

CFWI AUTUMN RALLY

Saturday 8th November 2025 – Rhydypennau Hall SY24 5BQ

Please note: Doors open in the afternoon at 2.30 pm.

Admission £3 to include tea. Children free.

N.B: Entries will be accepted between 9am and 10.30am on the day.

Co-operative entries only from 8.30 am – no more than 3 members to stage.

No entries received after 10.30am will be accepted.

No entries to be removed until Trophies are presented.

This rally incorporates the preliminary round for the Royal Welsh Winter Fair

All enquiries relating to this Schedule should be made to the Rally Secretary (see over page for contact details) and not to Ein Swyddfa, please.

The Countess of Lisburne double handled Cup kindly donated to CFWI by Lampeter WI for the WI gaining the highest number of points in both the Spring and Winter Rallies.

(To be retained at the office after photographs and a certificate awarded)

The Jowitt Silver Rose Bowl for the WI gaining the highest number of points in the individual classes excluding class 1 *(To be retained at the office and a certificate awarded)*

The Alma White Trophy for the winning Co-operative Class 1.

The Pat Foley Trophy will be awarded for the best Floral Art exhibit within Class 1 and will be held until the Spring Rally.

The Abermeurig Shield given in memory of Olwen Evans for the individual gaining the most points in Cookery Classes 2-7

The Marilyn Coleman Salver for the individual gaining the highest number of points in Craft and Art Classes 8-13

The Sybil Springs Salver presented by Abermeurig WI for the individual gaining the highest points in the Floral Art Classes 14-19

The Helen Davies Salver for the individual presenting the best exhibit in this rally throughout all classes

SCHEDULE

CLASS 1: CO-OPERATIVE COMPETITION. Entry Fee £2.50 - one entry per WI.

Theme: 'Fairytale'.

A free-standing display on any shape base measuring a maximum of 30" x 30" (76.2cms x 76.2cms) when covered (to be provided by competitors) placed on a table and to be viewed from the front only (take care with neatness of sides and back). Table covering will be provided.

The combined exhibit shall consist of 5 items of Craft, Cookery, Preserves or Floral Art to depict the theme. Items can be from any of the four sections but at least two sections must be included.

Marks to be awarded as follows:

<i>Each item</i>	<i>20 marks</i>	<i>100 marks</i>	
<i>Staging and display</i>	<i>20 marks</i>		
<i>Interpretation</i>	<i>20 marks</i>		
			TOTAL 140 marks

Judging will be in accordance with NFWI handbook "On with the Show". Exhibit wording may be in Welsh or English or any combination of the two. No more than 3 members will be allowed to stage at any one time.

INDIVIDUAL CLASSES Entry Fee 50p (one entry per member)

COOKERY (please be aware that an appropriately sized plate is to be used to display items)

Class 2 8 oz (226.8 grams) Jar of Chili Jam presented as a Gift (RWS Winter Fair entry). *First 3 placed will go forward to the Royal Welsh Winter Fair. (Entrants may need to make their own arrangements for delivery and collection to/from Winter Fair).*

Class 3 A selection of 6 gelatine-free Turkish Delights. Presented on a plate no larger than 6" (15.2cms).

Class 4 3 individual baked custard tarts.

Class 5 Pineapple upside-down cake.

Class 6 5 Cheese straws in a cheese pastry ring.

Class 7 3 Chelsea buns.

CRAFT and ART

Class 8 A Fiddle Mat. Any size any medium suitable to be used on the knees. Please avoid any item which could become sharp.

First 3 placed will go forward to Royal Welsh Winter Fair. (Entrants may need to make their own arrangements for delivery and collection to/from Winter Fair).

Class 9 Handmade item displayed in a handcrafted box. Maximum size 10" x 10" (25.4cm x 25.4cm)

Class 10 An item incorporating pressed flowers. Maximum size A4 (8.3" x 11.7"/21cm x 29.7cm)

Class 11 A Draft Excluder – any medium.

Class 12 A Snood or Cowl – any medium.

Class 13 A pair of Christmas Placemats – any medium.

FLORAL ART (NAFAS rules DO NOT apply for this Rally)

Floral Art. All exhibits height in proportion.

Class 14 4" x 4" (10.2 x 10.2cms). An exhibit incorporating a coffee cup.

Class 15 9" x 9" (23 x 23cms). An exhibit incorporating 3 red blooms. Oasis free.

Class 16 12" x 12" (30.5 x 30.5cms). An exhibit incorporating fruit.

Class 17 15" x 15" (38.1 x 38.1cms). A Japanese inspired exhibit.

Class 18 18" x 18" (45.7 x 45.7cms). An exhibit incorporating a pumpkin.

Class 19 20" x 20" (50.8 x 50.8cms). Autumn hedgerow.

Entry forms to be returned by post by **Monday, 3RD November 2025.**

WI cheque to accompany the form please and sent to the Rally Secretary:

Margaret Griffiths Rhydyccerrig, High Street, Borth, SY24 5HY. (01970 871056)

By e-mail by Thursday, 6th November (at the latest) to: cfwi.creativeskills@gmail.com

BACS payment please. (Please do not send e-mail entries without BACS confirmation)

Please make payment for all entry fees in advance by cheque to: CFWI or by BACS to: Ceredigion Federation, Sort Code: 51 61 06, A/c No: 01708791, Narrative: Rally

ENTRY FORM

CFWI AUTUMN RALLY - SATURDAY 8th NOVEMBER 2025

Name of WI:

Correspondent.....

Telephone No: *E-mail*

CLASS

EXHIBIT

NAME OF EXHIBITOR

This image shows a full page of white paper with horizontal dotted lines, typical of primary school writing paper. The lines are evenly spaced and run across the width of the page. There are no margins, text, or other markings on the paper.

Please ensure that all competitors read the rules (attached) and understand the schedule, including the time of placement of items on the day.

Please read “On With The Show” available from My WI for further information.

RULES

- 1 Entries **must be the work** of paid-up members of CFWI and are limited to **one entry per member per class**. Dual Members can compete for either their primary **or** second WI (not both).
- 2 All work on individual entries must be entirely carried out by the member entering and must be **new and unused**, but the article may be washed.
- 3 No trade bottles or jars to be used.
- 4 Any items not according to schedule may be disqualified.
- 5 Cooked foods should be covered, with covers being removed by the stewards ready for judging.
- 6 Exhibit wording may be in either Welsh or English or any combination of the two.
- 7 Co-operative entries to be a combined effort of members in the WI entering. No more than 3 members will be allowed to stage at any one time.
- 8 Judges may penalise any entry if the base exceeds the measurements and if any items are staged outside the base.
- 9 The Cookery and Craft items must be removable for judging.
- 10 Sugar craft may be included as a cookery item provided all elements are edible otherwise the item will be Judged as Craft.
- 11 The committee cannot accept responsibility for loss or damage to exhibits, although every reasonable care will be taken to avoid damage.
- 12 Judging is in accordance with the current NFWI book "On with the Show" and the Judges' decision is final. Complaints should be submitted in writing within 1 hour of the opening of the Rally.