

A photograph of a man with grey hair and glasses, wearing a dark blue sweater, holding the head of a dark brown horse. The horse's mouth is open, showing its teeth. The man is holding a rope and a chain attached to the horse's halter. The background shows green trees and a red fence.

THE NANTWICH SHOW

on
Wednesday 26th July 2023

at The Showground
Reaseheath Old Hall, Nantwich CW5 6EL

SHIRE HORSE CLASSES & PRIZE LIST

ENTRIES CLOSE: Friday 14th July 2023

ALL PRIZE MONEY PAID IN CASH ON THE DAY
NO ENTRY FEES
NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED
NO ENTRIES WILL BE TAKEN OVER THE TELEPHONE

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HEAVY HORSES

(Affiliated to the Shire Horse Society)

AW Burrows & Son – Independent Funeral Directors

SHIRE HORSE CLASSES

The Society wish to acknowledge the generous sponsorship by
Mr & Mrs N. Burrows

Judges: Mr Jim Yates & (to be confirmed)
Referee: Mr John Fairburn

Judging commences at 9.00 a.m. in Main Ring

Classes following in catalogue order – followed by Championships.

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

Class 1 (Main Ring) – STALLION 3 YEARS OLD & OVER

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

Class 2 (Main Ring) – GELDING ANY AGE

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 OR FILLY

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

Class 5 (Main Ring) – TWO YEAR OLD FILLY

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

Class 6 (Main Ring) – BEST MATCHED PAIR ANY AGE

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

Class 7 (Main Ring) – BROOD MARE 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 sponsorship by

Mr. P. Moss, Mr. M. King and Mr. C. Malkin

Judges: Mr Jim Yates & (to be confirmed)

Referee: Mr John Fairburn

Judging will follow Shire Classes (Cl 7) in Main Ring

Class 8 (Main Ring) – COLT FOAL

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

Class 9 (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 6 & 7 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 6 & 7 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, 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 Royal and Shire Horse Society 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 reserve the right in offering their Spoon, to award them only to persons approved by the Shire Horse Society.
8. Time Limit: Official returns of awards of Spoons must be completed within one month from the date of the show, otherwise such awards will become void.

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 £100. 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 £50.

Kindly sponsored by Sarah Ford.

THERE WILL BE A SPECIAL AWARD, TO BE MADE IN MEMORY OF THE LATE ALISTAIR KING, A GREAT SUPPORTER OF THIS AND MANY OTHER SHIRE HORSE SHOWS THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY. THE AWARD WILL BE FOR THE BEST HOMEBRED ANIMAL FROM THE ENTRY FORWARD TO HONOUR A GREAT BREEDER OF THE SHIRE HORSE.

SHIRE YOUNG HANDLERS CLASS

Judges: Mr Jim Yates & (to be confirmed)

Referee: Mr John Fairburn

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

Class 10 (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, October 2020. The winner of Class 8 will go forward to compete for the Young Handler of the Year Award, and will also receive the Society qualifying rosette.

5/HS4 THE BOSLEY MINNS TROPHY: A silver salver to be held for one year, kindly presented by Delma Nulty for the winning Young Handler (Class 8), and also Champion Rosette

THE "MR SWEETIE" MOUNTED FANCY DRESS

The Society wish to thank **Mr Sweetie & Co**
for their generous sponsorship

Judges: Mrs Barbara Burrows & Mrs Pam Major

Judging will commence following the Young Handler Class

Class 11 (Main Ring) – OPEN TO RIDERS 15 years and under. 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. No Entry Fees.

THE "RYAN AND REBECCA" SHIELD kindly presented by Adam Thorniley to the Winner of Class 9 to be held for one year.

Class 12 (Main Ring) – HEAVY HORSE – BEST DECORATED HARNESS CLASS

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

WE ARE PLEASED AND PRIVILEGED TO HAVE ROBINSONS BREWERY DRAY AND SHIRES HERE TODAY. THEY WILL LEAD OUR GRAND PARADE IN THE MAIN RING THIS AFTERNOON. OUR GRATEFUL THANKS GO TO THEM FOR PROVIDING A WONDERFUL SPECTACLE FOR US TO ENJOY.