

Welsh National Gymanfa Ganu Association

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11. What are your five most-favorite Welsh Hymns?

12. Have you ever attended the National Gymanfa Ganu? Yes No
13. If your answer to No. 12 above was Yes, how many "Nationals" have you attended? (Circle the answer)
 1 2 3 4 5 6 or more

(NOTE: If your answer to No. 12 was No, skip No. 14 and go to No. 15.)

14. If your answer to No. 12 was Yes, please answer this question by indicating the extent to which you agree with the following statements about specific activities at the National by circling the appropriate number at the right.

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15. Within recent years more and more schools and colleges have started their fall term before Labor Day. Suggestions have been made to change the dates of the National Gymanfa Ganu from Labor Day weekend to another time during the year. Do you feel the dates should be changed? Yes No

If your answer is Yes, what other dates would you suggest? *Being a realist, I have no preference, really.*

16. Since 1970, the WNGGA has supported the WAY (Welsh Associated Youth) organization. Should WNGGA continue to support WAY? Yes No
- If your answer is Yes, in what way?

17. Should the WNGGA establish "local chapters"? Yes No

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Pantyfedwen #97
Rhys #89
Tydi A Rhoddaist #109
Bryn Myrddin #23
Mawlgan #105

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16. Since 1970, the WNGGA has supported the WAY (Welsh Associated Youth) organization. Should WNGGA continue to support WAY? Yes No

If your answer is Yes, in what way? W.A.Y. members are the young people who will be the future of the Gymanfa.

17. Should the WNGGA establish "local chapters"? Yes No

18. What suggestions do you have on how the WNGGA might increase its membership.

Invite people who you know for certain that they have strengths for public relations - divide North America into sections - send 3d solicit and have them to name a blitz of contacting future members.

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My reason for saying No is that you will miss out on the majority of present life members who attend the National year after year. Many take their vacation in the area of Nationals.

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*Most of the hymns are favorites
It would be good to learn
some of the lesser known
hymns in the Gymanfa
Hymnal.*

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- (1) More activities to bring in the young people and
- (2) subsidise the cost for them. I know more would
- (3) come if they could afford it.
Perhaps a dinner and dance at the banquet.

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2. Marital Status: Single Married 52 years
3. Were you born in Wales?..... TYDU GWENT..... Yes No
4. Are you of Welsh descent?..... For many generations..... Yes No
5. If your answer to No. 4 above was yes, what proportion of you is Welsh?
 100 percent 50 percent Less than 50 percent
6. Do you speak Welsh?..... not very well..... Yes No
7. Can you sing the Welsh words in the hymns?..... Yes No
8. Have you ever traveled to Wales?..... Yes No
9. Have you ever attended the National Gymanfa Ganu?..... Yes No
10. If your answer to No. 9 above was Yes, how many "Nationals" have you attended? (Circle the answer)
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16. What suggestions do you have on how the WNGGA might increase its membership *By incorporating an annual membership fee into the Registration fee*

17. What are your five most-favorite Welsh Hymns?

*PENLAN, WYDDERUS, DIADEM,
SANDON, SANCTUS plus RACHIE*

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(1) *newsletter*

(2) *Regional Gymanfoedd Ganu* *(only in the East or West if site of national is out of reach of our adherents)*

(3)

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Calan Ion

AR Hyd yn os

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(1) We are already awash with
 (2) requests for money from various
 (3) additional Welsh fund raising activities — Please — no more — There's just so much to go around.

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- Rachie
- Gwm Rhodda
- Ihef
- Ty Dy Ya Rhoddiast
- Gwathoddia

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| h. There should be a separate <u>All Welsh Church Service</u> | (1) | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
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| j. The <u>Sunday Evening Singing Session</u> should be continued..... | 1 | 2 | 3 | (4) | 5 |
| k. NWGGA support for WAY should be increased..... | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | (5) |

12. Within recent years more and more schools and colleges have started their fall term before Labor Day. Suggestions have been made to change the dates of the National Gymanfa Ganu from Labor Day weekend to another time during the year.

Do you feel the dates should be changed?..... Yes No

If your answer is "Yes," what other dates would you suggest? *possibly* Decorative Weekends

13. Do you subscribe to a Welsh-American newspaper?..... Yes No

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WHAT ORGANIZATIONS? - WOMEN'S WELSH CLUBS OF AMERICA

15. Should the WNGGA establish "local chapters"?..... Yes No

16. What suggestions do you have on how the WNGGA might increase its membership

17. What are your five most-favorite Welsh Hymns?

- FENPARK.....
- CRIMOND.....
- RACHIE.....
- CWM RHONDDA.....
- DIADEM.....

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(1)

(2)

(3)

Note: I think regional gymanfau may cause the National to lose some of its importance (renewal of friendships (some members may not come to the National) - it is a tradition -

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11. If your answer to No. 8 above was Yes, please answer by indicating the extent to which you agree with the following statements about different activities at the National by circling the appropriate number at the right.

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NO. 10
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PERHAPS THE ORDER SHOULD BE REVERSED
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D. E. THOMAS
MINNEAPOLIS

11. (continued)

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- CUM RHONDDA
- DYADEM
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- GWALHODDIAD
- ABERYSTWYTH

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- (1) REINSTITUTE THE EAST/WEST REGIONALS
- (2) PERIODICALLY
- (3)

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- ARY LUYDD DYMA FI
- CALON LAN
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- SANCTUS
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- (1) Sponsoring committee be better prepared,
- (2) Always plenty of activity - no need for more.
- (3) More variety in candidates - too many same names from the nominating committee.

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more connections to the Welsh Societies and the young people in them

17. What are your five most-favorite Welsh Hymns?

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- (1) Soccer Games
- (2) Folk dance concert & instructions
- (3) Local Welsh & ^{American} groups entertainment at a reasonable price

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If your answer is "Yes," what other dates would you suggest? _____

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16. What suggestions do you have on how the WNGGA might increase its membership
I'm sure that locally members of the St Davids Societies and Ladies Cambrian Societies might be good points of contact, many members attend the Nationals but are not WNGGA members.

17. What are your five most-favorite Welsh Hymns?
 #96 ARG-LWYDD, DYMA FI (GWAHODDIAD)
 #97 PANTY FED WE 3
 #66 CALON LAN
 #76 CRIMOND
 #116 MORTE CHRISTE

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(1)

(2)

(3) *Have one special mailing of membership forms and a letter outlining what WNGGA is doing, such as scholarships. This would go out to all those who are on the mailing list for the National Gymanfas*

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100% 7/8 3/4 5/8 1/2 3/8 1/4 1/8 Less
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I'll come regardless

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14. What are your five most-favorite Welsh Hymns?

Gwm Rhondda

Graeswen

Fraucos

Bueth

Penpack

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- (1) *a soccer game if possible*
(2) *a list of the inexpensive restaurants*
(3) *a walking tour*

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Surely under the constitution and by the reason of Formation items f, g, and h. are really not necessary as without them the WNGGA will be meaningless

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(1)

(2)

(3)

Dear Ellis in spite of my
comments ?!! I think you have
done a great job

Many thanks for your time and effort

Best Wishes

Don Mills

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16. What suggestions do you have on how the WNGGA might increase its membership
Advertise in "Ninnau" and "Y Dydd"
Contact Welsh societies and churches to 'sell' their membership on joining WNGGA

17. What are your five most-favorite Welsh Hymns?

-*PENPARK*.....
-*CWM RHONDDA*.....
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- (1) *Regionals might be good unless they tend to dilute the congregation of the National.*
- (2) *None*
- (3) *Don't feel newsletter is necessary, since Y Dydd and Ninnau spell out Gymanfa activities.*

*Mynna Thomas Lawrence, Trustee
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- CWM RHONDDA DIADEM
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- (2) REGIONAL GYMANFAOEDD GANU (PRACTICE FOR A NATIONAL!)
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- (2) SPONSORSHIP OF YOUTH CHOIRS (to sing some selections in various centres. in Welsh)
- (3) JUDGES TO VISIT CHOIRS AND CHOOSE THE BEST TO PERFORM AT THE N.G.G. (all expenses paid).

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Regarding a re-Seminars my opinion is that we need the fewest number possible to avoid people rushing from one to another. I would suggest 3 seminars with repeats at other times. I am delighted that you have Heffin Phillips is certainly do a great job.

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2. Rhys, "Rho im yr hedd nawyr" --- "
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- The North American Welsh Newspapers Dwyf & Ninnau*
- (1) *I believe is the way to go, with regular reports news, publicity of the National Gymanfa in every issue.*
 - (2) *A regional gymanfa could well distract from the National Gymanfa on the other hand the regional could well help with the awareness of the National again a North/South regional rather than East West e.g. West Coast of USA/Canada, Eastern coast of USA/Canada, & Mid USA/Canada. Gwynfll Jones*

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(2) CREATE A "DIRECTORY" OF SINGERS, ORGANISTS, CONDUCTORS,

(3) A WNGGA YOUTH CHOIR INSTRUMENTALISTS, POETS OF WELSH

OR MIXED CHOIR WHICH COULD

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12. Within recent years more and more schools and colleges have started their fall term before Labor Day. Suggestions have been made to change the dates of the National Gymanfa Ganu from Labor Day weekend to another time during the year.

Do you feel the dates should be changed?..... Yes No

If your answer is "Yes," what other dates would you suggest? SPRING

13. Do you subscribe to a Welsh-American newspaper?..... Yes No

14. Do you belong to a local Welsh organization?..... Yes No

15. Should the WNGGA establish "local chapters"?..... WHY? PURPOSE? Yes No

16. What suggestions do you have on how the WNGGA might increase its membership

CHANGE DATES
ELECT TRULY INTERESTED TRUSTEES

17. What are your five most-favorite Welsh Hymns?

- CALON LÂN
- TŌN Y BOTEL
- RHODWEN
- LLEF
- HYFRYDOL

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(1) REGIONAL CYMANFACEDD GANU.

(2) LONGER SEMINARS

(3)

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9. Have you ever attended the National Gymanfa Ganu?..... Yes No
10. If your answer to No. 9 above was Yes, how many "Nationals" have you attended? (Circle the answer)
None 1 2 3 4 5 6 or more

IF ANSWER TO Q. 9 IS YES - (A-YE) IS NOT NECESSARY

11. If your answer to No. 8 above was Yes, please answer by indicating the extent to which you agree with the following statements about different activities at the National by circling the appropriate number at the right.

SHOULD THIS HAVE BEEN 9 OR 10?

(KEY: 1 = Strongly Disagree (SD)
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Do you feel the dates should be changed?..... Yes No

If your answer is "Yes," what other dates would you suggest? _____

13. Do you subscribe to a Welsh-American newspaper?..... Yes No

14. Do you belong to a local Welsh organization?..... Yes No

15. Should the WNGGA establish "local chapters"?..... Yes No

16. What suggestions do you have on how the WNGGA might increase its membership

17. What are your five most-favorite Welsh Hymns?

- | | |
|---------------|---------------|
| PENPARK | PANTYREDWEN |
| BLDDWEN | HURDERS FIELD |
| CRIMOND | COLON LON |
| MORTE CHRUSTE | BLAEN Y COLD |
| DIADEN | NES I DRE |

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- (1) NATIONAL NEWSLETTER
- (2) HOLD REGIONAL GYMANFA IN WALES OCCASIONALLY!
- (3)

WELSH NATIONAL GYMANFA GANU ASSOCIATION 1989 MEMBERSHIP SURVEY

Ellis - a good job - Jerry Williams

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11. If your answer to No. 8 above was Yes, please answer by indicating the extent to which you agree with the following statements about different activities at the National by circling the appropriate number at the right.

should be #9.

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Dependent upon that operation and effect test results

12. Within recent years more and more schools and colleges have started their fall term before Labor Day. Suggestions have been made to change the dates of the National Gymanfa Ganu from Labor Day weekend to another time during the year.

Do you feel the dates should be changed?..... Yes No

If your answer is "Yes," what other dates would you suggest? July - August

13. Do you subscribe to a Welsh-American newspaper?..... Yes No

14. Do you belong to a local Welsh organization?..... Yes No

15. Should the WNGGA establish "local chapters"?..... Yes No

not where strong local organizations exist.

16. What suggestions do you have on how the WNGGA might increase its membership *Only local groups can recruit new members - that is where the emphasis should come -*

17. What are your five most-favorite Welsh Hymns? - *too many to list*

Comment: Concerned over the Welsh language enthusiasts and their efforts to make activities more 'Welsh' - Believe point out for the Gymanfa session is preferable to too much Cymryng - Hopefully the response to your questionnaire - question 6 & 7 will convince the vocal minority.

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- (1) *Believe entire focus should be on the Gymanfa - not on other efforts such as the newspapers and codes as well as the N.W.F.*
- (2) *Hopefully Regionals would be of assistance - but they have*
- (3) *the well planned & effective or they reflect negatively on our organizations.*

One odd comment - Gymanfa session a worship service - Baltimore should not be indicated in the report.

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10. If your answer to No. 9 above was Yes, how many "Nationals" have you attended? (Circle the answer)
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11. If your answer to No. 8 above was Yes, please answer by indicating the extent to which you agree with the following statements about different activities at the National by circling the appropriate number at the right.

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15. Should the WNGGA establish "local chapters"?..... Yes No

Reconsider existing local Welsh societies as "local chapters"

16. What suggestions do you have on how the WNGGA might increase its membership

17. What are your five most-favorite Welsh Hymns?

-
PANTY FEDWEN
-
RACHIE
-
MILWAUKEE
-
DIADEN
-
RHYDY GROES
-

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- (1) *negotiate with Ontario as a regional organization*
- (2) *organize regional or state organizations in heavy Welsh states NY, PENN, OHIO, WISCONSIN etc.*
- (3)

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16. What suggestions do you have on how the WNGGA might increase its membership
 HAVE A BOOTH, WELL LOCATED NEAR THE REGISTRATION COUNTER, OR IN THE WELSH MARKET ROOM.

17. What are your five most-favorite Welsh Hymns?
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 GALON LAN
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- (1) NATIONAL ANNUAL NEWSLETTER.
- (2) REGIONAL GYMANFA ALTERNATING
- (3) EAST AND WEST NORTH AND SOUTH

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Do you feel the dates should be changed?..... (Yes) No

If your answer is "Yes," what other dates would you suggest? AUGUST

13. Do you subscribe to a Welsh-American newspaper?..... (Yes) No

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15. Should the WNGGA establish "local chapters"?..... Yes (No)

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(1)

(2)

(3)

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15. Should the WNGGA establish "local chapters"?..... Yes No

16. What suggestions do you have on how the WNGGA might increase its membership

1. An official presence at local gymnafoedd and Welsh functions. 2. There is a huge potential among those tracing genealogy; I get at least 5 letters on their last week.

17. What are your five most-favorite Welsh Hymns?

- *Arglwydd Dymuniadau*
- *Blodwen*
- *Calon Llan*
- *Rachis*
- *Decmester*
- *Plwy'n Canu Panty Fedwen*

one seminar & a promise of immersion in typical Welsh culture might garner these.

3. We have not made the most of what a bargain Life membership is.

18. At the present time, the primary focus of the WNGGA is to plan and host the annual National Gymanfa Ganu on Labor Day weekend. What suggestions do you have for additional activities or projects for the WNGGA (for example, national newsletter, regional gymnafoedd ganu, etc.)?

- (1) *Note local Gymnafoedd in the Welsh papers & offer support or someone*
 - (2) *to speak briefly about the upcoming National & the seasons for joining WNGGA.*
 - (3) *Especially stress the opportunity for young people to attend under WAY aid of NW-AP to publicize National*
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Many ask when we can have another Gymnasia like the one in Wilkes-Barre. Perhaps, the folks in Scranton could be interested?? Wilkes-Barre and Scranton are only 11 miles apart. Didn't Minneapolis & St Paul cooperate? When the Gymnasia was held in Wilkes-Barre, I noted they had lots of help from Scranton and Lackawanna County as well as folks from Schuylkill, Carbon and Columbia counties.. I know that compared to the face left in Wilkes-Barre downtown Scranton is very "di galon" and hotels are limited, however, they have a fine Masonic auditorium and some attractions such as an Anthracite Museum/mine and Steamtown USA.

Perhaps, all these elements could be brought together to form an Anthracite area committee to sponsor a Gymnasia?