

The Somerset Horse Show

Family Friendly, Unaffiliated, Open Horse Show. Classes include; Working Hunters, Mountain & Moorland, In-Hand & Mounted Games.
26/05/2024 09:00

Mini Classes

Ring: Ring 1

Judges

Karen Hodge (Judge)

| Number | Name | Description |
|--------|-------------------|---|
| 1 | Leading Rein Pony | Open to ponies of any type aged 4 years or over, mare or gelding. Riders not to have attained their 9th Birthday before 1st January in the current year. Ponies must be led at all times whilst in the ring & should not display any canter work. Pony not to exceed 12.2hh. |
| 2 | First Ridden Pony | Open to ponies of any type aged 4 years or over, mare or gelding. Riders not to have attained their 12th Birthday before 1st January in the current year. Ponies will not be asked to canter as a group but should demonstrate canter in their individual show. Pony not to exceed 14.2hh |
| CH1 | Mini Championship | For 1st and 2nd Prize winners from classes 1 & 2 |

Mountain & Moorland Ridden

Ring: Ring 1

Judges

Karen Hodge (Judge)

| Number | Name | Description |
|--------|------------------------------|--|
| 3 | M&M Small Breeds Open Ridden | Open to mares, geldings & stallions aged 4 or over of any of Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Welsh Section A or Welsh Section B type. Ponies need not to be registered but should be true to type. No Leading Reins. |
| 4 | M&M Large Breeds Open Ridden | Open to mares, geldings & stallions aged 4 or over of any of Connemara, New Forest, Dales, Fell, Highland, Welsh Section C or Welsh Section D type. Ponies need not to be registered but should be true to type. No Leading Reins. |
| 5 | M&M Ridden Lead Rein | Open to ponies of Mountain & Moorland type aged 4 years or over, mare or gelding. Riders not to have attained their 9th Birthday before 1st January in the current year. Ponies must be led at all times whilst in the ring & should not display any canter work. Ponies not to exceed 12.2hh. |
| 6 | M&M First Ridden | Open to ponies of Mountain & Moorland type aged 4 years or over, mare or gelding. Riders not to have attained their 12th Birthday before 1st January in the current year. Ponies will not need to canter as a group but should demonstrate some canter in their individual show. Ponies not to exceed 14.2hh |
| CH2 | M&M Ridden Championship | For 1st and 2nd Prize winners from classes 3 to 6 |

Open Ridden

Ring: Ring 1

Judges

Karen Hodge (Judge)

| Number | Name | Description |
|--------|----------------------------|--|
| 7 | Open Hunter Ridden | Mare or Gelding 4 years old and over, capable of carrying a rider out on a days hunting. |
| 8 | Open Foreign Breeds Ridden | Mare, Gelding or Stallion 4 years old or over. Any breed not native to the UK |
| 9 | Open Pony Ridden | Mare, Gelding or Stallion 4 years old or over, not exceeding 14.2hh. |
| 10 | Open Horse Ridden | Mare, Gelding or Stallion 4 years old and over, exceeding 14.2hh |
| CH3 | Open Ridden Championship | For 1st and 2nd Prize winners from classes 7 to 10 |

Afternoon Ridden Classes

Ring: Ring 1

Judges

Karen Hodge (Judge)

| Number | Name | Description |
|--------|-------------------------------|--|
| 11 | Cob Ridden | Open to cobs of any type aged 4 years or over. |
| 12 | Racehorse Ridden | Open to any horse who has competed in any of the following: a flat race, a hurdle race, a national hunt race or a point-to-point race. |
| 13 | Coloured Ridden Pony | Open to all broken coloured ponies including spotted. Ponies not to exceed 14.2hh. Riders any age. |
| 14 | Coloured Ridden Horse | Open to all broken coloured horses including spotted. Horses must exceed 14.2hh. Riders any age. |
| 15 | Veteran Horse or Pony Ridden | Open to any horse or pony aged 15 years and over. Riders any age. |
| CH4 | Afternoon Ridden Championship | For 1st and 2nd Prize winners from classes 11 to 15 |

In-Hand Youngstock

Ring: Ring 2

Kindly Sponsored By: Witchcraft Shetlands

Judges

Jennie Gregory (Judge)

| Number | Name | Description |
|--------|---------------------------------|---|
| 16 | Open Yearling In-Hand | Open to all ponies and horses born in 2023. |
| 17 | Open 2 Year Old In-Hand | Open to all ponies and horses born in 2022. |
| 18 | Open 3 Year Old In-Hand | Open to all ponies and horses born in 2021. |
| CH5 | Youngstock In-Hand Championship | For 1st and 2nd Prize winners from classes 16 to 18 |

Open In-Hand

Ring: Ring 2

Kindly Sponsored By: Witchcraft Shetlands

Judges

Jennie Gregory (Judge)

| Number | Name | Description |
|--------|--------------------------------|---|
| 19 | Open Horse In-Hand | Open to horses of any type, any age. |
| 21 | Open Foreign Breeds In-Hand | Open to mares, geldings & stallions any age. Any breed not native to the UK. |
| 20 | Open Pony In-Hand | Open to ponies of any type, any age. Must not exceed 14.2hh. |
| 22 | Racehorse In-Hand | Open to any horse who has competed in any of the following: a flat race, a hurdle race, a national hunt race or a point-to-point race. |
| 23 | Coloured Horse or Pony In-Hand | Open to all broken coloured ponies & horses including spotted. Any age, any height. May be split into height categories if entries suffice. |
| 24 | Cob In-Hand | Open to all non-native/native/traditional type cobs. |
| 25 | Veteran Horse or Pony In-Hand | Open to any horse or pony aged 15 years and over. |
| CH6 | Open In-Hand Championship | For 1st and 2nd Prize winners from classes 19 to 21 |

Mountain & Moorland In-Hand

Ring: Ring 2
Kindly Sponsored By: Witchcraft Shetlands

Judges

Jennie Gregory (Judge)

| Number | Name | Description |
|--------|--------------------------|---|
| 26 | Shetland Pony In-Hand | Open to all Standard & Miniature Shetland Ponies. No Spotted ponies or miniature horses allowed. Kindly Sponsored By: Team Tiny Shetlands |
| 27 | M&M In-hand Large Breeds | Open to all ponies of Connemara, New Forest, Highland, Dales, Fell, Welsh Sec C or Welsh Sec D type. |
| 28 | M&M In-Hand Small Breeds | Open to all ponies of Shetland, Exmoor, Dartmoor, Welsh Sec A or Welsh Sec B type. |
| CH7 | M&M In-Hand Championship | For 1st and 2nd Prize winners from classes 26-28 Kindly Sponsored By: Cherhill Shetlands |

Child Handler

Ring: Ring 2
Kindly Sponsored By: Witchcraft Shetlands

Judges

Jennie Gregory (Judge)

| Number | Name | Description |
|--------|-------------------------------------|--|
| 29 | Child Handler 8 years & Under | Open to any child handlers who have not attained their 9th Birthday before 1st January 2024. Hats must be worn. Horses & Ponies of any age and type. No colts or stallions. Kindly Sponsored By: Fire Alarm Consultancy Ltd |
| 30 | Child Handler 9-14 years | Open to any child handlers who have attained their 9th birthday before 1st January 2024 but have not attained their 15th birthday before 1st January 2024. Hats must be worn. Horses & Ponies of any age and type. No colts or stallions. Kindly Sponsored By: Fire Alarm Consultancy Ltd |
| 31 | Child Handler 15-18 years | Open to any child handlers who have attained their 15th birthday before 1st January 2024 but have not attained their 18th birthday before 1st January 2024. Hats must be worn by anyone under 16 years of age. Horses & Ponies of any age and type. No colts or stallions. Kindly Sponsored By: Fire Alarm Consultancy Ltd |
| CH8 | Child Handler Championship | For 1st and 2nd Prize Winners from classes 29 to 31 |

Clear Round Working Hunter

Ring: Ring 3
Kindly Sponsored By: GW Publishing & Event Support

Judges

To Be Confirmed (Judge)

| Number | Name | Description |
|--------|----------------------------------|---|
| 32 | Clear Round Jumping (20-30cm) | Course of rustic fences. Min Height 20cm, Max Height 30cm. Riders any age. Ponies and Horses any height. Lead reins welcome. Rosettes for clear rounds. |
| 33 | Clear Round Jumping (40-50cm) | Course of rustic fences. Min Height 40cm, Max Height 50cm. Riders any age. Ponies and Horses any height. Lead reins welcome. Rosettes for clear rounds. |
| 34 | Clear Round Jumping (60-70cm) | Course of rustic fences. Min Height 60cm, Max Height 70cm. Riders any age. Ponies and Horses any height. Lead reins welcome. Rosettes for clear rounds. |

Working Hunter Pony Classes

Ring: Ring 3
Kindly Sponsored By: GW Publishing & Event Support

Judges

Paul Hooper (Judge)

| Number | Name | Description |
|--------|-------------------------------------|--|
| 35 | Lead Rein Working Hunter Pony | Course of rustic fences. Max Height 20cm. Riders not to have attained their 9th Birthday before 1st January 2024. Ponies not to exceed 14.2hh. Ponies must be led. |
| 36 | Open Working Hunter Pony (40cm) | Course of rustic fences. Max Height 40cm. Riders any age. Ponies not to exceed 14.2hh. No leading reins allowed. |
| 37 | Open Working Hunter Pony (60cm) | Course of rustic fences. Max Height 60cm. Riders any age. Ponies not to exceed 14.2hh. No leading reins allowed. |
| 38 | Open Working Hunter Pony (80cm) | Course of rustic fences. Max Height 80cm. Riders any age. Ponies not to exceed 14.2hh. No leading reins allowed. |
| CH9 | Working Hunter Pony Championship | For 1st and 2nd Prize winners from classes 35 to 40 |

Working Hunter

Ring: Ring 3
Kindly Sponsored By: GW Publishing & Event Support

Judges

Paul Hooper (Judge)

| Number | Name | Description |
|--------|------------------------------|---|
| 39 | Novice Working Hunter (80cm) | Course of rustic fences. Max Height 80cm. Riders any age. Horses any height. Horses not to have won 1st prize in any working hunter class before 1st Jan in the current year. Kindly Sponsored By: Fire Alarm Consultancy Ltd |
| 40 | Open Working Hunter (95cm) | Course of rustic fences. Max Height 95cm. Riders any age. Horses any height. Kindly Sponsored By: Fire Alarm Consultancy Ltd |
| CH10 | Working Hunter Championship | For 1st and 2nd Prize winners from classes 41 to 43 Kindly Sponsored By: Fire Alarm Consultancy Ltd |

Horse & Hound Jumping

Ring: Ring 3
Kindly Sponsored By: GW Publishing & Event Support

Judges

To Be Confirmed (Judge)

| Number | Name | Description |
|--------|--|--|
| 41 | Horse & Hound Jumping 10 years & Under | Rider and pony to complete a course of jumps then dismount and complete a course of jumps running with a dog. The horse, rider and dog with the fastest time wins Horse jumps max height 30cm, dog jumps max height 20cm. Ponies not to exceed 14.2hh. Riders not to have attained their 10th Birthday before 1st January in the current year. |
| 42 | Horse & Hound Jumping Open | Rider and pony to complete a course of jumps then dismount and complete a course of jumps running with a dog. The horse, rider and dog with the fastest time wins Horse jumps max height 40cm, dog jumps max height 20cm. Riders any age, Horses/Ponies any height. |

Morning Novelty Classes

Ring: Ring 4

Judges
Miss Caroline Taylor (Judge)

| Number | Name | Description |
|--------|--|---|
| 43 | Best Turned Out | Horse/ponies any height and any age, Ridden or In-Hand. 1st place goes to the cleanest and most correctly turned-out combination. |
| 44 | Longest Mane & Tail | Horse/ponies any height and any age. Ridden or In-Hand. 1st Prize to the Horse or Pony with the Longest Mane & Tail. |
| 45 | Prettiest Mare | Horse/ponies any height and any age, Ridden or In-Hand. Open to Mares only. |
| 46 | Most Handsome Gelding | Horse/ponies any height and any age, Ridden or In-Hand. Open to Geldings only. |
| 47 | Best Miniature | Open to horses any age under 10.5hh (42"/106cm) in height. Any Youngstock entered must not be expected to exceed 10.5hh in height at maturity. |
| 48 | Best Giant | Open to all Heavy Horses. Any age and type, Ridden or In-Hand. |
| 49 | Best Solid Coloured | Open to all horses/ponies any age, any height of solid colouring (eg: horse's coat must be all one colour and have no patches or spots apart from on their head or legs) Ridden or In-Hand. |
| 50 | Best Thelwell look alike | Horse/ponies any height and any age. To be presented in the style of an official Norman Thelwell cartoon. Ridden or In-Hand |
| 51 | Horse or Pony the Judge would most like to take home | Horse/ponies any height and any age. Ridden or In-Hand |
| 52 | Hairiest Hooves | Horse/ponies any height and any age, Ridden or In-Hand. 1st Place to the pony or horse with the fluffiest feet! |

Afternoon Novelty Classes

Ring: Ring 4

Judges

Miss Caroline Taylor (Judge)

| Number | Name | Description |
|--------|-------------------------------------|---|
| 53 | Best Family Horse/Pony Ridden | Horse/ponies any height and any age. Must be suitable for multiple generations. Ridden. |
| 54 | Best Family Horse/Pony In-hand | Horse/ponies any height and any age. Must be suitable for multiple generations. In-Hand |
| 55 | Best RDA Horse/Pony | Horse/ponies any height and any age that are to be ridden or handled by someone with a registered disability. |
| 56 | Fancy Dress | Horse/ponies any height and any age. Rider/handler and/or pony to be dressed in a costume of their choosing. |
| 57 | Best over 60 Years Handler or Rider | Horse/ponies any height and any age. Rider/Handler to have attained their 60th Birthday. |

Novelty Championship

Novelty Championship

Ring: Ring 4

Judges

Miss Caroline Taylor (Judge)

| Number | Name | Description |
|--------|----------------------|---|
| CH11 | Novelty Championship | For 1st and 2nd Prize winners from classes 47 to 60 |

Overall Ridden Championship

Overall Ridden Championship

Ring: Ring 1

Judges

Karen Hodge (Judge)

| Number | Name | Description |
|--------|-----------------------------|--|
| CH12 | Overall Ridden Championship | For Champions and Reserves from all ridden championships. Kindly Sponsored By: Hannah Cox Physio |

Overall In-Hand Championship

Overall In-Hand Championship
Ring: Ring 2
Kindly Sponsored By: Witchcraft Shetlands

Judges
 Jennie Gregory (Judge)

| Number | Name | Description |
|--------|------------------------------|--|
| CH13 | Overall In-Hand Championship | For Champions and Reserves from all In-Hand Championships Kindly Sponsored By: EVIELOU Spirits |

Overall Working Hunter Championship

Overall Working Hunter Championship
Ring: Ring 3
Kindly Sponsored By: GW Publishing & Event Support

Judges
 Paul Hooper (Judge)

| Number | Name | Description |
|--------|-------------------------------------|---|
| CH14 | Overall Working Hunter Championship | For Champions and Reserves from all Working Hunter & Working Hunter Pony Championships Kindly Sponsored By: Forget Me Not Property Care |

Supreme of Show

Supreme of Show
Ring: Ring 1
 Judges
 Karen Hodge (Judge)
 Miss Caroline Taylor (Judge)
 Jennie Gregory (Judge)
 Paul Hooper (Judge)

| Number | Name | Description |
|--------|-----------------|---|
| CH15 | Supreme of Show | For Champions & Reserves from the following Championships: - Ridden Overall - In-Hand Overall - Working Hunter/Working Hunter Pony Overall Kindly Sponsored By: NFU Mutual Wells |

Mounted Games

Ring: Ring 4
 Judges
 Miss Caroline Taylor (Judge)

| Number | Name | Description |
|--------|-------------------|---|
| G1 | Bending Race | £1 per combination per race, cash only, to be given to the Gymkhana steward before the start of each race. Races suitable for riders and ponies of any age. Ponies 14.2hh and under only. Rosettes to all participants. |
| G2 | Ride & Run Race | £1 per combination per race, cash only, to be given to the Gymkhana steward before the start of each race. Races suitable for riders and ponies of any age. Ponies 14.2hh and under only. Rosettes to all participants. |
| G3 | Cup Race | £1 per combination per race, cash only, to be given to the Gymkhana steward before the start of each race. Races suitable for riders and ponies of any age. Ponies 14.2hh and under only. Rosettes to all participants. |
| G4 | Egg & Spoon Race | £1 per combination per race, cash only, to be given to the Gymkhana steward before the start of each race. Races suitable for riders and ponies of any age. Ponies 14.2hh and under only. Rosettes to all participants. |
| G5 | Flag Race | £1 per combination per race, cash only, to be given to the Gymkhana steward before the start of each race. Races suitable for riders and ponies of any age. Ponies 14.2hh and under only. Rosettes to all participants. |
| G6 | Leading Rein Race | £1 per combination per race, cash only, to be given to the Gymkhana steward before the start of each race. Races suitable for riders and ponies of any age on the leading rein. Ponies 14.2hh and under only. Rosettes to all participants. |