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OF
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AND A
SHORT HISTORY OF THE BREED.

VOLUME I.

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Dear Members

The show season is now over and most of the Winter Fairs have also happened so everyone’s thoughts now turn towards Christmas and then spring calving. As always the weather has been a challenge for many, with cattle being housed as early as September which will make for a long winter.

The cover of this edition of the newsletter is the frontispiece of the first Herdbook of the Longhorn Cattle Society, printed in 1878. To celebrate this 140 year anniversary a facsimile edition of the first Herdbook will be printed next year. See page 12 for more details and to order your copy.

The AGM was blessed with good weather, good cattle, good company and most importantly superb Longhorn beef! A brief report starts on page 5, with a fuller report on the website. At the AGM a significant rule change was voted for - see page 4.

Finally please complete and return this year’s census and questionnaire - every response is important and helps with the smooth running of the Society. Have a good Christmas!

Debbie

At the AGM on Saturday 14 October members of the Society voted to change one of the General Rules of the Society thus:

‘Disbudded cows, heifers or bulls are eligible to compete in show classes for breeding cattle. Only fully registered animals will be eligible to compete in show classes for breeding cattle. Disbudded cattle may be shown at Society sales.’

This rule change means that disbudded cattle are now allowed in the show ring and of course can be entered at Society sales.

This press release was sent out to the agricultural press:

At the AGM on Saturday 14 October members of the Longhorn Cattle Society voted to change their general rules to allow disbudded cattle to show alongside their horned counterparts at shows with Longhorn classes. Disbudded cattle are already allowed at Society sales with show classes.

Commenting on the rule change, Bernard Llewellyn, the Society’s Chairman said, ‘This decision is a great step forward for the breed. It will allow members who wish to disbud their heifer calves as well as their male calves the flexibility to choose their best animals to enter into shows which are a major shop window for the breed and either keep them in their own herds, or sell top quality cattle to other suckler herds where they will be a huge asset.

The ongoing effect of this rule change will also have benefits when it comes to the end of an animal’s life as it is getting harder for abattoirs to take horned cattle – especially mature cows – and animal welfare was another factor that was taken into consideration when members voted in favour of the proposal.

I am however confident that many of us who exhibit cattle will not deprive showgoers the pleasure of observing Longhorns in their natural state, horns and all, for many years to come’
This year the Society’s AGM was based in Derbyshire, with visits to Mike and Yvonne Smith’s Hennisfield herd, Ben and Tori Stanley’s Melbourne Park herd and Calke Abbey. Around 80 members joined in all or part of the weekend’s activities. A full report is on the Society’s blog and will be in the next Journal.

Saturday 14 October
The weekend started with a visit to the breeding section of the Hennisfield herd belonging to Mike and Yvonne Smith. Mike and Yvonne bought Hennisfield Farm in 2003, initially rearing free range poultry and sheep. They bought two cows and calves from the Blackbrook/Fishwick/Southfield sale in 2007 to start their Longhorn herd and five years ago gave up free range egg production. The sheep enterprise has also been reduced so all efforts are now concentrated on the Longhorns. The herd now comprises 20 cows and followers, with heifers being retained as replacements and steers being finished for local butchers shops.

The herd has had success in both the show and sale ring. We didn’t have far to go to see the cattle as they were running in the parkland adjacent to the Hilton Hotel, our base for the weekend.

The formal AGM business was conducted with a change to the General Rules being voted in (see page 4) and David Blockley and Paul Ashcroft being re-elected back onto Council.

After lunch a number of members visited Calke Abbey which has been home to Longhorn cattle since the 18th Century. As well as cattle grazing in the park there are a number of Longhorn heads in the Entrance Hall to greet visitors.

In the evening we had a meal at the Hilton Hotel and along with a raffle we were entertained by our outgoing President, Dr Phil Cleland.

Sunday 15 October
On Sunday the day was spent at the various enterprises of Ben and Tori Stanley of the Melbourne Park herd. Ben and Tori recently secured the long term tenancy on Park Farm, part of the Melbourne Hall Estate and they also farm land nearby at Langley Abbey Priory. As well as the Longhorn herd there are also flocks of Jacob and Texel sheep, and a flock of Portlands managed by Tori and Ben on behalf of Lady Ralph Kerr. The Longhorn cattle are taken through to finishing and sold through their own butcher’s shop at King’s Newton as well as farmers markets, local farm shops and butchers.

Tori and Ben won the Farmer’s Guardian Awards ‘Beef Innovator of the Year’ award in 2016.

We started off at Tori and Ben’s Butchery in King’s Newton which had only had it’s official opening the week before for coffee and a butchery demonstration which proved a real hit.

From there we moved on to Park Farm to see the breeding cattle and the finishing cattle. We were then treated to an amazing Longhorn lunch, with Longhorn cooked ‘from nose to tail’ by 2014 BBC Masterchef Winner Sven Britt-Hansen and his team. We had dishes of Longhorn neck, Longhorn brisket, Longhorn sirloin, Longhorn forerib, Longhorn rump and Longhorn oxtail. This was all washed down with two beers that had been brewed specially for the occasion – Melbourne Park and Herbertsherd.
Maydencroft Perpetual Trophy – Bull of the Year
26 registered bulls were shown during the year. In third place with 14 points was Rhyfel Q from Mr TA Williams, in second place with 15 points was Carreg Quintet from Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn. In first place with 21 points was Pointer Can Dance from David Howden.

Leebarn Perpetual Trophy – Cow of the Year
28 registered cows were shown this year. In third place with nine points was Chalkney Tempo from Mr S Dixon In second place was Tetford Twinkle from Mr & Mrs CTD Sutcliffe. In first place with 15 points was Gorse Valentine Rose from Mrs V Hopkinson.

Lesley Hutton Perpetual Trophy – Heifer of the Year
70 registered heifers were shown this year. In third place with 25 points was Dunstall Peony from Mrs EM Hallifield, in 2nd place with 28 points was Pointer Caci from Mr D Howden. In first place with 32 points was Carreg Quicksilver from Mr & Mrs B&M Wheeler.

Paul Luckett Memorial Trophy
Three members had shown Longhorn cattle in their own right for the first time in 2017. Yvonne Ferguson and Harry Saxby tied for second place and in first place was Bertie Stanley.

Frank Sutton Young Handlers Competition
Four Junior members had taken part in stockjudging competitions this year. In fourth place was Dan Preece, in third place was Coby Horrocks, in second place was Rhiannydd Davies, and in first place was William Edwards.

President’s Award
The President’s Award, given by the retiring President to a member of the Society whom they feel has made a significant contribution to the breed either recently or in the past, was awarded by Dr Phil Cleland to Charles and Angela Cottrell-Dormer of the Rousham herd. The Cottrell-Dormers were amongst those who kept Longhorns during the ‘lean’ times and the President felt their unwavering support of the breed should be recognised.
Chalkney Tempo takes third place as she had a Breed Championship and a Reserve Breed Championship.

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140TH ANNIVERSARY HERDBOOK

In 2018 the Society celebrates the 140th Anniversary of the publication of the first Herdbook and therefore the formalisation of the breed. In order to recognise this, it is proposed that a facsimile edition of the first Herdbook be produced. It will look and feel as close as is possible to get to how it would have been when it was first printed in 1878. It is understood that there are only five original Herdbks in existence! The cost of the facsimile Herdbk will be dependent on the number ordered by members but it is hoped the cost can be kept below £25.

The first Herdbk is an A5 publication totalling 176 pages, including

- Officers of the Society
- Rules and Regulations
- A History of the Breed to date - 37 pages of fascinating information about the origin of the breed starting at around 1720.
- A list of 286 registered bulls, including 8 illustrative plates
- A list of registered females, including 3 illustrative plates
- A list of breeders (76 in total)

A few pages are in this newsletter to whet your appetite! My apologies for the quality of the scans; the facsimile edition will be professionally scanned and cleaned to produce a high quality reproduction.

If you are interested in buying one (or more!) copies of what is a unique record of the Longhorn breed please either fill in and return the form below or email the office. Closing date is 31 January 2018 in order to produce the Herdbook in it’s anniversary year.

I am interested in ordering ............... facsimile copies of the first Herdbook of the Longhorn Cattle Society

Name....................................................

Or email secretary@longhorncattlesociety.com
**SHOW RESULTS**

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1 July 2017
Judge: Peter Guest

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Judge: Graham Towers

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**Judge: Angela Blockley**

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**Cow, 4 entered/1 forward**  
1st Carreg Octopus | Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn |

**Senior Heifer, 3 forward**  
1st Mayhill Eurydice | Mr D Bevan |
| 2nd Mayhill Sybella | Mr D Bevan |
| 3rd Carreg Primrose | Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn |

**Junior Heifer, 4 forward**  
1st Carreg Quicksilver | Mr & Mrs B&M Wheeler |
| 2nd Carreg Quack | Mr & Mrs B&M Wheeler |
| 3rd Carreg Quoit | Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn |
| 4th Rhyfel Quail | Mr TA Williams |

**Pairs, 1 forward**  
1st Mr & Mrs B&M Wheeler |

**Breed & Female Champion**  
Reserve Champion | Carreg Quicksilver |
| Male Champion | Rhyfel Q |
| Best Junior Bull | Rhyfel Q |
| Best Junior Heifer | Carreg Quicksilver |

**Junior Heifer, 2 entered/1 forward**  
1st Carreg Plum | Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn |

**Pairs, 3 entered/3 forward**  
1st Mr & Mrs B&M Wheeler |
| 2nd Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn |
| 3rd Mr & Mrs D Preece |

**Breed Champion**  
Carreg Quicksilver |
Reserve Champion | Carreg Plum |
Best Junior Bull | Carreg Quicksilver |
Best Junior Heifer | Carreg Quicksilver |

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**Brecon County Show, 5 August 2017**  
**Judge: Clive Roads**

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1st Carreg Octopus | Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn |

**Senior Heifer, 3 forward**  
1st Mayhill Eurydice | Mr D Bevan |
| 2nd Mayhill Sybella | Mr D Bevan |
| 3rd Carreg Primrose | Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn |

**Junior Heifer, 4 forward**  
1st Carreg Quicksilver | Mr & Mrs B&M Wheeler |
| 2nd Carreg Quack | Mr & Mrs B&M Wheeler |
| 3rd Carreg Quoit | Mr & Mrs B&M Llewellyn |
| 4th Rhyfel Quail | Mr TA Williams |

**Pairs, 1 forward**  
1st Mr & Mrs B&M Wheeler |

**Breed & Female Champion**  
Reserve Champion | Carreg Quicksilver |
| Male Champion | Rhyfel Q |
| Best Junior Bull | Rhyfel Q |
| Best Junior Heifer | Carreg Quicksilver |

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**Gillingham & Shaftesbury Show, 16 August 2017**  
**Judge: Peter Guest**

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**Cow, 2 entered/2 forward**  
1st Warns Olive | Mr N Glover |
| 2nd Chalkney Tempo | Mr S Dixon |

**Best calf at foot, 1 entered/1 forward**  
1st bull calf | Mr N Glover |

**Senior Heifer, 3 entered/3 forward**  
1st Pointer Capella | Mr S Dixon |
| 2nd Warns Quantilla | Mr N Glover |
| 3rd Carreg Quail | Mr S Dixon |

**Junior Heifer, 2 entered/2 forward**  
1st Fishwick Phi | Mr S Dixon |
| 2nd Warns Paige | Mr N Glover |

**Pairs, 3 entered/3 forward**  
1st Stan Dixon |
| 2nd Stan Dixon |
| 3rd Mr N Glover |

**Breed Champion**  
Warns Olive |
Reserve Champion | Chalkney Tempo |
Best Junior Heifer | Pointer Capella |

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**Ashbourne Show, 19 August 2017**  
Judge: Pat Stanley

**Bull any age, 2 entered/1 forward**
- 1st Wellhead Quail  
  Master H Saxby

**Cow, 3 entered/2 forward**
- 1st Gorse Valentine Rose  
  Mrs V Hopkinson
- 2nd Dunstall Nutmeg  
  Mrs EM Hallifield
- 3rd Heronbrook Millie  
  Mr J Winington

**Senior Heifer born in 2015, 4 entered/4 forward**
- 1st Treverton Paloma  
  Ms RE Heard
- 2nd Briar Mead Precious Valentine  
  Mrs V Hopkinson
- 3rd Dunstall Peony  
  Mrs EM Hallifield
- 4th Heronbrook Patience  
  Mr J Winington

**Junior Heifer born in 2016, 2 entered/forward**
- 1st Dunstall Quest  
  Mrs EM Hallifield

**Breed Champion**  Gorse Valentine Rose  
Best Junior Heifer  Dunstall Quest

Hope Show, 28 August 2017  
Judge: Alistair Smith

**Cow, 3 forward**
- 1st Kirklan Heisker  
  Mr S Horrocks
- 2nd Dunstall Nutmeg  
  Mrs EM Hallifield
- 3rd Piggotthill Lottie  
  Mr B Wragg

**Senior Heifer, 5 forward**
- 1st Gorse Valentine Rose  
  Mrs V Hopkinson
- 2nd Briar Mead Precious Valentine  
  Mrs V Hopkinson
- 3rd Dunstall Peony  
  Mrs EM Hallifield
- 4th Croftlands Pearl  
  Mr S Horrocks
- 5th Wellhead Odelie  
  Master H Saxby

**Junior Heifer, 2 forward**
- 1st Dunstall Quest  
  Mrs EM Hallifield
- 2nd Gale Farm Raasay  
  Mr S Horrocks

**Bull any age, 2 forward**
- 1st Tetford Vaders Vortex  
  Mrs V Hopkinson
- 2nd Wellhead Quail  
  Master H Saxby

**Breed & Male Champion**  Tetford Vaders Vortex  
Reserve Champion  Dunstall Quest

**Moreton in Marsh Show, 2 September 2017**  
Judge: Pat Stanley

**Bull any age, 2 forward**
- 1st Gentons Pyrite  
  Messrs JS & JW Briggs
- 2nd Pointer Can Dance  
  Mr D Howden

**Cow, 2 forward**
- 1st Chalkney Tempo  
  Mrs S Dixon
- 2nd Colaba Innuendo  
  Mr & Mrs D Preece

**Senior Heifer born or after 01.01.15, 3 forward**
- 1st Treverton Paloma  
  Ms RE Heard
- 2nd Gorse Winegum  
  Messrs JS & JW Briggs
- 3rd Fishwick Phi  
  Mr S Dixon

**Senior Heifer born or after 01.01.16, 5 forward**
- 1st Gorse Xpected  
  Messrs JS & JW Briggs
- 2nd Pointer Caci  
  Mr D Howden
- 3rd Carreg Quicksilver  
  Mr & Mrs M&B Wheeler
- 4th Slough Quickstep  
  Mr & Mrs D Preece
- 5th Carreg Quack  
  Mr & Mrs M&B Wheeler

**Bull any age, 2 forward**
- 1st Long Ash Larkspar  
  Mr N Glover
- 2nd Etheridge Quicksilver  
  Mr D Phillips

**Pairs, 2 forward**
- 1st Warns Paige/Olive  
  Mr N Glover
- 2nd Etheridge Quicksilver/Quince Blossom  
  Mr D Phillips

**Breed Champion**  Chalkney Tempo  
Reserve Champion  Treverton Paloma  
Male Champion  Gentons Pyrite  
Female Champion  Chalkney Tempo  
Best Junior Heifer  Gorse Xpected  
Best Junior Bull  Pointer Can Dance

**Reserve Champion**  Wellhead Quicksilver  
Breed Champion  Gorse Valentine Rose  
Senior Heifer  Chalkney Tempo  
Junior Heifer  Gorse Xpected  
Best Junior Heifer  Gorse Xpected  
Best Junior Bull  Pointer Can Dance

**Senior Heifer**  Gorse Valentine Rose  
Best Junior Heifer  Chalkney Tempo  
Best Junior Bull  Gorse Xpected  
Senior Heifer  Chalkney Tempo  
Junior Heifer  Chalkney Tempo  
Best Junior Heifer  Gorse Xpected  
Best Junior Bull  Pointer Can Dance

**Cow, 2 forward**
- 1st Long Ash Mandy  
  Mr D Phillips
- 2nd Warns Olive  
  Mr N Glover

**Bull under 6 months, 2 forward**
- 1st Etheridge Roany  
  Mr D Phillips
- 2nd Warns Romeo  
  Mr N Glover

**Junior Heifer, 2 forward**
- 1st Warns Quantilla  
  Mr N Glover
- 2nd Etheridge Quince Blossom  
  Mr D Phillips

**Senior Heifer, 2 forward**
- 1st Warns Paige  
  Mr N Glover
- 2nd Etheridge Primrose  
  Mr D Phillips

**Junior Heifer, 2 forward**
- 1st Warns Paige/Olive  
  Mr N Glover
- 2nd Etheridge Quicksilver/Quince Blossom  
  Mr D Phillips

**Pairs, 2 forward**
- 1st Warns Paige/Olive  
  Mr N Glover
- 2nd Etheridge Quicksilver/Quince Blossom  
  Mr D Phillips

**Breed Champion**  Long Ash Mandy  
Reserve Champion  Warns Olive  
Best Junior Bull  Etheridge Quicksilver  
Best Junior Heifer  Warns Quantilla

**Reserve Champion**  Wellhead Quicksilver  
Breed Champion  Gorse Valentine Rose  
Senior Heifer  Chalkney Tempo  
Junior Heifer  Chalkney Tempo  
Best Junior Heifer  Gorse Xpected  
Best Junior Bull  Pointer Can Dance

**Senior Heifer**  Gorse Valentine Rose  
Best Junior Heifer  Chalkney Tempo  
Best Junior Bull  Gorse Xpected  
Senior Heifer  Chalkney Tempo  
Junior Heifer  Chalkney Tempo  
Best Junior Heifer  Gorse Xpected  
Best Junior Bull  Pointer Can Dance

**Cow, 2 forward**
- 1st Long Ash Mandy  
  Mr D Phillips
- 2nd Warns Olive  
  Mr N Glover

**Bull any age, 0 entered**
- 1st Kirklan Heisker  
  Mr SD Horrocks

**Senior Heifer, 2 forward**
- 1st Wellhead Paxos  
  Mrs N Luckett
- 2nd Croftlands Pearl  
  Mr SD Horrocks

**Junior Heifer, 1 forward**
- 1st Wellhead Quicksilver  
  Mrs N Luckett

**Breed Champion**  Wellhead Paxos  
Reserve Champion  Wellhead Quicksilver  
Best Junior Heifer  Wellhead Quicksilver  
Wellhead Paxos was also awarded the ‘Champion of the Main Ring’ award.

**Royal County of Berkshire Show, 16 Sept 2017**  
Judge: Joshua Brigg

**Bull any age, 2 forward**
- 1st Pointer Can Dance  
  Mr D Howden
- 2nd Etheridge Quicksilver  
  Mr D Phillips

**Cow, 3 forward**
- 1st Carreg Octavia  
  Mr & Mrs B&M Wheeler
- 2nd Chalkney Tempo  
  Mr S Dixon
- 3rd Long Ash Mandy  
  Mr D Phillips

**Junior Heifer, 4 forward**
- 1st Carreg Quicksilver  
  Mr & Mrs B&M Wheeler
- 2nd Carreg Quack  
  Mr & Mrs B&M Wheeler
- 3rd Etheridge Quince Blossom  
  Mr D Phillips
- 4th Chalkney Virago  
  Mr S Dixon
- 5th Pointer Caci  
  Mr D Howden

**Breed Champion**  Carreg Quicksilver  
Reserve Champion  Pointer Can Dance  
Best Junior Bull  Pointer Can Dance  
Best Junior Heifer  Carreg Quicksilver

**Reserve Champion**  Carreg Quicksilver  
Breed Champion  Pointer Can Dance  
Senior Heifer  Carreg Quicksilver  
Junior Heifer  Carreg Quicksilver  
Best Junior Heifer  Carreg Quicksilver  
Best Junior Bull  Pointer Can Dance

**Senior Heifer**  Carreg Quicksilver  
Breed Champion  Pointer Can Dance  
Senior Heifer  Carreg Quicksilver  
Junior Heifer  Carreg Quicksilver  
Best Junior Heifer  Carreg Quicksilver  
Best Junior Bull  Pointer Can Dance

**Cow, 1 forward**
- 1st Kirklan Heisker  
  Mr SD Horrocks

**Bull any age, 0 entered**
- 1st Wellhead Paxos  
  Mrs N Luckett
- 2nd Croftlands Pearl  
  Mr SD Horrocks

**Show Results**

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  Dunstall Quest
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  2nd Wellhead Quail
- **Breed Champion**  Gorse Valentine Rose  
  Best Junior Heifer  Dunstall Quest
- **Senior Heifer**  Carreg Quicksilver  
  Best Junior Heifer  Pointer Can Dance
- **Cow, 3 forward**
  1st Wellhead Quicksilver  
  2nd Gentleman Pyrite  
  3rd Chalkney Tempo
- **Senior Heifer**  Chalkney Tempo  
  Best Junior Heifer  Gorse Xpected  
  Best Junior Bull  Pointer Can Dance
- **Junior Heifer, 1 forward**  Carreg Quicksilver
- **Breed Champion**  Carreg Quicksilver
Borderway Agri-Expo
Now in its 11th year, Borderway Agri Expo proved to be one of the largest events of its kind in the UK Agri industry, attracting over 13000 visitors to see 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.

The Society had a stand at the event which took place on Friday 3 November 2017. Peter Close very kindly loaned his bull Heronbrook Ned Kelly for the stand.

Bakewell Show
The organisers of Bakewell Show have decided to rest the Show for next year in order to make preparations for the Show’s 200th Anniversary in 2019.

SHOWS NEWS

NEW INITIATIVE FOR SHOW NOVICES
Council are always keen to try to encourage members to take the plunge and have a go at showing their cattle. It can seem daunting to get cattle ready for showing and then actually lead them and show them at their best in the show ring and members who haven’t done it before may feel it’s not for them. Wrong!! Showing is something everyone can do and it’s never as scary as you think!

For 2018 the Society is launching a new initiative to help out new exhibitors. Firstly a ‘starter pack’ of showing equipment will be available for the first three members who apply, secondly a ‘buddy system’ will be put in place to match people who wish to start showing with a member in their area who is able to offer help and support with halter training, feeding and show preparation. Thirdly a showing workshop will be arranged early in 2018 to give members show preparation advice.

If you haven’t dipped your toe into the wonderful world of showing yet and would like to take up this offer please let the office know. Alternatively if you would like to be a ‘show buddy’ and help a member near you who would like to start showing please let the office know. And remember that the Paul Luckett Newcomers Award is presented at the AGM each year to the member gaining the most points during their first season showing in their own right.
COUNCIL MEMBERS 2018

The following Council members represent you in 2018

Paul Ashcroft, barlingspigs@me.com, 07859 861001
David Blockley, david@davidblockley.co.uk; 07831 247405
Bertie Facon, bertrand.facon@gmail.com, 07785 221961
Peter Guest, colabaalonghorns@aol.com, 01568 760251
Bernard Llewellyn, carregcennencastle@btinternet.com, 01558 822291
Tom Mills, Tom@wheatlands-longhorns.co.uk, 07968 819134
Stephen Wright, brookfieldcontracting@gmail.com, 07905 734257
Sabine Zentis, cvlonghorns@aol.com, 0049 172 3985221

Please contact any one of them if you have any queries regarding Society or Council matters

SOCIETY NEWS

SOCIETY PRESIDENT

The Society's thanks and gratitude go to Dr Philip Cleland who completed his two year term as Society President at the AGM. Our new President for 2018 and 2019 is Sarah Coleman of the Chalkney herd.

A profile of Sarah (pictured left with Michael Davies) is on the Society's blog page, accessed via the website.

NEW MEMBERS

We should like to welcome the following new members to the Society:

- Miss J Scivyer, Somerset Lodge North, Cholmondeley, Malpas, Cheshire
- Mr C Smith, 53 Argles Road, Leek, Staffordshire (A)
- Mr AS Reid, Belmont Farm, The Ridgeway, Mill Hill, London
- Mr S and Mrs E Ruff, Torgate Farm, Macclefield Forest, Cheshire
- Mr P Reynolds, Allington Bar Farm, Chippenham, Wilts
- Ms S Elston, The Gables, Runshaw Lane, Euxton, Chorley, Lancs
- Mr C Smith, 53 Argyles Road, Leek Staffs
- Mr A More-Molyneux, Loseley Park, Guildford, Surrey
- Masters Clark & Billy Blockley, 81 Fieldhead Lane, Drighlington, Nr Bradford.

MEMBERS’ NEWS

George, Jackie and Thea Woollatt of the Gupworthy herd have moved to: Gaer Hill Farm, St Arvans, Chepstow, Monmouth, NP16 6EZ. Tel 01291 645116, email: gupworthy@live.co.uk

At the Taste of Gloucestershire Awards Longhorn member Mrs Pat Quinn was honoured with the ‘Outstanding Contribution to Food and Farming’ Award, for her tireless campaigning to raise awareness of the impact of TB on the farming industry.

At the recent Farmers Ball Awards Longhorn member Matt Cullen won Kent Beef Farmer of the Year, beating off stiff competition from many other beef farms and breeds

Many congratulations to them both
SOCIETY NEWS

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.

BORDER FINE ARTS SALE

Hexham and Northern Marts are selling the entire personal collection of Border Fine Art models belonging to the sculptor Ray Ayers on Thursday 7 December. Ray Ayres was principal sculptor for Border Fine Arts and the sale includes a Longhorn cow and calf and a Longhorn bull. Further details are on the Hexham and Northern Marts website:
http://www.hexhampart.co.uk/Site/index.php/rothbury/

SLAUGHTER WEIGHTS NEEDED

As always the Society is real need of information to provide to potential members, butchers, finishers and consumers. If you take animals through to finishing can you think about the Society and drop the office an email with the ear tag number of the animal, its date of birth and its slaughter weight. Even better still, notify the death using the online Herdbook and put the slaughter weight in the 'details' field. If you have a EUROP grid grade that would also be really helpful. Thank you!

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

SALE PURCHASERS AND PRICES

The Midgham Herd belonging to Mr & Mrs Hedges was recently dispersed at Cirencester Market. The Yaverland herd, owned by Dr D Buckeridge and managed by Helen and Malcolm Painter recently had a production sale at Worcester Market. The purchasers and prices for both sales are on the website.

PARENTAGE VERIFICATION

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.
ONLINE HERDBOOK SECURITY

As you will all be aware there have been a lot of international problems associated with cyber security in recent months. This has focused attention on additional web based security tools. As a result Grassroots Systems Ltd who provide our ‘Pedeweb’ on line flock/herd book facility have moved to a more secure https system.

In order to make sure you are using this new facility, you may need to clear your browsing data. When you log into Pedeweb you can see in the box at the top of the screen if you are on an http version or an https version of the site.

Below are instructions on how to clear your browsing data for the 4 common web browsers.

Firefox
Click on the Menu icon (3 horizontal bars) – top right of the page
Select ‘Options’
Select ‘Privacy’ from the menu on the left
Click on ‘Clear your recent history’, under the ‘History’ heading

Chrome
Click on the 3 dots to the right of the address bar at the top of the page
Click on History & then in the box that appears to the left click History again
Click on ‘Clear Browsing Data’
Where it says ‘Obliterate the following items from:’ select the beginning of time from drop down list
Untick all boxes except ‘Cached images & files’
Click ‘Clear Browsing Data’

Internet Explorer
Click on the cog symbol at the top right of the page
Click on ‘Internet Options’
In the box that appears Select the ‘General’ tab at the top & on this page, under ‘Browsing History’ click the Delete button
On the list that pops up untick all boxes except ‘Temporary internet files & website files’
Click the Delete button at the bottom

Microsoft Edge
Click on the 3 dots at the top right of the page
Click on Settings
Below ‘Clear Browsing Data’ click the ‘Choose what to clear’ button
Untick all boxes except ‘Cached data & files’
Click the Clear button

REGISTRATION FEES 2017

From 1 January 2016 the following fees apply

**Female registrations**
- Online reg up to 3 months: £20.00 + VAT = £24.00
- Paper reg up to 3 months: £25.00 + VAT = £30.00
- Late reg 3-12m: £40.00 + VAT = £48.00
- Late reg 12-24m: £80.00 + VAT = £96.00
- Late reg 24 +m: £100.00 + VAT = £120.00

**Male registrations**
- Bulls up to 500 days old: £100 plus VAT = £120.00
- Bulls 501-650 days old: £150 plus VAT = £180.00
- Bulls 651-800 days old: £250 plus VAT = £300.00
- Beef Certificate: £5.00 + VAT = £6.00

Transfer fees: £15.00 + VAT = £18.00

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**
**Social Media**

The Society website now has a new feature - a blog. Regular posts will include features on new members, news and reviews of Society events, Longhorn beef and generally posts about all things Longhorn. A blog is a more informal way of communicating about the breed to everyone who may be interested in Longhorns. If you think you may have a contribution to make about your Longhorns and what you are doing with them please email the office.

If you retail your beef in any way - beef boxes, farmers’ markets, to a local butcher or restaurant - please let the office know and I’ll add you to the ‘buy Longhorn beef’ page on the website. In the lead up to Christmas these herds will be promoted via Facebook and Twitter.

The Society’s Facebook page is
https://www.facebook.com/longhorncattlesociety

And the Twitter feed is:
https://twitter.com/LonghornOffice

Content is added to these on a regular basis so if you don’t follow the Society please do so.

**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. You can buy them when you notify your male calves by clicking on the ‘with beef cert’ option or if you decide you need one when your animal is finished.

**Type Classification**

Following in the footsteps of breeds such as the Dexters, Beef Shorthorns and now the Simmentals the Society has been running it’s type classification scheme for nearly a year now.

Longhorn breeders have made huge strides in the last 20 or so years to improve their cattle through careful and selective breeding. Type classification provides an independent assessment of members’ cattle in order to identify strengths and weaknesses within the herd and speed up breed improvement.

Type classification is also an excellent independent guide for new members who will be able to select cattle that have been assessed when establishing a herd if they wish.

Cattle are assessed by classifiers from Holstein UK who have been specially trained to classify beef cattle. Assessed on 14 different linear traits that make up four composite traits, a final score results in a grade from ‘poor’ to ‘excellent’. This grade is then appended to the animal’s pedigree so anyone can see how an animal has been independently assessed. As the scheme develops multiple generations of cattle will be inspected and the results will inform members which cattle they should retain in their herd to improve the quality of both their herd and the national population.

The breeders that have had their animals classified so far this year have all reported that the process has been straightforward and very positive. These members, and a list of the cattle that have graded VG (Very Good) and EX (Excellent) are in the Knowledgebase on the website. See the link below.

If you think this is something you would like to participate in please contact the office for more information or go to the link below. If you’d like to talk to a member who has had their cattle classified please contact any of the members listed in the link.

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 November 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 the website www.tbhub.co.uk also has current information.

For information on TB breakdowns in your area go to the interactive map at www.ibtb.co.uk

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LONGHORN CATTLE SOCIETY JOURNAL VOLUME 10

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

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REREGIONAL GROUPS

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

**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

David Howden, c/o Lower Lawn Farm, Wotton Underwood, Aylesbury, Bucks, HP18 0RX 07792 026695, email: stockman@thepointerbrill.co.uk

POINTER CASSIO 30850/Q01244
Born: 27/02/2016
Sire: Aberdeen Nik 27511/N01114
Dam: Treverton Nettle 24883/N00899
Cassio’s dam was the Royal Welsh Reserve Champion 2015 and he is the first registered bull by Aberdeen Nik. Dam and sire can be seen.
High Health Scheme members

David and Angela Blockley, Southfield Farm, Fieldhead Lane, Drighlington, West Yorkshire, BD11 1JL 07831 857736
Email: angela@davidblockley.co.uk

SOUTHFIELD NITRO 26915/N00460
Born: 12/05/2017
Sire: Southfield Kobra 21725/K0460
Dam: Southfield Echo EX90 12354/E0460
Good natured and quiet to handle. Shown as a yearling winning Male Champion at Gt Yorks 2016. 4 year TB area, clear blood test for BVD, Lepto, IBD & Johnes.

J Fuller, Spinney Abbey Farm, Wicken, Ely, Cambs, S50 7QX 07803 132561
Email: jonny@spinneyabbey.co.uk

GORSE SHAKESPEARE 23320/L0033
Born: 17/05/2011
Sire: Gorse Quota Broker 20122/J0033
Dam: Gorse Jamesia 10757/C0033
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Sire: Newton Storm 18208/I0890
Dam: Newton Snowdrop 16941/I0890

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LONG ASH OHOLA 28466/O00241
Born: 13/04/2014
Sire: Long Ash Captain 11340/C0241
Dam: Long Ash Jahola 18919/J0241
Quiet, good natured bull.

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RHYFEL Q 30944/Q01182
Born: 01/01/2016
Sire: Rhyfel Orion 29798/O01182
Dam: Fishwick Neila 25460/N00677
Reserve Champion, Society Autumn Show & Sale. SAC Hi Health Scheme member

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KIRKLAN PROGRESS 31145/P00463
Born: 31/07/2015
Sire: Stoke Inca 18979/I0021
Dam: Kirklan Kirsty 14949/G0463
Progress is proven and good to handle. 4 year TB area, BVD, IBD and Lepto vaccinated.

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David Howden, c/o Lower Lawn Farm, Wotton Underwood, Aylesbury, Bucks, HP18 0RX 07792 026695, email: stockman@thepointerbrill.co.uk

POINTER CASSIO 30850/Q01244
Born: 27/02/2016
Sire: Aberdeen Nik 27511/N01114
Dam: Treverton Nettle 24883/N00899
Cassio’s dam was the Royal Welsh Reserve Champion 2015 and he is the first registered bull by Aberdeen Nik. Dam and sire can be seen.
High Health Scheme members

David and Angela Blockley, Southfield Farm, Fieldhead Lane, Drighlington, West Yorkshire, BD11 1JL 07831 857736
Email: angela@davidblockley.co.uk

SOUTHFIELD NITRO 26915/N00460
Born: 12/05/2017
Sire: Southfield Kobra 21725/K0460
Dam: Southfield Echo EX90 12354/E0460
Good natured and quiet to handle. Shown as a yearling winning Male Champion at Gt Yorks 2016. 4 year TB area, clear blood test for BVD, Lepto, IBD & Johnes.

J Fuller, Spinney Abbey Farm, Wicken, Ely, Cambs, S50 7QX 07803 132561
Email: jonny@spinneyabbey.co.uk

GORSE SHAKESPEARE 23320/L0033
Born: 17/05/2011
Sire: Gorse Quota Broker 20122/J0033
Dam: Gorse Jamesia 10757/C0033
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FEMALES FOR SALE

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John Backhouse, Prospect House Farm, Suffield Hill, Scarborough, Yorkshire, YO13 0BH
Tel: 01723 362871

HABBLETON LIBERTY 21645/L0781
Born: 20/02/2011
Sire: Blackbrook Pirate 14176/F0380
Dam: Linton Culprit 11031/C0112

HABBLETON LOBELIA 22284/L0781
Born: 16/05/2011
Sire: Blackbrook Pirate 14176/F0380
Dam: Linton Cowslip 10988/C0112

HABBLETON LULU 22285/L0781
Born: 17/05/2011
Sire: Blackbrook Pirate 14176/F0380
Dam: Linton Erlys 12139/E0112
Sold with her birth notified bull calf at foot by Hambleton Montgomery 27047/M00781 born 10.06.17

HABBLETON JUBILEE 28181/J00781
Born: 25/03/2009
Sire: Carreg Cennen 11149/C0143
Dam: Hambleton Cleo 11145/C0781

CHALKNEY VESPER 29979/Q00490
Born: 05/04/2016
Sire: Carreg Legend 23691/L00149
Dam: Chalkney Rosary 23373/M00490

CHALKNEY VIBE 29978/Q00490
Born: 04/04/2016
Sire: Carreg Legend 23691/L00149
Dam: Chalkney Quaver 22289/M00490

CHALKNEY VOICE 29977/Q00490
Born: 04/04/2016
Sire: Carreg Legend 23691/L00149
Dam: Chalkney Echo 9147
Chalkney Echo is from our most successful show line
All heifers are halter trained and easy to handle. 4 year TB area.

CATTLE WANTED

Charles Ashbridge, Thirsk, N Yorkshire, Y07 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.

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

Ben and Tori Stanley, Park Farm, Pool Road, Melbourne, Derbyshire, DE73 8AB
0788 4112812,
info@toriandbensfarm.co.uk
Steers and heifers 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.

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.

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

SEmen for sale

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

Southfield Peach, 1st Junior Heifer Great Yorkshire Show 2017

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Fishwick Lord of the Rings

Sire: Carreg Cemen
Dam: Croc Minor Foglove

Bull of the Year 2012 and 2013 - Semen for Sale

Some outstanding 2016/17 sons for sale incl. two out of Croc Minor Karalla - dam of Once in a Lifetime, Pascual and Queenberry Boy

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