

## **Supreme Champion Pig**

**Winner: H D & E M Roberts**

We have been competing at the Royal Welsh Show since 2014, and we have won the Welsh Pig Championship three times in succession since 2015, and won the reserve Supreme Championship in 2015 and 2016.

2017 was a very successful exhibiting year and we arrived at Llanelwedd full of hope. 'Gwynys Daffodil 1843' came out on top in the sow class, and then went on to take Supreme Champion of the Welsh Pigs. She was there in 2016 in the gilt class, where she won 3rd prize.

Wednesday and the Pig Supreme Championship arrived, the first competition of the day was the boar championship and 'Gwynys Imperial 2335' won the Championship. The female pig class followed, but 'Gwynys Daffodil 1843' failed to win a prize in this class. We felt after this that the opportunity to win the Supreme Championship had disappeared. The Supreme Championship followed, the judge spent a lengthy period before making his decision, and we had quite a shock when the judge walked towards us and awarded 'Gwynys Daffodil 1843' the Supreme Championship. This crowned a special week at the show and in appreciation I gave the judge a big kiss!!

In 9 years of competing we have only won two previous championships, and this was the first time we have won at the Royal Welsh Show in Llanelwedd.

This honour has given us pride as a family and we will be looking forward to competing in 2018.