## Nottinghamshire B.F.C.C. 2023 Show Report

### **Mick Stevens Memorial Show**

Sunday 29th October 2023 saw our Mick Stevens memorial show take place. Mick was not only a Border man through and through, Champion exhibitor, Panel judge, longstanding club and committee member but also a personal friend sorely missed.

The show starts off Saturday morning with Albert bringing along all those things we take for granted, judges' books, booking in sheets, raffle tickets, pens etc. Thank you, Albert!

Saturday afternoon sees the staging go up. Sunday, an early start sees birds being booked in and all the other tasks done ready for judging. A little down on numbers but still plenty for Keith Wadkin and Adam Pearce to adjudicate.

In the Champions it was a toss-up between a clear buff hen, a buff cinnamon hen and a clear buff cock. It finished in that order.

Brian Wragg taking Best Border & 8th Best, Burton -Potts 2nd, Mick Lowe 3rd, B. & S. Russell 4th & 5th, Colin Egner 6th & 9th, David Wragg 7th and Darren Ashton 10th Best.

In the Novices Gary Priest took Best Novice 6th & 9th, Goddard & Eyre 2nd & 10th, Keith Brooks 3rd and Graeham Chambers 4th 5th 7th & 8th Best

The specials too many to mention all of which are on the website.

Thanks to all exhibitors, to the Doncaster members and all who travelled, also to some new and old faces for supporting the show.

Thanks to the judge's, staff, at the centre for their hospitality also to anyone whom I may have missed you know who you are. We look forward to seeing you all at this year's show and to your continued support which is very much appreciated.

#### G. Priest

#### **NBFCC General Secretary**



**Best In Show Brian Wragg** 



**Best Novice Gary Priest** 



John Burton



**Mick Lowe** 



**Brian Russell** 



Goddard & Eyre



**Keith Brooks** 



**Graham Chambers** 



**Darren Ashton** 



**Show Secretary Albert Holmes** 

**B.C. Outstanding Members Award** 

# 2024 Show Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> October

## Judges Mark Symonds & Ian Southgate

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