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- **18.** Mead must be exhibited in a clear glass 70cl bottle with easily removable flanged stopper.
- **19.** Wax may be exhibited polished or unpolished at the discretion of the exhibitor. Candles should be displayed in secure, non-combustible holders.
- 20. A label or other distinguishing mark may not be placed on any exhibit, except in Class 11 & 12 where labels must be affixed to the exhibits. Numbers should be placed 12 mm approx. from the bottom of the jar and with Sections and Beeswax, one number should be stuck to the exhibit and the other to the covering. Stewards will advise where to place Honey Show labels in other classes.
- 21. Photographic Class: All exhibits must have been taken, but not necessarily processed by the entrant. The subject should be connected with bees or beekeeping.
 Each exhibit must be suitably mounted. The maximum size of the photograph, excluding the mount, is A4 (300 mm x 210 mm). Label to be placed on top right-hand corner of mount 12 mm approx. from top right hand side.
- **22.** Classes **16** & **17** must be accompanied with the recipe used or it will be disqualified.
- **23.** Classes may be amalgamated or cancelled at the discretion of the Show Committee.
- **24.** On Sunday 11th September, prizes will be presented to the winners at 3.00 pm.
- **25.** An exhibit may not be removed until after the Show closes on Sunday at 4.30 pm. Removal of exhibits will take place on Sunday between 4.30 and 5.30 pm. in the presence of a steward.
- **26.** Waterford Harvest Festival or East Waterford Beekeepers' Association or the EWBA Show Committee shall not be responsible for loss or damage to exhibits.
- **27.** The decision of the EWBA Show Committee on any matter relation to the Show (except judging) shall be final.

Judge:

Eleanor Attridge

Waterford Honey Show Secretary

Gavin Fitzpatrick

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Staging of Exhibits

9am - 12noon Saturday 9th September

Judging will commence at

2.00pm Saturday

Exhibits can be removed after the prize-giving on Sunday the 10th September

Show will be open to the public from 10.30am to 4.00pm on Sunday 10th September

Prizes

Selection of crystal trophies
Rosettes for 1st
Prize cards for all other winners



Waterford Honey Show 2023 in association with Waterford Harvest Festival

RULES & REGULATIONS

Exhibits will be accepted

Waterford City Hall, between 9am and 12.00noon on Saturday 9th September.

Judging will take place

from 2.00pm on Saturday 9th September.

Classes that are not solely honey and wax are open to everyone, not confined to beekeepers.

The Waterford Honey Show will be open to the public 10:30am – 4.00 pm on: Sunday 10th September.

Waterford Honey Show Secretary

Gavin Fitzpatrick

Show Committee

John Cunningham, Anne Marie Fogarty, Niall Kane, Donal Lehane, Mary Madigan, Willy O'Brien, Gavin Fitzpatrick,

RULES & REGULATIONS continued

- 1. Entries must be made on the official entry form (by post, email, or on the day) There is no No Entry Fee.
- 2. Entries must be placed on the show benches between 9am and 12noon on Saturday 9th September.

No exhibits will be accepted at other times.

- **3.** Exhibits may not be entered in more than one class **4.** A judge may not be an exhibitor in any class in which s/he acts as judge.
- 5. The decision of the judges shall be final.
- **6.** Stewards will be appointed by the Committee of East Waterford Beekeepers' Association.
- **7.** Stewards must declare if they have an interest in a class in which the Judge is judging.
- **8.** Staging of exhibits will be by appointed stewards except in display classes. Once an exhibitor has completed the display s/he may not re-enter.
- **9.** Honey Colour: Judges will use the BSI Standard Grading Glasses. **10.** The Committee reserves the right not to award all or any of the prizes in any class.
- **11.** An exhibitor shall not be entitled to more than one prize in any one class.
- **12.** A Novice Exhibitor is a person who was not previously awarded a first place in a similar class in any other honey show. **13.** All Honey and Wax exhibited must be the bona-fide produce of the exhibitor's own bees.
- **14.** Run Honey must be exhibited in plain clear glass jars, with either plain gold lacquered or Federation of Irish Beekeepers' Association lids. Jars may be 454g, or 340g size.

Squat (English) Honey jars are also permissible.

- **15.** Cut comb must be displayed in containers with transparent Snap-On lids. The minimum weight for each container of comb is 200g.
- **16.** Sections must be displayed in section display cases with at least one transparent side.
- **17.** Frame suitable for extraction must be displayed in a protective show case