

The South Western Association of the Welsh Pony & Cob Society

Summer Bronze Medal Show



Classes for registered Welsh & Part Breds

Unaffiliated in hand and ridden classes for other breeds all day in Ring 3

ALL HORSES/PONIES ATTENDING MUST BE VACCINATED FOR EQUINE FLU

Minimum of the primary course of two vaccines with 7 days clearance on the day of the show, or annual booster



**WPCS Bronze Medals & WPCS Performance Medal
SWAWPCS Commemorative Medal to Supreme In Hand**



****SUPREME WELSH SPONSORED BY FLYDON STUD****

Medal cast in tin, a metal historically associated with the South West, specially commissioned for the South Western Association of the WPCS and presented to the Supreme Champion.

9.00 am Sunday 21st June 2026

***Pontispool Equestrian Centre, Norton Fitzwarren,
Taunton, Somerset TA4 1BH***

Affiliated to:

Welsh Pony & Cob Society AF000404

Show Secretary: Lorna Norris – 07794 940102

Entries by BACS and Online through Showing Scene

WPCS BRONZE MEDAL & PRE ENTRIES CLOSE – 18th June 2026

Dates for your Diary

Autumn Show – Bickton College, Exeter

Sunday 1st November 2026

www.swawpcs.co.uk

STABLING – Please go to <https://www.pontispool.com/stabling> to book.

ENTRY FEES FOR ALL CLASSES:

	SWA Members	Non-Members
Entry fees before 18 th June 2026		
WPCS IN HAND CLASSES 1-27 & 32-51	£12.00	£16.00
RING 1 & 2 RIDDEN CLASSES	£12.00	£14.00
UNAFFILIATED CLASSES	£8.00	£10.00

On the day:

RING 1 & 2 RIDDEN CLASSES	£14.00	£16.00
UNAFFILIATED CLASSES	£10.00	£12.00

Enquiries to swaofthewpcs@gmail.com

Animals must be entered correctly in line with WPCS rules.

The Judging and Showing Handbook can be found on the Society website www.wpcs.uk.com or requested from the WPCS office.

Failure to comply with the rules may result in the withholding of awards.

WPCS – YOUR PERSONAL DATA

Exhibitor you will need to provide the WPCS with certain personal information relating to you. Your privacy is extremely important to WPCS, so we want you to know exactly how we will use that personal information. Our full privacy notice setting out detailed information about matters such as what personal information we use, for what purpose we use it, what our legal basis for doing so is and who we share your personal information with, can be viewed on our website <http://wpcs.uk.com/> If you would prefer to see a hard copy of our privacy notice, please ask a member of WPCS staff to provide you with the same.

SWAWPCS GENERAL DATA PROTECTION

SWA holds personal data i.e. members' names, addresses, telephone numbers and email addresses in respect of membership and show entries. If you are entering a show you will need to give your consent to us holding this information when we forward or publish the show results. If appropriate details of the name of the owner/exhibitor/rider and animal's details will be given to the WPCS and any other Showing Society for this purpose and your consent is therefore needed for us to do this. Your consent will be taken as given unless you inform the Show Secretary otherwise.

Judges Invited

Welsh Section A In Hand & Young Handler	- Mrs J. Reed (Haverford)
Welsh Sections B, Part Bred In Hand & Ring 2 Ridden	- Mrs L. Partridge (Rosedale)
Welsh Sections C & Ring 1 Ridden	- Mrs T. Baldwin (Janton)
Welsh Section D	- Mr M. Attrell (Danaway)
Unaffiliated In Hand Classes	- Mrs G. Ross
Unaffiliated Ridden Classes	- Mrs J. Mann (Maerton Stud)

Ring 1 - 9.00am

Welsh Part Bred – In Hand

Judge: Mrs L. Partridge (Rosedale)

Class 1. Yearling Colt or Filly

Class 2. 2 & 3 year old Colt or Filly

Class 3. Gelding - 1, 2 or 3 years old

Youngstock Championship - 1st & 2nd from classes 1-3

Class 4. Brood/Barren Mare - 4yrs & Over (Rosette to best Foal)

Class 5. Gelding - 4yrs & Over

Class 6. Stallions - 4yrs old & over

Class 7. Veteran – 15 years and over Highest placed 19 years and over qualifies for Veteran Championship

WELSH PART BRED CHAMPIONSHIP

Youngstock Champion & Reserve, 1st and 2nd prize-winners from classes 4-7

WPCS Bronze Medal to Champion (subject to WPCS rules)

Welsh Section A – In Hand

Judge: Mrs. J Reed (Haverford)

Class 8. Yearling Colt

Class 9. Yearling Filly

Class 10. 2 & 3 year old Colt

Class 11. 2 & 3 year old Filly

Class 12. Gelding - 1, 2 or 3 years old

Youngstock Championship - 1st & 2nd from classes 8-12

Class 13. Brood Mare - 4yrs & Over (Rosette to best Foal)

Class 14. Barren Mare - 4 yrs and over (not to have had or will have a foal this year)

Class 15. Gelding - 4yrs & Over

Class 16. Stallions - 4yrs old & over

Class 17. Veteran – 15 years and over Highest placed 19 years and over qualifies for Veteran Championship

SECTION A CHAMPIONSHIP

Youngstock Champion & Reserve, 1st and 2nd prize-winners from classes 13-17

WPCS Bronze Medal to Champion (subject to WPCS rules)

****Kindly sponsored by Woodybottoms Stud****

Welsh Section B – In Hand
Judge: Mrs L. Partridge (Rosedale)

Class 18. Yearling Colt

Class 19. Yearling Filly

Class 20. 2 & 3 year old Colt

Class 21. 2 & 3 year old Filly

Class 22. Gelding - 1, 2 or 3 years old

Youngstock Championship - 1st & 2nd from classes 18-22

Class 23. Brood Mare - 4yrs & Over (Rosette to best Foal)

Class 24. Barren Mare - 4 yrs and over (not to have had or will have a foal this year)

Class 25. Gelding - 4yrs & Over

Class 26. Stallions - 4yrs old & over

Class 27. Veteran – 15 years and over Highest placed 19 years and over qualifies for Veteran Championship

SECTION B CHAMPIONSHIP

Youngstock Champion & Reserve, 1st and 2nd prize-winners from classes 23-27

WPCS Bronze Medal to Champion (subject to WPCS rules)

****Kindly sponsored by Singmore Stud****

Ring 1 – Welsh In Hand Championships

To commence when all in hand classes in Rings 1 & 2 have concluded

★ **Sarum Stud JUNIOR GELDING Championship** ★
1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 3,12,22,37 & 47

★ **Trevallion Stud SENIOR GELDING Championship** ★
1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 5,15,25,40 & 50

★ **SWA WPCS In Hand Members Championship** ★
Open to the highest placed member in any of the classes from 1-27 & 33-52

★ **Minmon VETERAN In Hand Championship** ★
Highest placed pony 19 years plus from classes 7,17,27,42 & 52

★ **WELSH YOUNGSTOCK In-Hand Championship** ★
Welsh A, Welsh B, Welsh C, Welsh D and Welsh Part Bred Champions & Reserves



SUPREME WELSH In-Hand Championship
Welsh A, Welsh B, Welsh C, Welsh D and Welsh Part Bred Champions & Reserves



**** Winner receives the SWAWPCS commemorative medal****
Medal kindly sponsored by Nicki McGuire, in memory of Obie.

****SUPREME WELSH KINDLY SPONSORED BY FLYDON STUD****

Ring 1 – Afternoon Classes

Not before 1pm

Welsh Breed Ridden

Mares, stallions, geldings 4 yrs and over - Must be registered with WPCS

Judge – Mrs T. Baldwin (Janton)

Class 28. Ridden Welsh Section A

Class 29. Ridden Welsh Section B

Class 30. Ridden Welsh Section C

Class 31. Ridden Welsh Section D

Class 32. Ridden Welsh Part Bred

WELSH BREED RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP

1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 28-32

Once all ridden classes in Rings 1 & 2 have concluded.

SWA WPCS Ridden Members Championship

Open to the highest placed member in any of the classes from 28-32 & 55-58



SUPREME RIDDEN Championship

*WPCS registered ponies only.
Champion & Reserve from classes 28-32 and highest placed
Registered Welsh 3rd and above from classes 55-58*



WPCS Performance Medal to Champion

(subject to WPCS rules)

****Kindly sponsored by The Rosette Shed****

Ring 2 - 9.00am

Welsh Section C – In Hand
Judge: Mrs T. Baldwin (Janton)

Class 33. Yearling Colt

Class 34. Yearling Filly

Class 35. 2 & 3 year old Colt

Class 36. 2 & 3 year old Filly

Class 37. Gelding - 1, 2 or 3 years old

Youngstock Championship - 1st & 2nd from classes 32-36

Class 38. Brood Mare - 4yrs & Over (Rosette to best Foal)

Class 39. Barren Mare - 4 yrs and over (not to have had or will have a foal this year)

Class 40. Gelding - 4yrs & Over

Class 41. Stallions - 4yrs old & over

Class 42. Veteran – 15 years and over Highest placed 19 years and over qualifies for Veteran Championship

SECTION C CHAMPIONSHIP

Youngstock Champion & Reserve, 1st and 2nd prize-winners from classes 38-42

WPCS Bronze Medal to Champion (subject to WPCS rules)

****Kindly sponsored by C.R. Farriery Ltd.****

Welsh Section D – In Hand

Judge: Mr M. Attrell (Danaway)

Class 43. Yearling Colt

Class 44. Yearling Filly

Class 45. 2 & 3 year old Colt

Class 46. 2 & 3 year old Filly

Class 47. Gelding - 1, 2 or 3 years old

Youngstock Championship - 1st & 2nd from classes 42-46

Class 48. Brood Mare - 4yrs & Over (Rosette to best Foal)

Class 49. Barren Mare - 4 yrs and over (not to have had or will have a foal this year)

Class 50. Gelding - 4yrs & Over

Class 51. Stallions - 4yrs old & over

Class 52. Veteran – 15 years and over Highest placed 19 years and over qualifies for Veteran Championship

SECTION D CHAMPIONSHIP

Youngstock Champion & Reserve, 1st and 2nd prize-winners from classes 48-52

WPCS Bronze Medal to Champion (subject to WPCS rules)

****Kindly sponsored by C.R. Farriery Ltd.****

Young Handler

Judge: Judith Reed (Haverford)

Class 53. Young Handler – 6yrs to 10 yrs (age as of the 1st January 2025)

Class 54. Young Handler – 11yrs to 16yrs (age as of the 1st January 2025)

YOUNG HANDLER CHAMPIONSHIP

1st and 2nd prize-winners from classes 53-54

****Kindly sponsored by Spillers Horse Feeds****

Ring 2 – Afternoon Classes

Not before 1pm

M&M Mini/Junior Ridden

Open to registered Mountain & Moorland breeds.

*The highest placed registered Welsh in the top 3 in each class qualifies for
WPCS Performance Medal Supreme Ridden Championship*

Judge – Mrs L. Partridge (Rosedale)

Class 55. Lead Rein – Open to mares and geldings not exceeding 122cm, 4 years and over. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday but must not have attained their 9th birthday before the 1st January in the current year. Registered M&M only. To be led by an attendant and shown in a snaffle bit, the leading rein to be attached to the noseband only.

Class 56. First Ridden - Open to mares and geldings not exceeding 128 cm, 4 years and over. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 12th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Registered M&M only. Snaffle bridles only.

Class 57. Small Junior Ridden - 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.

Class 58. Large Junior Ridden - Open to registered Dales, Fell, Highland, New Forest, Connemara and Welsh Section C & D, mares and geldings four years old and over, exceeding 122 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.

M&M MINI/JUNIOR RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP

1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 55-58

Ring 3 – 9.00am

Unaffiliated In Hand Classes

Judge – Mrs G. Ross

Class 59. Novice Handler – Not to have won a class – Open to any age Horse/Pony

Class 60. Youngstock 3 yrs & under. Any sex.

Class 61. Coloured Horse/Pony – Any Age, Any Height – To include Buckskin, Palomino & other dilutes

Class 62. Traditional/Native/Show Cob

Class 63. Foreign Breeds

Class 64. Home Produced – Open to any age horse/pony. Please enter this class in the intended spirit.

Class 65. Best Rescue – Any age horse/pony

Class 66. Plaited Horse/Pony – Any age horse/pony

Class 67. Miniature Horse

Class 68. Shetland – Standard/Miniature

Class 69. Small Breed M & M

Class 70. Large Breed M & M

Class 71. Veteran over 15yrs

UNAFFILIATED IN HAND CHAMPIONSHIP

1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 59-71

Sash to Champion

Unaffiliated Ridden Classes

Judge – Mrs J. Mann (Maerton)

Class 72. Novice – Not to have won a class. Canter optional.

Class 73. Lead Rein (not exceeding 122 cm) Snaffle bits. Lead rein attached to noseband. Riders 9 years and under.

Class 74. First Ridden (not exceeding 128 cm) Riders 12 years and under

Class 75. Junior Ridden (under 14 years)

Class 76. Riding Club Horse/Pony

Class 77. Hunter/Hack/Riding Horse

Class 78. Show Pony/Show Hunter Pony/Riding Pony

Class 79. Traditional/Native/Show Cob

Class 80. Retraining of Racehorse

Class 81. Small Breed M&M (Class will be split if entries warrant)

Class 82. Large Breed M&M (Class will be split if entries warrant)

Class 83. Coloured Horse/Pony - Any Age, Any Height – To include Buckskin, Palomino & other dilutes

UNAFFILIATED RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP

1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 72-83

Sash to Champion

RULES

1. The Organisers and Show's officers, servants or agents shall not be in any way responsible or accountable for any loss, injury or damage from any cause or circumstances whatever to exhibitors or their servants or agents or other members of the public, to any animal or property or any vehicle or otherwise brought onto the showground, or on premises used in conjunction with the show or while entering or leaving the same or otherwise for anything else in conjunction with, or arising out of, or attributable to the Show.
2. The Organisers reserve the right to amend the Judge's panel and order of classes if it should become necessary.
3. The Committee reserves the right to cancel/amalgamate any class with less than 3 entries
4. The Committee reserves the right to retain all or part of the entry fees in the event of the show being cancelled.
4. Any of this the committee shall try to do their best to notify competitors through social media and online however it is up to competitors to check through these ways of communication for any of these notifications.
5. Substitutions and nomination of entries are not allowed once the entry closing date has passed
6. Refund of entry fee only on receipt of a veterinary certificate.
7. The judge's decision is final.
8. Any protest/objection must be lodged in writing with the Show Secretary within half an hour of the incident together with a deposit of £10. If the protest is not upheld, the deposit will be forfeited to the funds of the show.
9. Except for the Part-Bred classes, all entries must be entered in the main section of the stud book for their respective breeds. Part Bred ponies must be registered in the Welsh Part-Bred register.
10. Entries in the WPCS Section X of the Stud Book Foundation Stock cannot compete but FS.1 and FS.2 may.
11. All stud book registration numbers must be given on all entry forms.
12. Non readable or uncompleted entry forms may cause your entry not being taken. Please take care when filling out forms.
13. HATS Must be worn at all times when RIDING OF ANY AGE & HANDLING if NOT attained your 14th BIRTHDAY before 1st January of the current Year. Correctly secured and fitted Skull Caps/Riding Hats Nos. PAS015 2011, VG1, (BS) EN1384 2023, ASTM F1163 2015 and 2023, SNELL E2016 and E2021 onwards, AS/NZS 3838 2006
14. Handlers who have NOT attained their 14th birthday on the 1st January · MUST wear a HARD HAT of current Safety Standards, Gloves, and suitable footwear, in all handler classes. · If competing in OPEN IN HAND CLASSES must ONLY show Geldings or Barren Mares. · No Handlers under the age of 5 years. · NO Colt, Stallions or Mares and Foals can enter Young Handler classes.
15. COLTS AND STALLIONS · All Colts and Stallions from the age of 1yr must wear a Stallion bridle badge. · All Colts (2years old and over) and stallions must be bitted · Stallions or Colts of a certain age must be licensed as per their Breed Society Standards. · Must be, led by a handler who has attained their 14th birthday on the 1st January.
16. Riders of · Welsh Section A & B Stallion must have attained their 12th Birthday · Welsh Section C & D Stallions must have attained their 14th Birthday
17. No cane or whips to be more than 30 inches · Excessive use of a whip anywhere on a showground will result in disqualification of the horse and rider/handler from any classes entered on that day. · This includes but not limited to; Use of the whip to vent a competitor's anger is always excessive. Use of the whip which causes injury, e.g. broken skin or weal is always excessive. Use after elimination or retirement is always excessive. Using a whip from the ground after a fall or dismount is always excessive. If the rider's arm comes above the shoulder when using the whip this is always excessive. The wearing of spurs or dummy spurs in ALL classes held forbidden
18. NO MANES OR TAILS TO BE PLAITED IN ANY M&M CLASSES, OPTIONAL FOR PART-BREDS
19. In accordance with WPCS showing rules animals 3 years old and under including foals must not be body clipped for showing purposes. Long hair under the jawline and those protruding from the ears may be trimmed off leaving as natural a line as possible. Whiskers must not be trimmed. Following the FEI General Assembly held on 23November 2020, a new rule that prohibits the clipping/shaving of sensory hairs was passed as part of the veterinary regulations. This has been implemented on welfare grounds.
20. If mane and tail are very thick, they can be discreetly thinned, Tails: - should look natural and should not be levelled off (banged).
21. Ponies must be the bona fide property of the registered owner on the Passport or officially leased.
22. Competitors are reminded that they should have a valid passport with up-to-date ownership and vaccination record accompanying the pony Just in case of spot inspection by the event officials or DEFRA
23. Geldings not holding the correct status will be allowed 14 days from the date of the show to provide the Society with the passport including the fully completed castration section for updating to Gelding. Those not updated within 14 days will not be eligible for a Society medal (subject to meeting the criteria).
24. Exhibitors are requested not to bring any coughing/infectious pony to the show and may be requested to remove any such animal.
25. No change of handler may be made once a class has commenced without the permission of the judge
26. Competitors entering classes which may clash do so at their own risk, no entry fees will be refunded. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to ensure they are ready to enter the ring at the appropriate time.
27. All dogs must be kept on a lead.
28. Exhibitors must not enter an animal when that animal will be judged by a person who has or has had a financial interest in the animal, stud fee excluded, (the exhibitor being the owner, lessee or person producing and/or showing the animal). Judges may not adjudicate a pony which, to the judge's knowledge, is a pony bred, sold, leased, or produced by the judge or his immediate family or employer.
29. All cups and trophies remain the property of the South Western Association of the Welsh Pony & Cob Society and must be returned to the show secretary. All cups and trophies are the responsibility of the winner whilst in their possession. They may only be signed for by an adult. Any person who has had an SWA cup or trophy in the past and has not returned it by the time of the next show may not be allowed to take away a cup or trophy they have been awarded.

Ring 1 – 9.30am	Ring 2 – 9.30am	Ring 3 – 9.30am
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Welsh Part Bred - Welsh Section A - Welsh Section B <p style="text-align: center;">OVERALL IN HAND CHAMPIONSHIPS</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Not Before 1pm</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Welsh Ridden <p style="text-align: center;">OVERALL RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIPS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Welsh Section C - Welsh Section D - Young Handler <p style="text-align: center;">Not Before 1pm</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mini/Junior Ridden 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Unaffiliated In Hand <p style="text-align: center;">Not Before 12.30pm</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Unaffiliated Ridden

South Western Association of the WPCS – Summer Show Sunday 21st June 2026

Enter through SHOWINGSCENE FOR PRE ENTRIES or by BACS/Email



PAYMENT BY BACS - ACCOUNT NAME: SWA of the WPCS
LLOYDS ACCOUNT NO: 60708468
SORT CODE: 30-99-50 REF "SURNAME & SHOW"

PRE ENTRIES CLOSE: 18th JUNE 2026

CLASS	NAME OF PONY & REGISTRATION NUMBER	AGE SEX (M/F/G)	SIRE	DAM	OWNERS NAME & NPS NO <i>(IF APPLICABLE)</i>	EXHIBITOR (RIDER/HANDLER)	ENTRY FEE
						FIRST AID	£3.00

EXHIBITORS NAME.....

ADDRESS.....

TEL NO & SWAWPCS MEMBERSHIP NUMBER.....

I have read and agree to abide by the show rules & agree to SWAWPCS processing my data as stated on Page 2 of this schedule.

Signed..... Please send to Show Secretary: **Lorna Norris** Email: swaofthewpcs@gmail.com