

SHIRE & HEAVY HORSE SECTION SCHEDULE

Wednesday 30th July 2025

Reaseheath College, Wettenhall Road, Nantwich, CW5 6EL

Special thanks to all our Sponsors & Supporters

GRAND PARADE 2PM

Entry Fees:

All classes are FREE to enter

Entries close Saturday 19th July 2025

Secretary: Mrs Barbara Burrows

Snowdrop Villa, Swanley Lane, Nantwich CW5 8QB Telephone: 01270 524851 Email: barb.burrows2@gmail.com

No late entries will be accepted No phone entries All prize money paid in cash on the day

Ring Directors: Mr David Shardlow & Mr Peter Williams Shire Horse Judges: Mr John Fairbairn and Mr Keith Sessions. Shire Horse Referee: Mr Martin Fountain

Mounted Fancy Dress Judges: Mrs Sarah Callandar Beckett & Mrs Joyce Percival

Enter online: www.nantwichshow.org

HEAVY HORSES

(Affiliated to the Shire Horse Society)

Classes following in Catalogue order – followed by Championships

HEALTH & SAFETY POLICY/ } available on request or to be viewed NAS RULES } on website www.nantwichshow.co.uk

Insufficient Competition:

In the event of entries in any class being four or less or the number of different exhibitors being less than three, the Society reserves the right to amalgamate classes or to cancel classifications.

Compliance with Breed Society Regulations:

"All persons entering, competing or exhibiting an animal in a class covered by a Breed Society either to which the Society is affiliated or which is affiliated to the Society shall be deemed to have consented to the jurisdiction of the relevant Breed Society and be subject to its constitution and rules (including any disciplinary procedures) in so far as they are applicable to any event, competition or display promoted or arranged by this Society"

Entries:

Entries cannot be accepted from any person who has been 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 organised by the SHS. All horses (except geldings) to be registered in the Stud Book of the Shire Horse Society or the SHS grade A or B Register or eligible to be registered. Exhibitors are directed to parading requirements detailed under general Rule NSA 19a.

How To Make Your Entry:

- 1. Online Entry Entries and payments can now be processed online. Please visit the website at www.nantwichshow.org
- 2. Postal Entries One Entry Form to be completed per OWNER please. Additional forms are available on our website at www.nantwichshow.org or by telephoning 01270 523851, alternatively they can be photocopied.

Ticket Allocation:

- 1 horse 2 tickets
- 2 horses 3 tickets
- 3 horses 4 tickets
- 4 horses 5 tickets
- ❖ 5 horses 6 tickets
- ♦ 6 horses 7 tickets
- 7+ horses issued at Society's discretion

Please Note:

- 1. Under no circumstances can an entry be moved from one class to another, or substitutions made (please refer to Show Rules).
- 2. Tickets and vehicle passes will be sent to the name and address on the online or paper entry form in late June via email
- 3. Passports must be brought to the show
- 4. ALL PRIZE WINNERS WILL BE REQUIRED TO TAKE PART IN THE GRAND PARADE £50 DRAW FOR ALL FORWARD SPONSORED BY TBC

SHIRE HORSE CLASSES

The Society wish to acknowledge the generous sponsorship by **A W Burrows & Son LLP Independent Funeral Directors**

Judging commences at 9.00 a.m. in the Main Ring

Class 1 (Main Ring) - STALLION TWO YEARS OLD OR OVER

Prizes: 1st £40; 2nd £30; 3rd £25; 4th £15; 5th onwards £10 to all other entries forward

Class 2 (Main Ring) – GELDING THREE YEARS OLD OR OVER

Prizes: 1st £40; 2nd £30; 3rd £25; 4th £15; 5th onwards £10 to all other entries forward

Class 3 (Main Ring) - BARREN MARE THREE YEARS OLD OR OVER Prizes: 1st

£40; 2nd £30; 3rd £25; 4th £15; 5th onwards £10 to all other entries forward

Class 4 (Main Ring) - YEARLING COLT, FILLY OR GELDING

Prizes: 1st £40; 2nd £30; 3rd £25; 4th £15; 5th onwards £10 to all other entries forward

Class 5 (Main Ring) - TWO YEAR OLD GELDING OR FILLY

Prizes: 1st £40; 2nd £30; 3rd £25; 4th £15; 5th onwards £10 to all other entries forward

Class 6 (Main Ring) - BROODMARE WITH FOAL

Prizes: 1st £40; 2nd £30; 3rd £25; 4th £15; 5th onwards £10 to all other entries forward This Class generously sponsored by **Hazel Gordon in memory of the late John Bayley**

SHIRE FOAL CLASSES

The Society wish to acknowledge the generous support of Mr P Moss, Mr T Moss & Mr C Malkin

Judging will follow Shire Classes (Cl 6) in Main Ring

Class 7 (Main Ring) - COLT FOAL

Prizes: 1st £50; 2nd £40; 3rd £35; 4th £25; 5th onwards £10 to all other entries forward

Class 8 (Main Ring) — FILLY FOAL

Prizes: 1st £50; 2nd £40; 3rd £35; 4th £25; 5th onwards £10 to all other entries forward

*Should there be insufficient entries and the two classes are merged, the prize money shall be: 1st £50: 2nd £40: 3rd £35: 4th £25: 5th onwards £10 to all other entries forward

CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION FOAL

CHAMPION FOAL will be awarded £150, RESERVE CHAMPION £100

1st & 2nd prize winners of Classes 7 & 8 to compete. Also, NAS Champion and Reserve Champion Rosettes

THE FRANKLIN SILVER TROPHY: To be held for one year, kindly donated by the Franklin family for the Champion Foal.

1st & 2nd prize winners from Classes 7 & 8 to compete.

This Show is part of the MOBBERLEY & DISTRICT SHIRE HORSE CHAMPION FOAL of the

YEAR. Points for this competition are 1st 5 points; 2nd 3 points; 3rd 1 point

N.B. A special form and rules can be obtained from the Secretary: Marion Hardy Tel: 01625 861828

SILVER SPOON and Rosette presented by the Shire Horse Society for the Best Mare or Filly and Best Stallion, subject to the Society's regulations as detailed below.

- 1. A Spoon and 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 organised 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 National Shire Horse 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 reserved the right in offering their Spoon, to award them only to persons approved by the Shire Horse Society.
- 8. All Affiliated Shows must submit their valid show insurance with the affiliation application form.

THE JOHN BAYLEY MEMORIAL CHALLENGE CUP

A perpetual Challenge Cup for the best Shire Brood mare to be held for one year.

❖ Winner of Class 5.

PAULS AGRICULTURE CUP

A perpetual Challenge Trophy for the best 1 or 2 year old Shire to be held for one year.

* Highest placed in Classes 3 & 4 to compete.

D & J WORTHINGTON CHALLENGE TROPHY

for the Supreme Champion Shire, to be held for one year, also prize of £150. Kindly sponsored by John Whittaker.

THE ANDREW LEWIS PERPETUAL TROPHY

Kindly presented in memory of Andrew Lewis - Ring Director of Shire Section 1995-2005. Awarded to the Reserve Supreme Champion Shire, also prize of £100. Kindly sponsored by Sarah Ford.

SHIRE YOUNG HANDLERS CLASS

The Society wish to acknowledge the generous sponsorship by **TBC**

No entry fee, and entries can be made on the day.

Class 9 (Main Ring) — THE SHIRE YOUNG HANDLERS CLASS No Stallions & no animals under two years of age to be led

All exhibitors to be between 12 and 18 years of age (inclusive) on day of show.

Prizes: 1st £20; 2nd £15 followed by £10 to each competitor.

Rosettes 1st – 6th and then specials for all exhibitors.

YOUNG HANDLER OF THE YEAR AWARD: This show will be a qualifier for the Shire Horse Young Handler of the Year – final to be held in conjunction with the Midland Shire Foal Society Annual Show. The winner of Class 9 will go forward to compete for the Young Handler of the Year Award and will also receive the Society qualifying rosette.

THE BOSLEY MINNS TROPHY: A silver salver to be held for one year, kindly presented by Delma Nulty for the winning Young Handler (Class 9), and also Champion Rosette

MOUNTED FANCY DRESS

The Society wish to acknowledge the generous sponsorship by **HENHULL LIVERY**

Judges: Mrs Sarah Callandar Beckett & Mrs Joyce Percival

Judging will commence following the Young Handler Class.

Class 10 (Main Ring) – OPEN TO RIDERS OF ANY AGE. In this Class no points will be given for conformation of the Pony. Competitors must be mounted and must wear suitable head gear. Every Competitor will receive a Rosette and prize kindly donated by the Sponsor. Prizes: 1st £25; 2nd £15; 3rd £10; 4th £5.

THE "RYAN AND REBECCA" SHIELD kindly presented by Adam Thorniley to the Winner of Class 10 to be held for one year.

HEAVY HORSE CLASSES (not Shires)

The Society wish to acknowledge the generous support by Mr W Darlington & Mr M King

Class 11 (Main Ring) –ANY OTHER HEAVY BREED, YEARLING AND TWO YEAR OLD Prizes: $1^{st} £40$; 2nd £30; $3^{rd} £25$; $4^{th} £15$; 5^{th} onwards £10 to all other entries forward.

Class 12 (Main Ring) —ANY OTHER HEAVY BREED, THREE YEARS AND OVER.

Prizes: 1st £40; 2nd £30; 3rd £25; 4th £15; 5th onwards £10 to all other entries forward.

Class 13 (Main Ring)- ANY OTHER BREED FOAL

Prizes: 1st £40, 2nd £30, 3rd £25, 4th £15, 5th onwards £10 to all other entries forward

CHAMPION will be awarded £150, **RESERVE CHAMPION** £50 $1^{\rm st}$ & $2^{\rm nd}$ prize winners of Classes 11,12 and 13 to compete. Also, NAS Champion and Reserve Champion Rosettes.