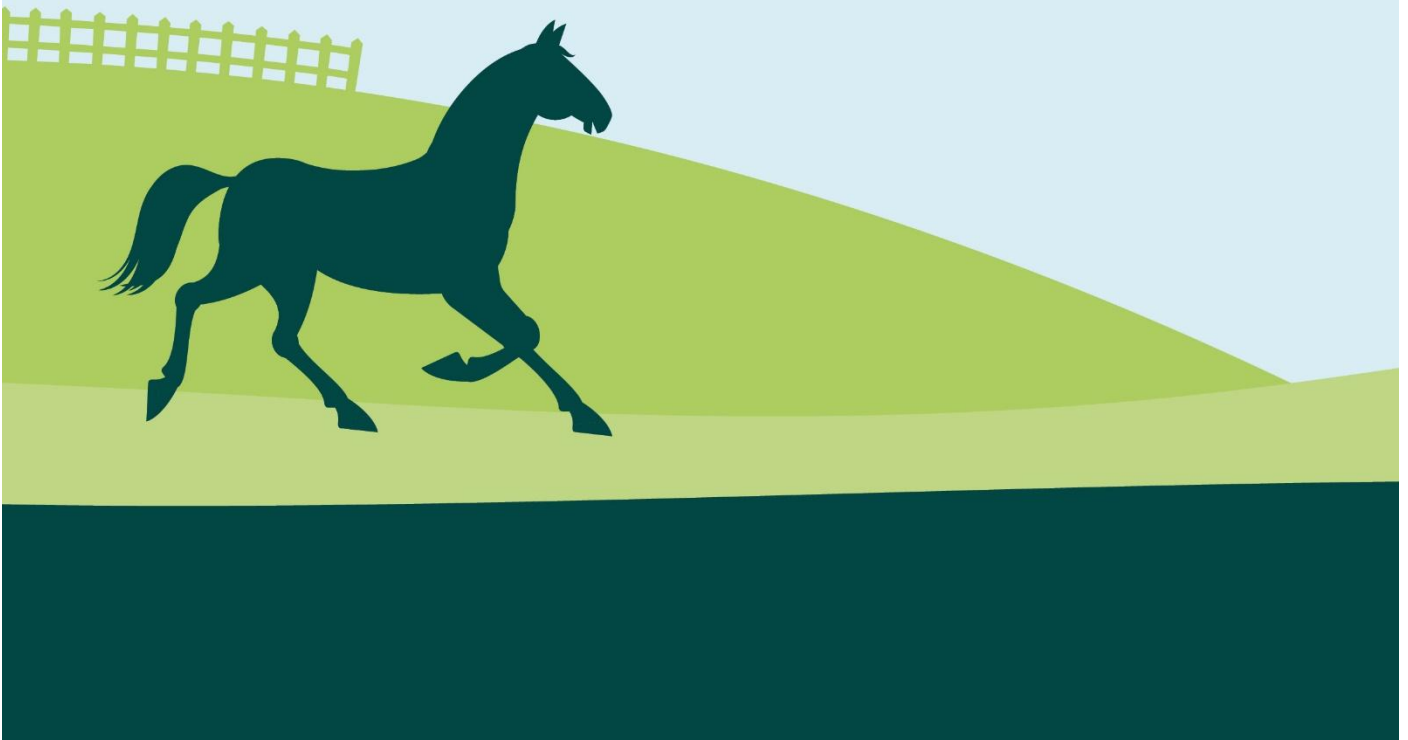




# Light Horse

Saturday 10 May 2025

Entry Closing Date: Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> April 2025





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**8<sup>TH</sup> - 12<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2025**  
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## **Newark & Nottinghamshire Agricultural Society**

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This event ("Show ") is organised by the Newark & Nottinghamshire Agricultural Society (the "Society") is held in accordance with the Memorandum & Articles of Association and the Regulations of the Society which are binding on all Exhibitors ("exhibitors", "competitors", "trade stand exhibitor") and others attending the Show. Copies of the Memorandum & Articles of Association and Regulations are held in the Society Office.

Exhibitors should read carefully all the documentation in relation to exhibiting at the Show including the *Exhibiting conditions and guidance*, *Show Regulations* and Information and *Exhibitors Code of Practice* which are listed in the Schedule of Classes document available on the Show website.

Where appropriate, competition schedules are issued subject to the Orders & Advice of DEFRA (The Department for Environment, Food & Rural Affairs) and any Local Authorities which may be operative at the time of the Show.

Traders and trade stand exhibitors should carefully read the *Trade Stand Regulations* available on the Show website or within the Stand Booking information.

By making an entry or booking a trade stand, the Exhibitor is agreeing to comply with all the Society Conditions & Regulations and is irrevocably consenting to the storage and use of the information provided in catalogues, show guides, circulation to the media and regulatory authorities such as Trading Standards.

Membership of the Society is annual from either 1<sup>st</sup> January to 31<sup>st</sup> December or 1<sup>st</sup> July to 30<sup>th</sup> June the following year. Membership includes entry to all Society Shows on production of a valid Membership badge. Membership is not transferable for any reason and must be presented by the named individual at the time of entry. All Memberships are valid for one year and there are no pro-rata refunds should you wish to terminate membership prior to its expiry. Renewal information will be sent in the post or emailed to you ahead of the Membership year.

The Society reserves the right to postpone or cancel the Show, or any particular section or event, if the Council of the Society resolves that the holding of the Show, or section or event, is impractical or not in the interest of the Society or for any other cause beyond the control of the Society, including, but without limitation, Act of God, Governmental Act, legislation, regulation or request, fire, accident, war, riot, strikes, lock-outs, trade disputes or labour problems, or inability to obtain adequate labour or materials or sufficient number of entries.

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### EXHIBITING CONDITIONS AND GUIDANCE FOR LIGHT HORSE & PONY CLASSES

#### Conditions of Entry and Show Regulations

Exhibitors should read carefully the 'Conditions and Guidance' at the front and the 'Show Regulations' at the back of each schedule.

Please Note: by making an entry, the exhibitor is making an agreement to comply with all the Newark & Nottinghamshire Agricultural Society Conditions & Regulations.

**Entry Closing Date: Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> April 2025**

**Entries received after the closing date of entries cannot be accepted. Entries must be processed ONLINE and accompanied by the correct remittance.**

#### Online Entries

- Go to the Nottinghamshire County Show website and select 'Competitors' at [www.nottinghamshirecountyshow.com](http://www.nottinghamshirecountyshow.com)
- No entry will be accepted unless made on our ONLINE entry system and accompanied by the correct fees.
- No entries will be accepted on the day.

#### Entry Fees

All entry fees are quoted inclusive of VAT @ 20% (any change in the VAT rate will be applied from the due date).

Classes	Amount £
<b>Entry Fees PER ENTRY for all Light Horse and Pony Classes, except RIHS &amp; LIHS qualifying classes</b>	<b>£33.00</b>
Mounted Fancy Dress	£5.00
RIHS Classes (including £12.00 levy)	£45.00
LIHS Classes (including £10.00 levy)	£43.00
First Aid Cover	£3.00
<b>Stables PER STABLE, PER NIGHT</b>	<b>£80.00</b>

#### Stabling

On-site stables are available to for the Friday and Saturday nights. All stables must be booked with class entries. No refunds will be made on stabling. It is recommended that exhibitors store all their equipment, fodder etc securely in their vehicles. Straw is NOT provided but will be available to purchase from the Stable Manager's office at a cost of £4.00 per bale.

#### Prizes

Prize money will be paid out as follows except where stated:

No. of entries catalogued	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
5 or more	£35	£25	£15	£10
4 or less	£35	£25	£15	
RIHS & LIHS Classes	£45	£35	£15	£10

### Class rosettes will be awarded:

1<sup>st</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> in qualifiers for the RIHS & LIHS

1<sup>st</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> in all other classes

Special rosettes will be awarded in the Lead Rein and First Ridden classes.

### Tickets

Each exhibitor will receive tickets in the form of complimentary wristbands as listed below:

No. of Animals Entered	Number of Wristbands Issued
1	2
2 - 4	3
5 +	4
Private Driving Entry	3

**Extra exhibitor tickets** (wristbands) may be purchased in advance through our online entry system for £14 each before the close of entries. All Tickets (wristbands) ordered with the submission of entries will be dispatched within the Exhibitor Information Pack approximately 14 days prior to the start of the Show. Children 16 and under get into the Show for Free.

Tickets can be bought after the close of entries through the Show website, [www.nottinghamshirecountyshow.com](http://www.nottinghamshirecountyshow.com)

**Any Exhibitors or their assistants must have a wristband to gain entry to the showground before 9am. Anyone with a visitor ticket cannot gain entry to the showground until 9am. Therefore if you have friends or family assisting you at the Show, please book additional wristbands to enable them to gain entry before 9am.**

### Arrival Times

- The Livestock Gate (Green Gate) will open at 4:00pm for Light Horse & Ponies on Friday 9th May.
- **No exhibitors will be allowed onto the Showground before this time.**
- The gate will close at 9:00pm on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> May and re-open at 6:00am on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> May.

### Parking

On arrival, all vehicles transporting horses will be met by a designated steward and advised where to park. Due to limited parking space, support vehicles will not be permitted to park in the Horse parking area and will be directed to the public car parks.

### Vehicle Pass Allocation

Exhibitors will be issued with one vehicle pass. Please display passes visibly in windscreen before arriving at the Showground. Exhibitors requiring more than one vehicle pass should email their request to the Show Office with an explanation why an extra pass is needed before the close of entries.

### Classes

The Newark and Nottinghamshire Agricultural Society reserves the right to split or amalgamate classes once entries have closed and based on the numbers entered. Exhibitors will be notified before the show.

### Protective Headgear

Any person riding a horse or pony, whether as a **competitor** or **judge**, anywhere on the showground must wear a hard hat of a standard approved by their appropriate governing body. Those failing to abide by this rule will face disqualification.

**Head gear must be worn with the chin strap correctly and securely fastened at all times, this includes Side Saddle classes.**

### Owners / handlers

All horses and ponies MUST have a competent person in charge and must stay in the horsebox parking area, horse walks, collecting rings or rings unless otherwise instructed.

### Dress code

All exhibitors, grooms and handlers appearing with animals in the judging rings must be of smart appearance and in proper dress code (not jeans), with appropriate headgear.

### Conduct

Once an exhibitor or handler has entered the judging ring with their exhibit, they may not leave the ring with the exhibit before the completion of judging of the class except with the permission of the judge or steward. Any exhibitor or handler contravening this rule will be disqualified from competing.

### Fall of horse, pony or rider

Fall of a horse, pony or rider during any class will result in elimination. The rider must not remount in the ring and must be seen by a medically qualified attendant before remounting.

### Concussion

Concussion is a condition that is not always obvious. It can have very serious aftereffects. Following the fall of a rider or head injury to a handler inside or outside of the ring, the advice of a Show appointed paramedic or doctor must be sought and followed. Medical advice must be obtained before a rider may ride again or handler compete. If concussion is suspected, a rider must not ride, or handler compete again that day and they should be taken immediately to A&E or a doctor.

This advice must be relayed to the competitor and/or a parent/guardian/friend/supporter and care must be taken to make sure they understand the seriousness of the injury.

Later, medical assistance must be sought immediately if there are any of the warning signs which can occur, such as are deterioration of consciousness, restlessness/irritability, vomiting, a persistent or worsening headache.

### **Suitably Mounted**

All animals ridden anywhere on the Showground, rings, or lorry parks (day or night), must only be ridden by a rider whose size and weight does not compromise the animal's welfare. We are operating under the 20% rider weight guideline where the rider in full riding attire with full tack must be less than 20% of the animal's bodyweight. This is based on a relatively fit, healthy animal, as an overweight animal is also a welfare concern.

### **Hire/lease**

A horse or pony leased for the season will be considered to be the property of the person to whom it is leased only if the lease has been registered with the appropriate authority.

### **Stud book**

Every horse entered for competition in the breeding classes shall be entered for, or eligible for entry in the Stud Book of its breed in the United Kingdom.

### **Age**

It is only necessary to state the year of birth in respect of horses except that of foals where details are listed below.

### **Foals**

**The exact date of birth of foals must be stated on the entry form.** No foal under the age of THREE WEEKS will be allowed on the Showground. **Foals must be shown with their Dam.**

### **Horse Walks**

Horse walks are in operation. All horses and ponies, ridden and in-hand MUST keep within these designated routes, and exhibitors, competitors and grooms must comply with any instructions from Officials, Stewards or signage around the Showground.

### **Working in Areas**

Working in areas are provided for exercise. No lunging is allowed on the Showground. The use of any of the Judging Rings, Collecting Rings or any other prohibited area of the Showground for exercising animals is strictly forbidden and all instructions from Stewards or other Society representatives must be observed. Failure to comply may result in automatic disqualification.

### **Equine Passports**

All exhibitors are expected to comply with Horse Passport legislation and bring the appropriate documentation with them to the Show and to be responsible for the documentation at all times.

### **Equine Influenza 2025 (Updated 03.02.25)**

- An initial primary course of two vaccinations must be given: the second vaccination must be administered within 21- 60 days of the first initial vaccination.
- Horses may attend events 7 full days after receiving the second vaccination of the primary course. (for clarity: no horse or pony may compete on the same day as a relevant injection is given or on any of the 6 days following such an injection)
- A third booster must be administered within 150 – 180 days of the administration of the second vaccination of the primary course.
- Following booster vaccinations must be administered at a maximum of 12 months intervals.

Random checks will be carried out on the showground during the show by the Society's official Vet.

### **Health of Horses & Ponies**

We urge all owners and their representatives to adhere to strict biosecurity both at the show and once they return home.

In all classes animals must be practically sound. No veterinary inspection will be required except where it may be considered necessary by the Judges. The owner of an animal rejected for unsoundness may be given a copy of the Veterinary Inspector's Certificate, and if desired may remove the animal from the Showground. The Society will not be liable for any cost ensuing from rejection on any such grounds.

### **Vet Boxes**

Vet boxes will be located close to each section and should be used for animals that are injured or showing signs of illness and disease.

The official photographer for the equine classes is Equipics, [www.equipics.co.uk](http://www.equipics.co.uk)

## Nottinghamshire County Show 2025 - Light Horse & Pony Timetable

### Main Ring

#### RIDDEN HUNTER – 8am

Ride Judge: Miss F Ludlow  
 Conf. Judge: Mr N Fuller  
 Class: 207 Small Hunter  
 Class: 208 RIHS Lightweight Hunter  
 Class: 209 RIHS Middleweight Hunter  
 Class: 210 RIHS Heavyweight Hunter  
**Class: s211 Championship**

**To follow on:**  
**PRIVATE DRIVING**  
 Judge: Mr N Fuller  
 Classes: 201, 202, 204 and 205  
**Class: s203 Championship**

**Approximately 3pm**  
 Judge: Mrs L Burnett  
**The Price Family Supreme In-Hand  
 Championship Qualifier 2025 - final  
 judging.**  
**Pre-judging will take place in Ring 5A/B**

#### Ring 1 - Classes Start: 8am

##### DARTMOOR PONY BREEDING

*Judge: Ms S Prior*  
 Class: 306 Yearling  
 Class: 307 2/3 year old Colt  
 Class: 308 2/3 year old Filly/Gelding  
 Class: 309 Mare/Gelding  
 Class: 310 Stallion  
**Class: s311 Youngstock Championship**  
**Class: s312 Championship**

##### EXMOOR PONY BREEDING

*Judge: Ms S Prior*  
 Class: 313 Exmoor Pony 1, 2, 3 year old  
 Class: 314 Exmoor Pony Mare/Gelding  
**Class: 315 Exmoor Pony Stallion NO ENTRIES**  
**Class: s316 Championship**

**Not before 9:30am**

##### SHETLAND PONY BREEDING

*Judge: Mrs E Payne*  
 Class: 317 Yearling  
 Class: 318 2/3 year old Colt  
 Class: 319 2/3 year old Filly/Gelding  
 Class: 320 Mare/Gelding  
 Class: 321 Stallion  
**Class: s322 Youngstock Championship**  
**Class: s323 Championship**  
**Miniature Shetland Pony**  
 Class: 324 Yearling, 2/3 year old  
 Class: 325 Stallion/Mare/Gelding  
**Class: s326 Championship**

**Not before 12pm**

##### NNAS RIDDEN CLASSES

*Judge: Mrs S Curtis*  
 Class: 206 Novice Horse  
 Class: 256 Novice Pony  
 Class: 257 SP/SHP Lead Rein Pony  
 Class: 258 SP/SHP First Ridden Pony  
 Class: 259 SP/SHP Open Ridden Pony  
 Class: 260 Best Local Ridden Pony  
**Class: 261 Championship**

**Not before 1pm**

##### LIHS SHOWING SERIES BSPS PERFORMANCE PONY

*Judge: Mrs S Curtis*  
 Class 252 BSPS Junior Perf. Pony  
 Class 253 BSPS Perf. Pony, not exc.148  
 Class 254 BSPS Perf. Pony, not exc.158  
**Class: s255 Championship**

#### Ring 2 - Classes Start: 8am

##### RIDING PONY BREEDING

*Judge: Mrs R Hetherington*  
 Class: 295 Riding Pony Yearling  
 Class: 296 Riding Pony 2/3 year old  
 Class: 297 Riding Pony Mare/Gelding  
 Class: 298 Riding Pony Stallion  
**Class: s299 Championship**

##### SPORT HORSE BREEDING

*Judge: Mrs R Hetherington*  
 Class: 291 Sport Horse Yearling  
 Class: 292a Sport Horse 2 year old  
 Class: 292b Sport Horse 3 year old  
 Class: 293 Sport Horse Brood Mare  
**Class: s294 Championship**

##### HUNTER BREEDING

*Judge: Mr C McClelland*  
 Class: 287 Hunter Yearling  
 Class: 288a Hunter 2 year old  
 Class: 288b Hunter 3 year old  
 Class: 289 Hunter Broodmare  
**Class: s290 Championship**

**Not before 12am**

##### LIHS SHOWING SERIES – BSHA RISING STAR CLASSES

*Judge: Miss F Ludlow*  
 Class: 233 Rising Star of Ridden Hunter  
 Type Small/LW Hunter  
 Class: 234 Rising Star of Ridden Hunter  
 Type MW/HW Hunter  
 Class: 235 Rising Star of Ridden Cob  
 Type  
 Class: 236 BSHA Rising Star Maxi Cob  
**Class: s237 Championship**

**Not before 2pm**

##### LADIES SIDE SADDLE

*Judge: Mrs C Walters*  
 Class: 223 Concours d'Elegance  
 Class: 224 Open Equitation  
 Class: 225 Classical Ladies  
**Class: s226 Championship**

#### Ring 3 - Classes Start 8am

##### COLOURED HORSE & PONY CLASSES

*Judge: Mr K Baskeyfield*  
 Class: 277 CHAPS (UK) Open Youngstock  
 In-hand - Yearling  
 Class: 278 CHAPS (UK) Open Youngstock  
 In-hand – 2 & 3 year old  
 Class: 279 CHAPS (UK) Non Native In-hand  
 Class: 280 CHAPS (UK) Native, Cob or  
 Traditional In-hand  
**Class: s281 In-Hand Championship**

**Not before 9:30am**

Class: 282 CHAPS (UK) Non Native Open  
 Ridden, any height.  
 Class: 283 CHAPS (UK) Native, Cob,  
 Traditional Open Ridden, any height.  
 Class: 284 BSPS Performance Coloured  
 Native Cob/Traditional Horse/Pony  
 Class: 285 BSPS Performance Coloured  
 Non- Native Horse/Pony Class  
**Class: s286 Ridden Championship**

**Not before 10:30am**

##### RIDDEN COB

*Ride Judge: Miss V Smith*  
*Conformation Judge: Mr R Grace*  
 Class: 212 RIHS Lightweight Cob  
 Class: 213 RIHS Heavyweight Cob  
**Class: s214 Championship**  
 Class: 215 RIHS Maxi Cob

**Not before 12:30pm**

##### RIDING HORSES & HACKS

*Ride Judge: Miss V Smith*  
*Conformation Judge: Mr R Grace*  
 Class: 216 RIHS Small Riding Horse  
 Class: 217 RIHS Large Riding Horse  
**Class: s218 Championship**  
 Class: 219RIHS Small Hack  
 Class: 220 RIHS Large Hack  
**Class: s221 Championship**

**Not before 1:30pm**

##### LIHS SHOWING SERIES – BSHA RISING STAR CLASSES

*Judge: Miss V Smith*  
 Class: 227 RS Racehorse to Show Horse  
 Class: 228 RS of Small Hack & RH Type  
 Class: 229 RS of Large Hack & RH Type  
 Class: 230 RS S & P Series YR 15 - 25  
 Class: 231 RS S & P Series Rider 25 +  
**Class: s232 Championship**

**Ring 4 (Working Hunter) - Classes Start 8am****LIHS SHOWING SERIES – BSPS WORKING SPORTS PONY***Judge: Mrs S Thomas*

Class 247 BSPS Heritage Lead Rein Working Sports Pony  
 Class 248 BSPS Heritage First Ridden Working Sports Pony  
 Class 249 BSPS Open Cradle Stakes Class  
 Class 250 BSPS Open Nursery Stakes Class

**Class: s251 Championship****Not before 10am****WORKING HUNTER PONY – BSPS SUMMER WORKER STAKES***Judges: Mrs S Thomas & Mrs M Ludlow*

Class: 242 60cm Worker Stakes  
 Class: 243 70cm Worker Stakes  
 Class: 244 80cm Worker Stakes  
 Class: 245 90cm Worker Stakes

**Class: s246 Championship****Not before 2:30pm****WORKING HUNTER HORSES***Ride Judge: Mr C McClelland**Conformation Judge: Mrs R Hetherington*

Class: 238 Novice Working Hunter  
 Class: 239 Open 105cm Working Hunter  
 Class: 240 RIHS Working Hunter

**Class: s241 Championship****Ring 5A - Classes Start 8am****WELSH MOUNTAIN PONY SECTION A***Judge: Mr A J Anderson*

Class: 327 Welsh Mountain Pony Section A, Yearling  
 Class: 328 Welsh Mountain Pony Section A, 2/3 year old Colt  
 Class: 329 Welsh Mountain Pony Section A, 2/3 year old F/G  
 Class: 330 Welsh Mountain Pony Section A, Mare/Gelding  
 Class: 331 Welsh Mountain Pony Section A Stallion

**Class: s332 Youngstock Championship****Class: s333 Championship****Not before 9am****WELSH PONY SECTION B***Judge: Mr A J Anderson*

Class: 334 Welsh Pony Section B Yearling  
 Class: 335 Welsh Pony Section B 2/3 year old Colt  
 Class: 336 Welsh Pony Section B 2/3 year old Filly/Gelding  
 Class: 337 Welsh Pony Section B, Mare or Gelding  
 Class: 338 Welsh Pony Section B, Stallion

**Class: s339 Youngstock Championship****Class: s340 Championship****Not before 10am****WELSH PART-BRED BREEDING***Judge: Mr A J Anderson*

Class: 351 Welsh Part Bred Yearling  
 Class: 352 Welsh Part Bred 2/3 year old Colt/Filly/Gelding  
 Class: 353 Welsh Part Bred Stallion/Mare/Gelding  
 Class: 354 Welsh Part Bred Stallion

**Class: s355 Championship**

**Class: 262 The Newark & Nottinghamshire Agricultural Society Mounted Fancy Dress** – will be judged at 11am in the east end of the Newark Ring

**Ring 5B - Classes Start: 8am****WELSH PONY (COB TYPE) SECTION C BREEDING***Judge: Miss D J Everitt*

Class: 341 Welsh Pony (Cob Type) Section C Yearling  
 Class: 342 Welsh Pony (Cob Type) Section C 2/3 year old  
 Class: 343 Welsh Pony (Cob Type) Section C Mare/Gelding  
 Class: 344 Welsh Pony (Cob Type) Section C Stallion

**Class: s345 Championship****WELSH COB SECTION D BREEDING***Judge: Miss D J Everitt*

Class: 346 Welsh Cob Section D Yearling  
 Class: 347 Welsh Cob Section D 2/3 year old  
 Class: 348 Welsh Cob Section D Mare or gelding  
 Class: 349 Welsh Cob Section D Stallion

**Class: s350 Championship****Not before 10:30am****M&M LARGE BREEDS BREEDING***Judge: Ms S Prior*

Class: 300 M&M L/B Yearling  
 Class: 301 M&M L/B 2/3 yr old Colt.  
 Class: 302 M&M L/B 2/3 yr old F/G  
 Class: 303 M&M L/Breeds Mare/Gelding  
 Class: 304 M&M L/Breeds Stallion

**Class: s305 Championship****Rings 5A & 5B become one ring – Approximately 1pm****Class: s357 The Price Family Supreme In-Hand Championship Qualifier 2025 – Pre-judging.***Judge: Mrs L Burnett*

To follow:

**Class: s356 NPS M&M Silver Medal Rosette Championship***Judge: Mrs L Thomas Clynes***UK PONIES & HORSES & ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE BROKERS RIHS YOUNG RIDER & AMATEUR CLASSES***Judge: Mrs L Thomas Clynes*

Class: 263 UK Ponies & Horses Ltd Intermediate M&M  
 Class: 264 UK Ponies & Horses Ltd M&M Large Breeds  
 Class: 265 UK Ponies & Horses Ltd M&M Small Breeds

**Class: s266 Championship**

Class: 267 UK Ponies & Horses Ltd Amateur Rider  
 Class: 268 UK Ponies & Horses Limited Mini Juniors

**LEAD REIN & FIRST RIDDEN M&M PONIES****Not before 2pm**

Class: 269 NPS Heritage M&M L/R  
 Class: 270 NPS Heritage M&M F/R

**Class: s271 Championship****Class: s262 NNAS Mini Supreme Pony***Judge: Mrs L Thomas Clynes***Please Note:**

- **All judging times and rings are subject to change after the close of entries. An updated timetable will be included in the pre-show competitor packs and should be checked before arriving at the Show.**
- **Rings will not be held up and competitors should plan their entries to avoid clashes.**
- **Rings may change on the day**
- **'Not before' times are not a start time. Classes will not run before these times.**



## **PRIVATE DRIVING – Main Ring. Not before 9:30am, to follow on after the Ridden Hunter Championship**

**Judge:** Mr N Fuller, Rawreth

### **Conditions:**

Horse or pony, 4 years old or over, driven to a traditional or traditional type vehicle. A traditional vehicle means a vehicle of traditional profile and identifiable type to resemble the design of a carriage built prior to the First World War. The vehicle may be made from modern materials but must have traditional style springing and carriage lamps. Pneumatic tyred vehicles, trade turnouts and show wagons are not eligible.

The driver must be aged 8 years or over on the first day of the show at which they are to compete. A driver under the age of 18 must be accompanied in the vehicle by a competent and responsible person aged 18 years or over, a "responsible adult". Proof of age will be required if necessary. It is the responsibility of the owner/driver (if over 18) or (if the owner/driver is under 18) the responsible adult to ensure that his/her groom is/are competent for the purpose of attending to the turnout and aged 8 or over on the day of the show. When in the vehicle grooms, passenger/s and driver must have their feet firmly on the floor of the vehicle or use a suitable fixed footrest. This regulation applies at all times and in all areas on the showground.

All drivers/grooms/passengers under the age of 14 must wear a hard hat. We recommend a correctly secured skull cap/riding hat that meets one of the current BSI standards should be worn when in a carriage or in attendance to the turnout.

### **Qualifiers:**

This is a Victoria Extravaganza Carriage Driving Championship qualifier. The Champion will qualify for the grand final to be held on Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> September 2025 at Bury Farm Equestrian Club, New Bury Farm, Mill Road, Slapton, Bicks. LU7 9BT. In the event that the champion has already qualified then the reserve champion is to qualify. If the reserve champion has also qualified, the rosette is to be awarded back to the Champion. Once qualified, the horse, whip and vehicle may not be changed.

**Class: 201**            **Private Driving Horse or Pony** - Single pair or tandem over 13.2hh  
**Class: 202**            **Private Driving Pony** - Single pair or tandem 13.2hh and under  
**Class: s203**           **Championship** - To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners.  
The British Driving Society will offer Champion, Reserve and Best Young Driver Rosettes  
**Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.**

## **PRIVATE DRIVING - CONCOURS D'ELEGANCE**

**Judge:** The Presidents Guest

### **Conditions:**

All turnouts which have been separately entered in the Private Driving classes are eligible to compete. The Private Driving Concours d'Elegance will run concurrently with Classes 201 and 202. Open to singles, pairs, multiples, 4 years old or over, to a traditional type of vehicle. The essence of the class is the word 'elegance' and the winner will be the turnout, which, in the opinion of the Judge, presents the most elegant effect. To include vehicle, horse, driver, passenger etc. but above all the general impression. Attention may be paid to drivers/passengers' personal costume, but fancy dress or period costume is definitely barred. The whole object of the class is to establish which turnout presents the most pleasing picture and normal judging criteria does not apply. It is judged from a distance and vehicles are NOT closely inspected. To be driven at park pace.

**Class: s204**           **From Class 201**  
**Class: s205**           **From Class 202**

## **NNAS NOVICE HORSE CLASS – Ring 1, Not before 12pm.**

**Judge:** Mrs S Curtis

### **Conditions:**

These classes are not affiliated and open to anyone. Turnout is to be appropriate for the horse's relevant classification. Horses will not be ridden by the judge but will be required to give a short individual show at walk, trot, and canter or a set show lasting approximately 2 minutes. Change of rein, trot and canter must be shown.

**Class: 206**            **The Newark & Nottinghamshire Agricultural Society Novice Horse** - Mare or gelding 4 years old and over exceeding 148cm. Rider to be 17 years old and over on the day of the show. A novice is a horse or that has not won a first prize before the 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. The spirit of this class is for genuine novice ridden horses and ponies, not those who have campaigned previously.

## **RIDDEN HUNTER - Main Ring, 8am.**

**Ride Judge:** Miss F Ludlow, Grantham

**Conformation Judge:** Mr N Fuller, Rawreth

### **Conditions:**

This Show is affiliated to Sport Horse Breeding of Great Britain and classes in this section will be judged in accordance with the current SHB (GB) rules. A copy of the SHB (GB) rules can be obtained from them on request.

### **Qualifiers:**

- ROYAL INTERNATIONAL HORSE SHOW CLASSES – Classes 207 - 210

These classes are qualifiers for The Agria Royal International Horse Show. The two highest placed horses will qualify, no horse lower than 2nd will qualify. In working hunter classes the two highest placed horses from each class will go through to the Working Hunter Championship and all these four horses will qualify for RIHS if they have not already done so. RIHS Qualification will not pass down the line beyond the aforementioned placings. In the Working Hunter Championship, Judges must place all horses to determine qualification.

Only horses registered with SHB (GB) and who are also registered on the current year's Show Hunter Register are eligible to enter in Qualifying Classes for RIHS Ridden and Working Hunter Championships and the Show Hunter Registration Number must be quoted on entries. Any horse that is entered for a Qualifying Class without first being on the Show Hunter Register cannot subsequently be registered and therefore will not be eligible for entry in that class on the day and will be disqualified if forward.

DAY TICKETS - Competitors may compete on a day ticket and may have a maximum of two Day Tickets per season. Each day ticket is valid for the entirety of the show (this covers all SHB(GB) Classes that require a membership and registration) and it covers owner and rider membership together with horse registration/over-stamp for that show. As a qualifying class for RIHS in order for the qualification to be valid, application for full owner/rider membership and horse registration/ over-stamp must be received in the SHB(GB) office within 14 days.

- 1st, 2nd and 3rd in each class to qualify for UK Ponies & Horses Open Hunter Gold Medal Series to take place at the UKPH Spring Classic 2026. Qualification cards will not be given out in the ring, however results can be verified by the office. Membership of the UKPH is not required to compete in Gold Medal classes.
- This National Welsh Part Bred Ridden Championships - Two highest placed Welsh Part Bred exhibits in top four (not already qualified) qualify. Unregistered qualifiers with 12.5% Welsh blood may retrospectively register with WPCS prior to entry.

**Class: 207**      **RIHS Small Hunter** - Mare or gelding, four years old and over, exceeding 148cms but not exceeding 158cms. Animals in ridden height restricted classes WILL NOT be required to be in possession of a JMB Height Certificate or verification of measurement to compete in RIHS or HOYS Qualifiers. However qualifying animals will need to be measured WITHIN 28 DAYS OF QUALIFICATION OR BEFORE THE FINAL, WHICHEVER IS SOONER. The valid JMB full height certificate or a valid JMB annual height certificate must be submitted to the SHB(GB) office on receipt from the JMB and prior to competing at RIHS. There are NO exceptions to this rule.

**Class: 208**      **RIHS Lightweight Hunter** - Mare or gelding, four years old and over, exceeding 148cms, capable of carrying up to 79.5kgs (12 stone 7lbs)

**Class: 209**      **RIHS Middleweight Hunter** - Mare or gelding, four years old and over, exceeding 148cms, capable of carrying 79.5kgs (12 stone 7lbs) and not exceeding 89kgs (14 stone).

**Class: 210**      **RIHS Heavyweight Hunter** - Mare or gelding, four years old and over, exceeding 148cms, capable of carrying over 89kgs (14 stone).

**Class: s211**      **Championship** - To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 210 - 212  
**Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.**

## **RIDDEN COB – Ring 3. Not before 10am.**

**Ride Judge:** Miss V Smith, Tattenhall

**Conformation Judge:** Mr R Grace, Glossop

### **Conditions:**

#### **RIHS OPEN QUALIFYING CLASSES**

Held under the rules of the British Show Horse Association. Horses must be registered with the Association and all Owners, Exhibitors and Riders and must be Association Members. Riders must be 15 years of age or older. **Registration numbers must be quoted on entry form.**

### **Qualifiers:**

- Classes 212, 213 and 215 are qualifiers for The Royal International Horse Show. The first prize winner will qualify to compete at the final. If already qualified the second will qualify, if the first and second are already qualified then the third will go forward, with the exception of BSHA shows, where qualification will go down the line. Horses competing at the RIHS and qualifying shows in Hunter sections of The Sport Horse Breeding of Great Britain at their Affiliated Shows cannot compete in Hack, Cobs and Riding Horse classes at the same show and vice versa. This does not apply to SHB (GB) Ridden Sport Horse classes. The BSHA offer a Novice, Young Rider and Amateur rosette in each Open class and a Champion rosette for each section (with the exception of Open Working Show Horse, Ladies Show Horse, Racehorse to Show Horse & HOYS Hunter classes). Competitors qualifying at this show for the Longines Royal International Horse Show 22-27 July 2025 must submit the entries via the Hickstead website.
- The highest placed unqualified exhibit in the top 5 in each Open Affiliated class (Hack, Cob, Maxi Cob, Riding Horse will qualify to compete in the BSHA Supreme of the Year Final. The Finals will be held at the BSHA National Championship Shows in September 2025.
- 1st, 2nd and 3rd in each class to qualify for UK Ponies & Horses Ridden Cob Gold Medal Series to take place at the UKPH Spring Classic 2026. Qualification cards will not be given out in the ring, however results can be verified by the office. Membership of the UKPH is not required to compete in Gold Medal classes.
- This National Welsh Part Bred Ridden Championships - Two highest placed Welsh Part Bred exhibits in top four (not already qualified) qualify. Unregistered qualifiers with 12.5% Welsh blood may retrospectively register with WPCS prior to entry.

- Class: 212**      **RIHS Lightweight Cob** - Mare or gelding, 4 years old and over, exceeding 148cm and not exceeding 155cm and capable of carrying up to 14st. Rider 15 years and over. BSHA offer Amateur, Novice and Young Rider Rosettes
- Class: 213**      **RIHS Heavyweight Cob** - Mare or gelding 4 years old and over, exceeding 148cm and not exceeding 155cm and capable of carrying more than 14st. Rider 15 years and over. BSHA offer Amateur, Novice and Young Rider Rosettes.
- Class: s214**      **Championship** - To be competed for by the 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from classes 214 – 215  
**Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.**  
BSHA offer their Champion Rosette to the winner.
- Class: 215**      **RIHS Maxi Cob** - Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, exceeding 155cm – to be judged as Cobs. Judges may take particular attention to type (i.e. short legged animals of COB type). To be shown Hogged. Rider 15 years and over. BSHA offer Amateur, Novice and Young Rider Rosettes.

## **RIDING HORSES & HACKS – Ring 3. Not before 12pm.**

**Ride Judge:** Miss V Smith, Tattenhall

**Conformation Judge:** Mr R Grace, Glossop

### **Conditions:**

#### **RIHS OPEN QUALIFYING CLASSES**

Held under the rules of the British Show Horse Association. Horses must be registered with the Association and all Owners, Exhibitors and Riders and must be Association Members. Riders must be 15 years of age or older. **Registration numbers must be quoted on entry form.**

### **Qualifiers:**

- Classes 216, 217, 219 and 220 are qualifiers for The Royal International Horse Show. The first prize winner will qualify to compete at the final. If already qualified the second will qualify, if the first and second are already qualified then the third will go forward, with the exception of BSHA shows, where qualification will go down the line. Horses competing at the RIHS and qualifying shows in Hunter sections of The Sport Horse Breeding of Great Britain at their Affiliated Shows cannot compete in Hack, Cobs and Riding Horse classes at the same show and vice versa. This does not apply to SHB (GB) Ridden Sport Horse classes. The BSHA offer a Novice, Young Rider and Amateur rosette in each Open class and a Champion rosette for each section (with the exception of Open Working Show Horse, Ladies Show Horse, Racehorse to Show Horse & HOYS Hunter classes). Competitors qualifying at this show for the Longines Royal International Horse Show 22-27 July 2025 must submit the entries via the Hickstead website.
- The highest placed unqualified exhibit in the top 5 in each Open Affiliated class (Hack, Cob, Maxi Cob, Riding Horse will qualify to compete in the BSHA Supreme of the Year Final. The Finals will be held at the BSHA National Championship Shows in September 2025.
- 1st, 2nd and 3rd in classes 216 and 217 to qualify for UK Ponies & Horses Riding Horse Gold Medal Series to take place at the UKPH Spring Classic 2026. Qualification cards will not be given out in the ring, however results can be verified by the office. Membership of the UKPH is not required to compete in Gold Medal classes.
- 1st 2nd and 3rd in classes 219 and 220 to qualify UK PONIES & HORSES Ridden Hack Gold Medal Series to take place at the UKPH Spring Classic 2026. Qualification cards will not be given out in the ring, however results can be verified by the office. Membership of the UKPH is not required to compete in Gold Medal classes.
- This National Welsh Part Bred Ridden Championships - Two highest placed Welsh Part Bred exhibits in top four (not already qualified) qualify. Unregistered qualifiers with 12.5% Welsh blood may retrospectively register with WPCS prior to entry.

**Class: 216**      **RIHS Small Riding Horse** - Mare or gelding 4 years old and over, exceeding 148cm and not exceeding 158cm. Rider 15 years and over. BSHA offer Amateur, Novice and Young Rider Rosettes

**Class: 217**      **RIHS Large Riding Horse** - Mare or gelding 4 years old and over, exceeding 158cm Rider 15 years and over. BSHA offer Amateur, Novice and Young Rider Rosettes

**Class: s218**      **Championship** - To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners.  
**Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.**  
BSHA offer their Champion Rosette to the winner.

**Class: 219**      **RIHS Small Hack** - Mare or gelding 4 years old and over, exceeding 148cm and not exceeding 154cm. Rider 15 years and over. BSHA offer Amateur, Novice and Young Rider Rosettes

**Class: 220**      **RIHS Large Hack** - Mare or gelding 4 years old and over, exceeding 154cm but not exceeding 160cms. Rider 15 years and over. BSHA offer Amateur, Novice and Young Rider Rosettes

**Class: s221**      **Championship** - To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners.  
**Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.**  
BSHA offer their Champion Rosette to the winner.

## **LADIES SIDE SADDLE – Ring 2. Not before 2pm.**

**Judge:** Mrs C Walters, Lichfield

### **Conditions:**

Competitors must wear a hat to the current Safety Standard or above, please see 'Protective Head Gear' in the exhibitor conditions and guidance notes at the start of this schedule.

This Show is affiliated to The Side Saddle Association and these classes are to be judged under their rules and regulations.

### **Qualifiers:**

- **EQUITATION CHAMPIONSHIPS OPEN QUALIFYING CLASS**

Run under SSA Rules defined in the current Members' Handbook. Open to SSA Members and Non-Members. Members carrying their current Championship Points Cards are eligible for SSA rosettes to 3rd Adult and 3rd Junior places and SSA Championship Points. Southernden Side Saddles sponsor a rosette to the highest placed Member aged under 14 on 1st January of the current year. A rosette sponsored in memory of The Late Mr R Philpot is offered to the Adult Member and Just So Elegant Side Saddle Hire sponsor a rosette for the Junior Member, judged to be the best turned out. Competitors must wear a hat to current Safety Standard or above.

- **THE SIDE SADDLE ASSOCIATION CLASSICAL LADIES SIDE SADDLE QUALIFIER**

The highest placed horse/rider combination qualifies for the Final to be held at the National Side Saddle Show. In the event of previous qualification, the Qualification Card may be passed down to fourth place. The highest placed horse/rider combination qualifies for the Final to be held at the National Side Saddle Show. One special rosette and the qualification card will be given to the qualifying combination adult each show, this may not always be the winner. If the winner has already qualified they may be passed down to fourth place. Qualifiers kindly sponsored by Mrs. T. Mitchell and Mr. L. Mitchell. Qualifying combinations are required to become Full Members of the SSA 21 days prior to the National Side Saddle Show or as soon as possible if qualified after that date to be eligible to compete at the Final. Combinations qualifying between one National Side Saddle Show and the next may carry forward the qualification, for that year only. The four highest placed Riding Horse, Hack (not ex 160cm), Cob or Hunter, Mare or Gelding, 4 years and over, ridden by a SSA Adult Member qualify for the current year's BSHA Championship Show Mears Ladies Show Horse Championship Combinations qualifying after the current year's BSHA Championship Show may carry forward the qualification, to the following year. SSA Members who qualify for The Mears Ladies Show Horse Championship, will not be required to join the BSHA in order to compete in any Side Saddle class at the BSHA National Championship Show. If the BSHA Championship Show entries have closed at the time of qualification, competitors will not be charged a late entry fee for the Championship.

**Class: 223**      **Side Saddle Concours d'Elegance** - The sole criterion for this class is the elegance of the picture presented by horse and rider. Attention may be paid to the rider's personal appearance, but detailed inspection of rider or tack is not required. Fancy dress or period costume is not permitted. Competitors are required to walk, trot and canter. No individual show is required, but the Judge may ask groups of 3 or 4 riders to give short displays. A Special rosette will be awarded to the highest placed Adult Member and Junior Member of the SSA carrying their current Championship Points Cards.

**Class: 224**      **Open Equitation, open to Adults and Juniors** - SSA Rosettes and Qualifying Points shall be awarded to Adults & Juniors as 2 sections: the highest placed Adult & Junior Members will receive SSA rosettes to 3rd place, and Qualifying Points down each line. The highest placed Member under 14 on 1st January of the current year will receive a rosette.

**Class: 225**      **The Side Saddle Association Classical Ladies Side Saddle Qualifier** - Open to SSA Adult Members and Non-members, aged 18 and over on January 1st of the current year, riding side saddle, on horses exceeding 148cm (14.2hh). To be judged 25% conformation and action, 25% manners and way of going, 25% rider, and 25% turnout of horse & rider. Judges may request a short show, but horses will not be stripped. Traditional habits must be worn. Fancy Dress and Period Costumes NOT permitted.

**Class: s226**      **Championship** - To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners.  
**Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.**

## LONDON INTERNATIONAL HORSE SHOW SHOWING SERIES – BRITISH SHOW HORSE ASSOCIATION RISING STAR CLASSES

**Classes 227 to s232:** Ring 3. Not before 1pm.

Judge: Miss V Smith, Tattenhall



**Classes 233 to s237:** Ring 2. Not before 12am.

Judge: Miss F Ludlow, Grantham

### Conditions:

#### RISING STAR AMATEUR RULES FOR 2025

Open to members and pre-registered non-members, 15 yrs and over, eligible under Rising Star Amateur rules.

Please note: Rising Star Amateur Rules 2025 are separate from BSHA Amateur rules. Please see the separate Rising Star Rulebook in the Rising Star section available on the BSHA website. <https://britishshowhorse.org/bsha-rising-stars-series/>

If you are in any doubt regarding your Rising Star Amateur status, please contact the BSHA Office directly, to have your status confirmed.

### Qualifiers:

- **QUALIFIERS FOR FINALS AT LONDON INTERNATIONAL HORSE SHOW (LIHS 18th – 22nd December 2025)**

Classes 227 to 236 qualify for LIHS BSHA Rising Star Supreme Finals at the London International Horse Show, the highest placed exhibit unqualified in top five to qualify.

A results points table will run for all qualifying classes and a 'wild card' will be awarded to those unqualified with the highest points in each section following the final qualifier.

The Judge will NOT ride exhibits in these classes or at the Finals.

**QUALIFICATION WILL BE CONFIRMED BY EMAIL ONCE BSHA MEMBERSHIP IS COMPLETED WITHIN 14 DAYS OF QUALIFICATION.**

**Class: 227** **Rising Star Racehorse to Show Horse** - Mare or gelding, 4 years old or over, exceeding 148cm. Open to thoroughbred horses or Arab horses retired from race training. Rider to be 15yrs or over. The highest placed unqualified horse in the top 5 will qualify for the LIHS BSHA Rising Star Racehorse to Show Horse Supreme Final at the LIHS in December. This class is open to competitors who work within the racing industry. In addition, the two highest placed unqualified horses will qualify for the Associate Rising Star Associate Racehorse to Show Horse final at the BSHA National Championships Show in September. Associate Rising Star Qualification Cards will be awarded in the ring.

Horses are only eligible to qualify for the Small OR Large section, not both, please only enter either the Small or Large section.

**Class: 228** **Small Hack/ Riding Horse type** - Mare or gelding, 4 years old and over, exceeding 148cm. Hacks not to exceed 154cm and Riding Horses not to exceed 158cm. Rider to be 15yrs or over. The highest placed unqualified horse in the top 5 will qualify for the LIHS BSHA Rising Star Supreme Small Hack/Riding Horse Supreme Final at the LIHS in December. In addition, the two highest placed unqualified horses will qualify for the Associate Rising Star Hack/Riding Horse final at the BSHA National Championships Show in September. Associate Rising Star Qualification Cards will be awarded in the ring.

**Class: 229** **Large Hack/ Riding Horse type:** Mare or gelding, 4 years old and over. Hacks to exceed 154cm but not exceeding 160cm. Riding Horses to exceed 158cm. Rider to be 15yrs or over. The highest placed unqualified horse in the top 5 will qualify for the LIHS BSHA Rising Star Large Hack/Riding Horse Supreme Final at the LIHS in December. In addition, the two highest placed unqualified horses will qualify for the Associate Rising Star Hack/Riding Horse final at the BSHA National Championships Show in September. Associate Rising Star Qualification Cards will be awarded in the ring.

**Class: 230** **Rising Star Style & Performance Young Rider** - Mare or gelding, 4 years old or over, exceeding 148cm. Open to ALL types, rider to be aged 15- 25 years. This is a flat class to be judged solely on performance, there will be no conformation marks awarded, and exhibits will not be stripped. The highest placed unqualified horse in the top 5 will qualify for the LIHS BSHA Rising Star Style & Performance Young Rider Supreme Final at the LIHS in December. In addition, the two highest placed unqualified horses will qualify for the Associate Rising Star Style & Performance final at the BSHA National Championships Show in September. Associate Rising Star Qualification Cards will be awarded in the ring.

**Class: 231** **Rising Star Style & Performance Over 25** - Mare or gelding, 4 years old or over, exceeding 148cm. Open to ALL types, rider to be aged over 25 years. This is a flat class to be judged solely on performance, there will be no conformation marks awarded, and exhibits will not be stripped. The highest unqualified horse placed in the top 5 will qualify for the LIHS BSHA Rising Star Style & Performance Over 25 Supreme Final at the LIHS in December. In addition, the two highest placed unqualified horses will qualify for the Associate Rising Star Style & Performance final at the BSHA National Championships Show in September. Associate Rising Star Qualification Cards will be awarded in the ring.

**Style & Performance Series classes will be marked, and judged as follows:**

Exhibitors will ride together as a class, which will be considered as part of the collective marks.

Exhibitors will then be asked to perform a freestyle show/ display, which will be marked (max 2.5 mins), to include, (but not restricted to), in any order:

- on both reins: walk, trot, canter.
- halt in the middle of the show/display for 4 secs before proceeding.
- a canter change of rein across the diagonal through trot or walk (5 strides max).
- lengthened canter strides.
- free walk on a long rein.

<b>Marks:</b>	Performance (not to exceed 2.5 minutes), please see above for full requirements	70 marks
	Collective marks: Overall Impression (incl. Horsemanship, Harmony, Rider Position)	15 marks
	Manners & way of going for type	15 marks
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100 marks</b>

Style & Performance series classes dress rules – please refer to dress rules at end of the Rulebook, the same dress rules apply to both the ‘Type’ classes and the Style & Performance classes.

**Class: 232            Championship**

To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 227 to 231  
Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.

Ring 2. Not before 12pm.

**Class: 233            Rising Star Ridden Hunter - Small/Lightweight Hunter type:** Mare or gelding, 4 years old or over, (Lightweight exceeding 158cms, Small Hunter exceeding 148cms, but not exceeding 158cms). Capable of carrying up to 79.5kgs (12 stone 7lbs). Rider to be 15yrs or over. The highest placed unqualified horse in the top 5 will qualify for the LIHS BSHA Rising Star Small/Lightweight Hunter Supreme Final at the LIHS in December. In addition, the two highest placed unqualified horses will qualify for the Associate Rising Star Hunter final at the BSHA National Championships Show in September. Associate Rising Star Qualification Cards will be awarded in the ring.

**Class: 234            Rising Star Ridden Hunter - Middleweight/Heavyweight Hunter type:** Mare or gelding, 4 years old or over, exceeding 158cms. Capable of carrying over 89kgs (14 stone). Rider to be 15yrs or over. The highest placed unqualified horse in the top 5 will qualify for the LIHS BSHA Rising Star Middleweight/Heavyweight Hunter Supreme Final at the LIHS in December. In addition, the two highest placed unqualified horses will qualify for the Associate Rising Star Hunter final at the BSHA National Championships Show in September. Associate Rising Star Qualification Cards will be awarded in the ring.

**Class: 235            Rising Star Cob Lightweight & Heavyweight Cob type** - Mare or gelding, 4 years old and over, exceeding 148cm, but not exceeding 155cm. Rider to be 15yrs or over. The highest placed unqualified horse in the top 5 will qualify for the LIHS BSHA Rising Star Cob Supreme Final at the LIHS in December. In addition, the two highest placed unqualified horses will qualify for the Associate Rising Star Cob final at the BSHA National Championships Show in September. Associate Rising Star Qualification Cards will be awarded in the ring.

**Class: 236            Maxi Cob type** - Mare or gelding, 4 years old and over, exceeding 155cms - to be judged as Cobs. Rider to be 15yrs or over. Judges must pay particular attention to type (i.e. short legged animals of COB type). To be shown hogged. The highest placed unqualified horse in the top 5 will qualify for the LIHS BSHA Rising Star Maxi Cob Supreme Final at the LIHS in December. In addition, the two highest placed unqualified horses will qualify for the Associate Rising Star Cob final at the BSHA National Championships Show in September. Associate Rising Star Qualification Cards will be awarded in the ring.

**Class: s237            Championship** - To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 233 to 236  
Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.

## **WORKING HUNTER HORSES – Ring 4. Not before 1:30pm.**

**Ride Judge:** Mr C McClelland, Earls Croome

**Conformation Judge:** Mrs R Hetherington, Middleham

### **Conditions:**

This Show is affiliated to Sport Horse Breeding of Great Britain and classes in this section will be judged in accordance with SHB (GB) rules. A copy of the SHB (GB) rules can be obtained from them on request.

### **Qualifiers:**

- ROYAL INTERNATIONAL HORSE SHOW – Class 240

These classes are qualifiers for The Agria Royal International Horse Show. The two highest placed horses will qualify, no horse lower than 2nd will qualify. In working hunter classes the two highest placed horses from each class will go through to the Working Hunter Championship and all these four horses will qualify for RIHS if they have not already done so. RIHS Qualification will not pass down the line beyond the aforementioned placings. In the Working Hunter Championship, Judges must place all horses to determine qualification.

Only horses registered with SHB (GB) and who are also registered on the current year's Show Hunter Register are eligible to enter in Qualifying Classes for RIHS Ridden and Working Hunter Championships and the Show Hunter Registration Number must be quoted on entries. Any horse that is entered for a Qualifying Class without first being on the Show Hunter Register cannot subsequently be registered and therefore will not be eligible for entry in that class on the day and will be disqualified if forward.

DAY TICKETS - Competitors may compete on a day ticket and may have a maximum of two-Day Tickets per season. Each day ticket is valid for the entirety of the show (this covers all SHB(GB) Classes that require a membership and registration) and it covers owner and rider membership together with horse registration/over-stamp for that show. As a qualifying class for RIHS in order for the qualification to be valid, application for full owner/rider membership and horse registration/ over-stamp must be received in the SHB(GB) office within 14 days.

- Class: 238**      **SHB (GB) Novice Working Hunter** - Stallions, Mares or Geldings (competing stallions must have a red, white and blue ribbon displayed in their tail), four years old or over, exceeding 148cm (14.2hh approx), not having won three affiliated Novice working classes or three affiliated Open working classes before 1st January in the current year. Horses entered in this class must be on the SHB(GB) 2025 Show Hunter Register OR, not having been placed 1-9 in ANY WORKING HUNTER CLASS at Royal International Horse Show or Horse of the Year Show before 1st January in the current year.  
Horses that have more than 5 BE points or 200 BS points, at home or equivalent abroad before 1st January in the current year are not eligible to compete in novice working classes. Height of jumps will not exceed 1.00m (3ft 3 inches.)  
Horses entered in these classes must be registered (passported or overstamped) with SHB(GB) and owners and riders must be members of SHB(GB) or compete on a Day Ticket.
- Class: 239**      **SHB (GB) Open 105 Working Hunter** - Mare, Gelding or Stallion (competing stallions must have a red, white, and blue ribbon displayed in their tail), 4 years old and over, exceeding 148cm. Maximum height of fences 1.05m. This class is intended as "step-up" class, and it is hoped that competitors will enter into the spirit of this. An award will be made to highest placed Novice and the highest placed Amateur in this class. Horses entered in these classes must be registered (passported or over stamped) with SHB(GB) and owners and riders must be members of SHB(GB), or compete on a Day Ticket.
- Class: 240**      **RIHS Working Hunter** - A mare, gelding or stallion (competing stallions must have a red, white, and blue ribbon displayed in their tail) four years old and over exceeding 148cm (14.2hh approx.). This class to be judged in accordance with the rules for Working Hunter Competitions as laid down by SHB(GB). To be judged in accordance with the rules herein set out. Grade A Showjumpers and Advanced Event horses are not eligible to compete in these Classes. Any horse which has qualified as a Grade A Show Jumper or Advanced Event Horse as of 1st January in the current year is not eligible to compete in Working Hunter classes. This class is a qualifying class for the Royal International Horse Show.
- Class: s241**      **Championship** - To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners. Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.



## BRITISH SHOW PONY SOCIETY CLASSES (BSPS)

This Show is affiliated to the British Show Pony Society ("B.S.P.S."), and all persons entering, competing, showing, or otherwise taking part in B.S.P.S. classes, whether or not members of the B.S.P.S. are subject to the Rules of the B.S.P.S., including the disciplinary procedures, and shall be deemed to have consented to the jurisdiction of the B.S.P.S.

### WORKING HUNTER PONY – BSPS SUMMER WORKER STAKES – Ring 4. Not before 9am.

**Judges:** Mrs S Thomas, Shrewsbury & Mrs M Ludlow, Grantham

#### Qualifier:

- 1st, 2nd and 3rd in each class to qualify for UK Ponies & Horses WHP Gold Medal Series to take place at the UKPH Spring Classic 2026. Qualification cards will not be given out in the ring, however results can be verified by the office. Membership of the UKPH is not required to compete in Gold Medal classes.

<b>Marks:</b>	Jumping	70 Marks
	Style whilst Jumping	30 Marks
	Conformation and way of going	20 Marks
	<b>Total</b>	<b>120 MARKS</b>

Ponies may compete in more than one height section. Rider should be appropriate age on 1st January in the current year.

**Class: 242** **60cm Worker Stakes** - Plaited or Heritage Mountain and Moorland Ponies, 4yrs old and over not exceeding 158cms. Riders any age but must be suitably mounted for the pony/horse they ride. **An Award Card for the highest placed child under 12yrs of age on 1st January in the current year in each class.**

**Class: 243** **70cm Worker Stakes** - Plaited or Heritage Mountain and Moorland ponies, 4yrs old and over not exceeding 158cms. Riders any age but must be suitably mounted for the pony/horse they ride. **An Award Card for the highest placed child under 14yrs of age on 1st January in the current year in each class.**

**Class: 244** **80cm Worker Stakes** - Plaited or Heritage Mountain and Moorland ponies, 4yrs old and over not exceeding 158cms. Riders any age but must be suitably mounted for the pony/horse they ride. **An Award Card for the highest placed child under 18yrs of age on 1st January in the current year in each class.**

**Class: 245** **90cm Worker Stakes** - Plaited or Heritage Mountain and Moorland ponies, 4yrs old and over not exceeding 158cms. Riders any age but must be suitably mounted for the pony/horse they ride. **An Award Card for the highest placed child under 18yrs of age on 1st January in the current year in each class.**

**Class: s246** **Championship** - To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners. Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.

## LONDON INTERNATIONAL HORSE SHOW SHOWING SERIES – BRITISH SHOW PONY SOCIETY WORKING

### SPORTS PONY – Ring 4. 8am.

**Judge:** Mrs S Thomas, Shrewsbury



#### Qualifier:

- The following classes are qualifiers for the London International Horse Show, 18th – 22nd December 2025. Open to members and non-members for the qualifying classes but will need to join within seven days of qualifying to enter the Final or the qualification will pass down the line. The winning pony in each class will qualify, qualification will go no lower than 3rd place. Horses/ponies do not need to have a JMB height certificate to compete in these classes. The BSPS can request any animal to be measured at their discretion. Ponies can be shown in any suitable bridles except Bitless bridles and running gags which are not permitted in any classes. In the Coloured Classes the pony must be registered with either the British Skewbald and Piebald Association or Coloured Horse and Pony Society. Riders and Owners must join the BSPS within seven days of qualifying to compete in the Final.

**Class 247** **BSPS Heritage Lead Rein Working Sports Pony** - Mare or Gelding, 4yrs old and over, Mountain and Moorland registered ponies not exceeding 128cms. Ridden by a child to have attained their 5th birthday on the 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year and not to have attained their 10th birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. Any suitable snaffle bridle. In Lead Rein WSP classes the Judges will be looking for a pony suitable for a child to begin their future in Working Sports Pony classes.

<b>Marks:</b>	Manners and style whilst performing the test (including jumping)	60 Marks
	Type, movement and freedom of action	20 Marks
	Presentation, suitability and condition	20 Marks
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100 MARKS</b>

### Criteria

The Leader must be 16 years old or over and may only lead one pony in a class. The rein MUST go directly from the bit to the rider's hand, with no extra aids or attachments to or on the saddle. Handles on saddles are permitted but the reins must not be attached to the handle or to the saddle. The Lead Rein must be affixed to the noseband on which it must remain while the pony is in the ring.

Whilst in the ring ponies must always be led by the leader. The Leader must lead on the nearside with the lead rein in the left hand.

**RIDERS** - Hats in accordance with BSPS Rules, Tweed Jackets, Beige or cream jodhpurs, Shirt, tie, boots and gloves. Body protectors are compulsory in this class. No Buttonholes

**LEADERS** Country attire, Gentlemen Trilby Hats or Caps, Ladies modest hats.

### Method of Judging:

Ponies will enter the ring at the walk, they may be trotted altogether at the Judges' discretion. They will be pulled into line in any order and asked to perform an individual test around obstacles including jumping a maximum of three small upright fences not exceeding 30cms. No spread fences. Water will not be included. Ponies will not be asked to walk on artificial material e.g. plastic sheeting during the test. Riders will not be asked to dismount.

Judges will penalise refusals, knockdowns or taking the wrong course at their discretion.

A stride or two of canter over the fences will not be penalised.

There will be NO conformation marks. Ponies must be shown unplaited and in accordance with their breed standards.

**Class 248** **BSPS Heritage First Ridden Working Sports Pony** - Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over. For registered Mountain and Moorland ponies and non registered Mountain and Moorland type ponies not exceeding 128 cm. Ridden by a child to have attained their 6th birthday on the 1st January in the current year and not to have attained their 12th birthday by 1st January in the current year. Any suitable snaffle bridle. Ponies to be shown unplaited, In First Ridden WSP classes the Judges will be looking for a pony suitable for a child to begin their future in Working Sports Pony classes. Ponies will be shown unplaited.

<b>Marks:</b> Manners and style whilst performing the test (including jumping)	60 Marks
Type, movement and freedom of action	20 Marks
Presentation, suitability and condition	20 Marks
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100 MARKS</b>

### Criteria

Martingales are permitted.

**RIDERS** - Hats in accordance with BSPS Rules, Tweed Jackets, Beige or cream jodhpurs, Shirt, tie, boots and gloves. Body protectors are compulsory in this class. No Buttonholes

### Method of Judging

Ponies will enter the ring at the walk and then be trotted altogether at the Judges' discretion. They will be pulled into line in any order and asked to perform an individual test around obstacles including jumping a maximum of three small upright fences not exceeding 30cms. At the end of the test, they will canter down one side of the arena to finish. No spread fences. Water will not be included. Ponies will not be asked to walk on artificial material e.g. plastic sheeting during the test. Riders will not be asked to dismount.

Judges will penalise refusals, knockdowns or taking the wrong course.

Cantering over the fences will not be penalised.

There will be NO conformation marks.

**Class 249** **Open Cradle Stakes Class** - Class Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 123cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained not to have attained their 11th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Ponies must be plaited.

<b>PHASE ONE:</b>	Jumping	50 Marks
	Style & Manners while Jumping	20 Marks
<b>PHASE TWO:</b>	Manners and way of going	10 Marks
	Conformation, Type & Freedom of Action	20 Marks
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>100 MARKS</b>

<b>PENALTIES - PHASE ONE:</b>	Jumping Knock Down	10 Penalties
	First Refusal	15 Penalties
	Second Refusal	20 Penalties
	Third Refusal Disqualification	
	Fall of pony or rider in any phase Disqualification	

**Class 250** **Open Nursery Stakes Class** - Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over, not exceeding 133cm. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 13th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Ponies must be plaited.

<b>PHASE ONE:</b>	Jumping	50 Marks
	Style & Manners while Jumping	20 Marks
<b>PHASE TWO:</b>	Manners and way of going	10 Marks
	Conformation, Type & Freedom of Action	20 Marks
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100 MARKS</b>

<b>PENALTIES - PHASE ONE:</b>	Jumping Knock Down	10 Penalties
	First Refusal	15 Penalties
	Second Refusal	20 Penalties
	Third Refusal Disqualification	
	Fall of pony or rider in any phase Disqualification	

#### Method of Judging Classes 249 and 250

This is a judged over a course of WHP fences individually with a separate conformation section and then all ponies come together for the final result. Body protectors are compulsory.

**Class: s251** **Championship** - To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 247 to 250  
Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette

### LONDON INTERNATIONAL HORSE SHOW SHOWING SERIES – BRITISH SHOW PONY SOCIETY PERFORMANCE PONY – Ring 1. Not before 1pm.



**Judge:** Mrs S Curtis, East Yorkshire

#### Qualifier:

- The following classes are qualifiers for the London International Horse Show, 18th – 22nd December 2025.  
Open to members and non-members for the qualifying classes but will need to join within seven days of qualifying to enter the Final or the qualification will pass down the line.  
The winning pony in each class will qualify, qualification will go no lower than 3rd place.  
Horses/ponies do not need to have a JMB height certificate to compete in these classes. The BSPS can request any animal to be measured at their discretion.  
Ponies can be shown in any suitable bridles except Bitless bridles and running gags which are not permitted in any classes.

<b>Marks:</b>	Performance	70 Marks
	Manners and Way of Going, including the go round	10 Marks
	Presentation, suitability and condition	10 Marks
	Type and Freedom of Action	10 Marks
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100 MARKS</b>

#### Method of judging for Performance Classes

Exhibitors will go round the ring as whole group, (no pull in). They will then undertake an individual display (rather than a show) where they need to show certain movements which will include walk, trot, canter on both reins, a canter circle, canter transitions on the straight, extension in canter on one rein and free walk on a long rein and halt. Competitors in these classes will not be stripped. Shows may put on a Championship for the two highest exhibits in the performance classes.

**Class 252** **BSPS Junior Performance Pony** - Mare or Gelding 4 years old and over, not exceeding 128cm Plaited ponies. Riders not to have attained their 12th birthday on 1st January in the current year.

**Class 253** **BSPS Performance Pony** - Mare or Gelding 4 years old and over, not exceeding 148cm. Plaited ponies. Riders not to have attained their 17th birthday on 1st January in the current year.

**Class 254** **BSPS Performance Pony** - Stallions, Mare or Gelding 4 years old and over, not exceeding 158cm. Plaited ponies/horses. Riders any age.

**Class: s255** **Championship** -To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 252 to 254  
Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.

## NEWARK & NOTTINGHAMSHIRE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY CHILDRENS RIDDEN PONY CLASSES

Ring 1. Not before 12pm.

**Judge:** Mrs S Curtis, East Yorkshire

### Condition:

- Membership of a society or association is not need for these classes.
- Ponies are to be turned out as appropriate for their type.
- Rider to be a suitable height for the pony.

### Qualifiers:

- This National Welsh Part Bred Ridden Championships - Two highest placed Welsh Part Bred exhibits in top four (not already qualified) qualify. Unregistered qualifiers with 12.5% Welsh blood may retrospectively register with WPCS prior to entry.

**Class: 256**      **The Newark & Nottinghamshire Agricultural Society Novice Pony** - Mare or gelding 4 years old and over, not exceeding 148cm. Rider to be 16 years old and under on the day of the show. A novice is a pony that has not won a first prize before the 1st January in the current year. The spirit of this class is for genuine novice ridden ponies, not those who have campaigned previously.

**Class: 257**      **The Newark & Nottinghamshire Agricultural Society Lead Rein Show Pony or Pony of Hunter Type** - Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 122cms. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday but must not have attained their 8th birthday before 1st January in the current year. The leader must be 16 years old or over and may only lead one pony in a class. The rein **MUST** go directly from the bit to the rider's hand with no extra aid or attachment to or on the saddle. The reins must be a normal length and not knotted together or stitched together at a shorter length. Handles on saddles are permitted but the reins **MUST NOT** be attached to the handle or to the saddle. Canter is not allowed. The attendant **MUST** affix the lead rein to the **NOSEBAND ON WHICH IT MUST REMAIN WHILE THE PONY IS IN THE RING**. The winner is eligible for the Supreme Mini Pony.

**Class: 258**      **The Newark & Nottinghamshire Agricultural Society First Ridden Show Pony or Show Hunter Type** – Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over, not exceeding 122cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 10th birthday before the 1st January in the current year. No cantering is allowed except for individual performances. Ponies must leave the ring at the walk or trot. The winner is eligible for the Supreme Mini Pony.

**Class: 259**      **The Newark & Nottinghamshire Agricultural Society Mixed Hight Show Pony or Show Hunter Pony** - Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 148cm. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 17th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Rider to be a suitable height for the pony.

**Class: 260**      **The Newark & Nottinghamshire Agricultural Society Best Local Ridden Pony** - Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 148cm. Rider not to have attained their 17th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Rider to be a suitable height for the pony and live in Nottinghamshire.

**Class: s261**      **Championship** - To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 206, 256 – 260. Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.

## MOUNTED FANCY DRESS

Newark Ring. 11am

**Judge:** The Presidents Lady, Mrs S Richmond

**Class: 262**      **The Newark & Nottinghamshire Agricultural Society Mounted Fancy Dress.**  
Riders to be 16 years of age or under on the day of the Show and to be suitably mounted. Riding hats must be included as part of costume if mounted. All family members can dress up with one pony and one entry. Rosettes will be awarded to all competitors.

## UK PONIES & HORSES & ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE BROKERS RIHS YOUNG RIDER & AMATEUR CLASSES

Rings 5A & 5B BECOME 1 RING – Not before 1pm

**Judge:** Mrs L Thomas Clynes, Bacup

### Conditions:

This show is affiliated to the UK Ponies & Horses and these classes are to be judged under their rules and regulations.

Owners must be Adult / Life Members, Riders must be current UK Ponies & Horses Limited Annual Members and the ponies currently registered with UK Ponies & Horses Limited before time of entry in order to compete in these classes.

Open to Mountain and Moorland Ridden Stallion (Intermediate class only), Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, registered in their approved Pure Breed Society Stud Books of Connemara, Dartmoor, Dales, Exmoor, Fells, Highland, New Forest, Shetland, Welsh A, B, C or D.

### Qualifiers:

- ROYAL INTERNATIONAL HORSE SHOW - UK PONIES & HORSES LIMITED

#### **RIHS YOUNG RIDERS MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND RIDDEN FINAL 2025**

The highest placed exhibit not already qualified within the first five will qualify for the UK Ponies & Horses Limited RIHS Young Riders M&M Ridden.

#### **RIHS AMATEUR RIDERS MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND RIDDEN FINAL 2025**

The highest placed pony and rider not already qualified within the first five will qualify for the UK Ponies & Horses Limited RIHS Amateur Riders M&M Finals at the RIHS Hickstead in July 2025. Qualification will be verified by the office.

**TO BE HELD AT THE ROYAL INTERNATIONAL HORSE SHOW, HICKSTEAD, WEST SUSSEX, RN17 5NU IN JULY 2025.**

**TO BE JUDGED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE RULES OF UK PONIES & HORSES LIMITED.**

- Class: 263** **RIHS UK Ponies & Horses Limited & Anthony Evans Insurance Brokers Intermediate M&M** – Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old & over. Registered in their approved Pure Breed Society stud books of Connemara, Dales, Dartmoor, Exmoor, Fells, Highland, New Forest, Shetland, Welsh Section A, B, C or D. Rider not to have attained their 25th Birthday before the 1st January in the current year. (See Rule 7 of the current UK Ponies & Horses Limited Rule Book).
- Class: 264** **RIHS UK Ponies & Horses Limited & Anthony Evans Insurance Brokers M&M Large Breeds** - Mare or Gelding, 4 years old & over. Registered in their approved Pure Breed Society stud books of Connemara, Dales, Fells, Highland, New Forest, Welsh Section C or D. Rider not to have attained their 18th Birthday before the 1st January in the current year.
- Class: 265** **RIHS UK Ponies & Horses Limited & Anthony Evans Insurance Brokers M&M Small Breeds** - Mare or Gelding 4 years old & over Registered in their approved Pure Breed Society stud books of Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Welsh Section A or B. Rider not to have attained their 14th Birthday before the 1st January in the current year.
- Class: s266** **Championship** - To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners. Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.
- Class: 267** **RIHS UK Ponies & Horses Limited & Anthony Evans Insurance Brokers Amateur Rider Ridden M&M** - Mountain and Moorland ridden Stallion, Mare or Gelding 4 years old and over, registered in their approved Pure Breed Society stud Books of Connemara, Dartmoor, Dales, Exmoor, Fells Highland, New Forest, Shetland, Welsh A,B,C,D rider any age.
- Class: 268** **UK Ponies & Horses Limited Mini Juniors** - Mare or Gelding, 4 years old & over. Small Breeds only, registered in their approved Pure Breed Society stud books of Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Welsh Section A or B. Riders to have attained their 8th birthday but not their 13th Birthday before the 1st of January in the current year. Combinations would not be required to become a Member of UK Ponies & Horses to compete in this class.

## LEAD REIN & FIRST RIDDEN MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND PONIES

Rings 5A & 5B BECOME 1 RING – Not before 2pm

**Judge:** Mrs L Thomas Clynes, Bacup

### Conditions:

This Show is affiliated to the National Pony Society and classes in this section will be judged in accordance with their rules. This show is affiliated to the UK Ponies & Horses and these classes are to be judged under their rules and regulations.

### Qualifiers:

- NPS/ WTJ Insurance Brokers Ltd Home Produced Ridden Championship Qualifier – wear white arm bands.
- NPS/Fiona Cork Saddles Young Rider Championship Qualifier – for rider up to 25 years.
- 1st, 2nd and 3rd in each class to qualify for UK Ponies & Horses Ridden M&M Gold Medal Series to take place at the UKPH Spring Classic 2026. Qualification cards will not be given out in the ring, however results can be verified by the office. Membership of the UKPH is not required to compete in Gold Medal classes.
- The National Welsh Brynseion Stud - Welsh Pure Bred Ridden Lead Rein/First Ridden 1st & 2nd placed exhibits (not already qualified) qualify.

**Class: 269**      **The NPS/Showing Classics M&M Leading Rein National Championship** - Open to mares and geldings four years old or over not exceeding 122 cm registered in the main body of their respective Breed Society stud book. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday but must not have attained their 9th birthday before the 1st January in the current year. To be shown in a snaffle bit.

**Class: 270**      **The NPS/Patridge & Parr M&M First Ridden National Championship** - Open to mares and geldings four years old or over not exceeding 128 cm registered in the main body of their respective Breed Society stud book. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday but not reached their 12th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

**Class: s271**      **Championship** - To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners.  
Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.  
Champion & Reserve are eligible for the Supreme Mini Pony.

**Class: s272**      **The Newark & Nottinghamshire Agricultural Society Supreme Mini Pony**  
**Kindly sponsored by the Sir John Eastwood Foundation.**

To be competed for by the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners of classes 257 and 258 and the Champion & Reserve Champion from Championship s271.

A training bursary of £100 will be awarded to the Champion.

## COLOURED HORSES & PONIES - Ring 3. 8am.

**Judge:** Mr K Baskeyfield, Alfreton

### Conditions:

This Show is affiliated to The Coloured Horse & Pony Society (UK) Affiliation number 25-033. Both owner and the rider/exhibitor need NOT be a member of CHAPS (UK) nor must the horse or pony be registered with CHAPS to compete. However, in order to qualify both owner and rider/exhibitor need to be a current showing member and have a valid qualifier card. Members to apply to CHAPS (UK) for the appropriate qualifier card.

This show is affiliated to the UK Ponies & Horses.

### Qualifiers:

- The CHAPS (UK) Championship Show will be held on 14<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> August 2025.
- The following classes are CHAPS (UK) Qualifiers, 277 – 285. For full rulings and information on competition/qualification, please refer to the CHAPS (UK) Members' Handbook; or visit [www.chapsuk.com](http://www.chapsuk.com) for rulings. Only 'coloured' horses and ponies (as defined in the current CHAPS UK Members' Handbook) may compete these classes.
- 1st, 2nd and 3rd in classes 277 - 280 to qualify for UK PONIES & HORSES In Hand Gold Medal Series to take place at the UKPH Spring Classic 2026. Qualification cards will not be given out in the ring, however results can be verified by the office. Membership of the UKPH is not required to compete in Gold Medal classes.
- 1st, 2nd and 3rd in classes 282 – 285 to qualify for UK Ponies & Horses Ridden Piebald/Skewbald Gold Medal Series to take place at the UKPH Spring Classic 2026. Qualification cards will not be given out in the ring, however results can be verified by the office. Membership of the UKPH is not required to compete in Gold Medal classes.
- The National Welsh Thorswood Stud Part Bred In-hand championships – Champion, Reserve & Youngstock Champion & Reserve (not already qualified) qualify.
- The National Welsh Sarum Stud Gelding In-hand Championship - Two highest placed WPB Geldings in top four not already qualified qualify.
- This National Welsh Part Bred Ridden Championships - Two highest placed Welsh Part Bred exhibits in top four (not already qualified) qualify. Unregistered qualifiers with 12.5% Welsh blood may retrospectively register with WPCS prior to entry.

**Class: 277** CHAPS (UK) Open Youngstock Qualifier -Yearling, no foals.

**Class: 278** CHAPS (UK) Open Youngstock Qualifier - 2 or 3 year old.

**Class: 279** CHAPS (UK) Non-Native Open In-hand Qualifier - 4 year old or over, any height

**Class: 280** CHAPS (UK) Native, Cob or Traditional Open In-hand Qualifier - 4 year old or over, any height.

**Class: s281** **Championship** - To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners.

Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.

**The Champion will be eligible to compete for s357, The Price Family Supreme In-Hand Championship, Qualifying Round 2025**

Please note: Geldings four years old and over are not eligible for the Supreme In-Hand Championship

**Class: 282** CHAPS (UK) Non-Native Open Ridden Qualifier, any height.

**Class: 283** CHAPS (UK) Native, Cob, Traditional Open Ridden Qualifier, any height.

## LONDON INTERNATIONAL HORSE SHOW SHOWING SERIES – BRITISH SHOW PONY SOCIETY PERFORMANCE COLOURED HORSE OR PONY – Ring 3, to follow Class 283

**Judge:** Mr K Baskeyfield, Alfreton



### Condition:

This Show is affiliated to the British Show Pony Society ("B.S.P.S."), and all persons entering, competing, showing or otherwise taking part in B.S.P.S. classes, whether or not members of the B.S.P.S. are subject to the Rules of the B.S.P.S., including the disciplinary procedures, and shall be deemed to have consented to the jurisdiction of the B.S.P.S.

### Qualifier:

- The following classes are qualifiers for the London International Horse Show, 18th – 22nd December 2025. Open to members and non-members for the qualifying classes but will need to join within seven days of qualifying to enter the Final or the qualification will pass down the line. The winning pony in each class will qualify, qualification will go no lower than 3rd place.

Horses/ponies do not need to have a JMB height certificate to compete in these classes. The BSPS can request any animal to be measured at their discretion.

Ponies can be shown in any suitable bridles except Bitless bridles and running gags which are not permitted in any classes. In the Coloured Classes the pony must be registered with either the British Skewbald and Piebald Association or Coloured Horse and Pony Society. Riders and Owners must join the BSPS within seven days of qualifying to compete in the Final.

**Marks:**

Performance	70 Marks
Manners and Way of Going, including the go round	10 Marks
Presentation, suitability and condition	10 Marks
Type and Freedom of Action	10 Marks
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100 MARKS</b>

**Method of judging for Performance Classes**

Exhibitors will go round the ring as whole group, (no pull in). They will then undertake an individual display (rather than a show) where they need to show certain movements which will include walk, trot, canter on both reins, a canter circle, canter transitions on the straight, extension in canter on one rein and free walk on a long rein and halt. Competitors in these classes will not be stripped. Shows may put on a Championship for the two highest exhibits in the performance classes.

**Class: 284** **BSPS Performance Coloured Native/Cob/Traditional Horse/Pony Class.** Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over. Ponies must be registered with either the Coloured Horse and Pony Society or the British Skewbald and Piebald Association. Riders any age. Unplaited

**Class: 285** **BSPS Performance Coloured Non-Native Horse/Pony Class.** Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over. Riders any age. Ponies must be registered with either the Coloured Horse and Pony Society or the British Skewbald and Piebald Association. Plaited

**Class: s286** **Championship** -To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 282, 283, 284 and 285. **Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette**

## IN-HAND BREEDING CLASSES

**HUNTER BREEDING** - Ring 2. To follow the Sport Horse Breeding Championship.

**Judge:** Mr C McClelland, Earls Croome

**Conditions:**

This Show is affiliated to Sport Horse Breeding of Great Britain and classes in this section will be judged in accordance with SHB (GB) rules. A copy of the SHB (GB) rules can be obtained from them on request.

Entries do not need to be registered with SHB(GB)

This show is affiliated to the UK Ponies & Horses.

**Qualifiers:**

- 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> in each class to qualify for UK Ponies & Horses In Hand Gold Medal Series to take place at the UKPH Spring Classic 2026. Qualification cards will not be given out in the ring, however results can be verified by the office. Membership of the UKPH is not required to compete in Gold Medal classes.
- The National Welsh Thorswood Stud Part Bred In-hand championships – Champion, Reserve & Youngstock Champion & Reserve (not already qualified) qualify.
- The National Welsh Sarum Stud Gelding In-hand Championship - Two highest placed WPB Geldings in top four not already qualified qualify.

**Class: 287** **Hunter Yearling** - Colt, filly or gelding. Class will be split if there are sufficient entries.

**Class: 288a** **Hunter Youngstock** - 2 year old, filly or gelding.

**Class: 288b** **Hunter Youngstock** - 3 year old, filly or gelding.

Classes 288a and 288b will be combined if there are insufficient entries in either class.

**Class: 289** **Hunter Broodmare with Foal at Foot (Foal must be at least four weeks old)** - with own foal at foot or reared foal or a relevant certificate of pregnancy for the following year, which may be inspected at the show.

**Class: s290** **Championship** -To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners.

**Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.**

**The Champion will be eligible to compete for s357, The Price Family Supreme In-Hand Championship, Qualifying Round 2025.**



## **SPORT HORSE BREEDING - Ring 2. To follow the Riding Pony Breeding Championship.**

**Judge:** Mrs R Hetherington, Middleham

### **Conditions:**

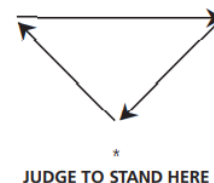
This Show is affiliated to Sport Horse Breeding of Great Britain and classes in this section will be judged in accordance with SHB (GB) rules. A copy of the SHB (GB) rules can be obtained from them on request.

Entries do not need to be registered with SHB(GB)

- a. These classes are for young athletic horses that have the conformation and movement to go to the top of their sphere and for Brood Mares capable of producing the aforementioned.
- b. Each horse is judged individually on a triangle (except for foals) and walked round the ring as a class.
- c. Marks are awarded for conformation, walk, trot and type & temperament.
- d. Shows must select Sport Horse Judges from the Sport Horse Panel. The Leader who enters the ring with the horse must remain throughout the class.
- e. Any exhibitor in charge of an entire must ensure they are in complete control at all times and if not will be dismissed from the ring.
- f. All entries in Sport Horse classes must be on the Society's Basic Identity Record or Stud Book.
- g. The Society discourages the showing of over fat horses and judges will take this into consideration when making their awards.
- h. Manners will be taken into account in In-Hand Sport Horse classes.

### **Important Note re the layout of the Ring/Arena for In Hand Sport Horse Classes.**

A triangle should be set out with, poles, bollards or flowerpots. The size should be appropriate to the size of the ring. Ample room should be made available so that the horses can trot fluently around each corner. The Judge must stand at the point of the triangle so that he/she can assess each horse move straight away from them, then in profile and then straight back towards them. Horses should be asked to walk all the way around the triangle and then trot all the way around the triangle.



This show is affiliated to the UK Ponies & Horses.

### **Qualifiers:**

- 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> in each class to qualify for UK Ponies & Horses In Hand Gold Medal Series to take place at the UKPH Spring Classic 2026. Qualification cards will not be given out in the ring, however results can be verified by the office. Membership of the UKPH is not required to compete in Gold Medal classes.
- The National Welsh Thorswood Stud Part Bred In-hand championships – Champion, Reserve & Youngstock Champion & Reserve (not already qualified) qualify.
- The National Welsh Sarum Stud Gelding In-hand Championship - Two highest placed WPB Geldings in top four not already qualified qualify.

**Class: 291**      **Sport Horse Yearling** - Colt, filly or gelding. Class will be split if there are sufficient entries.

**Class: 292a**      **Sport Horse 2 year old** - Colt, filly or gelding.

**Class: 292b**      **Sport Horse 3 year old** - Colt, filly or gelding.

Classes 292a and 292b will be combined if there are insufficient entries in either class.

**Class: 293**      **Sport Horse Brood Mare** - with own foal at foot or reared foal or a relevant certificate of pregnancy for the following year, which may be inspected at the show.

**Class: s294**      **Championship** -To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners.

Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.

**The Champion will be eligible to compete for s357, The Price Family Supreme In-Hand Championship, Qualifying Round 2025.**

## **RIDING PONY BREEDING - Sir John Eastwood Ring A. 8am.**

**Judge:** Mrs R Hetherington, Middleham

### **Conditions:**

This Show is affiliated to the National Pony Society and classes in this section will be judged in accordance with their rules. For in hand classes ponies must be registered in the NPS British Riding Pony Stud Book, Register, Appendix, International or Sports Pony section of the BRPSB; the GSB, the AHSB, the AASB or registered in the main body of their respective Mountain & Moorland stud books. Part-Breds are not eligible unless entered in the NPS British Riding Pony Stud Book, Register, Appendix, International or Sports Pony section of the BRPSB.

### **Qualifiers:**

- 1st, 2nd and 3rd in each class to qualify for UK Ponies & Horses In Hand Gold Medal Series to take place at the UKPH Spring Classic 2026. Qualification cards will not be given out in the ring, however results can be verified by the office. Membership of the UKPH is not required to compete in Gold Medal classes.
- The NPS/KALUSTA STUD British Riding Pony (Show Pony) In Hand Supreme National Championship.
- NPS M&M Breed Champions Prelim Rounds Qualifier for the Great British In Hand Show – 14th September 2025, Vale View.
- The National Welsh Thorswood Stud Part Bred In-hand championships – Champion, Reserve & Youngstock Champion & Reserve (not already qualified) qualify.
- The National Welsh Sarum Stud Gelding In-hand Championship - Two highest placed WPB Geldings in top four not already qualified qualify.
- This Show is a qualifier for the NPS Area 4 In Hand Final sponsored by "Gowland Plumbing Services". The Champion and Reserve Champion from the Riding Pony Breeding In Hand Classes will qualify for the Final to be held on Monday 25th August 2025 at the NPS Area 4 Summer Show. Qualifiers do not have to be Members of the NPS.

**Class: 295**      **Riding Pony Yearling** - Colt, filly or gelding. Unlikely to exceed 148cm when fully grown.

**Class: 296**      **Riding Pony 2 or 3 Year Old** - Colt, filly or gelding. Unlikely to exceed 148cm when fully grown.

**Class: 297**      **Riding Pony Mare or Gelding** - 4 years old and over. Not exceeding 148cm. Broodmares: foals must accompany the mare into the ring and must be at least 3 weeks old on the day of the Show.

**Class: 298**      **Riding Pony Stallion** - 4 years old and over. Not exceeding 148cm – ***Kindly sponsored by Aspbury Planning***

**Class: s299**      **Championship** - To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners.  
Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette

### **NPS/AREA 20 British Riding Pony (Show Pony) In Hand Silver Medal Rosette Championship.**

A Silver Medal Rosette is offered by the National Pony Society for the best registered pony owned by an NPS Qualifying or Life member in the Show Pony In-Hand section. Membership cards must be presented in the ring to receive the medal and/or the qualification.

**The Champion will be eligible to compete for s357, The Price Family Supreme In-Hand Championship, Qualifying Round 2025.**

Please note: Geldings four years old and over are not eligible for the Supreme In-Hand Championship

## **MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND LARGE BREEDS -Ring 5B. Not before 11am.**

**Judge:** Ms S Prior

### **Conditions:**

This Show is affiliated to the National Pony Society and classes in this section will be judged in accordance with their rules. Entries must be registered in the main body of the approved respective Stud Books for the following breeds: Connemara, Dales, Fell, Highland, New Forest

### **Qualifiers:**

- NPS M&M Breed Champions Prelim Rounds Qualifier for the Great British In-Hand Show – 14th September 2025, Vale View.
- NPS/Absorbine M&M In-Hand National Championship to be held at the NPS Summer Championship Show 5th – 7th August 2025.
- 1st, 2nd and 3rd in each class to qualify for UK Ponies & Horses M&M Gold Medal Series to take place at the UKPH Spring Classic 2026. Qualification cards will not be given out in the ring, however results can be verified by the office. Membership of the UKPH is not required to compete in Gold Medal classes.
- This Show is a qualifier for the NPS Area 4 In Hand Final sponsored by “Gowland Plumbing Services”. The Champion and Reserve Champion from the Mountain & Moorland In Hand Classes will qualify for the Final to be held on Monday 25th August 2025 at the NPS Area 4 Summer Show. Qualifiers do not have to be Members of the NPS.
- The highest three placings of each age group in classes 300, 301 and 302 – CONNEMARA PONY yearlings, two year olds and three year olds - will qualify for the Tam O’Shanter Breeding Championship.
- The highest three placings in class 303 – CONNEMARA PONY Mares only - will qualify for the Tam O’Shanter Breeding Championship.

**Class: 300** Mountain & Moorland Large Breeds Yearling - Colt, filly or gelding.

**Class: 301** Mountain & Moorland Large Breeds 2 or 3 year old – Colt.

**Class: 302** Mountain & Moorland Large Breeds 2 or 3 year old - Filly or gelding.

**Class: 303** Mountain & Moorland Large Breeds Mare or Gelding - 4 years old and over, mares with or without own foal at foot.

**Class: 304** Mountain & Moorland Large Breeds Stallion - 4 years old and over.

**Class: s305** Championship - To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners. Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.

**The Champion will be eligible to compete for s357, The Price Family Supreme In-Hand Championship, Qualifying Round 2025.**

Please note: Geldings four years old and over are not eligible for the Supreme In-Hand Championship

**The Champion will be eligible to compete for s356, NPS Silver Medal In-Hand Championship**

## **DARTMOOR PONY BREEDING - Ring 1. 8am.**

**Judge:** Ms S Prior

### **Conditions:**

This show is affiliated to the Dartmoor Pony Society and open to ponies registered in the main body of the stud book. Ponies must be exhibited in accordance with the Rules of the Dartmoor Pony Society

### **This is a Dartmoor Pony Society Star Rosette Show**

This show is affiliated to the UK Ponies & Horses.

### **Qualifiers:**

- NPS M&M Breed Champions Prelim Rounds Qualifier for the Great British In Hand Show – 14th September 2025, Vale View.
- NPS/Absorbine M&M In-Hand National Championship to be held at the NPS Summer Championship Show 5th – 7th August 2025.
- 1st, 2nd and 3rd in each class to qualify for UK Ponies & Horses Spring Classic to take place at the UKPH Spring Classic 2026. Qualification cards will not be given out in the ring, however results can be verified by the office. Membership of the UKPH is not required to compete in Gold Medal classes.
- This Show is a qualifier for the NPS Area 4 In Hand Final sponsored by “Gowland Plumbing Services”. The Champion and Reserve Champion from the Mountain & Moorland In Hand Classes will qualify for the Final to be held on Monday 25th August 2025 at the NPS Area 4 Summer Show. Qualifiers do not have to be Members of the NPS.

<b>Class: 306</b>	<b>Dartmoor Pony Yearling</b> - Colt, filly or gelding
<b>Class: 307</b>	<b>Dartmoor Pony 2 or 3 year old</b> - Colt
<b>Class: 308</b>	<b>Dartmoor Pony 2 or 3 year old</b> - Filly or gelding
<b>Class: 309</b>	<b>Dartmoor Pony Mare or Gelding</b> - 4 years old and over, mares with or without own foal at foot.
<b>Class: 310</b>	<b>Dartmoor Pony Stallion</b> - 4 years old and over

**Class: s311**      **Youngstock Championship** - To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 306 -308  
Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.

**Class: S312**      **Championship** - To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 311 & 312 & Youngstock  
Champion & Reserve  
**Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.**

The Champion Pony will receive a Dartmoor Pony Society Star Rosette. A current Dartmoor Pony Society membership card must be produced in the ring before the Star Rosette is awarded. If the owner of the champion is not a member, the rosette will not be awarded further down the line.

**The Champion will be eligible to compete for s357, The Price Family Supreme In-Hand Championship, Qualifying Round 2025.**

Please note: Geldings four years old and over are not eligible for the Supreme In-Hand Championship

**The Champion will be eligible to compete for s356, NPS Silver Medal In-Hand Championship.**

## **EXMOOR PONY BREEDING - Ring 1. 8am. To follow the Dartmoor Pony Breeding Championship.**

**Judge:** Ms S Prior

### **Conditions:**

This Show is affiliated to the National Pony Society and classes in this section will be judged in accordance with their rules. Entries must be registered in the main body of the Exmoor Pony Society stud book.

### **Qualifiers:**

- **The Exmoor Pony of the Year In-hand Qualifier:** The two highest placed Adult and Youngstock Exmoor Ponies Inhand will qualify for 'The Exmoor Pony of the Year'. The Exmoor Pony Society will offer a special qualifying rosette. The final will take place at The Midlands Exmoor Pony Show at Rugby RC.
- NPS M&M Breed Champions Prelim Rounds Qualifier for the Great British In Hand Show – 14th September 2025, Vale View.
- NPS/Absorbine M&M In-Hand National Championship to be held at the NPS Summer Championship Show 5th – 7th August 2025.
- 1st, 2nd and 3rd in each class to qualify for UK Ponies & Horses Spring Classic to take place at the UKPH Spring Classic 2026. Qualification cards will not be given out in the ring, however results can be verified by the office. Membership of the UKPH is not required to compete in Gold Medal classes.
- This Show is a qualifier for the NPS Area 4 In Hand Final sponsored by “Gowland Plumbing Services”. The Champion and Reserve Champion from the Mountain & Moorland In Hand Classes will qualify for the Final to be held on Monday 25th August 2025 at the NPS Area 4 Summer Show. Qualifiers do not have to be Members of the NPS.

**Class: 313 Exmoor Pony Yearling, 2 or 3 year old** - Colt, filly or gelding. Exmoor Pony Society 'Exmoor Pony of the Year' qualifying rosettes, will be awarded to the two highest placed Exmoor Youngstock.

**Class: 314 Exmoor Pony Mare or Gelding** - 4 years old and over, mares with or without own foal at foot.

**Class: 315 Exmoor Pony Stallion** - 4 years old and over

**Class: s316 Championship** - To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners. Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.

The Exmoor Pony Society offers a 'Best of Breed' rosette to the Champion.

Exmoor Pony Society 'Exmoor Pony of the Year' qualifying rosettes, will be awarded to the two highest placed Exmoor Seniors.

**The Champion will be eligible to compete for s357, The Price Family Supreme In-Hand Championship, Qualifying Round 2025.**

Please note: Geldings four years old and over are not eligible for the Supreme In-Hand Championship

**The Champion will be eligible to compete for s356, NPS Silver Medal In-Hand Championship.**

## **SHETLAND PONY BREEDING - Ring 1. Not before 10am.**

**Judge:** Mrs E Payne, Kettering

### **Conditions:**

This Show is affiliated to the Shetland Pony Stud Book Society and classes in this section will be judged in accordance with their rules.

1. Classes must be confined to SPS-BS registered ponies. Ponies must be named on the entry form and in the catalogue if one is produced. Society rosettes must only be given to ponies registered with the Society or to foals eligible for registration.
2. Three-year-old fillies with foals at foot may not be shown. All foals must be a minimum of three weeks old on the day of the Show.
3. To enter a stallion in ANY class (in-hand or performance) at an affiliated show, entire males aged 4 years old and over must have an 'S' number and have been successfully through either the SPS-BS Stallion assessment prior to 2006 or the current SPS-BS Voluntary Veterinary Examination. Ridden stallions MUST display a stallion bridle badge. In-hand colts/stallions of two years old or over must be shown bitted and are advised to display a colt or stallion bridle badge, these are available to purchase from the SPS-BS.
4. There must be no colts or entire males in Young Handlers classes. Young Handlers must be a minimum of 3 years of age on the day of the show. Children under 14 years old may not show colts (excluding foals) or Stallions in In-hand classes. Children under 12 years old on the day of the show may not show a stallion in ridden classes. In the interests of safety, hard hats must be worn by all handlers aged 14 years or under in In-hand classes. For Health & Safety purposes judges and exhibitors must remain standing whilst in the ring when showing ponies. KNEELING IS NOT PERMITTED. Hard hats conforming to current British Safety standards must be worn, correctly secured, by all exhibitors, irrespective of age, in ridden classes. Ridden and driven ponies must be 4 years old or over. In ridden Classes, if a rider falls off at any time whilst in the ring, both pony and rider must leave the ring, rider dismounted and take no further part.

### **Qualifiers:**

- NPS M&M Breed Champions Prelim Rounds Qualifier for the Great British In Hand Show – 14th September 2025, Vale View.
- NPS/Absorbine M&M In-Hand National Championship to be held at the NPS Summer Championship Show 5th – 7th August 2025.
- 1st, 2nd and 3rd in each class to qualify for UK Ponies & Horses Spring Classic to take place at the UKPH Spring Classic 2026. Qualification cards will not be given out in the ring, however results can be verified by the office. Membership of the UKPH is not required to compete in Gold Medal classes.
- This Show is a qualifier for the NPS Area 4 In Hand Final sponsored by "Gowland Plumbing Services". The Champion and Reserve Champion from the Mountain & Moorland In Hand Classes will qualify for the Final to be held on Monday 25th August 2025 at the NPS Area 4 Summer Show. Qualifiers do not have to be Members of the NPS.

## **STANDARD SHETLAND PONY BREEDING**

**Class: 317** Shetland Pony Yearling - Colt, filly or gelding

**Class: 318** Shetland Pony 2 or 3 year old - Colt

**Class: 319** Shetland Pony 2 or 3 year old - Filly or gelding

**Class: 320** Shetland Pony Mare or Gelding - 4 years old and over, mares with or without own foal at foot. The Shetland Pony Stud Book Society will award their rosettes to the best gelding.

**Class: 321** Shetland Pony Stallion - 4 years old and over.

**Class: s322** Youngstock Championship - To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 317 -319 Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.

The Shetland Pony Stud Book Society will award their junior championship rosettes to the Champion & Reserve.

**Class: s323** Championship - To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 320 & 321 & the Youngstock Champion & Reserve

Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.

The Shetland Pony Stud Book Society will award their rosettes to the Champion and Reserve.

**The Champion will be eligible to compete for s357, The Price Family Supreme In-Hand Championship, Qualifying Round 2025.**

Please note: Geldings four years old and over are not eligible for the Supreme In-Hand Championship

**The Champion will be eligible to compete for s346, NPS Silver Medal In-Hand Championship**

## **MINIATURE SHETLAND PONY BREEDING**

**Class: 324** Miniature Shetland Pony Yearling, 2 or 3 year old - Colt, filly or gelding.

**Class: 325** Miniature Shetland Pony Stallion, Mare or Gelding - 4 years old and over.

**Class: s326** Championship - To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners.

Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.

The Shetland Pony Stud Book Society will award their rosettes to the Champion and Reserve.

**The Champion will be eligible to compete for s357, The Price Family Supreme In-Hand Championship, Qualifying Round 2025.**

Please note: Geldings four years old and over are not eligible for the Supreme In-Hand Championship

**The Champion will be eligible to compete for s356, NPS Silver Medal In-Hand Championship**

## **WELSH PONY & COB BREEDING**

### **Conditions:**

**The Show is affiliated to the Welsh Pony & Cob Society. Affiliation number AF000247**

Animals must be entered correctly in line with the rules, detailed in the WPCS Judging and Showing Handbook which can be found on the WPCS website, [www.wpcs.uk.com](http://www.wpcs.uk.com) or requested from the WPCS office. Failure to comply with the rules may result in the withholding of awards.

### **Your personal data**

Exhibitor you will need to provide the WPCS with certain personal information relating to you. Your privacy is extremely important to WPCS, so we want you to know exactly how we will use that personal information. Our full privacy notice setting out detailed information about matters such as what personal information we use, for what purpose we use it, what our legal basis for doing so is and who we share your personal information with, can be viewed on our website <http://wpcs.uk.com/> If you would prefer to see a hard copy of our privacy notice, please ask a member of WPCS staff to provide you with the same.

The **Welsh Pony & Cob Society** offer a Bronze Medal Rosette to the Champion or Reserve Champion subject to meeting the requirements set by the WPCS. The owner has 14 days from the date of show to ensure that the animal is recorded within the correct ownership and that they are current members of the society. (As per WPCS rules). **Owners of the Champion must be current members of the WPCS to be awarded the rosette. The owner's membership number must be stated on the entry form.**

All animals must be registered or 'applied for registration' in Section A of the Welsh Stud Book or appendices relating to FS1 and FS2 of the WP&CS. If animals from abroad, competing in shows in the UK and are not already registered with the Mother Society, must be correctly registered with the appropriate Daughter Societies, and be eligible for registration with the Mother Society.

### **Qualifier:**

- The National Welsh Thorswood Stud A,B,C,D In-hand championships - Champion & Reserve from the Welsh Sec A,B,C,D Youngstock and Over All Championships will qualify.
- The National Welsh Sarum Stud Gelding In-hand Championship - 1st and 2<sup>nd</sup> placed geldings in relevant classes (not already qualified) qualify.
- NPS The National Welsh Thorswood Stud Pert Bred In-hand championships – Champion, Reserve & Youngstock Champion & Reserve (not already qualified) qualify.
- The National Welsh Sarum Stud Gelding In-hand Championship - Two highest placed WPB Geldings in top four not already qualified qualify.
- M&M Breed Champions Prelim Rounds Qualifier for the Great British In Hand Show – 14th September 2025, Vale View
- NPS/Absorbine M&M In-Hand National Championship to be held at the NPS Summer Championship Show 5<sup>th</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> August 2025.
- 1st, 2nd and 3rd in each class to qualify for UK Ponies & Horses M&M Gold Medal Series to take place at the UKPH Spring Classic 2026. Qualification cards will not be given out in the ring, however results can be verified by the office. Membership of the UKPH is not required to compete in Gold Medal classes.
- This Show is a qualifier for the NPS Area 4 In Hand Final sponsored by "Gowland Plumbing Services". The Champion and Reserve Champion from the Mountain & Moorland In Hand Classes will qualify for the Final to be held on Monday 25th August 2025 at the NPS Area 4 Summer Show. Qualifiers do not have to be Members of the NPS.

## **WELSH MOUNTAIN PONY SECTION A - Ring 5A. 8am.**

**Judge:** Mr A J Anderson, Bryndefaid Stud, Peterhead

- Class: 327** Welsh Mountain Pony Section A, Yearling - Colt, filly or gelding  
**Class: 328** Welsh Mountain Pony Section A, 2 or 3 year old - Colt  
**Class: 329** Welsh Mountain Pony Section A, 2 or 3 year old - Filly or gelding  
**Class: 330** Welsh Mountain Pony Section A, Mare or Gelding - 4 years old and over, mares with or without own foal at foot.  
**Class: 331** Welsh Mountain Pony Section A Stallion - 4 years old and over.

**Class: s332** Youngstock Championship – To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 327 -329  
Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.

**Class: s333** Championship - To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 330 & 331 & the Youngstock  
Champion & Reserve  
**Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.**

**The Champion will be eligible to compete for s357, The Price Family Supreme In-Hand Championship, Qualifying Round 2025.**

Please note: Geldings four years old and over are not eligible for the Supreme In-Hand Championship

The Champion will be eligible to compete for s356, NPS Silver Medal In-Hand Championship

**WELSH PONY SECTION B - Ring 5A. Not before 9am.**

Judge: Mr A J Anderson, Bryndefaid Stud, Peterhead

- Class: 334 Welsh Pony Section B Yearling - Colt, filly or gelding  
Class: 335 Welsh Pony Section B 2 or 3 year old - Colt  
Class: 336 Welsh Pony Section B 2 or 3 year old - Filly or gelding  
Class: 337 Welsh Pony Section B, Mare or Gelding - 4 years old and over, mares with or without own foal at foot  
Class: 338 Welsh Pony Section B, Stallion - 4 years old and over.

Class: s339 Youngstock Championship - To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 334 - 336  
Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.

Class: s340 Championship  
To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 337 & 338 & the Youngstock Champion & Reserve  
Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.

**The Champion will be eligible to compete for s357, The Price Family Supreme In-Hand Championship, Qualifying Round 2025.**

Please note: Geldings four years old and over are not eligible for the Supreme In Hand Championship

**The Champion will be eligible to compete for s356, NPS Silver Medal In-Hand Championship**

**WELSH PONY (COB TYPE) SECTION C BREEDING - Ring 5B. 8am.**

Judge: Miss D J Everitt, Dyrfal/Tireve, Carmarthenshire

- Class: 341 Welsh Pony (Cob Type) Section C Yearling - Colt, filly or gelding  
Class: 342 Welsh Pony (Cob Type) Section C 2 or 3 Year Old - Colt, filly or gelding  
Class: 343 Welsh Pony (Cob Type) Section C Mare or Gelding - 4 years old and over, mares with or without own foal  
at foot  
Class: 344 Welsh Pony (Cob Type) Section C Stallion - 4 years old and over

Class: s345 Championship - To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners.  
Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.

**The Champion will be eligible to compete for s357, The Price Family Supreme In-Hand Championship, Qualifying Round 2025.**

Please note: Geldings four years old and over are not eligible for the Supreme In-Hand Championship

**The Champion will be eligible to compete for s356, NPS Silver Medal In-Hand Championship**

**WELSH COB SECTION D BREEDING - Ring 5B. Not before 9am.**

Judge: Miss D J Everitt, Dyrfal/Tireve, Carmarthenshire

- Class: 346 Welsh Cob Section D Yearling - Colt, filly or gelding  
Class: 347 Welsh Cob Section D 2 or 3 Year Old - Colt, filly or gelding  
Class: 348 Welsh Cob Section D Mare or gelding - 4 years old and over, mares with or without own foal at foot  
Class: 349 Welsh Cob Section D Stallion - 4 years old and over

Class: s350 Championship - To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners.  
Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.

**The Champion will be eligible to compete for s357, The Price Family Supreme In-Hand Championship, Qualifying Round 2025.**

Please note: Geldings four years old and over are not eligible for the Supreme In-Hand Championship

**The Champion will be eligible to compete for s356, NPS Silver Medal In-Hand Championship**

**WELSH PART-BRED BREEDING - Ring 5A. Not before 10am.**

Judge: Mr A J Anderson, Bryndefaid Stud, Peterhead

- Class: 351 Welsh Part Bred Yearling - Colt, filly or gelding  
Class: 352 Welsh Part Bred 2 or 3 Year Old - Colt, filly or gelding  
Class: 353 Welsh Part Bred Mare or Gelding - 4 years old and over, mares with or without own foal at foot  
Class: 354 Welsh Part Bred Stallion - 4 years old and over.

Class: s355 Championship  
To be competed for by the 1st & 2nd prize winners.  
Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.



**The Champion will be eligible to compete for s357, The Price Family Supreme In-Hand Championship, Qualifying Round 2025.**  
Please note: Geldings four years old and over are not eligible for the Supreme In-Hand Championship

## **MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND INHAND SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP**

Ring 5A & 5B. To follow The Price Family Supreme In-hand Pre-Judging

**Judge:** Mrs L Thomas Clynes, Bacup

These classes are judged under the Rules of the NPS. NPS Silver Medal Rosettes are only awarded when the owner of the champion pony is a Qualifying or Life member of the NPS. A valid membership card must be in the rider's/handler's possession on entering the ring and be produced immediately on request by either the judge or the steward. If the owner of the Champion pony is not a member, or the owner's membership card is not immediately produced, the rosette may be awarded to the Reserve Champion provided they have the required membership card. If the Champion pony has previously qualified it is still entitled to the Silver Medal Rosette, but the qualification card goes to the Reserve Champion pony, provided the owner of that pony is a member of the NPS. The Silver Medal Rosette and the qualification card can be awarded no lower than first Reserve (third). Foals are not eligible for Silver Medal Championships.

Qualifiers are entitled to compete in the final of the Silver Medal Rosette Championship to be held at the NPS Summer Championship Show 5th – 7th August 2025.

### **Class: s356 NPS/BLACKERTOR & SHARPTOR STUDS M&M In Hand Silver Medal Rosette Championship**

A Silver Medal Rosette is offered by the National Pony Society for the best registered pony owned by an NPS Qualifying or Life member in the M&M In Hand section. Membership cards must be presented in the ring to receive the medal and/or the qualification.

NPS M&M Breed Champions Prelim Rounds Qualifier for the Great British In Hand Show – 14th September 2025, Vale View

A pony can only attend one M&M In Hand Silver Medal Rosette Championship final in a season either at NPS Summer Championships at Malvern or at NPS Scotland Championships at Scone Palace. A pony may only take the qualification for the Silver Medal Final once in a season.

To be competed for by the winners of the following Championships:

**s305 Large Breeds Mountain & Moorland Breeding Champion**  
**s312 Dartmoor Pony Breeding Champion**  
**S316 Exmoor Pony Breeding Champion**  
**s323 Shetland Pony Breeding Champion**  
**s326 Miniature Shetland Pony Breeding Championship**

**s333 Welsh Mountain Section A Champion**  
**s340 Welsh Pony Section B Champion**  
**s345 Welsh Pony Cob Type Section Champion**  
**s350 Welsh Cob Section D Champion**

**Supreme Champion & Reserve will be awarded an NNAS Rosette.**

## **Horse of the Year Show The Price Family Supreme In-Hand Championship Qualifier 2025**

Pre-judging will take place in Rings 5A & 5B at approximately 1pm.

Final judging will be in the Main Ring at approximately 3pm.

**Judge:** Mrs L Burnett, Newark

### **Class: s357 THE PRICE FAMILY SUPREME IN HAND HORSE OR PONY OF THE YEAR**

The following class is a qualifier for Supreme In-Hand Championship, NEC, Birmingham, 8th - 12th October 2025. The objective of the competition is to find the supreme light horse or pony in-hand champion of the year, irrespective of breed or type (excluding heavy horses).

The Champion horse or pony from the following classes will be eligible to compete, provided it has not already won a qualifying round in 2025:

**s281 Coloured Horse or Pony Breeding Champion**

**s290 Hunter Breeding Champion**

**s294 Sport Horse In-Hand Champion**

**s299 Riding Pony Breeding Champion**

**s305 Large Breeds Mountain & Moorland Breeding Champion**

**s312 Dartmoor Pony Breeding Champion**

**S316 Exmoor Pony Breeding Champion**

**s323 Shetland Pony Breeding Champion**

**s326 Miniature Shetland Pony Breeding Champion**

**s333 Welsh Mountain Section A Champion**

**s340 Welsh Pony Section B Champion**

**s345 Welsh Pony Cob Type Section Champion**

**s350 Welsh Cob Section D Champion**

**S355 Welsh Part-Bred Breeding**

If the Champion has already qualified for Horse of the Year Show 2025 or is ineligible, then the Reserve Champion of that section may come forward, provided it has not already qualified and is eligible. If both Champion and Reserve Champion have already qualified for Horse of the Year Show 2025 or are ineligible, then the section will not be represented in this qualifying round. Foal champions are not eligible.

In the event of a horse/pony having been awarded more than one section Championship at this show, that horse/pony will represent both/all sections and the qualification will not pass down to the Reserve Champion in the 2nd and any subsequent sections.

There will be no direct entry into The Price Family Supreme In-hand Championship Qualifier, all animals must be a section champion or reserve champion (as applicable).

This is a Horse of the Year Show Qualifier, all data given upon entry of this class is provided to Grandstand Media Limited and stored on the Grandstand Entries System. For full policy details please visit [www.grandstandentries.com](http://www.grandstandentries.com).

**Prize Money:**    **CHAMPION**                    **£100, Horse of the Year Show Champion Rosette and Sash**  
                         **RESERVE CHAMPION**    **£50, Horse of the Year Show Reserve Champion Rosette**

All prize money will be paid out after Horse of the Year Show 2025 by Grandstand Media Limited.

Qualification will be verified by the Horse of the Year Show office.

## REGULATIONS & INFORMATION

Please observe the following for the smooth running of the Show, your safety and enjoyment of all who visit the Show in any capacity.

### Exhibitor responsibilities.

#### 1. Responsibility

The Newark & Nottinghamshire Agricultural Society, its officers and servants, shall not be responsible to any person whatsoever whilst entering on, or leaving the Society's premises, for any damage or loss, however caused to the property of such person, or for any injury, fatal or otherwise, to any such person. The Society, its officers and servants shall not be responsible for any accident, damage, loss however caused that may occur to any exhibitor or his employee or to any animal, article, or property brought into the showground, or whilst entering, or on leaving, or being carried into or out of the said showground. The exhibitor shall be solely responsible for any loss, injury, or damage that may be done to, or occasioned by, or arising from any animal, article or property exhibited or brought into the showground by him/her and he/she shall indemnify and hold harmless the Society from all action, suits, expenses and claims on account of, or in respect of any such damage or injury which may be so caused or occasioned.

#### 2. Conduct of exhibitors and their employees

All persons in charge of stock will be subject to the orders of the Society's officials. Employees/ Stockmen must be in attendance each day during the Show, at least half an hour prior to the time appointed for the examination, exhibition or parade of the animals in their charge. Exhibitors will be held responsible for the behaviour of their employees/stockmen, and for the consequence of any misconduct of such employees/stockmen. Any fine imposed upon an exhibitor or his/her employee/ stockman for infringing the regulations, or disobedience to the order of the steward shall be recoverable from the exhibitor as a debt due to the Society, and until such fines be paid shall debar the exhibitor from exhibiting at future Shows of the Society.

#### 3. Animal Welfare

The Newark & Nottinghamshire Agricultural Society expects all exhibitors to observe best practice at all times.

### Entries

#### 4. Entries will be accepted online only.

- a. No entry will be accepted unless accompanied by the correct fees.
- b. Information from entry forms will be stored on a computer and the name, address and details of entries will be published in the Catalogue unless otherwise advised to the Society. Information about results may also be published and/or provided to the press and Breed Societies for publication.
- c. Information about exhibitors may also be passed to any regulatory authority such as DEFRA or Trading Standards as well as the Society's Veterinary Advisers.
- d. The making of an entry is irrevocable consent for the storage and disclosure of information in this way.

#### 5. Entries in more than one class

Animals may be entered in more than one class unless otherwise stated in each section schedule. The number of such additional classes shall be entered on the entry form and where applicable the additional fees remitted for each entry.

#### 6. Entries for special prizes

Exhibitors are not required to enter for Special Prizes unless stated. Only animals which have competed in ordinary classes are eligible for entry into Special classes.

#### 7. Substitution of entries

Substitution of entries will only be allowed in "exceptional circumstances" on production of a Veterinary Certificate for the animal being substituted and will be at the Show organisers' discretion. There will be no refund of entry fees where substitutions are made.

#### 8. Closing Date for entries in 2025

Please refer to the closing date of the front of each sections schedule. Entries received after the closing date of entries cannot be accepted.

#### 9. Correctness of entry

Exhibitors will be held responsible for the correctness of their entry and must check all entry details when confirmation is sent. If the exhibitor fails, when called upon by the Stewards or Officers of the Nottinghamshire County Show, to prove the correctness of such entry, the entry may be disqualified, and any award made to it will be forfeited. If it shall be proved that any exhibitor or competitor has knowingly signed an incorrect entry form or has attempted to obtain a prize by unfair means whatsoever, all awards made to such an exhibitor or competitor in any class or competition may be cancelled and he/she may be disqualified from exhibiting at future Shows of the Society. For the purpose of online entries, by accepting the NNAS terms and conditions at the point of confirming their entry an exhibitor or competitor is 'signing' their entry form.

#### 10. Ownership

All exhibits shall be the bona fide property of the Exhibitor at the specified closing date except where the regulation is varied by any condition applicable to specific classes stated in the Schedule. In the event of death of an owner between the date of entry and the date of the Show the executor of the deceased or personal representatives of the deceased will be deemed to be the exhibitor.

11. Entry by minors

Entries by persons under 18 years of age shall be accepted only provided the rule and regulations of entry are agreed by the parent, guardian or trustee of the entrant, who shall be held responsible for the correctness of the entry and for the compliance with the Show's Regulations.

12. Particulars of exhibits

Full pedigree details must be given on the entry form. These details may be printed in the Show catalogue. Every animal entered for competition must be entered or certified as eligible for entry in the Herd/Flock Book of its breed in the U.K. This regulation does not apply to Commercial Cattle classes.

13. Breed Society/Governing Body Regulations

Any exhibitor competing under breed society or governing body affiliation will be considered to have agreed to abide by the rules of that society in addition to the show rules.

14. Age of exhibits

The exact date of birth of each exhibit must be stated on the entry form, except in the case of sheep where the year of birth only need be given. In the case of doubt or protest, a certificate signed by the Society's duly appointed Veterinary Surgeon shall be considered final and conclusive.

15. Right to reject entries

The Council of the Society reserves the sole right to reject or cancel the entry or entries made by a person, if it shall deem fit to do so, and right to cancel any class or classes, refunding any fees paid in respect thereof.

16. Cancellation of entries

The Nottinghamshire County Show reserves the right to cancel or amalgamate any class in the event of there being insufficient entries or exhibitors in the Class - details listed under each section, or to transfer entries to another Class.

17. Nomination of entries

Nomination entries are not accepted.

18. Accuracy of catalogue

The Society will not be responsible for any inaccuracy in any pedigree or other particulars inserted in the catalogue, though every care will be made to ensure the accuracy of all particulars printed therein. The Society accepts no liability for incorrect details when entries are made online.

19. Refund of entry fees

Entry fees can be refunded only in the event of cancellation of classes or when an animal is incapacitated by accident, injury or illness. Applications for refunds must be made in writing to the Nottinghamshire County Show Manager no later than 31 May 2025 and must be accompanied by a Veterinary Certificate dated before the show, together with all passes issued by the Society in respect of the entry/entries in question. No copies will be accepted and an administration charge of £15 will be levied. Any claim received after 31 May 2025 be invalid. Refunds will be processed after the Show.

### **Tickets**

20. Tickets - exhibitors' passes

Each exhibitor will receive tickets in the form of wristbands as listed at the front of each section schedule. Wristbands are complimentary and are not for re-sale. Anyone found to be selling exhibitor wristbands will have their entries withdrawn without fees being refunded. Wristbands must be worn at all times when on the Showground.

21. Extra admission tickets

Extra exhibitor tickets (wristbands) may be purchased in advance through our online entry system for £14 each before the close of entries. All Tickets (wristbands) ordered with the submission of entries will be dispatched within the Exhibitor Information Pack approximately 14 days prior to the start of the Show. Tickets can be bought after the close of entries through the Shows website, [www.nottinghamshirecountyshow.com](http://www.nottinghamshirecountyshow.com). Please note additional tickets cannot be bought at the livestock/equine gate on show day.

22. Vehicle Passes

Exhibitors will be issued with one complimentary vehicle pass; this pass will admit the vehicle only. Please display passes visibly in your vehicle's windscreen. Exhibitors may be issued with additional vehicle passes at the discretion of the Show Manager, applications must be put in writing clearly before the close of entry.

Additional or support vehicles without a vehicle pass will not be admitted into the respective parking area and sent to the public car parking area or away from the Show.

23. Livestock Vehicle Passes

A vehicle pass will enable livestock exhibitors/competitors to bring their stock into the Showground, offload their stock and park in the designated livestock parking area. Upon off-loading of stock, lorries will be required to be parked in the designated area and will not be permitted to return to the vicinity of the stock lines until departure time on the evening of the last day of the Show.

### **Diseased Animals**

24. Animals suspected of, or suffering from disease

Every exhibitor shall indemnify the Society against all actions, claims, proceedings and demands by any person, company or other representative body of whatsoever nature in respect of any matter, directly or indirectly connected with the bringing onto the Society's Showground of any animal which may have been suffering from any contagious or infectious disease or which develops such a disease whilst on the Showground and, in addition, the exhibitor shall pay all costs and expenses incurred by the Society in connection with any such claim. The Society's Veterinary Officers are authorised to refuse permission for any animal to be admitted to, or have removed from, the Showground any animals affected with contagious or infectious disease. The exhibitor of such animal may obtain a certificate from the Veterinary Officer, stating the nature of such disease or infection. The onus of proving the freedom of any such animal from contagious or infectious disease shall rest on the exhibitor of the animal concerned.

## **Awards**

### **25. Prizes**

Prizes will be awarded on the scales shown at the beginning of each entry section.

### **26. Rosettes**

No animal will be allowed to wear a rosette or ribbon other than those issued by the Society. No rosette or ribbon may be displayed during judging which has been awarded in a previous class.

### **27. Conditional awards**

In all cases where prizes are offered or awarded conditionally, they will be withheld until the exhibitor shall have proved to the satisfaction of the Council that the conditions have been complied with.

### **28. Protests**

Any Exhibitor wishing to lodge a protest having reference to livestock or horses exhibited at the Show must make the same in writing to the Society Office and must deposit a sum of £50. All protests must be delivered at the Society Office on the Showground before 3pm on the day on which the protest shall have been made, or in the case of an award judged later than that time, then within one hour of the completion of the judging of that section, and no protest will be accepted subsequently unless a satisfactory reason be assigned for the delay. Protests will be considered by the Chief Steward of the Section concerned in consultation with the section stewards. If the Chief Steward is unable to resolve the protest, then he/she will refer the matter to the Society's Appeals Committee. The decision of the Appeals Committee shall be final and if the protest is not substantiated then the deposit will be forfeited. The animal, to which the protest refers, must remain on the Showground until permission to leave has been obtained from the Show Office in writing. The Society reserves the right to refer any objection to any authority or organization to adjudicate, wholly or in part, in respect of an objection, on behalf of the Society.

### **29. Alteration of awards**

In case of any protest made in accordance with Regulation 28 whereby any prize animal becomes disqualified, the winner of the next succeeding prize in that class shall take the prize that had been awarded to the disqualified animal. This applies to all prizes awarded.

### **30. Payment of prize money**

Prize money can only be paid by bank transfer following the Show. Bank details are required (on entry forms) for any monies to be paid out.

### **31. Challenge trophies**

Cups and Trophies awarded at the Show may be collected from the Judges & Stewards Office on the day of the Show and will be given out on production of a 'Trophy Collection Card'. Winners of trophies must give the Society a written guarantee to return the cup in good condition, at their own expense by recorded delivery, to the Showground not less than six weeks prior to the next Show and that, in the event of loss, the amount of its value be made good to the Society by the holder. Any exhibitor who ignores this ruling will be charged a sum sufficient to the value of the trophy plus an admin charge and the cost of any engraving. The Society will not be held responsible for any failure on the part of donors, or others, to produce Cups or Special Prizes offered for competition in the Schedule or Catalogue, nor will the Society accept any liability in respect of the description of Trophies and Special Prizes as printed in the Schedule and Catalogue. The Society reserves the right to prevent any cup or trophy from leaving the Society's premises. Prize winners must insure their cup or trophy whilst in their possession.

## **Judging**

### **32. Judges**

The Judges are instructed to withhold prizes where the entry is not of sufficient merit and, in awarding prizes, the Judges are instructed to make their awards according to the relative merits of the exhibits for breeding purposes in breed classes. If, in the opinion of the Judges, any animal appears to be unfit for breeding purposes, the Judges shall be at liberty to have the animal examined by one of the Society's Veterinary Surgeons, whose opinion shall be considered to be final and conclusive and, if he/she so directs, the animal will be disqualified from taking a prize which might otherwise be awarded to it. No person other than a Steward or authorised Official of the Society shall enter a ring when judging is in progress, nor shall have any communication with the Judges during the time of judging. All exhibitors and their agents acting in opposition to this regulation shall forfeit such prize as may be awarded to their exhibit.

### **33. Substitution of judges**

The Society reserves the right to substitute other Judges for those announced in the Prize Schedule or to make other appointments.

### **34. Change of judge**

Should an exhibit be forward for competition which was either bred, or previously owned by the officiating Judge, then a referee may be introduced at the request of the Chief Steward of the Section. The onus of declaring an animal being exhibited in a class judged by

a person who has had a financial interest in the animal or which has stood in his/her stable etc, must be on the exhibitor. The exhibitor will know who is judging from the schedule whereas the Judge will not know which animals are coming before him/her until he arrives in the ring. If there is an unforeseen change of judge, then the exhibitor should stand down from the class and entry fees will be refunded. Every effort will be made to inform exhibitors of a change of judge.

35. Parades and judging

Any exhibitor or employee refusing to bring their exhibits on parade at a specified time when requested by the Stewards to do so, shall be liable to forfeit to the Society any prize money previously awarded to the exhibits in question. All employees in charge of stock which is to be paraded must have their exhibits ready for such parade thirty minutes prior to the times of parades as laid down in the official timetable. White coats or Breed Society uniform must be worn in the Breed Judging ring and the Grand Parade. Cattle exhibitors should note that bulls should always have two handlers.

36. Mobile phones

The use of mobile phones is not permitted to be used within the judging rings by Competitors or their assistants, Stewards or Judges.

### **Health and Safety regulations**

37. Smoking

Smoking is strictly forbidden in the livestock lines, judging rings, the stable area and all buildings. This includes E-Cigarettes.

38. Control of Horses and livestock

Horses and livestock must be under the control of a competent handler at all times, and they must use approved restraints which are safe and fit for purpose. Movements on the Showground include areas used by the public and from the cattle lines, livestock pens, stables or horse box parking into the judging rings and handlers must ensure adequate safeguards are in place to prevent an animal from escaping.

39. Health and safety at work regulations

All exhibitors and their handlers must comply with the Health & Safety at Work Act 1974. Exhibitors are reminded that they are responsible for the observance, by themselves, their employees and their contractors, of all Health and Safety at Work Regulations. Any item of risk or hazard should be reported to the Chief Steward or Society Office immediately.

### **Insurance**

40. Public liability insurance

Exhibitors should ensure that they have appropriate public liability insurance cover (suggested minimum of £5 million).

### **General**

41. Veterinary Surgeon

It is a condition of entry that the Society's Veterinary Surgeons may, on their own authority, give such emergency treatment as they may consider appropriate in the event that the owner or his representative cannot be found, and that the owner will be responsible for the cost of such treatment.

42. DEFRA Regulations

Exhibitors must be aware of, and conform to, the regulations in place by DEFRA at all times.

43. Fitness to Travel / Transport of Pregnant Animals

Animals must be fit for the intended journey prior to beginning the journey and must remain sufficiently fit throughout the travel period. This means the animal should be healthy enough to tolerate the entire journey it is about to make (including loading, unloading and any journey breaks) with no or very little adverse effect on it and the journey should not cause the animal any suffering or injury. The means of transport must be designed, constructed, maintained and operated so as to avoid injury and suffering and ensure the safety of the animals. A journey includes the period from the loading of the first animal to the unloading of the last animal. Any animal entered in the Show that is not fit to travel should be left at the holding premises. The transport of pregnant animals for whom 90% or more of the expected gestation period has already passed, or who have given birth in the previous week is prohibited. Any animal entered to which these criteria apply should not be brought to the Show under any circumstances. [Council Regulation (EC) 1/2005, implemented by The Welfare of Animals (Transport)(England) Order 2006].

44. Banned substances

The Society does not tolerate the administration of tranquilizers or any other form of drug to Show exhibits, whether entered for competition or demonstration, which may in any way affect the performance of the animal or have the effect of making it behave in the Show Ring or elsewhere on the Showground in a manner which is not natural. The Society does not tolerate any unfair practices. Any exhibitor, or his representative, who is found to have administered or permitted the administration of tranquilizers or drugs to any Show exhibit will be reported to the Council of the Newark & Nottinghamshire Agricultural Society to be dealt with at its discretion and the matter will be reported to the appropriate Breed Society or organization which will render the exhibitor liable for disqualification. The Society reserves the right to insist on a drugs test to be carried out by the Society's appointed Veterinary Officer.

45. Stalling of exhibits

Exhibitors and their employees must see that their exhibits are stalled or penned in the allotted place for them in accordance with their exhibit numbers, and no person shall remove or otherwise deface any notice or exhibit number placed by the Society of its

Officers on the stalls or pens, nor shall any exhibit be stalled or penned in the place allotted to another exhibit and no person shall utilise a vacant stall or pen without the consent of the Steward or Chief Steward.

Any exhibitor, whose exhibit is incorrectly stalled or penned, shall forfeit any prizes awarded and shall incur a fine of £50. Exhibitors must ensure that their exhibits are securely penned.

All mucking out must be completed by 7.00 a.m. on show day and before exhibitors leave the showground. All stock attendants are requested to co-operate in ensuring that the lines are kept clean, and that water is not thrown into the lines.

46. Washing of stock

Animals may only be cleaned at the wash down area provided for this purpose. Exhibitors may use their own pressure washer, but care should be taken. Taps must not be left running and fire hoses must not be used for washing down.

47. Straw

A limited amount of straw is provided in the livestock lines. Extra bales are available to purchase at £4 each.

48. Rugs and sheets

Except by special permission of the Steward of the section, no rug or sheet shall be hung up so as to conceal any animal in a horsebox, stall or pen. All sheets used for this purpose must be removed before the opening of the Show to the general public and must not be replaced until after the closing of the Show.

49. Publicity

Exhibitors are allowed to promote their herd/flock with the use of signs which may not exceed 3' wide by 2' high per stall or pen. No promotional material may be placed in the gangways. Only rosettes and prize cards from the Newark & Nottinghamshire Agricultural Society may be displayed and these must be for the current year. Exhibit cards provided by the Society must be clearly displayed for each animal forward.

50. Stoves

Exhibitors are not permitted to cook on an "open fire". Heating or cooking appliances are not permitted to be installed or used inside a tented structure which is not specifically set out for this purpose. All heating and cooking appliances are strictly forbidden in the livestock lines, stable area and horse box areas.

51. Stewards

No person shall officiate in the judging ring as Steward at the time of judging of a class in which he or she has an exhibit. In the event of a Steward making entries after his or her appointment as Steward, the Chief Steward shall appoint a deputy Steward to carry out stewarding duties for the class in question.

52. First Aid

There is a designated Medical Centre on the Showground where First Aid will be available.

53. Dogs/Pets

Dogs/pets are not allowed in the livestock stalls and pens. In other areas of the Showground well behaved dogs/pets are permitted on fixed short leads only and must be friendly. Dogs are not to be left tied on leads in any areas on the Showground including trade stands. Any dogs showing aggressive behaviour will be asked to leave the Showground. No dogs are to be left unaccompanied in vehicles, if found, reasonable attempts will be made to rescue the dog. Please be a responsible dog owner and clean up after your dog.

54. Cancellation or Termination of the Show

If by reason of force majeure, severe adverse weather conditions, water-logged ground, failure or neglect on the part of any utility supplying electricity or water, labour strife, civil commotion, war (or threat thereof), act or threatened act of terrorism, fire or explosion or any other event beyond the control of the Society (other than a shortage of money or shortage of materials) the Society deems it necessary for it to cancel or terminate the holding of the Show or any part of it, then the Society shall use its reasonable endeavours to ensure that the Exhibitor is made aware as soon as practicable of such cancellation or termination either in writing, by email, verbally by telephone or mobile, or by publication on the Society's website(s).

In the event of cancellation or termination pursuant to clause above, this Agreement shall determine automatically, and the Society shall repay to the Exhibitor all, charges and fees already paid under this Agreement (if the Show is cancelled before its commencement) or a rateable proportion of such charges and fees (if the Show is terminated after its commencement) but otherwise shall be under no liability to the Exhibitor or its sub-licensees for any loss which they may sustain in consequence of any such determination and the Exhibitor shall in the event of determination be under no liability to the Society in respect of its future obligations under this agreement (but without prejudice to any rights of either party against the other in respect of any claim accrued under this Agreement down to the date of such determination).

55. Penalties

Any infringement of any of the Regulations or Conditions printed in this Schedule will result in the exhibitor forfeiting any prize to which he/she may be entitled in addition to the consequences attaching to the infringement and the Society reserves the right to inform other Agricultural Societies and bodies of any decision it may come to regarding an exhibitor.

56. Interpretation of Regulations

The Newark & Nottinghamshire Agricultural Society reserves the sole and absolute right to interpret these or any other prescribed regulations, conditions and prize lists, and to settle arbitrarily and determine all matters, questions or difference in regard hereto, or

otherwise arising out of, connected with incident to the Show. Also, to substitute Judges, refuse and to cancel entries, disqualify exhibitors, prohibit exhibition of entries, vary or cancel awards of prizes or reserve numbers and relax conditions as the Society may deem necessary.

57. Statement

All exhibitors and other persons admitted to the Showground shall be subject to the rules, orders and regulations of the Council of the Newark & Nottinghamshire Agricultural Society. The Organisers of this Show have taken reasonable precautions to ensure the health and safety of everyone present. In order for these measures to be effective, everyone must take all reasonable precautions to avoid and prevent accidents occurring and must obey the instructions of the Organisers, and of all Officials and Stewards.

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