Mini Tree Felling Competition

To be held on

**Saturday 8th October 2016**

at

Glynllifon College

Kind permission of Coleg Meirion-Dwyfor

**Closing date for entries**

30 September 2016

**Entry Fee**

£5.00 per entry payable on the day of the competition

**Location**

<https://www.gllm.ac.uk/contact/>

(Scroll down to find Glynllifon campus directions.)

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**Competition**

 1. Competitors will be marked on their maintenance, felling, and cross cutting with particular reference to safety at Glynllifon College on Saturday 8 October 2016

 2. Competitors and their equipment will be scrutinised by a steward immediately prior to the competition and a safety checklist as contained in the schedule, will be completed.

 3. Competitors will be given a numbered tree to prepare, and fell.

 4. Competitors will be asked to demonstrate safe cross cutting of logs.

 5. Cross cutting and tree felling will be carried out on separate logs and judged separately.

 6. Competitors will be asked to fit another chain and turn the bar on their chain saw.

 7.The competitors will be split into either Section 1, or 2 after the closing date of entries, according to the regulations.

**Classes and Prizes**

**Section 1 - Expert** For experienced previous competitors who have entered 2 or more full competitions e.g. the Royal Welsh Treefelling Competition or the UK Loggers

**First Prize**: £50

##### Second Prize: £30

##### Third Prize: £20

**Section 2 Learners** Competitors who have entered only 1 or less full competitions e.g. the Royal Welsh Treefelling Competition or the UK Loggers

**First Prize**: £50

##### Second Prize: £30

##### Third Prize: £20

**RHEOLAU / REGULATIONS**

1. Competitors must be over 18 years of age on the day of the Competition.

2. The competition is divided into two categories: Section 1, and 2.

3. **Section 1** is open to all those that meet the requirements of the regulations that have previously entered 2 or more tree felling competition

**Section 2** is open to all those that meet the requirements of the regulations and have never entered a tree felling competition or only entered 1 competition before.

4. All competitors must hold a minimum of NPTC Certificate of Competence CS31 (or CS11 + 14) or City and Guilds unit 203 or Lantra QCF Level 2 Award (Felling & Processing Trees up to 380mm) qualification code 600/5703/8.

 (Competitors must produce their appropriate NPTC/VQ/City and Guilds/Lantra certificate or ID card on the day of the competition.)

5. Competitors must provide chainsaws and felling aids in safe working condition. Competitors must also wear protective clothing as detailed in AFAG Guide No 301. Failure to comply with AFAG Guide No 301 will result in immediate disqualification.

6. The maintenance section will involve fitting another chain and turning the bar, on the competitor’s chain saw, time and quality of operation being judged. The mounting components must not be modified in any way from the manufacturer’s specification.

7. Competitors are only allowed to enter one of Sections 1, or 2.

8. Protests - Any protest must be made in writing and handed to R Siddons within half an hour of judging being completed together with a deposit of £25.00, which will be refunded if the protest is upheld.

9. Judges reserve the right to withdraw any competitor at any stage during the competition.

**MINI TREEFELLING COMPETITION GLYNLLIFON 2016**

**ENTRY FORM**

**ENTRIES CLOSE: 30 SEPT 2016**

**Note:**

A limit of 20 will be placed on the number of entrants taking part and all entries will be accepted strictly in order of receipt in each class. 10 places are reserved for class 2 should there be demand.

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Adran / Section 1, or 2 (please tick) 1 2

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I hereby agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the competition I understand and agree that in entering this competition I do so entirely at my own risk.

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**Cwblhewch a dychwelwch y ffurflen os gwelwch yn dda i:**

**Please email the completed form to:**

**Richard Siddons –** **Richard.j.siddons@outlook.com**

**PLEASE MARK THE EMAIL ENCLOSING YOUR ENTRY FORM 'TREEFELLING 8 OCT’**