

GARSTANG SHOW

7th AUGUST 2027

HORSE

SCHEDULE

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ENTRIES CLOSE – FRIDAY 23rd JULY 2027

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Mrs Gill Billington, Myerscough House Farm,
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AGRICULTURAL & HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

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Rules & Regulations of the Show

All Exhibitors who enter shall be considered to have read the following Rules & Regulations as laid down by the Show Committee. Anything not covered but brought into question will be decided by the relevant authority.
The decision of the Show Chairman & Committee will be final.

1) Entries must be lodged in a proper manner on the enclosed form, signed by the Exhibitor an authorized agent, and complying in full with these Regulations and any other conditions as may be specified in the current Rule books of Societies to which this Show has affiliated.

2) Animals must be entered under the name by which they are registered with their Breed Society (if applicable) and the name of the Owner(s) must be stated if different from the Exhibitor.

3) The appropriate Entry Fee MUST accompany the entry and must be received by the Closing Date. Entry Fees will only be refunded on receipt of a Veterinary Certificate. £5.00 will be retained from cancelled entries for administration charges. **Entries will not be accepted by telephone – POSTAL ENTRIES or ENTRIES ONLINE at www.garstangshow.org** Changes to Entries must be received in writing before the Closing Date.

4) The Society reserves the right to refuse or cancel any entry already accepted without any reason for so doing. Should this occur, refund of Entry Fees shall be at the discretion of the relevant Committee.

5) Stallions MUST NOT be led by Juniors who have not attained their 14th birthday before 1st January, 2025.

6) Any animal deemed to be out of control or presenting danger to other exhibits must be removed from the ring at the request of the Judge, Steward or Committee.

7) The Committee, any of its Officers, Assistants & stewards shall not in any way be responsible for any loss, injury or damage that may happen to exhibitors or their assistants, or any other members of the public or to any animal or property, or to any vehicle brought into the showground or to any premises used in conjunction with the show, or while entering or leaving the same.

8) Exhibitors shall be responsible for the behavior of their assistants & riders/handlers & all persons in charge of exhibits shall be subject to the orders of Stewards or Judges.

9) DOGS – All dogs must be kept on a lead at all times. Please clean up after your dog.

10) OBJECTIONS shall be made in writing with the Objector's full name & address within 1 hour of the class concerned and lodged at the General Secretary's Office together with the sum of £50 deposit. The sum will be refunded if the objection is sustained, but if it is not sustained the deposit will be forfeited to the funds of Garstang & District Agricultural & Horticultural Society. The Committee reserves the right to refer the objection to the Society or Association under whose rules the class is being run.

11) It is strongly recommended that all exhibitors carry adequate Public Liability Insurance. The Society does not accept any liability for any injury or damage sustained by any third party whatsoever.

12) The Judge's decision is FINAL. The Committee reserves the right to substitute, add or remove any Judge from any class or championship.

13) The number of animals which will give an individual show in any class shall be entirely the decision of the Judge(s).

14) All animals must be sound. All Judges have the right to request an examination of an animal by the Official Veterinary Surgeon. If, in his / her opinion the animal is not deemed fit to continue, it will be led from the ring & will not be presented for judging in any ring for the remainder of the day.

15) DISEASE - Any animal found to be suffering from any contagious or infectious disease shall be removed from the showground immediately at the request of the Official Veterinary Surgeon. Any animal found to be affected in this manner will be further disqualified from competing & must be removed from the show field by the exhibitor without delay.

16) FLU VACCINATIONS - It is recommended that all exhibitors ensure that horses & ponies have an up to date certificate of vaccination against equine flu which should be available for examination if required. FULL PASSPORT MUST ACCOMPANY EVERY EQUINE IN TRANSIT.

17) There will be NO provision of Farrier services on the field. Exhibitors are recommended to ensure all farrier work is carried out prior to the show.

18) NO MUCKING OUT ON THE FIELD – Please take home all waste – livestock will be returning to graze the field within 2 days of the show.

19) Competitors are requested NOT to telephone the Show Office with queries concerning times of commencement of classes or numbers of entries. This information WILL NOT BE GIVEN due to pressure of time. Please allow plenty of time for your arrival prior to your first class.

All Entry Forms must be completed in full.

ENTRIES (inc. online entries) CLOSE 23rd July 2027

EXHIBITORS' PASSES : Exhibitor numbers, e-tickets and horsebox passes will be sent PRIOR to the show. If you have not received these by Wednesday 4th August please contact the Secretary.
One e-ticket will be issued to each exhibitor, further e-tickets will be issued at the discretion of the Secretary for larger numbers of exhibits. Further discounted e-tickets can be purchased when entering at a cost of £15.00 each for adults - Max. 4 (£20 on the gate) and £4 for children over 3 years of age.

PLEASE NOTE: ALL EXHIBITORS MUST HAVE A PRINTED E-TICKET WITH THEM OR THEY WILL NOT BE PERMITTED ONTO THE SHOWGROUND UNLESS THEY PRODUCE PAYMENT FOR THE FULL GATE PRICE.

The Organizers of this Show have taken all reasonable precautions to ensure the health and safety of everyone present. For these measures to be effective, everyone must take all reasonable precautions to avoid and to prevent accidents occurring and must obey the instructions of the Organizers and all Officials and Stewards.

Throughout the duration of the show Scope Veterinary, Brock Auction are the Society's on duty vets - should any Horse require emergency care by our named Vets, the exhibitor of that animal will be expected to cover this cost.

All gas cylinders used on site must adhere to all safety regulations.

Should your vehicle/s and/or equipment require towing onto/ from the show field in the event of inclement weather, the trustees, organizing committee, nor any of their servants shall be held responsible for any loss, injury or damage sustained by the applicants, their property, or their assistants. The Society accepts no liability whatsoever and should the applicant not agree to the terms then they will be left to organize their own entrance/exit onto the show field.

SHIRES & TURNOUTS

CHAIRMAN: Mrs. Jayne Gibson, Clovelly, Croston Barn Lane, Nateby. Tel: 07739 298999
SHIRES: Judging : Starts 9.00 a.m. Prompt.
JUDGE Mr E Harrison (Ted)

All exhibitors **MUST** be members of the Shire Horse Society and all animals must be registered or eligible for registration.
ENTRY FEE:

All classes : entry **£8.00**

CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES: 17th July 2026

PRIZE MONEY:	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
Classes 1 - 6	£45	£35	£20	£15
Class 11	£45	£35	£20	£15
Classes 7 - 8	£35	£25	£15	£10
Classes 9 - 10	£15	£12	£10	£8
Classes 12, 13,	£50	£40	£30	£20

Each Exhibitor – not per entry or exhibit - showing in the in-hand section of the shire horses will receive an allowance of £40.
S denotes Special Prize

SILVER-PLATED SPOONS AND ROSETTES FOR MARES, FILLIES AND STALLIONS

The Shire Horse Society is pleased to award to any Affiliated Society, a Spoon and Rosette for the Best Mare or Filly and a Spoon and Rosette for the Best Stallion at their Annual Show.

Conditions of the Award are as follows: -

1. A Spoon and a Rosette for the Best Mare or Filly and a Spoon and Rosette for the Best Stallion (providing there is a separate class(es) for Stallions) exhibited in the Shire classes.
2. The winner of the Special Prize must be a member of the Shire Horse Society.
3. Entries cannot be accepted at Affiliated Shows in classes for Shires or Heavy Horses from any person who has been either suspended or removed from membership of the Shire Horse Society or has been excluded from exhibiting for prizes at Shows, Sales or Exhibitions or from taking part in any Show organized by the Shire Horse Society.
4. No animal to be eligible to take more than one Silver Spoon during any one year. The Shire Horse Society Spring Show being excepted.
5. THE WINNING ANIMAL MUST BE REGISTERED OR ELIGIBLE FOR REGISTRATION IN THE STUD BOOK OR GRADE B REGISTER.
6. The Judge invited to officiate must be on the Society's Official Panel and has the right to withhold the award of the Silver Spoon and Rosette if an exhibit does not show sufficient merit.
7. The Council reserves the right in offering Spoons, to award them only to persons approved by the Shire Horse Society.

Classes (Commencing at 9 am)

1. **STALLION,** two years old and over - Kirkland Hall Trophy (Best Stallion Over Two)
2. **BARREN MARE,** three years or over
   S1. Best Barren Mare - Three Years Old or Over
   Th'Owd Tithebarn Perpetual Challenge Cup
3. **ONE YEAR OLD,** Colt, Gelding or Filly
4. **TWO YEAR OLD,** Gelding or Filly
5. **THREE YEAR OLD AND OVER,** Gelding
   S2. Best Gelding - Geldings in the previous three classes are eligible
   S3. Best Filly - One or Two Years Old The Joe Pooley Perpetual Challenge Cup
6. **BROOD MARE,** having own foal at foot
   S4. Best Brood Mare - The Douglas Clark Perpetual Challenge Cup.

This class is a qualifier for the Shire Horse Society's Summer Brood Mare Supreme Championship with the final being held at the 2027 National Summer Show at Rockingham Castle in August 2027, where the ultimate winner will receive prize money of £1,000 with £500 to second, £250 to 3rd, £100 to 4th, £50 to 5th and then £25 from 6th-10th.

It is important to note that this class must have foals at foot.

7. **COLT FOAL**
   S5. Best Colt Foal - The Walter Cross Memorial Trophy, presented by Mr J B Baron in memory of his uncle.
8. **FILLY FOAL**
   S6. Best Filly Foal - The John Ollerton Perpetual Challenge Trophy
   S7. Champion Foal The Robert Hull Perpetual Cup, presented by R Hull of St Michaels for the Champion Foal. £25.00
   S8. Junior Champion £50.00

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9. **YOUNG HANDLERS CLASS.** For exhibitors over 13 years and under 18 years old.
   Winner to be presented with the John Mitson Memorial Trophy.

   Young Handler Accumulator Competition
   The Shire Horse Society will once again be running the SHS Young Handler's Accumulator Award in 2027. Points relative to placings will be awarded to those young handlers who are 2027 members of the Shire Horse Society. The winner will be announced at the end of the year. Points will be awarded to the top five, with points awarded as follows:- 1st-5 points, 2nd-4 points, 3rd- 3 points, 4th-2 points, and 5th- 1 point.

   The Champion Young Handler with the most points at the end of the year will win the trophy.

   Affiliated shows must submit the results of the Young Handler classes when they submit their Silver Spoon award forms.

   Those taking part in the above should be Junior members of the Society and are able to join mid-season if they are not already members. Points will only count once membership is taken up and points will not be back dated. Junior memberships are £12 per annum and are open to those aged from 12 years to those that have not attained their 18th birthday.

10. **BEST SHIRE HORSE,** any age, to be in the hands of the breeder
    S10. Supreme Champion The R. G. Thompson Silver Challenge Perpetual Cup, Society Sash and Rosette.
    S11. Reserve Supreme Champion Society Sash and Rosette
    S12. Best Mare or Filly The Shire Horse Society Silver Plated Spoon (subject to the Shire Horse Society special conditions).

11. **OPEN IN HAND HEAVY HORSE,** 2 years old and over, open to any heavy horse breed, mare, gelding or stallion (Not to have been exhibited in any other class, however can be exhibited in class 12)

Special prize The Bill Fowler Memorial Trophy will be awarded to the Best Shire Female from the In Hand classes. A bronze sculptureof a Shire mare.

RIDDEN HEAVY HORSE

Judging : after 12 Noon JUDGE:
PRIZE MONEY: 1st £50 2nd £40 3rd £30 4th £20
Class

12. **RIDDEN HEAVY HORSE**, Open to Mares and Geldings 4 years and over. **Not to be entered in Light Horse Section**

S16. The Gift Hall Cup in Memory of Jon Collinson to the Champion Ridden Horse

W. GIBSON & SON, have kindly sponsored the prize money in class 12

Overall parade for confirmation followed by individual shows with work on both reins in walk, trot, canter & gallop
The Judge does not ride the horses.

13. **TURNOUTS** Judging: 1pm
Single, two or more Exhibitors in this class will be divided into pairs - light and heavy - if sufficient entries

PRIZE MONEY:	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
	£50	£40	£30	£20

Grants forward in class 13 Single: £100 Pairs: £120 Four: £150
S15. The Jos Fowler Memorial Trophy will be presented for the Best Turnout.

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SATURDAY 7th AUGUST 2027

HEAVY HORSE ENTRY FORM

Name : ..... Phone No: .....

Address: .....Email:.....

Vehicle Registration Number……..

I agree to abide by the Rules of the Show/Society Signed: ..... Date: ..... Shire Horse Society Reg. No.: .....

ENTRY FEE: £8.00 One e-ticket will be issued to each exhibitor, further e-tickets will be issued at the discretion of the Secretary for larger numbers of exhibits. Further discounted e-tickets can be purchased when entering at a cost of £15 each for adults (£20 on the gate) and £4 for children Age 3 and above.

Class No.	Name of Horse	Date of Birth	Horse Registration Number	Amount
		Additional Adult Tickets at £15 each (Max. 4) Additional Children's Tickets at £4.00 each		
		First Aid Donation – Mandatory - £2.00		**£2.00**
		Show Membership@ £30		
		(PLEASE SEND A LARGE SAE WITH YOUR ENTRY OR INCLUDE 80p TO YOUR ENTRY TOTAL)	**Total Due**	

Please forward to The Secretary: Gill Billington, Show Secretary, Myerscough House Farm, Stanzaker Hall Drive, Myerscough, Preston, PR3 0PB, together with your cheque for the total amount made payable to "Garstang Show".

All numbers will be sent out. Secretary 07867 313346. Online Entries available at www.garstangshow.org ENTRIES CLOSE ON FRIDAY 23rd JULY 2027