Horses

Please ensure that you are correctly registered with the appropriate horse society before making your entry. If you are unsure, please contact the breed society directly.
The association reserves the right to refuse any entry that is not registered to the appropriate society for the classes entered. Any fees paid will be forfeited. All registration numbers must be stated on the entry form.

Arab Horse Society - www.arabhorsesociety.org
British Driving Society - www.britishdrivingsociety.co.uk
British Show Horse Association - www.britishshowhorse.org
British Showjumping - www.britishshowjumping.co.uk
British Show Pony Society - www.bsps.com
Dartmoor Pony Society - www.dartmoorponysociety.com
British Connemara Pony Society - www.britishconnemaras.co.uk
Exmoor Pony Society - www.exmoorponysociety.org.uk
National Pony Society - www.nationalponysociety.com
Retraining of Racehorses - www.ror.org.uk
Shetland Pony Stud Book Society - www.shetlandponystudbooksociety.co.uk
Shire Horse Society info@shire-horse.org.uk
Sports Horse Breeding of Great Britain - www.sportshorsegb.co.uk
Welsh Pony & Cob Society - www.wpcs.uk.com
Veteran Horse Society - www.veteran-horse-society.co.uk
Irish Draught Horse Society – www.IDHS.org.uk
SHIRE HORSE 01536 771611
BSHA - 01462 437 770
CHAPS (UK) - 01522 703784
BSPS - 01487 831 376
TSR - 02476 857010
SHB(GB) - 01732 866 277
BDS - 01284 630 591
NPS - 01420 88 333
IDHS(GB) – 01768 870523
UK Ponies & Horses - 07377 555 539
VHS - 01239 881300
For Mountain and moorland classes, please contact the relevant breed society

This Show is affiliated to Equifest, taking place at the Arena UK, Grantham, Lincolnshire, from 6th to 9th August 2026. The two highest exhibits not already qualified in each affiliated class will qualify."
Classes: 1 Equifest M&M In Hand, 2 Equifest Ridden M&M, 3 Equifest M&M Lead Rein, 4 Equifest M &M First Ridden, 6 Equifest M&M WHP
7 Equifest Show Pony Lead Rein, 8 Equifest Show Pony First Ridden, 9 Equifest Ridden Show Ponies, 10 Equifest Show Hunter Pony Lead Rein, 11 Equifest Ridden Show Hunter Pony, 12 Equifest Working Hunter Pony, 13 Equifest Small Hunter, 14 Equifest Ridden Hunters, 15 Equifest Working Hunter, 16 Equifest Intermediate Show Riding Type, 17 Equifest Intermediate Show Hunter Type, 19 Equifest Riding Horses, 20 Equifest Ridden Cobs, 23 Equifest Ridden Part Breds.
Qualification cards will not be sent out, but the qualification card will be available on the website for competitors to download at no extra cost.

VETERINARY TEAM - All equine health and welfare concerns are with the Veterinary Team, from Howell's Veterinary practice, available during the day on the showground. Please contact the Horse Secretary on the day Tel: 07891039310

ANIMAL HEALTH NOTE—The primary equine influenza and tetanus vaccinations are a compulsory requirement for all equines attending the Ryedale Show.
'Equine Influenza
The minimum requirement is two vaccinations 21 days apart. There must be a clear 7 days, after the second vaccination before entry onto the showground, it is mandatory that all other horses/ponies have received a booster within 6 calendar months on their entry to the showground. Foals of 6 months of age or older must meet the above requirement. Foals younger than 6 months of age must be out of a mare that meets the above requirements. Passports may be inspected at any time.

HAT RULE - All riders of horses, donkeys, or ponies on the showground or exercise areas are required to wear suitable head protection (hard hat) that conforms to the current standards for head protection for equestrian activities. Helmets must be worn with the chin straps correctly and securely fastened at all times whilst mounted. This applies to all ridden competitions, demonstrations, and exercise. We strongly recommend that helmets be worn at all times when handling horses, donkeys, and ponies on the ground.

EQUINE OBESITY—must be avoided and all horses / ponies exhibited should be fit for purpose for the event or class they are competing in. Having a horse/pony that is obese is extremely detrimental to its welfare, and animals carrying too much fat are at a significantly increased risk of developing serious health and welfare issues.

ENTRY FEES
Entry Fee per class: £15 except fancy dress, which is free.
BYEH entry fee as per schedule: £40.00
LIHS Rising Stars entry fee is £25, which includes £10 levy
For prize money, please refer to individual classes

Catalogues can be preordered for £5 from show extras (a limited amount available on the day)
Refund policy .- no refunds unless request is accompanied with a veterinary letter.

TICKET ALLOCATION—all tickets and passes will be issued via email.
Number of Exhibit(s) Single-day admission passes (valid for the day of judging only):
1 = 2 passes
2 = 3 passes
3 = 4 passes
4 = 5 passes
5 and over = 6 passes
LORRY PASSES: All vehicles will receive a lorry pass; please park sensibly. NOTE: Vehicles not containing animals will NOT be permitted in the exhibitor area and instead must park in the public car park, so please ensure all tack, etc. is carried in the vehicle with your animal.

NO HORSE IS TO BE RIDDEN OR LED THROUGH THE SHOWGROUND EXCEPT ON DESIGNATED HORSE WALKS. NO CHILDREN OR PUSHCHAIRS PERMITTED IN ANY COLLECTING RING.

PLEASE KEEP TO THE DESIGNATED HORSE CROSSING POINTS TO REACH RINGS AND BE POLITE TO ALL OUR VOLUNTEERS—THEY ARE THERE TO KEEP EVERYONE SAFE.

HORSES AND PONIES SECTION Timetable 2026
Please Note:
Times for classes are an approximate guide only. Classes will not start before the time stated in the ring timetable documents

Rings could be changed to help secure the smooth running of the show. Announcements will be made during the day.
**** Ryedale Show reserves the right to cancel or amalgamate classes if entries are extremely low. ****

Ring 2
9:00 am – Small Breed Mountain and Moorland In Hand, followed by Small Championship, followed by Large Breed Mountain and Moorland In Hand, followed by Large Championship and Supreme Championship.

12.30pm - Rings 1 and Ring 2 will amalgamate to become the Main Ring
12:30pm Private Driving
1.30pm - Best Decorated Heavy Horse
1.50pm - Parade of Vintage Tractors
2:20pm – Mounted Fancy Dress
2.40pm – Heavy Horse in Plough Harness
3.00pm – Grand Parade
3.30pm - Pony Club Mounted Games
4:10pm – Heavy Horse Turnout
4.20pm - Parade of Hounds
4.40pm - Children's Races
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Ring 3A/B
9am - Hunter breeding followed by championships.
10:15 am - In Hand Irish Draught
11:30am - Heavy Horse Young Handler. Followed by Shires & Clydesdales, judged at separate ends of the ring. Shire and Clydesdale Championships followed by Supreme Heavy Horse Championship
1pm - In-hand coloreds, followed by championship, followed by ridden coloreds and Championship
2.30pm - Veteran Classes

Ring 4
9am Cleveland Bays, Followed by Championship
10 am – Ridden BSPS LIHS Pony Classes
12 noon - Ridden Mountain and Moorland

Ring 5
9am – LIHS Ridden Hunters, followed by the championship
followed by LIHS Style & Performance classes
1.15pm – Ridden Irish Draught

Ring 6
9:00am – Ridden cobs followed by championship.
10.30am – Riding Horse
11.30am – Novice Retrained Racehorse Class.
Followed by the open retrained racehorse class.

Ring 7
9am – LIHS BSPS Cradle & Nursery Stake classes
10-30am Working Hunter Classes.
Followed by the Mountain & Moorland Working Hunter Pony, followed by the championship.

Ring 8
8:30 am – Dubarry Burghley Young Event Horse Classes
2.00pm - Retrained Racehorse Class – Challenge

Exhibitors are required by DEFRA to carry with them Official Identity Documents for all horses/ponies when competing or travelling. Competitors are reminded that it is a DEFRA requirement that the Official Identity Documents must be in the name of the legal owner within 30 days of ownership. This must be registered with the breed society, relevant studbook or ID-issuing agency, dependent on breed/type of animal, spot checks may be carried out at qualifying shows and by breed societies.
Under the Horse Passports Regulations (NI) 2010, which came into operation on 31st March 2010, all horses, ponies, and other equines require a horse passport. From 1st July 2009, foals (and older animals not previously registered) now need to have a passport and microchip in accordance with the regulations.
28/07/2026 08:30

HEAVY HORSE TURNOUTS **Not Before: 28/07/2026 13:30**

Ring: 1

Judges

Mr Elliott Anderson (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
1	Best decorated single or pair Heavy Horse	£50 will be awarded to each exhibit forward for judging in class 1& 2
2	Single Heavy Horse , Mare or Gelding any age to be driven in working plough horse.	
3	Heavy Horse turnout drawing a vehicle	£100 will be donated for each turnout forward for judging in class 3 Open to Heavy Horse / Horse driven to a vehicle or implement built specifically for an agricultural purpose (any implement used must be in safe condition and not cause damage to the surface of the snowfield)

SHIRES **Not Before: 28/07/2026 11:30**

** Appearance money will be paid for **
The Shire Horse Society offers a special award rosette and a Silver Spoon to the best Mare or Filly subject to the following conditions:
1. A spoon and a rosette for the best mare or filly 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. Shire Horse Society Shows 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 insufficient merit is shown.
7. The Council reserve the right in offering Spoons, to award them only to persons approved by the Shire Horse Society
Ring: 3

Judges

Mr Anthony Wass (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
4	Barren Mare or Gelding 4years old or older	
5	Brood mare with foal at foot	
6	Colt or Filly foal	Does Not have to be the progeny of the mare in class 5
7	Yearling colt , Gelding , or Filly	
8	Two and three year old ,Colt, Gelding or Filly	

CLEVELAND BAYS **Not Before: 28/07/2026 09:00**

Cleveland Bay Society we have the Best Turned Out award for all competitors offered by Mr and Mrs M Tait.
We also have a highest placed pure yearling rosette presented by Lesley and Reece Wolfenden in the mixed youngstock class.
"Ryedale show is a points qualifier for the 2026 CBHS President's Challenge."
Ring: 4

Judges

Sarah Ramsden (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
9	Pure Bred Brood Mare with or without foal, 4 years old or upwards	All animals entered in Classes 9,10&11 must be entered in or eligible for entry in the Cleveland Bay Stud Book or Grading Register
10	Colt or Filly Foal, Pure or Part Bred	All animals entered in Classes 9,10&11must be entered in or eligible for entry in the Cleveland Bay Stud Book or Grading Register. All animals entered in Class 10& 11 must be entered in, or in the case of foals to be eligible for, the Cleveland Bay Part Bred Register. Registration number or basis of eligibility must be quoted on the entry form
11	Pure Bred Young stock- Yearling colt, filly or gelding, 2 or 3 years old	All animals entered in Classes 9,10&11, must be entered in or eligible for entry in the Cleveland Bay Stud Book or Grading Register.
12	Part Bred Young stock – Yearling colt, filly or gelding, 2 or 3 years old	All animals entered in Class 10 & 12must be entered in, or in the case of foals to be eligible for, the Cleveland Bay Part Bred Register. Registration number or basis of eligibility must be quoted on the entry form

IRISH DRAUGHT **Not Before: 28/07/2026 10:15**

** Appearance money will be paid at £25 per horse appearing in the ring at Ryedale Show 2026
**Ridden Irish Draught not before 1.15 ring 5
This show is affiliated to the Irish Draught Horse Society (GB) and as such horses entering Classes 13 to 18 must be eligible under the below criteria:-
ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA
Qualifier wording and eligibility rules.
This show is affiliated to the Irish Draught Society (GB) and as such all exhibitors in class(es) 13-18 must be eligible under the below criteria:-
• All horses must be registered with or over stamped by the IDHS (GB) and in the correct ownership
• Owners of Pure Bred Irish Draughts and Irish Draught Sport Horse (Part Bred) must be full members of the IDHS (GB) to compete
• Irish Draught Part Breds (Sport Horse) are horses that have a minimum of 25% proven Irish Draught breeding
• Ridden horses must be 153cm (15hh) or over.
• In hand breeding classes
• MARES with foals at foot, 3 years and over must be inspected and classified as Class 1 (or RID), Class 2 or Supplementary Grade Up (or AID)
• Pure Bred youngstock must be the progeny of an inspected Mare (Class 1, Class 2, RID (GB), AID or Supplementary Grade Up Register) and be by a Class 1, 2 or RID (GB) stallion on the Irish Draught Breed Register.
• Pure Bred ID and ID Part Bred (Sport Horse), 3 year old colts must be un-inspected
• All 1, 2 & 3 year old colts must be bitted and shown by an experienced handler over 18 years of age
• All Pure-Bred Irish Draught Stallions must be inspected and over stamped by the IDHS (GB) and be Class 1, 2 or RID (GB).
• Stallions must display a red, white and blue ribbon in their tails and be shown by an experienced rider/handler over 18 years of age
GENERAL QUALIFIER INFORMATION:
• The Finals of all IDHS (GB) qualifiers will be held at the IDHS (GB) National Championship Show on 5th & 6th September 2026 at Pickering Grange Equestrian, Pickering Grange Farm, Ellistown, Terrance Road, Coalville, LE67 1EZ.
• All owners of qualified horses will be contacted by a member of the IDHS (GB) Show Affiliation Team

• Horses can only qualify for a specific Final once, regardless of the type or number of classes won, placed in or entered
Ring: 3

Judges

Florian Gilston (Ride Judge)
Sarah Ramsden (Conformation Judge)

Number	Name	Description
13	Irish Draught and ID Sport Horse Mare / Brood Mare	Graded* Mare, 3 years old and over, with own foal at foot, OR 4 years old and over, barren or in foal, OR mare 4 years old and over, barren, in foal or with own foal at foot.
14	Irish Draught & ID Sport Horse Filly or Colt Foal	Eligible for Class 1 on the Irish Draught Breed Register, OR eligible for the ID Sport Horse Register
15	Irish Draught Yearling & ID Sport Horse Yearling	Filly, Colt, or Gelding by an RID (GB), ID Class 1 or ID Class 2 sire out of a Graded* dam, or Filly already Graded*, or registered on the ID Sport Horse Register
16	Irish Draught & ID Sport Horse 2 Year Old	Filly, Colt, or Gelding by an RID (GB), ID Class 1 or ID Class 2 sire out of a Graded* dam, or Filly already Graded*, or registered on the ID Sport Horse Register
17	Irish Draught & ID Sport Horse 3 Year Old	Filly, Colt, or Gelding by an RID (GB), ID Class 1 or ID Class 2 sire out of a Graded* dam, or Filly already Graded*, or registered on the ID Sport Horse Register. Qualifier
18	Ridden Irish Draught – Ridden Irish Draught / Irish Draught Sports horse – 4years and over .	Ridden Irish Draught ClassRing 5 not before 1.15pm Horses 4yrs or older

HUNTER BREEDING **Not Before: 28/07/2026 09:00**

Special Awards:
Sport Horse Breeding of Great Britain (SHB (GB)) - Brood Mare Premiums
The Society offers two Brood Mare Premiums at this Show. Premiums will only be awarded if there is a minimum of three mares forward per class. The premiums take the form of a Service voucher, the value of which is to be determined from time to time by the Society, awarded at the Judge's discretion to their selection from the monetary prizewinners, to be used towards the cost of covering the mare by any SHB (GB) Graded Stallion or Life Approved Premium Stallion that is properly registered for the year of covering. The service voucher may be used in either of the two years following the year of that award. The owner must be, or become, a fully paid up member and the mare needs to be, or become registered with SHB(GB) to be eligible for the award.
NOTE: Grade I and II mares are eligible to be transferred into the new SHB (GB) Stud Book.
IMPORTANT: Exhibitors must insert the name of the sire of the mare's 2026 foal on the entry form.
Ring: 3

Judges

Mrs Rosemary Hetherington (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
19	Hunter Brood Mare. Exceeding 148cm (approx. 14.2hh) but not exceeding 158cm (approx. 15.2hh)	with own foal at foot or a relevant certificate of pregnancy for the following year, which may be inspected at the show. Mares & Foals are not required to be registered with SHB(GB) SHB (GB) Registered number must be quoted on the entry form
20	Hunter Brood Mare. Exceeding 158cm (15.2hh),	with own foal at foot or a relevant certificate of pregnancy for the following year, which may be inspected at the show. SHB (GB) Registered number must be quoted on the entry form) Mares could be measured on the day of the show by an appointed official. (Unless in possession of a current JMB Height Certificate) Mares & Foals are not required to be registered with SHB(GB)
21	Colt or gelding foal the progeny of a mare in Class 19 or 20	All foals must be at least 4 weeks old on the day of the show. SHB (GB) Registered number must be quoted on the entry form if over 3 months old at the date of the show Foals are not required to be registered with SHB(GB)
22	Filly foal , the progeny of a mare in Class 19 - 20	All foals must be at least 4 weeks old on the day of the show. SHB (GB) Registered number must be quoted on the entry form if over 3 months old aa date of show Foals are not required to be registered with SHB(GB)
23	Yearling, colt, gelding or filly	SHB (GB) Registered number must be quoted on the entry form Colt, gelding or filly are not required to be registered with SHB(GB)
24	Two year old, gelding or filly	SHB (GB) Registered number must be quoted on the entry form) Geldings or filly's are not required to be registered with SHB(GB) (Colts are not accepted in this class) Colts are not accepted in Classes 24
25	Three year old, gelding or filly	SHB (GB) Registered number must be quoted on the entry form) Geldings or filly's are not required to be registered with SHB(GB) (Colts are not accepted in this class) Colts are not accepted in Classes 25

CLYDESDALES **Not Before: 28/07/2026 11:30**

**appearance Money will be paid as £25 per exhibit that appears in the ring at Ryedale 2026
The Clydesdale Horse Society Shield.
A Shield (which will be supplied and engraved by The Clydesdale Horse Society) will be awarded to the best yearling or two-year-old colt or filly, registered or eligible for registration with the Society, not having won a Shield before in its lifetime. The exhibitor must be a current member of The Clydesdale Horse Society.
Young Handlers Class
An engraved medal is presented by The Clydesdale Horse Society to the best young handler aged 12 to 16 on the day of the show who has not already qualified. That person will also receive a Young Handler qualifier rosette on the day of the show. The capabilities of the handler are to be assessed, not the animal being led. Qualifiers from any show held prior to 30th April in any year will qualify for the Young Handler final at the Royal Highland Show in the year of that show. Qualifier after 30th April in any year will qualify for Young Handler Final at the following year's Royal Highland Show.
A merit rosette will be given to all entrants in the class. The James Bennett Fund generously sponsors the Young Handler Scheme and The Young Handler Final.
This rule applies at our own Clydesdale Horse Society Winter Fair in 2026 and for 2026
Affiliated Shows which award the Clydesdale Horse Society Shield for the best Yearling and Two-Year-Old Colt or Filly presented at that show.
For Affiliated Shows in 2026 the following rules will apply:
(a) No yearling or two-year-old Clydesdale with a clipped tail which has entered a show affiliated to the Clydesdale Horse Society, will be permitted to win a Clydesdale Horse Society Shield.
(b) No Clydesdale aged under 3 years with a clipped tail will be permitted entry to the Clydesdale Horse Society Winter Fair.
(c) It is recognised that in the first year of this rule there will require to be some latitude given to horses whose tails may have been clipped during 2025.
(d) This rule will be communicated and highlighted to all show Secretaries as part of the 2026 Affiliated Show Regulations.
(e) A communication will go to every judge on the Clydesdale Horse Society Judge's Panel informing them of this decision and asking them to apply it.
(f) Shows which choose to appoint Judges who are not on the Clydesdale Horse Society Judges Panel must inform their nominated Judges accordingly.
(g) This decision will be communicated to The Great Yorkshire Show, The Royal Highland Show, The Shire Horse Society, and the Scottish Government.
Furthermore, the Society's Executive Committee will be given the latitude to circulate this rule to any other relevant party who raises questions on the matter. We can also confirm that the Scottish Government has been made aware of this rule change and has "welcomed the positive and constructive steps the Clydesdale Horse Society' has taken to safeguard the welfare of younger horses at shows associated with the society."
Ring: 3

Judges

Mr Elliott Anderson (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
26	Barren Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over	
27	Brood Mare with foal at foot	This class is a qualifier for the Shire Horse Society's Summer Brood Mare Supreme Championship with the final being held at the 2026 National Summer Show at Rockingham Castle on 27th August 2026, 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.
28	Colt or Filly foal. (Does not have to be the progeny of the mare in Class 27	
29	Yearling colt, gelding or filly	
30	Two and three year old colt, gelding or filly	

HEAVY HORSE YOUNG HANDLER **Not Before: 28/07/2026 11:30**

This class will be run under the rules of The Clydesdale Horse Society. Rosettes will be provided to all entrants by The Clydesdale Horse Society.
Young Handlers Class
An engraved medal is presented by The Clydesdale Horse Society to the best young handler aged 12 to 16 on the day of the show who has not already qualified. That person will also receive a Young Handler qualifier rosette on the day of the show. The capabilities of the handler are to be assessed, not the animal being led. Qualifiers from any show held prior to 30th April in any year will qualify for the Young Handler final at the Royal Highland Show in the year of that show. Qualifier after 30th April in any year will qualify for Young Handler Final at the following year's Royal Highland Show.
A merit rosette will be given to all entrants in the class. The James Bennett Fund generously sponsors the Young Handler Scheme and The Young Handler Final.
Ring: 3

Judges

Mr Elliott Anderson (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
31	For Young Handlers	Aged between 12 and 18 years of age (inclusive). Name and age of the handler to be included on the entry form. Heavy Horse of any breeds welcome, but no stallions and any animals under the age of two years of age to be led

LIHS RISING STAR RIDDEN HUNTERS **Start At: 28/07/2026 09:00**

This series has been established for amateur and grassroots riders who do not show or compete on a professional (remunerated) level in equestrian disciplines, so please be aware that the rules for this series do differ from the Amateur rules for other longstanding series which are in the main BSHA Rulebook. Please ensure you read the rules below carefully.
1. ELIGIBILITY FOR THE CLASS
It is expected that Exhibitors will compete in the true spirit of these Rules. The BSHA Board reserve the right, in their absolute discretion, to reclassify an Exhibitor's Amateur status/eligibility/entry should they deem it necessary.
I. No Rider or Owner who falls within the following criteria of a Showing Professional (including Showing Grooms) may compete on or enter an animal in Rising Star classes IF THEY:
II. Receive financial remuneration or other rewards, produces(ed), teaches, rides or schools SHOW riders or horses or ponies for the SHOW ring. These rules relate solely to SHOWING, those involved in other
equestrian disciplines remain eligible, including equestrian retailers, riding school and livery owners or employed staff, those who break and school for other disciplines, unless remuneration is received for
professional training or riding services at an affiliated equine level (eg BD, BS, BE). (2026)
III. Affiliated Showing Panel Judges may not compete in a Rising Star class if they are eligible to judge any HOYS qualifier.
IV. Professionally Produced Amateurs (horses competing in the Rising Star series stabled in livery or at home, under the care of a Showing Professional) at any time during the current year, with the current owner, are not eligible for the series. Overnight stays for clinic attendance / Showing Camps with a Showing professional, for up to 2 nights are permitted. (2026)
V. Riders/ Owners/ Horses who appear on any social media sites, any electronic sites or publications as a promotional 'Brand Ambassador' or 'Sponsored Rider/ Horse' for a company and receive benefits whether monetary or 'gifted' in the current or previous year, are not eligible for the series. (2026)
VI. No rider may be entered on more than one animal in each final (excluding Working Show Horse & Working Hunter, please see class definitions later in Rulebook).
VII. It is expected that qualifying Horse & Rider combinations will be entered in and come forward for the final. In extenuating circumstances, a different rider to the one who qualified a Horse, providing they are eligible, may compete in the final, following application in writing to, and approval from the BSHA Office.
VIII. No Competitor previously deemed a showing Professional or Producer when registered with an Affiliated Showing Society may be permitted to enter these classes. If in any doubt regarding your Amateur/Professional status, please contact the office for clarification. (2026)
IX. No Competitor may be permitted to enter these classes if they have worked as a Professional Showing Groom in the last five years, up to and including 2025.
X. A Horse may not be entered in any Rising Star qualifying class in which it has won a LIHS BSHA Rising Star Supreme Final title. (2026)

XI. No competitor will be allowed to exhibit the same horse/pony in the International Arena and the New Horizon Plastics London Arena on the same day. If an entry is submitted via the relevant Showing Society for an International Arena class, the entry in the London Showing Series class will automatically be withdrawn and refunded.
OPEN TO:
i. Horses which have never been placed in the top 9 in any RIDDEN showing class final (including all Horse, Pony and Junior classes) at Horse of the Year Show (not including SFAS or SEIB R2R Final). (2026)
ii. Riders not to have competed in any classes at Horse of the Year Show in the two previous seasons (2024 & 2025) (not including SFAS or SEIB R2R Final).
iii. Riders not to have been placed in the top 9 in any classes at Horse of the Year Show Finals in the current season (2026). (Not including SFAS or SEIB R2R Final).
iv. Horses which have not been placed in the top 5 in any OPEN class (including Working Show Horse from 2024 onwards) at the Royal International Horse show (this excludes the current season, 2026).
v. Horses which have not been competed in any affiliated showing class in the previous or current season, by a Showing Professional, or anyone previously deemed a Showing Professional, unless there has been a change of ownership
Ring: 5

Judges

Sue Stockley- Bridges (Performance Judge)

Number	Name	Description
32	Rising Star of Ridden Hunter Type , Small / Lightweight Hunter	Rising Star Ridden Hunter - Small/Lightweight Hunter type: Mare or gelding, 4 years old or over, (Lightweight exceeding 158cms, Small Hunter exceeding 148cms, but not exceeding 158cms). Capable of carrying up to 79.5kgs (12 stone 7lbs). Rider to be 15yrs or over. The highest placed unqualified horse in the top 5 will qualify for the LIHS BSHA Rising Star Small/Lightweight Hunter Supreme Final at the LIHS in December. QUALIFICATION WILL BE CONFIRMED BY EMAIL ONCE FULL LIHS QUALIFIED MEMBERSHIP & HORSE REGISTRATION IS COMPLETED WITHIN 14 DAYS OF QUALIFICATION. Please note a minimum of LIHS Qualifier-Eligible membership must be in place before entering any BSHA LIHS qualifying class. (2026) In addition, the two highest placed unqualified horses will qualify for the Associate Rising Star Hunter final at the BSHA National Championships Show in September. Associate Rising Star Qualification Cards will be awarded in the ring.
33	Rising Star of Show Hunter Type Middleweight/Heavyweight	Middleweight/Heavyweight Hunter type: Mare or gelding, 4 years old or over, exceeding 158cms. Capable of carrying over 89kgs (14 stone). Rider to be 15yrs or over. The highest placed unqualified horse in the top 5 will qualify for the LIHS BSHA Rising Star Middleweight/Heavyweight Hunter Supreme Final at the LIHS in December. QUALIFICATION WILL BE CONFIRMED BY EMAIL ONCE FULL LIHS QUALIFIED MEMBERSHIP & HORSE REGISTRATION IS COMPLETED WITHIN 14 DAYS OF QUALIFICATION. Please note a minimum of LIHS Qualifier-Eligible membership must be in place before entering any BSHA LIHS qualifying class. (2026) In addition, the two highest placed unqualified horses will qualify for the Associate Rising Star Hunter final at the BSHA National Championships Show in September. Associate Rising Star Qualification Cards will be awarded in the ring.

RIDDEN NOVICE HUNTER **Not Before: 28/07/2026 10:00**

Ring: 5

Judges

Sue Stockley- Bridges (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
34	Novice Show Hunter	Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over, exceeding 158cm (approx. 15.2hh).

LIHS RISING STARS WORKING HUNTER and WORKING SHOW HORSE **Not Before: 28/07/2026 09:30**

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1. ELIGIBILITY FOR THE CLASS
It is expected that Exhibitors will compete in the true spirit of these Rules. The BSHA Board reserve the right, in their absolute discretion, to reclassify an Exhibitor's Amateur status/eligibility/entry should they deem it necessary.
I. No Rider or Owner who falls within the following criteria of a Showing Professional (including Showing Grooms) may compete on or enter an animal in Rising Star classes IF THEY:
II. Receive financial remuneration or other rewards, produces(ed), teaches, rides or schools SHOW riders or horses or ponies for the SHOW ring. These rules relate solely to SHOWING, those involved in other
equestrian disciplines remain eligible, including equestrian retailers, riding school and livery owners or employed staff, those who break and school for other disciplines, unless remuneration is received for
professional training or riding services at an affiliated equine level (eg BD, BS, BE). (2026)
III. Affiliated Showing Panel Judges may not compete in a Rising Star class if they are eligible to judge any HOYS qualifier.
IV. Professionally Produced Amateurs (horses competing in the Rising Star series stabled in livery or at home, under the care of a Showing Professional) at any time during the current year, with the current owner, are not eligible for the series. Overnight stays for clinic attendance / Showing Camps with a Showing professional, for up to 2 nights are permitted. (2026)
V. Riders/ Owners/ Horses who appear on any social media sites, any electronic sites or publications as a promotional 'Brand Ambassador' or 'Sponsored Rider/ Horse' for a company and receive benefits whether monetary or 'gifted' in the current or previous year, are not eligible for the series. (2026)
VI. No rider may be entered on more than one animal in each final (excluding Working Show Horse & Working
Hunter, please see class definitions later in Rulebook).
VII. It is expected that qualifying Horse & Rider combinations will be entered in and come forward for the final. In extenuating circumstances, a different rider to the one who qualified a Horse, providing they are eligible, may compete in the final, following application in writing to, and approval from the BSHA Office.
VIII. No Competitor previously deemed a showing Professional or Producer when registered with an Affiliated Showing Society may be permitted to enter these classes. If in any doubt regarding your
Amateur/Professional status, please contact the office for clarification. (2026)
IX. No Competitor may be permitted to enter these classes if they have worked as a Professional Showing Groom in the last five years, up to and including 2025.
X. A Horse may not be entered in any Rising Star qualifying class in which it has won a LIHS BSHA Rising Star Supreme Final title. (2026)
XI. No competitor will be allowed to exhibit the same horse/pony in the International Arena and the New Horizon Plastics London Arena on the same day. If an entry is submitted via the relevant Showing Society for an International Arena class, the entry in the London Showing Series class will automatically be withdrawn and refunded.
RISING STAR RULES 2026
2. OPEN TO:
i. Horses which have never been placed in the top 9 in any RIDDEN showing class final (including all Horse,
Pony and Junior classes) at Horse of the Year Show (not including SFAS or SEIB R2R Final). (2026)
ii. Riders not to have competed in any classes at Horse of the Year Show in the two previous seasons (2024 & 2025) (not including SFAS or SEIB R2R Final).
iii. Riders not to have been placed in the top 9 in any classes at Horse of the Year Show Finals in the current season (2026). (Not including SFAS or SEIB R2R Final).
iv. Horses which have not been placed in the top 5 in any OPEN class (including Working Show Horse from 2024 onwards) at the Royal International Horse show (this excludes the current season, 2026).
v. Horses which have not been competed in any affiliated showing class in the previous or current season, by a Showing Professional, or anyone previously deemed a Showing Professional, unless there has been a change of ownership.
3. GENERAL RULES:
i. Competitors and horses must hold a minimum of LIHS Qualifier-Eligible Membership/ Registration with the Association to be eligible to compete in the Rising Star series. Any competitor who qualifies for
a Rising Star Supreme Final, must then complete full LIHS Qualified registration within 14 days of qualification for their qualification to stand, or it will pass to the next eligible exhibit (the nominal cost
of Qualifier-Eligible membership will be taken off the cost of Full LIHS Qualified registration). (2026)
Competitors/ horses with existing BSHA membership/ registration for 2026 will not be required to complete any LIHS Membership / Registration for these classes. Please note, we can only accept registration of an animal with a name stated in its passport. A passport stating 'Unnamed' will not be accepted. (2026)
ii. At any time whilst on the showground, where an Exhibit is going to be competing in Rising Star classes, Showing Professionals, including Professional Show Grooms, judges/ coaches from any affiliated
Associations or Societies are not allowed to ride, work-in (in any form), teach or coach the rider/horse, compete, or enter the Ring to groom/strip the Horse. (2026)
iii. Any competitor who has previously been disqualified from the Rising Star series due to ineligibility of Amateur status, will not be allowed to compete within the Rising Star series again. (2026)
iv. Riders should be suitably mounted at all times, this includes appropriate use of tack, spurs and whips, whilst part of any qualifying process or part of the Final. Please see Working in Guidance on the BSHA Website. (2026)
v. Horses must be worked in by the Rider that will compete on the Horse in the Competition.
vi. The BSHA shall publish a list of all qualified riders and horses throughout the season, which will be available on the BSHA website (www.britishshowhorse.org). All complaints regarding eligibility for the
Series must be received by Friday 16th October 2026 from Members only. After this date NO OTHER COMPLAINTS WILL BE ACCEPTED BY THE ASSOCIATION OR ANY PARTNERS OF THE LONDON
INTERNATIONAL HORSE SHOW.
vii. All horses competing at the Final MUST BE FULLY VACCINATED to fit rules and regulations of the London International Horse Show, without exception.
viii. The BSHA Office will only enter into correspondence relating to qualification, with those who are both Rising Star finalists and BSHA members.
ix. Transfer of qualification of Horse is permitted if the new owner and/ or rider fulfill the eligibility for the class.
x. JMB certificates will not be required to compete in these classes. However, if an animal HAS a current JMB certificate, it must be entered in the relevant class.

xi. No Stallions are eligible to take part in any Rising Star classes.
xii. No rider under 15 years of age is eligible to compete in classes Affiliated to the Association. Proof of age may be required.
xiii. The Judge will NOT ride exhibits in these classes.
xiv. The Judges decision is final.
RISING STAR RULES 2026
xv. Headsets are not permitted in the warm up/ collecting ring, or in the ring (2026)
xvi. Mobile phones must not be used in the ring (including grooms whilst in the ring). (2026)
In LIHS BSHA Rising Star Qualifier classes, the highest placed unqualified horse in the top five will qualify
Ring: 7

Judges

Sarah Ramsden (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
35	Rising Star Working Show Horse	Rising Star Working Show Horse: Open ONLY to Hacks, Cobs, Maxi Cobs and Riding Horses, mare or gelding, 4 years old and over, exceeding 148cms. Any horse which is Grade B showjumper, Intermediate Eventer, or above as at 1st January of the current year, is not eligible. Rider to be 15yrs or over. Height of fences: minimum 2'6", maximum 2'9", maximum spread 2'9". Please note the height of the fences may be raised at the final at the discretion of the Course builder/ BSHA Representative. A Rider may ride up to two Horses in the jumping phase only and then must select one Horse to take through to the Individual Show & Conformation stage. No change of Rider is allowed. The highest placed unqualified horse in the top 5 will qualify for the LIHS BSHA Rising Star Working Show Horse Supreme Final at the LIHS in December. QUALIFICATION WILL BE CONFIRMED BY EMAIL ONCE FULL LIHS QUALIFIED MEMBERSHIP & HORSE REGISTRATION IS COMPLETED WITHIN 14 DAYS OF QUALIFICATION. Please note a minimum of LIHS Qualifier-Eligible membership must be in place before entering any BSHA LIHS qualifying class. (2026) In addition, the two highest placed unqualified horses will qualify for the Associate Rising Star Working Show Horse final at the BSHA National Championships Show in September. Associate Rising Star Qualification Cards will be awarded in the ring. (2026)
36	Rising Star of Working Hunter	Rising Star of Working Hunter Type: Open ONLY to Hunters, mare or gelding, 4 years old and over exceeding 148cm (14.2hh approx.) Any horse which is registered / previously registered as a Grade A showjumper, Advanced Eventer, or above as at 1st January of the current year, is not eligible. Rider to be 15yrs or over. Height of fences: minimum 3'0", maximum 3'3", maximum spread 3'3". Please note the height of the fences may be raised at the final at the discretion of the Course builder/ BSHA Representative. A Rider may ride up to two Horses in the jumping phase only and then must select one Horse to take through to the Individual Show & Conformation stage. No change of Rider is allowed. The highest placed unqualified horse in the top 5 will qualify for the LIHS BSHA Rising Star Working Hunter Type Supreme Final at LIHS in December. QUALIFICATION WILL BE CONFIRMED BY EMAIL ONCE FULL LIHS QUALIFIED MEMBERSHIP & HORSE REGISTRATION IS COMPLETED WITHIN 14 DAYS OF QUALIFICATION. Please note a minimum of LIHS Qualifier-Eligible membership must be in place before entering any BSHA LIHS qualifying class. (2026) In addition, the two highest placed unqualified horses will qualify for the Associate Rising Star Working Hunter final at the BSHA National Championships Show in September. Associate Rising Star Qualification Cards will be awarded in the ring. (2026

LIHS RISING STARS HACK / RIDING HORSE **Not Before: 28/07/2026 09:00**

CLASS DEFINITIONS
The Judge will NOT ride exhibits in these classes or at the Finals.
Rising Star Hack/Riding Horse – Horses are only eligible to qualify for the Small OR Large section, not both, please only enter either the Small or Large section.
Ring: 6

Judges

Joanne Pybus (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
38	Rising Star Small Hack/ Riding Horse type	Rising Star Hack/Riding Horse – Horses are only eligible to qualify for the Small OR Large section, not both, please only enter either the Small or Large section. Small Hack/ Riding Horse type: Mare or gelding, 4 years old and over, exceeding 148cm. Hacks not to exceed 154cm and Riding Horses not to exceed 158cm. Rider to be 15yrs or over. The highest placed unqualified horse in the top 5 will qualify for the LIHS BSHA Rising Star Supreme Small Hack/Riding Horse Supreme Final at the LIHS in December. QUALIFICATION WILL BE CONFIRMED BY EMAIL ONCE FULL LIHS QUALIFIED MEMBERSHIP & HORSE REGISTRATION IS COMPLETED WITHIN 14 DAYS OF QUALIFICATION. Please note LIHS Qualifier-Eligible membership must be in place before entering any BSHA LIHS qualifying class. (2026) In addition, the two highest placed unqualified horses will qualify for the Associate Rising Star Hack/Riding Horse final at the BSHA National Championships Show in September. Associate Rising Star Qualification Cards will be awarded in the ring. Large Hack/ Riding Horse type: Mare or gelding, 4 years old and over. Hacks to exceed 154cm but not exceeding 160cm. Riding Horses to exceed 158cm. Rider to be 15yrs or over. The highest placed unqualified horse in the top 5 will qualify for the LIHS BSHA Rising Star Large Hack/Riding Horse Supreme Final at the LIHS in December. QUALIFICATION WILL BE CONFIRMED BY EMAIL ONCE FULL LIHS QUALIFIED MEMBERSHIP & HORSE REGISTRATION IS COMPLETED WITHIN 14 DAYS OF QUALIFICATION. Please note a minimum of LIHS Qualifier-Eligible membership must be in place before entering any BSHA LIHS qualifying class. (2026) In addition, the two highest unqualified placed horses will qualify for the Associate Rising Star Hack/Riding Horse final at the BSHA National Championships Show in September. Associate Rising Star Qualification Cards will be awarded in the ring
39	Rising Star Large Hack/ Riding Horse type	Large Hack/ Riding Horse type: Mare or gelding, 4 years old and over, exceeding 148cms. Hacks exceeding 154 cm, not exceeding 160cms and Riding Horses exceeding 158cms. Rider to be 15yrs or over. The highest placed unqualified horse in the top 5 will qualify for the LIHS BSHA Rising Star Supreme Small Hack/Riding Horse Supreme Final at the LIHS in December. QUALIFICATION WILL BE CONFIRMED BY EMAIL ONCE BSHA MEMBERSHIP IS COMPLETED WITHIN 14 DAYS OF QUALIFICATION In addition, the two highest unqualified placed horses will qualify for the Associate Rising Star Hack/Riding Horse final at the BSHA National Championships Show in September. Associate Rising Star Qualification Cards will be awarded in the ring.

RISING STAR STYLE & PERFORMANCE SERIES CLASSES **Not Before: 28/07/2026 11:00**

** Will follow the ridden hunters championship **
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III. Affiliated Showing Panel Judges may not compete in a Rising Star class if they are eligible to judge any HOYS qualifier.
IV. Professionally Produced Amateurs (horses competing in the Rising Star series stabled in livery or at home, under the care of a Showing Professional) at any time during the current year, with the current owner, are not eligible for the series. Overnight stays for clinic attendance / Showing Camps with a Showing professional, for up to 2 nights are permitted. (2026)
V. Riders/ Owners/ Horses who appear on any social media sites, any electronic sites or publications as a promotional 'Brand Ambassador' or 'Sponsored Rider/ Horse' for a company and receive benefits whether monetary or 'gifted' in the current or previous year, are not eligible for the series. (2026)
VI. No rider may be entered on more than one animal in each final (excluding Working Show Horse & Working Hunter, please see class definitions later in Rulebook).
VII. It is expected that qualifying Horse & Rider combinations will be entered in and come forward for the final. In extenuating circumstances, a different rider to the one who qualified a Horse, providing they are eligible, may compete in the final, following application in writing to, and approval from the BSHA Office.
VIII. No Competitor previously deemed a showing Professional or Producer when registered with an Affiliated Showing Society may be permitted to enter these classes. If in any doubt regarding your Amateur/Professional status, please contact the office for clarification. (2026)
IX. No Competitor may be permitted to enter these classes if they have worked as a Professional Showing Groom in the last five years, up to and including 2025.
X. A Horse may not be entered in any Rising Star qualifying class in which it has won a LIHS BSHA Rising Star Supreme Final title. (2026)
XI. No competitor will be allowed to exhibit the same horse/pony in the International Arena and the New Horizon Plastics London Arena on the same day. If an entry is submitted via the relevant Showing Society for an International Arena class, the entry in the London Showing Series class will automatically be withdrawn and refunded.
RISING STAR RULES 2026
2. OPEN TO:

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ii. Riders not to have competed in any classes at Horse of the Year Show in the two previous seasons (2024 & 2025) (not including SFAS or SEIB R2R Final).
iii. Riders not to have been placed in the top 9 in any classes at Horse of the Year Show Finals in the current season (2026). (Not including SFAS or SEIB R2R Final).
iv. Horses which have not been placed in the top 5 in any OPEN class (including Working Show Horse from 2024 onwards) at the Royal International Horse show (this excludes the current season, 2026).
v. Horses which have not been competed in any affiliated showing class in the previous or current season, by a Showing Professional, or anyone previously deemed a Showing Professional, unless there has been a change of ownership.
3. GENERAL RULES:
i. Competitors and horses must hold a minimum of LIHS Qualifier-Eligible Membership/ Registration with the Association to be eligible to compete in the Rising Star series. Any competitor who qualifies for
a Rising Star Supreme Final, must then complete full LIHS Qualified registration within 14 days of qualification for their qualification to stand, or it will pass to the next eligible exhibit (the nominal cost
of Qualifier-Eligible membership will be taken off the cost of Full LIHS Qualified registration). (2026) Competitors/ horses with existing BSHA membership/ registration for 2026 will not be required to
complete any LIHS Membership / Registration for these classes. Please note, we can only accept registration of an animal with a name stated in its passport. A passport stating 'Unnamed' will not be accepted. (2026)
ii. At any time whilst on the showground, where an Exhibit is going to be competing in Rising Star classes, Showing Professionals, including Professional Show Grooms, judges/ coaches from any affiliated
Associations or Societies are not allowed to ride, work-in (in any form), teach or coach the rider/horse, compete, or enter the Ring to groom/strip the Horse. (2026)
iii. Any competitor who has previously been disqualified from the Rising Star series due to ineligibility of Amateur status, will not be allowed to compete within the Rising Star series again. (2026)
iv. Riders should be suitably mounted at all times, this includes appropriate use of tack, spurs and whips, whilst part of any qualifying process or part of the Final. Please see Working in Guidance on the BSHA Website. (2026)
v. Horses must be worked in by the Rider that will compete on the Horse in the Competition.
vi. The BSHA shall publish a list of all qualified riders and horses throughout the season, which will be available on the BSHA website (www.britishshowhorse.org). All complaints regarding eligibility for the
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INTERNATIONAL HORSE SHOW.
vii. All horses competing at the Final MUST BE FULLY VACCINATED to fit rules and regulations of the London International Horse Show, without exception.
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ix. Transfer of qualification of Horse is permitted if the new owner and/ or rider fulfill the eligibility for the class.
x. JMB certificates will not be required to compete in these classes. However, if an animal HAS a current JMB certificate, it must be entered in the relevant class.
xi. No Stallions are eligible to take part in any Rising Star classes.
xii. No rider under 15 years of age is eligible to compete in classes Affiliated to the Association. Proof of age may be required.
xiii. The Judge will NOT ride exhibits in these classes.
xiv. The Judges decision is final.
RISING STAR RULES 2026
xv. Headsets are not permitted in the warm up/ collecting ring, or in the ring (2026)
xvi. Mobile phones must not be used in the ring (including grooms whilst in the ring). (2026)
In LIHS BSHA Rising Star Qualifier classes, the highest placed unqualified horse in the top five will qualify
Ring: 5

Judges

Sue Stockley- Bridges (Performance Judge)

Number	Name	Description
41	LIHS Open Style & Performance Over 25	Open Style & Performance Over 25: Mare or gelding, 4 years old or over, exceeding 148cm. Open to ALL types, rider to be aged over 25 years on 1st January 2026. This is a flat class to be judged solely on performance, there will be no conformation marks awarded, and exhibits will not be stripped. The highest unqualified horse placed in the top 5 will qualify for the LIHS BSHA Open Style & Performance Over 25 Supreme Final at the LIHS in December. QUALIFICATION WILL BE CONFIRMED BY EMAIL ONCE FULL LIHS QUALIFIED MEMBERSHIP & HORSE REGISTRATION IS COMPLETED WITHIN 14 DAYS OF QUALIFICATION. Please note a minimum of LIHS Qualifier-Eligible membership must be in place before entering any BSHA LIHS qualifying class. (2026) In addition, the two highest placed unqualified horses will qualify for the Associate Open Style & Performance final at the BSHA National Championships Show in September. Please check the Qualified Horses list on the BSHA website https://britishshowhorse.org/qualified-horses/ Both Style & Performance Series classes are open to exhibits shown astride or side saddle (ladies only) and will be marked, and judged as follows: Exhibitors will ride together as a class, which will be considered as part of the collective marks, as will general

		behaviour whilst in the ring (including in line up). (2026) Exhibitors will then be asked to perform a freestyle show/ display, which will be marked (max 2.5 mins), to include, (but not restricted to), in any order: • on both reins: walk, trot, canter. • halt in the middle of the show/display for 4 secs before proceeding. • a canter change of rein across the diagonal through trot or walk (5 strides max). • lengthened canter strides. • free walk on a long rein. Marks: Performance (not to exceed 2.5 minutes) 140 Marks Please see above for full requirements Collective marks Overall Impression 30 marks (incl. Horsemanship, Harmony, Rider Position) Manners & way of going for type 30 marks TOTAL 200 marks Style & Performance series classes dress rules – please refer to dress rules at end of the Ruleboo
40	LIHS Open Style & Performance Young Rider	Both Style & Performance Series classes are open to exhibits shown astride or side saddle (ladies only) and will be marked, and judged as follows: Exhibitors will ride together as a class, which will be considered as part of the collective marks, as will general behaviour whilst in the ring (including in line up). (2026) Exhibitors will then be asked to perform a freestyle show/ display, which will be marked (max 2.5 mins), to include, (but not restricted to), in any order: • on both reins: walk, trot, canter. • halt in the middle of the show/display for 4 secs before proceeding. • a canter change of rein across the diagonal through trot or walk (5 strides max). • lengthened canter strides. • free walk on a long rein. Marks: Performance (not to exceed 2.5 minutes) 140 Marks Please see above for full requirements Collective marks Overall Impression 30 marks (incl. Horsemanship, Harmony, Rider Position) Manners & way of going for type 30 marks TOTAL 200 marks Style & Performance series classes dress rules – please refer to dress rules at end of the Rulebook. Open Style & Performance Young Rider: Mare or gelding, 4 years old or over, exceeding 148cm. Open to ALL types, rider to be aged 15- 25 years. (Riders will be eligible from the date of their 15th birthday. Riders aged 25 yrs on 1st January 2026 will be eligible for this class.) This is a flat class to be judged solely on performance, there will be no conformation marks awarded, and exhibits will not be stripped. The highest placed unqualified horse in the top 5 will qualify for the LIHS BSHA Open Style & Performance Young Rider Supreme Final at the LIHS in December. QUALIFICATION WILL BE CONFIRMED BY EMAIL ONCE FULL LIHS QUALIFIED MEMBERSHIP & HORSE REGISTRATION IS ** NEW 2026** LIHS BSHA OPEN CLASSES ** NEW 2026** LIHS OPEN STYLE & PERFORMANCE SERIES 8 COMPLETED WITHIN 14 DAYS OF QUALIFICATION. Please note a minimum of LIHS Qualifier-Eligible membership must be in place before entering any BSHA LIHS qualifying class. (2026) In addition, the two highest placed unqualified horses will qualify for the Associate Open Style & Performance final at the BSHA National Championships Show in September. Please check the Qualified Horses list on the BSHA website https://britishshowhorse.org/qualified-horses/

LIHS Riding Stars RIDDEN COBS **Start At: 28/07/2026 09:00**

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1. ELIGIBILITY FOR THE CLASS

It is expected that Exhibitors will compete in the true spirit of these Rules. The BSHA Board reserve the right, in their absolute discretion, to reclassify an Exhibitor's Amateur status/eligibility/entry should they deem it necessary.

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II. Receive financial remuneration or other rewards, produces(ed), teaches, rides or schools SHOW riders or horses or ponies for the SHOW ring. These rules relate solely to SHOWING, those involved in other

equestrian disciplines remain eligible, including equestrian retailers, riding school and livery owners or employed staff, those who break and school for other disciplines, unless remuneration is received for

professional training or riding services at an affiliated equine level (eg BD, BS, BE). (2026)

III. Affiliated Showing Panel Judges may not compete in a Rising Star class if they are eligible to judge any HOYS qualifier.

IV. Professionally Produced Amateurs (horses competing in the Rising Star series stabled in livery or at home, under the care of a Showing Professional) at any time during the current year, with the current owner, are not eligible for the series. Overnight stays for clinic attendance / Showing Camps with a Showing professional, for up to 2 nights are permitted. (2026)

V. Riders/ Owners/ Horses who appear on any social media sites, any electronic sites or publications as a promotional 'Brand Ambassador' or 'Sponsored Rider/ Horse' for a company and receive benefits whether monetary or 'gifted' in the current or previous year, are not eligible for the series. (2026)

VI. No rider may be entered on more than one animal in each final (excluding Working Show Horse & Working Hunter, please see class definitions later in Rulebook).

VII. It is expected that qualifying Horse & Rider combinations will be entered in and come forward for the final. In extenuating circumstances, a different rider to the one who qualified a Horse, providing they are eligible, may compete in the final, following application in writing to, and approval from the BSHA Office.

VIII. No Competitor previously deemed a showing Professional or Producer when registered with an Affiliated Showing Society may be permitted to enter these classes. If in any doubt regarding your Amateur/Professional status, please contact the office for clarification. (2026)

IX. No Competitor may be permitted to enter these classes if they have worked as a Professional Showing Groom in the last five years, up to and including 2025.

X. A Horse may not be entered in any Rising Star qualifying class in which it has won a LIHS BSHA Rising Star Supreme Final title. (2026)

XI. No competitor will be allowed to exhibit the same horse/pony in the International Arena and the New Horizon Plastics London Arena on the same day. If an entry is submitted via the relevant Showing Society for an International Arena class, the entry in the London Showing Series class will automatically be withdrawn and refunded.

RISING STAR RULES 2026

2. OPEN TO:

i. Horses which have never been placed in the top 9 in any RIDDEN showing class final (including all Horse, Pony and Junior classes) at Horse of the Year Show (not including SFAS or SEIB R2R Final). (2026)

ii. Riders not to have competed in any classes at Horse of the Year Show in the two previous seasons (2024 & 2025) (not including SFAS or SEIB R2R Final).

iii. Riders not to have been placed in the top 9 in any classes at Horse of the Year Show Finals in the current season (2026). (Not including SFAS or SEIB R2R Final).

iv. Horses which have not been placed in the top 5 in any OPEN class (including Working Show Horse from

2024 onwards) at the Royal International Horse show (this excludes the current season, 2026).

v. Horses which have not been competed in any affiliated showing class in the previous or current season, by a Showing Professional, or anyone previously deemed a Showing Professional, unless there has been a change of ownership.

3. GENERAL RULES:

i. Competitors and horses must hold a minimum of LIHS Qualifier-Eligible Membership/ Registration with the Association to be eligible to compete in the Rising Star series. Any competitor who qualifies for

a Rising Star Supreme Final, must then complete full LIHS Qualified registration within 14 days of qualification for their qualification to stand, or it will pass to the next eligible exhibit (the nominal cost

of Qualifier-Eligible membership will be taken off the cost of Full LIHS Qualified registration). (2026)

Competitors/ horses with existing BSHA membership/ registration for 2026 will not be required to complete any LIHS Membership / Registration for these classes. Please note, we can only accept registration of an animal with a name stated in its passport. A passport stating 'Unnamed' will not be accepted. (2026)

ii. At any time whilst on the showground, where an Exhibit is going to be competing in Rising Star classes, Showing Professionals, including Professional Show Grooms, judges/ coaches from any affiliated

Associations or Societies are not allowed to ride, work-in (in any form), teach or coach the rider/horse, compete, or enter the Ring to groom/strip the Horse. (2026)

iii. Any competitor who has previously been disqualified from the Rising Star series due to ineligibility of Amateur status, will not be allowed to compete within the Rising Star series again. (2026)

iv. Riders should be suitably mounted at all times, this includes appropriate use of tack, spurs and whips, whilst part of any qualifying process or part of the Final. Please see Working in Guidance on the BSHA Website. (2026)

v. Horses must be worked in by the Rider that will compete on the Horse in the Competition.

vi. The BSHA shall publish a list of all qualified riders and horses throughout the season, which will be available on the BSHA website (www.britishshowhorse.org). All complaints regarding eligibility for the

Series must be received by Friday 16th October 2026 from Members only. After this date NO OTHER COMPLAINTS WILL BE ACCEPTED BY THE ASSOCIATION OR ANY PARTNERS OF THE LONDON

INTERNATIONAL HORSE SHOW.

vii. All horses competing at the Final MUST BE FULLY VACCINATED to fit rules and regulations of the London International Horse Show, without exception.

viii. The BSHA Office will only enter into correspondence relating to qualification, with those who are both Rising Star finalists and BSHA members.

ix. Transfer of qualification of Horse is permitted if the new owner and/ or rider fulfill the eligibility for the class.

x. JMB certificates will not be required to compete in these classes. However, if an animal HAS a current JMB certificate, it must be entered in the relevant class.

xi. No Stallions are eligible to take part in any Rising Star classes.

xii. No rider under 15 years of age is eligible to compete in classes Affiliated to the Association. Proof of age may be required.

xiii. The Judge will NOT ride exhibits in these classes.

xiv. The Judges decision is final.

RISING STAR RULES 2026

Headsets are not permitted in the warm up/ collecting ring, or in the ring (2026)

xvi. Mobile phones must not be used in the ring (including grooms whilst in the ring). (2026)

In LIHS BSHA Rising Star Qualifier classes, the highest placed unqualified horse in the top five will qualify

Ring: 6

Judges

Joanne Pybus (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
42	Rising Star Lightweight & Heavyweight Cob type	Rising Star Cob – Lightweight/ Heavyweight/ Maxi Cob type: Mare or gelding, 4 years old and over, exceeding 148cm. Rider to be 15yrs or over. The highest placed unqualified horse in the top 5 will qualify for the LIHS BSHA Rising Star Cob Supreme Final at the LIHS in December. (2026) QUALIFICATION WILL BE CONFIRMED BY EMAIL ONCE FULL LIHS QUALIFIED MEMBERSHIP & HORSE REGISTRATION IS COMPLETED WITHIN 14 DAYS OF QUALIFICATION. Please note a minimum of LIHS Qualifier-Eligible membership must be in place before entering any BSHA LIHS qualifying class. (2026) In addition, the two highest placed unqualified horses will qualify for the Associate Rising Star Cob final at the BSHA National Championships Show in September. Associate Rising Star Qualification Cards will be awarded in the ring

RETRAINING OF RACEHORSES (RoR) **Not Before: 28/07/2026 11:30**

Ring: 6

Judges

Alison Gladwin (Conformation Judge)
Mr Wayne Burnell (Ride Judge)

Number	Name	Description
44	Tattersalls RoR NOVICE Ridden Show Series Qualifier 2026	Tattersalls RoR NOVICE Ridden Show Series Qualifier 2026 Thoroughbred mare or gelding, 4 years old or over, any height, must have raced in GB and have current RoR Competition Membership. Riders must be 15 years or over on the 1st January 2026. Horses will be ridden by the Judge and will be stripped for conformation assessment. Horses to be ridden in a snaffle, pelham or simple double bridle with a plain cavesson noseband. Horses should be plaited. All those entering and/or participating in RoR classes agree to be bound by the Retraining of Racehorses Rules and Regulations from time to time in force. Competitors/grooms must wear a safety/kite mark hard hat with a chinstrap. Racing injuries and blemishes are NOT ignored in this series The first three go forward to the Final at The Jockey Club RoR National Championships Aintree, August 22nd, 2026. Prizes – RoR rosettes 1st –4th plus Tattersalls RoR official merchandise voucher 1st £30, 2nd £20, 3rd £10 To take part in this class, horses must NOT have won: a ridden open class under any affiliated showing society including (inc SEIB/HOYS, BSHA, SHB(GB) BSPS, BSPA, Tattersalls RoR Open /Amateur Ridden Show Series Qualifier, TARRA Ridden, or any other open class except Tattersalls RoR Challenge Show Series, other Working Hunter type classes or RoR In Hand classes. Unaffiliated Show wins are not considered. Horses may remain in the Tattersalls RoR Novice Ridden Show Series (Formerly RoR Jockey Club Novice Show Series) classes until they have won three Tattersalls RoR Novice Show Series Qualifiers. They are de-noviced on their third novice win or at midnight on the day they win an open class, whichever happens first. They are still eligible to compete in the Tattersalls RoR Novice Final at The Jockey Club RoR National Championships.
45	Tattersalls RoR OPEN Ridden Show Series Qualifier 2026	Tattersall RoR Open Ridden Show Series Qualifier 2026 Open to RoR competition registered horses, 4yrs and over, mares and geldings, Thoroughbred mare or gelding, 4years old or over, any height. Riders must be 15 years on 1st January 2026. Horses should be ridden in a snaffle, Pelham or simple double bridle with a plain cavesson noseband. Horses should be plaited. The first THREE go forward to the championship at Hickstead in June 2027 All entries MUST be competition registered with the RoR and include their competition registration number on entry form and have RACED in GB. All those entering horses and/or participating in the show agree to be bound by the Retraining of Racehorses Rules and Regulations from time to time in force'. Please be aware that the show will split the class on the horse's last run in a race (NH or Flat) or will provide 2 ride judges should the entries exceed 20. Please mark your entry form accordingly. Competitors must wear a safety/kite mark hard hat with a chinstrap. Racing injuries and blemishes will NOT be ignored in this series Prizes – RoR rosettes 1st –4th plus Tattersalls RoR official merchandise voucher 1st £30, 2nd £20, 3rd £10, Highest placed Veteran (15+) £10. For qualifiers held before August 1st, 2026, the winner qualifies for the Tattersalls RoR Open Ridden Show Series Special at the Jockey Club RoR National Championships in August 22nd 2026. The Highest Placed Veteran qualifies for the RoR Ridden Veteran Final on the same day.
46	Tattersalls RoR Former Racehorse Challenge Show Series Qualifier 2026	Tattersalls RoR Former RACEHORSE CHALLENGE 2026 Open to all RoR and NR competition registered horses, Mare or gelding 4yrs old, any height. Riders must be 15 years or over on the 1st January 2026. Horses to be ridden in any suitable bridle and should be plaited. All entries must have current RoR Competition Registered. Racing injuries and blemishes ARE IGNORED in this series. The first three go forward to the final at The Jockey Club RoR National Championships, Aintree, August 23rd, 2025 Prizes – RoR rosettes 1st –4th plus RoR official merchandise voucher 1st £20, 2nd £10, 3rd £5, Highest placed Veteran (15+) £10. Codes to be redeemed at the RoR office. The Highest Placed Veteran also qualifies for the Tattersalls RoR Ridden Veteran Show final at the Jockey Club RoR National Championships on August, 2026 The Judge will NOT ride. Horses may be stripped for conformation at the discretion of the judge. Competitors must wear a safety/kite mark hard hat with a chinstrap. All those entering and/or participating in RoR classes agree to be bound by the Retraining of Racehorses Rules and Regulations from time to time in force. The class to be judged 50% jumping, 20% Style while jumping and performance and 30% awarded for show, manners and suitability to be retrained. PHASE 1 Jumping to be judged: 8 rustic jumps 70cm to 80cm with a maximum spread of 75cm. The following points to be deducted at the end of each jumping round: 10 points to be deducted for a knock down, 15 points to be deducted for a refusal, 20 points for second refusal. Elimination for third refusal or fall or Error of Course. PHASE 2 Class returns without boots and judged for an individual show/conformation. (In some classes, at the judge's discretion, horses might be asked to do a 'show' following their jumping without leaving the ring. This is often the case with a large number in the class) Each horse to complete an individual show of no longer than 1 ½ minutes. Show to include the following movements: walk, trot, canter showing change of leg, extended canter (gallop) halt and stand, walk off on long rein. Total marks out of 30% for Show, manners and suitability to be retrained. Fences for the final at Aintree can be up to a maximum of 85cm with a spread of 80cm.

COLOURED HORSES & PONIES **Not Before: 28/07/2026 13:00**

Affiliations / Qualifiers 26-100
This show is affiliated to the Coloured Horse & Pony Society (UK) (CHAPS (UK)). Affiliation number
This show is affiliated to the Coloured Horse & Pony Society (UK). Both owner and the rider/exhibitor need not be a member of CHAPS (UK) nor must the horse or pony be registered with CHAPS (UK) to compete. However in order to qualify both Owner and Rider / Exhibitor need to be a current showing member and

have a valid Qualifier card. Members to apply to CHAPS (UK) for appropriate qualifier card
For full rulings and information on competition/qualification, please refer to CHAPS (UK) Members Handbook or visit www.chapsuk.com. All stallions entering these classes must be graded with CHAPS (UK). All Stallions must wear Stallion ID discs in the ring.
The CHAPS(UK) Championship Show will be held on August 2025
Ring: 3

Judges

Christine Senior (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
47	The CHAPS (UK) Non Native Open In–hand Qualifier.	The CHAPS (UK) Non Native Open In–hand Qualifier. Horses or ponies any height, any age. No foals.
48	The CHAPS (UK) Native / Cob/ Traditional Open In hand Qualifier.	The CHAPS (UK) Native / Cob/ Traditional Open In hand Qualifier. Horse or ponies any height, any age. No foals
49	The CHAPS (UK) Open in hand Youngstock Qualifier;	The CHAPS (UK) Open Youngstock Qualifier; 1, 2 or 3 year olds, No foals
50	The CHAPS UK Non Native Open Ridden Qualifier. Stallion, Mare or Gelding,	The CHAPS UK Non Native Open Ridden Qualifier. Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over, any height, any type
51	The CHAPS (UK) Native / Cob / Traditional Open Ridden Qualifier. Stallion, Mare or Gelding,	The CHAPS (UK) Native / Cob / Traditional Open Ridden Qualifier. Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over, any height, any type

VETERAN HORSE OR PONY CLASSES **Not Before: 28/07/2026 14:30**

Veteran Horse Society – AREA QUALIFIER 2026
First round qualifier for the Veteran Horse Society Supreme Final:
VETERAN HORSE OF THE YEAR 2026
Kindly sponsored by Allen & Page.
Open to members and non-members. All competitors and grooms must adhere to VHS Rules in all circumstances. Failure to do so may result in immediate disqualification. Those wishing to join or renew with the Society will need to apply for this before 1st May each year, or a late penalty fee of £15 will be charged.
VHS Regional Final qualification. All competitors placed 1st to 4th in each area qualifier class will qualify for the corresponding class at VHS regional finals.
Members must carry their card in the ring at all times and have their showing card signed by the judge as proof of qualification. Non-members will receive a red qualification card which can be exchanged for a signed showing card when applying for VHS membership; this MUST be done within 21 days of qualification. It is the competitors' responsibility to present their showing card to the judge.
Regional Finals are open to members only.
All competitors are eligible to enter open classes at the National Veteran Championships, 4-6th September 2026. No qualification or membership necessary. See VHS website for the schedule, which is available mid-season in 2026
For further information, please visit the VHS website www.veteran-horse-society.co.uk or telephone the VHS Show Office on 01239 881300 or 07789 514004.
Ring: 3

Judges

Christine Senior (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
52	Veteran In Hand Diamond Veteran (25 years and over)	DIAMOND VETERAN IN-HAND (25 years and over). Open to horses and ponies of any breed and height.
53	Veteran In Hand (20 – 24 years)	VETERAN IN-HAND (20–24 years). Open to horses and ponies of any breed and height.
54	Pre Veteran In Hand (15 – 19 years).	PRE-VETERAN IN-HAND (15–19 years). Open to horses and ponies of any breed and height.
55	Veteran Ridden – Diamond Veteran (25 years and over),	DIAMOND VETERAN RIDDEN (25 years and over). Open to horses and ponies of any breed and height.
56	Ridden Veteran (20 – 24 years)	VETERAN RIDDEN (20–24 years). Open to horses and ponies of any breed and height.
57	Ridden Pre Veteran (15 – 19 years).	PRE-VETERAN RIDDEN (15–19 years). Open to horses and ponies of any breed and height.

IN HAND MOUNTAIN AND MOORLAND (SMALL & LARGE BREEDS) **Start At: 28/07/2026 09:00**

Small breeds will be judged first, followed by large breeds. The Champion & Reserve Champion from Small Breeds Championship and Champion & Reserve from the Large Breeds Championship will be eligible for the Supreme Championship.
The Chandlings Tamborine Rose Bowl – Champion Yearling, 2 or 3-year-old in small breeds
Misses E. & R. Stott.
The two highest-placed exhibits not already qualified will qualify for the relevant Equifest Championship class to be held at Arena UK, Grantham, Lincolnshire in 2026
M&M In Hand Classes
The NPS/ABSORBINE M&M In Hand Summer Championship (MM-IH)
These classes are open to purebred 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.
Class split by age and/or breed at the discretion of the show.
NPS Qualifying Rounds: These classes are judged under the Rules of the NPS. Ponies must be registered in the main body of their respective M&M Stud Book. Or British Riding Pony classes must be registered in the appropriate section of the British Riding Pony Studbook.
Qualifying rounds for most NPS competitions are open to ponies owned by NPS members and non-members, 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 - August 2027.
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/WTJ Insurance Brokers Ltd Home Produced Ridden Championship - Riders of home-produced ponies (see definition in the NPS Rules Book) can wear a white armband 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 forfeited.

The British Connemara Society offers a Special Rosette for the highest placed member, membership card to be produced in ring.
Winners of this rosette must be registered with the British Connemara Pony Society; 1st – 4th places are eligible.
The Dartmoor Pony Society offers a special rosette for the best registered Dartmoor pony shown by an exhibitor who is a member of that society, with a membership card to be produced in the ring.
The Exmoor Pony Society will offer a special qualifying rosette for the best Exmoor and the best youngster, provided the owner is a member of the Exmoor Pony Society.

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 in August 2027
Ring: 2

Judges

Helen Horsfall (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
58	DARTMOOR:	DARTMOOR: Yearling colt. Filly, mare or gelding, any age
59	EXMOOR:	EXMOOR: Yearling colt. Filly, mare or gelding, any age.
60	STANDARD SHETLAND	STANDARD SHETLAND: Yearling colt. Filly, mare or gelding, any age
61	MINIATURE 34” SHETLAND	MINIATURE 34” SHETLAND: Yearling colt. Filly, mare or gelding any age
62	WELSH MOUNTAIN	WELSH MOUNTAIN: (Welsh Section A). Yearling colt. Filly, mare or gelding, any age.
63	WELSH PONY	WELSH PONY: (Welsh Section B). Yearling colt. Filly, mare or gelding, any age.
64	COLT or STALLION:	COLT or STALLION: 2 years old and over, Exmoor, Dartmoor, Shetland, Welsh Section A. & B
65	DALES	DALES: Yearling colt. Filly, mare or gelding any age.
66	FELL	FELL: Yearling colt. Filly, mare or gelding, any age
67	HIGHLAND	HIGHLAND: Yearling colt. Filly, mare or gelding, any age.
68	NEW FOREST	NEW FOREST: Yearling colt. Filly, mare or gelding any age.
69	WELSH COB	WELSH COB: (Section C and Section D). Yearling colt. Filly, mare or gelding, any age
70	CONNEMARA	CONNEMARA: Yearling colt. Filly, mare or gelding, any age.
71	COLT or STALLION	COLT or STALLION: 2 years old and over, Connemara, Dales, Fell, Highland, New Forest, Welsh CNPS/SHARPTOR & BLACKERTOR STUDS M&M In Hand Silver Medal Rosette Championship 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 a.nd/or the qualification (excluding Lead Rein & First Ridden). Membership cards must be presented in the ring to receive the medal and/or the qualification.

RIDDEN MOUNTAIN AND MOORLAND **Not Before: 28/07/2026 13:00**

This show is affiliated to the National Pony Society

NPS Qualifying Rounds: These classes are judged under the Rules of the NPS. Ponies must be registered in the main body of their respective M&M Stud Book. Part breds are not eligible.
Qualifying rounds for most NPS competitions are open to ponies owned by NPS members and non-
members 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 August 2027.
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/WTJ Insurance Brokers 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.
Riders of Stallions must be 12 years old or over when riding Small Breeds (Shetland,
Dartmoor, Exmoor, Welsh A & B), For Large Breeds (Highland, Fell, Dales, Connemara, New Forest, Welsh C & D) Riders must be 14 years old or over.
Ponies entered in the following classes must be registered in the main body of their respective Mountain and Moorland Stud Books. Part Breds are not eligible.
Ring: 4

Judges

Mr R Sudcliffe (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
72	NPS Showing Classics Lead Rein National Championship	The NPS/SHOWING CLASSICS M&M Leading Rein National Championship (MM-LR) 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/ WTJ Insurance Brokers Ltd Home Produced Ridden Championship Qualifier – wear white arm bands
73	NPS/ Partridge & Parr First Ridden National Championship	Open 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. NPS/Fiona Cork Saddles Young Rider Championship Qualifier – for rider up to 25 years
74	The NPS/RINGSIDE M&M Open Ridden National Championship	Open to registered pure bred M&;M stallions, mares and geldings five years old or over. Registered in the Pure Bred Society Studbooks of Welsh A & B , Shetland , Dartmoor Or Exmoor. NPS/WTJ Insurance Brokers Ltd Home Produced Ridden Championship Qualifier– wear white arm bands. NPS/Fiona Cork Saddles Young Rider Championship Qualifier – for rider up to 25 years
75	The NPS/RINGSIDE STUD M&M Open Ridden National Championship	Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 5 years old or over. Registered in the Pure Bred Society Stud Books of Welsh C & D, Connemara, and New Forest. Rider any age. shown at walk, trot, canter and gallop Ponies in classes must be shown in their natural state, manes and tails must not be plaited
76	The NPS/RINGSIDE STUD M&M Open Ridden National Championship	Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 5 years old or over. Registered in the Pure Bred Society Studbooks of Dales, Fell and Highland. Riders any age Ponies in classes must be shown in their natural state, manes and tails must not be plaited NPS/NIPNA DALES PONY STUD M&M Ridden Silver Medal Rosette Championship 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 (excluding Lead Rein & First Ridden). Membership cards must be presented in the ring to receive the medal and/or the qualification.

MOUNTAIN AND MOORLAND WORKING HUNTER PONY **Not Before: 28/07/2026 13:00**

The Mountain and Moorland Working Hunter Pony classes are being run under National Pony Society Rules 2026
Affiliation / Qualifiers
This show is affiliated to the National Pony Society
Classes 77-80 are qualifiers for the The NPS/SMITHERS SHOW TEAM M&M Working Hunter Pony National Championship
The Dartmoor Pony Society offers a performance Rosette for the highest placed Dartmoor in class 76 shown by an exhibitor who is a member of that Society, membership card to be produce in the ring.
The Dales Pony Society offers a Performance rosette in Class 79 for the highest placed Dales Pony Shown by an exhibitor who produces a current membership card in the ring.
The Highland Pony Society offers a Special Rosette in Class 79 for the highest placed pure bred Highland Pony.
The Fell Pony Society offers a Special Rosette for the highest placed Fell Pony shown by an exhibitor who is a member of that Society and their membership card must be shown before receiving the Rosette. Class 79.
The Exmoor Pony Society offers a Special Rosette for the highest placed Exmoor Pony shown by an exhibitor who is a member of the Exmoor Pony Society. Class 76.
The New Forest Pony Breeding and Cattle Society offers a Special Rosette for the highest placed registered New Forest Pony. Class 77
The two highest placed exhibits not already qualified will qualify for the relevant Equifest Championship class to be held at Arena UK, Grantham, Lincolnshire 2026
Ring: 6

Judges

Mr R Sudcliffe (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
77	The NPS/SMITHERS SHOW TEAM M&M Working Hunter Pony Championships	Stallion, mare or gelding, 5 years old and over not exceeding 122 cms. Registered in their respective Pure Breed Society Stud Books. Rider any age. - Riders of Stallions must be 11 years old or over when riding Small Breeds (Shetland, Dartmoor, Exmoor, Welsh A & B), For Large Breeds (Highland, Fell, Dales, Connemara, New Forest, Welsh C & D) Riders must be 14 years old or over Ponies in classes 77-80 must be shown in their natural state, manes and tails must not be plaited.
78	The NPS/SMITHERS SHOW TEAM M&M Working Hunter Pony Championships	Stallion, mare or gelding 5 years old and over exceeding 122 cms, but not exceeding 133 cms. Registered in their respective Pure Breed Society Stud Books. Rider any age. - Riders of Stallions must be 11 years old or over when riding Small Breeds (Shetland, Dartmoor, Exmoor, Welsh A & B), For Large Breeds (Highland, Fell, Dales, Connemara, New Forest, Welsh C & D) Riders must be 14 years old or over
79	The NPS/SMITHERS SHOW TEAM M&M Working Hunter Pony National Championship	Stallion, mare or gelding 5 years old or over exceeding 133cm but not exceeding 143cms. Registered in their respective Pure Breed Society Stud Books. Rider any age. - Riders of Stallions must be 11 years old or over when riding Small Breeds (Shetland, Dartmoor, Exmoor, Welsh A & B), For Large Breeds (Highland, Fell, Dales, Connemara, New Forest, Welsh C & D) Riders must be 14 years old or over
80	The NPS/SMITHERS SHOW TEAM M&M Open Working Hunter Pony National Championship	Stallion, mare or gelding 5 years old or over exceeding 143cms. Registered in their respective Pure Breed Society Stud Books. Rider any age. Please Note - Riders of Stallions must be 11 years old or over when riding Small Breeds (Shetland, Dartmoor, Exmoor, Welsh A & B), For Large Breeds (Highland, Fell, Dales, Connemara, New Forest, Welsh C & D) Riders must be 14 years old or over

BSPS LIHS PONY CLASSES **Start At: 28/07/2026 09:00**

In Lead Rein WSP classes the Judges will be looking for a pony suitable for a child to begin their future in Working Sports Pony classes. Ponies will be shown unplaited and to their breed standard.
Shows may put on a Championship for the two highest exhibits.

Cradle & Nursery stakes will start at 9am in ring 7
Ring: 4

Judges

Rebecca Abba (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
81	BSPS Heritage Lead Rein Working Sports Pony	BSPS Heritage Lead Rein Working Sports Pony Mare or Gelding, 4yrs old and over, Mountain and Moorland registered ponies and non-registered mountain and moorland type ponies not exceeding 128cms. Ridden by a child to have attained their 4th birthday on the 1st January in the current year and not to attain their 10th birthday on 1st January in the current year. Any suitable snaffle bridle. In Lead Rein WSP classes the Judges will be looking for a pony suitable for a child to begin their future in Working Sports Pony classes. Ponies will be shown unplaited and to their breed standard. Marks: Manners & Style whilst performing the test(including go round and jumping) 60 Marks

		Type, Movement and Freedom of Action 20 Marks Presentation, condition and suitability of pony for the rider 20 Marks TOTAL 100 MARK Criteria The Leader must be 16 years old or over and may only lead one pony in a class. The rein MUST go directly from the bit to the rider's hand, with no extra aids or attachments to or on the saddle. Handles on saddles are permitted but the reins must not be attached to the handle or to the saddle. The Lead Rein must be affixed to the noseband on which it must remain while the pony is in the ring. Whilst in the ring ponies must always be led by the leader. The Leader must lead on the near side with the lead rein in the left hand. RIDERS - Hats in accordance with BSPS Rules, Tweed Jackets, Beige or cream jodhpurs, Shirt, tie, boots and gloves. Body protectors are compulsory in this class. No Buttonholes LEADERS Country attire, Gentlemen Trilby Hats or Caps, Ladies modest hats. Method of Judging Ponies will enter the ring at the walk, they may be trotted altogether at the Judges' discretion. They will be pulled into line in any order and asked to perform an individual test around obstacles (Minimum of 5 and maximum of 7) including jumping a maximum of three small upright fences not exceeding 30cms. No spread fences. Water will not be included. Ponies will not be asked to walk on artificial material e.g. plastic sheeting during the test. Riders will not be asked to dismount. Judges will penalise refusals, knockdowns or taking the wrong course at the judge's discretion. A stride or two of canter over the fences will not be penalised. There will be NO conformation marks. Ponies must be shown unplaited and in accordance with their breed standards.
82	BSPS HERITAGE FIRST RIDDEN WORKING SPORTS PONY	BSPS HERITAGE FIRST-RIDDEN WORKING SPORTS PONY Mare or gelding, 4 years old and over. For registered mountain and moorland ponies and non-registered mountain and moorland-type ponies not exceeding 128 cm. Ridden by a child who has attained their 5th birthday on the 1st of January in the current year and has not attained their 12th birthday by 1st of January in the current year. Any suitable snaffle bridle. Ponies to be shown unplaited, In First Ridden WSP classes the judges will be looking for a pony suitable for a child to begin their future in Working Sports Pony classes. Ponies will be shown unplaited Marks: Manner style whilst performing the test (including going round and jumping) 60 Marks Type, Movement and Freedom of Action 20 Marks Presentation, condition and suitability of pony for the rider: 20 marks TOTAL 100 MARKS Criteria Martingales are permitted. RIDERS - Hats in accordance with BSPS rules, tweed jackets, beige or cream jodhpurs, shirts, ties, boots and gloves. Body protectors are compulsory in this class. No Buttonholes Method of Judging Ponies will enter the ring at the walk and then trot all together at the judges' discretion. They will be pulled into line in any order and asked to perform an individual test around obstacles (there will be a minimum of five and a maximum of eight obstacles). including jumping a maximum of three small upright fences not exceeding 30 cm. At the end of the test, they will canter down one side of the arena to finish. No spread fences. Water will not be included. Ponies will not be asked to walk on artificial material, e.g., plastic sheeting, during the test. Riders will not be asked to dismount.
83	BSPS Junior Performance Pony, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over not exceeding 138 cms	BSPS Junior Performance Pony, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over not exceeding 138cms. Plaited ponies. Riders not to have attained their 13th birthday on the 1st January in the current year. Any suitable bridle, bitless bridles and running gags are not permitted. Marks: Performance 70 Marks Manners and way of going 10 Marks Rider, presentation and suitability 10 Marks Type, freedom of action and condition 10 Marks TOTAL 100 Marks Method of judging for Performance Classes Exhibitors will go round the ring as whole group, (no pull in). They will then undertake an individual display (rather than a show) where they need to show certain movements which will include walk, trot, canter on both reins, a canter circle, canter transitions on the straight, extension in canter on one rein and free walk on a long rein and halt. Competitors in these classes will not be stripped. Shows may put on a Championship for the two highest exhibits in the performance classes.
84	BSPS Performance Pony Mare or Gelding 4 years old and over, not exceeding 148cm Plaited ponies.	BSPS Performance Pony, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over not exceeding 148 cms. Plaited ponies. Riders not to have attained their 17th birthday on the 1st January in the current year. Any suitable bridle, bitless bridles and running gags are not permitted. Marks Performance 70 Marks Manners and way of going 10 Marks Rider, presentation and suitability 10 Marks Type, freedom of action and condition 10 Marks TOTAL 100 Marks

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85	BSPS Performance Pony Stallion, Mare or Gelding 4 years old and over, not exceeding 158cm	BSPS Performance Pony Stallion, Mare or Gelding 4 years old and over, not exceeding 158cm Plaited ponies/horses. Riders any age. Marks: Performance 70 Marks Manners and way of going 10 Marks Rider, presentation and suitability 10 Marks Type, freedom of action and condition 10 Marks TOTAL 100 Marks Method of judging for Performance Classes Exhibitors will go round the ring as whole group, (no pull in). They will then undertake an individual display (rather than a show) where they need to show certain movements which will include walk, trot, canter on both reins, a canter circle, canter transitions on the straight, extension in canter on one rein and free walk on a long rein and halt. Competitors in these classes will not be stripped. Shows may put on a Championship for the two highest exhibits in the performance classes.
88	Open Cradle Stakes Class Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 123cms.	Open Cradle Stakes Class Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 123cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained not to have attained their 12th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Ponies must be plaited. MARKING PHASE ONE Jumping 50 Style & Manners while Jumping 20 PHASE TWO Manners and way of going 10 Conformation, Type & Freedom of Action 20 TOTAL 100 PENALTIES - PHASE ONE Jumping Knock Down 10 First Refusal 15 Second Refusal 20 Third Refusal Disqualification Fall of pony or rider in any phase Disqualification
89	Open Nursery Stakes Class Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over, not exceeding 133cm.	Open Nursery Stakes Class Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over, not exceeding 133cm. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 13th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Ponies must be plaited MARKING PHASE ONE Jumping 50 Style & Manners while Jumping 20 PHASE TWO Manners and way of going 10 Conformation, Type & Freedom of Action 20 TOTAL 100 PENALTIES - PHASE ONE Jumping Knock Down 10 First Refusal 15 Second Refusal 20 Third Refusal Disqualification Fall of pony or rider in any phase Disqualification Method of Judging This is a judged over a course of WHP fences individually with a separate conformation section and then all ponies come together for the final result. Body protectors are compulsory. Shows may put on a Championship for the two highest placed classes in The Cradle and Nursery Stakes

PRIVATE DRIVING **Not Before: 28/07/2026 12:00**

Ryedale Show will pay **£25 will be awarded for each vehicle brought forward for judging

Qualifying for the BDS Iceline Yorkshire Ltd National Championships:
The highest place turnout in the designated type-section in each qualifying class, disregarding those already qualified down to 6th place in the class, will qualify for the 2025 National Driving Championship Semi-Finals at Addington Equestrian Centre on the 20th September as follows:

(h) Two-wheel Light Trade
(i) Four-wheel Light Trade
(j) Single or Tandem turnout driven to a two-wheel exercise vehicle
(k) Single, Pair or Tandem turnout driven to a four-wheel exercise vehicle

In the event of a show staging a qualifying class that includes a drive in the judging of the class, the drive must be completed for qualification to be awarded. The Judge of the qualifying competition has the right to withhold an award in the qualifier.. Exhibitors who qualify for the Semi-Final must apply for an entry form from the BDS and make an entry on that form, to arrive before the specified closing date of entries.

For the full rules for the Championship Show please refer to the BDS Yearbook / BDS Website

The championships are kindly sponsored by “Iceline Yorkshire Ltd”, award winning industry leaders within the refrigeration sector, specialising in the installation and the removal of cold stores. No matter the size of the installation or removal, Iceline Yorkshire has a fleet of highly trained skilled professionals ready to undertake any project with commendable results. In recent years Iceline Yorkshire has also opened a fully bespoke refrigeration recycling centre - the only company achieving 100% recycling on all refrigeration products and materials. So whether it be an installation, removal or disposal of goods, Iceline Yorkshire are sure to exceed your needs going above and beyond for customer satisfaction please visit their website www.icelineyorkshire.co.uk for more information.

Perpetual Challenge Cup
Originally presented in 1904 by Lord Feversham for the Best Animal in the Cleveland and Coaching Classes and kindly re-presented by Mrs. Marjorie Webster, Harome, for the Best Turnout in Driving Classes 93-96 Won for three years in succession by Mr. Dobson and now re-presented in perpetuity.
Perpetual Shield
For the Concours D’ Elegance presented by Mr. J. Wright, Langdale End. The Concours D’ Elegance is designed to establish the most elegant turnout in Classes 95& 96 The essence of competition is the word elegance and the winner will be the turnout, which, in the opinion of the judge, presents the most elegant effect. This will obviously include vehicle, horse, driver, passenger, etc., but most of all the general impression.
Affiliations / Qualifications.
Conditions:
This Show is affiliated to the British Driving Society and these classes will be run in accordance with BDS procedures.
Private Driving - Singles, Pairs and Multiples
Horse or Pony driven to a traditional or traditional style vehicle.
A traditional vehicle means a vehicle of traditional profile and identifiable type to resemble the design of a carriage built prior to the First World War. The vehicle may be made from modern materials but must have traditional style springing and carriage lamps. Pneumatic tyres vehicles, trade turnouts and show wagons are not eligible.
1. Nomination entries are not accepted.
2. Vehicles must be of a suitable type for road use and match the horse (Commercial vehicles and Show Wagons not allowed). 3. Horses and ponies must be four years old or over.
4. Competitors should ensure that they are adequately covered by Third Party Insurance.
5. Any driver under the age of 18 should be accompanied in the vehicle by an adult. BDS Rules apply.
Qualifiers:
Ring: 1

Judges

Joanna Dobson (Performance Judge)

Number	Name	Description
93	Exercise Vehicle	EXERCISE VEHICLES **£25 will be awarded for each vehicle brought forward for judging (1) Wording: Open to horses & ponies, 4 years old or over. A single, pair or tandem driven to a carriage of non-traditional type design and includes those with pneumatic tyres specifically designed for carriages (i.e., not car tyres). Lamps need not be carried. Judging will include general cleanliness, safety of turnout, correct fitting of harness and vehicle suitability. (2) This class may be split into two wheel & four wheel exercise vehicles.
94	Light Tradesmen's Turnout	LIGHT TRADE**£25 will be awarded for each vehicle brought forward for judging (1) Open to horses and ponies, 4 years old or over, singles and pairs to a traditional or traditional type trade vehicle. No goods to be carried or displayed. A small sample load may be carried on a coster turnout only. (2) This class may be split into two wheel light trade and four wheel light trade.
95	Private Driving Class – for Hackney or Hackney Type Ponies/Horses.	PRIVATE DRIVING For Hackney or Hackney Type Ponies / Horses , open to singles , pairs or tandems **£25 will be awarded for each vehicle brought forward for judging (1) Horse or pony, 4 years old or over, driven to a traditional or traditional type vehicle. A traditional vehicle means a vehicle of traditional profile and identifiable type to resemble the design of a carriage built prior to the First World War. The vehicle may be made from modern materials but must have traditional style springing and carriage lamps. Pneumatic tyred vehicles, trade turnouts and show wagons are NOT eligible. (2) This class may be split by height - 13.2hh & Under and Over 13.2hh No horse/pony under the age of four may compete. The driver must be aged 10 years or over on the first day of the show at which they are entered No substitution or transfer of entry will be allowed at qualifying events after the close
96	Private Driving Class – for Non Hackney Type Ponies / Horses	PRIVATE DRIVING For NON Hackney or Hackney Type Ponies / Horses , open to singles , pairs or tandems **£25 will be awarded for each vehicle brought forward for judging (1) Horse or pony, 4 years old or over, driven to a traditional or traditional type vehicle. A traditional vehicle means a vehicle of traditional profile and identifiable type to resemble the design of a carriage built prior to the First World War. The vehicle may be made from modern materials but must have traditional style springing and carriage lamps. Pneumatic tyred vehicles, trade turnouts and show wagons are NOT eligible. (2) This class may be split by height - 13.2hh & Under and Over 13.2hh No horse/pony under the age of four may compete. The driver must be aged 10 years or over on the first day of the show at which they are entered No substitution or transfer of entry will be allowed at qualifying events after the close

MOUNTED FANCY DRESS **Not Before: 28/07/2026 14:00**

Judged by the President of Ryedale Show
Rider to be 16 years old or under on the day of the Show. Hard hats with safety harness must be worn by all mounted exhibitors
Ring: 1

Judges

The President (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
100	Fancy Dress	Rider to be 16 years old or under on the day of the Show. Hard hats with safety harness must be worn by all mounted exhibitors

DUBARRY BURGHLEY YOUNG EVENT HORSE SERIES **Start At: 28/07/2026 09:00**

Judges Dressage- Judy Hancock
Show Jumping - Christie Wright
Type & Suitability - Magnus Nicholson
Declarations and Withdrawals
***PLEASE WOULD YOU DECLARE YOUR INTENTION TO COMPETE OR WITHDRAW with Tania Gardner: Tel - 07891039310 or e-mail - tania@ryedaleshow.co.uk **before 12 noon on Sunday 26th July **
Starting times will be available on website and Ryedale Show Facebook page www.ryedaleshow.co.uk from 1pm on Monday 27th July ***
CONDITIONS:
1. Horses must exceed 148cm without shoes.
2. Age: Open to horses born in 2020 & 2021
3. Saddlery: (warm-up and competition): tack as per British Eventing Rules for Novice Dressage - snaffle bridle only, see website www.britisheventing.com. Running martingale only and front boots are optional for sections I, II and III. However, NO hind boots or bandages of any kind may be worn in the collecting ring, warm-up area or actual class. Jumping whip only allowed (max length 75cm).
4. Dress: As for British Eventing Novice Dressage Test/Hunting Dress. British Eventing/BHS approved hat and harness to be worn for all sections.
5. Opening Date: 01/04/2026

6. Closing Date: 12th July 2026 , in the event of oversubscription this class may be closed early.
7. Balloting: In the event of over subscription entries received for horses that have already qualified for the Final will be balloted first.
8. Entries: online
9. Withdrawals: Horse Secretary 07891039310 / tania@ryedaleshow.co.uk
10. Starting Times: www.ryedaleshow.co.uk and Ryedale Show FB page
11. Conflict of Interest: Within the equestrian community there may be times when conflicts occur. For guidance, it has been determined that a perceived/potential conflict of interest could arise in the event that an appointed judge has a previous or current connection to a horse entered in the competition. Examples of such connections and interests include, but not limited to, the following. The judge has; bred or previously owned the horse or acted as an agent in its sale; previously competed, trained or kept the horse at livery; previously or currently had a financial or other interest in the horse. In the event that a judge/owner/rider (or their agent) knows of, or should know of, any potential and/or perceived conflict of interest in a horse entered in the competition they must declare this to the Organiser as soon as it is known. Steps will be taken to manage it as practically as possible. Any potential conflicts will be written and displayed next to the scoreboard. Conflicts at the Final will be avoided and managed by Burghley Horse Trials.
12. It is a condition of entry that all riders, owners, grooms, and their connections/relatives, must conduct themselves and communicate in a respectful manner towards the public, officials, and all other parties present or entered in the competition. Such behaviour includes respect for the Judges and their decisions, which are final. Offensive behaviour, and/or other violations of this condition, may lead to sanctions such as disqualification and future bans.

DISCLAIMER:
JUDGING
SECTION I - (30 marks) Dressage Test (60m x 20m) Arena Marks will not be awarded for individual movements but the test will be marked for general impression and overall performance.
TEST
To be ridden from memory
A Enter in working trot
From X proceed directly to
M Working trot
C Serpentine 3 loops each loop to go to side of the arena finishing at A
F X H Change rein showing some lengthened strides (Not required for 4 year olds)
Between H&C Working canter right
C Circle right 20m diameter
M X K Change rein with transition to trot between X and K
Between K&A Working canter left
A Circle left 20m diameter
Between A&F Working trot
Between F&B Medium walk
B Half 20m circle left in free walk on a long rein to E
E Directly to A - leave arena free walk on a long rein
To be followed immediately by:
SECTION II - (40 marks) Jumping. NO time will be allowed between these sections for any adjustment to tack or rider's dress. Maximum height of fences 0.90m (4 years) 1.05m (5 years). Fall of horse or rider or a total of 3 refusals will result in elimination. Note: fence height at Final 1.00m (4 years) and 1.10m (5 years).
SECTION III - (10 marks) Gallop: immediately after the jumping the 5 year old horses will be required to gallop. The 4 year olds will only be required to lengthen the canter indicating they could learn to gallop with further development and maturity.

SECTION IV - (20 Marks) Conformation (12 marks) and Quality (8 marks)
Note: in the event of equality of marks after all four sections, the jumping mark will take precedence. Should this still produce equality of marks, the highest mark attained in the gallop section followed by the dressage section will be the deciding fact
QUALIFIERS:
1 qualifier 1-12 starters Subject to finishing in the top 5 placings – this is applicable where previously qualified horses are placed higher up the line.
2 qualifiers 13-24 starters
3 qualifiers 25-36 starters
4 qualifiers Over 37 starters
Entry Fee £40
PRIZE MONEY: 1st £75 2nd £50 3rd £35
(Minimum) 4th £25 (over 15 starters) 5th £25 (over 20 starters) 6th £25 (over 30 starters)
Ring: 8

Judges

Magnus Nicholson (Conformation Judge)
Judy Hancock (Judge)
Christie Wright (Performance Judge)

Number	Name	Description
101	Five year olds	
102	Four Year Olds	