BLACKBROOK VESPER (top)  born 22/02/2011
BLACKBROOK WHATNOT (below)  born 12/03/2012

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Dear Members

Welcome to the Summer newsletter, with plenty of information to keep you up to date with the Society’s activities.

The National Show was held at the Lincolnshire Show this year and there was a tremendous display of cattle. There’s a full list of winners in the newsletter and plenty of photos in the Gallery section of the website.

The AGM is in October and so the booking form is enclosed with the newsletter along with the nomination form for Council. Please consider standing as a Trustee; it is a rewarding role that helps keep the Society progressing and developing.

Debbie
This year’s NBA Beef Expo was held at the NAEC, Stoneleigh Park, Warwickshire on Thursday 18 May. The day before, the NBA has arranged a series of local farm visits and the weather had been appalling, but the day of the event was warm and dry. With 20 Breed Society stands along with companies selling machinery, livestock equipment and supplies and a full seminar programme there was plenty to interest visitors.

The Society had a stand at the event and David and Angela Blockley kindly loaned two superb disbudded steers, both of which were 27 months old and they weighed 588kg and 650kg respectively. They drew much admiration and attention from event visitors.

The Society's thanks go to David and Angela for kindly loaning cattle, plus Council members David McVeigh and Paul Ashcroft who came along to do a 'stint' on the stand.
The Northern Longhorn Breeders' Group held their herd visit at the Southfield Herd by kind invitation of David and Angela Blockley, on Sunday 23 April. Around 30 Society members and friends attended in glorious sunshine.

As well as the opportunity to see the Southfield herd, Meurig James, Chief Classifier with Holstein UK, was there to classify David and Angela's cattle. It provided Society members with the ideal opportunity to see the classifying process in action and a number of members had some in depth discussions with Meurig regarding the benefits of the scheme.

After a fabulous lunch there was a ‘guess the weight of the steer’ competition and stock judging of cows, heifers, bulls and steers which got everyone once again having discussion and debate over the cattle in front of them.

After the results of the competition were announced members enjoyed afternoon tea before heading home.
Northern Longhorn Breeders’ visit to HMP Kirkham

On 4 June 2017 the Northern Longhorn Breeders’ Club had a herd visit to HMP Kirkham. 15 members plus guests had a great day in Preston ‘behind the fence’ in the sun viewing some good looking Longhorns. They are a real credit to Keith and Peter who look after the herd on a day to day basis. The new stock bull Stoke Mudlark got a lot of attention and admiration from breeders.

A light lunch was supplied from the Prison kitchen and a really good day was had by all. Luckily all members made it out from behind the fence and a visit into the farm shop ended the day.

I would like to thank Keith, Peter and Judy and everyone else who helped make the visit a great day

Graham Walker, Northern Breeders Club Chairman
### Shropshire County Show
27 May 2017
Judge: Steve Gray

**Bull any age, 1 forward**
1<sup>st</sup> Carreg Quintet  Mr & Mrs B & M Llewellyn

**Senior Heifer, 2 prizes awarded**
1<sup>st</sup> Gorse Winegum Messrs JS & JW Brigg
1<sup>st</sup> Carreg Plum  Mr & Mrs B & M Llewellyn

**Junior Heifer, 3 prizes awarded**
1<sup>st</sup> Carreg Quartet  Mr & Mrs B & M Llewellyn
2<sup>nd</sup> Gorse Xceptional Messrs JS & JW Brigg
3<sup>rd</sup> Gorse Xpected     Messrs JS & JW Brigg

**Pairs, 2 prizes awarded**
1<sup>st</sup> Mr & Mrs B & M Llewellyn
2<sup>nd</sup> Messrs JS & JW Brigg

**Breed & Female Champion Gorse Winegum**
Male & Reserve Champion  Carreg Quintet
Best Junior Bull  Carreg Quintet
Best Junior Heifer  Carreg Quartet

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### Northumberland County Show
29 May 2017
Judge: Kerry Gibb

**Junior Heifer, 4 forward**
1<sup>st</sup> Newton Absolutely Fabulous Mr D Walker
2<sup>nd</sup> Wellhead Quicksilver  Mrs N Luckett
3<sup>rd</sup> Fishwick Queen of the Ring J Close & Son
4<sup>th</sup> Newton Absinthe  Mr D Walker

**Senior Heifer, 6 forward**
1<sup>st</sup> Wellhead Paxos  Mrs N Luckett
2<sup>nd</sup> Fishwick Petula  Mr H Hodgson
3<sup>rd</sup> Newton Zinnia  Mr D Walker
4<sup>th</sup> Fishwick Phantasie  J Close & Son
5<sup>th</sup> Croftlands Pearl  Mr S Horrocks
6<sup>th</sup> Fishwick Primadonna  Mr M Harding

**Cow, 2 forward**
1<sup>st</sup> Fishwick Omega  J Close & Son
2<sup>nd</sup> Gayle Farm Nicola  Mr S Horrocks

**Junior Bull, 1 forward**
1<sup>st</sup> Newton Acceleration  Mr D Walker

**Pairs, 3 forward**
1<sup>st</sup> Mrs N Luckett
2<sup>nd</sup> Mr S Horrocks
3<sup>rd</sup> Mr D Walker

**Breed & Female Champion Fishwick Omega**
Res & Male Champion  Newton Acceleration
Reserve Female Champion  Wellhead Paxos
Best Junior Heifer  Newton Absolutely Fabulous

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Reserve Champion Carreg Quintet (l), Champion Gorse Winegum (r) with judge Steve Gray
SHOW RESULTS

Royal Bath & West Show
31 May - 3 June 2017

Judge: Lynda Burditt

Senior Bull, 1 entry/1 forward
1st Gupworthy Paddington Mr & Mrs G Woollatt

Junior Bull, 3 entries/2 forward
1st Carreg Quintet Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn
2nd Ahston Quincy Mr D Hitchings

Cow, 2 entries/2 forward
1st Carreg Idlenot Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn
2nd Warns Olive Mr N Glover

Senior Heifer, 6 entries/5 forward
1st Gorse Winegum Messrs JS & JW Brigg
2nd Gupworthy Pippcott Mr & Mrs G Woollatt
3rd Carreg Plum Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn
4th Gupworthy Pippa Mr & Mrs G Woollatt
5th Ashton Princess Mr D Hitchings

Junior Heifer, 6 entries/5 forward
1st Carreg Quartet Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn
2nd Gorse Xantippe Messrs JS & JW Brigg
3rd Gorse Xpected Messrs JS & JW Brigg
4th Gupworthy Quality Mr & Mrs GH Woollatt
5th Warns Quantilla Mr N Glover

Group of Three, 3 entries/2 forward
1st Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn
2nd Messrs JS & JW Brigg

Pairs, 5 entries/5 forward
1st Mr & Mrs GH Woollatt
2nd Mr N Glover
3rd Mr D Hitchings
4th Messrs JS & JW Brigg
5th Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn

Steer, 1 entry/1 forward
1st Gupworthy Quartermaster Mr & Mrs G Woollatt

Breed & Female Champion
Gorse Winegum

Reserve & Male Champion
Gupworthy Paddington Carreg Quartet
Reserve Female Champion
Carreg Quartet
Reserve Male Champion
Carreg Quintet
Best Junior Heifer
Carreg Quartet
Best Junior Bull
Carreg Quintet

Suffolk County Show
31 May - 1 June 2017

Judge: Richard Warner

Bull any age, 1 prize awarded
1st Colne Valley Hercules T&S Farms

Cow, 2 prizes awarded
1st Treverton Nettle Mr D Howden
2nd Trelawny Magical AK Clark & Sons

Senior Heifer, 2 prizes awarded
1st Chalkney Utter Mrs SE Coleman
2nd Colne Valley Happy T&S Farms

Junior Heifer, 4 prizes awarded
1st Trelawny Quiritis AK Clark & Sons
2nd Pointer Caci Mr D Howden
3rd Chalkney Virago Mrs SE Coleman
4th Trelawny Quincy AK Clark & Sons

Breed & Female Champion Chalkney Utter
Reserve Champion Trelawny Quiritis
Best Junior Heifer Trelawny Quiritis

Gorse Winegum, Breed Champion, Royal B&W
## SHOW RESULTS

### Royal Three Counties Show
16 June 2017
Judge: Richard Warner

#### Junior Bull, 3 prizes awarded
1st Pointer Can Dance Mr D Howden  
2nd Rhyfel Q Mr TA Williams  
3rd Carreg Quintet Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn  

#### Cow, 2 prizes awarded
1st Carreg Martha Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn  
2nd Treverton Nettle Mr D Howden  

#### Senior Heifer, 3 prizes awarded
1st Gorse Winegum Messrs JS & JW Brigg  
2nd Carreg Plum Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn  
3rd Gorse Winnie Mr D Howden  

#### Junior Heifer, 4 prizes awarded
1st Pointer Caci Mr D Howden  
2nd Gorse Xantippe Messrs JS & JW Brigg  
3rd Gorse Xpected Messrs JS & JW Brigg  
4th Carreg Quartet Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn  

#### Pairs
3 prizes awarded  
1st Messrs JS & JW Brigg  
2nd Mr D Howden  
3rd Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn  

#### Breed & Female Champion Gorse Winegum

- Reserve Breed Champion Pointer Caci  
- Male Champion Pointer Can Dance  
- Reserve Male Champion Rhyfel Q  
- Best Junior Bull Pointer Can Dance  
- Best Junior Heifer Pointer Caci  

### Royal Three Counties Show
Rare & Minority Breeds Show  
18 June 2017
Judge: Richard Hartshorn

#### Junior Bull, 3 prizes awarded
1st Pointer Can Dance Mr D Howden  
2nd Rhyfel Q Mr TA Williams  
3rd Carreg Quintet Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn  

#### Cow, 2 prizes awarded
1st Carreg Martha Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn  
2nd Treverton Nettle Mr D Howden  

#### Senior Heifer, 3 prizes awarded
1st Gorse Winegum Messrs JS & JW Brigg  
2nd Carreg Plum Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn  
3rd Gorse Winnie Mr D Howden  

#### Junior Heifer, 4 prizes awarded
1st Pointer Caci Mr D Howden  
2nd Pointer Camber Messrs JS & JW Brigg  
3rd Gorse Xantippe Messrs JS & JW Brigg  
4th Gorse Xpected Messrs JS & JW Brigg  

#### Breed Champion Gorse Winegum

- Reserve Champion Gorse Winegum  
- Best Junior Bull Pointer Can Dance  
- Best Junior Heifer Pointer Caci  

- Male Champion Pointer Can Dance  
- Reserve Male Champion Rhyfel Q  
- Best Junior Bull Pointer Can Dance  
- Best Junior Heifer Pointer Caci
Lincolnshire Show 2017
Longhorn Cattle Society National Show
21 June 2017

**Senior bull, 4 entries/3 forward**
1st Riverlands Oink Mr & Mrs R&V Burton
2nd Stoke Juniper Mr D Walker
3rd Telford Vaders Vortex Mrs V Hopkinson

**Intermediate bull, 3 entries/3 forward**
1st Southfield Quareo Mr & Mrs D&A Blockley
2nd Riverlands Paddington Ms Y Ferguson
3rd Colne Valley Hercules T&S Farms

**Junior bull, 12 entries/7 forward**
1st Riverlands Quibble Mr & Mrs R&V Burton
2nd Pointer Can Dance Mr D Howden
3rd Carreg Quintet Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn
4th Newton Acceleration Mr D Walker
5th Rhyfel Q Mr TA Williams
6th Rhyfel Quest Mr TA Williams
7th Dunstall Quadrant Mrs E Hallifield

**Cow with calf at foot, 19 entries/8 forward**
1st Fishwick Kanara J Close & Son
2nd Southfield Lyric Mr & Mrs D&A Blockley
3rd Telford Twinkle Mr & Mrs C&D Sutcliffe
4th Southfield Lace Mr & Mrs D&A Blockley
5th Carreg Martha Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn
6th Fishwick Omega J Close & Son
7th Gorse Valentine Rose Mrs V Hopkinson
8th Riverlands Misty Mr & Mrs R&V Burton

**Senior Heifer, 17 entered/11 forward**
1st Dunstall Peony Mrs R Hallifield
2nd Southfield Peach Mr & Mrs D&A Blockley
3rd Colne Valley Happy T&S Farms
4th Chalkney Utter Mrs SE Coleman
5th Carreg Plum Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn
6th Wellhead Paxos Mrs N Luckett
7th Newton Zinnia Mr D Walker
8th Treverton Paloma Ms RE Heard
9th Newton Zambuca Mr D Walker
10th Briar Mead Precious Valentine Mrs V Hopkinson
11th Rhyfel Pearl Mr TA Williams

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**Junior Heifer born between 01/01/2016 & 30/04/2016, 26 entries/18 forward, class split**

### Part 1

1st Carreg Quartet Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn
2nd Riverlands Quinine Mr & Mrs R&V Burton
3rd Trelawny Quirits AK Clark & Sons
4th Dunstall Quest Mrs E Hallifield
5th Dunstall Quail Mrs E Hallifield
6th Trelawny Quincys AK Clark & Sons
7th Wellhead Quicksilver Mrs N Luckett
8th Chalkney Virago Mrs SE Coleman
9th Newton Absolutely Fabulous Mr D Walker

### Part 2

1st Tetford Xara Mr & Mrs C&D Sutcliffe
2nd Southfield Quail Harry Blockley
3rd Tetford Omerta Mr & Mrs C&D Sutcliffe
4th Southfield Quiz Mr & Mrs D&A Blockley
5th Pointer Caci Mr D Howden
6th Newton Absinthe Mr D Walker
7th Treverton Quest Ms RE Heard
8th Newton Appy Easter Mrs V Hopkinson
9th Rhyfel Quail Mr TA Williams

**Junior heifer born between 01/05/2016 & 31/12/2016, 6 entries/3 forward**

1st Southfield Quip Mr & Mrs D&A Blockley
2nd Fishwick Queen of the Ring J Close & Son
3rd Southfield Quaint Mr & Mrs D&A Blockley

**Pairs, 11 entries/9 forward**

1st AK Clark & Sons
2nd Mr & Mrs D&A Blockley
3rd Mr TA Williams
4th Mr D Walker
5th Mrs EM Hallifield
6th Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn
7th Mrs N Luckett
8th Mr & Mrs R&V Burton
9th Mr H Blockley
## NATIONAL SHOW LINCOLN

### Group of Three, 6 entries/ 5 forward
1<sup>st</sup> Mr & Mrs R&V Burton  
2<sup>nd</sup> Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn  
3<sup>rd</sup> Mr & Mrs D&A Blockley  
4<sup>th</sup> Mr D Walker  
5<sup>th</sup> Mr TA Williams

### Disbudded Longhorn, 8 entries/2 forward
1<sup>st</sup> Southfield Diesel  
2<sup>nd</sup> Southfield steer

### Breed Champion (Morgan Trophy)
**Riverlands Oink**
- Reserve Breed Champion (Elizabeth Henson Trophy)  
  Fishwick Kanara
- Male Champion (Tomlinson Trophy)  
  Riverlands Oink
- Reserve Male Champion  
  Riverlands Quibble
- Female Champion (Hill Lady Trophy)  
  Fishwick Kanara
- Reserve Female Champion  
  Dunstall Peony

### Best Junior Bull (Linton Trophy)
Riverlands Quibble

### Best Junior Heifer (Fishwick Shield)
Carreg Quartet

### Best Overall Junior Heifer (Blackbrook Trophy)
Fishwick Omega

### Best 1st calved heifer (Leebarn plate)

### Best calf at foot (Southfield Trophy)
calf of Carreg Martha

### Best Pair (Doverdale Trophy)
AK Clark & Sons

### Best Exhibitor bred pair (Michael Thomson Trophy)
AK Clark & Son

### Best Group of Three (Colaba Trophy)
Mr & Mrs R&V Burton

### Supreme Beef Breed Native Champion
Riverlands Oink

### Best Native Team of Three
Southfield Lace, Carreg Quartet, Riverlands Oink

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Breed Champion (r) Riverlands Oink, Reserve Champion (l) Fishwick Kanara
### Royal Cheshire County Show  
9 June 2017  
Judge Mr Joshua Brigg

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**Breed Champion**  
Lower Blacup Patricia

**Reserve Champion**  
Lower Blacup Nancy

**Best Junior Bull**  
Newton Aftershock

**Best Junior Heifer**  
Lower Blacup Quartz

**Junior Champion**  
Lower Blacup Quartz

### Derby County Show  
25 June 2017  
Judge: Brian Wragg

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**Reserve Champion**  
Dunstall Quest

**Best Junior heifer**  
Dunstall Quest

**Best Junior bull**  
Dunstall Quadrant
SHOWS NEWS

Shows & TB
The current regulations relating to TB and shows are available on the TB hub website at the link below, or check with the individual shows you wish to enter.
http://www.tbhub.co.uk/

Frome Show (9 September 2017)
Frome Show is not holding cattle classes this year

Newbury Show (16/17 September 2017)
For those exhibitors now unable to show at Frome, Newbury Show have said they will reinstate the Longhorn classes should there be a minimum of eight entries from four exhibitors. Competitors should enter the Beef AOB classes in the first instance and then the Longhorn classes will be split out should there be sufficient entries.

Triple Crown Competition
Three agricultural shows in the Midlands are joining forces to stage a new ‘Triple Crown’ competition for showing cattle. Hanbury Show, Burwarton Show and Moreton in Marsh Show will award the Three Shires Trophy to the exhibitor gaining the most points across the three shows. More information is on the Society website.

Borderway Agri-Expo
Now in its 11th year, Borderway Agri Expo is one of the largest events in the UK Agri industry, showcasing the best quality beef cattle and sheep, the latest developments in farming practice, breeding, genetics, machinery, equipment, technology, environmental issues, livestock marketing and export opportunities. It is now known to be a true celebration of the very best British Livestock, and the farmers, breeders and stockmen who look after them.

Last year saw record entries of over 950 cattle and sheep compete in the livestock classes and was a true showcase for the tremendous stock that head to Carlisle to compete in what is now the UK’s largest winter livestock fair. The event proves that farmers and breeders care as much about quality and condition as they do about profits and margins.

The Society will have a stand at the event which takes place on Friday 3 November 2017.
COUNCIL MEMBERS 2017

The following Council members represent you in 2017

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COUNCIL ELECTIONS

All Full and Associate Members of the Longhorn Cattle Society whose subscriptions are not in arrears are eligible to be nominated for Council, subject to being correctly proposed and seconded by two other fully paid up Members.

Council meet 4-5 times each year, usually on the Showground at Stoneleigh and a term of office is three years. After three years Council members are eligible to stand for re-election for a further three year period. After the second three year term Council members must stand down and are able to stand again after a one year break.

Council is made up of a diverse range of members and work alongside the Secretary to ensure all aspects of running the Breed Society are covered. It is the opportunity for members to get more involved in the management of their Breed Society and to ensure the Longhorn breed has a secure future.

There are three spaces available for Council this year, with new Trustees being elected by postal ballot during September and taking up their posts at the AGM in October. If you have never thought about standing for Council please consider it - it is very rewarding! If you fancy finding out more (with no obligation of course) please contact any Council member or the Secretary. Nomination forms are included in this newsletter.
COUNCIL MEETINGS 2017

Council meeting dates for the rest of 2017 are as follows. If you have a matter you wish to raise with Council please either contact one of the Council members listed above or Debbie in the office in plenty of time before a meeting.

Friday 13 October

AGM 2017 - NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Longhorn Cattle Society CIO AGM will be held at Hennisfield Farm, Sutton on the Hill, Ashbourne, Derbyshire, DE6 5JF at 2.00pm on Saturday 14 October 2017

AGENDA
1. Apologies for Absence
2. Approval of Minutes of 2016 AGM
3 Chairman’s Report
4. Treasurer’s report and approval of accounts
5. Election of Trustees
6. Any Other Business

AGM 2017

This year’s AGM will be held in Derbyshire. We will be based at the Hilton Hotel, St Georges Park, near Burton on Trent and we have visits to the Hennisfield herd, courtesy of Mike and Yvonne Smith and the Melbourne Park herd, courtesy of Ben and Tori Stanley.

The booking form is enclosed with this newsletter. Please book your hotel on line using the link on the Society website (see ‘AGM booking details’ in news) or in the newsletter. Deadline for the Hotel at the Society’s special rate is 15 September, deadline for booking in with the Society office for meals is 6 October.
The purity of the Longhorn breed is one of its major selling points and Council have decided that a random selection of heifers should be DNA sampled to verify their parentage. To this end the owner of each 100th female registered, starting from 1 January 2015, will be asked to provide a hair sample of the calf and both parents.

Should the sire not be on the holding then the current owner will be asked to provide a sample if one is not already held. DNA samples of all AI bulls are already held and if the bull is dead then a sibling or close relative will be sought.
MEMBERS’ NEWS

Susan Cutts of the Folds herd passed away on 11 April. The prefix has been taken on by her son Oliver. Susan attended Longhorn events on a regular basis and was also well known in equine circles for her Folds Farm stud of Cleveland Bays.

Lesley Hutton passed away on 8 May. Lesley bred Longhorns under the Winthill prefix in the 1970's. She was the Society's bull inspector from 1979 to 1990 and was President in 1990 and 1991. She was still a regular attendee at the Royal Three Counties Show where she always took a great interest in the judging and catching up with members old and new. Last year she donated a picture to the Society which was awarded to the Heifer of the Year. A number of members attended the celebration of her life and the Society was officially represented by our president Dr Phil Cleland.

Alan Dunsheath of the Clinton herd passed away on 25 May. Along with his business partner Jim Swindon he took up breeding Longhorn cattle as a retirement project. The Clinton herd became well known in the show-ring taking many Championships with their foundation cow Fishwick Kestrel. He was ably supported by his wife Bridgett, a cake baker of extraordinary ability, who helped to ease long show days & host the Midland Longhorn Breeders wonderfully with her culinary skills. The Clinton herd was dispersed in the 1990's, bought in it's entirety by John and Pat Stanley of the Blackbrook herd. The Society was represented at the funeral by Pat Stanley.

The Society’s condolences go to the families and friends of those concerned.
Many congratulations go to John Stanley who was recently granted the Freedom of the City of London.

Pat Quinn celebrates....
Many congratulations go to Pat Quinn who recently celebrated her 90th birthday in style, with a large party at home.
SOCIETY SALES

The Longhorn breed is known for its resilience and hardiness but the Society sales are the breed’s shop window and potential new members may be put off by seeing cattle in poorer condition. Council want you to get the best price for your cattle at Society sales and be happy with what you have put forward to represent your herd and the breed.

When assessing your cattle for potential entry to Society sales please consider if they will be in a condition that will reflect well on you as a vendor as well as the breed in general. If in doubt please ask Debbie to arrange for a Council member to visit who will be able to advise you.

Council reserves the right to inspect any cattle entered for Society sales to assess their suitability.

TB testing is compulsory for all cattle entered in Society sales

BEEF CERTIFICATES

Beef certificates are £6. They are proof that your finishing animal is a pure-bred Longhorn should you need to offer such proof to a butcher, finisher, meat marketing scheme or restaurant.

GENUS CHARGES

For members of the Society that use semen from Society stocks please note that Genus levy distribution charges to the Society. The Society passes these charges on at cost.

There is a distribution charge of £3 per straw, with a minimum transaction charge of £25 and a maximum of £500 per transaction. This means if you order one straw you will be charged £25 to transfer it. This is to both Genus technicians and DIY flasks. The charge to third parties (ie your local technician who is not Genus) is £80 for 1 to 20 straws and £80 + £3 per straw (capped at £500) for over 20 straws. All these prices will have VAT at 20% added to them. These charges are in addition to the cost of the semen itself.
REGISTRATION FEES 2017

From 1 January 2016 the following fees apply

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Male registrations

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Transfer fees

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Transfer fees are payable on breeding females and registered bulls by both buyer and seller unless an alternative arrangement is made between both parties.

BULL REGISTRATIONS

Those members wishing to register bulls can download a registration form from the website or ring the office for one - in any case please get in touch as you will need a hair sample bag for each bull being registered. The registration form, photographs and sample bag must be signed by a vet and these, along with the payment for registration must be received before the registration will be processed. Allow yourself plenty of time, especially if you are thinking of entering your bull for a show or sale and never assume the office has received the documentation!

Emailed registration forms or photos can be accepted as long as you contact the office first - the Society has pretty strong spam filters on the computer which sometimes does not allow big photo files through. We have had an incident where a member thought an email had been sent but the office had never received it so please let the office know in advance that you are emailing pictures. Hair samples must be posted.

PLEASE NOTE THAT FROM 1 JANUARY 2016 BULL REGISTRATION FORMS MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE OFFICE NO LATER THAN ONE MONTH FROM THE TIME THE ANIMAL WAS WEIGHED, OR RE-WEIGHING WILL BE REQUIRED
SOCIETY NEWS

BEESTON SALE

Unfortunately there were insufficient entries to hold the Show classes at Beeston this year. Sale averages were as follows.

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YOUNG HANDLERS

If you are under 18 and take part in Young Handler’s classes at any show with your Longhorn cattle please let the office know as the results will count towards the Young Handler’s Award. Young Handler events at Society sales also count.

OFFICE CLOSURE

The office will be closed from Tuesday 29 August and will re-open on Wednesday 6 September. I will have little access to the internet during this time but will endeavour to maintain a limited service.

HERDBOOK ERRATA

Page 31. Official judges. Mrs SEO Coke is not on the judges’ panel, Mrs K Gibb is an official judge.

Page 36. Mr JW Brigg was omitted from the listing for Mr JS Brigg. It should read Messrs JS & JW Brigg. All other details are correct.

The Society’s apologies go to those concerned.
SPRING SHOW & SALE

The Society’s Annual Spring Show and Sale at Worcester again recorded a bumper crowd and no shortage of keen competition throughout the sale.

Top call of the day went to Rachael Heard’s Treverton herd when Treverton Pegasus, a third prize winning bull in the pre-sale show was secured by volume buyer at the sale Jane Grant, Easingwold, York at 3,050gns. Mrs Grant took a total of 12 females and 1 bull at the sale – her female purchases topping at 2,000gns for John Salt’s first prize winning in calf cow Wellhead Newlands Lass, bred by Nicky Luckett and the top maiden heifer Carreg Patience, a daughter of Fishwick Lord of the Rings, being secured at 1,650gns.

The First, Female and Reserve Overall Champion Treverton Pollyanna a two year old maiden heifer from Rachael Heard enjoyed a sound following also taken by Jane Grant at 1,500gns.

A third prize in calf cow Gorse Telyn from John & Joshua Brigg’s Warwickshire based herd found favour and strong bidding eventually being taken by Mrs V Hopkinson, Chesterfield, Derbyshire at 1,750gns. The same vendors securing a very creditable 820gns for a weaned heifer calf, the first to be offered for sale by Gentons 007 James Bond to M & A Corrie, Shrewsbury, Shropshire.

Quality bulls were closely followed with Colne Valley Hero, the second prize bull by Blackbrook Stig from Sophie Gurton, Colchester, Essex being taken by T & M Lewis, Llandrindod Wells at 2,900gns.

The First, Male and Overall Champion Slough Okedokey, a senior bull having previously won numerous prizes including First and Male Champion, Moreton in Marsh from Mr & Mrs D Preece’s herd sold to a level 2,000gns to RJ Sheppy & Son, Taunton, Somerset.

Averages:

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# SPRING SHOW & SALE

## SHOW
Judge: Mr Steve Gray

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<td>Carreg Primrose</td>
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<td>Treverton Promise</td>
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<td>Carreg Quango</td>
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Male Champion: Slough Okedokey  
Female Champion: Treverton Pollyanna

**Breed Champion**: Slough Okedokey  
**Reserve Champion**: Treverton Pollyanna
TB COMPENSATION

Whilst the eradication of Bovine TB should be at the forefront of DEFRA’s minds, it’s inexorable creep across the country means more and more members are being affected. A quick look at the difference between the compensation you will receive for a registered pedigree animal and a non pedigree animal might make registration of all your calves a consideration. Retrospective pedigree registration of TB reactors is not permitted.

The table shows compensation for June 2017. It is updated each month.

The table is applicable to England only - Wales and Northern Ireland are on individual valuation and Scotland is TB free.

Further explanation and the most recent compensation table is available on the DEFRA website and there is a link on the Society website.

The website www.tbhub.co.uk also has current information.

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Production of the Society Journal relies on the support of members.

Please consider taking an advert or a listing in the Breeder’s Directory to ensure the future of this publication.

All members have the opportunity to advertise, whatever their budget!

**ADVERTISING OPTIONS**

*Display adverts*

*Full colour, artwork supplied by the advertiser or a limited design service is available from the Society*

- Full Page: £250 +VAT
- Half Page: £150 +VAT
- Double facing page: £450 + VAT

Display advertisers get a **FREE** listing in the Breeders’ Directory

*Breeders’ directory*

Have your name, address, prefix and contact details listed and your location pinpointed on a map.

A cost effective method of advertising your herd within the Journal

Breeders’ Directory: £50+VAT
SALES 2017

All dates subject to confirmation and DEFRA movement and gathering regulations

**SOCIETY SALES**

**Friday 8 & Saturday 9 September 2017**
National Show & Sale of Traditional & Native Breeds
Melton Mowbray Market, Scalford Road
Melton Mowbray, Leicestershire, LE13 1JY
Paper entries close Sunday 30 August
Online entries close Sunday 6 August
go to www.grassroots.co.uk/melton.html

**Friday 22 & Saturday 23 September 2017**
Society Autumn Show & Sale
The Livestock Market, Worcester WR4 0SQ
Auctioneers: McCartneys. Tel: 01905 769770
Entries close Friday 11 August

**REGIONAL GROUP SALES**

**Thursday 5 October 2017**
Multi breeds sale incorporating the Mid West Longhorn Breeders Club Sale
Sedgemoor Market, Somerset,
Auctioneers: Greenslade Taylor Hunt. Tel 01278 410278

**Saturday 16 September 2017**
Rare, Minority & Traditional Breeds Sale
incorporating the Northern Members Club Show & Sale
at Borderway Mart, Carlisle CA1 2RS
Auctioneers: Harrison & Hetherington Ltd, Tel: 01228 406230
Entries close 10th August

**OTHER SALES**

**Tuesday 12 September**
Dispersal of the ‘Little Covert’ herd belonging to Richard Hopkins,
removed to Melton Mowbray Mart for the convenience of sale.
Catalogues available in due course.
The regional groups operate independently of the Society and organise herd visits, social events and herd competitions. Enthusiastic group members are always welcome. Do get in touch with your local breeders group co-ordinator and get involved in group activities.

**Mid West Longhorn Breeders Group**
For details of Group activities
**Contact:** Peter Guest, Colaba Lodge, Hamnish, Leominster, Herefordshire HR6 0QN Tel: 01568 760251.
Email: colabalonghorns@aol.com
This year visit is to the Blackdown Herd owned by Messrs Batchelor, at Higher Willand Farm, Churchstanton, Near Taunton, Somerset TA3 7RL

The date is Saturday 9th September, starting at 2.00 for 2.30. Numbers to Peter Guest by 2nd September please.

**Midland Longhorn Breeders Group**
For details of Group activities
**Contact:** Rachael Heard, Hill House, Welford, Northamptonshire, NN6 6JQ Tel: 01858 575 280
Email: rheard@live.co.uk

**Welsh Longhorn Breeders Group**
For details of Group activities
**Contact:** Bernard Llewellyn, Carreg Cennen Castle, Trapp, Llandeilo, Dyfed, SA19 6UA Tel: 01558 822291
Email: carregcennencastle@btinternet.com

**South East Breeders Group**
No contact details at present

**Northern Longhorn Breeders Group**
For details of Group activities
**Contact:** Graham Walker, Newton Farm Cottage, Huby, York, YO61 1HQ Tel: 07957 208021
Email: walkergraham93@gmail.com

**MERCHANDISE**

The Society offers a comprehensive range of merchandise. Ties, caps and mugs are available from the office, clothing such as hoodies, polo shirts, sweatshirts etc are available to order with a two - three week lead time. Items of clothing have the Society logo and can have your herd name embroidered on them. The full range and the order form are in the ‘Knowledgebase’ section of the Society website or from the office.
**BULLS FOR SALE**

Please check the website for up-to-date listings of cattle for sale, photos and extra information.

**Graham Lennox, Doonies Farm Ltd, Coast Road, Nigg, Aberdeen, AB21 3LT**
Tel: 01224 875879, mobile 07799 575320
Email: dooniesfarm1@gmail.com

**ABERDEEN PRIMUS 30537/P01114**
Born: 23.03.15
Sire: Aberdeen Monty 26210/M01114
Dam: Aberdeen Joan 13th 21951/L01114
Aberdeen Monty was 1st Senior bull 2015 NLBG Herd Competition (North section)
4 year TB testing.

**Kenny Trembath, Sunset Farm, St Just, Penzance, Cornwall, TR10 7QB**
Tel: 01736 788698 or 735747
Email: kenny@sunsetproperties.co.uk

**MAYFIELD MINOTAUR 26297/M01068**
Born: 14/10/2012
Sire: Stoke Juniper 20422/J0021
Dam: Wheatholme Julia 18035/J0815
Quiet, easily handled bull who is a real gentleman.

**Paula Wright & David Sargeant, St Osyth Priory, St Osyth, Essex, CO16 8NZ**
Mobile 07763 589976
Email: paulawpriory@btinternet.com

**BLACKBROOK X-CALIBUR 27316/N00380**
Born: 19/03/2013
Sire: Blackbrook Rochester 16820/H0380
Dam: Blackbrook Scarlet 16658/I0380
Sadly for sale as he will be back on his daughters. Quiet and well mannered. Four year TB test area, Elite Status High Health Care Scheme.

**BULLS FOR SALE**

**Charlotte Willis, 20 Wilton Crescent, London, SW1X 8SA**
Mobile 07789 861711
Email: charlottewillis@willismail.co.uk

**FISHWICK NORTHERN DANCER 27362/N00087**
Born: 28.03.2013
Sire: Underknoll Legend 22747/K0733
Dam: Stoke Honeysuckle 16007/H0021
Only for sale as he will be back on his daughters. Can be viewed at Newtyle, Blairgowrie, Angus, PH12 8TW

**David & Graham Walker. Newton Farm, Main Street, Huby, N Yorks, YO61 1HQ**
Tel: 01347 810809
Mobile: 07957 208021 (Graham)
Email: walkergraham93@gmail.com

**NEWTON ACCELERATION 31057/Q00890**
Born: 22.02.16
Sire: Newton Storm 18208/I0890
Dam: Fishwick Garnet 15016/G0087
BVD, Lepto and IBR Vaccinated. TB 4 holding

**Mrs N Luckett, Wellhead, Mealsgate, Wigton, Cumbria, CA7 1DJ**
Tel: 01697 371487
Email: nickyluckett@aol.com

**WELLHEAD QUARTZ 31366/Q00268**
Born: 07.02.16
Sire: Raincliffe Harry 22166/K0059
Dam: Wellhead Malachite 24079/M00268
Adjusted 400 day weight 536kg.

**Aberdeen Monty was 1st Senior bull 2015 NLBG Herd Competition (North section)**
4 year TB testing.

**Graham Gilder, Harrow Farm, Elmstone, Hardwicke, Cheltenham, GL51 9TF**
Tel: 01242 680279
Email@ graham.gilder@btconnect.com

**HARROW QUERCUS 31037/Q01317**
Born: 22.03.2016
Sire: Trelawny Icarus 18141/I0870
Dam: Leebarn Jasmine 19142/J0053
### BULLS FOR SALE

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<td>Park House, Rhiwderin, Newport, Wales, NP10 8RP</td>
<td>Tel: 01633 893420 Mobile: 07759 961076 Email: <a href="mailto:johngriffiths223@btinternet.com">johngriffiths223@btinternet.com</a></td>
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*Mrs N Luckett, Wellhead, Mealsgate, Wigton, Cumbria, CA7 1DJ*

*Tel: 01697 371487*

*Email: nickyluckett@aol.com*

**WELLHEAD NICNAC 25154/N00268**
- Born 11.03.13
- Sire: Raincliff Harry 22166/K0059
- Dam: Wellhead Gracie 14308/G02668
- Sold with her registered heifer calf born 14.04.17. Has been running with Newton Zinfandel since 20.05.17

**WELLHEAD N-DLESS 25155/N00268**
- Born: 16.03.13
- Sire: Raincliff Harry 22166/K0059
- Dam: Wellhead Infinite 16847/I0268
- Sold with her adopted bull calf born 23.03.17. Has been running with Newton Zinfandel since 27.05.17

**WELLHEAD OLANTHE 26729/O00268**
- Born: 28.02.15
- Sire: Wellhead Lohengrin 23766/L00268
- Dam: Wellhead Inca 17399/I0268
- Sold with her bull calf born 18.03.17. Has been running with Newton Zinfandel since 02.05.17

**WELLHEAD PLENTY II 28312/P00268**
- Born: 11.04.15
- Sire: Raincliff Harry 22166/K0059
- Dam: Wellhead Infinite 16847/I0268
- Has been running with Newton Zinfandel. Scanned ~6 weeks in calf on 19.05.17

**WELLHEAD PAULINA 28310/P00268**
- Born: 02.04.15
- Sire: Raby Gladiator 8623
- Dam: Raincliff Hawthorne 20265/K0059
- Running with Newton Zinfandel. Believed served 12.06.17

The Wellhead herd is Johnes Risk 1 (lowest level), acc free from IBR, Lepto & BVD.

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*TA Williams, Castell Ddu, Waun Gron, Pontardulais, Swansea, SA4 8DH*

*Tel: 01792 884455, Mobile: 07885 729416*

**RHYFEL QUELL 30336/Q01182**
- Born: 10.05.16
- Sire: Rhyfel Orion 27978/O01182
- Dam: Rousham Lilac 21348/L0045

**RHYFEL QAINT 30377/Q01182**
- Born: 20.05.16
- Sire: Southfield Granite 15454/G0460
- Dam: Blackbrook Vanity 21550

**RHYFEL QUINCE 29897/Q01182**
- Born: 17.02.16
- Sire: Southfield Granite 15454/G0460
- Dam: Fishwick Leona 21657/L0087

**RHYFEL QUEEN 29898/Q01182**
- Sire: Southfield Granite 15454/G0460
- Dam: Blackbrook Tinkerbell 18040/J0380

The Rhyfel herd is a SAC Hi Health Scheme member

*Graham Lennox, Doonies Farm Ltd, Coast Road, Nigg, Aberdeen, AB21 3LT*

*Tel: 01224 875879, mobile 07799 575320*

*Email: dooniesfarm1@gmail.com*

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Mark Perry, Bittlesea Farm, Bradenstoke, Chippenham, Wilts, SN15 4EW
Tel: 01249 892889, Mobile: 07785 565712
Email: mjperry@iei.org

BITTLESEA PEPPER 29217/P00974
Born: 01/11/15
Sire: Gorse Nimrod 15558/G0033
Dam: Linton Elinor 12624/E0112

BITTLESEA QUEQUE 29655/Q00974
Born: 27.03.16
Sire: Gorse Nimrod 15558/G0033
Dam: Bittlesea Gwelo 20623/G0974

BITTLESEA QUEEN SR.B.169
Born: 19.04.16
Sire: Gorse Nimrod 15558/G0033
Dam: Bittlesea Gatooma SR.A.125

David & Graham Walker, Newton Farm, Main St, Huby, N Yorks, YO61 1HQ
Tel: 01347 810809, mobile: 07957 208021
Email: walkergraham93@gmail.com

NEWTON APHRODITE 29542/Q00890
Born: 28.02.16
Sire: Stoke Juniper 20422/J0021
Dam: Newton Rosehip 15302/H0890

NEWTON ASIATIC LILLY 29540/Q00890
Born: 10.01.16
Sire: Stoke Juniper 20422/J0021
Dam: Newton White Lilly 22978/M00890

BVD, Lepto & IBR vaccinated, TB 4 holding

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John Harrison, Settrington, Malton, N Yorkshire
Tel: 01944 768441, mobile 07946 721995
Email: ruth@hhands.co.uk

SETTRINGTON TEAL 27516/O00582
Born: 23.07.14
Sire: Barlings Knight 21727/K0721
Dam: Settrington Kingfisher 21727/K00582
In calf to Carreg Pilot 30044/P0149, due to calve mid to late September. Very quiet heifer, BVD vaccinated, 4 yr TB area. Last test 12/16

SETTRINGTON TRIM 27520/O00582
Born: 01.10.14
Sire: Barlings Knight 21727/K0721
Dam: Settrington Nimble 17812/I0582
In calf to Carreg Pilot 30044/P0149, due to calve mid to late September. Very quiet heifer, BVD vaccinated, 4 yr TB area. Last test 12/16

SETTRINGTON VANITY 30539/Q00582
Born: 10.07.16
Sire: Settrington Quest 23749/L00582
Dam: Settrington Rhapsody 24551/M00582
Haltered, quiet heifer. BVD vaccinated, 4 yr TB area. Last test 12/16

Also a number of haltered heifers available of various aged. The older ones to be PD’d shortly.
CATTLE WANTED

**Charles Ashbridge, Thirsk, N Yorkshire, YO7 2HL**
Tel: 01845 525330 or 07790 016823
Email: charles@tastetradition.co.uk
All types of cattle wanted for finishing.

**Sam Barker, Shrewsbury, Shropshire, SY4 3HS. Tel: 07793 365517**
Email: sam@longhornbeef.co.uk
Organic steers and heifers wanted for finishing.

**A Goodman, Great Witley, Worcestershire, WR6 6JJ**
Tel: 01299 896590, mob: 07980271173
Steers wanted for finishing.

**Mr P Grabham, Tiverton, Devon, EX16 7AN**
Tel: 07875 464424
Email: tintin11@btconnect.com
Steers wanted for finishing.

**Piers Langdon, Bideford, Devon, EX39 5TA**
Tel: 07989 382520 or 01237 431305
email: pierslangdon@btconnect.com
Steers wanted for finishing.

**Messrs JW & LJ Mellin & Sons, Skipton, N Yorks, BD23 4JP**
Tel: 01729 850220
Mob: 07540053431
Email: duncan.mellin@hullhousetexels.co.uk
Steers and bulls wanted for finishing.

**Tom Mowles, Nailsworth, Glos, GL6 0SJ**
Tel: 07545 562984
Email: tom.mowles@mowlesfarms.co.uk
Yearling and two year old steers and heifers wanted for finishing.

**Richard Vaughan, Goodrich, Ross on Wye, Herefordshire HR9 6JN**
Tel: 01600 890296
Well grown store cattle male or females required for finishing.

Ben and Tori Stanley,

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**The following bulls are available from the Society:**

**The following bulls are available direct from the breeders**
Blackbrook Rebel 16819/H0380
Blackbrook Touchstone 19955/J0380
Blackbrook Sabre 18015/I0380
(Pat Stanley 01509 503276)

Fishwick Lord of the Rings 23577/L00087
(Peter Close 07779 937217)
What is BVD?

Bovine Viral Diarrhoea or BVD is a highly contagious viral disease of cattle. It is one of the biggest disease issues facing the UK cattle industry.

The majority of BVD infections occur after birth. Signs of BVD aren’t always obvious and the costs can be hidden:

- Reproductive losses – early embryonic death, returns to service, abortions
- Secondary disease – immune suppression increases the chances of pneumonia and scour in calves, lameness and mastitis in adults
- Poor production - lower milk yield, poor growth rates, increased cull rates
- Deaths – commonly through secondary infection

Persistently Infected animals (PIs)

If cows and heifers become infected within the first 120 days of gestation, the unborn calf may become persistently infected or PI. A calf will only become PI if its mother is infected during pregnancy; it cannot become PI after birth.

PIs will shed high quantities of BVD virus into their environment for life. They are the most significant source of infection to other cattle.

Within infected herds, PIs often only account for 1 or 2 out of every 100 animals. It is contact with these PI animals that leads to infection of other animals within your herd, causing the signs listed above.

How does BVD spread?

BVD virus is commonly spread

- from infected dams to their unborn calf
- through the semen of infected bulls
- from nose to nose contact with infected carriers.

Vaccinating can help control the disease - but will not eradicate the disease in infected stock – so you might be vaccinating and still have BVD on your farm.

Many UK herds have already been exposed to the virus, but there are many at constant risk of re-introduction of the disease due to:

- unknowingly buying in PI animals
- infection from neighbouring farms
- contact with infected animals at markets and shows

How can I tell if I have PI animals?

Sometimes PIs have stunted growth and rough coats, although more frequently they will appear completely normal.

Antibody tests can be used to tell you whether your herd has been exposed to BVD. Identification of individual PI animals can be done through testing blood or tissue samples.

All PI animals, once identified, must be removed from the herd. This is essential to achieve a successful BVD eradication scheme.

Talk to your vet to develop an effective screening programme to establish the BVD status of your herd.
Discuss with your vet how to identify whether there are any PI animals in your herd.

Blood sample 5-10 calves (9-18 months of age, unvaccinated) from each management group and test for antibody.

Blood samples from 10 cows/breeding bulls in each management group (unvaccinated).

All cows in your herd have been vaccinated.

Remove any PI animals ASAP.

To maintain status, continue to tag and test all (or blood sample) all calfs, including aborted foetuses and stillborns and any animals brought on to the farm.

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Test your young stock.

I want to know the BVD status of my herd.

Establish BVD Status in BEEF HERDS.

Break Free from BVD.

Test your adult herd (optional).

Test the whole herd for PI (optional).

I want to know BVD status of individuals.

Test the BVD status of individuals.

I don’t know my herd status.

OR

Test the BVD status of individuals.

Southfield Farm, Fieldhead Lane, Drighlington, Bradford, West Yorkshire, BD11 1JL
07831-857736       david@davidblockley.co.uk
Fishwick Longhorns

Fishwick Lord of the Rings
Sire: Carreg Cennen  Dam: Croc Mhor Foxglove
Two outstanding 2016 sons for sale out of
Croc Mhor Katkin - dam of Once in a Lifetime and Pascal
Fishwick Ivy - dam of Northern Light, Orion & Polar Star

Fishwick Macavity, pictured above alongside his dam, Fishwick Donna, was the main sire of our 2015 calf crop and will return home to sire the bulk of the 2018 crop. He is by Bollin Eugene - sire of Fishwick Kanara, Breed Champion and Interbreed Heifer Champion Royal Welsh Show 2012 and Breed Champion Great Yorkshire Show 2015. Macavity was shown successfully in 2013 when only 12 months old. Donna was Breed Champion at the 2005 Royal Show. For the future we hope that Lord of the Rings and Macavity will do for the breed what Llantrothy Kestrel and Fishwick Kinsman combined to do in the 90’s; combining stretch, power and thickness to take the breed forward to a new dimension.

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