



Gŵyl Gorawl
Gogledd Cymru
North Wales
Choral Festival

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Venue Cymru Llandudno

Saturday 6 November 2010

Trophies & Prize Money:

1st place:	Perpetual Trophy, Trophy and £500
2nd place:	Trophy and £200
3rd place:	Trophy and £100
Overall Winner:	Perpetual Trophy, Trophy and £500

Schedule:

Competition starts on Saturday 6 November 2010 at 10am with Class One. Adjudicators' remarks and results are given after each class. Evening starts at 8pm for Winners' Concert and Presentation of Prizes

Rules and Regulations:

See overleaf

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Rules & Regulations

Eligibility to Compete

1. All choirs must be of amateur status.
2. Class 1 - Youth Choir is for those up to and including 21 years old.
3. Choirs must have a minimum of 10 persons.
4. Barbershop style music cannot be sung in any categories other than Class 3.
5. No members of the opposite sex will be able to guest sing / perform joint pieces in either the ladies or male voice categories.

Repertoire

6. All choirs have 10 minutes actual singing time, in which they must sing as many contrasting pieces of music as they like, with or without accompaniment. Please note that timings must be adhered to and any choirs will be penalised for going over the time limit.
7. All choirs must be prepared to stay for the Winners' Concert – the 1st place choir from each class will sing a collection of their favourite songs for 15 minutes, again timings must be adhered to or choirs will be penalised. Prize money will not be paid to 1st place winners failing to sing in the Winners' Concert.
8. The adjudicators' decision in all competition matters shall be deemed final.

Broadcasting & Recording Rights

9. It is a condition of participation that any choir agrees:
 - a. That any performance it gives during the NWCF may be broadcast live and/or recorded for subsequent broadcast on radio and/or television and CD without payment to the choir. All broadcasting rights to any performance at the Festival shall belong to the Festival, which will be free to dispose of them as it sees fit.
 - b. That any performance it gives during the NWCF may, without payment, be recorded and the organisers shall be entitled to possession of any such recording and shall further be entitled to reproduce any such recording and to sell, let for hire, offer for sale or hire, distribute or otherwise dispose of any recording or reproduction of recording of any such performance in any matter that it sees fit.
 - c. In accordance with performance rights the use of video, audio or photographic equipment is not permitted during any competitions, except by the Festival's official photographer.

General

10. All choirs travelling from Ireland must use Stena Line ferries for their journey.
11. Late entries will be accepted only in exceptional circumstances.
12. If required, choirs must provide their own accompanist.
13. Choirs will not be allowed to perform on the stage before the competition.
14. Choir members will be allowed free admission to the Daytime Competition, but must pay to attend the Winners' Concert if not performing. Admission fees must be paid by all other guests of the choir.
15. Only original pieces of music will be accepted.
16. Organisers reserve the right to alter the timetable according to the number of entries received for each category.
17. Organisers reserve the right to limit the number of entries for each category.
18. Organisers reserve the right to cancel a category if it feels there have been insufficient entries.
19. Organisers reserve the right to refuse any entry.
20. Participation in the NWCF implies acceptance of all the rules and regulations.