# **NATIONAL PONY SOCIETY**

# **AREA 10 – DEVON**



## **SPRING SHOW**

**OPEN TO MEMBERS AND NON-MEMBERS** 

Sunday 7th April 2024

**Qualifiers for NPS Spring & Summer Championships** 

Affiliated to National Pony Society, South West Pony Association & Rescue Equine Showing Society

To be held at

The Grange Equestrian Centre, Northlew Road, Okehampton, EX20 3DA

#### **SUNDAY**

Ring One is the large indoor school and will be split for the morning inhand classes.

The small indoor is warmup/collecting ring

- No riding in the small indoor school until the supreme inhand has commenced.
- Numbers in the collecting ring will be limited, priority given for those in the next class. Please do not be offended if you are asked to make way for these competitors.
- Please don't wait/congregate in the area outside of the collecting ring/by the toilets.

#### **DIRECTIONS FROM THE EAST OR NORTH**

From the M5 Junction 31 follow signs onto the A30 West, clearly signed to Okehampton/Bodmin. Continue along the dual carriageway to the exit sign-posted Okehampton (B3260), then exit the A30. At the end of the slip-road (with the BP garage on your left), turn right and drive down the hill into Okehampton. In the middle of the town you will come to traffic lights opposite the White Hart pub (on the far left). Go straight on at these lights and after one mile, at the top of the hill, turn right (sign-posted Northlew). Continue along this road for half a mile and take the right turn sign-posted Northlew. Continue on this road for 0.3 miles, then go straight on at the Hilltown Cross crossroads. The Grange EC is 1.5 miles further along this road, on the left.

#### **DIRECTIONS FROM THE WEST OR SOUTH**

Exit the A30 at Sourton Cross (A386 sign-posted Tavistock/ Bideford) following signs to Bideford. Go past the Shell filling station and the Little Chef restaurant on your left, and follow the road for 2.1 miles until you come to a mini-roundabout (Fowley Cross). Turn right, following signs to Bideford. After 0.4 miles turn left at the mini-roundabout (sign-posted to Northlew). After a further 0.2 miles take the second left, sign-posted to Northlew. The Grange EC is 1.5 miles along this road, on the left.

Whilst we have tried to work out a suitable timetable, the Committee of Area 10 cannot be held responsible for any clashing of classes. We will try to accommodate within reason, but the responsibility of getting to classes on time is down to the exhibitor.

## **Advanced Entry Fees** (Closing date 4<sup>th</sup> April)

Inhand Classes £10
Ridden Classes £12
First Aid - £3 per competitor
All cheques to be made Payable to:
"NPS DEVON"
Online entries www.showingscene.co.uk

Postal Entries To: CATHERINE EVANS

WHITEBARROW FARM

ST NEOT PL14 6QH

07789 503470

To minimise congestion on the day and allow for online payment, showing scene will open again from 5<sup>th</sup> until 9pm on the 6<sup>th</sup> for entries for additional £5 per class.

Entries will be accepted on the day, **cash only**, at the following fees: All Classes £20
First Aid - £3 per competitor

Ring 1a - 8.30am	Ring 1b - 8am
	Miss J Newbery
	Classes 17-18
Miss L Hayter	Coloured Inhand
Classes 1 - 10	Class 18a - Rescue Inhand
M&M Inhand	Classes 19-21
	SP Inhand inc SM
Class 11 M&M LR	Mrs A Gomersall
Class 12 M&M FR	Classes 23-24
	HP Inhand inc SM
Class 13 PB Arab	Miss J Newbery
Class 14 PB M&M	Classes 25-26
	Hack & Riding Horses
	Mrs A Gomersall
	Classes 27-29
Miss J Newbery	SP/SHP Home Produced
Class 15 SP/SHP LR	Classes 30-33
Class 16 SP/SHP FR	M&M Home Produced

Rings Combined

#### Mrs A Gomersall

M&M Inhand Silver Medal

#### Miss J Newbery

Inhand Supreme Championship

#### Miss J Newbery

Class 34 - Ridden Coloured Class 35 Novice SP/SHP Class 36 Open SP/SHP

#### Mrs A Gomersall

Classes 37 - 38 Part Bred Ridden Class 38a Rescue Ridden

#### Miss L Hayter

Classes 39 - 41 M&M Young Pony Ridden

#### Miss J Newbery

Classes 42 - 43 Amateur Ridden

#### Mrs A Gomersall

Classes 44 - 48 M&M Novice Pony

#### Miss L Hayter

Classes 49 - 50
M&M Intermediate Ridden
Classes 51 - 53
M&M Junior Ridden

#### Mrs A Gomersall

Classes 54 - 55 M&M Open Ridden

Miss L Hayter Ridden Supreme (inc Silver Medal)

### All classes to be run under National Pony Society rules 2024

This show is affiliated to the National Pony Society and the NPS affiliated classes will be run under NPS rules.

### **National Pony Society Qualifying Rounds:**

#### **NPS Winter Championship Qualifying Rounds**

This show is affiliated to the National Pony Society and the NPS affiliated classes will be run under NPS rules. Classes are open to Members and Non-Members of the NPS, but Non-Members will need to become members to enter the finals at the NPS Spring Festival 2024.

The NPS General Rules for Showing apply (see NPS website for details). In each class the three highest placed ponies, not already qualified, within the first six places, will qualify. Winnings in the 2023/2024 Novice and Pure Novice Winter Championships will not debar ponies from the NPS 2024 Mountain and Moorland Novice Ridden competitions. Qualification cards will be awarded in the ring.

#### **NPS Summer Qualifying Rounds:**

These classes are judged under the Rules of the NPS. Ponies must be registered in any of the British Riding Pony studbook sections or the Ridden Register; the GSB; the AHSB; the AASB, or registered in the main body of their respective M&M Stud Book. Part breds are not eligible unless overstamped into one of the British Riding Pony studbook sections. or the Ridden Register.

Qualifying rounds for most NPS competitions are open to ponies owned by NPS members and nonmembers but only ponies owned by adult NPS Qualifying or Life members are eligible to qualify for the final of the competition at the NPS Summer Championship Show at Malvern from **6th – 8th August 2024**.

The highest placed pony, if owned by an NPS member, in each class will qualify for the final. Qualification may pass down to third place if the first and second ponies are already qualified.

NPS/Corscaron Horse Essentials Home Produced Ridden Championship - Riders of Home Produced ponies (see definition in the NPS Rules Book) can wear a white arm band in classes where this is indicated. These ponies, if owned by NPS members, are then eligible to qualify for the final at the NPS Summer Championship Show. The Owner's Membership cards MUST be produced in the ring when requested or the qualification will be forfeit.

#### **NPS Silver Medal Rosette Championships:**

These classes are judged under the Rules of the NPS. NPS Silver Medal Rosettes are only awarded when the owner of the champion pony is a Qualifying or Life member of the NPS.

A valid membership card must be in the rider's/handler's possession on entering the ring and be produced immediately on request by either the judge or the steward. If the owner of the Champion pony is not a member, or the owner's membership card is not immediately produced, the rosette may be awarded to the Reserve Champion provided they have the required membership card.

If the Champion pony has previously qualified it is still entitled to the Silver Medal Rosette, but the qualification card goes to the Reserve Champion pony, provided the owner of that pony is a member of the NPS. The Silver Medal Rosette and the qualification card can be awarded no lower than first Reserve (third). Foals are not eligible for Silver Medal Championships

Qualifiers are entitled to compete in the final of the Silver Medal Rosette Championship to be held at the NPS Summer Championship Show **6th – 8th August 2024**.

This show is a qualifier for the South West Pony Association Championships to be held on 29 - 31 August 2024

at The David Broome Event Centre, Crick, Monmouthshire. NP26 5XP

### To qualify for the Championships:

#### **SWPA Members**

Enter one of the qualifying classes.

Be either first or second in the class, and get your card signed.

Take a picture of the card and upload via www.showingscene.com

#### **Non-SWPA Members**

Enter one of the qualifying classes.

Register online at <a href="www.showingscene.com">www.showingscene.com</a> within 14 days of qualification
Send an Email to <a href="RichardatSWPA@aol.com">RichardatSWPA@aol.com</a> advising of the show you attended, the class entered, and the position gained.

You will be sent Qualifying Cards for the Horses / Ponies registered.

Please Note:

Registration fee for 2023/4 is £25 to include all members of the family and equines owned by the family.

#### **Classes with SWPA Qualifiers:**

M&M Inhand 1-10, M&M LR class 11, M&M FR class 12, PB Arab class 13, PB M&M class 14, SP/SHP LR class 15, SP/SHP FR class 16, Coloured Inhand classes 17-18, SP Inhand classes 19-21, SHP Inhand classes 22-24, Hack & RH Inhand classes 25-26, Coloured Ridden class 34, Novice SP/SHP/Inter Ridden class 35, Open SP/SHP/Inter class 36, PB Arab ridden class 37, PB M&M ridden class 38, M&M Novice ridden classes 44-48, M&M Junior ridden classes 51-53, M&M open ridden classes 54-55.

## BSPA CLASSES ARE OPEN TO SKEWBALD AND PIEBALD HORSES AND PONIES ONLY OPEN TO MEMBERS AND NON MEMBERS. MEMBERS ONLY TO QUALIFY FOR WCC

THESE CLASSES ARE AFFILIATED TO THE BRITISH SKEWBALD AND PIEBALD ASSOCIATION AND ARE QUALIFIERS FOR THE WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS OF COLOUR NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW. ALL CLASSES WILL BE JUDGED WITHIN THE RULES AND CRITERIA OF THE BSPA. COPIES OF THE RULEBOOK AND MEMBERSHIP/HORSE REGISTRATION/OVERSTAMPING FORMS CAN BE OBTAINED FROM SHOW OFFICE 01354638226 OR DOWNLOADED FROM <a href="www.bspaonline.com">www.bspaonline.com</a>

ALL STALLIONS 4 YEARS AND OVER MUST BE GRADED LICENSED AND REGISTERED WITH BSPA IN ORDER TO COMPETE, BSPA BRIDLE DISCS TO BE WORN). TO IN ORDER TO QUALIFY ALL OWNERS/HANDLERS/RIDERS MUST BE MEMBERS OF THE BSPA AND ALL HORSES/PONIES REGISTERED WITH BSPA PRIOR TO THE SHOW. BSPA QUALIFICATION CARDS MUST BE PRODUCED IN THE RING AND BE SIGNED BY THE JUDGE, OTHERWISE QUALIFICATION IS INVALID.

QUALIFICATION 1-3 IN ALL CLASSES OR 1-4 FOR CLASSES EXCEEDING 12

### **NEW – Equine Rescue Classes**

https://rescueequineshowingsociety.com/about-us/

This Show is affiliated to The Rescue Equine Showing Society final taking place at the Equifest, Arena UK, Grantham, Lincolnshire on the 1st – 4th August 2024. The two highest exhibits not already qualified in each affiliated class will qualify. 18a Open Inhand and 38a Open Ridden

#### Mark System:

The mark system is designed to reward those equines that have the strongest rescue history and most dramatic 'transformation'. Marks are awarded as follows:

Rescue History and Transformation - 60%

Performance - 40%

In the event of a tie, the Rescue History and Transformation takes precedence.

All entries are asked to provide, on entry to the class, a written 'Rescue History', detailing the background and history of the equine. Also, to be included are 'before' and 'after' photographs. This will be for the Judge to discuss with the competitor during the Judging of the Class and marks awarded accordingly. (A template for the layout for this Rescue History can be found on the Rescue Equine Showing Society website).

#### **DEFINITION OF RESCUE:**

- 1. Any equine that is adopted, fostered, under a guardianship scheme from any National Equine Welfare Council registered Charity (NEWC).
- 2. Any equine that has been adopted, fostered, under a guardianship scheme from any other equine charity (must be registered with the Charity Commission).
- 3. Any equine that has been 'independently' rescued by an individual. There must be supporting evidence (photographic, veterinary) that will be included in the 'Rescue History' for the equine, to demonstrate their rescue status

## Ring 1A – Large Indoor (LHS) Start Time 8.30

#### The NPS/ABSORBINE M&M In Hand Summer Championship

These classes are open to pure bred registered M&M ponies in the main body of their studbook. Owner's membership cards must be shown in the ring to receive qualifications. Foals are not eligible.

Also incorporating:

#### NPS/LEYHILLS STUD M&M WINTER IN-HAND CHAMPIONSHIP

#### JUDGE – Miss L Hayter

Class 1	Yearling Small Breeds – <i>kinaly sponsorea by Sue Smith</i>
Class 2	2yr & 3yr old Dartmoor, Exmoor & Shetland
Class 3	2yr & 3yr old Welsh Sections A & B
Class 4	4yrs & over old Dartmoor, Exmoor & Shetland
Class 5	4yrs & over Welsh Sections A & B
Class 6	Yearling Large Breeds – Kindly sponsored by Molghdu Welsh Cobs
Class 7	2yr & 3yr old Dales, Fell, Highland, Connemara & New Forest
Class 8	2yr & 3yr old Welsh Sections C & D – Kindly sponsored by Molghdu Welsh Cobs
Class 9	4yrs & over Dales, Fell, Highland, Connemara & New Forest
Class 10	4yrs & over Welsh Sections C & D – Kindly sponsored by Molghdu Welsh Cobs

# The NPS/SHOWING CLASSICS M&M Leading Rein National Championship NPS M&M LEADING REIN WINTER CHAMPIONSHIP

#### JUDGE - Miss L Hayter

Class 11 Open to mares and geldings four years old or over not exceeding 122 cm registered in the main body of their respective Breed Society stud book. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday but must not have attained their 9th birthday before the 1st January in the current year. To be shown in a snaffle bit.

NPS/Corscaron Horse Essentials Home Produced Ridden Championship Qualifier – wear white arm bands. NPS/Fiona Cork Saddles Young Rider Championship Qualifier – for rider up to 25 years

# The NPS/PARTRIDGE & PARR M& M First Ridden National Championship NPS M&M FIRST RIDDEN WINTER CHAMPIONSHIP

#### JUDGE – Miss L Hayter

Class 12 Open to mares and geldings four years old or over not exceeding 128 cm registered in the main body of their respective Breed Society stud book. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday but not reached their 12th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

#### Kindly sponsored by Kate Heywood

NPS/Corscaron Horse Essentials Home Produced Ridden Championship Qualifier – wear white arm bands. NPS/Fiona Cork Saddles Young Rider Championship Qualifier – for rider up to 25 years

**Mini Championship** — 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize Winners from classes 11 & 12 to compete *Kindly Sponsored by Angels Stud & Production* 

#### The NPS/THE ANDREWS FAMILY In Hand Part Bred National Championship

Horse or Pony of any Age excluding Foals

#### **JUDGE Miss L Hayter**

Classes as follows:

Class 13 Part Bred Arab. Horse/pony to be registered in the partbred or anglo arab section of the Arab Horse Society with a minimum of 12.5% Arab blood.

Class 14 Part Bred M&M. Horse/pony to be registered in the partbred section of one of the M&M studbooks with a minimum of 12.5% of that breed blood.

Horses/ponies may be shown plaited or unplaited to suit type.

Part Bred Championship – 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize Winners from classes 13 & 14 to compete

#### The NPS/ Show Pony/Show Hunter Pony Leading Rein National Championship

Ponies must be shown in a snaffle bit.

The owner does not have to be an NPS member for the pony to enter this competition or to qualify but the owner must be a Qualifying or Life member of the NPS to enter the final.

#### **JUDGE Miss J Newbery**

Class 15

Open to registered mares and geldings 4 years old and over, not exceeding 122 cm. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday but must not have attained their 8th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

NPS/Corscaron Horse Essentials Home Produced Ridden Championship – wear white arm bands.

#### The NPS/ Show Pony/Show Hunter Pony First Ridden National Championship

The owner does not have to be an NPS member for the pony to enter this competition or to qualify but the owner must be a Qualifying or Life member of the NPS to enter the final. Ponies must be shown in any suitable bridle.

#### JUDGE Miss J Newbery

Class 16

Open to registered mares and geldings 4 years old and over, not exceeding 122cm. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday but must not have attained their 10th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

NPS/Corscaron Horse Essentials Home Produced Ridden Championship – wear white arm bands. NPS/Fiona Cork Saddles Young Rider Championship Qualifier – for rider up to 25 years

**Show Pony/Hunter Pony Mini Championship** – 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize Winners from classes 15 & 16 to compete

### Ring 1B – Large Indoor (RHS) Start Time 8.00

#### **BSPA Coloured Inhand Classes**

All stallions must be graded with BSPA and wear their BSPA stallion ID disc at all times No Foals

#### **JUDGE Miss J Newbery**

Classes as follows:

Class 17 BSPA Inhand Qualifier, any age or height. To be shown plaited.

Class 18 BSPA Inhand Qualifier, any age or height. To be shown native, traditional or hogged

#### **Coloured Championship** – 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize Winners from classes 17 & 18 to compete

Class 18a Equine Rescue Open Inhand.

Open in Hand: Any age, type, breed. Mares with foal at foot are not permitted. No exhibit under the age of one year may be exhibited on its own.

#### The NPS/Kalusta British Riding Pony (Show Pony) In Hand Supreme National Championship.

For in hand classes ponies must be registered in the NPS British Riding Pony Stud Book, Register, Appendix, International or Sports Pony section of the BRPSB; the GSB, the AHSB, the AASB or registered in the main body of their respective Mountain & Moorland stud books. Part-Breds are not eligible unless entered in the NPS British Riding Pony Stud Book, Register, Appendix, International or Sports Pony section of the BRPSB.

#### JUDGE Miss J Newbery

Class 19	Yearling colt, filly or gelding not to exceed 148cms at maturity.
Class 20	2 or 3 year old colt, filly or gelding not to exceed 148cms at maturity

Class 21 Stallion, mare or gelding 4 years old or over *Kindly sponsored by Kyra Jo Tester* 

#### NPS/AREA 20 British Riding Pony (Show Pony) In Hand Silver Medal Rosette Championship Kindly sponsored by The Rosette Shed

#### 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize Winners from Classes 19 - 21 to compete

A Silver Medal Rosette is offered by the National Pony Society for the best registered pony owned by an NPS **Qualifying or Life** member in the Show Pony In Hand section. Membership cards must be presented in the ring to receive the medal and/or the qualification.

NPS British Riding Pony (Show Pony) Champions Prelim Rounds Qualifier for the Great British In Hand Show – 7th September 2024, Oakridge Arena

# <u>The NPS/ TEAM CHARLESWORTH British Riding Pony (Show Hunter Pony) In Hand National Championship</u>

#### JUDGE Mrs A Gomersall

Class 22	Yearling colt, filly or gelding not to exceed 153cms at maturity.
Class 23	2 or 3 year old colt, filly or gelding not to exceed 153cms at maturity
Class 24	Stallion, mare or gelding 4yrs old or over Kindly sponsored by Debbie Alderson

# NPS/AREA 4 British Riding Pony (Show Hunter Pony) In Hand Silver Medal Rosette Championship

Kindly sponsored by Debbie's Baking

#### 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize Winners from Classes 22 - 24 to compete

A Silver Medal Rosette is offered by the National Pony Society for the best registered pony owned by an NPS **Qualifying or Life** member in the Show Hunter Pony In Hand section. Membership cards must be presented in the ring to receive the medal and/or the qualification.

NPS British Riding Pony (Show Hunter Pony) Champions Prelim Rounds for the Great British In Hand Show – 7th September 2024, Oakridge Arena

# NPS /MR & MRS ROBERTS OTTERGAYLE Hack & Riding Horse In Hand Supreme Championship JUDGE – Miss J Newbery

Class 25 Hacks & Riding Horses three years old and under, colts fillies and geldings

Class 26 Hacks & Riding Horses four years old and over, stallions, mares and geldings.

The owner does not have to be an NPS member to enter the competition, to qualify, or to enter the Final. The first placed horse in each class will qualify for the final at NPS Summer Championship show. Qualification may go no lower than third place. Foals are excluded from qualifying.

NPS Hack & Riding Horse Champions Prelim Rounds Qualifier for the Great British In Hand Show – 7th September 2024, Oakridge Arena

**Hack & Riding Horse Championship**  $-1^{st}$  &  $2^{nd}$  from classes 25 & 26 to compete *Kindly sponsored by Langaller Farm* 

#### The NPS Home Produced British Riding Pony In Hand National Championship

Open to registered Show Ponies not to exceed 148cm at maturity or Show Hunter Ponies not to exceed 153cms at maturity. Please see NPS Rule Book, Sec A, 3.6. Please enter this class in the spirit it is intended. Competitors who contravene the above will be disqualified.

#### JUDGE - Mrs A Gomersall

Class 27	Show Pony or Show Hunter Pony Yearling
Class 28	Show Pony or Show Hunter Pony 2 or 3yrs old
Class 29	Show Pony or Show Hunter Pony 4yrs and over

**SP/SHP Home Produced Championship** – 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> from classes 27 - 29 to compete *Kindly sponsored by Puzzletree Stud* 

#### The NPS/ MOLEVALLEY FARMERS M&M Home Produced In Hand National Championship

Please see NPS Rule Book, Sec A, 3.6. (also listed on back page of schedule). Please enter this class in the spirit it is intended. Competitors who contravene the above will be disqualified.

#### JUDGE - Mrs A Gomersall

Class 30	Small Breeds Youngstock
Class 30	Large Breeds Youngstock
Class 32	Small Breeds 4yrs and over
Class 33	Large Breeds 4yrs and over

### Ring One Combined

#### **M&M Inhand Championship featuring:**

### NPS/BLACKERTOR & SHARPTOR STUDS M&M In Hand Silver Medal Rosette Championship

Kindly sponsored by Kilnbrook Stud

1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize winners from classes 1 - 10 and 30 -33 to compete

#### **JUDGE Mrs A Gomersall**

A Silver Medal Rosette is offered by the National Pony Society for the best registered pony owned by an NPS Qualifying or Life member in the M&M In Hand section. Membership cards must be presented in the ring to receive the medal and/or the qualification.

NPS M&M Breed Champions Prelim Rounds Qualifier for the Great British In Hand Show – 7th September 2024, Oakridge Arena

#### **Supreme Inhand Championship**

# <u>Incorporating: NPS /AREA 15 British Isles Area In Hand Championship</u> JUDGE Miss J Newbery

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from **ALL** Inhand classes are eligible for the Supreme

# This Championship is a qualifier for the SWPA Wynsand In-Hand Final The Champion will qualify for the 2024 SWPA Wynsand In-Hand Final.

(Qualification may be passed down to the Reserve Champion or First Reserve if the Champion or Reserve do not wish to take the qualifier)

#### Qualification Card and Rosette will be presented in the ring.

Please follow the instructions on the card, for any further information please contact Richard on 07774 451156

The SWPA Wynsand In-Hand Final to be held on Thursday Evening 29 August 2024

#### NPS /AREA 15 British Isles Area In Hand Championship

The winning pony from each of the NPS in hand classes held at the show is eligible to go forward to this championship. There are no specific registration criteria for ponies. The owner need not be an NPS member for the pony/horse to enter this competition or to qualify for the final but will have to become a Qualifying member to enter the final. The Supreme Champion and Reserve Supreme Champion ponies at each NPS Area show qualify for the final at the NPS Summer Championship show. If the Supreme and/or Reserve Supreme have already qualified then the qualification may go to the third place, but no lower.

#### **NOT BEFORE 12pm**

#### **JUDGE Miss J Newbery**

Class 34 BSPA Skewbald & Piebald combined Ridden class. Any height, colour or sex. Judge will not ride

#### NPS/ROSETTES DIRECT Show Pony/Show Hunter Pony Novice Ridden Championship

Class 35 Show Ponies N/E 148cms, Show Hunter Ponies N/E 153cms, Intermediate Show Riding Type or Show Hunter Type N/E 158cms. Maybe split if sufficient entries

The highest placed pony from each height group will qualify. Riders may be any age. Rider to be suitable size for pony. Riders must be 12 years old or over when riding stallions not exceeding 128cm and 14 years old or over when riding stallions exceeding 128cms.

The owner does not have to be an NPS member for the pony to enter this competition or to qualify but the owner must be a Qualifying or Life member of the NPS to enter the final.

NPS/Fiona Cork Saddles Young Rider Championship Qualifier – for rider up to 25 years

A pony is not eligible to compete if, before 1st January in the current year, it has done any of the following:

- i. Won an Open affiliated SP/SHP ridden class
- ii. Qualified for Horse of the Year Show or RIHS Open SP/SHP Ridden classes
- iii. Qualified for the SP/SHP Novice Ridden final at the NPS Summer Championship show (N.B. Ponies can compete as novices in this competition for two consecutive years provided they do not submit an entry to the final in the first year).

iv. If a pony qualifies for Horse of the Year Show or RIHS in its second year it is immediately de-noviced and cannot compete in the Novice SP/SHP Final.

All ponies in this class must be shown in a snaffle bit

# NPS/ROBERTSON-BELL Show Pony/Show Hunter Pony Gold Medal Open Ridden National Championship

Class 36 Show Ponies N'/E 148cms, Show Hunter Ponies N/E 153cms, Intermediate Show Riding Type or Show Hunter Type N/E 158cms. Maybe split if sufficient entries

The highest placed pony from each height group will qualify. Riders may be any age. Rider to be suitable size for pony. Riders must be 12 years old or over when riding stallions not exceeding 128cm and 14 years old or over when riding stallions exceeding 128cms.

The owner does not have to be an NPS member for the pony to enter this competition or to qualify but the owner must be a Qualifying or Life member of the NPS to enter the final.

NPS/Corscaron Horse Essentials Home Produced Ridden Championship Qualifier – wear white arm bands NPS/Fiona Cork Saddles Young Rider Championship Qualifier – for rider up to 25 years

#### 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> to qualify for: The NPS/ASSENDONS Area Final Freestyle to Music

The owner does not have to be an NPS member for the pony to enter this competition or to qualify but the owner must be a Qualifying or Life member of the NPS to enter the final. If the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> have already qualified then the qualification may go to the third place, but no lower.

#### The NPS/THE ANDREWS FAMILY Part Bred Ridden National Championship

Stallions, mares and geldings, four years old and over. Horses/ponies may be shown plaited or unplaited to suit type. Rider any age, except stallions (see rules in section A 3.2).

#### JUDGE - Mrs A Gomersall

Class 37 Part Bred Arab. Horse/pony to be registered in the partbred or anglo arab section of the Arab Horse Society with a minimum of 12.5% Arab blood.

Class 38 Part Bred M&M. Horse/pony to be registered in the partbred section of one of the M&M studbooks with a minimum of 12.5% of that breed blood.

Kindly sponsored by Danni Boustead

Plaited Championship – 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize Winners from classes 34 – 38 to compete

Class 38a Rescue Open Ridden. Any type or breed, four years of age and over. Can include Lead Rein and First Ridden (will not be included in the initial go-round). All riders must be the appropriate height / weight for their equine.

#### NPS/DARGAVEL M&M Young Ridden Pony National Championship

Open to pure bred registered M&M stallions, mares and geldings four, five or six years old

Class 39 4yr old Class 40 5yr old Class 41 6yr old

NPS/Fiona Cork Saddles Young Rider Championship Qualifier – for rider up to 25 years

**M&M Young Pony Championship**  $-1^{st}$  &  $2^{nd}$  Prize Winners from classes 39-41 to compete *Kindly sponsored by Loxleigh Connemaras* 

#### NPS M&M and Plaited Amateur Ridden National Championship

Stallions, mares and geldings four years old and over registered in any of the NPS British Riding Pony studbook sections or the Ridden Register; the GSB; the AHSB; the AASB, or registered in the main body of their respective M&M Stud Book. Part breds are not eligible unless entered into one of the NPS British Riding Pony studbook sections or the Ridden Register. Rider any age, except stallions.

Please see Section L on the NPS rule book for the definition of Amateur Status.

#### JUDGE - Miss J Newbery

Class 42 Registered M&M Kindly sponsored by SR Connemaras

Class 43 Plaited Ponies NE 153cms *Kindly sponsored by SR Connemaras* 

NPS/Fiona Cork Saddles Young Rider Championship Qualifier – for rider up to 25 years

Amateur Championship – 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize Winners from classes 42 – 43 to compete

#### The NPS/PICTON STUD M&M Novice Ridden National Championship

#### JUDGE - Mrs A Gomersall

Class 44 Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland

Class 45 Welsh A, Welsh B

Class 46 New Forest, Connemara

Class 47 Fell, Highland, Dales

Class 48 Welsh C, Welsh D

Open to pure bred registered M&M stallions, mares and geldings four years old or over. A pony is not eligible to compete if, before 1st January in the current year it has done any of the following:

- i. Won an open affiliated mixed M&M Ridden class
- ii. Qualified for Horse of the Year Show, BSPS Lemieux or RIHS Open M&M Ridden classes
- iii. Qualified for the M&M Novice or Intermediate Ridden final at the NPS Summer Championship show (N.B. Ponies can compete as novices in this competition for two consecutive years provided they do not submit an entry to the final in the first year).
- iv. If a pony qualifies for Horse of the Year Show, LIHS or RIHS in its second year it is immediately de-noviced and cannot compete in the Picton Final.

Ponies must be shown in a snaffle bit.

NPS/Fiona Cork Saddles Young Rider Championship Qualifier – for rider up to 25 years

Novice Ridden Championship  $-1^{st}$  &  $2^{nd}$  Prize Winners to compete from classes 44 - 48

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#### The NPS/PEASEDOWN STUD & JESS TALBOT M&M Intermediate Ridden National Championship

JUDGE Miss L Haytor (Classes will be slit if sufficient entries)

Class 49 Small Breeds Class 50 Large Breeds

Open to pure bred registered M&M stallions, mares and geldings five years old or over A pony is not eligible to compete if it has qualified before 1st January in the current year for:

- i) The M&M Open Ridden Championship final at Horse of the Year Show or
- ii) The M&M Supreme Ridden Championship final at London International Horse Show.
- iii) The M&M Open Ridden Championship Final at Longines Royal International Horse Show NPS/Fiona Cork Saddles Young Rider Championship Qualifier for rider up to 25 years

**M&M Intermediate Championship** - 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize Winners from classes 49-50 to compete *Kindly sponsored by SR Connemaras* 

#### The NPS/COOPER FAMILY M&M Junior Ridden National Championship

#### **JUDGE Mrs L Haytor**

Class 51 Open to registered Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Welsh Section A, Welsh Section B mares and geldings four years old and over. Riders must not have attained their 14th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

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Class 52 Open to registered Dales, Fell, Highland, New Forest, Connemara and Welsh Section C mares and geldings four years old and over, not exceeding 138 cm. Riders must not have attained their 18th birthday before 1st January in the current year.

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Class 53 Open to registered Dales, Fell, Highland, New Forest, Connemara and Welsh Section D, mares and geldings four years old and over, exceeding 138 cm but not exceeding 148cms (except for Welsh Section D and Dales). Riders must not have attained their 18th birthday before 1st January in the current year.

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NPS/Corscaron Horse Essentials Home Produced Ridden Championship Qualifier – wear white arm bands.

NPS/Fiona Cork Saddles Young Rider Championship Qualifier – for rider up to 25 years

M&M Junior Ridden Championship - 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize Winners from classes 51-53 to compete

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#### The NPS/RINGSIDE STUD M&M Open Ridden National Championship

Also Incorporating:

#### NPS/CE FULLER & SONS M&M OPEN RIDDEN WINTER CHAMPIONSHIP

JUDGE – Mrs A Gomersall (Classes may be split if sufficient entries)

Class 54 Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Welsh A, Welsh B

Class 55 Connemara, Dales, Fell, Highland, New Forest, Welsh C, Welsh D

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Open to registered pure bred M&M stallions, mares and geldings four years old or over.

NPS/Corscaron Horse Essentials Home Produced Ridden Championship Qualifier – wear white arm bands.

NPS/Fiona Cork Saddles Young Rider Championship Qualifier – for rider up to 25 years

**Open Ridden Championship** — 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize Winners from classes 54 & 55 to compete. *Kindly sponsored by Hacks Country Ltd Saltash*  **Champion to qualify for:** The NPS/ASSENDONS Area Final Freestyle to Music

The owner does not have to be an NPS member for the pony to enter this competition or to qualify but the owner must be a Qualifying or Life member of the NPS to enter the final. If the Champion and/or Reserve Champion have already qualified then the qualification may go to the third place, but no lower.

### **Supreme Ridden Championship Incorporating:**

NPS/TALENT FORTE RECRUITMENT British Isles Area Supreme Ridden Championship
NPS/THE NIPNA DALES PONY M&M Ridden Silver Medal Rosette Championship

#### JUDGE – Miss L Haytor

All Ridden Champions and Reserve eligible to compete but Lead Rein and First Ridden competitors are not eligible for the qualifications.

British Isles - The owner need not be an NPS member for the pony/horse to enter this competition or to qualify for the final but will have to become a Qualifying member to enter the final.

The Supreme Champion and Reserve Supreme Champion ponies at each NPS Area show qualify for the final at the NPS Summer Championship show. If the Supreme and/or Reserve Supreme have already qualified then the qualification may go to the third place, but no lower.

Silver Medal - A Silver Medal Rosette is offered by the National Pony Society for the best registered pony owned by an **NPS Qualifying or Life** member in the M&M Ridden section. Membership cards must be presented in the ring to receive the medal and/or the qualification.

#### **RULES AND CONDITIONS**

- 1. The organisers and each of the show's officers, servants or agents shall not be in any way responsible or accountable for any loss, injury or damage that may happen (from any cause or circumstances whatsoever) to exhibitors or their servants or agents or other members of the public, to any animal or property, or to any vehicle brought onto the showground, or on premises used in conjunction with the show, or while entering or leaving, or for anything else in conjunction with, or arising out of, or attributable to the show.
- 2. In all classes the judge's decision is final.
- 3. This show is run under the showing and competition rules of the National Pony Society (NPS). A copy of the NPS Rule Book is available online or hard copies can be requested from the NPS Office.
- 4. Qualifying rounds are open to both NPS Members and Non Members BUT ONLY the highest placed NPS Qualifying or Life Members on production of their NPS Membership Card will be eligible to qualify for the Final. Qualification to go no lower than third place.
- 5. Any person wishing to lodge a protest having reference to any persons or exhibit, shall do so in writing within 30 minutes of the completion of the class and at the same time shall deposit a sum of £50. If the investigation by the committee shows the protest is not sustained, the deposit shall be forfeited to the funds of the show. The committee's decision will be final.
- 6. All Mountain and Moorland ponies must be registered with their respective breed society and be shown in accordance with their individual society rules.
- 7. The organisers reserve the right to amend the judges' panel and order of classes if it should become necessary.
- 8. The committee cannot be held responsible for the clashing of classes competitors should bear this in mind when making their entries. **No entry fees will be refunded**.
- 9. The committee reserves the right to amalgamate classes if deemed necessary.
- 10. The committee reserves the right to refuse entries without giving a reason.
- 11. The committee reserves the right to retain all or part of the entry fees in the event of the show being cancelled.
- 12. Stallions and colts. In hand classes: handlers must have attained their 14<sup>th</sup> birthday before the 1<sup>st</sup> of January in the current year. Ridden small breeds classes: riders must have attained their 11<sup>th</sup> birthday before the 1<sup>st</sup> of January in the current year. Ridden large breed classes: riders must have attained their 14<sup>th</sup> birthday before the 1<sup>st</sup> of January in the current year. NPS Stallion Discs <u>must</u> be displayed on all ridden stallions. In Hand colts and stallions are advised to display a stallion bridle marker.. Stallion Discs are available from the NPS Office
- 13. No pony under the age of 4 may compete in any ridden class.
- 14. Spurs are not allowed in any ridden class
- 15. Anyone found mistreating a horse or pony may be asked to leave the showground and be reported to the appropriate body.
- 16. All attendants in the ring must present themselves correctly attired and must **wear a hat**. Failure to do this may result in being asked to leave the ring.
- 17. All dogs must be kept on a lead.
- 18. Pre Entries are non refundable