



## WELSH LANGUAGE BRAINSTRUST

Sunday 26th February 2023

Entry Date: 23/01/2023  
Winter Marks: 50  
Last Amended: 25/01/2023  
Withdrawal by: 10/02/2023

VENUE: Royal Welsh Showground, Lantra and Wales YFC Centre

(Entry Date: 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2023)

### CYMHWYSTRA

Bydd tîm yn cynnwys pedwar aelod, a bydd rhaid iddynt oll fod yn 21 oed neu'n iau ar 1 Medi 2022.

### TREFN

Bydd y tîm yn cynnwys Cadeirydd a phanel o dri aelod. Tynnir enwau o het i bennu trefn y cystadlu cyn diwrnod y gystadleuaeth. Bydd rhaid i bob cystadleuydd fod yn bresennol 20 munud cyn mynd ar y llwyfan. Rhoddir dewis o amlenni wedi'u selio i'r Cerdeirydd. Dewisir un amlen, a bydd yn cynnwys chwe chwestiwn, tri chwestiwn cyffredinol a thri ynghylch materion gwledig, a bydd y cadeirydd yn dewis tri chewstiwn i'w trafod gan y tîm. Rhaid dewis o leiaf un cwestiwn o bob adran ac un arall. Ni fydd y Cadeirydd yn gallu cyfathrebu ymlaen llaw â'r tîm ynghylch y cwestiynau a ddewisir ganddo/ganddi. **Ni ellir rhoi unrhyw fanylion ysgrifenedig i'r Panel ynghylch y testunau i'w trafod, ac no ellir defnyddio ffôn symudol ar unrhyw adeg.** Y gosb fydd diarddel awtomatig. Bydd y Cadeirydd yn gyfrifol am gyflwyno'r panel i'r gynulleidfa, gofyn pob cwestiwn i'r panel, crynhoi eu hatebion, cloi'r cyfarfodf, amseru, rheoli'r panel a sicrhau fod pob cwestiwn yn cael ei drafod. Dylid ymdrin â'r gystadleuaeth fel cyfarfod ffurfiol. Gall cystadleuwyr ddefnyddio eu nodiadau eu hunain ar y llwyfan AT DDIBENION CYFEIRIO, ond cosbir defnydd gormodol ac amlwg o nodiadau. Ni all cystadleuwyr ddefnyddio unrhyw gyfeirlyfrau na phapurau eraill tra byddant ar y llwyfan.

### AMSERU

Caniateir 20 munud i bob tîm o ddechrau cyflwyniad y Cadeirydd a bydd disgwyl i dimau gadw at yr amser a ganiateir.

**Cosbau** - Bydd y cosbau amser yn un marc am bob hanner munud (neu ran o hanner munud) dros yr amser a ganiateir.

### ELIGIBILITY

A team shall consist of four members, each of whom must be 21 years of age or under on 1<sup>st</sup> September 2022.

### PROCEDURE

The team shall consist of a Chairman and a panel of three members. The draw for order of appearance will be made prior to the day. All competitors must be present 20 minutes before going onto the platform; the Chairman will be given a choice of sealed envelopes. One will be chosen which will contain six question topics, three of a general nature and three of rural affairs, from which he/she will select three for discussion by the team. One question must be selected from each section plus one other. The Chairman will have no prior communication with the team about the questions he/she has selected to be discussed. **No written communication on the topics to be discussed may be given to the Panel or any use of a mobile phone at any time.** The penalty will be automatic disqualification. The Chairman will be responsible for introducing the panel to the audience, putting each question to the panel, summarising their answers, concluding the meeting, timing, control of the panel and coverage of each question. The competition should be treated as a formal meeting. Competitors may make their own notes FOR REFERENCE on the platform, but excessive and obvious use of notes will be penalised. No other reference books or papers may be used while on the platform.

### TIMING

20 minutes will be allowed for each team from the commencement of the Chairman's introduction and the teams will be expected to keep to the timing stated.

**Penalties** - Time deductions are one mark for each half minute (or part thereof) over the allocated time.



### MARCIO

#### CADEIRYDD

Cyflwyniad agoriadol a rheoli'r cwestiynau	10
Rheoli'r panel yn cynnwys amseru	15
Crynhoi'r trafodaethau	10
Cloi'r cyfarfod	5
Gallu ac arddull	10
<b>Cyfanswm</b>	<b>50</b>

#### PANEL - POB CWESTIWN

Ansawdd, perthnasedd ac amrywiaeth y drafodaeth	20
Cydweithio a gweithio fel tîm	15
<b>Cyfanswm</b>	<b>35</b>
35 x 3	105

#### PANEL - CYFFREDINOL

Ymddygiad ac arddull cyffredinol	15
Clywadwyedd	10
Argraff gyffredinol y tîm	20
<b>Cyfanswm</b>	<b>45</b>

**CYFANSWM** 200

**Mae penderfyniad y Beirniaid yn defnyol.**

Caniateir i gystadleuwyr fod yn Ystafell y Gystadleuaeth cyn ac wedi iddynt gystadlu.

### SCALE OF MARKS.

#### CHAIRMAN

Opening Introduction & Handling Questions	10
Handling of panel including timing	15
Summing up of discussions	10
Closure of Meeting	5
Ability & Style	10
<b>Total</b>	<b>50</b>

#### PANEL - EACH QUESTION

Quality, relevance & range of discussions	20
Co-operation & Teamwork	15
<b>Total</b>	<b>35</b>
35 x 3	105

#### PANEL - GENERAL

General department & Style	15
Audibility	10
Overall impression of team	20
<b>Total</b>	<b>45</b>

**TOTAL** 200

**The Judge's decision is final.**

Competitors before and after competing may be admitted to the Competition Room.

The Adjudicator/s to select the team to represent the Federation at the Wales Final.

**(For Wales YFC Public Speaking Day 26<sup>th</sup> March 2023)**

**Judges & Stewards Please Note: No joint positions for 1<sup>st</sup> - 4<sup>th</sup> Placings**

Entries to be submitted online by 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2023. NO LATE ENTRY FORMS WILL BE ACCEPTED UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES.

#### WITHDRAWAL FROM COMPETITIONS

Clubs/ Members are asked to notify the YFC Office of any withdrawals 5 days prior to a Competition. PLEASE NOTE: All withdrawals from Club secretaries/Members must be made by email or by telephoning the YFC Office. If telephoning out of office hours, then a message should be left on the YFC Mobile phone.

**Please Note:** That only members with up-to-date membership cards and are on the database in the YFC Office are eligible to compete. Members must apply online at least 5 Days before the competition.

**PLEASE NOTE:** If a member does not produce an up-to-date membership card at the competition, it will result in a £5.00 fine. The fine will be refundable only if they provide confirmation of membership within 7 days of the Competition.

General Rules apply to all competitions alongside the competition's rules.