National Pony Society Area 29

Monday 27th May 2024

At

David Broome Event Centre

Mount Ballan Manor, Crick Road, Crick, Chepstow, Monmouthshire NP26 5XP

Qualifiers for:

NPS Supreme Products M&M RIHS WHP Championship The National Welsh Championship Show Ridden & Gelding Championships South West Pony Association Championships Tam O' Shanter qualifier for the BCPS Breed Show

> Affiliated to: National Pony Society (Affiliation No. S29.137) The National Welsh Championship Show South West Pony Association The Shetland Pony Stud Book Society (SPSBS)

Entries Close: 17th May 2024

Entries made between 18th and 23rd will be subject to a supplementary online fee.

ONSITE STABLING AVAILABLE

Entries now taken online @ www.npsarea29.co.uk

No telephone entries accepted

Late entries and entries on the day will be accepted at **double fees** for all classes. RIHS Classes are charged at <u>£60</u> on the day. <u>Cash only</u> when entering on the day.

TIME TABLE

			
Ring 1	Ring 2	Ring 3 In Hand	Ring 4 WHP
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9.30am Picton Classes 1 – 5	9.30am Novice M&M LR / FR Classes 19-20 Open M&M LR/FR Classes 21-22	9.30amSP/SHP Home ProducedClasses 34 - 36SP In HandClasses 37 - 45	8.30am Training Stakes Classes 64 - 67
Dargavel Classes 6-8	M&M Junior Ridden Classes 23-25 M&M & BRP Amateur Ridden Classes 26-27	SHP In Hand Classes 46 - 48 Part Bred Classes 49 - 50	Intermediate WHP Classes 68 - 71
Not before 13.00pm	Not before 13.00pm	Not before 13.00pm	Not before 11.30am
Peasedown /Jess Talbot Classes 9-13	LR & FR SP /SHP Classes 28-29 Novice SP / SHP Classes 30 31 Open SP /SHP Classes 32- 33	Miniature Shetland Classes 51 - 53 Standard Shetland Classes 54 – 57	RI M&M WHP Classes 72 – 75
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<u>Judges</u>

In-hand

NPS / Absorbine Mountain and Moorland In-Hand Mr J Walters, Blackertor Stud, Devon
NPS/ Mole Valley Farmers M&M Home Produced In -Hand Mr J Walters, Blackertor Stud, Devon
NPS /Kalusta Stud BRP (Show Pony) In Hand Mrs H Brock, Bristol
NPS/ Team Charlesworth BRP (Show Hunter Pony) In Hand Mrs H Brock, Bristol
NPSBRP (Show Pony & Show Hunter Pony) Home Produced In Hand Mrs H Brock, Bristol
NPS/The Andrews Family Part-Bred In Hand Mrs H Brock, Bristol
ShetlandsMr J Walters, Blackertor Stud, Devon.

Ridden Classes

NPS / Supreme Products M&M RIHS WHP ...Jumping - Ms F Leadbitter, Thornberry Stud, Glamorgan Conformation – Mrs J Webb, Blackthorn Stud,Somerset

Qualifying Rounds for:

Ridden M&M

- NPS Picton Mountain & Moorland Novice Ridden National Championship
- NPS Peasedown & Jess Talbot Intermediate Ridden National Championship
- NPS Ringside Stud Mountain & Moorland Open Ridden Championship
- NPS Cooper Family M&M Junior Ridden National Championship
- NPS Showing Classics Mountain & Moorland Lead Rein National Championship
- NPS M&M /Partridge & Parr Mountain & Moorland First Ridden National Championship
- NPS Bryndefaid Stud M&M Novice First Ridden National Championship
- NPS The Kings Head Novice Leading Rein National Championship
- NPS M&M and BRP Amateur Ridden National Championship

Ridden Classes

- NPS Rosettes Direct Show Pony / Show Hunter Pony Novice Ridden
- NPS Robertson-Bell Open Ridden Show Pony / Show Hunter Pony
- NPS Show Pony/Show Hunter Pony First Ridden National Championship
- NPS Show Pony and Show Hunter Pony leading Rein National Championship

WHP

- NPS Simons Family & Marbeth Stud Training Stakes
- NPS M&M Novice WHP National Championship
- NPS Area 5 M&M Intermediate Working Hunter Pony National Championship
- NPS Supreme Products M&M WHP Royal International Horse Show Championship

In-Hand

- NPS Kalusta Stud British Riding Pony In Hand Supreme National Championship
- NPS Team Charlesworth BRP Show Hunter Pony In Hand National Championship
- NPS Area 20 British Riding Pony SP In Hand Silver Medal Rosette Championship
- NPS Area 4 British Riding Pony SHP In Hand Silver Medal Rosette Championship
- NPS BRP (SP and SHP) Home Produced In Hand National Championship
- NPS Absorbine M & M In Hand Summer Championship
- NPS Mole Valley Farmers M & M Home Produced In Hand National Championship
- NPS The Andrews Family Part Bred In Hand Championship
- NPS Blackertor & Sharptor Studs M&M In Hand Silver Medal Rosette

This Show offers qualification for

THE NATIONAL WELSH CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW.

11th August 2024, Three Counties Showground, Malvern.

See Sections relevant to Welsh/Part Bred (In Hand & Ridden) for qualification details. Qualifiers will be directly contacted after this show with details of qualification and entry details.

For Show Details and Schedule see our Facebook page or nationalwelshshow.co.uk

Acknowledgments

NPS Area 29 would like to thank Mrs June Duffy (Judge's Hospitality) and NPS Area 29's committee members, stewards and sponsors.

NPS GENERAL RULES -

All NPS affiliated classes are judged under NPS rules. Qualifying rounds for most NPS competitions are open to ponies owned by non-members, but only ponies owned by adult Qualifying or Life NPS members are eligible to qualify for the final of the competition.

The highest placed pony owned by a NPS members in each class go forward to the final. Qualification may go no further then 3rd Place.

Silver Medal Rosettes can only be won by ponies owned by NPS Qualifying or Life Members.

NPS Qualifying Rounds:

NPS Qualifying Rounds: These classes are judged under the Rules of the NPS. Ponies must be registered in any of the British Riding Pony studbook sections or the Ridden Register; the GSB; the AHSB; the AASB or registered in the main body of their respective M&M Stud Book. Part Breds are not eligible unless over stamped into one of the British Riding Pony studbook sections. or the Ridden Register. Qualifying rounds for most NPS competitions are open to ponies owned by NPS members and 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 from 6th – 8th August 2024. The highest placed pony, if owned by an NPS member, in each class will qualify for the final. Qualification may pass down to third place if the first and second ponies are already qualified. NPS/Corscaron Horse Essentials Home Produced Ridden Championship - Riders of Home Produced ponies (see definition in the NPS Rules Book) can wear a white arm band in classes where this is indicated. These ponies, if owned by NPS members, are then eligible to qualify for the final at the NPS Summer Championship Show. The Owner's Membership cards MUST be produced in the ring when requested or the qualification will be forfeit.

NPS Silver Medal Rosette Championships

NPS Silver Medal Rosette Championships: These classes are judged under the Rules of the NPS. NPS Silver Medal Rosettes are only awarded when the owner of the champion pony is a Qualifying or Life member of the NPS. A valid membership card must be in the rider's/handler's possession on entering the ring and be produced immediately on request by either the judge or the steward. If the owner of the Champion pony is not a member, or the owner's membership card is not immediately produced, the rosette may be awarded to the Reserve Champion provided they have the required membership card. If the Champion pony has previously qualified it is still entitled to the Silver Medal Rosette, but the qualification card goes to the Reserve Champion pony, provided the owner of that pony is a member of the NPS. The Silver Medal Rosette and the qualification card can be awarded no lower than first Reserve (third). Foals are not eligible for Silver Medal Championships. Qualifiers are entitled to compete in the final of the Silver Medal Rosette Championship to be held at the NPS Summer Championship Show 6th – 8th August 2024.

This show is a qualifier for the South West Pony Association Championships to be held on 29 – 31 August 2024 at The David Broome Event Centre, Chepstow NP26 5XP

To qualify for the Championships:

SWPA Members : Enter one of the qualifying classes. Be either first or second in the class, and get your card signed. Take a picture of the card and upload via <u>www.showingscene.com</u>

Non-SWPA Members : Enter one of the qualifying classes. Register online at <u>www.showingscene.com</u> **within 14 days** of qualification Send an Email to <u>RichardatSWPA@aol.com</u> advising of the show you attended, the class entered, and the position gained. You will be sent Qualifying Cards for the Horses / Ponies registered.

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

Ring 1: Commencing at 9:30am

The NPS/ Picton Stud Mountain & Moorland Novice Ridden National Championship

To be run under National Pony Society Rules 2024

- Judge: Mr J Walters, Blackertor Stud, Devon
- Class 1 Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland,
- Class 2 Welsh A, Welsh B,
- Class 3 New Forest, Connemara
- Class 4 Fell, Highland, Dales
- Class 5 Welsh C, Welsh D

Championship for first and second prize winners in classes 1-5

The NPS Dargavel M&M Young Ridden Pony National Championship

Open to pure bred registered M&M stallions, mares and geldings four, five or six years old. To be run under National Pony Society Rules 2024.

Judge: Mr J Walters, Blackertor Stud, Devon Class 6 All mountain & moorland breeds – 4 years old Class 7 All mountain & moorland breeds – 5 years old Class 8 All mountain & moorland breeds – 6 years old

Championship for first and second prize winners in classes 6 -8

Not before 1.00pm

The NPS/ Peasedown Stud & Jess Talbot M&M Intermediate Ridden National Championship To be run under National Pony Society Rules 2024

Judge: Miss J Newbery, Newoak Stud, Devon

- Class 9 Welsh C, Welsh D
- Class 10 Fell, Highland, Dales
- Class 11 New Forest, Connemara
- Class 12 Welsh A, Welsh B
- Class 13 Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland

Championship for first and second prize winners in classes 9 - 13

The NPS/Ringside Stud M & M Open Ridden National Championship

To be run under National Pony Society Rules 2024

Judges: Miss J Newbery, Newoak Stud, Devon

- Class 14 Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland
- Class 15 Welsh A, Welsh B
- Class 16 Dales, Fell, Highland
- Class 17 New Forest and Connemara
- Class 18 Welsh C, Welsh D

Championship for the first and second prize winners in classes 14 -18

The Champion & Reserve will qualify for the **NPS/ASSENDONS Area Final Freestyle to Music**. The owner does not have to be an NPS Member for the pony to enter this competition or to qualify but the owner must be a Qualifying or Life Member of the NPS to enter the Final.

This Section is a qualifier for **The National Welsh Championship Show 2024- National Ridden Welsh Breeds Championships** sponsored by The Brynseion Stud. All 1st & 2nd placed WPCS registered Welsh exhibits in relevant classes (not already qualified) qualify to enter their respective National Championship classes.

Ring 2: Commencing at 9:30am

NPS Lead Rein and First Ridden Classes

The NPS M&M Novice Leading Rein National Championship Kindly Sponsored by The Kings Head

Judge: Miss J Newbery, Newoak Stud, Devon

Class 19 Mares and geldings four years old and over not exceeding 122cms, registered in the main body of the following Breed Society stud books: Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, New Forest, Welsh A and Welsh B. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday but must not have attained their 9th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Ponies never to have won a first prize of £10 or more in any M&M Leading Rein classes or qualified for the NPS/ Showing Classics M&M Leading Rein final before 1st January in current year. To be shown in a snaffle bit.

The NPS/BRYNDEFAID STUD M&M Novice First Ridden National Championship

Judge: Miss J Newbery, Newoak Stud, Devon

Class 20 Mares and geldings four years old and over not exceeding 128cms, registered in the main body of the following Breed Society stud books: Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, New Forest, Welsh A and Welsh B. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday but not reached their 12th birthday before the 1st January in the current year. Ponies never to have won a first prize of £10 in First Ridden classes or qualified for the NPS/ Partridge & Parr M&M First Ridden Final before 1st January in current year.

The NPS /SHOWING CLASSICS M&M Leading Rein National Championship

Judge: Miss J Newbery, Newoak Stud, Devon

Class 21 Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, New Forest, Welsh Section A or B mares and geldings four years old or over not exceeding 122cm. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday but must not have attained their 9th birthday before the 1st January in the current year. To be shown in a snaffle bit. NPS/Corscaron Horse Essentials Home Produced Ridden Championship – wear white arm bands.

The NPS/ PARTRIDGE & PARR M& M First Ridden National Championship

Judge: Miss J Newbery, Newoak Stud, Devon

Class 22 Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, New Forest, Welsh Section A or B mares and geldings four years or over not exceeding 128cms. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday but not reached their 12th birthday before the 1st January in the current year. NPS/ Corscaron Horse Essentials Home Produced Ridden Championship – wear white armbands

Overall Mini Championship for the first and second prize winners in classes 19 – 22

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

Judge: Miss J Newbery, Newoak Stud, Devon

- Class 23 Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Welsh Section A, Welsh Section B mares and geldings four years old and over. Riders must not have attained their 14th birthday before the 1st January in the current year
- Class 24 Dales, Fell, Highland, New Forest, Connemara and Welsh Section C mares and geldings four years old and over, not exceeding 138 cm. Riders must not have attained their 18th birthday before 1st January in the current year
- Class 25 Open to registered Dales, Fell, Highland, New Forest, Connemara and Welsh Section D, mares and geldings four years old and over, exceeding 138 cm but not exceeding 148cms (except for Welsh Section D and Dales). Riders must not have attained their 18th birthday before 1st January in the current year

Championship for first and second prize winners in classes 23-25

NPS M&M and Plaited Amateur Ridden National Championship

Stallions, mares and geldings four years old and over registered in any of the NPS British Riding Pony studbook sections or the Ridden Register; the GSB; the AHSB; the AASB, or registered in the main body of their respective M&M Stud Book. Part breds are not eligible unless over stamped into one of the British Riding Pony studbook sections or the Ridden Register. Rider any age, except stallions. Please see Section L on the NPS rule book for the definition of Amateur Status.

Judge: Miss J Newbery, Newoak Stud, DevonClass 26Ponies not exceeding 138cmsClass 27Ponies exceeding 138cms but not exceeding 153cmsChampionship for the first and second prize winners in classes 26-27

Not before 1.00pm

The NPS/SHOW Pony/Show hunter Pony Leading Rein National Championship

To be run under NPS Rules 2024

Judge: Mrs H Brock, Bristol

Class 28 - Open to registered mares and geldings 4 years old and over, not exceeding 122 cm. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday but must not have attained their 8th birthday before the 1st January in the current year. Ponies must be shown in a snaffle bit. The owner does not have to be an NPS member for the pony to enter this competition or to qualify but the owner must be a Qualifying or Life member of the NPS to enter the final.

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

To be run under NPS Rules 2024

Judge: Mrs H Brock, Bristol

Class 29 - Open to registered mares and geldings 4 years old and over, not exceeding 122cm. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday but must not have attained their 10th birthday before the 1st January in the current year. The owner does not have to be an NPS member for the pony to enter this competition or to qualify but the owner must be a Qualifying or Life member of the NPS to enter the final. Ponies must be shown in any suitable bridle.

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

To be run under NPS Rules 2024

Rider to be suitable size for pony. Riders must be 12 years old or over when riding stallions not exceeding 128cm and 14 years old or over when riding stallions exceeding 128cms. The owner does not have to be an NPS member for the pony to enter this competition or to qualify but the owner must be a Qualifying or Life member of the NPS to enter the final.

Judge: Mrs H Brock, Bristol

Class 30 Ponies not exceeding 138cms Class 31 Ponies exceeding 138cms but not exceeding 158cms

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

Championship

To be run under NPS Rules 2024

Rider to be suitable size for pony. Riders must be 12 years old or over when riding stallions not exceeding 128cm and 14 years old or over when riding stallions exceeding 128cms. The owner does not have to be an NPS member for the pony to enter this competition or to qualify but the owner must be a Qualifying or Life member of the NPS to enter the final.

Judge: Mrs H Brock, Bristol

Class 32 Ponies not exceeding 138cms

Class 33 Ponies exceeding 138cms but not exceeding 158cms

Championship for the first and second prize winners in classes 28-33

The Champion & Reserve will qualify for the NPS/ASSENDONS Area Final Freestyle to Music.

The owner does not have to be an NPS Member for the pony to enter this competition or to gualify but the owner must be a Qualifying or Life Member of the NPS to enter the Final.

Ring 3: Commencing at 9:30am

The NPS Home Produced British Riding Pony (Show Pony and Show Hunter Pony) National Championship

Open to registered Show Ponies not to exceed 148cm at maturity or Show Hunter Ponies not to exceed 153cm at maturity, which are either stabled at home or in a DIY yard and which since 1st January in the current year have not been shown by a producer or stabled in a producer's yard other than on a DIY basis or at stud. Ponies shown in these classes must be produced and shown by the owner/ spouse, or his/her immediate family, who does not derive income from working with ponies or horses. The owner does not have to be an NPS member for the pony to enter this competition but only ponies owned by NPS Qualifying or Life Members can qualify for the Final. **Please enter this class in the spirit it is intended. Competitors who contravene the above will be disqualified.**

Judge: Mrs H Brock, Bristol

- Class 34 Yearling colt, filly or gelding not to exceed 148cm (SP) or 153cm (SHP) at maturity.
- Class 35 Two or three year old colt, filly or gelding not to exceed 148cm (SP) or 153cm (SHP) at maturity.
- Class 36 Four years old or over, stallion, mare or gelding not to exceed 148cm (SP) or 153cm (SHP) at maturity.

The highest placed pony, owned by an NPS member, in each class goes forward to the final. Where this pony has already qualified the pony standing next in line, which is owned by an NPS member and has not already qualified, receives the qualification. Qualification goes no lower than third place. Winning ponies are eligible for the relevant Silver Medal Championship at this show.

Home Produced Championship for first and second prize winners in classes 34 - 36

The NPS/Kalusta Stud Show Pony In-Hand Supreme National Championship

Youngstock, stallions, mares and geldings not to exceed 148cms at maturity, registered in the NPS British Riding Pony Stud Book, Register, Appendix, International or Sports Pony section of the BRPSB; the GSB, the AHSB, the AASB or registered in the main body of their respective Mountain & Moorland stud books. Part-Breds are not eligible unless entered in the NPS British Riding Pony Stud Book, Register, Appendix, International or Sports Pony section of the BRPSB.

Judge: Mrs H Brock, Bristol

- Class 37 Yearling colt, filly or gelding not to exceed 128cms at maturity
- Class 38 2 or 3 year old colt, filly or gelding not to exceed 128cms at maturity
- Class 39 Yearling colt, filly or gelding to exceed 138cms at maturity.
- Class 40 2 or 3 year old colt, filly or gelding not to exceed 138cms at maturity
- Class 41 Yearling colt, filly or gelding to exceed 148cms at maturity
- Class 42 2 or 3 year old colt, filly or gelding to exceed 148cms at maturity
- Class 43 Brood mare 4 years old or over, in foal for the current year or with foal at foot
- Class 44 Stallion 4 years old or over
- Class 45 Barren mare or gelding 4 years old or over

British Riding Pony (SP) In Hand Championship for first and second prize winners in classes 37 - 45

Ponies eligible for the Championship final at the NPS Summer Championship Show are the first placed ponies from each class, if owned by an NPS member. Qualification may pass down to third.

NPS/ Area 20 British Riding Pony Show Pony 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 Show Pony In Hand section. Membership cards must be shown in the ring to receive the silver medal and/or qualification.

NPS British Riding Pony (Show Pony) Champions Prelim Round Qualifier for the Great British In Hand Show – 7th September 2024, Bury Farm

This Section is a qualifier for **The National Welsh Championship Show 2024 - National WPBR In-Hand Championships** sponsored by Greenlands Insurance Services Ltd. All 1st & 2nd placed WPCS registered Welsh Part Bred exhibits in relevant classes (not already qualified) qualify to enter.

This Section is a qualifier for **The National Welsh Championship Show 2024 - National Gelding In-Hand Championship** sponsored by Sarum Investments Ltd. All 1st & 2nd placed WPCS registered WPBR geldings in all relevant classes (not already qualified) qualify to enter. Unregistered qualifiers with 12.5% Welsh blood may retrospectively register with WPCS prior to entry.

NPS/Team Charlesworth Show Hunter Pony In Hand National Championship

Judge: Mrs H Brock, Bristol

Class 46Yearling colt, filly or gelding not to exceed 153cm at maturity.Class 47Two or three year old colt filly or gelding not to exceed 153cm at maturity.Class 48Stallion, mare or gelding, four years or over not to exceed 153cm at maturity.

Show Hunter Pony Breeding In Hand Championship for first and second prize winners in classes 46 – 48

Ponies eligible for the Championship final at the NPS Summer Championship Show are the first placed ponies from each class, if owned by an NPS members. Qualification may pass down to third.

NPS/ Area 4 British Riding Pony Show Hunter Pony 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 Show Hunter Pony In Hand section. NPS British Riding Pony (Show Pony) Champions Prelim Round Qualifier for the Great British In Hand Show – 7th September 2024, Bury Farm

This Section is a qualifier for **The National Welsh Championship Show 2024 - National Welsh or WPBR In-Hand Championships** sponsored by Greenlands Insurance Services Ltd. All 1st & 2nd placed WPCS registered Welsh Part Bred exhibits in relevant classes (not already qualified) qualify to enter.

This Section is a qualifier for **The National Welsh Championship Show 2024 - National Gelding In-Hand Championship** sponsored by Sarum Investments Ltd. All 1st & 2nd placed WPCS registered WPBR geldings in all relevant classes (not already qualified) qualify to enter. Unregistered qualifiers with 12.5% Welsh blood may retrospectively register with WPCS prior to entry.

The NPS/The Andrews Family Part Bred In Hand National Championship

To be run under NPS Rules 2024

Judge: Mrs H Brock , Bristol

- Class 49 Part Bred Arab. Horse/pony to be registered in the part bred or Anglo Arab section of the Arab Horse Society with a minimum of 12.5% Arab blood. Any age, excluding foals.
- Class 50 Part Bred M&M. Horse/pony to be registered in the part bred section of one of the M&M studbooks with a minimum of 12.5% of that breed blood. Any age, excluding foals.

This Section is a qualifier for **The National Welsh Championship Show 2024** - *National WPBR In-Hand Championships* sponsored by Greenlands Insurance Services Ltd. All 1st & 2nd placed WPCS registered Welsh Part Bred exhibits in relevant classes (not already qualified) qualify to enter.

This Section is a qualifier for **The National Welsh Championship Show 2024 - National Gelding In-Hand Championship** sponsored by Sarum Investments Ltd. All 1st & 2nd placed WPCS registered WPBR geldings in all relevant classes (not already qualified) qualify to enter. Unregistered qualifiers with 12.5% Welsh blood may retrospectively register with WPCS prior to entry.

Championship - first and second prize winners from classes 49 to 50 to compete for the part Bred Championship

Not before 13.00pm

Miniature Shetland In Hand Classes

Please note the following breed society Rules:

- 1. Classes must be confined to SPS-BS registered ponies. Ponies must be named on the entry form and in the catalogue if one is produced. Society rosettes must only be given to ponies registered with the Society or to foals eligible for registration.
- 2. Three-year-old fillies with foals at foot may not be shown. All foals must be a minimum of three weeks old on the day of the Show.
- 3. TO ENTER A STALLION IN ANY CLASS (IN -HAND OR PERFORMANCE) AT AN AFFILIATED SHOW, ENTIRE MALES AGED 4 YEARS OLD AND OVER MUST HAVE AN "S" NUMBER AND HAVE BEEN SUCCESSFULLY THROUGH EITHER THE SPS-BS STALLION ASSESSMENT PRIOR TO 2006 OR THE CURRENT SPSBS VOLUNTARY VETERINARY EXAMINATION. Ridden stallions MUST display a stallion bridle badge. In hand colts / stallions of 2 years and over must be bitted and are advised to display a stallion bridle badge which are available to purchase from the SPSBB
- 4. There must be no colts or entire males in Young Handlers classes. Children under 14 years old may not show colts (excluding foals) or entire males in In-hand classes. Children under 12 years old on the day of the show may not show entire males in ridden classes. In the interests of safety, hard hats of the current safety standard must be worn by all handlers aged 14 years or under in In-hand classes. Exhibitors should not kneel but remain standing while in the ring. Hard hats must be worn by all exhibitors, irrespective of age, in ridden classes. Ridden and driven ponies must be 4 years old or over. In ridden classes, if a rider falls off at any time whilst in the ring, both pony and rider must leave the ring, rider dismounted, and take no further part.

Judge: Mr Julian Walters, Blackertor Stud

- Class 51 Miniature yearling, colt, filly or gelding
- Class 52 Miniature 2 or 3 year old colt, filly or gelding
- Class 53 Miniature 4 years and over, Mare, stallion or gelding

Championship for the first and second prize winners in classes 51 - 53

- Class 54 Standard yearling, colt, filly or gelding
- Class 55 Standard 2 or 3 year old colt, filly or gelding
- Class 56 Standard 4 years and over, Mare, stallion or gelding
- Class 57 Standard Open In hand coloured any age

Championship for the first and second prize winners in classes 54 - 57

The NPS/ ABSORBINE M&M In Hand Summer Championship

Judge: Mr Julian Walters, Blackertor Stud

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

- Class 58 All Mountain and Moorland (excluding Welsh) Small breeds, Stallions Mares and Geldings Any Age.
- Class 59 All Mountain and Moorland (excluding Welsh) Large breeds, Stallions Mares and Geldings Any Age.
- Class 60 All Mountain and Moorland Welsh Small breeds, Stallions Mares and Geldings Any Age.
- Class 61 All Mountain and Moorland Welsh Large breeds, Stallions Mares and Geldings Any Age.

Judge: Mr Julian Walters, Blackertor Stud

The NPS / Mole Valley Farmers M&M Home Produced In Hand National Championship

Please enter this class in the spirit it is intended. Competitors who contravene the above will be disqualified.

Class 62 All Mountain and Moorland Small breeds, Stallions Mares and Geldings Any Age. Class 63 All Mountain and Moorland Large breeds, Stallions Mares and Geldings Any Age.

Mountain and Moorland In Hand Championship for first and second prize winners in classes 58 – 63

NPS/ Blackertor & Sharptor 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.

NPS M&M Champions Prelim Round Semi-Final Championship Qualifier for the Great British In Hand Show – 2nd September 2024, Bury Farm

Ring 5: 8.30AM

The NPS/The Simons Family/Marbeth Stud Working Hunter Pony Training Stakes Summer National Championship (Open to M&M and Plaited)

Judges: Mrs J M Cooper, Rivervalley Stud, Dorest

Open to mares, geldings and stallions four year old and over, in possession of an equine passport but no specific registration or breed society criteria. Plaited ponies to a maximum of 153cms. Riders may only ride one pony in each class. Rider any age except stallions (see NPS rules.)

- Class 64 Height of fences 45 cms to 55 cms
- Class 65 Height of fences 55 cms to 70 cms
- Class 66 Height of fences 70 cms to 85 cms
- Class 67 Height of fences 85 cms to 100 cms

Championship for the first and second 68prize winners in classes 64 - 67

The NPS / Area 5 M&M Intermediate Working Hunter Pony National Championship

Judges: Jumping – Mrs J M Cooper, Rivervalley Stud, Dorest Conformation – Mrs C Fletcher, Carlingford Stud, Monmouthshire

Open to registered pure bred M&M stallions, mares and geldings, five years old or over. Ponies never to have qualified for the NPS M&M Working Hunter Pony (Horse of the Year Show/RIHS) finals before 1st January in the current year. Riders may only ride one pony in each class.

- Class 68 Ponies not exceeding 122 cms
- Class 69 Ponies exceeding 122 cms but not exceeding 133 cms
- Class 70 Ponies exceeding 133 cms but not exceeding 143 cms
- Class 71 Ponies exceeding 143 cms (with the exception of Welsh Section D and Dales for which there is no height restriction).

Championship for first and second prize winners in classes 68 - 71

Not Before 11.30am

The NPS/ Supreme Products M&M Working Hunter Pony Royal International Horse Show Championship

Judges: Jumping - Ms F Leadbitter, Thornberry Stud, Glamorgan Conformation – Mrs J Webb, Blackthorn Stud, Somerset

Open to pure bred registered M&M stallions, mares and geldings, five years old or over. The owner must be a Qualifying or Life member of the NPS for the pony to enter this competition. Riders may only ride one pony in each class. The highest placed pony from each class to qualify for the Final at Hickstead. Qualification may pass down to third in the event first and second have already qualified. At the Final riders must also be NPS members.

Class 72Ponies not exceeding 122 cmsClass 73Ponies exceeding 122cms but not exceeding 133 cmsClass 74Ponies exceeding 133 cms but not exceeding 143 cmsClass 75Ponies exceeding 143 cms (with the exception of Welsh Section D and Dales for which there is no height restriction)

Championship for the first and second prize winners in classes 72 - 75

The NPS / M&M Novice Working Hunter Pony National Championship

Judges: Jumping - Mrs J Webb, Blackthorn Stud, Somerset Conformation - Ms F Leadbitter, Thornberry Stud, Glamorgan

Open to registered pure bred M&M stallions, mares and geldings, four years old or over. Riders may only ride one pony in each class. Ponies must be shown in a snaffle bit. A pony is not eligible to compete if, before 1st January in the current year, it has done any of the following: i) Won an open NPS affiliated WHP class

ii) Won a class at an WHP (Horse of the Year Show or RIHS) qualifying round

iii) Qualified for the NPS M&M Novice or Intermediate WHP final at the NPS Summer Championship show

iv) Qualified for an WHP final at Horse of the Year Show or RIHS in previous years or in the current year

Class 76 Ponies not exceeding 122 cms

Class 77 Ponies exceeding 122 cms but not exceeding 133 cms

Class 78 Ponies exceeding 133 cms but not exceeding 143 cms

Class 79 Ponies exceeding 143 cms (with the exception of Welsh Section D and Dales for which there is no height restriction).

Championship for the first and second prize winners in 76 - 79



GENERAL RULES

- 1. The Committee will not be held responsible for any accident arising from any cause connected with this show and it will be a condition of entry that each exhibitor shall hold the Committee blameless and indemnify them from all legal proceedings.
- 2. The decision of the judges and Committee is final.
- 3. The Committee reserves the right to cancel any classes with less than 3 entries or to amalgamate classes if insufficient entries are received.
- 4. In the event of the need for a referee judge that judge's decision will be taken as final.
- 5. If a pony exceeds the height limit on the day it may be transferred to another class at the discretion of the judge or Committee.
- 6. Whips / canes in any class must not exceed 75cm (30"). If misused, in the opinion of the judge, an exhibitor may be sent out of the ring and may also be reported to the NPS Disciplinary Committee.
- 7. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to be ready for the start of their class, and to fully know and abide by the rules for the class they are entering.
- 8. No ponies are to be plaited in Mountain & Moorland classes.
- 9. No spurs are to be worn in ridden classes.
- 10. All stallions and colts two years and over must be adequately bitted.
- 11. All stallions and colts two years and over must hold a current stallion licence, unless otherwise governed by their individual Breed Society.
- 12. Handlers of stallions and colts must have attained their 14th Birthday before 1st January of the current year.
- 13. All ponies exhibited in the Mountain & Moorland classes must be registered with their appropriate Breed Society and entered in the name under which they have been registered.
- 14. Riders of small breeds stallions (Shetland, Dartmoor, Exmoor, Welsh Sections A & B) must have attained their 12th birthday before 1st January of the current year. Riders of large breeds stallions (Highland, Dales, Fell, New Forest, Connemara, Welsh Sections C & D) must have attained their 14th birthday by 1st January of the current year.
- 15. All ridden Mountain & Moorland ponies must be four years or over.
- 16. In NPS affiliated classes all foals must be at least four weeks old on the day of the show and must accompany their dam into the ring and be led alongside the mare as much as possible.
- 17. All dogs should be kept on leads while on the showground.
- 18. EXHIBITORS SHOULD ENSURE THAT THEY ARE ADEQUATELY COVERED BY THIRD PARTY INSURANCE.
- 19. Handlers of ponies in in-hand classes aged 14 years and under must wear correctly secured current British Standard skull caps / riding hats.
- 20. All NPS and BSPS affiliated classes will be run in accordance with current NPS and BSPS rules.

Directions To Showground - David Broome Event Centre, Chepstow NP26 5XP

From the West Country or M4 westbound

- Leave M4 at Jct 21 (M48, signposted Chepstow and services)
- Cross the old Severn Bridge and immediately after bridge exit M48 Jct 2 (signposted Chepstow)
- At roundabout take 3rd exit on to A466
- At Highbeech Roundabout take 1st exit on to A48 Caerwent, passing St Pierre Golf Club after 1 mile
- At Parkwall Roundabout take 2nd exit and proceed downhill under bridge
- Turn left into Crick Road to show (NPS signs).

From Wales or M4 eastbound

- Exit M4 at Jct 24, or if travelling down M50 from M5, where A449 meets M4
- At roundabout take exit to A48 (signposted Langstone).
- Proceed approx. 8 miles along A48 through Langstone, Penhow and Caerwent.
- Pass under railway bridge and at Crick Road turn right towards showground (NPS signs).

Follow show signs to lorry / car park.

Please use the correct entrance - Parking can be limited if we have a busy day, so please park in designated areas only and respect the wishes of the officials who park you – and be courteous to other exhibitors.

ENTRY FEES & PRIZE MONEY

Prize money will be awarded in Classes 72 - 75 only

Prize money **must be collected on the day** of the show – it will not be forwarded after the date.

Entry Fees

Classes	1 – 33	£15.00
Classes	34 – 63	£12.00
Classes	64 - 71	£15.00
Classes	72 - 75	£35.00
Classes	76 - 79	£15.00

All RIHS Classes £35 (includes RIHS Levy) <u>£60 on the day</u> The correct entry fee must accompany all entries and the appropriate cheque guarantee number **must** be written on the back of all cheques. Cheques should be made payable to NPS Area 29.

- No telephone entries will be accepted.
- All entry fees are exclusive of First Aid
- Entries between 18th and 23rd May will be subject to a £5 supplementary fee
- Entries on the day will be accepted at **double** fees.
- Cash only entries on the day
- Closing date for entries postal /on line only: 17th May 2024
- Numbers will be available at the secretary's box on the day of the show
- Stabling cost is £45 per night (NO Hay or Straw Provided, please supply your own)

Please send entries to: 9 Orchard Close, Marshfield, Cardiff CF32UA

Tel no. 07583600459 for general enquiries only please (no telephone entries taken)

Thank you for supporting the NPS Area 29 show. We hope you have an enjoyable day and return next year.

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