



Jacob Sheep Society
Central Region AGM and Autumn Meeting
Sunday 27th November 2011 – 11.00am for 11.30am
Please reply by Monday 21st November 2011

To be held at Chase Golf Club, Pottal Pool Road,
Penkridge. Staffs. ST19 5RN

We are fortunate in having Dr Malgorzata Behnke. BVSc PhD PgCertHE MRCVS. Gosia is a lecturer in Animal Science at Harper Adams University College and will speak on:

SHEEP, SHEPHERDS & SHEEPDOGS: A PARASITE'S PLAYGROUND

A number of dog parasites use sheep and sometimes humans as part of their life cycle. They rely on specific contact between dogs and sheep in order to be passed on to more hosts. Understanding their life cycles enables us to prevent transmission of these parasites by cutting off the contacts they require whilst allowing us to continue to live in harmony as sheep, shepherds and sheepdogs.

The talk will also include a timely reminder of using the SCOPS principles in our flocks.

We shall also have the results of the Central Region Young Handlers competition.

The day will start at 10:45 with coffee and biscuits with the formal AGM and welcome at 11:15. This will be followed by the talk.

There will be a two course Sunday lunch, during which we shall be having a raffle.

After lunch we will hold an open forum where members can discuss any aspect of sheep keeping in general or the Jacob Sheep Society in particular. As members are aware there have been changes in both the industry and the Society in the past couple of years and we want to ensure that future developments are as relevant as possible for the membership.

There will be a charge to cover costs of £12 for adults and £5 for children under 10.

If you would like further information please contact John Emberton on 0121 414 1422 or speak to any member of the Central Region Committee.

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I/We wish to attend the AGM and Autumn Meeting on 27th November 2011

Name		Member No.	
Number attending	Adults @ £12	Children @ £5	
Please state any special dietary requirements			

Please send this slip to John Emberton. 27 Odell Place, Edgbaston, Birmingham, B5 7RG together with a cheque payable to JSS, to arrive by 21st November 2011, or email to sheep@nutwood.ltd.uk

Directions to the Chase Golf Club

From The South

Take M6 north to Junction 12, take the A5 towards Telford. At the 1st roundabout turn right onto the A449 towards Stafford. After 1½ miles take a right turn onto the B5012 towards Cannock by a Texaco garage. Continue to the 2nd roundabout and turn right (still B5012 – Cannock). You will pass a school on the right (Wolgarston), approximately half a mile along, on the bend, turn left into Pottall Pool Road. The club is situated 1½ miles along on the right with a brick entrance.

From The North

Take M6 south to junction 13, take A449 Wolverhampton, go through Penkrigde and turn left onto B5012 (immediately before the Texaco garage). Follow directions as above.

My mobile number, just in case you need it, is **07802 730571**

