

**Results of the New Zealand Ploughing Championships held at 137 Penny,  
Rongotea Palmerston North on the 16th and 17th April 2016**

**Rural News Horse Plough:**

1<sup>st</sup> Sean Leslie & Kaye Walker

2<sup>nd</sup> John Chynoweth & Sharon Chambers

3<sup>rd</sup> Erin Cassie

**Mainland Minerals Vintage:**

1<sup>st</sup> John Stalker

2<sup>nd</sup> Paul Houghton

3<sup>rd</sup> Murray Grainger

**Special Prizes:**

**Vern Bishell Trophy** – donated by Vern Bishell to be presented to the best presented horse team, this will include horses, equipment and contestants.

Winner... John Chynoweth & Sharon Chambers

**Wiganwood Trophy**–Donated by John Thornton

Best presented rig at this year's Championship

Winner....Ash Murdoch

**Fairhall Trophy** - Awarded to the highest placed competitor previously not placed in the top five up to and including this New Zealand Championship

Winner....Adam Mehrtens

**W G Miller Trophy** – Awarded to the highest place competitor 35 years of age and under as of 1<sup>st</sup> January 2016

Winner...Hayden Allison

**Medallions Farmland Fuel Reversible: Medallion Winners**

**Stubble Gold** – Bob Mehrtens

**Stubble Silver**- Murray Baird

**Grassland Gold-** Malcolm Taylor

**Grassland Silver** – Bob Mehrtens

**Farmland Fuel Reversible: overall results:**

**1<sup>st</sup>** Bob Mehrtens

**2<sup>nd</sup>** Malcolm Taylor

**3<sup>rd</sup>** Paul Henson

**Case IH Silver Plough: Medallion Winners**

**Stubble Gold** – Ian Woolley

**Stubble Silver-** Jeff Cridge

**Stubble Bronze-** Hayden Allison

**Grassland Gold-** Ian Woolley

**Grassland Silver** – Angela Taylor

**Grassland Bronze-** Kelvin Stokes

**Case IH Silver Plough: overall results.**

**1<sup>st</sup>** Ian Woolley

**2<sup>nd</sup>** Jeff Cridge

**3<sup>rd</sup>** Kelvin Stokes

Ian Woolley and Bob Mehrtens will represent New Zealand at the World Ploughing Contest at Kenya in 2017

The next New Zealand Championships will be held at Kirwee, on 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> April 2017.