

Sioe Aberystwyth a Sir Ceredigion Aberystwyth and Ceredigion County Show

i'w chynnal ar / to be held at

**Gaeau Gelli Angharad
Capel Bangor
Aberystwyth**

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Teulu Abercwmddolau Family

ar / on

**Sadwrn 14eg Fehefin 2025
Saturday 14th June 2025**

Postal Livestock entries close on 15th May 2025

Online Livestock entries close on 23rd May 2025

NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED

www.sioeaberystwythshow.co.uk

Pris Mynediad / Admission:

Oedolion / Adults: £10.00 in advance, £12.00 on Show day
Disgyblion Uwchradd / Secondary School Pupils: £5 in advance, £6 on
Show day

Plant Cynradd / Primary school children: AM DDIM / FREE

Please see each section for entry fees

Membership: £10.00

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AFFILIATED TO:

Shire Horse Society, Welsh Pony & Cob Society, Shetland Pony Stud Book Society, Chaps (UK) 17090, Veteran Horse Society, Association of Shows & Agricultural Organisations, Poultry Club of Wales and Poultry Club of Great Britain.

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SAFETY POLICY STATEMENT

The Society's General Policy is as follows:

To conduct the Society's undertaking in such a way as to ensure so far as reasonably practicable, that persons who may be affected by its activities are not exposed to risks to their Health and Safety.

To bring to the notice of all Exhibitors, Retailers, Caterers and their Agents and Employees their duty to co-operate with the Society to ensure that this Policy is effective and to offer all necessary assistance to ensure the Health and Safety at the Show of all Exhibitors and others on the Society's Showground.

It is incumbent upon those participating or attending the Show before, during and after the Show to prevent accidents and to assist the Society in their aims by preventing accidents and abiding by the instructions given by the Officials and Stewards of the Show.

To achieve these aims, appropriate risk assessments will be carried out for the individual exhibitors and the Society's activities.

Emergency Procedure

These instructions should be adhered to in the event of a major incident occurring on the Showground during Show period.

- i. The Safety Officer should be contacted immediately by public address or radio.
- ii. The Major Incident Control point will be the Secretary's Marquee.
- iii. First Aid sites are located on the Show Field. If required contact should be made with the nearest Paramedic personnel.
- iv. Gate Stewards will assist Emergency vehicles to the scene of the incident.
- v. Casualty Centre has been identified as the Sponsors Area
- vi. Should total evacuation of the Showground be required the Safety Officer will enlist the help of all Stewards to ensure that this is done in an orderly fashion via the Main Entrances.

Reporting of Injuries and Dangerous Occurrences (Riddor)

Any accident or incident must be reported to the Show Safety Officer immediately. The Safety Officer will investigate all incidents and liaise with the appropriate enforcing authority and show organisers. All accidents will be recorded in the Society's accident book.

Responsibilities for Health and Safety

The Society has overall responsibility for all aspects of Health and Safety and shall require everybody under its control to be familiar with regulations, codes of practice and the society's procedure for ensuring the safe working conditions on the Society's premises.

Safety Advisory Committee

The Safety Advisory Committee shall be responsible for:

- i. Providing guidance and advice on health and safety matters
- ii. Liaising with all statutory and external authorities and other appropriate organisations
- iii. Investigating and recording all accidents
- iv. Briefing and training all officials and stewards on the emergency procedure prior to show day

The Safety Officer shall co-ordinate health and safety and take charge of emergency and major incidents in the Showground.

Organisers, Trade Stand Personnel, Contractors

Organisers, Trade Stand Personnel, Contractors, and their respective employees as well as Estate Owners and their Agents are responsible for ensuring that:

- i. Everything reasonably practicable is done to ensure the Health, Safety and Welfare of those attending the Show.
- ii. They conduct themselves, so that they do not put themselves or anyone else at risk.
- iii. The access to and egress from the site is safe and unobstructed.
- iv. Members of the Public and Competitors are equally responsible for ensuring that they do not put other persons at risk and that they co-operate with the organisers in compliance with Health and Safety legislation.

Health and Safety Arrangements

- a. Electricity. The position and routes of overhead, underground and temporary electrical cables and distribution systems will be agreed, evidence of recent examination and test certificates for electrical installations and apparatus will be obtained for show ground installations and from individual exhibitors; earthing and earth leakage protection will be provided as necessary.
- b. Generators must be positioned well clear of tentage and any other flammable materials.
- c. Liquid Petroleum Gas. Trade Stand personnel and Caterers with LPG appliances should have these examined and tested by a competent person.
- d. Machinery should only be used by competent people; loaned equipment should be fully serviceable. Plant and machinery should only be operated after adequate safety precautions have been taken. Chainsaw operators should be correctly clothed and equipped. Chains should be of adequate strength and attached to the towing tractor below the axle.
- e. Animals. Routes used by Horses, Public and Vehicles will, as far as possible, be kept separate. Horses are not allowed into the Trade Stand and Catering areas. Dogs should be always kept on a lead and children must be supervised by an adult.
- f. Safety Information. Warning notices and signs are prominently displayed.
- g. Toilet and Washing Facilities. Adequate provision has been made for the expected number of visitors.
- h. Food Hygiene. Caterers are responsible for complying with Local Authority Environmental Health Department Legislation/Food safety act.
- i. Licensing for Alcoholic Refreshment. Licences are held for alcohol sale.

If any person attending a Show fails to comply with the reasonable requirements relating to Health and Safety at the Show, then the Society will have the right to eject that person from the Show.

If Society officials fail to take adequate action where a breach comes to their notice, then they could perhaps find themselves, albeit unwillingly, in the position of condoning a breach of the regulations.

All persons attending the Show whether they be Officials, Competitors or Members of the Public must comply with the Health and Safety Regulations.

SPECIAL REGULATIONS APPLYING TO ALL HORSE ENTRIES

1. Any person riding a horse anywhere on the showground is required to wear a hard hat of a standard approved by their appropriate governing body and ensure that the chin strap is fastened.
2. Horses must remain in the horse section, horse walks and judging areas only.
3. Stallions/colts may not be led nor ridden by any Junior who has not attained their 14th birthday by 1st January in the current year in any class.
4. The onus is on every rider who suffers a fall, or anybody who suffers an injury whilst on the showground, to report the fall/injury to the Secretary.

See back of schedule for show rules and regulations.

Stondinau Masnach Trade Stands

Judge: Mrs Llinos Spenser, Show President

Special 90. A Perpetual Challenge Cup, presented by the Borough Council of Aberystwyth will be given to the Best Trade Exhibit.

Ring	1 A	1B	2A	2B	2C	3
09:00	M&M	Coloured Horses & Ponies		Section B's	Section D's	Children's Riding followed by Hunters, Hunter Riding, Hacks & Riding Horses followed by Veteran Horses
09:30	followed by Palominos	Not before 11:30 Young Handlers	(09:30) Section A's	followed by Section C's		
			Judging of Welsh Champion (immediately following completion of A,B,C,D in-hand Judging)			
Approx 12:30	Parade of vintage vehicles					
Approx. 13:30 (as soon as practically possible following vintage demo	Welsh Under Saddle	Shetland ponies followed by Under 14.2hh Championship	Shire Horses	Welsh Part Breds Followed by Carriage Driving		
	Judging of Supreme Horse & Pony					

ALL TIMES APPROXIMATE

Whilst every effort has been made with our timetable, it will be inevitable that some classes will class. In this event, it is the exhibitors' responsibility to decide which class to compete in.

AMSERAU BRAS YN UNIG

Er y gwneir pob ymdrech i lunio ein hamserlen, mae'n anochel y bydd rhai dosbarthiadau yn gwrthdaro. Mewn achosion tebyg bydd yn gyfridoldeb ar yr arddangoswr i benderfynu pa ddosbarthiadau y carent gystadlu ynddynt.

Adran Geffylau Horse Section

Judging of horse section to commence at 9.00am prompt

Entry Fees: £10, Members £8

Prizes: 1st - £15, 2nd - £10 and 3rd - £7 in all sections unless otherwise stated.

Horse numbers will be issued on the day, NO passes will be issued beforehand.

Please use Entrance B on the Lovesgrove roundabout.

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This Show offers qualification for
THE NATIONAL WELSH CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW.

10th August 2025. Three Counties Showground, Malvern.

See Sections relevant to registered Welsh breeds (In Hand & Ridden) for qualification details.

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

This show is affiliated to the Welsh Pony and Cob Society. Affiliation No. AF000277
Animals must be entered correctly in line with the rules, detailed in the WPCS Judging and Showing Handbook which can be found on the Society website www.wpcs.uk.com or requested from the WPCS office. Failure to comply with the rules may result in the withholding of awards.

Your personal data

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

Ceffylau Gwedd / Shire Horses

Classes H01-H07 held under Shire Horse Society Rules

Judge: Mr B W Morgan, Abergavenny

Prizes: £25 £15 £8

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| Class H01 | Barren Mare or Gelding |
| Class H02 | Mare, in foal or with foal at foot |
| Class H03 | Colt, Gelding or Filly foal out of mare in Class H02. All foals to be at least 3 weeks old on day of show. |
| Class H04 | One year old Colt, Filly, or gelding |
| Class H05 | Two- or three-year-old Filly or Gelding |
| Class H06 | Stallion any age |
| Class H07 | Local class. Best Shire horse bred and registered in Ceredigion |
| Class H08 | Ridden Heavy Horse – Open to exhibitors of heavy horses registered in the main British Stud Books of the Shire, Clydesdale, Suffolk, or Percheron Society aged 4 years old or over. |
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| Special 1 | The Emlyn Lewis Memorial Perpetual Silver Challenge Cup will be presented to the best exhibit in Shire Classes. |
| Special 2 | The Brongenau Perpetual Challenge Cup , presented by Mr & Mrs C.T. Evans, Brongenau Hall, Llandre, will be awarded to Best Exhibitor of opposite sex to Special 1 |
| Special 3 | The Heys Moss Rose Perpetual Challenge Cup , presented by Mrs H.V. Williams, Parc Carnedd, Rhydlewis will be awarded to the Best Filly, two years old and under, exhibited in the Shire Horse Section |
| Special 3A | The Millennium Shire Perpetual Challenge Cup presented by Mr Barry Mathews, for the best Shire Horse bred and registered in Ceredigion, and shown by an exhibitor residing in Ceredigion. |
| Special 3B | The Shire Horse Society offer a Silver Spoon and Rosette for the Best Mare or Filly in the Shire Classes. The winning animal must be registered in the Stud Book or Grade B register. If not already a member, the winner of the Special Prize must become a member of the SHS. No animal is eligible to take more than one Silver Spoon during one year. The SHS show being excepted. (The winning animal must be free from disease). |
| Special 3C | The Rheidol Shires Perpetual Challenge Cup presented by Mr & Mrs Barry Matthews, Rheidol Shires, Aberffwd, Aberystwyth for the best Young Handler in the Shire Section. |

Welsh Ponies and Cobs In-Hand

A Silver Medal presented by Aberystwyth and Ceredigion County Show will be awarded to the Best exhibit in Section A, B, C, D & Part Bred

Members of the C.W.P.C.A will be awarded points for all classification of all ages placed in Sections A, B, C, D and Part Bred.

Merlod Mynydd Cymreig (Adran A) Welsh Mountain Ponies (Section A)

Judge: Mrs Sally Langford (Salbrook), Leicestershire

Prizes: £15 £10 £7

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| Class H09 | Yearling colt |
| Class H10 | Yearling Filly or Gelding |
| Class H11 | Two- or Three-year-old Colt |
| Class H12 | Two- or Three-year-old Filly or Gelding |
| Class H13 | Barren Mare or Gelding, 4 years or over |
| Class H14 | Brood Mare with foal at foot, 4 years old or over |
| Class H15 | Colt, Gelding or Filly foal out of mare in class 14. All foals to be at least 3 weeks old on day of show. |
| Class H16 | Mountain Pony Stallion, 4 years old or over |
| Special 5 | Challenge Cup , Presented by Aberystwyth Oil Distributors Ltd., will be awarded for the Best Exhibit in Mountain Pony Section. The cup to be won three times in succession or five times in all. |
| Special 6 | The Derwen Perpetual Challenge Cup , presented by Messrs E.R. Lloyd and Sons, will be awarded to Best Exhibit of Opposite Sex to winner of Special 5. |
| Special 6A | Special Rosette will be awarded to the best Youngstock Exhibit (3yrs old or under) in the Welsh Mountain Ponies (Section A) classes. |

This Section is a qualifier for **The National Welsh Championship Show 2025 - National Section A In-Hand Championship**. The **Section Champion, Reserve & Youngstock Champion** (not already qualified) qualify to enter.

This Section is a qualifier for **The National Welsh Championship Show 2025 - National Gelding In-Hand Championship** sponsored by Sarum Stud. All 1st & 2nd placed WPCS registered Section geldings in relevant classes (not already qualified) qualify to enter.

A Silver Medal presented by Aberystwyth and Ceredigion County Show will be awarded to the best exhibit in the Section.

Merlod Cymreig (Adran B) Welsh Ponies (Section B)

Judge: Mrs D Jones (Fairywood), Llanelli

Class H17	Yearling Colt
Class H18	Yearling Filly or Gelding
Class H19	Two- or three-year-old Colt
Class H20	Two- or three-year-old Filly or Gelding
Class H21	Barren Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over
Class H22	Brood Mare with foal at foot, 4 years old or over
Class H23	Colt, Gelding or Filly foal out of mare in Class 22. All foals to be at least 3 weeks old on day of show.
Class H24	Stallion, 4 years old or over
Special 7	The Evans Bros Estate Agents & Auctioneers Perpetual Challenge Punch Bowl for the best Exhibit in Welsh Ponies Section B. This cup to be won three times in succession before becoming property of the exhibitor.
Special 8	The Gay Thompson Challenge Bowl , will be awarded to the Best Exhibitor of Opposite Sex to winner of Special 7.
Special 8B	The Sarnau Perpetual Cup in memory of Mrs J Edwards, Sarnau Stud presented for the Youngstock Champion.

This Section is a qualifier for **The National Welsh Championship Show 2025 - National Section B In-Hand Championship**. The **Section Champion, Reserve & Youngstock Champion** (not already qualified) qualify to enter.

This Section is a qualifier for **The National Welsh Championship Show 2025 - National Gelding In-Hand Championship** sponsored by Sarum Stud. All 1st & 2nd placed WPCS registered Section geldings in relevant classes (not already qualified) qualify to enter.

A Silver Medal presented by Aberystwyth and Ceredigion County Show will be awarded to the best exhibit in the Section.

Merlod Cymreig Teip Cob (Adran C) Welsh Pony of Cob Type (Section C)

Judge: Mr V Moore (Ty Cwm), Ebbw Vale

Class H25	Yearling Colt
Class H26	Yearling Filly or Gelding
Class H27	Two- or three-year-old Colt
Class H28	Two- or three-year-old Filly or Gelding
Class H29	Barren Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over
Class H30	Brood Mare with foal at foot, 4 years old or over

- Class H31** Colt, Gelding or Filly foal out of mare in Class 30. All foals to be at least 3 weeks old on day of show.
- Class H32** Stallion, 4 years old or over
- Special 9** **Perpetual Challenge Cup.** Given in memory of the Late Mr. J.F. Lewis, Glanrheidol. Breeder of the Champion Mare 9534 "Piercefield Lady Lillian". To be awarded annually at the Society's Show to the Best Exhibit registered in Section C of the W.S.B., presented by Joan Viscountess Chetwynd.
- Special 10** **Perpetual Challenge Cup,** presented by Mrs I. Davies, in memory of the late Mr. Islwyn Davies, Ivy Bank, Llanbadarn Fawr, will be awarded to the Best Exhibit of Opposite Sex to Special 9.
- Special 10A** **The Davies Bros. Padarn Dairy Perpetual Challenge Cup,** will be awarded to the Best Youngstock Exhibit (3 years old or under) in the Welsh Cob Type (Section C) classes.
- Special 10B** **Aberarth Stud Perpetual Cup,** awarded in memory of Hopkin Rowlands, Aberarth Stud will be awarded to the Best Section C Cob foal.

This Section is a qualifier for **The National Welsh Championship Show 2025 - National Section C In-Hand Championship.** The **Section Champion, Reserve & Youngstock Champion** (not already qualified) qualify to enter.

This Section is a qualifier for **The National Welsh Championship Show 2025 - National Gelding In-Hand Championship** sponsored by Sarum Stud. All 1st & 2nd placed WPCS registered geldings in relevant classes (not already qualified) qualify to enter.

A Silver Medal presented by Aberystwyth and Ceredigion County Show will be awarded to the best exhibit in the Section.

Cobiau Cymreig (Adran D) **Welsh Cob (Section D)**

Judge: Mr A Thomas (Caederwen), Ebbw Vale

- Class H33** Yearling Colt
- Class H34** Yearling Filly or Gelding
- Class H35** Two- or three-year-old Colt
- Class H36** Two- or three-year-old Filly or Gelding
- Class H37** Barren Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over
- Class H38** Brood Mare with foal at foot, 4 years old or over
- Class H39** Colt, Gelding or Filly foal out of mare in Class 38. All foals to be at least 3 weeks old on day of show.
- Class H40** Stallion, 4 years old or over
- Special 11** **The Cefnendre Perpetual Challenge Cup,** presented in memory of the late Mr W.H. Northwood, will be awarded to the best Welsh Cob, registered in Section D of the W.S.B.

- Special 12** **The Jim Ystradteilo Perpetual Memorial Cup**, will be awarded to the Best Exhibit of Opposite Sex to winner of Special 11.
- Special 13** **The Ffynnonoer Challenge Cup**, presented in memory of the late Tom Wright, Ffynnonoer, to be won three times in succession or five times in all, will be awarded to the best youngstock exhibit (3 years old or under) in the Welsh Cob (Section D) classes
- Special 13c** **Gwrthafarn Perpetual Cup**, awarded in memory of William & Margaret Rowlands, Gwrthafarn Stud will be awarded to the Best Section D Cob foal.

This Section is a qualifier for **The National Welsh Championship Show 2025 - National Section D In-Hand Championship**. The **Section Champion, Reserve & Youngstock Champion** (not already qualified) qualify to enter.

This Section is a qualifier for **The National Welsh Championship Show 2025 - National Gelding In-Hand Championship** sponsored by Sarum Stud. All 1st & 2nd placed WPCS registered geldings in relevant classes (not already qualified) qualify to enter.

A Silver Medal presented by Aberystwyth and Ceredigion County Show will be awarded to the best exhibit in the Section.

PENCAMPWRIAETH COBIAU A MERLOD CYMREIG MEWN LLAW

WELSH PONY AND COB IN-HAND CHAMPIONSHIP

FAILURE TO COME FORWARD, WILL RESULT IN PRIZE MONEY BEING FORFEITED.

JUDGES:

Mrs Sally Langford (Salbrook), Leicestershire

Mrs D Jones (Fairwood), Llanelli

Mr V Moore (Ty Cwm), Ebbw Vale

Mr A Thomas (Caederwen), Ebbw Vale

- Special 14A** **The Ifan Phillips Perpetual Memorial Trophy** presented by Barbara, Delyth, Iola and Rhian in memory of Ifan Phillips, Ffynnon Ddu, Clarach will be awarded to the best youngstock exhibit (3yrs old or under) in the Welsh Pony and Cob section.
- Special 14** **The J.D. Hughes Memorial Challenge Trophy** will be awarded to the Best Exhibit in the Welsh Pony and Cob Classes.
- Special 14B** **The Fitzgerald Perpetual Trophy** presented by Mr M Fitzgerald, Lancashire will be awarded to the best Welsh foal in the Welsh Pony and Cob Section

Bridiau Cymreig yn cael eu Marchogaeth Ridden Welsh

Judge: Mr R Marks. Worcs

Class H41 Open Lead Rein – A or B mares or geldings 4 years and over, not exceeding 122cms. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday by the day of the competition but must not have attained their 9th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Ponies must be shown in a suitable snaffle bridle – reins to go directly from the bit to the rider's hands. Lead rein must be attached to the noseband only.

This Class is a qualifier for **The National Welsh Championship Show 2025 - National Welsh Mini LR Championship** sponsored by The Brynseion Stud. All 1st & 2nd placed Section A or B ponies (not already qualified) qualify to enter.

Class H42 Open First Ridden – A or B mares or geldings 4 years and over, not exceeding 128cms. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday by the day of the competition, and not have attained their 12th birthday before the 1st January in the current year. Ponies to be shown in any suitable snaffle bridle. Competitor will not be asked to canter round together.

This Class is a qualifier for **The National Welsh Championship Show 2025 - National Welsh Mini FR Championship** sponsored by The Brynseion Stud. All 1st & 2nd placed Section A or B ponies (not already qualified) qualify to enter.

Special 13A **Mini Championship** – The Society will present their Championship Rosette. Open to 1st and 2nd prize-winners of classes H41 and H42.

Dosbarthiadau Nofis i Ferlod a Chobiau Cymreig Novice Ridden Welsh

Open to competitors who have not won a 1st prize before 1st January of the current year. Suitable snaffle bridle to be worn.

Class H43 Novice A and B – Welsh Mountain Pony Section A or Welsh Pony Section B stallion, mare or gelding, shown under saddle. 4 yrs old or over.

Class H44 Novice C and D – Welsh Pony Cob Type or Welsh Cob stallion, mare or gelding, shown under saddle 4 yrs old or over.

Dosbarthiadau Agored i Ferlod a Chobiau Cymreig

Welsh Open Ridden

- Class H45** Ridden A Welsh Mountain Pony Section A, Stallion, Mare or gelding shown under saddle 4yrs old or over to be judged at a walk, trot, canter and gallop.
- Class H46** Ridden B Welsh Pony Section B, Stallion, Mare or gelding shown under saddle 4yrs old or over to be judged at a walk, trot, canter and gallop.
- Class H47** Ridden C Welsh Pony of Cob Type Section C, Stallion, Mare or gelding shown under saddle, 4yrs old or over to be judged at a walk, trot, canter and gallop.
- Class H48** Ridden D Welsh Cob Section D Stallion, Mare or Gelding shown under saddle, 4yrs old or over to be judged at a walk, trot, canter and gallop.
- Class H49** Ridden Welsh Part Bred Welsh Part Bred stallion, mare or gelding shown under saddle (any height), 4yrs old or over to be judged at a walk, trot, canter and gallop.

Special 15 Novice & Open Championship – Open to 1st and 2nd prize-winners of classes H43-H49. Winner to receive a WPCS Performave Medal.

Special 15A The winner of **Special 13A (Mini Championship)** and the winner of **Special 15** will go forward to compete for the Aberystwyth & Ceredigion County Show Silver Medal for the Champion Welsh Ridden Exhibit.

Special 13B The Rhineland Perpetual Trophy, presented by members of the German Association to commemorate their visit to the Aberystwyth Show in 1995 will be presented to the best Welsh Cob or Cob Type shown under saddle (the first and second prize winners to compete from classes H47&H48 to compete.

This Section is a qualifier for **The National Welsh Championship Show 2025 - National Ridden Welsh Breeds Championships** sponsored by The Brynseion Stud and **National Ridden WPBR Championship**. All 1st & 2nd placed WPCS registered Welsh exhibits (not already qualified) in each class qualify to enter their respective National Championship Ridden class.

This is a WPCS Performance Sire Rating Show.

Palomino, Gwanedig neu Smotiog Palominos, Dilute or Spotted

Judge: Miss Amber Pryce, Abergavenny

In relation to head wear for Ridden Classes Competitors must wear a skull cap or hat and safety harness according to the current BSI or European Standards at all times.

Class H50	Stallion, Mare or Gelding, four years old and over
Class H51	Yearling, Two or Three-year-old, Colt, Filly or Gelding
Class H52	Stallion, Mare or Gelding shown under saddle 4 years and over

- Special 17** **The H.F. Eacock Memorial Perpetual Trophy** to be held for one year, will be awarded to the Best Exhibit in the Palomino, Dilute and Spotted section
- Special 18** **The Cambrian Garages Landrover Perpetual Challenge Trophy** presented by Cambrian Garages, Aberystwyth for the best exhibit in class H50.
- Special 19** **The British Palomino Society Award of Merit Rosettes** will be awarded to class winners.

Merlod Ynysoedd y Sietland Shetland Ponies

Judge: Mrs J James, Staffs

1. Confined to SPS-BS registered ponies. Ponies must be named on the entry form and in the catalogue if one is produced. Society rosettes must only be given to ponies registered with the Society or to foals eligible for registration.
2. Three-year-old fillies with foals at foot may not be shown. All foals must be a minimum of three weeks old on the day of the Show.
3. **IN ORDER TO ENTER A STALLION CLASS AT AN AFFILIATED SHOW, ENTIRE MALES AGED 4 YEARS OLD AND OVER MUST HAVE AN "S" NUMBER AND HAVE BEEN SUCCESSFULLY THROUGH EITHER THE SPS-BS STALLION ASSESSMENT PRIOR TO 2006 OR THE CURRENT SPSBS VOLUNTARY VETERINARY EXAMINATION.** Ridden stallions **MUST** display a stallion bridle badge. Inhand entire males 2 years and over are advised to display a stallion bridle badge.
4. There must be no colts or entire males in Young Handlers classes. Children under 14 years old may not show colts (excluding foals) or entire males in In-hand classes. Children under 12 years old on the day of the show may not show entire males in ridden classes. In the interests of safety, hard hats must be worn by all handlers aged 14 years or under in In-hand classes. Exhibitors should not kneel but remain standing while in the ring. Hard hats must be worn by all exhibitors, irrespective of age, in ridden classes. Ridden and driven ponies must be 4 years old or over.

In ridden Classes, if a rider falls off at any time whilst in the ring, both pony and rider must leave the ring, rider dismounted and take no further part.

- Class H53** Stallion, three years old and over
Class H54 Mare or Gelding, four years old and over
Class H55 Colt, Gelding or Filly foal out of mare in Class 54. All foals to be at least 3 weeks old on day of show.
Class H56 Two- or three-year-old, Colt, Filly or Gelding
Class H57 Yearling Colt, Filly or Gelding
Class H58 Open Ridden, Ponies four years old and over, rider any age.

Special 21 All exhibits must be registered or eligible for registration with the Shetland Pony Stud- Book Society, who will award their rosettes to:

- (a) Champion and Reserve Champion Exhibits
- (b) Junior Champion and Junior Reserve
- (c) Best Foal
- (d) Open Ridden
- (e) Best Lead Rein

The South and West Wales Shetland Group Highest placed Members Rosette to be awarded to the highest placed member in each class. Membership cards must be shown.

Special 22 **Perpetual Challenge Cup, presented by D.A. Hoscroft** will be awarded for the Best Exhibit in the Shetland Pony Section.

Ceffylau Hela, Ceffylau Hac, Ceffylau Marchogaeth a Marchogaeth Dull Ochr Gyfrwy Sport Horse, Hunter Riding, Hacks, Riding Horses & Side Saddle

Judge: Mr Carl Owen (Bangor)

In relation to headwear – competitors must wear a skull cap or hat and safety harness according to the current approved BSI or European Standard at all times. Skull caps must have a blue or black cover. Any competitor not adhering to this will be asked to leave the ring/class.

- Class H59** Sport Horse 3 years old or under to be shown in hand.
Class H60 Small Hunter, 4 years old or over exceeding 148 cms. (14.2 hh) but not exceeding 158cms (15.2hh)
Class H61 Lightweight Mare or gelding 4 years old or over capable of carrying 14 stone and under
Class H62 Heavyweight Mare or gelding 4 years old or over capable of carrying over 14 stone
Class H63 Local (confined to the County of Ceredigion) Hunter 4yrs old and over (Winner is not eligible for Special 29).

- Special 29** **Jillian Webb Perpetual Memorial Trophy** kindly donated by Mr W L Davies Esgairnewydd, in memory of the late Jill Webb, devoted friend and partner for 16 year, will be awarded to the Champion in class H59-H62 (winner of class H63 not eligible).
- Class H64** Open Hack, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, mixed height.
- Special 30A** **The Robert Oliver Perpetual Challenge Trophy** will be awarded to the winner of class H64.
- Class H65** Small Riding Horses, Mares or Geldings 4 years old and over exceeding 148 cms and not exceeding 158 cms. Riders to have attained their 15th birthday before 1st January in the current year.
- Class H66** Large Riding Horses, Mares or Geldings, 4 years old and over exceeding 158 cms. Riders to have attained their 15th birthday by 1st January in the current year.
- Special 33A** **The Thomas Bros Perpetual Challenge Trophy** will be presented by Messrs Thomas Bros. Y Felin, Penrhyncoch for the best exhibit in the Riding Horse classes H65 and H66.
- Class H67** Side saddle - Open Class. The age for juniors is having obtained their 5th birthday and under 18 on the 1st of January of the current year.
- Special 35** **A Perpetual Silver Trophy**, presented by Mrs Karen Evans, will be awarded to the winner of H67 to be held for one year.

Championship – Open to 1st and 2nd prize-winners of classes H59-H67.

This Section is a qualifier for **The National Welsh Championship Show 2025 – National Ridden Welsh Part Bred Championships**. All 1st & 2nd placed WPCS registered Welsh Part Bred exhibits in each class (not already qualified) qualify to enter. Unregistered qualifiers with 12.5% Welsh blood may retrospectively register with WPCS prior to entry.

Merlod Marchogaeth i Blant Children's Riding Ponies

Judge: Mr Carl Owen (Bangor)

- Class H68** Novice Show Pony or Show Hunter Pony, Mare or Gelding, not exceeding 148cms. Riders not to have attained their 20th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Riders to be the correct age for the height of pony they ride. Open to ponies 4 years old and over.
- Class H69** Mixed Height Open Show Pony 14.2hh & under – rider to be the correct age for the height of the pony they ride. Open to ponies 4 years old and over.
- Class H70** Mixed Height Open Show Hunter Pony 15hh & under – rider to be the correct age for the height of the pony they ride. Open to ponies 4 years old and over.
- Class H71** Open Show Pony / Show Hunter Pony Intermediate Pony not exceeding 158cms. Rider to be the correct age for the height of the pony

Championship – Open to 1st and 2nd prize-winners of classes H68-H71.

- Class H72** Leading rein pony 4 years old and over – not exceeding 122cms. Rider not to have attained their 8th birthday.
- Class H73** First Ridden Pony not exceeding 122cms – rider not to have attained their 10th birthday.

Championship – Open to 1st and 2nd prize-winners of classes H72-H73

N. B. Correct age of rider must coincide with current British Show Pony Society rules regarding appropriate age of rider and height of pony.

All classes (excl H68) are qualifiers for **The National Welsh Championship Show 2025 - National Ridden Welsh Part Bred Championships**. All 1st & 2nd placed WPCS registered Welsh Part Bred exhibits in each class (not already qualified) qualify to enter. Unregistered qualifiers with 12.5% Welsh blood may retrospectively register with WPCS prior to entry.

Special 38 Challenge Cup presented by Aberystwyth Tractors Ltd. Park Avenue, will be awarded to the Best Exhibit in Classes H68 – H71. This Cup to be won three times, not necessarily in succession.

Special 39 Mini Championship. A Perpetual Challenge Cup presented in memory of Mrs Betty Seaton Evans will be awarded for the Best Exhibit in the Leading Rein and First Ridden Classes (Classes H72-H73).

Rhan-Frid Cymreig / Welsh Part-Bred

Judge: Mr R Marks, Worcs

These classes are open to both Horses and Ponies, and animals contesting them must be registered or applied for registration in the WPCS WP-BR Register.

The Welsh Part-bred section will be run under WPCS rules.

- Class H74** Yearling colt, filly or gelding not exceeding 148cms at maturity.
- Class H75** Two- or three-year-old colt, filly or gelding not exceeding 148cms at maturity.
- Class H76** Stallion, mare or gelding; four years old or over not exceeding 148cms.
- Class H77** Yearling colt, filly or gelding exceeding 148cms at maturity.
- Class H78** Two- or three-year-old colt, filly or gelding exceeding 148cms at maturity.
- Class H79** Stallion, mare or gelding; four years old or over exceeding 148cms.

Championship – Open to 1st and 2nd prize-winners of classes H74-H79

A Silver Medal presented by Aberystwyth and Ceredigion County Show will be awarded to the Best exhibit

- Special 46.** **The Sarnau Perpetual Cup**, awarded in memory of Mrs J Edwards, Sarnau Stud for the best two or three year in the Welsh Part-Bred (between winner of class H75 & H78).
- Special 46A** **The Williams and Williams Veterinary Surgery Perpetual Challenge Trophy** will be awarded to the Champion horse or pony in the Welsh Part-Bred Section.

This Section is a qualifier for **The National Welsh Championship Show 2025 - National WPBR In-Hand Championship**. The **Section Champion, Reserve & Youngstock Champion** (not already qualified) qualify to enter.

This Section is a qualifier for **The National Welsh Championship Show 2025 - National Gelding In-Hand Championship** sponsored by Sarum Stud. All 1st & 2nd placed WPCS registered geldings in relevant classes (not already qualified) qualify to enter.

Ceffylau Lliw

Coloured Horses and Ponies

Judge: Mrs Sally Chamberlain, Holywell

This show is affiliated to the Coloured Horse & Pony Society (UK). Affiliation Number: 19158. 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 need to be a current showing member and present their valid Qualifier card IN THE RING for signing by the judge.

Members to apply in writing to CHAPS (UK) for appropriate qualifier card. The CHAPS (UK) Championship Show will be held on 15-17 August 2024. Shows held on or after the Postal Entry closing date of Championship Show will count as 2025 qualifiers. The following classes are CHAPS (UK) Qualifiers (classes H80-85)

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| Class H80 | CHAPS (UK) Non – Native Open In-Hand Qualifier 4 years old or over. Open to any size horse/pony, to be shown plaited and trimmed. |
| Class H81 | CHAPS (UK) Native/Cob/Traditional Open In-Hand Qualifier 4 years old or over. Open to any size horse/pony, to be shown in natural state or fully trimmed and hogged. |
| Class H82 | CHAPS (UK) Open Youngstock Qualifier – Yearlings only. |
| Class H83 | CHAPS (UK) Open Youngstock Qualifier – 2 or 3 year old to be shown in-hand. |
| Class H84 | CHAPS (UK) Non-Native Open Ridden Qualifier four years old and over. Open to horses/ponies of any height, to be shown plaited or trimmed. All exhibits to perform individual show and will not be ridden by the judge. |
| Class H85 | CHAPS (UK) Native/Cob/Traditional Open Ridden Qualifier – four years old and over. Open to horses/ponies of any height, to be shown in natural state or fully trimmed and hogged. Exhibits will not be ridden by the judge. |
| Special 46B | A Perpetual Challenge Trophy will be awarded to the Champion horse or pony in the Coloured Horse Section. |

Ceffylau Hŷn Veteran Classes

Judge: Mrs Sally Chamberlain, Holywell

Veteran Horse Society – AREA QUALIFIER 2024.

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Open to members and non-members. All competitors and grooms must adhere to VHS Rules in all circumstances. Failure to do so may result in immediate disqualification.

VHS Regional Final qualification. All competitors placed 1st to 4th in each age category will qualify for the corresponding class at VHS Regional Finals. Members must carry their cards in the ring and have their showing card signed by the judge in the ring as proof of qualification. Non-members will receive a red qualification card which can be exchanged for signed showing card when applying for VHS membership. This MUST be done within 21 days of qualification. It is the competitors' responsibility to present their Showing card to the judge.

Regional Finals are open to members only.

All competitors are eligible to enter open classes at the National Veteran Championships, to be held at Arena UK Lincolnshire on 30th August – 1st September 2025. No qualification or membership necessary. See VHS website for schedule.

For further information please visit the VHS website www.veteran-horse-society.co.uk or telephone the VHS Show Office on 01239 881300 or 07789 514004.

- Class H86** Veteran In-Hand, Combined Age Class (15 years and over).
To be run as one class but judged as separate age categories:
Diamond Veteran (25 years and over), Veteran (20–24 years) & Pre-Veteran (15–19 years). Open to horses and ponies of any breed and height.
- Class H87** Veteran Ridden, Combined Age Class (15 years and over).
To be run as one class but judged as separate age categories:
Diamond Veteran (25 years and over), Veteran (20–24 years) & Pre-Veteran (15–19 years). Open to horses and ponies of any breed and height.
- Special 51** **The Jane Jones and Family of Bancyffordd Perpetual Cup** to be awarded to the best exhibit in the Veteran Section.

Merlod Mynydd a Gweundir Mountain & Moorland

Judge: Miss Amber Pryce, Abergavenny

- Class H88** Mixed In-Hand Mountain & Moorland Small Breeds, any age. Registered in their respective Pure Breed Society Stud Book of Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Welsh Section A & B.
- Class H89** Mixed In-Hand Mountain & Moorland Large Breeds, any age. Registered in their respective Pure Breed Society Stud Book Connemara, Dales, Fells, Highland, Newforest, Welsh Section C & D.
- Class H90** Leading Rein Mountain & Moorland. Registered in their respective Pure Breed Society Stud Book Mare or Gelding 4yrs old or over not exceeding 122cms. Rider not to have attained their 9th birthday before 1st January in the current Year – to be led by an attendant and shown in Snaffle Bridles, lead rein to be attached to the noseband only.
- Class H91** First Ridden Mountain & Moorland. Registered in their respective Pure Breed Society Stud Book Mare or Gelding 4 yrs old or over not exceeding 128cms and rider not to have attained their 12th birthday before the 1st January in the current year. Ponies may be shown in any suitable bridle.
- Class H92** Mixed Ridden Mountain & Moorland Small Breeds. Registered in their respective Pure Breed Society Stud Book Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Welsh Section A & B. Stallion, Mare or Gelding 4yrs old or over. Rider any age.
- Class H93** Mixed Ridden Mountain & Moorland Large Breeds. Registered in their respective Pure Breed Society Stud Book Connemara, Dales, Fells, Highland, Newforest, Welsh Section C & D. Stallion, Mare or Gelding 4yrs old or over. Rider any age.
- Special 50** **The Castle Rosettes Challenge Trophy** will be presented to the Best Exhibit in the Mountain and Moorland classes.

The National Welsh “Brynseion Lead Rein” Championship.

The 2 highest placed registered Welsh Sec A or B will qualify from class H90.

The National Welsh “Brynseion First Ridden” Championship.

The 2 highest placed registered Welsh Sec A or B will qualify from class H91.

This is a WPCS Performance Sire Rating Show.

Cystadleuaeth Tywysydd Ifanc Young Handler Competition

HARD HATS MUST BE WORN

Rosettes to all competitors

Judge: Miss Amber Pryce, Abergavenny

Prizes: 1st £10, 2nd £7; 3rd £5 NO ENTRY FEE

- Class H94** Best Child Handler in the Horse / Pony section aged 3 and under 8 years of age on 1st January 2024. Mares, Fillies or Geldings
- Class H95** Best Child Handler in the Horse / Pony section aged between 8 and under 12 years of age on 1st January 2024. Mares, Fillies or Geldings
- Class H96** Best Child Handler in the Horse / Pony section aged between 12 and 16 years of age on 1st January 2024. Mares, Fillies or Geldings

Turn-out of exhibit and handler and ring performance will be judged, not the conformation of the horse or pony.

Adran Yrru / Carriage Driving

Judge: TBC

All competitors must have proof of third-party liability insurance such as British Driving Society membership. Children under the age of 14 must wear hard hats.

Prizes: £25 £15 £10

- Class H97** Open Private Driving singles, pairs or tandem for equines 4 years old and over to a traditional type turnout. Exhibit to be shown in vehicle other than show wagon and to be judged as a complete turnout, i.e. horse & harness, vehicle and their suitability as a private driving turnout.
If sufficient entries, classes will be split into 2 - under 13.2hh and over 13.2hh.
- Class H98** Harness Class, Open to a single Welsh Pony or Cob, Stallion, Mare or Gelding 4 years old and over to be shown in single Harness to a Show Wagon or Viceroy.
- Class H99** Exercise Vehicle Class, open to singles, pairs or tandems of equines, 4 years old and over. To be shown in an exercise vehicle (excluding Traditional Type vehicles and show wagons) and judged as a complete turnout, i.e. Horse, Harness and Carriage and their suitability as a safe road turnout. Also open to Novices.

Special 49 **The Llwynhefin Perpetual Memorial Cup**, presented in memory of the late Mr. W. Jenkins, will be awarded for the Best Exhibit in Harness, to be held for one year.

Pencampwriaeth mewn Llaw dan 14.2h.h. (148cms) The under 14.2h.h. (148 cms) In-Hand Championship

Judge: Mr Carl Owen

Failure to come forward, **will** result in prize money being forfeited.

The Champion and Reserve Champion from all the In-Hand pony sections are eligible to compete, as well as the winner from pony section 148 cms and under that do not have their own section championship. All ponies eligible are subject to the height limit of 148 cms.

Special 25 The Russell Evans Memorial Challenge Cup, presented by Ystwyth Veterinary group will be awarded to the winner of the Under 148 cms. In-Hand Championship.

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PENCAMPWR ADRAN GEFFYLAU SUPREME CHAMPION HORSE SECTION

Judge: Mrs Sue Keylock, Herefordshire

ALL CHAMPIONS TO COME FORWARD TO COMPETE.

Failure to come forward to this championship will result in your prize money being forfeited.

Special 51 Cwpan ARTHEN Perpetual Cup

Presented by the Aberystwyth and Ceredigion County Show committee in memory of John L Davies (John “Rhiwarthen”) a long serving member of this committee. This will be presented to the Supreme Horse Champion.

Special 52 A crystal decanter presented by Evans Bros. Auctioneers Aberaeron will be perpetually awarded to the reserve supreme champion in the horse section.