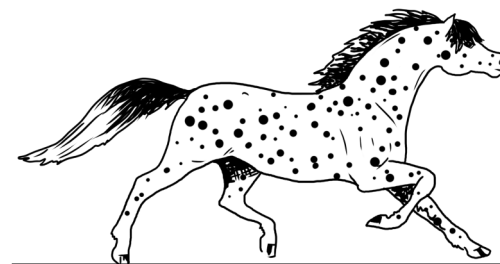


12. Equines when not competing must be kept to the stable or collecting enclosures. They must be kept under control at all times.
13. Competitors who enter more than one class which may clash do so entirely at their own risk. Classes will not be held up and no entries will be refunded.
14. Manes and tails may be plaited, pulled or left natural. Animals under 12 months may not be clipped out but show trimming is allowed. The cosmetic touching up of spots or use of stage makeup on the head is not allowed.
15. All ridden Horses/Ponies must be four years old and over. Junior, family and novice ponies must be shown in a snaffle. No spurs allowed in the Ridden classes.
16. For the ridden classes, classes open to children 3 years and over. Except the fancy dress classes where there is no age restriction. It is the parent/guardians responsibility for care and safety of the child at all times.
17. Three year old mares with foal at foot will not be eligible for Youngstock classes. All foals must be at least 30 days old on the day of the show and be shown at foot until they reach 5 months old. Foals may be shown in a halter, slip or headcollar.
18. All stallions and colts four years old and over must be adequately bitted and in possession of a stallion license with their relevant breed society.
19. Misuse of drugs: The administration of any substance not a normal nutrient, whether intentionally or unintentionally, which may affect the performance, temperament or soundness of an exhibit is forbidden. Such forbidden substances are listed in Appx.IV, F.E.I Veterinary Regulations.
20. Cruelty: Excessive whipping, stimulation by noise, intimidation or infliction of pain by any means, is forbidden in all parts of the showground and stable areas at all times.
21. Conduct: All exhibitors must behave in an orderly and professional manner and not show under the influence of alcohol or drugs.
22. All persons entering the showground do so at their own risk. The organisers accept no responsibility for any accident, loss or injury however caused to any animal, person or property. Parking of horse boxes and trailers in the designated areas only.
23. Amateur Home Produced Rules—Handler must be the owner of the animal entered and not to have been paid for showing or producing any pony for a third party, this includes any remuneration either as employment, casual showing, or any in-kind benefits whatsoever. Animal not to have resided on a professional yard on show or training livery in 2023. And not to have been shown by a professional in 2023. Horse not to have received regular training from a visiting professional in 2023.

Please note that classes may be divided or amalgamated depending on the number of Entries.



British Spotted
Pony Society

National Breed Show

Sunday 16th July 2023

Three Counties Showground

Malvern, WR13 6NW

ENTRIES CLOSE 01st July 2023

Please send Entries to: Zena Jackson, 92 Main Street, Halton Village, Runcorn,
Cheshire, WA7 2AX

Email: info@britishspottedponysociety.co.uk

Enter Online - www.showingscene.com

Judge

Ms Lizzie Houghton/Mr Russell Marks

Photographer

TBC

Class Eligibility

Please note that all animals competing at the show must be Registered/Passported with the British Spotted Pony Society. Please contact our Registrar Zena Jackson if you have any enquiries.

Entry Fees

Member Entry Fee - £10.00 per class. Non Member Entry Fee - £15.00 per class.

Class 32-41 £8 per class

Influenza Vaccinations

The Three Counties Showground ask that horses and Ponies are up to date with their annual Equine Influenza vaccination.

Facilities

Ring One & Two will take place in the Hereford Ring. A warm up area will be allocated.

Camping on site. Toilets and Showers.

Ample Stabling available to book.

Catering

A BBQ provided by the Society will be available after the BSpPS AGM (7.00pm Saturday 16th July) Free for members, Donation non members. Please bring own drinks.

Light refreshments will be available to purchase on the day of Show. A catering van will be on site.

Directions

The Three Counties Showground, Malvern, Worcestershire WR13 6NW.

Enter Showground through the Yellow Gate and follow signs to the parking area.

Stables

Ample stabling available to book which can be done online through the showing scene platform. Alternatively complete the stable booking form and return with your entries. Stables are available from 5.30pm Friday 14th July –End of Show Sunday and can be booked for 1 night £40 or 2 nights £50. Straw is £7 per bale. Stable plan will be at end of stable block.

Trophies

If you have a trophy from a previous year please remember to bring it back or make arrangements to return it in time for this years Breed Show. Many Thanks.

General Show Rules – Please read carefully

1. Entries must be on official forms with correct fees (non-refundable) payable to BSpPS by the closing date. No substitution of entries is permitted. No entries on the day except clear round showjumping. Entries by minors (under 18) should be checked and signed by a parent, guardian or trustee.
2. Entries must include full pedigree if known. Incorrect pedigree can lead to disqualification, genuine mistakes will result in the animal being moved to the correct class. The BSpPS will not be held responsible for any inaccuracy in any pedigree or other particulars in the catalogue, though every care will be taken.
3. The BSpPS reserves the right to amalgamate classes should there be insufficient entries, change or replace judges, add or retain prizes or championships at their discretion. If any class is cancelled entry fees would be refunded. The council reserves the right to reject an entry form, or person if it seems appropriate to do so.
4. Animals must be within the height guidelines for their class. Where the height is specified in a class, an Official may require such an animal to be measured. Half an inch will be allowed for normal shoes. Height guidelines as NPS for ponies 2 years old and over.
5. Age of rider shall be taken as that on the day of show. The age of a Horse/Pony shall be calculated from 1st January in the year of its birth.
6. Objections made in writing and with a deposit of £10.00 handed to the secretary within 15 minutes of the finish of the class concerned. If, upon investigation, the protest is found to be frivolous, the sum shall be forfeited to the Society's funds.
7. The owner/handler of any equine showing signs of disease or distress will be asked to remove the animal from the showground.
8. Judges must not judge Horses/Ponies, which they, or their immediate family have bred, sold, leased, produced or received financial gain from, excluding stud fees.
9. The Judge's decision shall be final. Classes should be judged on conformation, correct movement and manners, depending on the class description. Coat, colour and markings should be taken into consideration if two or more Horses/Ponies are equal on their other merits. Is it at the discretion of the judge to withhold the 1st or other prizes should the quality of entries not justify the prize.
10. A riding hat and safety harness to current standards, MUST BE WORN by all competitors in ridden classes. WHIPS and CANES must not exceed 30" except for side saddle. Exhibitors and Grooms must be neatly dressed in the show ring. For Championships only rosettes from qualifying classes for that Championship may be worn.
11. All dogs MUST be kept on a lead and under proper control at all times.

Ring One - Continued Judge: Ms Lizzie Houghton/Mr Russell Marks

Points System Championship - Points will be awarded to Winners from Class 32– 41 as follows: 1st - 5 Points 2nd - 4 Points 3rd - 3 Points 4th - 2 Points and 5th - 1 Point. The Exhibitor with the most Points will be awarded Champion followed by Reserve and Second Reserve.

Open to Animals on all BSpPS Registers/Appendix.

Class 32: HANDY PONY/HORSE - Animals may be in hand or ridden. Points awarded per obstacle

Class 33: FANCY DRESS. Animals may be in hand, ridden or driven

Class 34: COLOUR PARADE. Animals will be grouped together according to their markings and judged in their colour groups. 1st and 2nd in each group. In hand, ridden or driven.

Class 35: YOUNG HANDLER – Handlers 16 yrs and under.

Class 36: AMATEUR HOME PRODUCED - In-Hand (Please see Rule No. 23)

Class 37: AMATEUR HOME PRODUCED - Ridden (Please see rule No. 23)

Class 38: PROGENY. Minimum of 2 animals.

*Class 39: CONCOURS d'ELEGANCE. *Qualifier for Concours d'Elegance of GB. Animals may be in hand, ridden or driven.*

Class 40: TRADITIONAL TACK & TURNOUT. Animals may be in hand, ridden or driven.

Class 41: OPEN DRIVING - you will be required to give a short individual show.

**Concours d'Elegance - First, second and third placed horses/ponies not already qualified in eligible classes will qualify for the Champion of Britain Title classes to be held at Onley Equestrian Centre, Rugby, Warwickshire on Sunday 3rd September 2023. If a horse/pony has already qualified, cards may be handed down to 6th place at judge's discretion. Each qualified horse/pony will receive a qualification card in the ring which will enable the owner to enter the Championship Show, provided the owner and rider/handler are, or become registered with the Concours d'Elegance Society within 21 days of the qualifying show. No horse registration is required. For up-to-date information telephone the secretary on 07960 107 111 or see www.eqconcoursegb.com*

Ring One - Commencing at 9.00 am

BSpPS Main Register - In Hand. Judge: Ms Lizzie Houghton

Open to ponies Registered with the British Spotted Pony Society on the Main Register. For all ponies 14.2hh and under on the day. Including Solid Colours.

Class 1: YOUNGSTOCK; Yearling, 2 and 3 year old. Any sex.

Class 2: MARE . 4 years old and over.

Class 3: GELDING. 4 years old and over.

Class 4: STALLION. 4 years old and over.

BRITISH CHAMPIONSHIP – 1st and 2nd placed exhibits from class 1-4(Champion & Reserve to go forward for the Supreme Breed Show Championship)

BSpPS Provisional/Part Bred Register – In Hand. Judge: Ms Lizzie Houghton

Open to ponies Registered with the British Spotted Pony Society on the Provisional or Part Bred Register .For all ponies 14.2hh and under on the day. Including Solid Colours.

Class 5: YOUNGSTOCK; Yearling, 2 and 3 year old. Any sex.

Class 6: MARE. 4 years old and over.

Class 7: GELDING. 4 years old and over.

Class 8: STALLION. 4 years old and over.

BSpPS PROVISIONAL/PART BRED CHAMPIONSHIP – 1st and 2nd placed exhibits from Class 5-8. (Champion & Reserve to go forward for the Supreme Breed Show Championship)

BSpPS Over 42" - In Hand. Judge: Ms Lizzie Houghton

Open to all BSpPS Registered ponies Over 42" including solid colours. Excluding Supplementary Appendix & Pintaloosa.

Class 9: YOUNGSTOCK; Yearling, 2 and 3 year old. Any sex.

Class 10: MARE. 4 years old and over.

Class 11: FOAL (All foals must be at least 30 days old on the day of the show and be shown at foot)

Class 12: GELDING. 4 years old and over.

Class 13: STALLION. 4 years old and over.

BSpPS OVER 42" CHAMPIONSHIP – 1st and 2nd placed exhibits from Class 9-13. (Champion and Reserve to go forward for the Supreme Breed Show Championship)

Ring Two - Commencing after the British Championship.

International Register– In Hand. Judge: Mr Russell Marks

Open to ponies Registered with the BSpPS on the International Register. For all ponies 14.2hh and under on the day. Including Solid Colours.

Please note that base line International Register animals will not be eligible for the Supreme Breed Show Championship, please consult Zena Jackson

Class 14: YOUNGSTOCK; Yearling, 2 and 3 year old. Any sex.

Class 15: MARE. 4 years old and over.

Class 16: GELDING. 4 years old and Over.

Class 17: STALLION. 4 years old and over.

INTERNATIONAL REGISTER CHAMPIONSHIP – 1st and 2nd placed exhibits from Class 14-17.
(Champion and Reserve to go forward for the Supreme Breed Show Championship)

BSpPS 42" and Under – In Hand. Judge: Mr Russell Marks

Open to all BSpPS Registered ponies 42" and under including solid colours. Excluding Supplementary Appendix & Pintaloosa. MHOYS QUALIFIER

Class 18: YOUNGSTOCK; Yearling, 2 and 3 year old. Any sex.

Class 19: MARE. 4 years old and over.

Class 20: FOAL (All foals must be at least 30 days old on the day of the show and be shown at foot)

Class 21: Gelding. 4 years old and over.

Class 22: STALLION. 4 years old and over.

BSpPS 42" AND UNDER CHAMPIONSHIP– 1st and 2nd placed exhibits from Class 18-22.
(Champion and Reserve to go forward for the Supreme Breed Show Championship)

Supremes will commence after the 42" & Under & Over 42" Championships have taken place.

NEWCOMER AWARD

(The Spirit of the Award is to encourage Newcomers into Showing Registered BSpPS Animals)

WINNERS CHAMPIONSHIP

(Winners qualified at Affiliated Shows - please send qualifier cards with Entry Form)

SUPREME YOUNGSTOCK CHAMPIONSHIP

1st and 2nd placed animals from class 1,5,9,11,14,18,20. **ROSETTE FOR BEST FOAL**

SUPREME GELDING CHAMPIONSHIP

1st and 2nd placed Geldings and the highest placed Gelding from the Youngstock Classes, Classes 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 12, 14, 16, 18, 21.

****SUPREME BREED SHOW CHAMPIONSHIP****

(Champions and Reserves eligible - Excluding Geldings)

Ring One - Commencing after the Supreme Breed Show Championship.

Veteran Judge: Ms Lizzie Houghton/Mr Russell Marks

*VHS Golden Ticket Qualifier - Representing a breed or color in the V.H.S supreme finals.
Open to Animals on all BSpPS Registers/Appendix.*

Class 23: Veteran - In hand. 15 years and over.

Class 24: Veteran - Ridden. 15 years and over.

VETERAN CHAMPIONSHIP—1st and 2nd placed exhibits from Class 23-24

Ridden - Judge: Ms Lizzie Houghton/Mr Russell Marks

Open to Animals on all BSpPS Registers/Appendix.

Class 25: LEAD REIN – Rider 11 years and under. Ponies will be shown at walk and trot. Lead rein attached to noseband. Ponies any height.

Class 26: FIRST RIDDEN – Rider 14 years and under. Riders will be required to give a short individual show in walk and trot, cantering is optional. Ponies any height.

Class 27: NOVICE RIDDEN PONY- Each rider will be required to give a short individual show

Class 28: OPEN RIDDEN PONY - Each rider will be required to give a short individual show

Class 29: OPEN RIDDEN SPOTTED HORSE - Each rider will be required to give a short individual show

You will be required to jump at least 2 rustic fences – height will be adjusted accordingly.

Class 30: Open Working Hunter – Horses over 14.2hh. Max height of jumps 2ft9ins. *You will be required to jump at least 2 rustic fences – height will be adjusted accordingly.*

Class 31: Working Hunter Pony – Ponies 14.2hh and under. Max height of jumps 2ft3ins. *You will be required to jump at least 2 rustic fences – height will be adjusted accordingly.*

RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP—1st and 2nd placed exhibits from Class 25-31