Heavy Horse

THE FOLLOWING FOUR SECTIONS WILL BE SHOWN IN KING GEORGE THE V PARK

PLEASE NOTE: Horses and Ponies may be exhibited in more than one class, but under no circumstance shall judging be delayed.
Riders are required to wear safety compliant headgear as are children showing in hand under the age of 14 yrs.

PLEASE NOTE: All Horse and Pony Sections Judging to start at 9.00 am. (unless otherwise stated).

PLEASE NOTE: All horses and ponies in these sections winning 1st, 2nd or 3rd Prize must take part in the Stock Parade at approximately 2.00 pm. Failure to do so may result in the Prize Money and Trophies being held back.
In special instances veterinary advice can allow an entry not to take part in the Parade.

Sir Thomas Burnett Cup for Overall Champion in Heavy Horse Section.
Stewart Cup presented by R & K Stewart, Durris for Reserve Overall Champion in Heavy Horse Section.
Special Prize of £100 for Overall Champion and Special Prize of £50 for Reserve Overall Champion In the Heavy Horse Section Kindly sponsored by N.F.U MUTUAL, INVERURIE.
Overall and Reserve Overall Champion Sashes Kindly sponsored by the Leys Estate Group, Banchory.
Overall and Reserve Overall Champion Rosettes Kindly sponsored by the Leys Estate Group, Banchory.

NPS SCOTLAND QUALIFIERS – RULES 2026
To be run under NPS SCOTLAND CHAMPIONSHIP RULES 2026. These rules clarify areas particular to NPS Scotland. We also run to the Rules of the National Pony Society. Copies of these rules can be found on our website www.npsscotland.co.uk EXHIBITORS ARE DEEMED TO BE CONVERSANT WITH THESE RULES.
A judge is not obliged to award an NPS Scotland Qualification if he/she feels that the pony is not of a sufficient standard.
Caledonian Showing Championships.
This show is a qualifier for the Caledonian Showing Championships, which is now fully established as the biggest and best way to end the Scottish Showing season.
This year's show will be held at Howe EC, near Ladybank, Fife on 16/17/18 October 2026
Every horse & pony placed 1st in all Inhand, Ridden Showing classes (not fun classes) will qualify to compete in any appropriate class at the Finals. All Champions & Reserves will qualify for the Champion & Reserves Stakes Finals. Qualification will be from placings, no qualification cards will be awarded in the ring, and no qualification can go down the line.
All qualified horses and ponies will be listed on the Puddledub Show's Facebook page and the website https://puddledubshows.weebly.com
25/07/2026 09:00

Clydesdale Horse

Special prizes of £20 for Champion Clydesdale and £10 for Reserve Champion Clydesdale.
Class 92 – Scone Palace International Horse Trials -- This class is a qualifier for the Ridden Clydesdale Championship to be held at the Scone Palace International Horse Trials on the 27th - 30th August 2026. The first two in each class to qualify. Qualification may go down to 4th place, if horses placed 1st and 2nd have previously qualified. Registered Clydesdales and those eligible for registration may qualify and enter for the Championship.
The Phesdo Trophy presented by Mr J.M Thomson, Crieff for the Champion Clydesdale which replaces the John Blackhall Shield won outright by Mr J.M Thomson.
W Peter Trophy for Reserve Champion Clydesdale.
Harry Law Cup for the Best Opposite Sex to Champion presented by the late George Wight, Drumoak.
Perpetual Trophy for the Best Clydesdale Filly.
Salver presented by the family of the late Mr W Troup, Sauchen for Champion Clydesdale in Saddle.
The Clydesdale Horse Society Shield - A Salver (which will be supplied and engraved by the Clydesdale Horse Society) will be awarded to the Best Yearling or 2 year old Colt or Filly registered or eligible for registration with the Society not having won a Shield before in its lifetime. The shield cannot be won by a gelding, nor can grade ups and colts out of grade up mares The exhibitor must be a current member of The Clydesdale Horse Society.
Young Handlers Class - An Engraved Medal is presented by The Clydesdale Horse Society to the Best Young Handler aged 12 to 16 years on the day of the Show who has not already qualified. The capabilities of the handler are to be assessed not the animal being led. the qualifier will be eligible to compete in the final at the Royal Highland Show in 2027. A merit rosette will be given to all entrants in the class. The Young Handler Scheme and The Young Handler Final are generously sponsored by the James Bennett Fund.
Kindly Sponsored By: NEIL BUCHAN CONTRACTORS

Ring: Heavy Horse

Judges

Lynn Aitken

Number	Name	Description
81	CLYDESDALE MARE WITH FOAL	MARE WITH FOAL
82	CLYDESDALE FOAL	FOAL, ANY SEX
83	CLYDESDALE YELD MARE	YELD MARE, 3 YEARS OR OVER
84	CLYDESDALE COLT/GELDING	COLT OR GELDING, 1 OR 2 YEARS OLD
85	CLYDESDALE FILLY 2 YRS	FILLY, 2 YEARS OLD
86	CLYDESDALE FILLY 1 YEAR	FILLY, 1 YEAR OLD
87	CLYDESDALE GELDING	GELDING, ANY AGE
88	CLYDESDALE STALLION	STALLION
89	CLYDESDALE YOUNG HANDLER	YOUNG HANDLER (12-16 YEARS OLD)
90	CLYDESDALE HARNESS	BEST WITH DECORATED HARNESS
91	CLYDESDALE GROOMING	BEST GROOMING
92	CLYDESDALE IN SADDLE	CLYDESDALE IN SADDLE QUALIFIER FOR SCONE PALACE INTERNATIONAL HORSE TRIALS
93	ANY OTHER BREED HEAVY HORSE	MARE OR GELDING, ANY AGE This Class is to be judged after Clydesdale Champion has been decided but winner is not allowed to compete for Overall Horse Champion

Highland Pony

NPS Scotland/Baileys Horse Feeds Open Ridden Mountain & Moorland Championship.
Stallions, mares and geldings five years and over, registered in the main body of their respective Breed Society stud book.
The two highest placed ponies, not already qualified, in each class will qualify for the Final which will take place at the Scone Palace International Horse Trials on Friday 28th August 2026. Qualifications to go no lower than 4th place.

NPS Scotland/Townhead Pet n Pony In Hand Mountain and Moorland Championship.
The Champion & Reserve Champion in all Mixed pure - bred Mountain and Moorland or Breed Championships will qualify for the Final which will take place at the Scone Palace International Horse Trials on Friday 28th August 2026. Qualification may go to 3rd in the Championship. (i.e. 1st Reserve Champion).
Ponies must be registered in the full body of the Highland Pony Society Stud Book (including appendices A, B & C).
All competing Highland Pony Stallions (In Hand, Ridden, WHP etc) aged 4 years and over must be licensed with the Highland Pony Society.

Special prizes of £20 for Champion and £10 for Reserve Champion.
Special prize of a £10 voucher kindly sponsored by HARBRO for Champion.
Perpetual Cup presented by the late Miss A. R Ritchie, Skene for Champion Highland Pony (Must be registered).
Perpetual Cup presented by the late James Archibald, Ballater for the Best Highland of Opposite Sex to Champion.
Perpetual Trophy presented by Mr Robin Stewart, Durris to be awarded to the Best Highland Filly one, two or three years old (must be registered).
Challenge Shield presented by K. M Ingram to be awarded to the Best Highland Pony in Saddle.
Trophy presented by Susanne Shepherd, Durris for Best Highland Gelding.
Macintosh Trophy presented by M & S Macintosh, Peterhead for the Best Highland Bred by Exhibitor.
Banchory Show is eligible for the Cup presented by North of Scotland Highland Pony Breeders for Most Points at the end of the North East Show season
Ring: Heavy Horse

Judges

Heather Kerr

Number	Name	Description
94	HIGHLAND PONY STALLION	HIGHLAND STALLION, 4 YEARS OLD AND OVER
95	HIGHLAND GELDING	4 YEARS OLD AND OVER
96	HIGHLAND MARE	4 YEARS OLD AND OVER
97	HIGHLAND MARE WITH FOAL	MARE WITH FOAL AT FOOT
98	HIGHLAND FOAL	FOAL
99	HIGHLAND C, F, G 1 YEAR	COLT, FILLY OR GELDING, 1 YEAR OLD
100	HIGHLAND C, F, G 2 YEAR	COLT, FILLY OR GELDING, 2 OR 3 YEARS OLD
101	HIGHLAND PONY IN SADDLE	HIGHLAND PONY IN SADDLE NOT EXCEEDING 14.2 HH
102	HIGHLAND PONY YOUNG HANDLER	YOUNG HANDLER (12 – 16 YEARS OLD)

Shetland Pony

NPS Scotland/Baileys Horse Feeds Open Ridden Mountain & Moorland Championship.
Stallions, mares and geldings five years old and over, registered in the main body of their respective breed Society stud book.
The two highest placed ponies, not already qualified, in each class will qualify for the Final which will take place at the Scone Palace International Horse Trials on Friday 28th August 2026. Qualifications to go no lower than 4th place.
NPS Scotland/Townhead Pet n Pony In Hand Mountain and Moorland Championship.
The Champion & Reserve Champion in all Mixed pure - bred Mountain and Moorland or Breed Championships will qualify for the Final which will take place at the Scone Palace International Horse Trials on Friday 28th August 2026. Qualification may go to 3rd in the Championship. i.e. 1st Reserve Champion
Classes must be confined to SPS – BS Registered Ponies. Ponies must be named on the entry form and in the catalogue. Society rosettes must only be given to ponies registered with the society or to foals eligible for registration.
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.
To enter a stallion in any class (in-hand or performance) at any affiliated show, entire males aged 4 years old and over must have an “S” number and have been successfully through either the SPSBS Stallion assessment prior to 2006 or the current SPSBS Voluntary Veterinary Examination.
Ridden stallions MUST display a stallion bridle badge. In–hand colts/stallions of 2 years old or over must be shown bitted and are advised to display a stallion bridle disc which are available to purchase from the SPSBS.
There must be no colts or entire males in the 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 the ridden classes.
In the interest of safety, hard hats of the current safety standard 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 of the current safety standard must be worn by all exhibitors irrespective of age, in ridden classes. Ridden and Driven ponies must be 4 years old and 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.
Banchory Show is affiliated to the Shetland Pony Society

Special prizes of £20 for Champion and £10 for Reserve Champion.
Special prize of a £10 voucher kindly sponsored by HARBRO for Champion.
Perpetual Challenge Cup presented by the late Miss A. R Ritchie, Skene for Best Shetland Pony in Show over 34” but not exceeding 10.2 HH.
Linklater Cup for Best Shetland Foal. Presented by the late J Linklater, Banchory
Kindly Sponsored By: N E RENDER LTD

Ring: Heavy Horse

Judges

Karan Adams

Number	Name	Description
103	SHETLAND PONY STALLION	SHETLAND STALLION, 4 YEARS OR OLDER
104	SHETLAND PONY GELDING	SHETLAND GELDING
105	SHETLAND PONY Y MARE OR GELDING	SHETLAND PONY YELD MARE OR GELDING
106	SHETLAND PONY C,F,G 1 YEAR	SHETLAND COLT, FILLY OR GELDING 1 YEAR OLD
107	SHETLAND PONY C,F,G 2 YEAR	SHETLAND COLT, FILLY OR GELDING 2 OR 3 YEARS OLD
108	SHETLAND PONY MARE WITH FOAL	SHETLAND MARE WITH FOAL
109	SHETLAND PONY FOAL	SHETLAND FOAL
110	SHETLAND PONY COLOURED	COLOURED SHETLAND PONY - MUST BE TWO DISTINCT COLOURS
111	SHETLAND PONY IN SADDLE	SHETLAND PONY IN SADDLE (MUST BE OFF THE LEAD REIN FOR BLAIR QUALIFIER)
112	SHETLAND PONY YOUNG HANDLER	YOUNG HANDLER (16 YEARS AND UNDER)

Miniature Shetland Pony

NPS Scotland/Baileys Horse Feeds Open Ridden Mountain & Moorland Championship.
Stallions, mares and geldings five years old and over, registered in the main body of their respective breed Society stud book.
The two highest placed ponies, not already qualified, in each class will qualify for the Final which will take place at the Scone Palace International Horse Trials on Friday 28th August 2026. Qualifications to go no lower than 4th place.
NPS Scotland/Townhead Pet n Pony In Hand Mountain and Moorland Championship.
The Champion & Reserve Champion in all Mixed pure - bred Mountain and Moorland or Breed Championships will qualify for the Final which will take place at the Scone Palace International Horse Trials on Friday 28th August 2026. Qualification may go to 3rd in the Championship. i.e. 1st Reserve Champion
Classes must be confined to SPS – BS Registered Ponies. Ponies must be named on the entry form and in the catalogue. Society rosettes must only be given to ponies registered with the society or to foals eligible for registration.
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.
To enter a stallion in any class (in-hand or performance) at any affiliated show, entire males aged 4 years old and over must have an “S” number and have been successfully through either the SPSBS Stallion assessment prior to 2006 or the current SPSBS Voluntary Veterinary Examination.
Ridden stallions MUST display a stallion bridle badge. In–hand colts/stallions of 2 years old or over must be shown bitted and are advised to display a stallion bridle disc which are available to purchase from the SPSBS..
There must be no colts or entire males in the 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 the ridden classes.
In the interest of safety, hard hats of the current safety standard 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 of the current safety standard must be worn by all exhibitors irrespective of age, in ridden classes. Ridden and Driven ponies must be 4 years old and 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.
Banchory Show is affiliated to the Shetland Pony Society

Special prizes of £20 for Champion and £10 for Reserve Champion.
Special prize of a £10 voucher kindly sponsored by HARBRO for Champion.
GEMS rosettes presented in each class for Miniature Shetland Ponies, to the highest placed GEMS member, wearing a 2026 GEMS badge. (Must be wearing a badge).
Young Handler Rosette presented to the winner of the young handler class. (Must be wearing a current gems badge).
Perpetual Trophy presented by North Scotland Shetland Pony Group for Champion Miniature Shetland.
Perpetual Trophy presented by Haybrake Stud for Best Miniature Shetland Bred by Exhibitor.
Perpetual Trophy presented by Haybrake Stud for Best Miniature Foal.
Kindly Sponsored By: N E RENDER LTD

Ring: Heavy Horse

Judges

Karan Adams

Number	Name	Description
113	MINIATURE SHETLAND (under 34”) STALLION	SHETLAND STALLION 4 YEARS OR OLDER
114	MINIATURE SHETLAND (under 34”) GELDING	SHETLAND GELDING
115	MINIATURE SHETLAND (under 34”) Y MARE OR GELDING	SHETLAND PONY YELD MARE OR GELDING
116	MINIATURE SHETLAND (under 34”) C,F,G 1 YEAR	SHETLAND COLT, FILLY OR GELDING 1 YEAR OLD
117	MINIATURE SHETLAND (under 34”) C,F,G 2 YEAR	SHETLAND COLT, FILLY OR GELDING 2 OR 3 YEARS OLD
118	MINIATURE SHETLAND (under 34”) MARE WITH FOAL	SHETLAND MARE WITH FOAL
119	MINIATURE SHETLAND (under 34”) FOAL	SHETLAND FOAL
120	MINIATURE SHETLAND (under 34”) COLOURED	COLOURED SHETLAND PONY – MUST BE TWO DISTINCT COLOURS
121	MINIATURE SHETLAND (under 34”) YOUNG HANDLER	YOUNG HANDLER (16 YEARS AND UNDER)