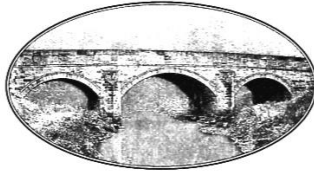


Egton Bridge Old Gooseberry Society



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North Yorkshire

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World Record at Egton Bridge Gooseberry Show Confirmed

Egton Bridge Old Gooseberry Society are pleased to announce that the winning gooseberry exhibited at the 2009 Egton Bridge Old Gooseberry Show has now been officially recognised as a new world record by Guinness World Records™. The new record entry reads as follows:

“The world's heaviest gooseberry weighed 62.01 g (2.19 oz) on 4th August 2009 and was grown by Bryan Nellist (UK) of Egton Bridge, North Yorkshire, United Kingdom.”

Champion grower Bryan Nellist took the R. Harland Challenge Cup with the record breaking berry. Coming in at exactly 35 drams (2.19 oz or 62.0 grams) the Woodpecker berry beat Kelvin Archer's previous record by just over 2 grains or 0.1 grams.

The 2010 show will be held on Tuesday 3rd August at St Hedda's Schoolroom, Egton Bridge, North Yorkshire.

For further information please contact the undersigned on enquiries@egtongooseberryshow.org.uk

For and on behalf of Egton Bridge Old Gooseberry Society,

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