

Welsh Welly Wanging Open

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Indian crowned Master Wanger!

Shirenewton, Monmouthshire: The Welsh Welly Wanging Open was held on Saturday 2nd June at Shirenewton (Trenwydd Gelli Farch Sir Fynwy) fete.

Baz Nagrani representing India was crowned 'Master Wanger' with a wang of 24.90 meters whilst Laura Newton representing Wales was crowned 'Mistress Wanger' with a wang of 14.20 meters.

Other winners included:

Male <16: Jacob Tyson representing England with a wang of 16.10 meters;

Female <16: Clara Zorab representing Wales with a wang of 10.60 meters.

Male <13: Luke Reid representing Wales with a wang of 13.10 meters;

Female <13: Louri Sutherland-Watkins representing Wales with a wang of 12.55 meters.

A total of 116 wangers representing 10 countries took part. Wangers included local MP David Davies who has been has been the Member of Parliament for Monmouth since 2005. He briefly featured on the leader board before being out wanged by others.

The winners received a trophy , sponsored by Countrywide Farmers, and a voucher for a brand new pair of Countrywide wellies.

The event was part of the Shirenewton fete which raised £4,500 for church funds.

Kevin Bounds, Shirenewton Church Treasurer, said: "The fete was a great community event and a wonderful day. The Welly Wanging certainly added to the overall entertainment. The money raised is vital for keeping our rural church going as asset to community."

David Cornwell, Championship Organiser, said: "The 1st ever Welsh Welly Wanging Open went very well and I'd like to thank Countrywide Farmers for their support. We will be back next year for more wanging! Full information is available on our website: www.wwwopen.info"