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INCORPORATING

**NORTH WEST REGIONAL SHOW** (ASN 23-125)

and the

**DERBYSHIRE DALES PONY SOCIETY SHOW**

to be held at **SOMERFORD PARK**

Nr Holmes Chapel, Congleton, CW12 4SW (Jct 18 off M6)

on **10th & 11th JUNE, 2023**

*\* The showground gates will not open until 6am. \**

*\*\* Please park where directed by ground stewards \*\**

The Price Family  
Supreme  
In-hand  
Championship

Telephone enquiries:

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**On-line Entries Received by 23rd MAY**

Entries On-line via Website

[www.derbyshirefestival.co.uk](http://www.derbyshirefestival.co.uk)

Horse of the Year Show Qualifiers include Supreme In-hand, Show Hunter Ponies, ALL Ridden M&Ms inc Junior Ridden M&Ms, Open WHPs, M&M WHPs, Cobs including Maxi Cobs, Riding Horse, Hacks, Miniatures, Intermediates, Coloureds, Ladies Show Horse, Open WH, Weights and Small, Show Ponies, LR/FR, Ridden Part-breds, LR of Hunter Type.

VETS ON CALL – 01260 280800

– EQUINATIONAL PHOTOGRAPHY IN ATTENDANCE –

## SATURDAY

RING 1	RING 2	RING 3	RING 4	RING 5	RING 6	RING 7	RING 8
<b>NO WARM-UP ALLOWED ON ARENAS</b>							
8.00am	8.00am	8.00am	8.00am	8.00am	8.00am	8.00am	12.00 noon
HOYS COLOURED	Novice Hack, Cob & R Horse	M&M Breeding	Welsh A  Welsh B	Arab Breeding	M&M WHP	M&M LR/FR	
Not before 11am	HOYS Hacks	NCPA Reg In-hand	Part-bred Welsh	PBA/AA Breeding		NPA Dargavel	
CHAPS In-hand	HOYS Riding Horse	NCPA Reg Ridden	Welsh C	Ridden Arab	Junior M&M WHP	NPS Picton	
Not before 12 noon	Not before 2.00pm	Sport Horse Breeding	Welsh D	Palomino		Open Ridden M&M	Not before 12.00 noon
CHAPS Ridden	HOYS Cobs	Hunter Breeding	Welsh Gelding Championship	Hack Breeding	HOYS M&M WHP	NPS Junior M&M Ridden	Dartmoor Star Show
	HOYS Maxi Cob	Riding Horse Breeding	NPS M&M Silver Medal	Riding Pony Breeding		NPS M&M Silver Medal Ridden	Derbyshire Dales Pony Society
	Price Family Supreme		RoR Ridden	SHP Breeding			
	Ridden Supreme		RoR In-hand				

## SUNDAY

RING 1	RING 2	RING 3	RING 4	RING 5	RING 6
<b>NO WARM-UP ALLOWED ON ARENAS</b>					
8.00am	8.00am	9.00am	8.00am	10.00am	8.00am
HOYS Miniatures	HOYS Part-bred	HOYS M&M Large	HOYS Junior M&M		HOYS Working Hunter
		Highland		HOYS LR/FR	
HOYS Intermediates	HOYS Hunters Small and Weights	New Forest	HOYS M&M Small		PWHP
		Dales	Dartmoor	HOYS LR of Hunter Type	
HOYS Show Ponies	HOYS Ladies Show Horse	Connemara	Exmoor/ Shetland		HOYS P WHP
		Welsh D	Welsh A	HOYS M&M LR/FR	
HOYS Show Hunter Ponies	Side Saddle	Fell	Welsh B		
			Welsh C		

## DERBYSHIRE FESTIVAL JUDGES

Horse of the Year Show Coloured Horse & Pony	N. Taylor (Ride); J. Cutts (Conf)
Horse of the Year Show COBS	J. Cookson (Ride); M Jones (Conf)
Horse of the Year Show MAXI COB	J. Cookson (Ride); A. Mickleburgh (Conf)
Horse of the Year Show INTERMEDIATES	M. Jones (Ride); R. Parker-Jones (Conf)
Horse of the Year Show LADIES SHOW HORSE	E. Green (Ride); M. Thomas (Conf)
Horse of the Year Show M&Ms - Large Breeds	R. Sutcliffe (Ride); J. Jack (Conf)
Horse of the Year Show M&Ms - Small Breeds	K. Scott (Ride); S. Howard (Conf)
Horse of the Year Show JUNIOR M&M	M. Taylor (Ride); J. Griffin (Conf)
Horse of the Year Show M&M LR/FR	G. Dunkley (Ride); A. Squires (Conf)
Horse of the Year Show M&M WHF	C. Dew (Jump); R. Parker-Jones (Conf)
Horse of the Year Show MINIATURE HORSES	C. Hamilton
Horse of the Year Show HACKS	J. Shaw (Ride); K. Carter (Conf)
Horse of the Year Show RIDING HORSE	J. Shaw (Ride); K. Carter (Conf)
Horse of the Year Show SHOW PONIES	C. Dew (Ride); C. Hamilton (Conf)
Horse of the Year Show SP LR/FR	J. Harforth (Ride); C. Dew (Conf)
Horse of the Year Show LR OF HUNTER TYPE	G. Simpson
Horse of the Year Show SHOW HUNTER PONIES	G. Simpson (Ride); M. Jones (Conf)
Horse of the Year Show OPEN WORKING HUNTER	E. Green (Ride); J. Shaw (Conf)
Horse of the Year Show WHPs	J. Griffin (Ride); J. Harforth (Conf)
Horse of the Year Show PART BREDS	R. Parker-Jones (Ride); C. Dew (Conf)
Horse of the Year Show HUNTERS, SMALL	E. Green (Ride); M. Thomas (Conf)
Horse of the Year Show HUNTERS, WEIGHTS	N. Turner (Ride); M. Thomas (Conf)

<b>ARABS: Breeding</b>	N. Mellor	<b>PART-BRED WELSH BREEDING</b>	D. Puttock
<b>ARABS: Ridden</b>	A. Mickleburgh	<b>RIDING HORSE BREEDING</b>	A. Mickleburgh
<b>CHAPS: In-hand North West Regional</b>	C. Wood	<b>RIDING PONY BREEDING</b>	D. Puttock
<b>CHAPS: Ridden North West Regional</b>	G. Steeden	<b>SHOW HUNTER PONY BREEDING</b>	J. Griffin
<b>Dartmoor Pony</b>	T. Whittle	<b>SPORT HORSE BREEDING</b>	M. Jones
<b>Derbyshire Dales Pony</b>	J. James	<b>R.O.R.</b>	N. Taylor
<b>HACK BREEDING</b>	J. Cutts	<b>SIDE SADDLE</b>	M. Thomas
<b>HUNTER BREEDING</b>	N. Taylor	<b>WELSH SECTION A Breeding</b>	D. Puttock
<b>M&amp;M BREEDING</b>	L. Thomas	<b>WELSH SECTION B Breeding</b>	D. Puttock
<b>M&amp;M LR/FR</b>	J. Crane	<b>WELSH SECTION C Breeding</b>	L. Thomas
<b>M&amp;M OPEN RIDDEN</b>	R. Sutcliffe	<b>WELSH SECTION D Breeding</b>	L. Thomas
<b>M&amp;M JUNIOR RIDDEN</b>	G. Cowell	<b>WHPs</b>	B. Calderbank (Jump); G. Dunkley (Conf)
<b>M&amp;M OPEN DARGAVEL</b>	J. Crane	<b>SUPREME IN-HAND</b>	M. Taylor
<b>M&amp;M NOVICE RIDDEN</b>	R. Sutcliffe	<b>RIDDEN SUPREME</b>	M. Taylor
<b>M&amp;M WHPs</b>	I. Dickinson (J); G. Cowell (Conf)	<b>NPS M&amp;M IN-HAND SILVER MEDAL</b>	M Jones
<b>NCPA REGISTERED In-hand</b>	G. Steeden	<b>NPS M&amp;M RIDDEN SILVER MEDAL</b>	M. Jones
<b>NCPA REGISTERED Ridden</b>	G. Steeden	<b>WELSH GELDING CHAMPIONSHIP</b>	All Welsh Judges
<b>NOV HACK, COB &amp; RH</b>	J. Cookson (R); M. Jones (C)	<b>WORKING HUNTER COURSE BUILDER</b>	D. Norlander
<b>PALOMINOS</b>	C. Wood		

*All Section Champions (or individual class winners if no championship) only, will be eligible for the relevant Supreme Championship.*

***The Derbyshire Festival Committee wish to thank Competitors, Judges, Stewards, Sponsors, Families and Friends for all their help and support.***

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***Committee: John Elliott, Pam Ashton, Jayne McAuliffe, Lynne Wilson and Rebecca Knight.***

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## DERBYSHIRE FESTIVAL SHOW RULES

**Please Note:** It is the competitors'/exhibitors' responsibility to enter the correct class and allow for appropriate time clashing of classes. **CLASSES WILL NOT BE HELD.**

Please see our website for our Social Media Policy.

**ANY ABUSIVE LANGUAGE or BEHAVIOUR TOWARDS SHOW OFFICIALS, ANIMALS or FELLOW COMPETITORS WILL RESULT IN EXPULSION FROM THE SHOWGROUND and by entering this Show you agree to abide this and all of the the following:**

- 1 This Show is not open to the Public and operates under the NCPA Child and Vulnerable Adult Protection Policy.
- 2 All persons entering the showground must have Personal and Public Liability Insurance. The Committee will not be held responsible for any damage, loss or injury to any animal, person or property whilst on the showground. Under **NO** circumstances must anyone other than the Judge, Stewards, Competitors and Grooms enter the show rings (Grooms please show respect and dress correctly).
- 3 The Judges' decision is final. Any objections must be made, in writing, within one hour of the class/incident and handed to the Secretary with a deposit of £30.
- 4 The Committee reserve the right to amalgamate, cancel or divide classes as entries warrant.
- 5 The Committee reserve the right to return or refuse any entry made either by post or via the on-line entry system.
- 6 Under **NO** circumstances will entries be substituted and any refunds will be totally at the discretion of the committee and will be subject to the £10 admin charge.
- 7 In the event of postponement all entries will be carried over to the new date unconditionally.
- 8 In the event of cancellation, refunds **MUST** be requested in writing (**NO** emails) and should be sent with a SAE enclosed to the Show Secretary within 28 days of the show date and will be subject to a £10 admin charge.
- 9 Mountain and Moorland ponies will be shown in accordance to the Breed Society rules.
- 10 All ridden Show Pony and Show Hunter Pony classes are held in accordance with the BSPS current rule book unless otherwise stated.
- 11 In-foal mares may be asked to produce a certificate of service.
- 12 Stallions may not be lead by children under the age of 14 years to qualify for PUK Championships.
- 13 All trophies will remain the property of the show and must be signed for. They will be held for the remainder of the year and must be returned to the show upon request; clean, and in good condition.
- 14 All Postal entries must provide a suitable SAE with the correct postage for return of numbers.
- 15 In the interest of safety, excessive assistance or interference from outside the ring will not be tolerated.
- 16 The Committee reserve the right to carry out random dope testing.
- 17 Dishonoured cheques will incur a £10 administration fee and may result in entries being refused in the future.
- 18 All riding hats should adhere to the current British Standard.
- 19 **All data given by competitors is stored on our on-line system and may be shared with other societies. By entering via the on-line system competitors, owners, riders and handlers give their consent to this and agree to abide by the Rules and Conditions of this Show.**

### ENTRY FEES - ONLINE ONLY

**HOYS:** All £48.00 (includes a £16 Horse of the Year Show Contribution).

**STANDARD CLASSES:** £19.00.

**WHP:** £22.00.

### PRIZE MONEY:

Full Prize Money will be awarded in each class providing there are a minimum of 6 entries; if less, then 1st Prize Money **ONLY** will be awarded.

ALL Prize Money must be collected on the day, otherwise it will be deemed a donation to the Society.

**HOYS:** 1st £35; 2nd £20; 3rd £10; 4th £5.

**STANDARD:** 1st £25; 2nd £10; 3rd £5.

## BRITISH SHOW HORSE ASSOCIATION

Classes 19-28, 51-53, 97-99, 155-159 & 183. Held under the rules of the British Show Horse Association. All riders, owners and producers must be members of BSHA, TSR or SHB(GB). Horses must be registered with the BSHA, TSR or SHB(GB). Competitors & Horses must be registered or have temporary membership with a Day Ticket. Horses registered with the Association must be Owned, Exhibited and Ridden by current BSHA Members. Riders must be 15 years of age or older. Registration numbers must be quoted on entry form.

Horses competing at the Horse of the Year Show and qualifying shows in The Hunter sections of The Sport Horse Breeding of Great Britain classes at their Affiliated Shows cannot compete in Hack, Cobs and Riding Horse classes at the same show, on the same day and vice versa. This does not apply to SHB(GB) Ridden Sport Horse classes.

The highest placed unqualified horse will qualify to compete in the BSHA Supreme of the Year Final, at the BSHA Hunter National Championship Show 2023.

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 & HOYS Hunter classes).

*The awards will go down the line; there is no limit on how many of these rosettes can be claimed in a year.*

### **S.H.B.G.B. In the North West – In-hand Points Champion**

Hunter Breeding Classes and In-hand Sport Horse classes are included in the S.H.B.(G.B.) in the North West In-hand Points Competition. Points will be awarded to 1st-4th places in each class. An Award will be made to the horse attaining the highest number of points overall. To qualify, horses that are not registered at the time of the Show must be registered or over stamped with SHB(GB) by 30th September 2023.

### **S.H.B.G.B. In the North West – Ridden Points Champion**

The following classes at the show: WORKING HUNTER; RIDDEN HUNTER are included in the S.H.B.(G.B.) in the North West Ridden Points Competition. Points will be awarded to 1st-4th places in each class. Horses must be registered with SHB to qualify. Horses can compete in any of the above classes. An award will be made to the horse attaining the highest number of points overall.

### **QUALIFYING SHOW for UK PONIES & HORSES SPRING CLASSIC (22/A181/8260)**

The 1st, 2nd and 3rd placed competitors in all appropriate classes will qualify for the UK Ponies & Horses Spring Classic 2024 at Onley Grounds Equestrian Centre. No membership is required to enter or compete in any Championship Final. Qualification cards will not be given in the ring; however, results can be verified by the office.

### **NORTHERN COUNTIES PONY ASSOCIATION – PONY of the YEAR**

*The Pony of the Year Show will be held in September 2023. All those who qualify, to enter must be a current member of the N.C.P.A. and for membership forms please send a s.a.e. to N.C.P.A. Office, 11 Mawdsley Close, Formby, Liverpool L37 8DJ; or download at [www.thencpa.co.uk](http://www.thencpa.co.uk)*

### **THE B.S.P.S. CHALLENGE - Rule 516 (2023 Handbook)**

All Shows that are affiliated to the B.S.P.S. are qualifiers for the "BSPS Classic Services Group Challenge". Animals competing in the following Open classes will qualify: Open LR, First Ridden, Lead Rein Hunter Type, Show Pony, SHP, WHP, Intermediate SH, SRT and WH and Open Heritage LR, First Ridden, Ridden and WHP classes.

### **THE B.S.P.S. BLUE RIBAND PONY of the YEAR**

The 1st & 2nd placed pony will qualify in the following classes: Horse of the Year Show Pony, Lead Rein, First Ridden, Intermediate SRT & SH and Show Hunter Pony classes. Owners and riders must be BSPS Members and the Pony registered with BSPS to qualify.

### **HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW QUALIFYING CLASSES**

**This is a Horse of the Year Qualifier, all data given upon entry of this class is provided to Grandstand Media Ltd and stored on the Grandstand Entries System. For full policy details please visit [www.grandstandentries.com](http://www.grandstandentries.com)** Horse of the Year Show Qualifiers will be run in accordance with the general rules as set out in the Horse of the Year Show rule book, a copy of which can be downloaded from [www.hoys.co.uk](http://www.hoys.co.uk) Qualification will be verified by Horse of the Year Show office. For M&M classes ponies to be registered in, and complying with the showing requirements of, the main body of their respective stud books. Owners and riders may also be a member with their respective breed society.

### **NPS MOUNTAIN and MOORLAND QUALIFYING ROUNDS**

These classes are judged under the Rules of the NPS. Ponies must be registered in the main body of their respective Mountain & Moorland Stud Books. Part-breds are not eligible.

Qualifying rounds for most NPS competitions are open to ponies owned by NPS members and non-members but only ponies owned by adult NPS, Life or qualifying members are eligible to qualify for the final of the competition, at the NPS Summer Championship Show. The highest placed pony if owned by an NPS Qualifying or Life Member will qualify for the final. Qualification may pass down to third. Owners' membership cards to be shown in the ring.

NPS Corscaron Horse Essentials Home Produced Ridden Championship - wear white armbands where indicated.

### **NPS SHOW PONY and SHOW HUNTER PONY QUALIFYING ROUNDS**

These classes are judged under the Rules of the NPS. Ponies must be registered in the NPS British Riding Pony Stud Book, Register or Appendix, International or Sports Pony section of the BRPSB, the GSB, the AHSB, the AASB or 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 or Appendix International or Sports Pony section of the BRPSB. Ponies must be plaited.

Qualifying rounds are open to ponies owned by NPS members and non-members but in the In-hand sections only ponies owned by Qualifying or Life NPS members will qualify for the final of the competition. In ridden classes the owner must become a Qualifying or Life Member in order to enter the final Owners' membership cards to be shown in the ring.

The highest placed pony if owned by an NPS Qualifying or Life member in each class will qualify for the Final. Qualification may pass down to 3rd place. Please note that foals are not eligible for these Championships.

### **NPS SILVER MEDAL ROSETTE CHAMPIONSHIPS**

To be 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. If the Champion pony has previously qualified it is still entitled to the Silver Medal Rosette but the Qualification 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 go no lower than first Reserve. Qualifiers are entitled to compete in the Final of the Silver Medal Rosette Championship to be held at the NPS Summer Championship Show, August 2023. Foals are not eligible for Silver Medal Rosette Championships. Owners' membership cards must be shown in the ring to receive the medal and/or qualification. All In-hand Silver Medal Championships are qualifiers for NPS Breed Champions Prelim Round at the Great British In-hand Show, September 2023.

## NPS /BLACKERTOR / SHARPTOR STUDS M&M IN-HAND SILVER MEDAL ROSETTES 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 Mountain & Moorland In-hand section. To be run under NPS Rules. Conditions as above.

### The NORTH of ENGLAND SUMMER SHOW

The final to be held at The North of England Summer Pony Show 2023. Prize money at the Final: 1st £1000; 2nd £400; 3rd £100; 4th £50; 5th £25; 6th £25; 7th £25; 8th £25. Sashes to the Champion and Reserve. Rosettes to all other prizewinners and finalists. If the Champion has already qualified then the reserve Champion will go forward. Only the Champion or Reserve Champion will qualify. Exhibitors who qualify will be sent details directly from The Secretary, North of England Horse Show, Blue Slate Stables, Showley Rd, Clayton le Dale, Blackburn, Lancs BB1 9DP – [www.northofenglandshows.co.uk](http://www.northofenglandshows.co.uk)

### ARAB HORSE SOCIETY

All Pure and Part-bred Arab classes, in-hand and ridden are run under A.H.S. 2023 Rules.

### HOYS PREMIER AMATEUR LEAGUE

All HOYS Ridden classes entitle eligible amateur combinations to earn points for the Premier Amateur League, with the opportunity of gaining a wild card place at HOYS 2023. This is open to current TSR Members or those that have signed up to the Premier Amateur League 2023. For more information see [www.theshowingregister.co.uk](http://www.theshowingregister.co.uk)

### THE GRIBBIN FAMILY SUPREME RIDDEN PONY CHAMPIONSHIP

*The final to be held at the North of England Summer Pony Show, Warren Farm EC, August 5th-6th.*

**Kindly sponsored by The Gribbin Family**

PRIZE MONEY (at the Final): 1st - £1000; 2nd - £400; 3rd - £100; 4th - £50; 5th - £25; 6th - £25; 7th - £25; 8th - £25.  
Sashes to the Champion and Reserve · Rosettes to all other prizewinners and finalists

**The SHOW PONY and SHP CHAMPIONS will qualify.**

If the Champion has already qualified then the Reserve Champion will go forward. Only Champion or Reserve Champion will qualify.  
Exhibitors who qualify for the Final will be sent details directly from: The Secretary, North of England Summer Pony

### THE ANDREWS FAMILY SUPREME RIDDEN MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND CHAMPIONSHIP

*The final to be held at North of England Summer Show, Warren Farm EC, August 5th-6th.*

**Kindly sponsored by The Andrews Family**

PRIZE MONEY (at the Final): 1st - £1000; 2nd - £400; 3rd - £100; 4th - £50; 5th - £25; 6th - £25; 7th - £25; 8th - £25.  
Sashes to the Champion and Reserve · Rosettes to all other prizewinners and finalists

**The CHAMPION OPEN SMALL & LARGE BREEDS RIDDEN M&M will qualify.**

If the Champion has already qualified then Reserve Champion will go forward. Only the Champ or Res Champ will qualify.  
Exhibitors who qualify for the Final will be sent details directly from: The Secretary, North of England Summer Pony Show, Blue Slate Stables, Showley Road, Clayton le Dale, Blackburn, Lancs BB1 9DP. [www.northofenglandshows.co.uk](http://www.northofenglandshows.co.uk)

This Show offers qualification for **THE NATIONAL WELSH CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW.**

**6<sup>th</sup> August 2023. 3 Counties Showground, Malvern.**

Qualifiers will be directly contacted after this show with details of qualification and entry details.

For Show Details and Schedule see our [Facebook page](#) or [nationalwelshshow.co.uk](http://nationalwelshshow.co.uk)

Classes 47-53, 64-68, 100-105 qualify for **National WPBR In-hand Championship** sponsored by Greenlands Insurance Services Ltd.

Classes 54-58 qualify for **National Section A In-hand Championship** sponsored by Greenlands Insurance Services Ltd.

Classes 59-63 qualify for **National Section B In-hand Championship** sponsored by Greenlands Insurance Services Ltd.

Classes 69-73 qualify for **National Section C In-hand Championship** sponsored by Greenlands Insurance Services Ltd.

Classes 74-78 qualify for the **National Section D In-hand Championship** sponsored by Greenlands Insurance Services Ltd.

Classes 147-154 qualify for the **National Ridden Welsh Part Bred Championship.**

Classes 173-177, 181 & 182 qualify for the **National Ridden Welsh Breeds Championship** sponsored by Brynseion Stud.

Classes 54-78, 100-105 qualify for the **National Gelding In-hand Championship** sponsored by Sarum Investments Ltd.

**QUALIFICATION CRITERIA: Classes 47-53, 100-105, 147-154 1st & 2nd placed WPCS registered Welsh Part Bred exhibits (not already qualified) qualify to enter. Unregistered qualifiers with 12.5% Welsh blood may retrospectively register with WPCS prior to entry. Classes 54-78 Section Champion, reserve & Youngstock Champion (not already qualified) qualify to enter. Classes 173-177, 181 & 182 All 1st & 2nd placed WPCS registered Welsh Section A, B, C, D, Welsh LR & FR exhibits (not already qualified) qualify to enter respective National Welsh Champ classes. Classes 54-78 & 100-105 all 1st & 2nd placed WPCS registered geldings (not already qualified) qualify to enter.**

## Horse of the Year Show THE PRICE FAMILY SUPREME IN-HAND CHAMPIONSHIP Qualifier 2023

Judge: Mrs M. Taylor

The following class is a qualifier for the The Price Family Supreme In-Hand Championship, NEC, Birmingham, 4th-8th October 2023. The objective of the competition is to find the supreme light horse or pony in-hand champion of the year, irrespective of the breed or type (excl heavy horses).

There is no direct entry into this Championship, all animals must be a section Champion or Reserve Champion.

Only the Champion horse or pony from following Derbyshire Festival sections are invited to enter this class (provided it has not already won a qualifying round in 2023): Hunter; Sport Horse; Hack Breeding; Arabs; Riding Horse Breeding; CHAPS; Welsh A, B, C, D and Part Bred; AA/PBA, Mountain & Moorland Large & Small breeds; Riding Pony Breeding; Hunter Pony Breeding; Palomino, Dales, Dartmoor.

If the Champion has already qualified 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 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 the line to the Reserve Champion in the 2nd and any subsequent sections.

AWARDS: Champion - Horse of the Year Show Champion rosette and sash. Reserve - Horse of the Year Show Reserve rosette. (Prize Money - Champion £100; Reserve - £50; will be paid out after Horse of the Year Show 2023 by Grandstand Media Ltd.) Qualification will be verified by the Horse of the Year Show Office. Please refer to the Horse of the Year Show wording on Page 3.

**SPECIAL AWARDS:** N.C.P.A. \* Star Awards in the following classes 8, 32, 35, 56, 80, 116 (NCPA badge to be worn and current membership card to be produced in the ring.)

***This Show is a Qualifier for:*** Horse of the Year Show; NCPA Pony of the Year; UK Ponies & Horses Spring Classic; NPS Summer Championships; The National Coloured Championship Show; The B.S.P.S. Summer Championships; National Hunter Supreme Championship Show; National Welsh & Part-bred Championship Show; and the North of England Championship Show; ***and Affiliated to:*** Northern Counties Pony Association; British Show Pony Society; UK Ponies & Horses; British Palomino Society; National Pony Society; Arab Horse Society; British Show Horse Association; Welsh Pony and Cob Society; CHAPS UK); Side Saddle Association & R.O.R.

**All persons entering, competing, showing or otherwise taking part in B.S.P.S. Classes whether or not a member of the B.S.P.S. are subject to the constitution and rules of the B.S.P.S. including disciplinary procedures and shall be deemed to have consented to the jurisdiction of the B.S.P.S.**

### WELSH PONY & COB SOCIETY

The Welsh Sections A, B, C & D and Part-bred breed classes will be run under the WP&CS Rules. Owners/lessees of the animal are requested to be a member of the Society. Rules can be found on the WP&CS website. Derbyshire Festival has Performance Sire Rating status.

WP&CS Affiliation Number AF000020.

Exhibitor will need to provide the WPCS with certain 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.

Animals must be entered correctly in line with the rules, detailed in the WP&CS Judging and Showing handbook which can be found on the Society website [www.wpcs.co.uk](http://www.wpcs.co.uk) or requested from the WP&CS Office. Failure to comply with the rules may result in the withholding of awards.

### NORTHERN BREEDERS SUPREME IN-HAND CHAMPIONSHIP Sponsored by MP GLOSS PRODUCTS UK LTD 2023

This Show is a qualifier for the NPS Area 4 Northern Breeders In-hand Supreme Championship, sponsored by MP Gloss Products UK Ltd 2023. The Champion and Reserve from the Riding Pony Breeding, Hunter Pony Breeding and Mountain & Moorland In-hand will qualify for the Final to be held on Monday 28th August 2023 at the NPS Area 4 Summer Show. Qualifiers do not have to be Members of the

**STABLING ON SITE - CONTACT SOMERFORD DIRECT ON 01260 299 888 or Email [somerfordoffice@gmail.com](mailto:somerfordoffice@gmail.com)**

On-site stabling will be in permanent Monarch stables.

Contact the Somerford Office direct for information and prices.



# SATURDAY

## RING ONE

### HORSE of the YEAR SHOW QUALIFIER (NEC, Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023)

COLOURED HORSE & PONY CHAMPIONSHIP Sponsored by CHAPS (UK)

Commencing at 8.00am prompt

Judges: Miss N Taylor (Ride); Mr J Cutts (Conf)

**Classes 1-4 are qualifiers for the Horse of the Year Show 2023.**

Please refer to Horse of the Year Show wording on Page 3.

*This competition is open to mares, geldings and CHAPS (UK) graded stallions, four years old or over, to be registered in, and complying with the showing requirements of, the main body of the stud books of the Coloured Horse and Pony Society (UK) or the Traditional Gypsy Cob Association (TGCA). Stallions are required to wear stallion discs in order to compete.*

*All riders and owners must be Members of the Coloured Horse and Pony Society, The Showing Register or the Traditional Gypsy Cob Association. For height restricted exhibits a valid JMB number must be lodged with the respective society.*

*These classes will be run in accordance with the general rules as set out in the Horse of the Year Show rule book, a copy of which can be downloaded from [www.hoys.co.uk](http://www.hoys.co.uk)*

Marks will be awarded in the following way:

*Ride/Performance - 50 marks maximum. Conformation, Movement and Quality - 50 marks maximum.*

*In the case of equality, the horse with the highest Rider/Performance mark will be deemed the winner. If there is still equality at this point, then the judges' decision will be final.*

*This class is a qualifying class for Horse of the Year Show, NEC, Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023 Qualification will not pass below 5th place. Qualification will be verified by the Horse of the Year Show office. Lead Rein entries are not permitted in any of these classes.*

- Class 1 **THE SANKEY FAMILY RIDDEN NATIVE/COB/TRADITIONAL HORSE.** exc 148cms  
Class 2 **THE WHITE CROW RIDDEN NATIVE/COB/TRADITIONAL PONY.** 148cms and under.  
Class 3 **THE BURGHWALLISSTUD RIDDEN NON-NATIVE HORSE.** exceeding 153cms.  
Class 4 **MAN WAH UK RIDDEN NON-NATIVE PONY.** 153cms and under.

The highest placed exhibits from classes 1-4 not already qualified from the first five placings will qualify.

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st & 2nd placed from classes 1-4 to compete for the CHAPS Shield.

Not before 1.00pm



## CHAPS UK NORTH WEST REGIONAL SHOW

*This Show is affiliated to the Coloured Horse & Pony Society (UK) - Affiliation No: 22-091*

*Both the owner and the rider/exhibitor need not be a member of CHAPS (UK) nor must the horse or pony be registered with CHAPS (UK) to compete; however, in order to qualify both Owner and Rider/Exhibitor must be a current Showing Member.*

*Members to apply in writing to CHAPS (UK) for appropriate qualifier card. The CHAPS (UK) Championship Show will be held on 9th-12th August 2023. Shows held on or after the 6th August 2023 will count as 2024 qualifiers.*

*All Stallions, 4 years old and over must be graded with CHAPS UK in order to compete in these classes and must wear their CHAPS UK Stallion I.D. Disc without exception.*

### CHAPS IN-HAND

Judge: Mrs C Wood

- Class 5 The CHAPS (UK) YOUNGSTOCK QUALIFIER CLASS. Yearling, no foals.  
Class 6 The CHAPS (UK) YOUNGSTOCK QUALIFIER CLASS. 2 year old.  
Class 7 The CHAPS (UK) YOUNGSTOCK QUALIFIER CLASS. 3 year old.  
Class 8\* The CHAPS (UK) NATIVE/COB/TRADITIONAL TYPE OPEN IN-HAND QUALIFIER.  
*Rosette & Qualification to highest placed Veteran (15 years plus) exhibit.*  
Class 9 The CHAPS (UK) NON-NATIVE OPEN IN-HAND QUALIFIER CLASS.  
*Rosette & Qualification to highest placed Veteran (15 years plus) exhibit.*

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 5-9 to compete for the Rutland Salver.

*PLEASE NOTE: Geldings 4 years or over are NOT eligible for the Price Family Supreme In-hand qualification. Champion, Reserve or Reserve Reserve qualify for the current year's HAMILTON TARMAC "King of the Ring" In-hand Finals at the CHAPS Championship Show. CHAPS UK Members/Registered exhibits only to qualify. The above classes are qualifiers for the UK Ponies and Horses In-hand Piebald/Skewbald Championship at the UK Ponies and Horses Spring Classic 2024 at Onley Grounds Equestrian Centre.*

*The above classes are qualifiers for the Amateur/Home Produced Ridden/In-hand Championship on conclusion of the ridden classes 10-18 and the Ridden Championship.*



## CHAPS NORTH WEST REGIONAL SHOW RIDDEN CLASSES

Judge: Mr G Steeden

- Class 10 The CHAPS (UK) RIDDEN NON-NATIVE exceeding 15hh (153cms).  
*Rosette & Qualification to highest placed Veteran (15 years plus) exhibit.*
- Class 11 The CHAPS (UK) RIDDEN NON-NATIVE not exceeding 15hh (153cms).
- Class 12 The CHAPS (UK) RIDDEN NATIVE/COB/TRADITIONAL exceeding 14.2hh (148cms).  
*Rosette & Qualification to highest placed Veteran (15 years plus) exhibit.*
- Class 13 The CHAPS (UK) RIDDEN NATIVE/COB/TRADITIONAL not exceeding 14.2hh (148cms).  
*Rosette & Qualification to highest placed Veteran (15 years plus) exhibit.*
- Classes 10-13 are qualifiers for the BSPS Winter Championships 2023 CHAPS (UK) Finals, providing they have not qualified for Horse of the Year Show in the current and previous year in which the Finals will be held (e.g. For 2019 Finals the horse must not have qualified for Horse of the Year Show in either 2020 or 2021).  
*Classes 10-13 are qualifiers for UKPH Ridden Coloured at UK Ponies and Horses Spring Classic 2024.*
- Class 14 The CHAPS (UK) LEAD REIN & FIRST RIDDEN QUALIFIER CLASS. LR 3-8yrs, exhibits not to exc 122cms (12hh). FR 10yrs & under, exhibits not exc 128cms (12.2hh).
- Class 15 The Burghwallis Stud TRADITIONAL COBS/CHAPS (UK) JUNIOR RIDER of the YEAR QUALIFIER. Open to Non-native and Native, Cob, traditional exhibits, not exc 148cms; riders under 18 years. TWO highest placed Non-native and TWO highest placed NCT types, not already qualified, from class placings, will qualify (Judge to sign Card in Junior Ridden Section for qualification to be valid).
- Class 16 The Burghwallis Stud TRADITIONAL COBS/CHAPS (UK) INTERMEDIATE RIDER of the YEAR QUALIFIER. Open to Non-native and Native, Cob, Traditional exhibits, up to and including 158cms; riders to be 14 years or over up to and including 25 years. TWO highest placed Non-native and TWO highest placed NCT types, not already qualified, from class placings, will qualify (Judge to sign Card in Intermediate Ridden Section for qualification to be valid).
- Class 17 The CHAPS (UK) NOVICE RIDDEN QUALIFIER exceeding 148cms. Any type, 4 years old or over. To be shown in and suitable bridle. Will not be ridden by the judge.
- Class 18 The CHAPS (UK) NOVICE RIDDEN QUALIFIER not exc 148cms. Any type, 4 years old or over, exc 148cms. To be shown in any suitable bridle.

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 10-18 to compete. Champion to receive the CHAPS Cup.

*Champion, Reserve or Reserve Reserve qualify for the current year's The Rees Family "King of the Ring" Ridden Finals at the CHAPS Championship Show. CHAPS UK Members/Registered Exhibits only to qualify.*

### **AMATEUR RIDDEN/IN-HAND CHAMPIONSHIP.**

All 1st & 2nd placed Amateur/Home-produced eligible exhibits from the day's CHAPS classes. This is a qualifier for the Amateur/Home Produced Ridden/In-hand Supremes at the CHAPS Championship Show 2023.

**Please declare which section you are competing in (Amateur or Home Produced) to ring steward on entry to the ring. The top 2 Amateur and the top 2 Home Produced exhibits will qualify.**

### **AMATEUR/HOME PRODUCED RIDDEN/IN-HAND SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP**

*Qualification will be awarded to the highest placed CHAPS Registered exhibit ridden/shown by a CHAPS Member (not already qualified) from the Champion, Reserve or 2nd.*

*This will take place at the CHAPS Championship Show, **10th-12th August 2023**; where there will be a preliminary judging.*

For full definition of Amateur or Home Produced, please refer to the CHAPS UK Membership Handbook 2023.

## RING TWO

Commencing at 8.00am prompt

### NOVICE COB, HACK & RIDING HORSE

**Judges: Mr J Cookson (Ride); Mr M Jones (Conf)**

*A Novice is a Hack, Cob, Maxi Cob or Riding Horse that has not won a first prize of £35 or more, or more than a total of £250 (including Championship Prize Money) in any showing classes excluding Working Show Horses, Best Trained, Pairs, Side Saddle, or In-Hand classes that were Affiliated to the Association, at home or abroad, prior to 1st January in the current year. If the category has changed from a Hack to a Riding Horse or vice versa, it may not revert back to a Novice if it has won a first prize of £35 or more than a total of £250 (including Championship Prize Money) in any showing classes that were Affiliated to the Association at home or abroad prior to 1st January in the current year. Winnings as a four year old are exempt, unless that four year old has won an Open Ridden class of £35 or more. Snaffle bridles may be worn for Novice classes. Novice animals must be Registered with the Association or Exhibitors must have purchased a 'Day Ticket' in order to compete in Novice classes. DAY TICKETS: Non-Members may purchase up to a maximum of 2 Day Tickets per Exhibitor, per Horse, per Rider, per Season. A Day Ticket will allow entry into Amateur, Home Produced, In-hand, Novice, Working, Young Rider and Open Affiliated classes only, but will NOT allow entry into RIHS or HOYS qualifying classes. Horses registered on a Day Ticket do not require a JMB height certificate. Competitors can apply for a Day Ticket by downloading an application form, or applying on-line, from the BSHA website. Animals which have been placed first at either the Royal International Horse Show or Horse of the Year Show in any ridden class, BSHA or otherwise, are ineligible to compete in Novice Hack, Cob, Maxi Cob or Riding Horse classes.*

- Class 19 NOVICE COB & MAXI COB. Mare or gelding 4 years old or over. Exc 148cms. Riders 15 years old or over. Winner to receive the Cob Shield
- Class 20 NOVICE HACK. Mare or gelding 4 years old or over. Exc 148cms but not exc 160cms. Riders 15 years old or over.
- Class 21 NOVICE RIDING HORSE. Mare or gelding 4 years old or over. Exc 148cms. Riders 15 years old or over. **CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 19-21 to compete.

### HORSE of the YEAR SHOW QUALIFIER

(NEC, Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023)

#### RIDDEN HACK

**Please refer to Horse of the Year Show wording on Page 3. Judges: Miss J Shaw (Ride); Mrs K Carter (Conf)**

**Horses must be registered with the BSHA and all Owners, Producers and Riders must be BSHA Members.**

**Riders must be 15 years of age or older. Registration numbers must be quoted on entry form.**

*Classes 22 & 23 are qualifiers for Horse of the Year 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 so forth to fifth place. In accordance with BSHA rules the annual BSHA Horse of the Year Show fee of £15 must have been paid to BSHA before the entry is made if the Exhibitor wishes to qualify. The BSHA Horse of the Year Show fee cannot be paid in retrospect. This fee is not the Horse of the Year Show contribution, which goes to Grandstand Media Ltd. Qualification will not pass below 5th place and will be verified by Horse of the Year Show office.*

*The following classes are run under HOYS general rules which can be downloaded at [www.hoys.co.uk](http://www.hoys.co.uk)*

*Horses competing at the Horse of the Year Show and qualifying shows in the Hunter sections of SHB(GB) classes at their affiliated shows cannot compete in Hacks Cobs and Riding Horse classes at the same show, on the same day and vice versa. This does not apply to SHB(GB) Ridden Sport Horse classes.*

*The highest placed unqualified horse will qualify to compete in the BSHA Supreme of the Year Final at the BSHA Hunter and National Championship Show in September 2023.*

*The BSHA offer a Novice, Young Rider and Amateur rosette in each open class and a Champion rosette for each section.*

- Class 22 The Andrews Family SMALL HACK. Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over exceeding 148cms but not exceeding 154cms. Riders to be 15 years old or over.
- Class 23 Culford Lodge Commodities LARGE HACK. Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over exceeding 154cms but not exceeding 160cms. Riders to be 15 years old or over. **CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 22 & 23 to compete. Classes 22 & 23 are Qualifiers for the UK Ponies and Horses Hack Championship at the UKPH Spring Classic 2024 at Onley Grounds Equestrian Centre.

## HORSE of the YEAR SHOW QUALIFIER

(NEC, Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023)

### RIDING HORSE

*Please refer to Horse of the Year Show wording on Page 3. Judges: Miss J Shaw (Ride); Mrs K Carter (Conf)*

Horses must be registered with the BSHA and all Owners, Producers and Riders must be BSHA members. Riders must be 15 years of age or older. Registration numbers must be quoted on entry form.

*Classes 24 & 25 are qualifiers for Horse of the Year 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 so forth to fifth place. In accordance with BSHA rules the annual BSHA Horse of the Year Show fee of £15 must have been paid to BSHA before the entry is made if the Exhibitor wishes to qualify. The BSHA Horse of the Year Show fee cannot be paid in retrospect. This fee is not the Horse of the Year Show contribution, which goes to Grandstand Media Ltd. Qualification will not pass below 5th place and will be verified by Horse of the Year Show office.*

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*The highest placed unqualified horse will qualify to compete in the BSHA Supreme of Year Final at the BSHA Hunter and National Championship Show in September 2023.*

*The BSHA offer a Novice, Young Rider and Amateur rosette in each open class and a Champion rosette for each section.*

Class 24 SMALL RIDING HORSE. Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over exceeding 148cms but not exceeding 158cms. Riders to be 15 years old or over.

Class 25 LARGE RIDING HORSE. Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over exceeding 158cms. Riders to be 15 years old or over.

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 24 & 25 to compete for the Thornsett Trophy.

Classes 24 & 25 are Qualifiers for the UK Ponies & Horses Riding Horse Championship at the UKPH Spring Classic 2024 at Onley Grounds Equestrian Centre.

Not before 2.00pm

## HORSE of the YEAR SHOW QUALIFIER (NEC, Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023)

### HARROD AND COLES FAMILY RIDDEN COBS

*Please refer to Horse of the Year Show wording on Page 3. Judges: Mr J Cookson (Ride); Mr M Jones (Conf)*

*Held under the rules of BSHA.*

*Held under the rules of the British Show Horse Association. Horses must be registered with the BSHA and all Owners, Producers and Riders must be BSHA members. Riders must be 15 years of age or older. Registration numbers must be quoted on entry form. No entry will be accepted unless accompanied by the Registration Numbers.*

*Classes 26, 27 & 28 are qualifiers for Horse of the Year 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 so forth to fifth place. In accordance with BSHA rules the annual BSHA Horse of the Year Show fee of £15 must have been paid to BSHA before the entry is made if the Exhibitor wishes to qualify. The BSHA Horse of the Year Show fee cannot be paid in retrospect. This fee is not the Horse of the Year Show contribution, which goes to Grandstand Media Ltd. Qualification will not pass below 5th place and will be verified by Horse of the Year Show office.*

*The following classes are run under HOYS general rules which can be downloaded at [www.hoys.co.uk](http://www.hoys.co.uk)*

*Horses competing at the Horse of the Year Show and qualifying shows in the Hunter sections of SHB(GB) classes at their affiliated shows cannot compete in Hacks Cobs and Riding Horse classes at the same show, on the same day and vice versa. This does not apply to SHB(GB) Ridden Sport Horse classes.*

*The highest placed unqualified horse will qualify to compete in the BSHA Supreme of Year Final at the BSHA Hunter and National Championship Show in September 2023. The BSHA offer a Novice, Young Rider and Amateur rosette in each class and a Champion rosette for each section.*

Class 26 HARROD AND COLES FAMILY LIGHTWEIGHT COB. Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over, exceeding 148cms but not exceeding 155cms capable of carrying up to 14st. Riders to be 15 years old or over.

Class 27 HARROD AND COLES FAMILY HEAVYWEIGHT COB. Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over, exceeding 148cms but not exceeding 155cms capable of carrying over 14st. Riders to be 15 years old or over.

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 26 & 27 to compete for the Harding Cup.

## **HORSE of the YEAR SHOW QUALIFIER (NEC, Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023)**

### **THE LEEMAN FAMILY MAXI COB**

Please refer to Horse of the Year Show wording on page 3. **Judges: Mr J Cookson (Ride); Mr A Mickleburgh (Conf)**

Class 28 THE LEEMAN FAMILY MAXI COB QUALIFIER. Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over, exceeding 155cms. Riders to be 15 years old or over. To be judged as Cobs. Judges must pay particular attention to type (*i.e.* Short legged animals of COB type) to be shown hogged.

Qualification will not pass below 5th place with the exception of the BSHA National Championship Show. Qualification will be verified by Horse of the Year Show Office.

Classes 26-28 are qualifiers for the UKPH Cob Qualifier at the Spring Classic 2024 at Onley Grounds Equestrian Centre in August 2024.

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## **THE HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW THE PRICE FAMILY SUPREME IN HAND CHAMPIONSHIP and The RIDDEN SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP**

**Kindly Judged by Mrs. M. Taylor**

**will follow on in this Ring on conclusion of all relevant classes.**

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### **RING THREE**

Commencing at 8.00am prompt

### **NPS/NIART STUD M&M IN-HAND SUMMER CHAMPIONSHIP**

*To be run under NPS Rules 2023.*

**Judge: Mrs L Thomas**

Class 29 MARE or GELDING. 4 years old or over registered with the Dartmoor, Exmoor or Shetland Society Stud Book. Highest placed Shetland to receive the Geoff Allen Memorial Trophy.

Class 30 YOUNGSTOCK. 1, 2 or 3 year old, registered with the Dartmoor, Exmoor or Shetland Society Stud Book.

Class 31 STALLION. 4 years old or over, registered in the Dartmoor, Exmoor or Shetland Society Stud Book.

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 29-31 to compete.

The Champion is eligible for the NPS Cuddington Stud M&M In-hand Silver Medal Rosette Championship following the conclusion of all relevant classes, as per timetable.

Class 32\* MARE or GELDING. 4 years old or over registered with the Dales, Fell, Highland, New Forest or Connemara Society.

Class 33 YOUNGSTOCK. 1, 2 or 3 year old, registered with the Dales, Fell, Highland, New Forest or Connemara Society Stud Book.

Class 34 STALLION. 4 years old or over, registered in the Dales, Fell, Highland, New Forest or Connemara Society Stud Book.

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 32-34 to compete.

The Champion is eligible for the NPS Blacketor & Sharptor Studs M&M In-hand Silver Medal Rosette Championship following the conclusion of all relevant classes, as per timetable.

*Classes 29-34 are qualifiers for the NPS/Niart M&M In Hand Championship to be held at the NPS Summer Championships 1st-3rd August 2023.*

## N.C.P.A. REGISTERED IN-HAND

Judge: Mr G Steeden

**PLEASE NOTE: All entries must be on the NCPA Pony Register. Registration Number MUST be quoted on Entry Form.**

- Class 35 MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND IN-HAND. Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 yrs old or over to be shown in-hand. 1st prizewinner to receive the J. Allen Shield.
- Class 36 NON-MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND IN-HAND. Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over to be shown in-hand.
- Class 37 MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND YOUNGSTOCK. Colt, Filly or Gelding, not to exceed 3 years of age, to be shown in-hand.
- Class 38 NON-MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND YOUNGSTOCK. Colt, Filly or Gelding, not to exceed 3 years of age, to be shown in-hand.
- CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st & 2nd prizewinners from classes 35-38 to compete for the Norman Greenhalgh Shield.
- Champion and Reserve to qualify for the President's Cup at Pony of the Year Show.

## N.C.P.A. REGISTERED RIDDEN

Judge: Mr G Steeden

*PLEASE NOTE: All entries must be on the NCPA Pony Register. Registration Number MUST be quoted on Entry Form.*

- Class 39 SMALL BREEDS MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND. Stallion, Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over, registered in The Stud Books of the Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland and Welsh Sections A & B. Rider any age, including NCPA Registered Lead Rein ponies.
- Class 40\* LARGE BREEDS MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND. Stallion, Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over, registered in the Stud Books of the Connemara, Dales, Fell, Highland, New Forest and Welsh Sections C & D. Rider any age.
- Class 41 NCPA NON-NATIVE REGISTERED. Stallion, mare or gelding, not exc 148cms, including Lead Rein ponies. Rider to be any age.
- Class 42 NCPA NON-NATIVE REGISTERED. Stallion, mare or gelding exc 148cms. Rider to be any age.
- CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 39-42 to compete. for the NCPA Shield.
- Champion and Reserve to qualify for the Chairman's Cup at Pony of the Year Show.

## IN-HAND SPORT HORSE

Judge: Mr M Jones

- Class 43 BROOD MARE. Mares must have foal at foot or a relevant certificate of pregnancy **for the following year**, which may be inspected at the Show. Rosette to Best Foal.
- Class 44 YEARLING POTENTIAL SPORT HORSE. Colt, filly or gelding, foaled in 2022.
- Class 45 TWO YEAR OLD POTENTIAL SPORT HORSE. Colt, gelding or filly, foaled in 2021.
- Class 46 THREE YEAR OLD POTENTIAL SPORT HORSE. Colt, gelding or filly, foaled in 2020
- CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 43-46 to compete for the Sport Horse Shield.
- Each horse is judged individually on a triangle and then walked round the ring as a class. Marks are awarded for conformation, walk, trot and overall manner.
- The North West branch of the Sport Horse Breeding of Great Britain are pleased to offer a £50 Premium and rosette to the 1st or 2nd place Brood Mare, with own foal at foot, which has not already won a S.H.B.G.B. (in the North West) Premium during the 2023 season.*
- The highest placed CHAPS exhibit from classes 43-46 will qualify for the CHAPS Championship Show, providing that a valid qualification card is produced in the ring for signing.*

## IN-HAND HUNTERS

Judge: Miss N Taylor

*This Show is a qualifier for the NATIONAL WELSH CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW; please see Page 4 for information.*

Class 47 BROOD MARE with Foal at Foot. Suitable for breeding Hunters.

To be eligible for Hunter Brood Mare classes, mares must have foal at foot or a relevant certificate of pregnancy for the following year which may be inspected at the show. Mares which have not yet foaled or that have lost their foal are eligible to enter with a relevant certificate of pregnancy that may be inspected at the show. Rosette to Best Foal.

Class 48 HUNTER YEARLING. Colt, filly or gelding, foaled in 2021.

Class 49 HUNTER TWO YEAR OLD. Colt, gelding or filly, foaled in 2020.

Class 50 HUNTER THREE YEAR OLD. Colt, gelding or filly, foaled in 2019.

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 47-50 compete for the Blackamore Trophy.

## RIDING HORSE BREEDING

Judge: Mr A Mickleburgh

*This Show is a qualifier for the NATIONAL WELSH CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW; please see Page 4 for information.*

*This is a qualifier for the BSHA Polly Coles 'Supreme In-hand Breeding Championship' to be held at BSHA National Championships in September 2022, with £1000.00 awarded to the winner. Champion and Reserve to qualify. The BSHA offer a Qualified rosette to the Champion & Reserve.*

*Under the Rules of the British Show Horse Association, owners/handlers and horses must be registered or have a temporary membership with a Day Ticket. Handlers must be 15 years of age or older. In-hand horses registered with the Association must be owned by current BSHA Members.*

*Registration numbers must be quoted on entry form.*

*The BSHA also offer an owner/breeder rosette in each In-hand Breeding class with the exception of the foal classes, kindly sponsored by the Kellythorpe Stud. All competitors receiving this award should contact the office to register their interest in the Kellythorpe Stud Owner/Breeder Final at the National Championship Show.*

Class 51 IN-HAND RIDING HORSE BROODMARE. 4 year old and over, exc 148cms. Certified in foal, pregnancy certificates must be produced on the day or with own foal at foot. Rosette to Best Foal.

Class 52 IN-HAND RIDING HORSE YEARLING. Yearling to make a Riding Horse exc 148cms at maturity.

Class 53 IN-HAND RIDING HORSE 2 or 3 YEAR OLD; to make a Riding Horse exc 148cms at maturity.

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 51-53 to compete.

*Classes 51-53 are qualifiers for the NPS/Ottergayle Hack & Riding Horse In-Hand Supreme Championship. No specific membership or registration criteria is required to qualify for the final itself. The highest placed horse from each class will qualify. Qualification may pass down to third place.*

*The owner does not have to be an NPS member to enter the competition, to qualify or to enter the final.*

*The first placed horse in each section will qualify for the Final at the NPS Summer Championship Show 1st-3rd August 2023. Qualification may go no further than third place. Foals are excluded from qualifying.*

*NPS Riding Horse Semi-Final Championship Qualifier for the Great British In-hand Show 2023.*

## RING FOUR

Commencing at 8.00am prompt

### WELSH SECTION A

Judge: Mr D Puttock

Class 54 STALLION. 4 years old or over.

Class 55 MARE or GELDING. 4 years old or over. Rosette to best foal.

Class 56\* YEARLING Colt, Filly or Gelding.

Class 57 2 & 3 YEAR OLD Filly or Gelding.

Class 58 2 & 3 YEAR OLD Colt.

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 54-58 to compete for the Welsh Mountain Pony Salver.

The Champion is eligible for the NPS Blackertor & Sharptor Studs M&M In-hand Silver Medal Rosette Championship following the conclusion of all relevant classes, as per timetable.

*Classes 54-58 are qualifiers for the UK Ponies and Horses Spring Classic 2024 at Onley Grounds EC.*

**WPCS Bronze Status Medal to Champion or Reserve** subject to meeting the requirements set out by the WP&CS in the 2023 judging and showing handbook.

**WPCS Junior Gelding Incentive Scheme** – Overall Gelding Championship from the highest placed geldings in each appropriate class within each section generously sponsored by the Sarum Investments Ltd.

*Classes 54-58 are qualifiers for the NPS/Niart Stud M&M In-hand Summer Championship to be held at the NPS Summer Championships, 1st-3rd August 2023. The Champion will also qualify for the NPS Great British In-hand Show Breed Champions Prelim Round 4, 2023.*

*This Show is a qualifier for the NATIONAL WELSH CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW; please see Page 4 for information.*

## WELSH SECTION B

Judge: Mr D Puttock

- Class 59 STALLION. 4 years old or over.  
Class 60 MARE or GELDING. 4 years old or over. Rosette to best foal.  
Class 61 YEARLING Colt, Filly or Gelding.  
Class 62 2 & 3 YEAR OLD Filly or Gelding.  
Class 63 2 & 3 YEAR OLD Colt.

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 59-63 to compete for the Gunthwaite Sonny Boy Memorial Cup.

The Champion is eligible for the NPS Blackertor & Sharptor Studs M&M In-hand Silver Medal Rosette Championship following the conclusion of all relevant classes, as per timetable.

*Classes 59-63 are qualifiers for the UK Ponies and Horses Spring Classic 2024 at Onley Grounds EC.*

**WP&CS Bronze Status Medal to Champion or Reserve** subject to meeting the requirements set out by the WP&CS in the 2023 judging and showing handbook.

**WP&CS Gelding Incentive Scheme – Overall Gelding Championship** from the highest placed geldings in each appropriate class within each section, generously sponsored by the Sarum Investments Ltd.

*Classes 59-63 are qualifiers for the NPS/Niart Stud M&M In-hand Summer Championship to be held at the NPS Summer Championships, 1st-3rd August 2023. The Champion will also qualify for the NPS Great British In-hand Show Breed Champion Prelim Round 2023.*

*This Show is a qualifier for the NATIONAL WELSH CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW; please see Page 4 for information.*

## PART-BRED WELSH BREEDING

Judge: Mr D Puttock

- Class 64 3 YEAR OLD COLT or STALLION 4 years old or over.  
Class 65 3 YEAR OLD Filly or Gelding.  
Class 66 2 YEAR OLD Colt, Filly or Gelding.  
Class 67 YEARLING Colt, Filly or Gelding.  
Class 68 MARE or GELDING. 4 years old or over. Winner to receive the Moon Snow Tankard. Rosette to best foal.

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 64-68 to compete for the Mrs TWS Wild Cup.

**WP&CS Bronze Status Medal to Champion or Reserve** subject to meeting the requirements set out by the WP&CS in the 2023 judging and showing handbook.

*Classes 64-68 are qualifiers for the NPS The Andrews Family Part-bred In-hand National Championship to be held at the NPS Summer Championships 1st-3rd August 2023.*

*This Show is a qualifier for the NATIONAL WELSH CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW; please see Page 4 for information.*

## WELSH SECTION C

Judge: Mrs L Thomas

**PLEASE NOTE: ANY outside assistance will result in the offenders and relevant exhibitors being immediately escorted off the showground.**

- Class 69 STALLION 4 years old or over.  
Class 70 MARE or GELDING. 4 years old or over. Rosette to best foal.  
Class 71 YEARLING Colt, Filly or Gelding.  
Class 72 2 or 3 YEAR OLD Filly or Gelding.  
Class 73 2 or 3 YEAR OLD Colt.

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 69-73 to compete for the Llursen Section C Tankard.

The Champion is eligible for the NPS M&M Blackertor & Sharptor Studs In-hand Silver Medal Rosette Championship following the conclusion of all relevant classes, as per timetable.

**WP&CS Bronze Status Medal to Champion or Reserve** subject to meeting the requirements set out by the WP&CS in the 2023 judging and showing handbook.

**WP&CS Gelding Incentive Scheme – Overall Gelding Championship** from the highest placed geldings in each appropriate class within each section, generously sponsored by the Niartottofields Stud M&M In-hand Summer Championship to be held at the NPS Summer Championships, 1st-3rd August 2023.

*Classes 69-73 are qualifiers for the UK Ponies and Horses Spring Classic 2024 at Onley Grounds Equestrian Centre. The Champion will also qualify for the NPS Great British In-hand Show Breed Champions Prelim Round 2023.*

*This Show is a qualifier for the NATIONAL WELSH CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW; please see Page 4 for information.*



## WELSH SECTION D

Judge: Mrs L Thomas

**PLEASE NOTE: ANY outside assistance will result in the offenders and relevant exhibitors being immediately escorted off the showground.**

- Class 74 STALLION 4 years old or over.  
Class 75 MARE or GELDING. 4 years old or over. Rosette to best foal.  
Class 76 YEARLING Colt, Filly or Gelding.  
Class 77 2 or 3 YEAR OLD Filly or Gelding.  
Class 78 2 or 3 YEAR OLD Colt.

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 74-78 to compete for the Llursen Section D Tankard.

*The Champion is eligible for the NPS M&M Cuddington Stud In-hand Silver Medal Rosette Championship following the conclusion of all relevant classes, as per timetable.*

**WP&CS Bronze Status Medal to Champion or Reserve** subject to meeting the requirements set out by the WP&CS in the 2023 judging and showing handbook.

*WP&CS Gelding Incentive Scheme – Overall Gelding Championship from the highest placed geldings in each appropriate class within each section, generously sponsored by the Sarum Investments Ltd.*

*Classes 74-78 are qualifiers for the NPS/Niart Stud M&M In-hand Summer Championship to be held at the NPS Summer Championships, 1st-3rd August 2023.*

*Classes 74-78 are qualifiers for the UK Ponies and Horses Spring Classic 2024 at Onley Grounds Equestrian Centre. The Champion will also qualify for the NPS Great British In-hand Show Breed Champions Prelim Round 2023.*

*This Show is a qualifier for the NATIONAL WELSH CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW; please see Page 4 for information.*

**WELSH JUNIOR GELDING CHAMPIONSHIP** will be kindly judged as per timetable by all Welsh judges.  
*Sponsored by Sarum Investments Ltd.*

### \* \* \* NPS/BLACKERTOR & SHARPTOR STUDS M&M IN-HAND SILVER MEDAL CHAMPIONSHIP \* \* \*

Judge: Mr M Jones

Champions from Welsh Sections A, B, C, D and M&M to compete.

Champion and Reserve qualify for the NPS Area 4 Northern Breeders In-hand Championship.

## RoR TATTERSALLS SHOW SERIES

Judge: Miss N Taylor

**Horses MUST be registered with RoR and have an RoR number or NR number which should be stated on the entry form.**

- Class 79 Tattersalls RoR AMATEUR Ridden Show Series Qualifier 2024.

Open to all RoR and NR Competition registered horses, 4 years and over, mares and geldings owned, produced and ridden by an Amateur. Riders must be 15 years or over on the 1st January 2023. Horses should be ridden in a snaffle, pelham or simple double bridle with a plain cavesson noseband. Horses should be plaited. The Series is open to AMATEURS only - those employed in racing will be allowed to compete. Class will be judged under "Riding Horse" format without "type" being taken into consideration. Racing injuries and blemishes ARE IGNORED in this series.

This class is a qualifier for the Tattersalls RoR Amateur Ridden Show Series Final. The judge will not ride at the qualifiers, but will ride in the Finals. The first three go forward to the final at the Hickstead Derby Meeting 2024. Competitors/handlers/grooms must wear a safety/kitemark hard hat with a chinstrap.

RoR prizes will not be awarded in RoR qualifiers with numbers forward of two or less but qualification for the final will stand.

Rosettes 1<sup>st</sup> - 4th.

*Amateur Definition.*

*The rules are as in the rulebook with the following addition that an amateur may not show a horse owned by or sponsored by a company or commercial firm. In addition a person classed as amateur must not be supported by a company in any way or act as a brand ambassador whether financially or in kind. An Amateur is a person who, for the purpose of RoR classes does not/has not, during the current season or previous season: Engage(d) in breeding, livery, buying or selling, dealing or hiring horses in a commercial capacity. Horses must not have been stabled at or reside in a professional producer's/trainer's yard from January 1st 2023.*

*Riders must not have ridden any animals produced by a professional trainer in the current or previous season.*

*Horses and riders must not receive any help from a professional producer/trainer at a SHOW in the current season.*

*Any breaches of this ruling will be taken seriously and will result in disqualification from future classes.*

*A rider who has ridden for a Professional/Producer/Trainer in the current or previous season must not have ridden horses as a show.*

#### Class 80\* Tattersalls RoR OPEN In-hand Show Series Qualifier 2023.

Open to all RoR and NR Competition registered horses, 3 years and over, fillies, mares and geldings. Blemishes caused through racing will be ignored. Horses do not need to be shod to compete in the ROR Open In Hand qualifier. Horses can be shown in a bitless/In hand bridle.

All those entering horses and /or participating in the show agree to be bound by the Retraining of Racehorses rules and regulations from time to time in force. Handlers/grooms must wear a safety/kitemark hard hat with a chinstrap.

This class is a qualifier for the RoR Open In-Hand Showing Series Final. The first three go forward to the final at the Jockey Club RoR National Champions at Aintree in August 2023.

RoR prizes will not be awarded in RoR qualifiers with numbers forward of two or less but qualification for the final will stand.

Rosettes 1<sup>st</sup> - 4th.

Winner to receive the RoR Gallery Tray.

All those entering horses and /or participating in the show agree to be bound by the Retraining of Racehorses rules and regulations from time to time in force.

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 79 & 80 to compete for the RoR Gallery Tray.

## RING FIVE

Commencing at 8.00am prompt

### PURE-BRED ARAB BREEDING

**Judge: Mrs N Mellor**

*UK In-hand Awards. At this Show points can be gained for the UK In-hand Awards. Cards must be signed by the judge. Full details and Points Cards are available from Mrs C Barr. For full details of these new awards see [www.ahsshowsandevents.com](http://www.ahsshowsandevents.com)*

Class 81 MARE or GELDING. 4 years old or over. 1st to receive the Elliott Cup. Rosette to Best Foal.

Class 82 YEARLING. Colt, Filly or Gelding.

Class 83 2 & 3 YEAR OLD Colt, Filly or Gelding.

Class 84 STALLION. 4 years old or over. (All stallions must be bitted.)

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 81-84 to compete for the Peter Thornhill Trophy

*AHS class winner rosettes will be awarded in classes 81-84 and Best Gelding rosettes in classes 81-83.*

### PART-BRED/ANGLO ARAB BREEDING

**Judge: Mrs N Mellor**

*Part-bred with 12.5% pure blood are eligible to compete. Anglo Arabs carry the blood of Arab and Thoroughbred only in any proportion.*

Class 85 MARE or GELDING. 4 years old or over. Rosette to best foal.

Class 86 YEARLING. Colt, Filly or Gelding.

Class 87 2 & 3 YEAR OLD Colt, Filly or Gelding.

Class 88 STALLION. 4 years old or over. (All stallions must be bitted.)

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 85-88 to compete for the Silver Tankard  
*Classes 85-88 are qualifiers for the NPS The Andrews Family Part-bred In-hand National Championship, to be held at the NPS Summer Championships 1st-3rd August 2023.*

*AHS class winner rosettes will be awarded in classes 85-88.*

### RIDDEN ARAB

**Judge: Mr A Mickleburgh**

*Competitors please note - animals will NOT be ridden by the judge.*

Class 89 PART-BRED or ANGLO ARAB STALLION, MARE or GELDING. 4 years old or over not exceeding 148cms, rider any age.

Class 90 PART-BRED or ANGLO ARAB STALLION, MARE or GELDING. 4 years old or over exceeding 148cm.

Class 91 RIDDEN PURE-BRED ARAB. Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over, rider any age.

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 89-91 to compete for the Gold Cup.

AHS Class Winners' Rosettes will be awarded in Classes 89-91 and Best Gelding Rosette in Class 91.

*MIDLAND ARAB GROUP Ltd NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP FOR YOUNG RIDERS 2023 Qualifying class. Best Ridden Pure, Part-bred or Anglo Arab MARE or GELDING 4yrs old and over, suitable for and to be ridden by a Young Rider. This show is a qualifier for the Midland Arab Group Ltd National Championship for Young Riders 2023 for riders up to age 21 years on 1st Jan in the current year. Horses and ponies will not be ridden by the judge, but give a short individual show, and may be stripped. The two highest placed unqualified animals in the class will qualify. Qualifying Cards will be presented in the ring and a rosette will be sent to the successful competitor when the card is filled in and sent to Tracey Hateley. NB. The horse is being judged for its suitability as a Young Rider's Mount NOT the rider. The Final will be held at The Midland Arabian Festival at Malvern, 2023.*

Classes 89-90 are qualifiers for the NPS/The Andrews Family Part-bred Ridden National Championship at the NPS Summer Championship Show, Malvern 1st-3rd August 2023.

## **PALOMINOS and CREAM DILUTES**

**Judge: Mrs C Wood**

*For Palominos and Cream Dilutes registered with The British Palomino Society and owned by a paid-up member of the Society. These classes are affiliated to the BPS and are run under BPS Rules, please refer to [www.thebritishpalominosociety.co.uk](http://www.thebritishpalominosociety.co.uk)*

*BPS Colour Awards to be presented in in-hand classes to the best Palomino colours. These qualify for the Golden Trail Championship. The winner of each BPS Affiliated Class will qualify for the NEW Palomino of the Year Championship; Final to be held at the BPS Autumn Show, see website for details.*

Class 92 RIDDEN PALOMINO and CREAM DILUTE. Stallion, Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over.

Class 93 IN-HAND CREAM DILUTE. Stallion, Mare or Gelding; any age.

Class 94 IN-HAND PALOMINO YOUNGSTOCK. 1, 2 or 3 year old Colt, Filly or Gelding. Winner to receive the BPS Colebridge Cup).

Class 95 IN-HAND MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND, or PART-BRED PALOMINO or CREAM DILUTE. Stallion, Mare or Gelding; any age.

Class 96 IN-HAND PALOMINO; 4 years old or over. Stallion, Mare or Gelding.

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 92-96 to compete for the BPS Midland Cup.

Highest placed Palomino in classes 92, 94, 95 & 96 will qualify for the Palomino of the Year Championship (held at the Autumn Show) and highest placed Cream Dilute in classes 92, 93 & 95 qualify for the Cream of the Crop Championship (held at the BPS Nationals).

## **HACK BREEDING**

**Judge: Mr J Cutts**

*This is a qualifier for the BSHA Polly Coles 'Supreme In-hand Breeding Championship' to be held at BSHA National Championships in September 2023, with £1000.00 to be awarded to the winner. Champion and Reserve to qualify. The BSHA offer a Qualified rosette to the Champion & Reserve.*

*Under the Rules of the British Show Horse Association, owners, handlers and riders and horses must be registered or have a temporary membership with a Day Ticket. Handlers must be 15 years of age or older. In-hand horses registered with the Association must be owned by current BSHA Members. Registration numbers must be quoted on entry form.*

*The BSHA also offer an owner/breeder rosette in each In-hand Breeding class with the exception of the foal classes, kindly sponsored by the Kellythorpe Stud. All competitors receiving this award should contact the office to register their interest in the Kellythorpe Stud Owner/Breeder Final at the National Championship Show.*

Class 97 IN-HAND HACK BROODMARE. Certified in foal, pregnancy certificates must be produced on the day or with own foal at foot, 4 years old and over, exceeding 148cms but not exceeding 160cms. Rosette to best foal.

Class 98 IN-HAND HACK YEARLING. Yearling to make a Hack exc 148cms but not exc 160cms at maturity.

Class 99 IN-HAND HACK 2 or 3 YEAR OLD. 2 or 3 Year Old to make a Hack exc 148cms but not exc 160cms at maturity.

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 97-99 to compete.

Classes 97-99 are qualifiers for NPS/Ottergayle Hack & Riding Horse Supreme Championship, to be held at the NPS Summer Championships 1st-3rd August 2023.

*The owner does not have to be an NPS member to enter the competition, to qualify or to enter the final. The first placed horse in each section will qualify for the Final at the NPS Summer Championship Show. Qualification may go no further than third place. Foals are excluded from qualifying. NPS Hack Champion Prelim Round Championship Qualifier for the Great British In-hand Show, September 2023.*

## RIDING PONY BREEDING

Judge: Mr D Puttock

### NPS/KALUSTA STUD BRITISH RIDING PONY SUPREME IN-HAND NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

*To be run under NPS Rules 2023. Foals are not eligible, see page 3 for eligibility.*

Class 100 BROOD MARE (Vet Certificate required if foal not at foot). 4 years old or over, not to exc 148cms.

In-foal or with own foal at foot. Rosette to best foal.

Class 101 YOUNGSTOCK. 1, 2 or 3 year old; not to exceed 148cms at maturity.

Class 102 3 YEAR OLD COLT or STALLION 4 years old or over not to exceed 148cms at maturity.

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prizewinners from classes 100-102 to compete for the Riding Pony Cup.

The Rotherwood Peeping Tom trophy in memory of Mr Jimi Taggart, kindly donated by Jean Andrew.

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 in the Show Pony In-hand Section. Please see Silver Medal Rosette Championship conditions on page 6.*

*This Show is a qualifier for the NATIONAL WELSH CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW; please see Page 4 for information.*

## SHOW HUNTER PONY BREEDING

Judge: Mrs J Griffin

### NPS/TEAM CHARLESWORTH BRITISH RIDING PONY (SHOW HUNTER PONY) IN-HAND NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Class 103 MARE or GELDING. 4 years old or over not to exceed 153cms. Rosette to best foal.

Class 104 YOUNGSTOCK. 1, 2 or 3 year old; not to exceed 153cms at maturity.

Class 105 3 YEAR OLD COLT or STALLION 4 years old or over not to exceed 153cms at maturity.

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 103-105 to compete for the Brookwater Shield.

*This Show is a qualifying round for The National Pony Society/Team Charlesworth British Riding Pony (Show Hunter Pony) Breeding In-hand Championship, to be held at the NPS Summer Championships 1st-3rd August 2023. To be judged under the rules of the NPS. See page 3 for eligibility.*

*NPS/Area 4 Show Hunter British Riding Pony (Show Hunter Pony) In-hand Silver Medal Rosette Championship. A Silver Medal Rosette is offered by The NPS for the best registered pony in the Hunter Pony Breeding Section. Please see Silver Medal Rosette Championship conditions.*

*This Show is a qualifier for the NATIONAL WELSH CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW; please see Page 4 for information.*

## RING SIX

Commencing at 8.00am prompt

All of the following courses will be built to maximum heights and spreads; please see relevant rule book.

**ALL COMPETITORS MUST DECLARE TO RING STEWARD.**

## BSPS M&M W.H.P.

Judges: Mr I Dickinson (Jump); Mrs G Cowell (Conf)

Course Builder: Mr D Norlander

*Stallion, mare or gelding, 4 years old or over. Registered in the stud books of Connemara, Dales, Dartmoor, Exmoor, Fell, Highland, New Forest, Shetland and Welsh Sections A, B, Cor D.*

Class 106 M&M W.H.P. Exceeding 143cms. Riders any age.

Class 107 M&M W.H.P. Exc 133cms but not exc 143cms. Rider any age.

Class 108 M&M W.H.P. Exc 122cms but not exc 133cms. Rider any age.

Class 109 M&M WHP. Not exc 122cms. Rider any age.

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 106-109 to compete.

*Classes 106-109 1<sup>st</sup> prizewinners will qualify for the BSPS Binks Family Champion of Champions.*

# HORSE of the YEAR SHOW QUALIFIER (NEC, Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023)

## THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD M&M WORKING HUNTER PONY

Judges: Mrs C Dew (Jump); Mr R Parker-Jones (Conf)

Course Builder: Mr D Norlander

Please refer to Horse of the Year Show wording on Page 3.

The following class is a qualifier for the Thor Atkinsons Steel Fabrications Ltd Mountain & Moorland Working Hunter Pony of the Year Championship, NEC Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023. These classes are open to Mountain & Moorland Stallions, Mares and Geldings, four years old or over, registered in the main body of their respective Stud Books.

**Ponies must not exceed the height limits as stipulated by their relevant breed societies.** Ponies to be registered in, and complying with the showing requirements of, the main body of their respective stud books. Riders and Owners must be members of their respective Breed Society, NPS, UKPH, The Showing Register or BSPS. Ponies must not exceed the height limits as stipulated by the relevant Breed Societies. Riders of stallions must have obtained their 12th birthday (small breeds) or 14th birthday (large breeds) before 1st January in the current year. Qualification will not pass below 3rd place and will be verified by the Horse of the Year Show Office.

These classes will run in accordance with the general rules as set out in the Horse of the Year Show rulebook, a copy of which can be downloaded from [www.hoys.co.uk](http://www.hoys.co.uk) The highest placed pony not already qualified from the first three will qualify to compete at Horse of the Year Show 2023.

To be run under the rules of the Horse of the Year Show. Copies can be obtained from [www.hoys.co.uk](http://www.hoys.co.uk) Judges may only judge one qualifying competition in the current year. Please note that at HOYS ponies must not compete in both M&M Junior 122cms WHP and the M&M 122cms WHP. The pony will compete in the class in which it qualified first during the season.

Riders and ponies may compete in both Section A and Section B at HOYS qualifiers. Once a pony has qualified in either Section A or Section B it will be no longer eligible to compete in the Section in which it has not qualified.

Marks will be awarded in the following ways:

Phase I - 70 Marks. A: Jumping Points - 50 marks; B: Style While Jumping - 20 marks.

Phase II - 30 Marks. C: Breed Type & Conformation - 20 marks; D: Individual Show & Manners - 10 marks.

In the event of equality, the TOTAL MARK from Phase I will take precedence, followed by the Individual Show & Manners Mark, and then the Breed Type & Conformation Mark.

**Jumping Course Guidelines:** Mountain & Moorland Working Hunter ponies must jump a 12 fence track. Please note the fence height guidelines shown below which must be enforced for each section. In Class 110 the course of fences must contain only one double and no water tray.

Qualifier Height	Fences (Min)	Height (Max)	Spread (Max)
Junior Fences	45cm	60cm	50cm
Not exc 122cms	55cm	70cm	55cm
Exc 122cms but not exc 133cms	65cm	80cm	65cm
Exc 133cms but not exc 143cms	75cm	90cm	75cm
Exc 143cms	85cm	100cm	85cm

### Class 110 THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD M&M JUNIOR 122cms WORKING HUNTER PONY.

Ponies not exc 122cms. Stallion, mare or gelding 4 years old or over. Registered in main body of their respective stud book. Rider must not have attained their 12th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

### Class 111 THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD M&M 122cms WORKING HUNTER PONY.

Ponies not exc 122cms. Stallion, mare or gelding 4 years old or over. Registered in main body of their respective society stud book. Rider any age, except stallions (please see rule book).

### Class 112 THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD M&M 133cms WORKING HUNTER PONY.

Ponies exc 122cms but not exceeding 133cms. Stallion, mare or gelding 4 years old or over. Registered in the main body of their respective society stud book. Rider any age, except stallions (please see rule book).

### Class 113 THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD M&M 143cms WORKING HUNTER PONY.

Ponies exc 133cms but not exceeding 143cms. Stallion, mare or gelding 4 years old or over. Registered in the main body of their respective society stud book. Rider any age, except stallions (please see rule book).

### Class 114 THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD M&M Exc 143cms WORKING HUNTER PONY.

Ponies exc 143cms. Stallion, mare or gelding 4 years old or over. Registered in main body of their respective society stud book. Rider any age, except stallions (please see rule book).

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 110-114 to compete for the Walseker Tankard.

**JMB Certificates ARE NOT required to enter this qualifier.**

All animals competing in M&M classes will be required to be in possession of a current/valid JMB height certificate within 28 days of the notification from HOYS or by the closing date of HOYS entries, whichever is sooner. Failure to do so may result in qualification of the pony being removed, at the discretion of GML.

Classes 110-114 are qualifiers for UKPH WHP at the P(UK) Spring Classic 2023.

The two highest placed registered PBW in the championship will qualify for the NATIONAL WELSH "DENGIE RIDDEN WPBR" CHAMPIONSHIP.

Classes 110-114 are qualifiers for the NPS/TopSpec M&M Open Working Hunter Pony Championship, to be held at the NPS Summer Championships 1st-3rd August 2023. To be judged under the rules of the NPS. See page 6 for eligibility.

## RING SEVEN

Commencing at 8.00am Prompt

### THE NPS/SHOWING CLASSICS MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND LEADING REIN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

Judge: Mrs J Crane

Class 115 M&M LEADING REIN. Mountain & Moorland,. Open to mares & geldings, 4 years old or over, registered in the Pure-bred Section of the Breed Societies' Stud Books of the Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, New Forest or Welsh A & B; not exceeding 122cms. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday but not their 9th birthday before 1st January in the current year. To be shown in a snaffle bridle.

*The highest placed pony, if owned by an NPS Qualifying or Life member, from class 114 will go forward to the Final to be held at the NPS Summer Championship Show, Malvern 1st-3rd August 2023.*

*Qualification may pass down to third.*

*NPS/Corscaron Horse Essentials Home Produced Ridden Championship - wear white armbands.*

### THE NPS/SHOWING CLASSICS MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND FIRST RIDDEN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

Judge: Mrs J Crane

Class 116\* M&M FIRST RIDDEN. Registered Mountain & Moorland,. Open to mares & geldings, 4 years old or over, registered in the Pure-bred Section of the Breed Societies' Stud Books of the Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, New Forest or Welsh A & B; not exc 128cms. Rider must have attained their 3rd birthday but not reached their 12th birthday before 1st January in current year.

*The highest placed pony, if owned by an NPS Qualifying or Life member, from class 116 will go forward to the Final to be held at the NPS Summer Championship Show, Malvern 1st-3rd August 2023.*

*Qualification may pass down to third.*

*NPS/Corscaron Horse Essentials Home Produced Ridden Championship - wear white armbands.*

**MINI M&M CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 115 & 116 to compete for the Miniature Rose Bowl.

### THE NPS/DARGAVEL M&M YOUNG RIDDEN PONY NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

To be run under NPS rules 2022.

Judge: Mrs J Crane

Class 117 STALLION, MARE & GELDING. 4 year old, registered in their respective Breed Society Stud Book.

*NPS/Corscaron Horse Essentials Home Produced Ridden Championship - wear white armbands.*

Class 118 STALLION, MARE & GELDING. 5 year old, registered in their respective Breed Society Stud Book.

*NPS/Corscaron Horse Essential Home Produced Ridden Championship - wear white armbands.*

Class 119 STALLION, MARE & GELDING. 6 year old, registered in their respective Breed Society Stud Book.

*NPS/Corscaron Horse Essential Home Produced Ridden Championship - wear white armbands.*

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 117-119 to compete.

Winners of classes 117-119 are eligible to compete in the **NPS Mountain & Moorland Ridden Silver Medal Championship.** This Championship will take place on the conclusion of Class 129.

### THE NPS/PICTON NOVICE RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP

Judge: Mr R Sutcliffe

**Mountain & Moorland Novice ponies. To be run under the rules of the National Pony Society. Please refer to the NPS Rule Book 2023 for Novice conditions. Open to pure bred registered Mountain & Moorland stallions, mares and geldings, four years old or over. Ponies must be shown in a snaffle bridle.**

Class 120 NOVICE RIDDEN M&M. Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over, rider any age.

Registered in the Breed Society Stud Books of the Welsh C & D.

- Class 121 NOVICE RIDDEN M&M. Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over, rider any age. Registered in the Breed Society Stud Books of the Fell, Highland and Dales.
- Class 122 NOVICE RIDDEN M&M. Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over, rider any age. Registered in the Breed Society Stud Books of the New Forest and Connemara.
- Class 123 NOVICE RIDDEN M&M. Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over, rider any age. Registered in the Breed Society Stud Books of the Welsh A & B.
- Class 124 NOVICE RIDDEN M&M. Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over, rider any age. Registered in the Breed Society Stud Books of the Dartmoor, Exmoor and Shetland.  
**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 120-124 to compete for the M&M Novice Shield.  
 NPS M&M Ridden Silver Medal Rosette Championship. Winners of classes 120-124 are eligible to compete. This Championship will take place on the conclusion of class 129.  
*Please refer to the NPS Rule Book 2023.*

## THE NPS/RINGSIDE STUD OPEN RIDDEN M&M

**Judge: Mr R Sutcliffe**

*The NPS/Ringside Stud Mountain & Moorland Open Ridden National Summer Championship. Please refer to the NPS Rule Book 2023.*

- Class 125 OPEN M&M RIDDEN. Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 5 years old or over registered in the Breed Society Stud Books of the Welsh A and B, Dartmoor, Exmoor and Shetland. Rider any age, except stallions (see NPS rules).  
 NPS/Corscaron Horse Essential Home Produced Ridden Championship - wear white armbands.
- Class 126 OPEN M&M RIDDEN. Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 5 years old or over registered in the Breed Society Stud Books of the Welsh C and D, Connemara, Dales, Fell, New Forest and Highlands. Rider any age, except stallions, see NPS rules.  
 NPS/Corscaron Horse Essential Home Produced Ridden Championship - wear white armbands.  
**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 125 & 126 to compete for the Yoeman Shield.  
*The highest placed pony, if owned by an NPS Qualifying or Life member, from classes 125 & 126 will go forward to the Final to be held at NPS Summer Championship Show, 1st-3rd August 2023. Qualification may pass down to third.*  
**A qualifier for the UK Ponies M&M Ridden Pony of the Year Championship to be held at the UKPH Spring Classic 2024 at Onley Grounds Equestrian Centre.**  
**NPS Mountain & Moorland Ridden Silver Medal Rosette Championship.** Winners of classes 125 & 126 are eligible to compete. This Championship will take place on the conclusion of Class 129.

## NPS M&M JUNIOR RIDDEN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

**Judge: Mrs G Cowell**

- Class 127 JUNIOR M&M RIDDEN. Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over, not exc 138cms, registered in the Breed Society Stud Books of the Welsh C, Connemara, Dales, Fell, New Forest and Highland. Riders not to have attained their 18th birthday before 1st January in the current year.
- Class 128 JUNIOR M&M RIDDEN. Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over, to exc 138cms, but not exceeding 148cms (except for Welsh Ds and Dales, for which there is no height restriction) registered in the Breed Society Stud Books of the Welsh D, Connemara, Dales, Fell, New Forest and Highland. Riders not to have attained their 18th birthday before 1st January in the current year.
- Class 129 JUNIOR M&M RIDDEN. Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over registered in the Breed Society Stud Books of the Welsh A and B, Dartmoor, Exmoor and Shetland. Riders not to have attained their 14th birthday before 1st January in the current year.  
 NPS/Corscaron Horse Essentials Home Produced Ridden Championship - wear white armbands.  
**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 127-129 to compete for the Derbyshire Festival Shield.



**NPS Mountain & Moorland Junior Ridden National Championship.** *The highest placed pony in each class, if owned by an NPS Qualifying or Life Member, will go forward to the final to be held at the NPS Summer Championships to be held at Malvern in August. Qualification may pass down to third place.*

## **NPS Mountain & Moorland**

### **Ridden Silver Medal Championship.**

**Judge: Mr M Jones**

Winners of classes 117-129 are eligible to compete.

This Championship will take place on the conclusion of Class 129.

## **RING EIGHT**

### **DARTMOOR PONY SOCIETY STAR SHOW**

Commencing not before 12.00 noon

**Judge: Mrs T Whittle**

*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.*

*These classes are qualifiers for The NPS M&M In Hand Summer Championship.*

Class 129a DARTMOOR PONY YEARLING, colt, filly or gelding.

Class 129b DARTMOOR PONY 2 or 3 YEAR OLD, filly or gelding.

Class 129c DARTMOOR PONY 2 or 3 YEAR OLD, colt.

Class 129d DARTMOOR PONY STALLION, 4 years old and upwards.

Class 129e DARTMOOR PONY MARE, 4 years old and upwards, mares with or without foal at foot.

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 129a-129e to compete.

*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 The Price Family Supreme In-Hand Championship.*

*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 The Mountain & Moorland In-Hand Championship.*

## **DERBYSHIRE DALES PONY SOCIETY - DPS Area 5 PREMIUM SCHEME SHOW**

**Judge: Mrs J James**

Class 130 STALLION, 3 years old or over (must be fully licensed).

Class 131 GELDING, 4 years old and over..

Class 132 MARE, 4 years old and over any section.

Class 133 FOAL (to be at least 3 weeks old on show day and eligible for registration in the Dales Pony Stud Book).

Class 134 YEARLING. Colt, filly or gelding.

Class 135 TWO YEAR OLD. Colt, filly or gelding.

Class 136 THREE YEAR OLD. Filly or gelding.

**Special A: Youngstock Championship** (1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 133-136). Holdworth Trophy to the Youngstock Champion

**Special B: Adult Championship (1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 130-132) Maystrella Trophy to Adult Champion**

Special C: Rosette for the best Section B pony

Special D: Rosette for highest placed DPS Area 5 Member in each class

**Special E: Overall In-Hand Championship** (Youngstock and Adult Champion and Reserve to compete).

Winner to go forward to the Derbyshire Festival Price Family In-Hand Horse of the Year Show Qualifier and Dales Pony Society Rosette.

Class 138 NOVICE PONY. Pony not to have won a 1sr prize of £10 before 1st January 2023 (snaffle bridles only).

Class 139 TRADITIONAL RIDDEN. Walk and trot only.

Class 140 OPEN RIDDEN.

**Special F:** Rosette for highest placed DPS Area 5 Member in each class

**Special G: Ridden Championship** (1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 138-140). Adamfield Flintlock Trophy and Dales Pony Society Performance Rosette

**Special H: Overall Ridden Champion and Reserve** will qualify for the Dales Pony Society Ridden Pony of the Year to be held on 1<sup>st</sup> October 2023 at the NCPA Northern Spectacular, Northallerton Equestrian Centre, DL7 0PQ. If the Champion and Reserve have already qualified then the qualification will pass down the line.

**Special I: Overall Dales Pony Champion** (Champion & Reserve Youngstock, Adult and Ridden Pony to compete) Stanmar Trophy

## *An Old Horsewoman*

*When I am an old horsewoman, I shall wear turquoise and diamonds and a straw hat that doesn't suit me. And I shall spend my Social Security on sugar cubes and carrots, and sit in the alleyway of my barn and listen to my horses breathe.*

*I will sneak out in the middle of a summer night and ride the old bay gelding across the moonstruck meadow if my old bones will allow it.*

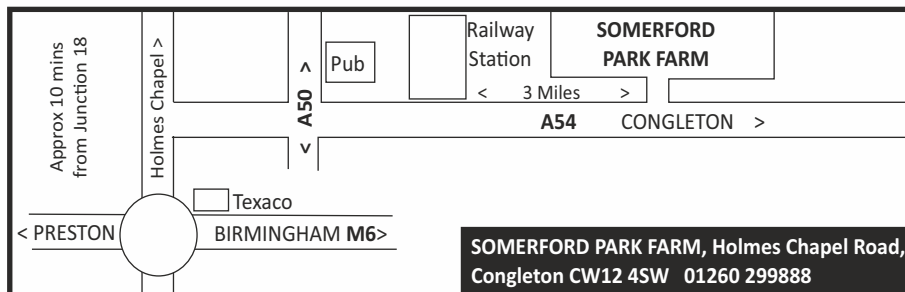
*And when people come to call, I will smile and as I walk past the garden to the barn and show - instead of flowers growing - stables freshened with straw. I will shovel and sweat and wear hay in my hair as if it were jewels.*

*And I will be an embarrassment to all who will not yet have found the peace in being free to have a horse (or pony) as a friend . . . A friend who waits at the midnight hour with soft muzzle and a nicker and patient eyes for the kind of woman I will be (when I am old)!*

The Committee would like to thank all those competitors who generously supported the

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# SUNDAY

## RING ONE

Commencing at 8.00am prompt

### HORSE of the YEAR SHOW QUALIFIER (NEC, Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023)

#### BRITISH MINIATURE HORSES

Judge: Miss C Hamilton

Please refer to Horse of the Year Show wording on Page 3.

*All exhibits must be registered with the British Miniature Horse Society (BMHS). Only registered horses owned by a BMHS member may enter. Owners, exhibitors and handlers must be current members and have paid the appropriate BMHS 2023 Showing Levy.*

*Miniature Horses must be measured in the current year prior to competing in the qualifiers and obtain a BMHS 2023 measuring certificate. All competitors are advised to visit [www.bmhs.co.uk](http://www.bmhs.co.uk) for a list of measuring venues.*

*These classes are run under the general rules set out in the HOYS rule Book; a copy of which can be downloaded at [www.hoys.co.uk](http://www.hoys.co.uk)*

Class 141 HORSE of the YEAR SHOW 2022 BRITISH MINIATURE HORSE. 3 years or over. Fully Licensed Registered Stallions. 4 years old not to exceed 87cms. 3 year old not to exceed 86cms.

Class 142 HORSE of the YEAR SHOW 2022 BRITISH MINIATURE HORSE. 3 years or over. Registered Mares and Geldings. 4 years old not to exceed 87cms. 3 year old not to exceed 86cms.

Class 143 HORSE of the YEAR SHOW 2022 BRITISH MINIATURE HORSE YOUNGSTOCK. 1 and 2 Year Old. Registered Colts, Fillies and Geldings. 2 year old not to exceed 84cms. Yearlings not to exceed 82cms.

#### HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW MINIATURE HORSE CHAMPIONSHIP 2023

First and second prize-winners from classes 141-143 will qualify to compete in the Miniature Horse Championship. The qualifying horse will be the highest placed, previously unqualified (HOYS) exhibit within the Championship of the registered fully licensed stallion, mares/gelding and youngstock sections. All horses forward in the Championship must be placed as any one of the six could be eligible for HOYS qualification. This will be verified by the Horse of the Year Show office. Qualification will not pass below 6th place.

The Champion Miniature will also qualify for the Supreme Champion of Champions class at the BMHS International Breed Show in 2023.

### HORSE of the YEAR SHOW QUALIFIER (NEC, Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023)

#### RIDDEN INTERMEDIATES

Judges: Mr M Jones (Ride); Mr R Parker-Jones (Conf)

Please refer to Horse of the Year Show wording on Page 3.

*Riders and Owners must be members of NPS, UK Ponies and Horses, The Showing Register or BSPS. In the case of equality the highest Manners & Way of Going mark will be deemed the winner. If there is still equality at this point, then the judges decision is final. Qualification will not pass below 4th place, in the ISRT Championship and not below 5th place in the ISH class.*

*Horses/ponies must be registered with either NPS, UK Ponies & Horses, TSR or BSPS and a valid JMB number lodged with the society.*

*Marks will be awarded in the following way: Manners and Way of Going, 50 marks maximum; Conformation, Type & Freedom of Action, 50 marks maximum.*

*These classes will be run under the general rules of Horse of the Year Show, a copy of which can be downloaded at [www.hoys.co.uk](http://www.hoys.co.uk) Qualification will be verified by the Horse of the Year Show office.*

Class 144 158cms INTERMEDIATE SHOW RIDING TYPE. Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over exceeding 153cms but not exceeding 158cms. Riders not to have attained their 25th birthday before 1st January in the current year.

Class 145 153cms INTERMEDIATE SHOW RIDING TYPE. Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over exceeding 146cms but not exceeding 153cms. Riders not to have attained their 25th birthday before 1st January in the current year.

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 144-145 to compete for the J J Tankard.

*The qualifying horse will be the highest placed, previously unqualified exhibit within the Championship of the 153cms && 158cms sections. The Championship is only for the 1st & 2nd prizewinners of the Intermediate Show Riding Type classes.*

Class 146 INTERMEDIATE SHOW HUNTER. Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over exceeding 148cms but not exceeding 158cms. Riders not to have attained their 25th birthday before 1st January in the current year.

*1st place in classes 144-146 will qualify for the BSPS Binks Family Champion of Champions*

*Classes 144-145 qualify for the ISRT Championship; and class 146 qualifies for the ISHT Championship at UKPH Spring Classic 2024.*

Class 146 is eligible to enter the Hunter Championship after class 159.

## **HORSE of the YEAR SHOW QUALIFIER (NEC,Birmingham 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October2023)**

### **The British Show Pony Society CHILDREN'S RIDING PONIES**

**Judges: Mrs C Dew (Ride); Miss C Hamilton (Conf)**

**Please refer to Horse of the Year Show wording on Page 3.**

*Classes 147-149 are qualifiers for the Horse of the Year Show 2023. Riders and Owners must be members of NPS, UKPH, The Showing Register or BSPS. In the case of equality the highest Manners & Way of Going mark will be deemed the winner. If there is still equality at this point, then the judges decision is final. Qualification will not pass below 5th place.*

*Horses/ponies must be registered with either NPS, UKPH, TSR or BSPS and a valid JMB number lodged with the society.*

*Marks will be awarded in the following way: Manners and way of going - 50 maximum; Confirmation and freedom of action type - 50 maximum.*

*These classes will be run under the general rules of Horse of the Year Show, a copy of which can be downloaded at [www.hoys.co.uk](http://www.hoys.co.uk) Qualification will be verified by the Horse of the Year Show office.*

- Class 147 THE BSPS 128cms CHILDREN'S RIDING PONY. Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over; not exc 128cms. Riders not to have attained their 13th birthday before 1st January in the current year.
- Class 148 THE BSPS 138cms CHILDREN'S RIDING PONY. Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over; exc 128cms but not exc 138cms. Riders not to have attained their 15th birthday before 1st January in the current year.
- Class 149 THE BSPS 148cms CHILDREN'S RIDING PONY. Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over; exc 138cms but not exc 148cms. Riders not to have attained their 17th birthday before 1st January in the current year.

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 147-149 to compete for the Silver Cup.

*1st place in classes 147-149 will qualify for the BSPS Binks Family Champion of Champions.*

*Classes 147-149 qualify for the SHP Championship at UK Ponies and Horses Spring Classic 2024.*

*Classes 147-149 re qualifiers for the NPS/SARACEN HORSE FEEDS Open Ridden Show Pony Championship to be held at NPS Summer Championship Show, Malvern, 1st-3rd August 2023.*

*The owner does not have to be an NPS member for the pony to enter this competition or to qualify; but the owner must be a Qualifying or Life Member of the NPS to enter the Final.*

*This Show is a qualifier for the NATIONAL WELSH CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW; please see Page 4 for information.*

## **HORSE of the YEAR SHOW QUALIFIER**

**(NEC, Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023)**

### **THE BINKS FAMILY SHOW HUNTER PONIES**

**Please refer to Horse of the Year Show wording on Page 3.**

**Mrs G Simpson (Ride); Mr M Jones (Conf)**

*Riders and Owners must be members of NPS, UKPH, The Showing Register or BSPS. In the case of equality the highest Manners & Way of Going mark will be deemed the winner. If there is still equality at this point, then the judges decision is final. Classes 150-153 are qualifiers for the Horse of the Year Show 2023. Qualification will not pass below 5th place.*

*Horses/ponies must be registered with either NPS, UKPH, TSR or BSPS and a valid JMB number lodged with the society.*

*Marks will be awarded in the following way: Manners and Way of Going, 50 marks maximum; Conformation, Type & Freedom of Action, 50 marks maximum.*

*These classes will be run under the general rules of Horse of the Year Show, a copy of which can be downloaded at [www.hoys.co.uk](http://www.hoys.co.uk) Qualification will be verified by the Horse of the Year Show office.*

- Class 150 THE BINKS FAMILY 153cm SHOW HUNTER PONY. Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over, exc 143cms but not exc 153cms. Riders not to have attained their 20th birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.
- Class 151 THE BINKS FAMILY 143cm SHOW HUNTER PONY. Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over, exc 133cms but not exc 143cms. Riders not to have attained their 17th birthday before 1st January in the current year.
- Class 152 THE BINKS FAMILY 133cm SHOW HUNTER PONY. Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over, not exc 122cms but not exc 133cms. Riders not to have attained their 14th birthday before 1st January in the current year.
- Class 153 THE BINKS FAMILY 122cm SHOW HUNTER PONY. Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over, exc 122cms. Riders not to have attained their 12th birthday before 1st January in current year.

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 150-153 to compete for the Silver Cup.

*1st place in classes 150-153 will qualify for the BSPS Binks Family Champion of Champions.*

*Classes 150-153 qualify for the SHP Championship at UK Ponies and Horses Spring Classic 2024.*

*This Show is a qualifier for the NATIONAL WELSH CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW; please see Page 4 for information.*

*Classes 150-153, 1st & 2nd qull qualify for the BSPS Summer Championships.*

*Classes 150-153 1st place qualifies for the NPS/Saracen Horse Finals Open SP/SHP Ridden National Championship.*

## RING TWO

Commencing at 8.00am prompt

### **HORSE of the YEAR SHOW QUALIFIER (NEC, Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023) RIDDEN PART-BRED PONY OF THE YEAR**

**Judges: Mr R Parker-Jones (Ride); Mrs C Dew (Conf)**

Class 154 RIDDEN PART-BRED PONY of the YEAR.

**Please refer to Horse of the Year Show wording on Page 3.**

*This competition is open to Stallions, Mares or Geldings, 4 years old or over, registered with one or more of the following Stud Books.*

*This class is run under the general rules set out in the HOYS rule book; a copy of which can be downloaded at [www.hoys.co.uk](http://www.hoys.co.uk)*

1. The Part-bred or AA section of the AHS with a minimum of 12.5% Arab blood.
2. The Part-bred section of the WP&CS with a minimum of 12.5% Welsh blood.
3. The Part-bred section of the Dartmoor Pony Stud Book with a minimum of 12.5% Dartmoor blood.
4. The Part-bred section of BCPS Stud Book with a minimum of 25% Connemara blood.
5. The Part-bred section of the New Forest Pony Stud Book with a minimum of 25% New Forest blood.
6. Animals must not exceed 148cms, a valid JMB number must be lodged with Grandstand Media Ltd prior to entry in any qualifying round.
7. A copy of the pony's passport, showing its registration or overstamping with either the AHS, WPCS, DPS, BCPS or NFPB&CS must be logged with GRANDSTAND MEDIA LTD prior to entry in any qualifying round.
8. All ponies must be shown plaited, and in a coloured brow band. All riders must wear a dark coloured jacket.
9. Riders and Owners must be members of either NPS, UKPH, TSR, BSPS, CHAPS, AHS, DPS, BCPS or NFPB&CS.
10. Riders can be of any age with the exceptions of those riding stallions who must have obtained their 14th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.
11. Qualification will not pass below 5th place; qualification will be verified by the Horse of the Year Show.
12. Marks will be awarded as follows: Performance - 50 maximum; Conformation, Movement and Quality - 50 maximum. In the case of equality the highest Performance marks will be deemed the winner. If still equality the judges' decision will be final.

*This Show is a qualifier for the NATIONAL WELSH CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW; please see Page 4 for information.*

*Also the NPS/The Andrews Family Open Ridden Part Bred National Championship.*

### **HORSE of the YEAR SHOW QUALIFIER (NEC, Birmingham, 4th-8th October 2023) CAT PLANT GROUP OF COMPANIES SHOW HUNTER HAMILTON TARMAC SMALL SHOW HUNTER**

**Please refer to Horse of the Year wording on Page 3.**

*The following classes are run under the general rules set out in the HOYS rulebook; a copy of which can be downloaded at [www.hoys.co.uk](http://www.hoys.co.uk)*

*Held under the rules of the B.S.H.A. Horses must be registered with the BSHA, TSRE or SHB(GB) and all owners, riders, producers and riders must be current members of the BSHA, TSR or SHB(GB). Riders must be 15 years of age or older. Registration numbers must be quoted on the entry form. **Classes 155-158 are qualifying classes for the current year's Horse of the Year Show, NEC, Birmingham, 4th-8th October 2023. In the Lightweight, Middleweight, Heavyweight and Small Hunter classes the highest placed unqualified horse in the first three will qualify for Horse of the Year Show. No horse lower than fifth will qualify.***

*Qualification will be verified by Horse of the Year Show Office.*

*Entries in classes 156-158 may not compete in the Horse of the Year Show Small Hunter and vice versa.*

*Judges reserve the right to transfer exhibits into their height sections if they deem it necessary.*

*Competitors must enter the appropriate section, but Section A will be judged first and the judges will have the power to transfer into the appropriate class as they see fit.*

**Judges: Mrs E Green (Ride); Mrs M Thomas (Conf)**

Class 155 HORSE of the YEAR SHOW HAMILTON TARMAC SMALL HUNTER. Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over; exc 148cms but not exc 158cms. A Horse which is registered as a Small Hunter cannot compete in an Open Weight Class.

**Judges: Mrs N Turner (Ride); Mrs M Thomas (Conf)**

Class 156 HORSE of the YEAR SHOW CAT PLANT GROUP OF COMPANIES LIGHTWEIGHT HUNTER. Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over; exc 158cms, capable of carrying 79.5kgs (12 stone 7lbs).

Class 157 HORSE of the YEAR SHOW CAT PLANT GROUP OF COMPANIES MIDDLEWEIGHT HUNTER. Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over; exc 158cms, capable of carrying 79.5kgs (12 stone 7lbs) and not exceeding 89kgs (14 stone).

Class 158 HORSE of the YEAR SHOW CAT PLANT GROUP OF COMPANIES HEAVYWEIGHT HUNTER. Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over; exc 158cms, capable of carrying over 89kgs (14 stone).

## **HORSE of the YEAR SHOW QUALIFIER (NEC, Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023) MEARS FLOORING LADIES SIDE SADDLE HORSE OF THE YEAR**

**Judges: Mrs E Green (Ride); Mrs M Thomas (Conf)**

Please refer to Horse of the Year Show wording on Page 3.

*The following classes are run under the general rules set out in the HOYS rulebook; a copy of which can be downloaded at [www.hoys.co.uk](http://www.hoys.co.uk)*

Class 159 HORSE of the YEAR SHOW MEARS FLOORING LADIES SIDE SADDLE HORSE CLASS. Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over, exceeding 148cms to be ridden side saddle by a lady. Open to all horses registered with the BSHA, Hunters may also be registered with TSR or SHB(GB). All riders, owners and producers must be members of the BSHA, TSR or SHB(GB). Exhibits will be required to gallop/extend together during the go-round phase. Qualification will not pass below 5th place. Qualification will be verified by the Horse of the Year Show Office.

Class winner to receive the J & J Boardman Trophy.

Class 159 is a qualifier for the Horse of the Year Show

***Class 159 is a qualifier for the CHAPS UK Ladies Side Saddle Final to be held at the CHAPS Championship Show 2023, at Arena UK, Grantham. Qualification will go to the highest placed coloured horse or pony. Riders/owners need not be members, horse/pony need not be CHAPS Registered at the time of qualification; but in order to compete in the Final both membership of owner and rider, and registration of horse/pony must be in place within 14 days of qualification.***

***Schedules will be available online at [www.chapsuk.com](http://www.chapsuk.com) from mid-May or by sending an SAE to C Hamilton, High Ash Barn, Sandy Lane, Chisworth, Glossop SK13 5RZ.***

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 146 and 155-159 to compete.

## **SIDE SADDLE ASSOCIATION**

**Judges: Mrs M Thomas**

Class 160 CLASSICAL LADIES SIDE SADDLE. **Classical Ladies Side Saddle Qualifying Class.** Open to S.S.A. Members and Non-Members, aged 18 and over on January 1st of the current year, riding side saddle, on horses exceeding 148cms (14.2hh). To be judged 25% conformation and action, 25% manners and way of going, 25% rider and 25% turnout of horse & rider, by a SHBGB, BSHA, or SSA Panel Judge. Judges may request a short show, but will not ride exhibits; horses will not be stripped. Traditional habits must be worn. Fancy dress and Period Costumes NOT permitted. N.B. Silk hats are permitted to be worn in this class **at any time of the day.** Judges must use the mark sheet provided. 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, this may be passed down to fourth place. Special rosettes are offered by Mrs T Mitchell and Mr L Mitchell to the winner and if the winner has already qualified a second rosette is awarded with the qualification card. Qualifying combinations are required to become Full Members of the S.S.A. 21 days prior to the National Side Saddle Show to be eligible or as soon as possible if qualified after that date in order to compete at the Final.

The 4 highest placed Riding Horse, Hack (not exc 160cms), Cob or Hunter Mare or Gelding 4 years + ridden by a SSA adult member qualifies for the BSHA Championship Show Ladies Show Horse Championship; and if already qualified the ticket will go to the next highest placed horse down to 5th place. 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 classes at the BSHA Championship Show. If the entries for the show have already closed at the time of qualification SSA Members will not be charged a late entry fee for the Championship.

Class 161 CONCOURS D'ELEGANCE. The sole criteria for this class is the elegance of the picture presented by Horse and rider. Attention must be paid to the rider's personal appearance but detailed inspection of the rider and 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 three or four riders to give a short display. A special rosette will be awarded: to the highest placed registered adult member and the highest placed registered junior member of the S.S.A. carrying their current Championship Points Card. Silk hats are permitted to be worn by adults **IN THIS CLASS AT ANY TIME OF THE DAY.** Juniors **must** wear hats to current British Safety Standards or above; adults not wearing such hats do so at their own risk. The highest placed Junior rider to receive the Pleasley Park Plate.

Class 162 EQUITATION CLASS. **Equitation Championships Open Qualifying Class;** run under S.S.A. Rules defined in the current Members' Handbook. Open to S.S.A. Members and Non-Members. Members carrying their current Championship Points Cards are eligible for S.S.A. Rosettes to 3rd Adult and 3rd Junior places and S.S.A. Championship Points. **Southernden Farm** offers a rosette to the highest placed member under 14 on 1st January in the current year. A rosette in memory of the late Mr R Philpot is offered to the Adult Member and **Manor Grange Stud Show Centre** to the Junior Member, judged to be the best turned out.



**Class 163 BEST HORSE or PONY RIDDEN SIDE SADDLE.** Open to horse and ponies 4 years old and over. Conformation and manners will be taken into consideration; horses/ponies will not be stripped. A Special Rosette will be awarded to the highest placed Adult and Junior Members of the SSA carrying their current Championship Points Cards. The highest placed coloured exhibit ridden by a competitor aged 16 years or over (who has not already qualified) receives a Special Rosette and qualifies for the Side Saddle Final at the CHAPS Championship Show. Open to any type of exhibit. Riders/Owners need not be a member or their exhibit registered with CHAPS at the time of qualification, but in order to compete at the Championships, the Rider/Owner must be a showing member and their horse/pony registered with CHAPS before entering the Final. Lead Rein competitors are eligible for this class. Leaders must be correctly dressed. Combinations qualifying after the current year's CHAPS Finals may carry forward the qualification to the following year.

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st & 2nd prizewinners from classes 160-163 to compete for the Silver Cup.

*Classes 160-163 are qualifiers for the CHAPS UK Ladies Side Saddle Final to be held at the CHAPS Championship Show, August 2023, at Arena UK, Grantham. Qualification will go to the highest placed coloured horse or pony. Riders/owners need not be members, horse/pony need not be CHAPS Registered at the time of qualification; but in order to compete in the Final both membership of owner and rider, and registration of horse/pony must be in place within 14 days of qualification.*

*Schedules will be available online at [www.chapsuk.com](http://www.chapsuk.com) from mid-May or by sending an SAE to C Hamilton, High Ash Barn, Sandy Lane, Chisworth, Glossop SK13 5RZ.*

**Class 164 SIDE SADDLE COSTUME CONOURS d'ELEGANCE.** The sole criterion for this class is the elegance of the picture presented by horse/pony and rider, and the way of going of the horse/pony.

Safe tack must be used. Detailed inspection of the rider's period costume is not required. Fancy dress is not permitted. Competitors are required to walk, trot and canter. No individual show is required, but the judge may ask small groups of 3 or 4 riders to give short displays. A special rosette will be awarded to the highest placed Adult and Junior Members of the SSA carrying their current Championship

Points Card. Competitors should produce a brief resume about their costumes for the Commentator. Juniors must wear hats to current Safety Standards or above for this class. Adult riders not wearing such hats do so at their own risk.

## **RING THREE**

Commencing at 8.00am prompt

### **HORSE of the YEAR SHOW QUALIFIER (NEC, Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023)**

### **NATIONAL PONY SOCIETY /BAILEYS HORSE FEEDS MOUNTAIN &**

### **MOORLAND RIDDEN PONY CHAMPIONSHIP**

Please refer to Horse of the Year Show wording on Page 3.

**Judges: Mr R Sutcliffe (Ride); Ms J Jack (Conf)**

*The following classes are qualifiers for the National Pony Society/Baileys Horse Feeds Ridden Mountain & Moorland Pony of the Year Championship. NEC Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023. This competition is open to stallions, mares and geldings, four years old and over, to be registered in the main body and complying with the showing requirements of their respective stud books. Part-breds and mares with a living foal born during the current season are not eligible to compete.*

*Riders can be of any age with the exception of those riding stallions who must have attained their 12th birthday (small breeds) or 14th birthday (large breeds) before 1st January in the current year. Correct riding attire must be worn, spurs are not allowed and whips must not exceed 30". Ponies must not exceed the height limits as stipulated by the relevant breed societies. Riders and Owners must be members of their respective Breed Society, NPS, UKPH, The Showing Register, or BSFS.*

*Judges may only judge one Horse of the Year Show M&M Ridden qualifying competition during the current year and marks must be awarded as follows:*

*Show, freedom of action – Maximum 50;*

*Breed, type, conformation – Maximum 50.*

*The highest placed pony (not already qualified) from the first three in the final judging will qualify for Horse of the Year Show 2023, subject to verification of qualification from the Horse of the Year Show Office. Qualification will not pass below 3rd place.*

*All animals competing in M&M classes will be required to be in possession of a current/valid JMB height certificate within 28 days of the notification of qualification from HOYS or by the closing date of HOYS entries, whichever is sooner. Failure to do so may result in qualification being removed at the discretion of GML. JMB certificates are not required to enter this qualifier.*

*These classes are run under the general rules set out in the HOYS rule book; a copy of which can be downloaded at [www.hoys.co.uk](http://www.hoys.co.uk) In the case of equality the pony with the highest show, freedom of action will be deemed the winner; if there is still equality at this point, then the judges' decision is final.*

**Class 165 National Pony Society/Baileys Horse Feeds Ridden M&M HIGHLAND.** Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over registered in the main body of their respective stud book.



- Class 166 National Pony Society/Baileys Horse Feeds Ridden M&M NEW FOREST Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over registered in the main body of their respective stud books.
- Class 167 National Pony Society/Baileys Horse Feeds Ridden M&M DALES. Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over registered in the main body of their respective stud book.

## LUNCH BREAK

**Judges: Ms J Jack (Ride); Mr R Sutcliffe (Conf)**

- Class 168 National Pony Society/Baileys Horse Feeds Ridden M&M CONNEMARA. Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over registered in the main body of their respective stud book National Pony Society/Baileys Horse Feeds
- Class 169 National Pony Society/Baileys Horse Feeds Ridden M&M WELSH D Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over registered in the main body of their respective stud book.
- Class 170 National Pony Society/Baileys Horse Feeds Ridden M&M FELL. Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over registered in the main body of their respective stud books  
**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 165-170 to compete for the Awards & Promotions Cup.

Classes 165-170 are Qualifiers for the UKPH Ridden M&M Pony of the Year Supreme Championship, at UKPH Spring Classic 2024.

Classes 165-170 are Qualifiers for the NPS/Ringside Stud Open Ridden M&M National Championship to be held at NPS Summer Championship Show, Malvern, 1st-3rd August 2023.

## RING FOUR

Commencing at 8.00am prompt

### **HORSE of the YEAR SHOW QUALIFIER (NEC, Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023) JUNIOR RIDDEN M&M PONY OF THE YEAR**

Please refer to Horse of the Year Show wording on Page 3.

**Judges: Mrs M Taylor (Ride); Mrs J Griffin (Conf)**

*This competition is open to mares and geldings, four years old and over, to be registered in, and complying with the showing requirements of, the main body of their respective stud books. Ponies must not exceed the height limits as stipulated by the relevant Breed Societies. Part-breds are not eligible to compete. Riders and Owners must be members of their respective Breed Society, NPS, UKPH, The Showing Register or BSPS.*

*Marks will be awarded in the following way:*

*Show, Freedom of Action - 50 maximum. Breed type and conformation - 50 maximum.*

*Please note that at the Horse of the Year Show, riders MUST NOT compete in both the Mountain & Moorland Lead Rein/First Ridden Pony of the Year and the Junior Mountain & Moorland Pony of the Year.*

*In the case of equality, the pony with the highest show, freedom of action mark will be deemed the winner. If there is still equality at this point, then the Judges' decision is final.*

*This class is a qualifying class for the Horse of the Year Show, NEC, Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023 Qualification will not pass below 3<sup>rd</sup> place and will be verified by the Horse of the Year Show office.*

*These classes will be run in accordance with the general rules as set out in the Horse of the Year Show rule book, a copy of which can be downloaded from [www.hoys.co.uk](http://www.hoys.co.uk)*

*All animals competing in M&M classes will be required to be in possession of a current/valid JMB height certificate within 28 days of the notification of qualification from HOYS or by the closing date of HOYS entries, whichever is sooner. Failure to do so may result in qualification being removed at the discretion of GML.*

- Class 171 JUNIOR RIDDEN M&M LARGE BREEDS. Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over. Open to New Forest, Connemara, Fells, Dales, Highlands, Welsh Section C and D. Riders must have attained their 10th birthday before the 1st January in the current year, and not have gained their 18th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.
- Class 172 JUNIOR RIDDEN M&M SMALL BREEDS. Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over. Open to Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Welsh Section A and B ponies. Riders must have attained their 10th birthday before the 1st January in the current year, and not have gained their 14th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 171 & 172 to compete.

# HORSE of the YEAR SHOW QUALIFIER (NEC, Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023) NATIONAL PONY SOCIETY/BAILEYS HORSE FEEDS RIDDEN M&M CHAMPIONSHIP QUALIFIER

Please refer to Horse of the Year Show wording on Page 3.

Judges: Mrs K Scott (Ride); Mr S Howard (Conf)

*The following classes are qualifiers for the National Pony Society /Baileys Horse Feeds Ridden Mountain & Moorland Pony of the Year Championship. NEC Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023. This competition is open to stallions, mares and geldings, four years old and over, to be registered in and complying with the showing requirements of their respective stud books. Part-breds and mares with a living foal born during the current season are not eligible to compete.*

*Riders can be of any age with the exception of those riding stallions who must have attained their 12th birthday (small breeds) or 14th birthday (large breeds) before 1st January in the current year. Correct riding attire must be worn, spurs are not allowed and whips must not exceed 30". Ponies must not exceed the height limits as stipulated by the relevant breed societies. Riders and Owners must be members of their respective Breed Society, NPS, UK Ponies and Horses, The Showing Register, or BSPS.*

*Judges may only judge one Horse of the Year Show M&M Ridden qualifying competition during the current year and marks must be awarded as follows: Show, freedom of action – Maximum 50; Breed, type, conformation – Maximum 50.*

*The highest placed pony (not already qualified) from the first three in the final judging will qualify for Horse of the Year Show 2023 subject to verification of qualification from the Horse of the Year Show Office.*

*All animals competing in M&M classes will be required to be in possession of a current/valid JMB height certificate within 28 days of the notification of qualification from HOYS or by the closing date of HOYS entries, whichever is sooner. Failure to do so may result in qualification being removed at the discretion of GML.*

*These classes are run under the general rules set out in the HOYS rule book; a copy of which can be downloaded at [www.hoys.co.uk](http://www.hoys.co.uk) In the case of equality the pony with the highest show, freedom of action will be deemed the winner; if there is still equality at this point, then the judges' decision is final.*

Class 173 NATIONAL PONY SOCIETY/BAILEYS HORSE FEEDS RIDDEN M&M DARTMOOR. Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over registered in the main body of their respective stud book.

Class 174 NATIONAL PONY SOCIETY/BAILEYS HORSE FEEDS RIDDEN M&M EXMOOR & SHETLAND. Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over registered in the main body of their respective stud book.

Class 175 NATIONAL PONY SOCIETY/BAILEYS HORSE FEEDS RIDDEN M&M WELSH SECTION A. Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over registered in the main body of their respective stud books.

Class 176 NATIONAL PONY SOCIETY/BAILEYS HORSE FEEDS RIDDEN RIDDEN M&M WELSH SECTION B. Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over registered in the main body of their respective stud book.

Class 177 NATIONAL PONY SOCIETY/BAILEYS HORSE FEEDS RIDDEN RIDDEN M&M WELSH SECTION C. Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over registered in the main body of their respective stud book.

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 173-177 to compete for The Hewid Arthur Trophy.

Classes 173-177 are Qualifiers for UKPH Ridden M&M Pony of the Year Supreme Championship at the UKPH Spring Classic 2024.

Classes 173-177 are Qualifiers for the NPS/Ringside Stud Open Ridden M&M National Championship to be held at NPS Summer Championship Show, Malvern, 1st-3rd August 2023.

*This Show is a qualifier for the NATIONAL WELSH CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW; please see Page 4 for information.*

## RING FIVE

Commencing at 10.00am prompt

### HORSE of the YEAR SHOW QUALIFIER (NEC, Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023)

#### PARDUS WEALTH LEAD REIN & FIRST RIDDEN CLASSES

Please refer to Horse of the Year Show wording on Page 3. Judges: Mr J Harforth (Ride); Mrs C Dew (Conf)

*These classes will be run in accordance with the general rules as set out in the Horse of the Year Show rule book, a copy of which can be downloaded from [www.hoys.co.uk](http://www.hoys.co.uk)*

*Marks will be awarded in the following way: Manners and way of going - 50 maximum. Conformation, type and freedom of action - 50 maximum. In the case of equality, the pony with the highest manners and way of going mark will be deemed the winner. If there is still equality at this point, then the Judges' decision is final.*

*The following classes are qualifiers for the Horse of the Year Show, NEC, Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023. Riders, ponies and owners must be members of NPS, UK Ponies and Horses, TSR or BSPS. A copy of a valid JMB certificate must be lodged with that society.*

Class 178 PARDUS WEALTH LEAD REIN PONY. Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over. Not exceeding 122cms. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday by the day of competition, but not have attained their 8th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

*The highest placed pony not already qualified from the first five will qualify for the Horse of the Year Show 2023. Qualification will be verified by the Horse of the Year Show office.*

**Class 179 PARDUS WEALTH FIRST RIDDEN PONY.** Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over. Not exceeding 122cms. Riders not have attained their 10th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

*The highest placed pony not already qualified from the first five will qualify for the Horse of the Year Show 2023. Qualification will be verified by the Horse of the Year Show office.*

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 178 & 179 to compete.

## **HORSE of the YEAR SHOW QUALIFIER (NEC, Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023)**

### **LEAD REIN PONY OF HUNTER TYPE**

**Please refer to Horse of the Year Show wording on Page 3.**

**Judge: Mrs G Simpson**

*This class will be run in under the general rules as set out in the Horse of the Year Show rule book, a copy of which can be downloaded from [www.hoys.co.uk](http://www.hoys.co.uk)*

*Marks will be awarded in the following way: Manners and way of going - 50 maximum. Confirmation, type and freedom of action - 50 maximum. In the case of equality, the pony with the highest manners and way of going mark will be deemed the winner. If there is still equality at this point, then the Judges' decision is final.*

*The following class is a qualifier for the Horse of the Year Show, NEC, Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023. Riders and owners must be members of NPS, UK Ponies and Horses, TSR or BSPS. Ponies must be registered with either NPS, UK Ponies and Horses, TSR or BSPS and a copy of a valid JMB certificate lodged with that society. Obstacles will be used in both the qualifying rounds and the final. Qualification will not pass below 5th place and will be verified by the Horse of the Year Show office.*

**Class 180 LEAD REIN PONY OF HUNTER TYPE.** Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over. Not exceeding 122cms. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday by the day of competition, but not have attained their 9th birthday before the 1st January in the current year. The highest placed pony not already qualified in the first five will qualify for the Horse of the Year Show 2023.

1st place in class 180 will qualify for the Binks Family Champion of Champions.

## **HORSE of the YEAR SHOW QUALIFIER (NEC, Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023)**

### **COLNE MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND LEAD REIN CHAMPIONSHIP QUALIFIER**

**Please refer to Horse of the Year Show wording on Page 3.**

**Judges: Mr G Dunkley (Ride): Mrs A Squires (Conf)**

*These classes will be run under the general rules as set out in the Horse of the Year Show rule book, a copy of which can be downloaded from [www.hoys.co.uk](http://www.hoys.co.uk)*

*Marks will be awarded in the following way: Show, Freedom of Action - 50 maximum. Breed type and conformation - 50 maximum. In the case of equality, the pony with the highest show, freedom of action mark will be deemed the winner. If there is still equality at this point, then the Judges' decision is final.*

*The following class is a qualifier for the Colne Mountain & Moorland Lead Rein Pony of the Year Championship, NEC, Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023. This class is open to Mountain & Moorland Mares and Geldings, 4 years old or over, registered in the main body of their respective Stud Books. Ponies not to exceed 122cms, however ponies must not exceed the height limits as stipulated by their respective breed societies. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday by the day of competition, but must not have attained their 9th birthday before the 1st January in the current year. The highest placed pony not already qualified from the first three will qualify to compete at Horse of the Year Show 2022. Subject to verification of qualification from the Horse of the Year Show Office. Qualification will not pass below 3rd place.*

*Riders and owners must be members of their respective Breed Society, NPS, UK Ponies and Horses, TSR or BSPS.*

*Please note: All animals competing in M&M Classes will be required to be in possession of a current/valid JMB Height Certificate within 28 days of the notification of qualification from HOYS or by the closing date of HOYS entries, whichever is sooner. Failure to do so may result in qualification being removed at the discretion of GML. JMB Certificates are not required to enter this qualifier.*

**Class 181 COLNE M&M LEAD REIN.** Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over. Not exceeding 122cms. Rider not to have attained their 9th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

*This Show is a qualifier for the NATIONAL WELSH CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW; please see Page 4 for information.*

## **HORSE of the YEAR SHOW QUALIFIER (NEC, Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023)**

### **MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND FIRST RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP QUALIFIER**

**Please refer to Horse of the Year Show wording on Page 3. Judges: Mr G Dunkley (Ride); Mrs A Squires (Conf)**

*These classes will be run under the general rules as set out in the Horse of the Year Show rule book, a copy of which can be downloaded from [www.hoys.co.uk](http://www.hoys.co.uk)*

*Marks will be awarded in the following way: Show, Freedom of Action - 50 maximum. Breed type and conformation - 50 maximum. In the case of equality, the pony with the highest show, freedom of action mark will be deemed the winner. If there is still equality at this point, then the Judges' decision is final.*

*The following class is a qualifier for the Mountain & Moorland First Ridden Pony of the Year Championship, NEC, Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023. This class is open to Mountain & Moorland Mares and Geldings, 4 years old or over, registered in the main body of their respective Stud Books. Ponies not to exceed 128cms, however ponies must not exceed the height limits as stipulated by their respective breed societies. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday by the day of competition, but must not have attained their 12th birthday before the 1st January in the current year. The highest placed pony not already qualified from the first three will qualify to compete at Horse of the Year Show 2023. Subject to verification of qualification from the Horse of the Year Show Office. Qualification will not pass below 3rd place.*

*Riders and owners must be members of their respective Breed Society, NPS, UK Ponies and Horses, TSR or BSPS.*

*Please note: All animals competing in M&M Classes will be required to be in possession of a current/valid JMB Height Certificate within 28 days of the notification of qualification from HOYS or by the closing date of HOYS entries, whichever is sooner. Failure to do so may result in qualification being removed at the discretion of GML. JMB Certificates are not required to enter this qualifier.*

**Class 182 FIRST RIDDEN.** Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over. Not exceeding 128cms. Rider not to have attained their 12th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 181 & 182 to compete

*This Show is a qualifier for the NATIONAL WELSH CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW; please see Page 4 for information.*

### **MINI SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP.**

1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 178-182 to compete for the PAULINE BARFIELD TROPHY.

## **RING SIX**

Commencing at 8.00am prompt

### **HORSE of the YEAR SHOW QUALIFIER (NEC, Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023) WORKING HUNTER**

**Please refer to Horse of the Year Show wording on Page 3.**

**Judges: Mrs E Green (Jump); Miss J Shaw (Conf)  
Course Builder: Mr D Norlander**

**Class 183 WORKING HUNTER.** Stallion (competing stallions must have a red, white and blue ribbon displayed in their tail), Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over exceeding 148cms (14.2hh approx) to be judged under Horse of the Year Show rules, a copy of which can be downloaded from [www.hoys.co.uk](http://www.hoys.co.uk) Any weight which has qualified as a Grade A Show-jumper or Advanced Event horse as at 1st January in the current year is not eligible to compete in Working Hunter classes.

Marks will be awarded in the following way: PHASE I (60 Marks). A: Jumping Points, 40; B: Style while jumping, 20. PHASE II (40 Marks). C: Conformation, 20; D: Ride, 20. In the event of equality the Conformation Mark from Phase II will take precedence, followed by the Ride Mark and then the Style Mark. Fences will not exceed height of 1.14m (3ft 9ins). **Fences should have a natural appearance and not be easily dislodged; there should be a minimum of 8 fences and a maximum of 12 fences. The course must contain a combination and should contain a water tray.** This class will be judged in two parts. Part One (Jumping) will be judged first, without a jump-off. All clear rounds and any other horses the judges may require will go forward to the next part. A rider can ride up to two horses in the jumping phase but then must select only one horse to take forward into the ride and conformation section if so required (no change of rider is allowed).

The highest placed unqualified horse in the first three will qualify to enter Horse of the Year Show 2023. No horse placed lower than third will qualify. Qualification will be verified by Horse of the Year Show Office.

Held under the rules of the BSHA. Horses must be Registered with the BSHA, TSR or SHB(GB) and owners, producers and riders must be BSHA, TSR or SHB(GB) members. Riders must be 15 years of age or older. Registration numbers must be quoted on entry form.

All competitors must wear a skull cap or hat and safety harness according to the current Approved BSI or European Standards during the jumping phase. Skull caps to have a navy blue or black cover.

## B.S.P.S. WORKING HUNTER PONY

Judges: Mrs B Calderbank (Jump); Mr G Dunkley (Conf)

Course Builder: Mr D Norlander

- Class 184 OPEN WHP. Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over not exceeding 133cms. Riders not to have attained their 14th birthday before 1st January in the current year.
- Class 185 OPEN WHP. Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over exceeding 133cms but not exceeding 143cms. Riders not to have attained their 17th birthday before 1st January in the current year.
- Class 186 OPEN WHP. Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over exceeding 143cms but not exceeding 153cms. Riders not to have attained their 20th birthday before 1st January in the current year.
- Class 187 OPEN INTERMEDIATE WH. Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over exceeding 148cms but not exceeding 158cms. Riders not to have attained their 25th birthday before 1st January in the current year.
- Riders in BSPS WHP classes MUST wear a body protector - Rule 49a.**
- CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 184-187 to compete for the Somerford Shield.
- Classes 184-186 1st & 2nd prize winners will qualify for BSPS Summer Championships. Class 187 1st, 2nd & 3rd will qualify for the BSPS Summer Championships.
- 1st place in classes 184-187 will qualify for the BSPS Binks Family Champion of Champions.*
- Classes 184-187 are qualifiers for WHP at the UK Ponies and Horses Spring Classic 2024.

## HORSE of the YEAR SHOW QUALIFIER (NEC,Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>October2023) WORKING HUNTER PONY

Please refer to Horse of the Year Show wording on Page 3. Judges: Mrs J Griffin (Jump); Mr J Harforth (Conf)

Course Builder: Mr D Norlander

**This competition is open to mares and geldings, four years old or over. Ponies must be registered with either NPS, UKPH, TSR or BSPS and a copy of a valid JMB height certificate lodged with that Society. Riders and Owners must be members of either NPS, UK Ponies and Horses, TSR or BSPS.**

ALL competitors to declare to the ring steward. The following will be run under Horse of the Year Show Rules, a copy of which can be downloaded at [www.hoys.co.uk](http://www.hoys.co.uk)

Marks will be awarded in the following way:

Phase I - 70 Marks (A - Jumping Points - 50 Marks; B - Style while jumping - 20 Marks)

Phase II - 30 Marks (C - Conformation, Type, Freedom of Action - 20 Marks; D - Manners & Way of Going - 10 Marks).

In the event of equality the TOTAL MARK from Phase 1 will take precedence, followed by the MANNERS mark, and then the CONFORMATION, TYPE and FREEDOM OF ACTION MARK.

This class is a qualifying class for Horse of the Year Show, NEC, Birmingham, 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> October 2023. Qualification will not pass below 5th place. Qualification will be verified by the Horse of the Year Show office.

- Class 188 INTERMEDIATE WORKING HUNTER. Mare gelding, 4 years old or over exceeding 148cms but not exceeding 158cm. Riders not to have attained their 25th birthday before the 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year
- Class 189 153cm WORKING HUNTER PONY. Mare or gelding, 4 years old or over exceeding 143cms but not exceeding 153cms. Riders not to have attained their 20th birthday before 1st January in the current year.
- Class 190 143cm WORKING HUNTER PONY. Mare or gelding, 4 years old or over exceeding 133cms but not exceeding 143cms. Riders not to have attained their 17th birthday before 1st January in the current year.
- Class 191 133cm WORKING HUNTER PONY. Mare gelding, 4 years old or over not exceeding 133cms. Riders not to have attained their 14th birthday before the 1<sup>st</sup> Jan in the current year.

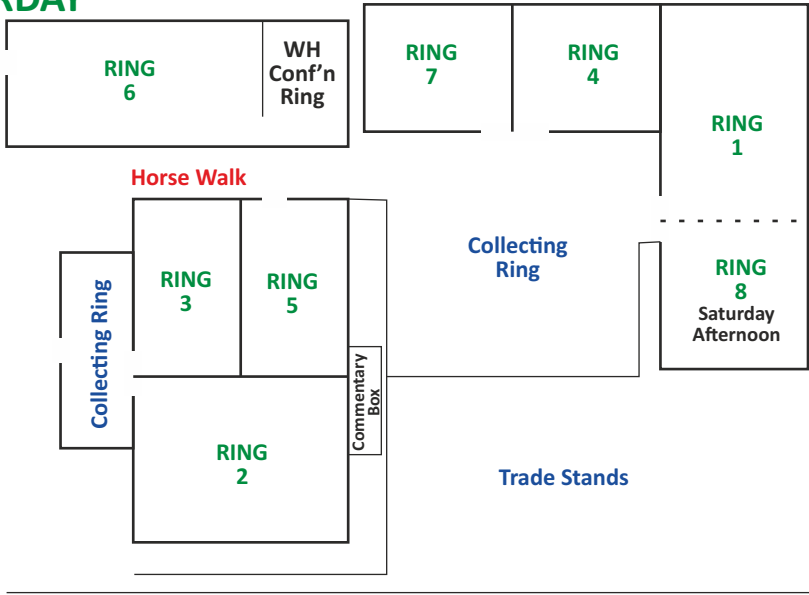
**CHAMPIONSHIP.** 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 188-191 to compete.

*1st place in classes 188-191 will qualify for the BSPS Binks Family Champion of Champions.*

*Classes 188-191 are qualifiers for the NPS/Rivervalley Stud Open Working Hunter Pony National Championship to be held at NPS Summer Championship Show at Malvern, 1st-3rd August 2023. The owner does not have to be an NPS Member to enter this competition or to qualify, but the owner must be an NPS Qualifying or Life Member to enter the final.*

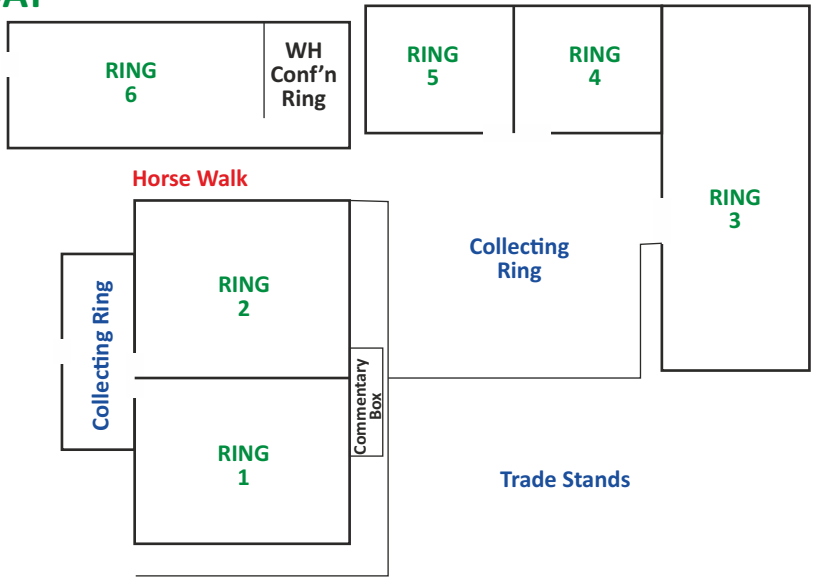
Qualifier Height	Fences (Min)	Height (Max)	Spread (Min)	Spread (Max)
Not exc 133cms	75cm	90cm	70cm	100cm
Exc 133cms but not exc 143cms	85cm	100cm	80cm	110cm
Exc 143cms but not exc 153cms	90cm	105cm	85cm	115cm
Intermediate	100cm	115cm	95cm	125cm

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# SUNDAY



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