Southern Shetland Pony Group SPSBS Bronze Medal Summer Show.

The Southern Shetland Pony Group holding a one day show held on Sunday September 20th 2026 at The Newbury Showground, Priors Court Road, Hermitage, Thatcham, Berkshire, RG18 9QZ
Open to members and non-members.
PLEASE NOTE
Ring One; All ponies competing must be registered with the Shetland Pony Stud Book Society. (Apart from the two unaffiliated Ridden Classes)
Judge: Mrs R Bown (Sedgehill)
Ring Two; All ponies competing must be registered with the Shetland Pony Stud Book Society.
Judge: Mr N Buffery (Cuckoo)
Ring Three; Is open to registered and unregistered ponies.
Judge; Mr M Surman (Ryehall)
20/09/2026 10:00

Junior Classes

Classes for Shetland ponies three years and under register with the Shetland Pony Stud Book Society.
Ring: Showing Scene Ring Two

Judges

Mr Neil Buffery

Number	Name	Description
1	Miniature Shetland Yearling Colt; Filly or Gelding	Miniature Shetland yearling; open to colt filly or gelding. Snelsmore Stud has kindly offered a best gelding rosette to the highest placed gelding which qualifies you for the Gelding Championship. **:** This class is kindly sponsored by Milklyway Shetland Stud
2	Standard Shetland Yearling; Colt Filly or Gelding	Standard Shetland yearling open to colt filly or gelding. Pat and Peter of Lionheart stud have kindly donated a special rosette for the highest placed chestnut pony in this class. Team Sylvandene has kindly offered a best gelding rosette to the highest placed gelding, which qualifies you for the Gelding Championship.
3	Miniature Shetland Two year-old; Colt, Filly or Gelding	Miniature two year-old open to colt, filly or gelding. Snelsmore Stud has kindly offered a best gelding rosette to the highest placed gelding, which qualifies you for the Gelding Championship. Two year-old colts must be bitted according to SPSBS rules.
4	Standard Shetland Two year-old; Colt, Filly or Gelding	Standard two year-old shetland, open to colt filly or gelding. Pat and Peter of Lionheart stud have kindly donated a special rosette for the highest placed chestnut pony in this class. Team Sylvandene has kindly offered a best gelding rosette to the highest placed gelding, which qualifies you for the Gelding Championship. Two year-old colts must be bitted according to SPSBS rules.
5	Miniature Shetland Three year-old; Colt, Filly or Gelding	Miniature three year-old open to colt, filly or gelding. Snelsmore Stud has kindly offered a best gelding rosette to the highest placed gelding, which qualifies you for the Gelding Championship. Three year-old colts must be bitted according to SPSBS rules. **:** This class is kindly sponsored by Terena Gough.
6	Standard Shetland Three year-old; Colt, Filly or Gelding	Standard three year-old shetland, open to colt filly or gelding. Pat and Peter of Lionheart stud have kindly donated a special rosette for the highest placed chestnut pony in this class. Team Sylvandene has kindly offered a best gelding rosette to the highest placed gelding, which qualifies you for the Gelding Championship. Three year-old colts must be bitted according to SPSBS rules.
7	Miniature Shetland Foal	Miniature shetland foal with or without mare. Foals must be three weeks old & over and eligible for registration.
8	Standard Shetland Foal	Standard Shetland foal with or without mare. Foals must be three weeks old & over and eligible for registration. **:** Buxted Stud

Senior Classes

Classes for Shetland ponies four years and over register with the Shetland Pony Stud Book Society.
Ring: Showing Scene Ring Two

Judges

Mr Neil Buffery

Number	Name	Description
9	Miniature Shetland Mare	Miniature shetland mare, four years and over with or without foal. **:** This class is kindly sponsored in memory of Ladbury Chelsea Girl, owned and loved by Anne Allen.
10	Standard Shetland Mare	Standard Shetland Mare, four years and over with or without foal. Pat and Peter of Lionheart stud have kindly donated a special rosette for the highest placed chestnut pony in this class. **:** Terena Gough
11	Miniature Shetland Gelding	Miniature shetland gelding, four years and over. Snelsmore Stud has kindly offered a best gelding rosette to the highest placed gelding, which qualifies you for the Gelding Championship. **:** Milkyway stud
12	Standard Shetland Gelding	Standard shetland gelding, four years and over. Pat and Peter of Lionheart stud have kindly donated a special rosette for the highest placed chestnut pony in this class. Team Sylvandene has kindly offered a best gelding rosette to the highest placed gelding, which qualifies you for the Gelding Championship. **:** Andrea Vickery
13	Miniature Shetland Stallion	Miniature shetland stallion four years and over Tracey Basta has kindly presented a stallion bridle disc for the winner of this class. Stallions must be bitted according to SPSBS rules and we recommend a stallion bridle disc. **:** Tracey Basta of Equine Bridle Disc
14	Standard Shetland Stallion	Standard shetland stallion four years and over. Pat and Peter of Lionheart stud have kindly donated a special rosette for the highest placed chestnut pony in this class. Tracey Basta has kindly presented a stallion bridle disc for the winner of this class. Stallions must be bitted according to SPSBS rules and we recommend a stallion bridle disc. **:** Tracey Basta of Equine Bridle Disc

Driving

Classes for registered Miniature and Standard driving ponies.
Ring: Ring One

Judges

Mrs Rachel Bown

Number	Name	Description
15	Newcomers Driving	Registered or unregistered standard and miniature shetland ponies. The newcomers class is intended for those starting out in driving. Open to exhibitors who have been driving Shetland ponies for less than three years. **:** Anne Allen's Charity Shetland show.
16	Open Driving	Single, pairs, tandem or unicorn to a private or exercise vehicle. Show or trade vehicles are not permitted. **:** Emma Willson of the Headon Down Shetland Stud.

Young Handlers

Classes for young handles which qualifies them for the young handlers Championship.
Ring: Ring One

Judges

Mrs Rachel Bown

Number	Name	Description
17	Young Handler 6 years & under (minimum age of 3 years)	Open to children 6 years old & under. (Please note minimum age of 3 years) Children must have a up to standard riding hat & proper footwear an adult may assist or someone ready run in to help if needed. Rosettes to all children. Mandy Sargeant of Champlers Stud has kindly given each competitor in this class a gold medal. **:** Mandy Sargeant Champlers Stud
18	Young Handler 7 to 10 years	Open to children 7 to 10 years. Children must have a up to standard riding hat and proper footwear along with someone ready run in to help if needed. Rosettes to all children. Mandy Sargeant of Champlers Stud has kindly given each competitor in this class a gold medal. **:** Mandy Sargeant of the Champlers Stud
19	Child Handler 11 to 16 years	Open to children 11 to 16 years Rosettes to all children. All handlers fourteen years & under must have a up to standard riding hat and proper footwear whilst exhibiting. Mandy Sargeant of Champlers Stud has kindly given each competitor in this class a gold medal. **:** Mandy Sargeant of Champlers Stud

SSPG Unaffiliated Ridden Classes

Unaffiliated Ridden classes qualifying for the Unaffiliated Ridden Championship
Ring: Ring One

Judges

Mrs Rachel Bown

Number	Name	Description
20	Unaffiliated Have A Go Lead Rein Class	This Lead Rein Class is a unaffiliated confidence booster class for children 9 years & under. Ponies must be shown in a snaffle bridle with the lead rein attached to the noseband. Children must wear a standard riding hat and jodhpur boots, however full riding attire (jacket, jodhpurs, shirt etc.) are optional. Mandy Sargeant of Champlers Stud has kindly given each competitor in this class a gold medal. **:** This class is kindly sponsored by Mary Mackay.
21	Unaffiliated Have A Go First Ridden	This Ridden Class is a unaffiliated confidence booster class for riders 12 years & under. Open to mares and geldings 4 years & over, Ponies must be shown in a snaffle bridle. Children must wear a standard riding hat and jodhpur boots, however full riding attire (jacket, jodhpurs, shirt etc.) are optional. Mandy Sargeant of Champlers Stud has kindly given each competitor in this class a gold medal. **:** This class is kindly sponsored by Mary Mackay.

Ridden Shetland classes.

Ridden Shetland classes.
Unaffiliated Ridden classes eligible for their own Championship.
SPSBS Affiliated Champion and Reserve Champion are eligible for the SPSBS Supreme Championship sponsored by Omega Equine.
Ring: Ring One

Judges

Mrs Rachel Bown

Number	Name	Description
22	Lead Rein Shetland	Open to mares, geldings 4 years & over, riders 3 to 9 years - see rules 11,12,14c,15,16,17 & 18 **:** The Shetland Performance Awards.
23	First Ridden Shetland	Open to mares and geldings 4 years & over, riders 12 years & under - see rules 11,12,14c,15,16,17 & 18 **:** The Shetland Performance Awards.
24	Open Ridden Shetland	Open to stallions, mares & geldings, riders may be asked to canter around together - see rules 11,12,14c,15,16,17 & 18 **:** The Shetland Performance Awards.

Newcomers

This is open to exhibitors who have been showing or breeding shetland ponies for less than three years.
Ring: Ring Three

Judges

Mr Martin Surman

Number	Name	Description
25	Newcomers	This is open to exhibitors who have been showing or breeding shetland ponies for less than three years. Ponies must be the property of, and transferred into the exhibitors ownership, or a member of their immediate family. Please enter this class in the spirit it is intended for. Open to Miniature and Standard ponies. (May split if entries warrant) This class is not eligible for any Championship.

Open Classes

Open classes for registered and unregistered Miniature and Standard Shetland ponies
Ring: Ring Three

Judges

Mr Martin Surman

Number	Name	Description
26	Intermediate Shetland	Registered or unregistered miniature or standard shetland male/female four to six years of age. (May split if entries warrant) MHCGB Hampshire Area Miniature Horse and Shetland show has kindly offered the best gelding rosette, which qualifies you for the Gelding Championship. **:** This class is kindly sponsored by Lorraine Jayne
27	Open Veteran Shetland	Registered or unregistered veteran pony miniature or standard shetland fifteen-years and over, open to any gender. Pat and Peter of Lionheart stud have have kindly donated a special set of rosettes for our veteran class. A sash for the winner and a rosette for the oldest combination of pony and handler. MHCGB Hampshire Area Miniature Horse and Shetland show has kindly offered the best gelding rosette, which qualifies you for the Gelding Championship. **:** Lionheart stud
28	Progeny Pair class	This class is a fun class for a pair of registered or unregistered ponies standard or miniature open to any age or gender. Does not qualify for any championship They can be by the same sire or out of the same dam also a stallion with his offspring and a mare and her offspring. **:** The Breamore Show, 27th of June 2027 held at Rally Field, Breamore, SP6 2DD, schedule can be found on nfed.co.uk
29	Owner Bred Shetland	Registered or unregistered standard or miniature shetland pony bred by their owner, open to any age or gender. MHCGB Hampshire Area Miniature Horse and Shetland show has kindly offered the best gelding rosette, which qualifies you for the Gelding Championship. **:** This class is kindly sponsored by Milklyway Shetland Stud.
30	Open Solid Colour Shetland	Registered or unregistered solid colour standard or miniature shetland including black, open to any age and gender. MHCGB Hampshire Area Miniature Horse and Shetland show has kindly offered the best gelding rosette, which qualifies you for the Gelding Championship. **:** Rosiemay Lee
31	Open Broken Colour Shetland	Registered or unregistered broken coloured standard or miniature shetland, open to any age and gender. MHCGB Hampshire Area Miniature Horse and Shetland show has kindly offered the best gelding rosette, which qualifies you for the Gelding Championship. **:** The Breamore Show
32	Novice Shetland; Open to any age or gender.	Registered or unregistered novice pony not having won a first prize up to two week before the show. Open to Miniature and Standard ponies. (May split if entries warrant) MHCGB Hampshire Area Miniature Horse and Shetland show has kindly offered the best gelding rosette, which qualifies you for the Gelding Championship. **:** This class is kindly sponsored by Terena Gough.
33	Three years & under Shetland	Registered or unregistered Miniature and Standard Shetland male/female. (May split if entries warrant) MHCGB Hampshire Area Miniature Horse and Shetland show has kindly offered the best gelding rosette, which qualifies you for the Gelding Championship. **:** The Downs Shetland Pony Group
34	Four years & over Shetland	Registered or unregistered Miniature & Standard Shetland male/female. (May split if entries warrant) MHCGB Hampshire Area Miniature Horse and Shetland show has kindly offered the best gelding rosette, which qualifies you for the Gelding Championship. **:** Andrea Vickery

Blenheim Stud Miniature Shetland Junior Championship

All 1st and 2nd placed ponies from classes 2, 4 6 & 8 may compete in this Championship.
Ring: Showing Scene Ring Two

Judges

Mr Neil Buffery

Number	Name	Description
CH 1	Blenheim Stud Miniature Shetland Junior Championship.	All 1st and 2nd placed ponies from classes 2, 4 6 & 8 may compete in this Championship. **:** Karoline Thorpe of the Blenheim Stud

Andrea Vickery Standard Shetland Junior Championship.

All 1st and 2nd placed ponies from classes 3, 5,7 & 9 may compete in this Championship.
Ring: Showing Scene Ring Two

Judges

Mr Neil Buffery

Number	Name	Description
CH 2	Andrea Vickery Standard Shetland Junior Championship	All 1st and 2nd placed ponies from classes 3, 5,7 & 9 may compete in this Championship. **:** Andrea Vickery of Stockford Stud

Georgie Piper Miniature Shetland Senior Championship.

All 1st and 2nd placed ponies from classes 10, 12 & 14 may compete in this Championship.
Ring: Showing Scene Ring Two

Judges

Mr Neil Buffery

Number	Name	Description
CH 3	Georgie Piper Miniature Shetland Senior Championship.	All 1st and 2nd placed ponies from classes 10, 12 & 14 may compete in this Championship. **:** Georgie Piper

Lorraine Jayne Standard Shetland Senior Championship.

All 1st and 2nd placed ponies from classes 11,13 & 15 may compete in this Championship.
Ring: Showing Scene Ring Two

Judges

Mr Neil Buffery

Number	Name	Description
CH 4	Lorraine Jayne Standard Shetland Senior Championship	All 1st and 2nd placed ponies from classes 11,13 & 15 may compete in this Championship. **:** Lorraine Jayne

The Shirrford Stud Foal Championship.

First & second place Miniature & Standard foals from classes 8 & 9 may compete in this Championship.
Ring: Showing Scene Ring Two

Judges

Mr Neil Buffery

Number	Name	Description
CH 5	The Shirrford Stud Foal Championship.	First & second place Miniature & Standard foals from classes 8 & 9 may compete in this Championship Elaine Lewis of The Shirrford Stud has kindly presented a Posy bowl for Champion foal. **:** Elaine Lewis of The Shirrford Stud.

Stephanie Laing Overall Miniature Shetland Ring Championship

The Junior, Senior Champions and Reserve Champions may compete for the Overall Ring Championship.
Ring: Showing Scene Ring Two

Judges

Mr Neil Buffery

Number	Name	Description
CH 6	Stephanie Laing Overall Miniature Shetland Ring Championship	The Junior, Senior and Reserve Champions may compete for the Overall Ring Championship. **:** Stephanie Laing.

Team Sylvandene Overall Standard Shetland Ring Championship.

The Junior, Senior Champions and Reserve Champions may compete for the Overall Ring Champion.
Ring: Showing Scene Ring Two

Judges

Mr Neil Buffery

Number	Name	Description
CH 7	Team Sylvandene Overall Standard Shetland Ring Championship.	The Junior, Senior Champions and Reserve Champions may compete for the Overall Ring Champion. **:** Team Sylvandene

Ros Steward Young Handlers Championship

1st and 2nd placed handlers from classes 16 & 17 and the highest placed Young Handler from each class in ring one may compete for the Young Handlers Championship.
Ring: Ring One

Judges

Mrs Rachel Bown

Number	Name	Description
CH 8	Ros Steward Young Handlers Championship	1st and 2nd placed handlers from classes 17, 18 & 19 and the highest placed Young Handler from each class may compete for the Young Handlers Championship. This Young Handler championship is not eligible for the Omega Equine Supreme Championship. **:** Ros Steward

The Shetland Performance Awards Ridden Championship.

All 1st and 2nd placed ponies from classes 18, 19 and 20 may compete for the Ridden Championship.
Ring: Ring One

Judges

Mrs Rachel Bown

Number	Name	Description
CH 9	The Shetland Performance Awards Ridden Championship.	All 1st and 2nd placed ponies from classes 21, 22 and 23 may compete for the Ridden Championship. The Shetland Performance Awards has kindly sponsored this championship and gifted a free entry into the Shetland Performance In-hand Awards 2025 to our Champion and Reserve. **:** The Shetland Performance Awards

Assendons Stud Gelding Championship.

1st and 2nd place ponies from classes 7 & 8 and the highest placed Gelding from each class in ring one may compete in this Gelding Championship.
Ring: Showing Scene Ring Two

Judges

Mr Neil Buffery

Number	Name	Description
CH 10	Assendons Stud Gelding Championship.	1st and 2nd place ponies from classes 11 & 12 and the highest placed Gelding from each class in ring one may compete in this Gelding Championship. **:** Assendons Stud

SSPG Unaffiliated Ridden Championship

All 1st and 2nd placed ponies from classes 19 & 20 may compete in this Championship.
Ring: Ring One

Judges

Mrs Rachel Bown

Number	Name	Description
CH 11	Southern Shetland Pony Group Unaffiliated Ridden Championship.	Championship for the unaffiliated Ridden Classes not eligible for the overall SPSBS Championship or Supreme **:** Southern Shetland Pony Group (SSPG)

Snelsmore Shetland Pony Stud Unaffiliated Junior Championship.

All 1st and 2nd placed junior ponies in all the classes in ring three may complete in this Championship.
Ring: Ring Three

Judges

Mr Martin Surman

Number	Name	Description
CH 12	Snelsmore Shetland Pony Stud Unaffiliated Junior Championship.	All 1st and 2nd placed junior ponies in all the classes in ring three may complete in this Championship. **:** Lotus Glass Design

Wyld Court Stud Unaffiliated Senior Championship.

All ponies 1st and 2nd placed ponies four years and over in ring three may complete in this Championship.
Ring: Ring Three

Judges

Mr Martin Surman

Number	Name	Description
CH 13	Wyld Court Stud Unaffiliated Senior Championship.	All ponies 1st and 2nd placed ponies four years and over in ring three may complete in this Championship. **:** Linda De La Haye of Wyld Court Stud.

Heather Linfield Unaffiliated Gelding Championship.

All 1st or 2nd placed geldings in ring three may compete in this Championship.
Ring: Ring Three

Judges

Mr Martin Surman

Number	Name	Description
CH 14	Heather Linfield Unaffiliated Gelding Championship	All 1st or 2nd placed gelding in ring three may compete in this Championship. **:** Heather Linfield.

Blenheim Stud Unaffiliated Broken Coloured Shetland Championship

All 1st and 2nd place broken coloured ponies from ring three may compete in this championship.
Ring: Ring Three

Judges

Mr Martin Surman

Number	Name	Description
CH 15	The Blenheim Stud Unaffiliated Broken Coloured Shetland Championship	All 1st and 2nd place broken coloured ponies from showing ring three may compete in this championship **:** Blenheim Stud.

Summerleighs Stud Unaffiliated Solid Colour Championship.

All 1st and 2nd placed solid coloured ponies from showing ring three may compete in this championship.
Ring: Ring Three

Judges

Mr Martin Surman

Number	Name	Description
CH 16	Summerleighs Stud Solid Coloured Shetland Championship.	All 1st and 2nd place solid coloured ponies from showing ring three may compete in this championship. **:** Summerleighs Stud

Headon Down Shetland Stud Driving Championship.

1st and 2nd place ponies from classes 30 and 31 may compete in this Driving Championship.
Ring: Ring One

Judges

Mrs Rachel Bown

Number	Name	Description
CH 17	Headon Down Shetlands Driving Championship.	1st and 2nd place ponies from classes 15 & 16 may compete in this Driving Championship. **:** Emma Willson of Headon Down Shetlands

Omega Equine Unaffiliated Supreme Championship.

Junior Champion plus Reserve, Senior Champion plus Reserve, Gelding Champion plus Reserve, Broken Coloured Champion plus Reserve and Driven Champion plus Reserve may compete in this Omega Equine Unaffiliated Supreme Championship in ring two.
Omega Equine has kindly sponsored the Unaffiliated Supreme show Championship.
Ring: Ring Three

Judges

Mr Martin Surman

Number	Name	Description
CH 18	Omega Equine Unaffiliated Supreme Championship	Junior Champion plus Reserve, Senior Champion plus Reserve, Gelding Champion plus Reserve, Broken Coloured Champion plus Reserve, Solid Colour Champion plus Reserve may compete in this Omega Equine Unaffiliated Supreme Championship. **:** Omega Equine.

Omega Equine Affiliated Supreme Championship

Overall Miniature Champion plus Reserve, Overall Standard Champion plus Reserve, Gelding Champion plus Reserve, Ridden Champion plus Reserve, Driven Champion plus Reserve may compete in this Omega Equine Supreme Championship.
Omega Equine has kindly sponsored the Supreme Show Championship.
Ring: Showing Scene Ring Two

Judges

Mrs Rachel Bown
Mr Neil Buffery

Number	Name	Description
CH 19	Omega Equine Affiliated Supreme Championship	Overall Miniature Champion plus Reserve, Overall Standard Champion plus Reserve, Gelding Champion plus Reserve, Ridden Champion plus Reserve Driven Champion plus Reserve may compete in this Omega Equine Supreme Championship. **:** Omega Equine.

Southern Shetland Pony Group 'Best in Show.'

Our Affiliated Supreme and Unaffiliated Supreme ponies may compete in the Southern Shetland pony Group 'Best in Show'
Ring: Ring One

Judges

Mrs Rachel Bown
Mr Neil Buffery

Number	Name	Description
CH 20	Southern Shetland Pony Group 'Best in Show.'	Our Affiliated Supreme and unaffiliated Supreme ponies may compete in the Southern Shetland pony Group 'Best in Show' sponsored by the Rosette shed **:** The Rosette Shed