



**THE WELSH PONY AND COB SOCIETY
CYMDEITHAS Y MERLOD A'R COBIAU CYMREIG**

Educational Bursary Application Form

The aim of the Grant is to support the education and development of young people within the equine industry.

1. Applicants must be aged between 17-25 years of age and current members of the Society.
2. Bursaries are available to support individuals pursuing courses of any discipline within the equine industry at an accredited College/Training Yard*.
**The Proprietor of the relevant yard cannot be a current member of Council.*
3. Applicants to the bursary scheme may be required to attend an interview.
4. Bursaries could be reclaimed by the Society in full should the course applied for not be completed by the applicant.
5. Applications will be assessed on their merits and there is no upper limit on the number of bursaries awarded on an annual basis.
6. Applicants need to demonstrate what educational benefit they will gain as well as general benefit from attending the course / training. In addition applicants must specify the amount of bursary they are requesting and whether it will fund the course / qualification in part or in full.
7. Bursaries can be awarded to fund anything which legitimately supports the individual to pursue their chosen course / qualification / training.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ D.O.B. ____/____/____

Email: _____

Council recently passed that those requesting funding should be a current member of the Society. Please confirm below whether you are a current member or have enclosed a completed membership form. The cost for 2014 is £35.50 plus £5.00 postage and packing.

Yes I am a current member

Membership Form & Subscription enclosed



Course: _____

Name of accredited college / educational institution / yard:

Address: _____

Contact telephone: _____

If yard, name of proprietor: _____

In the following section please give answers in the spaces provided. Should you require more space, please use additional sheets.

1. Please outline what benefit you would get personally from your chosen course / qualification.

2. What are the educational benefits of attending your chosen course?

3. What qualification(s) will you gain?



4. How will attending this course / gaining this qualification benefit the Welsh Breeds?

5. If you are not successful in obtaining this bursary how will this affect your ability to complete your course?

6. Please give details of the amount of bursary you are applying for and what it will be used for. If you are applying for part of the costs involved please also state what the full costs of the course / qualification will be.

Item	Cost

Total cost: _____ Total requested: _____

Please use additional sheet if you require more space.

Please supply the course prospectus or any additional information to support your application.



References

Please provide details of 2 referees. At least 1 referee must be a current member of the society. Neither referee can be a relative of the applicant or a member of the Council or Young People's Committee.

Referee 1

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Are you a current member of the Welsh Pony & Cob Society? **Yes** **No**

I am willing to provide a reference for this applicant (please sign below)

_____ Date: _____

Referee 2

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Are you a current member of the Welsh Pony & Cob Society? **Yes** **No**

I am willing to provide a reference for this applicant (please sign below)

_____ Date: _____

Applicant's Declaration

I declare that the information given is accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Signed: _____

Date: _____

Please return this form to:

Educational Bursary
Welsh Pony & Cob Society
Bronaeron
Felinfach
Lampeter
Ceredigion
SA48 8AG

Should you require any further information please
contact the Society on 01570 471754 or
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Closing date for applications: Friday 24th October 2014

