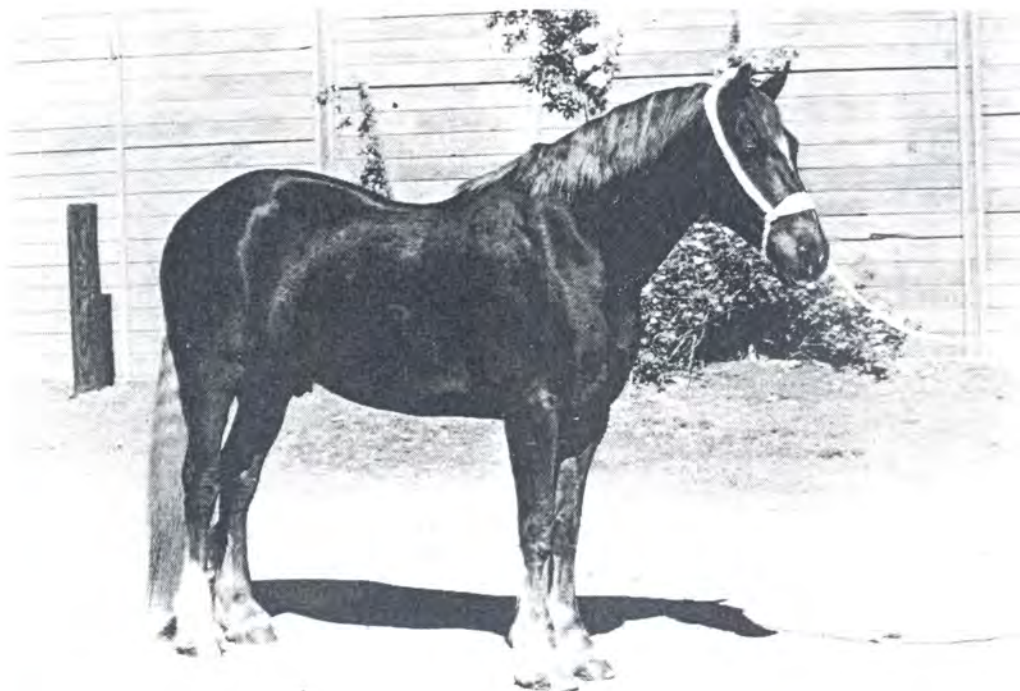
By the way, Jones FULLY recommend the

York House! One of their foundation mares is Congar Bess foaled in 1978 by Nebo Dafydd out of Glantefy Starlight by Cardi Bach Glonterfy (see picture). Conygar Megan foaled in 1989 by Ceredigion Tywysog out of Conygar Bess. Foals this year are out of Conygar Bess by Cippyn Real Magic and a bay filly out of Conygar Megan by PARC WELSH FLYER who was 29 year young when he begot this filly! The Section D are well rounded out with two nice Section C mares being Ross Tinkerbell (Tyssul Valiant x Llwyngwinlym Wendy by Revel Copper and her daughter, Conygar Erica by Glanvyrnwy Pedro. The Jones have taken full advantage of the fact that Cascob and Llanarth are very close. In part due to this Conygar does not keep a stallion. Welsh hospitality is very alive and well at Conygar Welsh Cob stud.

We hope that some time in the near future you can enjoy visiting with these devoted Welsh Cob people. We have tried to come up with a pleasant one day tour with an evening's lodging that can make your trip less hectic. Please don't forget to write or call before visiting.

**Don't forget, we will need your ads and articles by November 15th if you want the next issue to come out before Christmas. It is up to you to send in news & show results. Here is hoping to keep better to deadlines in the future.**

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# Derwen Open Day - - Two Views

## Coblynau Stud's Trip to Wales

Keith and Jenny Parson

Aside from the fact that we both desperately needed a holiday, Keith and I decided we should go to Wales to see Ifor Lloyd's Open day at Derwen Stud. We also thought it would be a great experience for our 7 year old son, Andrew, and so off we all went for a week's holiday.

We stayed at the Glanrannell Park Country House Hotel for most of the trip. It is located within easy driving distance of several well known Cob Studs (Derwen, Parc, Synod, Fronarth, Menai to name a few!). The hotel was absolutely fantastic! The proprietors, David and Brown Davies, were extremely hospitable. Mr. Davies is an avid photographer and his lounge is filled with pictures. He is the "Dai" who takes many of the pictures you see in the Green Welsh Journal. Our room overlooked his Cob stallion's paddock. The hotel is a bed and breakfast and also serves dinner if you wish. We can highly recommend a stay at Glanrannell and hope to return there soon ourselves.



**Derwen Stud mare and foal with Andrew Kensett Parsons**

On the Saturday morning of the Derwen Open Day, we went to the Synod Stud. Doreen Jones took us

through the fields where we saw some lovely Section C mares and their foals. Back at the barns, we saw several of their well known stallions - Synod Roger & Synod Roy Rogers to name a few.

After a delightful pub lunch, it was then off to the "Open Day". I can not describe the feeling that Keith and I both had while walking through Cob history, seeing all the cob mares and stallions that we had only read about in pedigrees. When the exhibition began, the spectators were lined 3 deep around the ring. It was standing room only.

First came the mares and foals, 14 in all. Derwen Queen of Hearts, Derwen Telynores, Derwen Rebecca, Derwen Tawela and Derwen Tlysni to remember a few. Next came the barren mares and mares still due to foal, Derwen Queen, Duchess, Princess and Empress, Tlws, Groten Goch and Tegan too mention only a few. It was hard to keep up with the announcer. Then came a yearling and some 3 year olds -- Derwen Duchess of York, Roma, Pride of Wales. Last but certainly not the least were the stallions, Derwen Quartz, Requiem, Duke of York and Two Rivers were all ridden into the ring. Shown on the line were Tireinon Step-On, Tireinon Confidence and Derwen Adventure Boy.

All too soon it was over. We were off again to the Pub to warm up - in front of the fire! Before returning to Derwen Stud for an evening of Welsh song. It was a thoroughly enjoyable day.

Ifor and Myfanwy kindly invited us back to Derwen for lunch on the Monday. We had a lively conversation with Ifor about Welsh Cobs and a personalized tour of the mares and foals. If we had had room back home in our barn, we would have gladly taken any of the foals! While at Ifor we met people from Sweden, Germany and Finland so Derwen is certainly an international agency!

During our last day in Wales, we managed to visit our friends Sam and Daniel Morgan at the Parc stud and Peter Jones at the Menai Stud. It was good to see old friends and of course to see lots more lovely Cobs. We can attest to the fact that Parc Welsh Flyer is very alive and doing well in his field below the Parc Stud.

# Feature Article

## Derwen Open Day - - Two Views

All too soon it was time to come home. We were sorry to leave but very excited to return home to see the new foal that had been born while we were away. We hope to get back to Wales again next year. Anyone want to come along for a Cob tour?



Derwen Duke of York

### Glenhaven Welsh Ponies and Cobs

Suzanne Glenn

My traveling companions this year were Leo Spruill (trained Derwen Denmark and Ceulan Samswn), Peggy Stone (another driving enthusiast) and my son Christopher. On arrival in London, with only one days rest, we headed for Tuscani Stud near Bristol to visit Rose Harwick and inspect this year's cob foals. It is here that Derwen Traveling Express, whom I recently purchased, boards. He is (yes another) black stallion about 15.2 hands and 10 years old. He is covering my mares Derwen Pearl and Derwen Twt this year as a number of Rose's mares. He is an exceptional stallion with a wonderful disposition who has hunted, driven and shown with great success. He will be entered in next years Royal Welsh under saddle. Naturally, I will plan to see him there. Rose had some wonderful foals by Derwen Price on the ground and one in particular was too good to pass up. Tuscani Aramist, a chestnut colt with a great deal of presence, will be joining Glenhaven at the end of the year.

Since my interest in Section A's has grown, we left the next day to visit the Bengad Stud. Laura Hutchins

put us all to shame as she tramped over the hills while we huffed and puffed to keep up. She only does this THREE times a day! There were some lovely fillies in the herd but we were not certain that they would retain color and not turn grey. I was particularly looking for color to match the Section A's that I already have in the States.

From there we drove to Mary and Robert Manchip's stud to see his stock. He had a very leggy black colt by Derwen Denmark who is being run on and a striking bay colt which I could have easily put in a suitcase and taken home. This animal was by Derwen Royal Express out of the mare I bought at last years sales, Derwen Twt. This year we have put the sire's full brother, Derwen Traveling Express to the same mare. Hopefully, it will produce the same unmistakable quality.

Back in the car and deeper into Wales following Robert M. At breakneck speed. Amy and her husband Mike and four children also doing their best to keep up. We arrived at the hotel which was situated literally right on the sea front. It was a beautiful setting and I was thankful not to have to experience it in the winter. Ifor and Myfanwy Lloyd, our hosts arrived with another group of guest and we had a very pleasant dinner overlooking the sea.



From left: Robert Manchip, Ifvor Lloyd, Rose Hardwick, Suzanne Glenn, Peggy Stone, Leo Spruill, Marty Manchip, Mafanwy Lloyd in front Christopher Glenn

# Derwen Open Day - - Two Views



## Bay Colt by Tireinon Step on

Although Wales did not turn on the very best of summer weather for us, the day remained dry to ensure that the horses and spectators did not have to resort to rainwear. The cloudy sky and the Irish Sea in the background, always seems the perfect setting to see some of the best Cobs that Wales has to offer. A whole week of talking Welsh ponies and cobs and not a bored horse hater in sight. Even my son, Christopher, meet Amy and Mike Castleberry's son Kev and hit off an immediate friendship. That kept him occupied so that the hours of discussion could proceed virtually uninterrupted. Learning from past experiences, we decided to arrive early at Derwen Stud to be assured of "front row seats". At 10:30 it was already busy. The BBC double Decker bus was positioned, the snack tent, the Welsh Pony and Cob Society trailer booth was already doing business and Dr. Wynne Davies was preparing for the job as commentator. We took possession of the best seats (bales of straw with planks joining them). Then off we went to preview the foals. I was on a mission..... I wanted a Derwen Requiem colt.

There were only two. Easy you might think. It is quite an honor to be given the privilege of choosing any of the available colts and I was torturing myself.

With no decision made, we all returned to our seats to watch the display of fine animals pass before us. All the mares and foals were run out first and it is worthy of note that many of Ifor's competitors assisted in the handling the horses. All in all there were about 20 mares. The crowd awaited the arrival of the stallions. The star of the show was Derwen Requiem. We watched in awe as Requiem floated around the arena. Of course there was a tremendous void with the loss, earlier this year of Derwen Replica but he left behind some wonderful bloodlines and a new foal crop. I knew I had to have one of his foals. It took to the following morning to make my decision. A black colt, Derwen True Grit. Surely with a name like that he was destined for America.

I found myself in great demand for interviews by the National television and local Welsh stations as well as two live interviews with radio stations. I felt flattered. It was only later that I learned that I was one of the few foreigners that could be trusted to speak the "Queen's English". We were treated in the evening to a wonderful performance by several Welsh entertainers and I heard that Ifor has already engaged them for a future musical evening next year.

This is not the conclusion. There was still Section A studs to visit. We drove to Dr. Wynne's. The weather was threatening but we still braved the rain to tramp over more hills. We saw many lovely foals and settled on a little bay filly called New Priory Miranda. Rose is on the look for another filly. Rose took me to Vimpenny stud where I found the perfect colt, so Vimpenny Sweet Sultan is also joining us.

It was a wonderful relaxing week and many thanks to Ifor and Myfanwy and their staff for all the time and effort required to organize such a day. We are looking forward for to the arrival of the new stock in the near future.

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# M Y   F I R S T   T R I P   T O   W A L E S

By Bonnie Barbey

Hi! My name is Bonnie Barbey. My husband, Todd, and I are newcomers to the Welsh Cob world and have quickly become enamored with these wonderful horses. All I have to do is go out into our pastures and see the Cobs run toward me for attention and our remaining Quarter Horses run in the opposite direction and I realize once again what a treasure we've been blessed to find. Our newly founded Mynydd Hir (Long Mt.) Stud is set in Durango, Colorado in the beautiful San Juan Mountains. (Mynydd Hir is pronounced "Munith Hear").



**Min-y-ffordd Dictator**

We purchased a lovely Cob mare and her colt, Menai Crugddu (Grand Champion of Virginia WPCA Spring Fling '93) and Crossroads Magic from Gordon Heard of Crossroads Farm last winter and began to look for a riding gelding soon after for my husband. I got to talk to many of you on the phone during this hunt. In the process of following up on leads I came in contact with India Haynes of Waterford Stud in Maine. She encouraged me to go over to Wales and really get a clear vision of what we were doing and where we wanted to go as breeders. She also sent me some pictures of a colt that she knew of in Wales that she really liked. Well, to cut to the chase, we loved the photos and got a video sent to us, loved what we saw even more, and subsequently purchased our new two year old colt, Minyffordd Megastar (Royal Welsh winner by Minyffordd Dictator

out of Beech Hay Dairy Maid). In the process of this acquisition, my husband and I realized that it would be wise to become as knowledgeable as possible about Cobs; their care, showing and breeding. I think that I stunned India when I called her and announced that I wanted to go to Wales with her in the spring. She was gracious about it and soon had me more excited than nervous about the trip. We arranged to go over at "Glanusk" time in early May so I could see a good show. A few weeks before we went, another Cob enthusiast, Jean Northrup, new owner of North Fork Lord Byron (out of Llanarth Nansi by Balsuma High Flyer), joined our ranks for the trip.

I traveled to London two days early as I am a very poor traveler, especially when a time change is involved. India and Jean picked me up the morning they arrived. I had never met either of them, except by telephone conversations, and it was exciting to finally have some faces to put to their voices. We had breakfast, piled in our rental car and headed off to Philip Edgehill's farm to see Minyffordd Dictator (Nebo Daniel x Hendrewen Dawn), a two time Glanusk and two time Lampeter winner, and my colt's sire. He was all prepared for the show season and looked absolutely incredible. Already with some wins under his ..... girth?..... this season, he came out of the stall all fire and flash and gave us a wonderful show. He settled right down when we went to handle him and was very gentle and mannerly.

From there we went to Gristhill Stud, owned by Jesse Penfold, and saw Minyffordd Principality, some of his offspring, and about a gazillion other beautiful horses. Jesse's yearling colt, Gristhill Malibu Boy (black, four white stockings and a blaze) by Principality will be one to watch in the future if he continues to mature well. Note: Have tea with the Penfold's but be on the lookout as Jesse was tried, and ultimately convicted by a jury of his wife and guests (us) for sandwich thievery!

We drove to Wales that afternoon and arrived at the home of our gracious hosts, Milton and Anna Jones' of Minyffordd Stud. I immediately headed for the barn, as my colt, Megastar, was still there due to some shipping snags. It was exciting to finally get to see him in the (horse) flesh, and I was more pleased than ever. Milton had him looking great. Like his daddy, he is all fire and flash with a sweet, gentle personality. We got to see Claudia Novak's new filly, Megastar's sister, Minyffordd Maid of Adfa. She is a real beauty and again, with great

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By Bonnie Barbey

were shipped out while we were there, so we got to see them off.

Milton had a lovely yearling filly, Trefaes Belladonna (chestnut with hind stocks, a blaze and a flaxen mane and tail) that really caught my eye. She was by Cathedine Flying Express (Parc Welsh Flyer x Cathedine Welsh Maid, both Royal Welsh winners). Milton and India had picked her out at the October sales as one they thought would go really far, or "make a mare" as they say. The Minyffordd mares were ready to foal: two already had giving the Jones' a black colt and a chestnut filly. Minyffordd Maid Marion (now there is a mare!), Royal Welsh winner and half sister of Megastar and Maid of Adfa (by Minyffordd Principality), had her first foal, a filly will we were there. Hendrewen Dawn (Brenin Dafydd x Gwenllan Dilys) foaled a day or two after Jean and I left. India just happened upon Dawn shortly after the foal emerged, and just in time to make a miraculous rescue and CPR maneuver that saved the filly!

Beech Hay Dairy Maid has an impressive show record being 2nd at the Royal Welsh, 1st at Welshpool, 1st and Champion at Severn Valley, Carno, Minsterly and Llanfair all in 1992. She had just foaled before we arrived a produced a chestnut filly with four sock and a blaze.

The next day was the Glanusk show and I think I went temporarily blind from videotaping. I taped virtually all the cob classes and shot at least a million pictures. I took advantage of this opportunity to learn from the Welsh breeders there and stood next to different people for each class. Since Dr. Wynne Davies had welcomed India, Jean and myself over the PA system twice, I would introduce myself to whomever I was next to and start asking questions, explaining that I was a fledgling breeder and that I needed help evaluating horses. The Welsh accents hindered my understanding a bit, but I got a great deal of information. It got really interesting when the man on my left disagreed with the man on my right, but we all survived that one. I came away much more able to look at a cob and know what I liked, what I didn't and why. Welsh colloquialisms are a bit confusing ... example: "runs like stink" means the horse moves great.

Mabnesscliffe Survivor took champion Cob. Nebo Bouncer took the "C" championship. There were many Section A classes to go so we didn't stay for the final

showdown between the sections for the supreme champion of the show. I got my autographed copy of Wynne Davies book, "Welsh Ponies and Cobs". Milton found a wonderful stallion bridle and got me a deal on the price. I also purchased several halters. That evening we relaxed over a wonderful lamb dinner prepared by Anna and got Welsh lessons from Milton. I'm sure that the Welsh version of "Candid Camera" was filming Jean and me as we tried to master the "goose hissing" sound of LL. It's really most like HL with your throat closed, but when we went to Llanarth later, we didn't humiliate ourselves by saying Clanarth. All in all, it was a marvelous day!

Bright and early the next morning, India herded Jean and me out the door, each clutching our thousand pounds of camera equipment. We stopped and saw Phil and Dot Pugh's Powys Valley Stud. They had some really lovely mares and their colt, Powys Valley Trooper York had taken second in his very large class at Glanusk the day before. After a nice visit with them, we headed off to Nebo Stud. There we saw Nebo Daniel and Nebo Brenin, my new colt's grand and great grandsires, and a good many other extremely impressive Cobs as well as Nebo Bouncer. It was exciting to Nebo Daniel and Nebo Brenin since they have been at the top of sire ratings (See last issue of NACC for further information). The welsh cakes at Nebo were great; don't miss visiting there. From Nebo we went to Ffoslas. We got so lost that it seemed that half our day was spent racing down tiny Welsh roads with India at the helm, Jean in the back seat trying to find something to hang on to as we careened around blind corners, and me, eyes peeled, searching for landmarks. We eventually got there and saw some really nice stock. Next we went to Derwen and we saw Derwen Requiem, Derwen Duke of York and their mares and new foals out in the fields. What a setting! Gorgeous pastures set on a hill overlooking the sea.

Over the next few days we visited Fronarth, Cascob, Llanarth, Nesscliffe, Selattyn and Craignant. Fronarth and Cascob had really impressive mares and foals! It was tough on me, though, as I am still at a loss to be able to evaluate a young foal and I wanted to take them all home. India and Jean spent their time hauling me out of fields. At Craignant and Selattyn we saw Mabnesscliffe Survivor and Craignant Flyer and some really nice mares and foals.

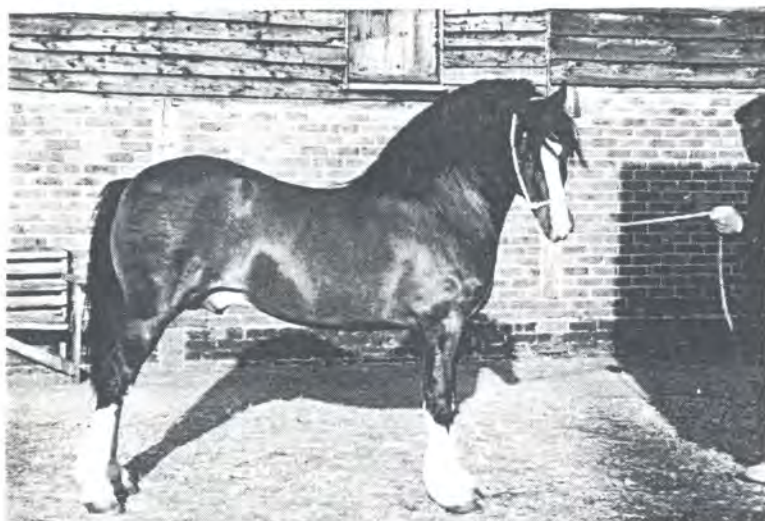
Llanarth had some wonderful stock. Llanarth Lord Nelson was very impressive and Jean got to see some of

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By Bonnie Barbey

Nelson was very impressive and Jean got to see some of her new colt's ancestors and was given some photos to take home. We had tea with Len Bigley and his family. Their house was built in the 1100's and they were showing us the new wing that was built in the 1500's! Even I had to duck to go through the doorways. Don't miss this if you get to visit Wales!

As they say in Wales, "at the end of the day" (meaning "when all is said and done"), I still had to come back to that yearling filly, Trefaes Belladonna, at Min-y-ffordd and say. "She's the one for me!". We



### Henqwys Tywysog

subsequently purchased her and she will be shipped following the Royal Welsh in which Milton will show her.

Jean and I left Wales and traveled to England. She caught a flight home and I went south to the D'Abernon Stud and the home of Peter and Lesley Hussey. I couldn't have ended my trip at a better place. They were so welcoming and eager to help me learn. You may have not heard of this farm, but I was impressed with their C and D stock. If Megastar had not been available, I would have snapped up their black colt, D'Abernon Tyson, in a heartbeat. D'Abernon Reebok, by Minyffordd Principality, will be a colt we should be hearing a great deal about in the future. Hengwys Tywysog, their "C" stallion by Nebo Bouncer, has filled their house with trophies and ribbons, not to mention their three year old colt, Blaengwen Gazzo (D), who took first at Windsor right before I got there. I had a great time with Peter and

Lesley and their children. We rescued a new colt in the field that had been stolen by their gorgeous but feisty C mare. She already had a foal at her side, and what she thought she would do with two is beyond me. We finally got the real dam to let the colt nurse, but then he rolled under the fence and had to be re-rescued. We were considering the name D'Abernon Disaster or D'Abernon Dilemma for him.

Peter took me in hand, told me to get some paper and herded me to the barn at feeding time. No, they didn't feed me there; they took me to a really nice pub.

He had me write down, in detail, the feeding program with which he has been so successful. That feeding program is the one that we have tried to duplicate here, and our horses are flourishing. I have never seen such a change so quickly! If you go to England, take the time to visit the Hussey's and see their stock. I think that you'll be glad you did.

Well, I flew home the next day and slept for at least the next three. Then I set to labeling my ten rolls of pictures. Fortunately, I had written down in a notebook the names of each horse that I photographed and any pertinent information, because I would never have remembered later. I had a marvelous time, and I have to thank India for playing tour guide and nanny to me while I was there, Milton and Anna Jones of Minyffordd Stud for being such wonderful and patient hosts, and Jean for giving me photographic pointers and enduring the back seat so I would survive India's "Indy 500" style of driving. I'm already plotting my next trip, hopefully at Royal Welsh time, looking forward to Anna Jones and possibly Milton's visit to us in the fall, and enjoying my great memories of this adventure.

### D'Abernon Reebok





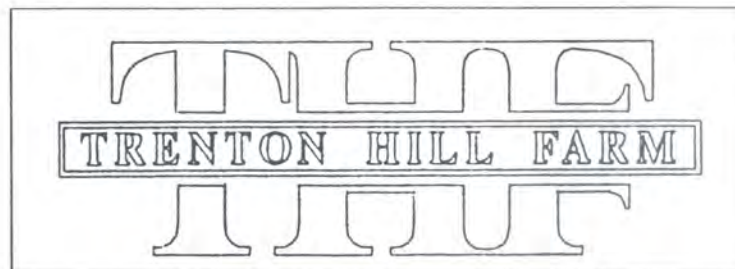


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3rd: Magic Fire of Telynor, Charlotte Upchurch

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Cob Hunter Champion: Madoc Prince William, Lena Byrne

Reserve: Lidgett Black Bess

English Pleasure Cob Champion (adult): Lidgett Black Bess

Reserve: Okeden Telynor

English Pleasure Cob Champion (junior)

Trevallion Welsh Jewel

Reserve: Gordon's Lady Anne

**Welsh of Wisconsin Somers Saddle Show Sunday June 12, 1994 Judge Jared Suminski**

Open Cob Halter (any age, any sex)

- 1st: Wyvere First Lady, Pat Cunningham, IL  
2nd: Okeden Clover, Fran Martin

English Pleasure Junior Rider

1st: Okeden Clover

English Pleasure Adult Rider

4th: Okeden Clover

Welsh of Wisconsin Great Lakes Horse & Pony Assn. Show Saturday June 11, 1994 Judge Jan McGlaughlin

Open Cob any age, any sex

1st: Wyvere Black Prince, Linda Davis

2nd: Okeden Clover, Fran Martin

3rd: Wyvere First Lady, Pat Cunningham  
English Pleasure Junior Rider

3rd: Okeden Clover

**Penn-Marydel Welsh Pony Show, June 18 & 19th, 1994**

Judges: Mrs. E. Ashwin, Scrafton Stud, UK and Jean Shemilt, Rowfantina Stud, The Plains, VA

Section D Mares and Fillies (combined) under both judges

1st: Waterford Diplomat, India Haynes, Waterford Stud, ME

2nd: Min-y-fford Maid of Adfa, Claudia Novak, Fletcher Hill Farm, Dunstable, MA

3rd: Gwrtharan Rosemary, Ellen Carroll, Brookside Farm

Champion Section D Mare: Waterford Diplomat

Reserve Champion Section D Mare: Min-y-ffordd Maid of Adfa

Champion Section D Stallion: Nesscliffe Sunrise, India Haynes, Waterford Stud

Overall Champion Section D: Nesscliffe Sunrise

Reserve : Waterford Diplomat

Supreme Champion of all Sections:

Nesscliffe Sunrise (Mabnesscliffe Survivor x Tireinon Dawn), India Haynes, Waterford Stud

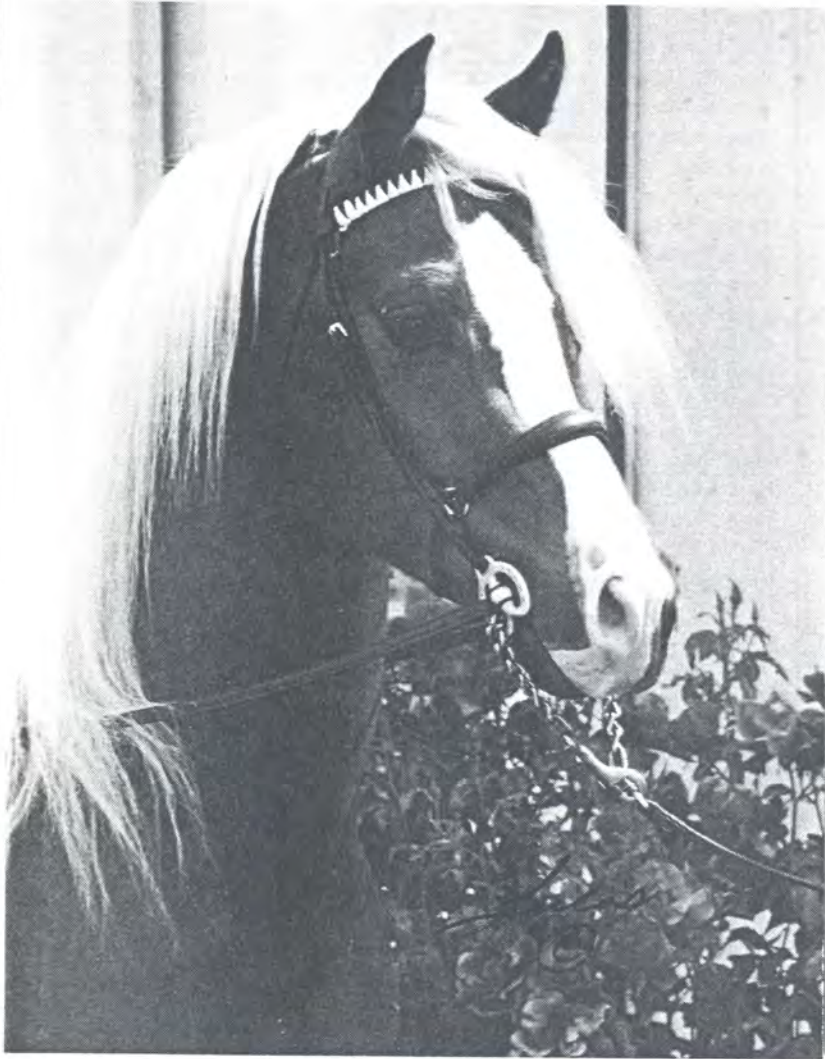
Don't forget to send in your show results so we can publish them. We want to let everyone now about the winners here in North America!

Cob Name	Reg.#	Sex	Trans.D	Sold By	Owner	City, State
ABERGAVENNY JOEL	D7340	s	1/11/94	Mr & Mrs J A Batt	Ann-Marie Morton	Newmarket, ON
ASHTON AGINCOURT	R393	m	11/22/93	New Registration	Pat Gammon	Ashton, ON
ASHTON EIDDWEN	H2658		12/11/93	Kerri Smith	Moira J Martinchek	Charlevoix, MI
ASHTON FAVIOLE	R392	m	11/22/93	New Registration	Pat Gammon	Ashton, ON
BEAVERWOOD'S EBONY	C6580	s	11/25/93	Erica Brunner	Kirsten Brunner	Hillsburgh, ON
BEAVERWOOD'S HAWTHORNE	C7302	s	10/27/93	New Registration	Kirsten Brunner	Hillsburgh, ON
BEAVERWOOD'S SHADOX	R386	s	9/28/93	New Registration	Kirsten Brunner	Hillsburgh, ON
BRYN CARREGWEN BENDIGAI	R410	s	2/10/94	New Registration	Carol McDonald	Langley, BC
BRYN CARREGWEN TANWEN	R411	m	2/10/94	New Registration	Carol McDonald	Langley, BC
BRYNARIAN REVERIE	R422	m	3/1/94	Marie Sherry	April Spiess	Aldergrove, BC
C'EST LA VIE	R366	m	3/16/93	New Registration	Nita Wilson	Harris, SK
CANTERBROOK LLWYNOG DU	D7488	s	4/12/94	New Registration	Sandra Sterritt	Port Perry, ON
CANTERBROOK MARMALADE	D7487	m	4/12/94	New Registration	Sandra Sterritt	Port Perry, ON
CANTERBROOK TWINKLE	R416	m	2/16/94	New Registration	Sandra Sterritt	Port Perry, ON
CEULAN CAITLAN	D7342	m	1/11/94	Ann-Marie Morton &	Lawrence Flaska	Newmarket, ON
CEULAN COPPER BRACKEN	C7341	m	1/6/93	Ann-Marie Morton &	Lawrence Flaska	Newmarket, ON
COB HILL'S WINTER BAY BOY	R320	g	10/30/93	Sandra Margaret Eva	Andrea Schutt	Port Alberni, BC
COB HILLS LADY GUINEVERE	D7225	m	2/22/93	Peter Wilding-Davies	Sandra Margaret Evans	Cobble Hill, BC
COBLYNAU MAY MORN	R332	m	1/21/93	New Registration	Jennifer Parsons	Tottenham, ON
CWMFELEN HAF	D5722	m	8/28/93	Peter G Lush	Hilary Tolhurst	Kemble, ON
CYFAENAD CAPTEN BOB	D7267	s	8/18/93	JoAnn Brown	Cyfaenad Farm Inc.	Dalkeith, ON
FALLON'S BLACK BEAUTY	D33845	m	5/16/94	Ellen Flock	Kristen Pfeil	N. Kingstown, RI
FAIAZ	R377	m	8/18/93	New Registration	Thea Kovach Kearney	Port Hardy, BC
FLYING COLORS DARLING SCAR	C32629	m	2/28/94	Beverly F Nohr	Ron & Deborah Mertens	Easton, MN
GLENDOWER LADY SLIPPER	C00326	m	3/17/94	Barbara Evans	Sandra Camire	Londonderry, NH
INCOGNITO	R417	m	2/23/94	New Registration	Nita Wilson	Harris, SK
JASMINE	R368	m	3/16/93	New Registration	Nita Wilson	Harris, SK
JUGLANS CARREG	D6329	m	11/8/93	Laurie Bruder	Virginia Buchanan-Smith	Cambridge, ON
JUGLANS MACKENZIE	D7064	s	11/12/92	New Registration	Sandra Sterritt	Port Perry, ON
KELLY ACRES DURANGO	C7236	s	3/16/93	New Registration	J Boyd Wilson	Harris, SK
KEOKA BERYL	D35315	m	4/26/94	Sara Stockwell	Todd & Bonnie Barbey	Durango, CO
KILTIE SPECIAL EDITION	C7273	s	9/1/93	Sheila McLellan	Kerry Marit	Cochrane, AB
KILTIE'S FIRST CLASS	C7344	m	1/6/94	New Registration	Shiela McLellan	DeWinton, AB
MARY'S PRINCE	D00311	s	3/10/94	Lil Judd	Megan McQueeney	Chatsworth, CA
MENAI ELENA	D7269	m	8/18/93	Peter Jones Exports	Peter Dagenais	Newmarket, ON
MENAI FLYING LADY	D7272	m	8/19/93	Peter Jones Exports	Patricia M Hardy	Omeme, ON
MENAI MAGIC'S BOY	D7271	s	8/18/93	Peter Jones Exports	Peter Dagenais	Newmarket, ON
MENAI MALEN	D7270	m	8/19/93	Peter Jones Exports	Julie Foot	Neepawa, MB
MI MIDNIGHT RENDEZVOUS	R419	m	2/24/94	New Registration	Alana Wilson	Harris, SK
NANCE QUEEN OF WALES	D00009	m	4/4/94	Ellen Flock	Devin J Flock	Hope, RI
NOCTURN'S LAST LADY	D33849	m	11/18/91	John Neeman	Candice Upchurch	Summit, MO
OKEDEN JOLLY	D00216	m	3/1/94	Cynthia Dishman	Patricia Holmes	Woodside, CA
SIR TELYNOR	D00400	s	5/9/94	Robert Becker	Sigrid Harrison	Groton, MA
SPECIAL BLEND	R367	m	3/16/93	New Registration	Nits Wilson	Harris, SK
SPIRIT IN THE SKY	R418	g	2/23/94	New Registration	Nita Wilson	Harris, SK
STIRLING'S CAMLANN	C7234	s	3/16/93	Kristin Dornan	Anne Morrison	Saanichton, BC
STIRLING'S LORD OF THE ISLES	D7235	s	3/16/93	Sandra Sterritt	Leona Frayling	Duncan, BC
TARAN MYND AP MALDWYN	R426	s	4/18/94	New Registration	Susan Mason	Maple Ridge, BC
TEESDALE'S MEAGEN	C6356	m	11/1/93	Patricia Harker	Susan Malin	Okotoks, AB
THORNBECK BRENIN	D7233	s	3/16/93	New Registration	G Neil Ferguson & Barb	Millville, NB
THORNBECK GOLDEN DAWN	R162	m	11/1/93	James Lynds	Michelle Finnegan	Fredricton, NB
WINKS ADAM	C35337		3/30/94	Wm P Winkelman	Lawrence & Joan Ochs	Watertown, WI
WYVERE DOUBLE DIAMOND	D7490	s	4/12/94	Amanda Williams	Julie Foot	Neepawa, MB

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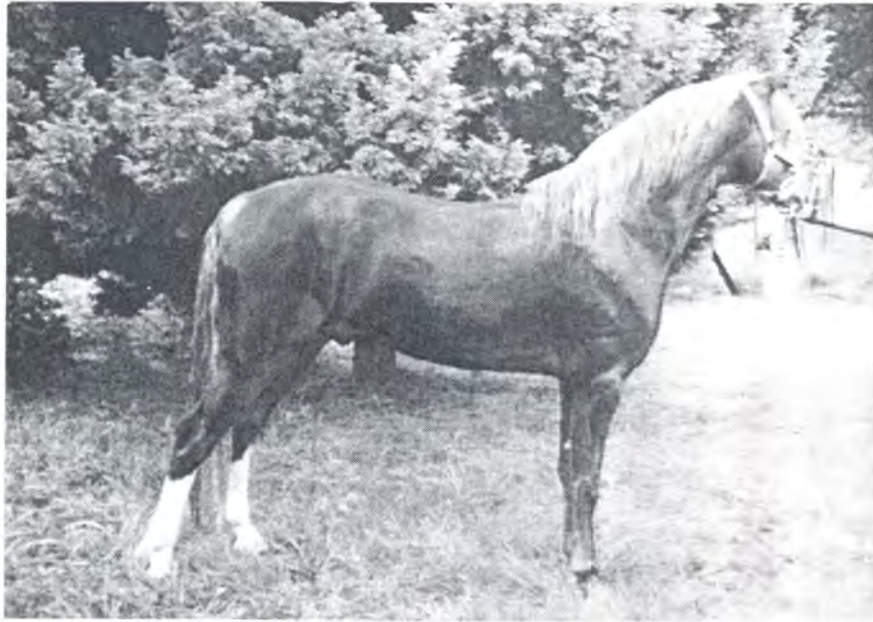
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# C l a s s i f i e d   A d s

**Please Note in the Future: The free classified ads are for Welsh Cobs and Partbred Cobs.** We are sorry but printing costs prevents us from publishing further free ads for Section A's and Section B's.

**Heather Hill Cari** Half Welsh Mare by Cyffylliog Pendefig, Bay foaled 1990. Cari is 15.2 big bodied beautiful, sweet, kind, sound and ready to enjoy. She is doing training level dressage and is excellent on the trails. Great walk and a real pleasure to ride. Cari would excel in combined driving, Pony Club or just being someone's best friend. She is truly exceptional. 1994 price \$3,500. Call Pat Holmes (415)851-2840

**Black Section C (C x C) filly.** Beautifully built, and flashy. Three low socks and a star. By Beaverwood's Ebony (by Parc Dilwyn) out of Windcrest Tiara (by Dafydd y Brenin Cymraeg). Born 5/20/94. Being handled daily. \$2,000. Photos and video available. Call or write Donna Chase, P.O. Box 346, Patten, ME 04765. (207) 528-2166.

**Section D Colt:** Palomino. Lovely star, blaze and diagonal white socks. Beautiful mover. Registered in U.S. and England. Excellent conformation and disposition. Call Jill Stryffeler at (216)424-5345 early a.m. or p.m..

**Personality Plus.** Section A gelding 7 years old. Halter/driving champion. Started under saddle and over fences. Flashy red chestnut, flaxen mane & tail, with blaze and white socks. Call Jill Stryffeler at (216)424-5345 early a.m. or p.m..

**Olympic Blue Willow** registered Section A gelding. Double "Blue Danuabe" bred. He is a real cutie, golden dun with black mane and tail with white blaze. He has been ground driven, saddled and bridled but not ridden. More work planned for this summer with professional training available if desired. Have no one to ride him, so will price VERY reasonably to good home.

Photos on request. Contact Kathy Wyrsh, Rt. 5, Box 484, Joplin, MO 64804 (417)624-7115

**Knightwynd's Cavalier.** Handsome Section D bay colt, foaled 5/1/94. Large star and 2 hind socks (Casob Flying Colours x Menai Mighty Model by Tyhen Comet). His dam was champion Cob at the 1993 Ohio Welsh Pony Show and his 1993 full sister was Res. Champion at the same show. Top bloodlines. \$3,500

**Knightwynd's Class Act** Lovely Section D bay filly, foaled 6/6/94. Star and stripe, 1 hind sock (Parc Dilwyn x Crossroads Rose) Bloodlines include Nebo Black Magic, Parc Boneddwr and Derwen Rosina's Last. \$3,500  
Tracy & Ruth Laufer (814)425-8058

**Smoke Tree Huey Lewis** 1986 Section D gelding. 15.1 hands, palomino roan. National Champion in performance, winner of Grazing Fields Farm High Point Cob Award in 1993. Huey has competed and won in halter, English, Western, Hunter, trail and driving as well as hunting, parades and exhibitions. An exception Cob with a great attitude. \$5,500.

**Wyvere Roxxi** 1993 Section A chestnut roan filly. To mature around 12 hands. By Supreme Champion Severn Sirocco out of Dandarel Terri. A beautiful filly with great potential as driving or leading rein/first ridden pony. Shown in halter - placed 1st od 2nd every time \$1,750.

**Wyvere Rhonda** 1994 Section B grey filly. To mature around 13 hands. By Supreme Champion Shenandoah Neptune out of Belvoir Erica. Beautiful filly with a large white star and a lovely head. \$1,200

**Wyvere Semi-Springtime** 1994 Cob/TB cross chestnut filly. To mature at 16 hands plus. By

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Supreme Champion and National Champion Winterlake Alexander out of Semi-Super 17 hand TB mare. This filly combines TB size and quality with Cob bone, substance and movement. Excellent prospect for dressage, CT or hunter/jumper. \$2,000

Contact Wyvere Welsh, Rt. 1, Box 186, Waldron, AR 72958 (501)637-2603

**North Fork Cobs offers for sale:** Two beautiful 100% Section D fillies. \$3,500. One black - One chestnut. Lovely heads, superb action -- very sensible. Sire Balsuma Highflyer (Llanarth Trustful x Lidgett Henrietta) and Llanarth Nansi and Hastening Mirage. Top notch breeding. For details and pictures call: Carol Holcombe Florence, OR (503)997-9403

**Glenhaven Welsh Ponies and Cobs offers for sale:**

**Derwen Dashing Duke** Champion Cob Gelding 1994 & Grand Champion Gelding **Nationals** 1994 Imported 1988. Section D Welsh Cob gelding. Chestnut, flaxen mane and tail. 4 white socks. 16 hands, 1,400 lbs. Duke is 6 years old, is a good trail horse and works well in the arena. Kind, gentle, trailers, clips. Only offered for sale to make room for foals \$12,500 or serious offer.

**Glenhaven Welsh Monteray** Imported 1993. Section D filly, chestnut with flaxen mane & tail. Will mature around 14.3 - 15 hands. Wonderful temperament. Very well handled, has been pointed on the trails. \$5,800

**Glenhaven Welsh Liberty** Foaled 3/94. Sire: Derwen Denmark Dam: Derwen Gentle Lady. Black filly with star. Will mature around 14.3 - 15 hands. Beautiful head, wonderful action. Reluctantly offered for sale to serious Welsh show home. \$6,250.

**Glenhaven Christoff** (part-bred) foaled 3/94 Welsh Warmblood. This colt (now gelded) will mature over 16 hands. Chestnut with white hind socks and a blaze. This cross, between 16 hand

Welsh Cob stallion and TB mare produces a true warmblood will agility of the TB together with Cob temperament. An ideal dressage, eventing, jumping prospect. Has been well handled, clips, ties, wash, trims. \$4,000

**Glenhaven Magellan** (part-bred) foaled 8/94. Black colt, dished head, 2 white socks. Will mature 13.2 hands. Sire: Tuscani Masada Dam: Jasmine (Welsh/Arab cross). Will make fabulous child's pony. Will geld. \$3,500

**For further information:** Suzanne Glenn, Glenhaven Welsh Ponies and Cobs, Rolling Hills, CA (310)377-8644

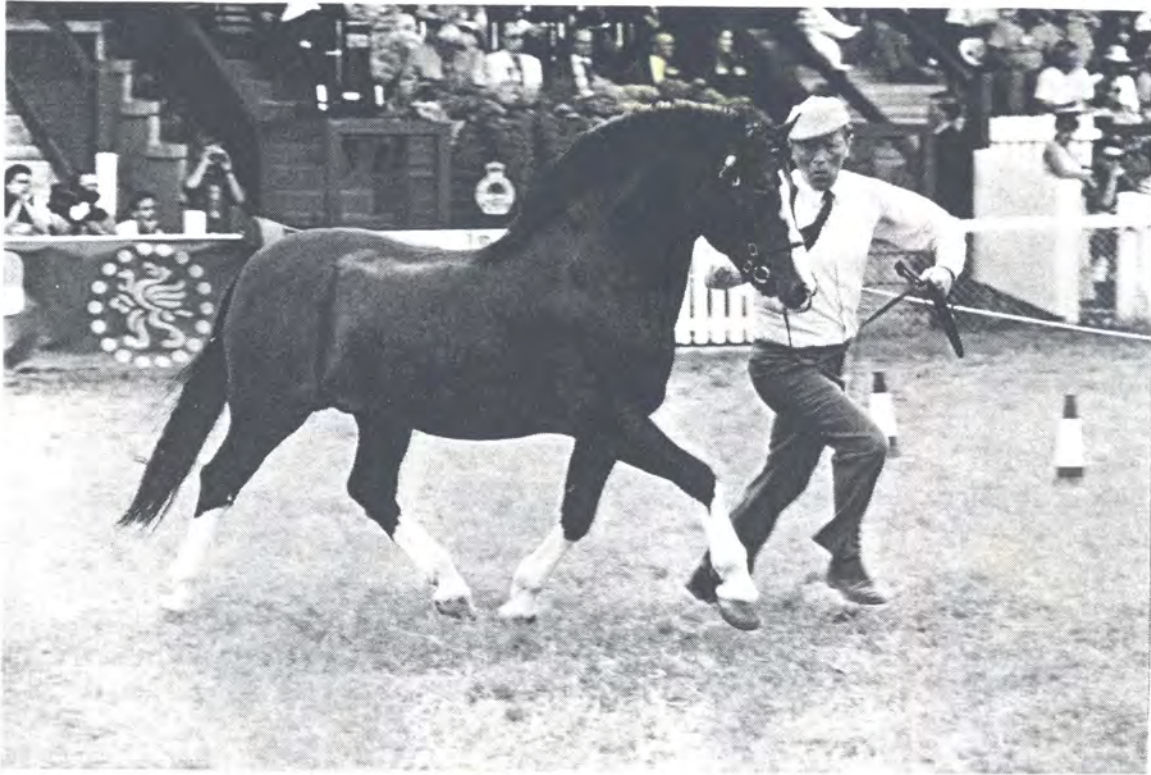
**Help!** We have one cob and want to buy another; 15 hand Section D Cob to use for Pony Club, combined training and fun. Will consider all colors, genders, bloodlines and levels of training (we have patience and support for the unbroken and green). May consider a lease too. Knowledgeable, caring home. Call Jeri at (913)583-3650 hm or (913)268-2575 wk.

**Looking for Section C weanling filly.** I need small size, stout build and gentle, quiet temperament. Should anyone have any information to head lead me to that end, I would greatly appreciate hearing from you. Judy Colter, 143 Eastside Rd., Deer Lodge, MT 59722

## Stallion Listings

**North Forks Sir Oliver Blakslee** 13.2 hands, bright red chestnut with 2 high hind stockings. Gayle Ambler, Son de Farm, 8540 SW 173 Ave., Rochester, WA 98579

**Fronarth Tywysog Du**, (Cyttir Telynor x Ross Rosita) black, 14.1 hands, Glenda Armstrong, Slingerlands, NY (518)439-1613.



*Synod Roy Roger with Cerdin Jones at Royal Welsh Show 1994*  
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