



Gŵyl Gorawl
Gogledd Cymru
North Wales
Choral Festival

Stena Line North Wales Choral Festival

Venue Cymru, Llandudno
Saturday 5 & Sunday 6 November 2011

Trophies & Prize Money:

1st place of each Class (1-5):	Trophy and £500
2nd place of each Class (1-5):	Trophy and £200
3rd place of each Class (1-5):	Trophy and £100
Open Class (class 6):	Trophy and £500

Schedule:

Competition for Classes 1 to 4 starts on Saturday 5 November 2011 at 10am with Class 1 (Youth). Competition for Classes 5 and 6 starts on Sunday 6 November 2011 at midday. Adjudicators' remarks and results are given after each class.

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 Classes 5 and 6.
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. Choirs may only sing each piece of music once in the Festival (i.e. a separate programme is required for each class entered).
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 SLNWCF 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 SLNWCF 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, but will be given 30 minutes' rehearsal time in a specified rehearsal room.
14. Choirs will be seated to watch performances in their category. However, a ticket should be purchased to view other classes. 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 SLNWCF implies acceptance of all the rules and regulations.