

Northern Counties Pony Association
Notts/Lincs Branch Registered charity 264794



EASTER SPRING SHOW
Sunday 5th April 2026
to be held on

The Lincolnshire Showground, Grange-De-Lings, Lincoln LN2 2NA

Affiliated and Unaffiliated IN HAND & RIDDEN CLASSES
2026 R.I.H.S QUALIFIERS for Ridden & Working Hunters
Amateur & Open Hack, Cob & Riding Horse.

Including

B.S.P.S AREA 4B WINTER SHOW
AREA 12 SIDE SADDLE SPRING SHOW
British Driving Society Affiliated CLASSES
NEW FOR 2026

TATTERSHALLS ROR CHALLENGE QUALIFIER
Lincolnshire & East Midlands Connemara Group Classes

All enquiries to:

Sandra Moncaster 07974 568992 (NO TEXT MESSAGES PLEASE)

ALL HORSEBOXES & NCPA VEHICLES MUST ENTER
THE SHOW GROUND THROUGH GATE 4
A1500 Horncastle Lane

What Three Words # bandwagon.alongside.relations.

On-Site Stabling available please book through the Showing Scene website
www.showingscene.com and follow the link to the NCPA Show.

THE SHOW GROUND GATES WILL NOT OPEN BEFORE 7.00 AM

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Only Horses and Ponies which are entered in a class may be ridden or led on the showground. Anyone who is seen to be riding or leading a horse or pony that is not entered in a class will be asked to leave the showground IMMEDIATELY.

ALL INSURANCE IS INVALID IF THIS RULE IS BROKEN AND MAY RESULT IN THE SHOW BEING CLOSED DOWN

EQUINE FLU

ALL HORSE & PONIES MUST HAVE A VALID UP TO DATE YEARLY EQUINE INFLUENZA CERTIFICATE AND PASSPORTS MUST BE CARRIED WITH THE CORRECT HORSE OR PONY BY LAW.

RANDOM PASSPORT INSPECTION WILL BE TAKING PLACE

ENTRY FEES

Pre- Entries:

R.I.H.S Classes (including £12.00 R.I.H.S levy) £45.00

All other classes:

NCPA members: £10.00

Non-members : £15.00

Entries on the Day:

R.I.H.S Classes (including £12.00 R.I.H.S levy) £55.00

ALL Other Classes, members and non -members: £20.00

A COMPULSERY £5.00 FIRST AID CHARGE PER COMPETITOR IS REQUIRED

Closing Date for On-Line Entries: Midnight Monday 30th March 2026

ON-LINE ENTRIES THROUGH ENTRYMASTER [http#ncpa-nottslines.lite.events](http://ncpa-nottslines.lite.events)

All back numbers to be collected from the Secretary's office on the day.

NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN

It is the exhibitor's responsibility to ensure that they have entered their classes correctly and are available when classes are commencing.

PRIZE MONEY	R.I.H.S Classes only:	1st £25.00	2nd £10.00	3rd £5.00
	B.D.S Classes	1st £50.00	2nd £25.00	3rd £20.00
	Tattershalls Challenge	1st £20.00	2nd £10.00	3rd £5.00
	Tattershalls Best Veteran	£10.00		

ALL prize money MUST be collected on the day of the show.

N.C.P.A. REGISTER ROSETTES will be awarded to the highest placed N.C.P.A. registered pony in classes 52, 53, 54 & 56 It is a condition of entry that the pony's NCPA registered number is quoted on the entry form. Pink cards to be produced in the ring
Red armband to be worn

NOTTS/LINCS BRANCH MEMBERS must enter the ring wearing a GREEN armband and present their current Membership Card to receive a Members Rosette for the highest placed in each class. Rosettes to be collected from the Secretary's Office on the day

HEALTH & SAFETY The Safety & Security of persons and animals attending this show is of paramount importance to the organisers of this show. Competitors and all those attending the show are reminded of their obligations under Health & Safety legislation to adhere to the safety instructions of stewards and officials at all times and to adhere to written instruction and signs relating to safety, for example; horse walks, and pedestrian areas, for their own safety and the safety of others who may be affected by their acts or omissions to act. All accidents must be reported to the Health & Safety officer, Mark Moncaster, who can be contacted through the Show Secretary's office and the Accident Record must be completed. Neither the NCPA Notts/Lincs Branch Committee, nor any of its Officers, Servants, or Assistants shall be responsible or accountable for any loss, injury or damage to any person, animal, or property, or vehicle in connection with this Show.

We ask that all exhibitors have third party insurance on themselves and their horse/pony before attending or competing at the show.

Competitors must abide by ALL the Society Rules at all times.

Neither the N.C.P.A or any of its officers, assistants or stewards shall in any way be responsible for any loss, injury or damages that may happen to exhibitors or their assistants or other members of the public, or to any animal or property or to any vehicle brought into the Showground or on any premises used in conjunction with the Show, or while entering or leaving the same.

It is necessary all exhibitors carry Public Liability Insurance for an adequate indemnity to protect against their negligence including any injury caused by their animals or property.

SHOW RULES

The organisers of the show have taken reasonable precautions to ensure the Health & Safety of everyone present. For these measures to be effective, everyone must take all reasonable precautions to avoid and prevent accidents occurring and must obey the instructions of the organisers and all the Officials & Stewards.

IT IS THE RULE OF THE LINCOLNSHIRE SHOWGROUND AND THE N.C.P.A is a correctl secured Skull Caps/Riding Hats Nos PAS015 2011, VGI (BS) EN1384 2017, ASTM F1163 2015 and 2023, SNELL E2016 and 2021. **MUST Be worn by competitors, riders and judges at ALL TIMES whilst mounted.** Hats should have a plain cover either, Black, Navy Blue, Brown, Grey or Green. Velvet covers are encouraged. The BSPS encourages members to have their hats tagged through the B.S.P.S scheme or via the Pony Club Scheme.

It is a condition of entry that Exhibitors agree to be bound by the rules herewith under. Any objection must be made in writing with a deposit of £100.00 in cash, (refundable if the objection is upheld), within 30 minutes of the class taking place.

The organising Committee accept no responsibility whatsoever for any loss, injury or damage to any person or their property whilst on the showground, car parks or approaches.

THE N.C.P.A DOES NOT allow anyone to bring their horses or ponies to ride or walk around at the show **WITHOUT** entering a class due to the N.C.P.A Public liability **INSURANCE Ruling.** Anyone found to be breaking this rule will be asked to leave the showground immediately.

Entry fees will not be refunded and it is the responsibility of the exhibitor to ensure that their entry is correct, eligible and available when called for their class. Exhibitors must take into consideration that classes may clash. If this occurs, they must nominate which class they wish to compete in. No classes will be held up for any competitor.

Entries for affiliated classes will also be bound by the Rules and Conditions in force at the time of showing, applicable to that Association and the class in which they are exhibiting. It is deemed by the organising Committee that exhibitors are conversant with any such rules, conditions or directives.

The organising Committee reserve the right to amalgamate or split classes and alter or amend the running order of classes. In the event of a show being cancelled, entry fees, less a £10.00 deduction for administration charges, will be refunded.

The Committee reserves the right to expel any animal from the ring which in their opinion is not deemed to be fit or under sufficient control.

Horses/ponies which have been bred, sold, leased or produced by the Judge, his/her immediate family or employer are not eligible for that class.

Mountain and Moorland ponies must be:-

- a) Shown in their natural state.
- b) Registered with their respective Pure Breed Society.
- c) Registration number quoted on entry forms.

Stallions and colts must be adequately bitted and under the control of a competent rider/handler

PLEASE NOTE: It is the rule of NPS & Ponies UK that Stallions/Colts may not be led by any juniors who have not attained their 14th birthday before January 1st in the current year. Riders must have attained their 12th birthday before 1st January of the current year when riding small breed Mountain & Moorland stallions and show/show hunter stallions not exceeding 128cms. Riders of large breed Mountain & Moorland stallions and show/show hunter stallion exceeding 128cms must have attained their 14th birthday before 1s January of the current year.

A Perpetual Trophy won by a competitor must be returned at the appropriate time to the Secretary either by hand or by registered post. Any lost trophies will have to be paid for at their replacement value.

Any person who is found to be abusive, violent, aggressive, towards any official connected to this Show will be asked to leave the showground IMMEDIATELY

Horses/ponies must be attended at all times when tied to the outside of a lorry or trailer.

ALL WHP Competitors

Body Protectors MUST be worn when jumping in any WHP and WH classes including the practice ring at B.S.P.S affiliated shows. (including Tiny Tots, Cradle and Nursery Stakes, WSP, LRWSP and Training Stakes) Riders must wear a body protector when working in (practice jumps) and the jumping phase in all B.S.P.S organised and affiliated events. A British Equestrian Trade Association (BETA) approved and appropriately labelled "level 3 Body Protector" 2018 (Blue) shown on the label. BETA recommends body protectors are replaced at least every three to five years, after which the absorption properties of the foam may have started to decline.

Air Jackets may be worn. If a member chooses to wear an air jacket they are allowed *in addition to a normal body protector, which meets BETA 2018 level 3 standard. Air jackets must not be worn under any jacket or body protector and numbers must be fitted with elasticated fastenings.*

When an air jacket inflates the sudden noise can startle horses, thereby, causing difficulties for other members if used in confined areas, eg, indoor schools and ménage's. Therefore, air jackets are not encouraged to be used in those areas except for medical reasons.

WHP Junior riders MUST be accompanied by an adult in the collecting ring when using the practice fence.

First Aid in Attendance

Veterinary Surgeons On Call

Farrier On Call – Scott Sykes 07595323307

Takeaway Refreshments Available

QUALIFIERS AND AFFILIATIONS:

Qualifier for the N.C.P.A. 2026 Pony of the Year Show

Qualifier for the ROR final at The Jockey Club RoR National Championships, Aintree, August 22nd 2026

Qualifier for the 2026 Royal International Horse Show

Qualifier for the 2026 British Show Pony Society Winter Championship Show

Qualifier for the 2026 NPS Area 4 Northern Breeders Championship

Qualifier for the 2026 ESUK Championship Show

Qualifier for the 2026 BDS National Championships Show

Qualifier for the Victoria Foods Driving Championships

Qualifier for Equifest 2026

Qualifier for the NPS Summer Championships.

Qualifier for the Side Saddle Association 2026 Championship Show

Affiliated to British Show Pony Society (BSPS)

Affiliated to the Side Saddle Association (SSA)

Affiliated to the British Show Horse Association (BSHA)

Affiliated to the British Driving Society (BDS)

Affiliated to the Connemara Breed Society.

Affiliated to ROR

This Show is a Qualifier for the 2026 N.C.P.A. Pony of the Year Show and the Part Bred Welsh Ridden Championships to be held in conjunction with the Pony of the Year Show at Warren Farm Equestrian Centre, Formby, Lancashire L37 0AN on Sunday 13th September 2026. First, second and third prizewinners in appropriate classes will qualify and highest not qualified in the first six for Part Bred Welsh in appropriate classes. ALL champions and reserve champions at any NCPA Branch Show will receive a GOLDEN TICKET to qualify for the Golden Supreme Championships to be held at the Pony of the Year Show. Entry for the championships is FREE however competitors MUST be members of the NCPA and ENTER AT LEAST one other class at the championships. Prize money at the final is: 1st £500, 2nd £300, 3rd £100, 4th £50, 5th £25 and £25 for each supreme.

This show is a Qualifier for the NCPA Junior Mountain & Moorland Pony of the Year to be held at the 2026 N.C.P.A Pony of the Year Show. The highest placed pony and rider not already qualified in the first five will qualify. Qualification will go not lower than fifth place. Classes will be marked on a 50/50 mark system. The following classes are qualifiers:

NCPA Junior Mountain & Moorland Ridden Small Breeds: Registered Pure Bred Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Welsh A & B Mares or Geldings 4yr old or over. Riders not to have attained their 14th birthday before the 1st of January in the current year.

NCPA Junior Mountain & Moorland Ridden Large Breeds: Registered Pure Bred Connemara, Dales, Fell, Highland, New Forest, Welsh C & D Mares or Geldings 4yr old or over. Riders not to have attained their 18th birthday before the 1st of January in the current year.

This show is affiliated to the British Show Pony Society (B.S.P.S) and all persons entering, competing, showing or otherwise taking part in B.S.P.S classes, whether or not members of the BSPS are subject to the Constitution and Rules of the B.S.P.S, including the disciplinary procedures, and shall be deemed to have consented to the jurisdiction of the BSPS.

This show is a qualifier for the 2026 BSPS Winter Championship to be held at Arena UK, 2nd - 4th May 2026 at Arena UK Grantham, Lincs Competitors placed 1st - 3rd in the Worker Stakes. Competitors who are competing and have never been a member of the B.S.P.S will have 7 days to become members of the society and register their ponies which will enable them to compete at the winter championships at Arena UK, Grantham, Lincs.

This show is affiliated to the Side Saddle Association. These classes are run under SSA Rules defined in the current Member's Handbook. www.sidesaddleassociation.co.uk

This Show is affiliated to the 2026 Equifest Showing Show, taking place at Arena UK, Grantham on the 5th - 8th August 2026. Qualification cards will no longer be sent to the Show Secretary. Instead it is the responsibility of the exhibitor to have a qualification card before entering the show and getting this signed by either the Judge, Steward or Show Secretary at the time of qualification. Qualification cards will be sent out free of charge to exhibitors on request.

For further information, please contact the secretary: Betsy Branyan 1 Email: betsy@equifest.org.uk

This Show is a Qualifier for the 2026 NPS Area 4 In Hand Final to be held at the NPS Area 4 North of England Show on Monday 24th August 2026. The champion and reserve champion in the Mountain and Moorland Supreme In Hand championship and the Riding Pony Breeding & Hunter Pony Breeding will qualify. Qualifiers do not have to be members of the NPS.

This show is affiliated to the British Show Horse Association (BSHA)

Held under the rules of the British Show Horse Association. Horses must be registered with the Association and all Owners, Exhibitors, Producers and Riders must be Association members. Riders must be 15 years of age or older. Registration numbers must be quoted on entry form

DAY TICKETS & SHOW TICKETS Non-Members may purchase up to a maximum of 2 Day Tickets and two Show Tickets per Exhibitor, per Horse, per Rider, per season. A Day Ticket will allow entry into Amateur, Home Produced, In-Hand, Novice, Working, Young Rider, and Open Affiliated classes only, but will NOT allow entry into RIHS, except Amateur classes or HOYS qualifying classes. A Show Ticket has the same criteria and covers all days of a Show running for longer than one day. Horses registered on a Day / Show Ticket do not require a JMB height certificate. Competitors can apply for a Day / Show Ticket by applying online on the BSHA website. Horses competing in the Sport Horse Breeding of Great Britain classes at their Affiliated Shows cannot compete in Hack, Cobs and Riding Horse classes at the same show, on the same day and vice versa. This does not apply to SHB (GB) Ridden Sport Horse classes.

RIHS QUALIFYING CLASSES Classes 37, 38, 39 & 40 are qualifiers for the Amateur Championships at The Royal International Horse Show. The highest placed unqualified horse in each section in each class in the Hack, Cob and Riding Horse classes will qualify for the RIHS Amateur final, with the two highest placed unqualified horses qualifying in the Maxi Cob.

RIHS QUALIFYING CLASSES 41, 42, 43 & 44 are qualifiers for the Open Championships at The Royal International Horse Show. The first prize winner will qualify to compete at the final. If already qualified, the second will qualify. If the first and second are already qualified then the third will go forward, with the exception of the BSHA Shows, where the qualification will go down the line.

The BSHA offer a Champion rosette to be awarded in the separate Amateur Championship. Please refer to Rule 6 A-C in the 2026 BSHA Rulebook. The Amateur qualifying classes may be entered on a day ticket, but appropriate membership and horse registration must be applied for within 14 days of the qualifier in order to confirm qualification. Competitors qualifying at this show for the Longines Royal International Horse must submit their entries ONLINE at:

www.hickstead.co.uk/entries-results-schooling/longines-fei-jumping-nationscup-of-great-britain-at-the-longines-royal-international-horse-show/.

This show is affiliated to the Sport Horse Breeding of Great Britain

Rules as per the 2025 Handbook. Owners & riders have to be current SHB(GB) members in all ridden classes. **RIHS qualifying classes** – Classes 13, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37 & 38 are qualifying classes for the RIHS 2024 and only horses registered on the 2021 register are eligible to enter. The two highest placed horses in the Lightweight, Middleweight, Heavyweight & Small classes will qualify for the RIHS. No horse lower than second will qualify. In the Working Hunter class the three highest placed horses will qualify. No horse lower than third will qualify. Where there is only one amateur ridden hunter class the two highest placed smalls, the two highest placed lightweights, the two highest placed middleweights and the two highest placed heavyweights will qualify. When there are two classes, in the lightweight section, the two highest placed smalls and the two highest placed lightweights will qualify and in the heavyweight section the two highest placed middleweights and the two highest placed heavyweights will qualify.

Open Working Hunter

Open to mares, geldings, stallions (must wear red, white & blue ribbon in tail) 4yrs old & over exceeding 148cms to be judged in accordance with SHB(GB) rules. Grade A show-jumpers & Advanced Event horses not eligible to compete in these classes.

Novice Working Hunter

Rules state not to have won a total of £200 or 5 BE Points or 200 BS Points.

Day Ticket -this entitles competitors to compete at a maximum of 2 shows in the year at £36 per show – it covers owner and rider membership together with horse registration for these 2 shows. If the class is a qualifying class for RIHS, in order for the qualification to be valid, application for full owner/rider membership and horse registration must be received in the SHB (GB) office within 14 days. Day ticket £36 per ticket. www.sporhorsegb.co.uk

AMATEUR STATUS:

A person is an amateur for showing purposes, when showing ridden hunters in an amateur class, ***if he or she does not during the current or previous year:***

- 1) Engage in breeding, livery, buying, selling, dealing or hiring horses in a commercial capacity or as a means of deriving a main source of income.
- 2) Accept remuneration whether it be monetary or goods in kind for employment in connection with horses in a racing, showing or livery stable or riding school (instruction at Pony Club and Riding Club excepted)
- 3) Show a horse owned or sponsored by a company or commercial firm or a horse for which his or her immediate family accepts livery or training charges from a person outside the immediate concern.

In addition persons classed as Amateur must not be supported by a company in any way or act as a Brand Ambassador.

- 4) Own/part own an equestrian establishment including but not limited to riding schools, events centre, stud or livery yard in any capacity, or receive any form of remuneration for employment at an equestrian establishment. For the avoidance of doubt for the purpose of this rule, immediate family members of an owner or part owner of an equestrian establishment who work or are howsoever otherwise engaged or involved in any capacity, whether or not for remuneration at the equestrian establishment, will be treated as being an owner or part owner of that equestrian establishment.
- 5) Show a horse which a professional rider has ridden in any ridden hunter or ridden sport horse class during the current year, with the exception of working hunter classes & ladies hunter classes unless the horse has subsequently been re-registered under new ownership.
- 6) Professional show persons must not enter the Amateur Ring whilst the classes are in progress. A professional show person is another term for a professional producer and as such a professional groom who works for a producer can enter the ring to groom.
- 7) A professional rider must not ride or exercise an amateur's horse on the day it is competing in amateur classes
- 8) A competitor is not eligible to compete in Amateur classes on an Exhibit which has been qualified for either R.I.H.S or H.O.Y.S by a Professional during the current season, except in Ladies & Working Hunter Classes.
- 9) Amateur Home Produced – Horses which are either stabled at home or in a D.I.Y yard and which since 1st January 2021 have not been shown by a professional during the current season or stabled in a professional yard at any time in 2021. Must be ridden by an Amateur. This does not exclude the Amateur owner home produced riders having lessons at any time with an instructor, providing the horse remains stabled at home or in a D.I.Y yard

This Show is affiliated to the British Driving Society (BDS) Rules per 2026 BDS Handbook.

The following sections are qualifiers for the "Iceline Yorkshire Ltd" National Championships Show.

- (a) Single purebred Registered Welsh Section A & B - Single, Pair or Tandem
- (b) Single purebred Registered Welsh Section C & D - Single, Pair or Tandem
- (c) Private Driving over 13.2 – Single, Pair or Tandem
- (d) Private Driving - under 13.2 – Single, Pair or Tandem
- (e) Registered Mountain & Moorland (Excluding Registered Welsh) Single, Pair or Tandem
- (f) Country Vehicles – Single, Pair or Tandem
- (g) World and Rare Breeds - Single Pair or Tandem

- (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
- (l) Single turnout driven by a young driver aged 8-14 years
- (m) Single turnout driven by a young driver aged 15-17 years

RULES FOR THE BDS ICELINE YORKSHIRE LTD NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

1. The championships are organised under the umbrella of the British Driving Society Limited (“the BDS”)

2. The Championships are divided into 4 sections- Private Driving, Light Trade, Exercise Vehicle and Young Driver.

3. Applicable to all sections:-

- (i) Exhibitors must be a fully paid member of the British Driving Society to be eligible.
- (ii) All exhibitors must be a bona fide property of the member of the British Driving Society and driven by a BDS member.
- (iii) No horse pony under the age of four may compete.
- (iv) The driver must be aged 8 years or over on the first day of the show at which they are to compete. A driver under the age of 18 must be accompanied in a vehicle by a competent and reasonable person aged 18 years or over, “a responsible adult”. Proof of age will be required if necessary.
- (v) It is the responsibility of the owner/driver (if over 18) or (if the owner/driver is under 18) the responsible adult to ensure that his/her groom/s is/are competent for the purpose of attending to the turnout and are aged 8 or over on the day of the show. When in the vehicle, grooms, passenger/s and driver must have their feet firmly on the floor of the vehicle or use suitable fixed footrest
- (vi) All drivers/grooms/passengers under the age of 14 must wear a correctly fitted hard hat that meets the latest safety regulations when in a carriage or in attendance to the turnout.
- (vii) No substitution or transfer of entry after the closing date of entry will be allowed at qualifying events without the permission of the relevant show organiser.
- (viii) Unless otherwise specified, a traditional type vehicle must be driven.

(ix) Definition: A turnout referred to in these rules include the driver, horse / pony and vehicle.

4. Judging for qualifying semi-final and Championship classes for the British Driving Society National Championship to be judged as a Private Driving Class based on the following criteria:- The best horse(s)/pony(ies) correctly and smartly harnessed to a sound ,suitable and well-maintained vehicle suitable for a competent whip to drive in company.

5. Judges: The judges for the qualifying rounds, Semi-Finals and Championships must be from the official BDS judges list.

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.

This Show is affiliated to the National Pony Society

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 for 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 from 4th – 6th August 2026. 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 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.

Only Horses and Ponies which are entered in a class may be ridden, driven or led on the showground. Anyone who is seen to be riding or leading a horse or pony that is not entered in a class will be asked to leave the showground IMMEDIATELY.
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COMPETITORS NOTE

**EVERY EFFORT HAS BEEN MADE TO AVOID CLASSES CLASHING AND COMPETITORS ARE ASKED TO CONSIDER THIS WHEN ENTERING. HOWEVER IN THE UNLIKELY EVENT THAT THIS MAY OCCUR COMPETITORS MUST CHOOSE WHICH CLASS THEY WISH TO COMPETE IN AS WE ARE UNABLE TO HOLD UP ANY CLASSES.
REFUNDS WILL NOT BE GIVEN.**

Neither the N.C.P.A or any of its officers, assistants or stewards shall in any way be responsible for any loss, injury or damages that may happen to exhibitors or their assistants or other members of the public, or to any animal or property or to any vehicle brought into the Showground or on any premises used in conjunction with the Show, or while entering or leaving the same.

It is necessary all exhibitors carry Public Liability Insurance for an adequate indemnity to protect against their negligence including any injury caused by their animals or property. You accept being around horses and riding at any standard has inherent risk and that all horses may react unpredictably on occasions. You may fall off and could be injured, or be injured by another horse. By entering you accept these risks. It is advisable you take out your own Personal Accident insurance to cover you against the risks of injury.”

RING ONE

Commencing 9.00am prompt

Winter Worker Series.

Open to affiliated and unaffiliated ponies and riders.

PLEASE SEE RULES on BODY PROTECTORS and AIR JACKETS

Competitors who have never been B.S.P.S members will have 7 days after the show to register, which will enable them to compete at the Winter Championships to be held at Arena UK, Grantham, Lincs 4th - 6th May 2026.

The Highest placed 3 ponies in classes 6 - 10 will qualify for the BSPS Winter Championships together with the highest placed junior rider in each section.

Ponies may compete in more than one height section.

COMPETITORS IN WHP CLASSES IF YOU WISH TO CARRY A WHIP IT MUST BE A BATON WHIP

FENCES

There must be a minimum of 8 fences up to a maximum of 12 fences.

Marks will be awarded: -

Jumping 70 marks

Style whilst jumping 30 marks

Conformation and Way of Going 20 marks

Total 120 marks

JUDGE: Mrs Marilyn Ludlow, Lincolnshire

Course Builder: Mr David Cole, Nottinghamshire

Class 1 Unaffiliated Lead Rein Working Hunter Pony

Cross poles only, Maximum 6 fences

Open to ponies 4 years old & over, plaited and unplaited ponies,

Class 2 Unaffiliated Tiny Tots Working Hunter Pony – 35cm Maximum 6 fences

Open to ponies 4 years old & over, plaited and unplaited ponies.

Riders not to have attained their 9th birthday before 1st January in the current year.

Class 3 Cradle Stakes Working Hunter Pony - 40cms

Open to ponies 4 years old & over, plaited and unplaited ponies.

Riders not to have attained their 12th birthday before 1st January in the current year

Class 4 Working Hunter Pony Nursery Stakes - 45cms

Open to ponies 4 years old & over, plaited and unplaited ponies.

Riders not to have attained their 14th birthday before 1st January in the current year

Championship 1 – Mini Working Hunter Pony Championship

1st and 2nd prize winners in classes 1 - 4 to compete

NOT BEFORE 10.30AM

- Class 5** **Winter Workers Working Hunter Pony – Maximum height of fences 50cms**
Open to plaited and unplaited animals, 4 years old or over, any height
This class is not affiliated to the BSPS
- Class 6** **BSPS Winter Workers Working Hunter – Maximum height of fences 60cms**
Open to plaited and unplaited animals, 4 years old or over not exceeding 158cms.
An award card for the highest placed rider under 12 years of age on 1st January in
the current year in this class who will also qualify for the BSPS Winter
Championships.
- Class 7** **BSPS Winter Workers Working Hunter – Maximum height of fences 70cms**
Open to plaited and unplaited animals, 4 years old or over not exceeding 158cms
Rider's any age but must be suitably mounted for the horse/pony they ride.
An award card for the highest placed rider under 14 years of age on 1st January in
the current year in this class who will also qualify for the BSPS Winter
Championships.
- Class 8** **BSPS Winter Workers Working Hunter – Maximum height of fences 80cms**
Open to plaited and unplaited animals, 4 years old or over not exceeding 158cms
Rider's any age but must be suitably mounted for the horse/pony they ride.
An award card for the highest placed rider under 18 years of age on 1st January in
the current year in this class who will also qualify for the BSPS Winter
Championships.
- Class 9** **BSPS Winter Workers Working Hunter – Maximum height of fences 90cms**
Open to plaited and unplaited animals, 4 years old or over not exceeding 158cms.
Rider's any age but must be suitably mounted for the horse/pony they ride.
An award card for the highest placed rider under 18 years of age on 1st January in
the current year in this class who will also qualify for the BSPS Winter
Championships.
- Class 10** **BSPS Winter Workers Working Hunter – Maximum height of fences 1m**
Open to plaited and unplaited animals, 4 years old or over not exceeding 158cms.
Rider's any age but must be suitably mounted for the horse/pony they ride.
An award card for the highest placed rider under 25 years of age on 1st January in
the current year in this class who will also qualify for the BSPS Winter
Championships.
- Championship 2– Winter Workers WHP Championship**
1st & 2nd placed in Classes 5 - 10 to compete.

NOT TO COMMENCE BEFORE 2.00PM

Horse Working Hunter

Judges: Mrs S Ramsden (Conformation)

**Class 11 Tattershalls ROR Former Racehorse Challenge 2026
Mrs S Ramsden (Conformation)**

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 22nd 2026

Prizes – RoR rosettes 1st–4th plus RoR official merchandise voucher 1st £20, 2nd £10, 3rd £5, Highest placed Veteran (15+) £10.

The Highest Placed Veteran also qualifies for the Tattersalls RoR Ridden Veteran Show final at the Jockey Club RoR National Championships on August 22nd 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.

JUDGES: Mrs S Ramsden (Conformation)
Mr Wayne Thorneycroft, (Ride)

Class 12 Novice Working Hunter Horse

Open to Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over exceeding 148cms, not having won a 1st prize of £25 or a total of £100 in prize money in any Open/Novice Working Hunter Class before 1st January in the current year.

Class 13 R.I.H.S Open Horse Working Hunter

Open to stallion, mare or gelding, 4yrs old & over exceeding 148cms, to be judged according to the rules set by the 2026 SHB (GB) rules.

**Championship 3 - Horse Working Hunter Championship
1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 11 - 13 to compete.**

RING TWO

Commencing at 9.00 am PROMPT

Unaffiliated Ridden Show Classes

NCPA, EQUIFEST & ESUK QUALIFIERS

JUDGE: Mrs J Burnell, Yorkshire

Class 14 **Novice Ridden Horse - Any breed or type.**

Open to mares or gelding, 4 years old or over exceeding 148cms.
Not to have won a 1st prize of £20.00 in any ridden showing class
Riders to be a suitable age and height for the horse they ride.

Class 15 **Open Ridden Horse - Any breed or type**

Open to mare or gelding 4 years old and over exceeding 148cms
Riders to be a suitable age and height for the horses they ride.

Class 16 **Open Ridden Coloured Horse or Pony**

Open to Piebald/Skewbald stallion, mare or gelding, 4 years old and over. Non-Native/Native/Cob/Traditional any height. Riders any age.
This class may be divided according to entries
Riders to be a suitable height and age for the horse/pony they ride.

Class 17 **Open Ridden Cob Lightweight/Heavyweight/Maxi** Mare or gelding 4 years

old and over exceeding 148cms. Traditional, Hogged or Native
Riders to be a suitable height and age for the horse/pony they ride.

Class 18 **Novice Ridden Pony – Plaited or unplaited, any breed, any type.**

Open to mares or geldings, 4 years old or over not to exceed 148cms.
Not to have won a first prize of £20.00 in any ridden showing class.
Riders any age but must be suitably mounted for the pony they ride.

Class 19 **Walk and Trot Horse/Pony**

Open to mares or geldings, 4 years old or over.
Competitors will be asked to walk and trot a figure of eight with a halt at the end of their show off the lead rein.
Riders any age but must be suitably mounted for the Horse/Pony they ride.
Class may be split if sufficient entries.

Class 20 **Open Ridden Veteran Horse/Pony 15 years old and over.**

Class 21 **Golden Oldies Ridden Class.**

Open to horse or pony 4 years old and over.
Riders to be 50 years old and over.
Riders to be a suitable height and age for the horse/pony they ride.

**Championship 4 – Unaffiliated Championship
1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 14 - 21 to compete**

NOT BEFORE 12NOON

The “ICELINE Yorkshire LTD” British Driving Society (BDS) Classes

Judge: Mr A Hogg, Scotland Classes 22, 23 & 24

These classes are run under the B.D.S Rules as defined in the current 2026 members handbook.

Classes are open to horses and ponies only.

No Donkeys or Mules are allowed in classes 22, 23, 24 or 25 at this N.C.P.A Show.

Class 22 EXERCISE VEHICLES

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.

This class is a qualifier for the Victoria Foods Championship.

Class 23 Private Driving Class.

Open to horse and ponies, 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.

This class is a qualifier for the Victoria Foods Championship.

Class 24 Young Driver Class

Please read the BDS rules appertaining to Young Drivers and Hard Hats

Open to horses and ponies, drivers aged 17 & under on show date driving traditional/traditional-type vehicles or an exercise vehicle fitted with traditional/traditional type wheels. Lamps need not be carried. This class is judged to determine the capabilities of the driver, and particular attention will be paid to the dress, turnout and driving procedure. A competent, experienced adult groom aged 18 years or over to be carried at all times.

This class is a qualifier for the Victoria Foods Championship.

ii) Hard Hat Ruling - All drivers/grooms/passengers under the age of 14 years must wear a correctly fitted hard hat when in a carriage or in attendance to a turnout.

**Championship 5 – The “ICELINE Yorkshire Ltd” British Driving Society Championship
1st & 2nd placed in Classes 22, 23 & 24 to compete.**

**THIS IS A VICTORIA EXTRAVAGANZA
CARRIAGE DRIVING CHAMPIONSHIP QUALIFIER.
THE CHAMPION WILL QUALIFY FOR THE GRAND FINAL TO BE HELD AT BURY
FARM EQUESTRIAN CLUB,
NEW BURY FARM, MILL ROAD SLAPTON, BUCKS, LU7 9BT. IN THE EVENT
THAT THE CHAMPION HAS ALREADY QUALIFIED THEN THE RESERVE
CHAMPION TO QUALIFY. IF THE RESERVE HAS ALSO QUALIFIED, THE ROSETTE
TO BE AWARDED BACK TO THE CHAMPION. ONCE QUALIFIED, THE HORSE, WHIP AND
VEHICLE MAY NOT BE CHANGED.**

Class 25 Concours d'Elegance

Open horses and ponies, 4 years old or over, Open to singles, pairs, multiples, to a traditional type vehicle. The essence of the class is the word 'elegance' and the winner will be the turnout, which, in the opinion of the Judge, presents the most elegant effect. To include vehicle, horse, driver, passenger etc. but above all the general impression. Attention may be paid to drivers/passengers' personal costume, but fancy dress or period costume is definitely barred. The whole object of the class is to establish which turnout presents the most pleasing picture and normal judging criteria does not apply. It is judged from a distance and vehicles are NOT closely inspected. To be driven at park pace.

RING TWO

Not before 2.00PM

Ladies Side Saddle Association (SSA) Classes

These classes are run under SSA Rules defined in the current 2026 Member's Handbook.

Judge: Mrs Louise Graham, Nottinghamshire

Competitors must wear a hat to current Safety Standards

Class 26 Best Horse or Pony Ridden Side Saddle.

Open to horses and ponies 4 years old or over: conformation & manners will be taken into consideration; horses/ponies will not be stripped. A Special rosette will be awarded to the highest placed Adult and Junior Members of the SSA carrying their current Championship Points Cards. The Highest placed coloured exhibit ridden by a competitor aged 16 years or over (who has not already qualified) receives a Special Rosette and qualifies for the Side Saddle Final at the CHAPS Championship Show. Open to any type of exhibit. Riders/Owners need not be a member or their exhibit registered with CHAPS at the time of qualification, but in order to compete at the Championships, the Rider/Owner must be a showing member and their horse/pony registered with CHAPS before entering the final. Lead Rein competitors are eligible for this class. Leaders must be correctly dressed. Combinations qualifying after the current year's CHAPS Final may carry forward the qualification, to the following year.

Class 27 Side Saddle Association Equitation Championships Open Qualifying class.

Run under SSA rules defined in the current Member's Handbook. Open to SSA Members and non-members. Members carrying their current Championship points card are eligible for SSA rosettes to 3rd adult and 3rd junior places and SSA Championship points. Southerndene Farm offers a rosette to the highest placed member aged 14 years and under on the 1st January of the current year. A rosette in memory of the Late Mr R Philpot is offered to the adult member, judged to be the best turned out. Manor Grange Stud Show Centre offer a rosette to the junior member judged to be the best turned out. Hats to current safety standards or above must be worn. An award will be made to the highest placed Mountain & Moorland

Class 28 Classical Ladies Qualifier.

Open to SSA Adult members and non-members, aged 18 years old and over on 1st January in the current year, riding side saddle on horses exceeding 148cms. To be judged 25% conformation and action, 25% manners and way of going, 25% turnout of horse and rider by a SHBGB, BSHA, BSPS, PUK or SSA panel judge. Judges may request a short show but will not ride exhibits. Horses will not be stripped. Traditional habits must be worn. Fancy Dress and period costumes are NOT permitted. Judges are requested to use the mark sheet provided. The highest placed horse/rider combination qualifies for the final to be held at the National Side Saddle Show. In the event of previous qualification, this may be passed down to fourth place. Special rosettes are offered by Mrs T Mitchell and Mr L Mitchell to the winner and if the winner has already qualified, a second rosette is awarded with the qualification card.

Championship 6 – Side Saddle

1st & 2nd placed in classes 26, 27 & 28

Qualifying combinations are required to become Full Members of the SSA 21 days prior to the National Side Saddle Show or as soon as possible if qualified after that date to be eligible to compete at the Final. Combinations qualifying between one National Side Saddle Show and the next may carry forward the qualification, for that year only. The four highest placed Riding Horse, Hack (not ex 160cm), Cob or Hunter, Mare or Gelding, 4 years and over, ridden by a SSA Adult Member qualify for the current year's BSHA Championship Show Mears Ladies Show Horse Championship and if already qualified the ticket will go to the next highest placed horse down to 5th place. Combinations qualifying after the current year's BSHA Championship Show may carry forward the qualification, to the following year. SSA Members who qualify for The Mears Ladies Show Horse Championship, will not be required to join the BSHA in order to compete in any Side Saddle class at the BSHA National Championship Show. If the BSHA Championship Show entries have closed at the time of qualification, competitors will not be charged a late entry fee for the Championship

RING THREE

Commencing at 9.00 am PROMPT

R.I.H.S Ridden Hunter

Classes 29 – 34 are qualifiers for the Royal International Horse Show 2026. To enter these classes the owner, rider and horse must be members of Sporthorse GB. Please see rules on page 6 for clarification.

JUDGE: Mrs S Ramsden (Conformation) Lancashire
Mr W Thorneycroft (Ride) Nottinghamshire

R.I.H.S Open Ridden Hunters

- Class 29** R.I.H.S. SMALL HUNTER mare or gelding 4yrs old or over, exceeding 148cms but not exceeding 158cms
- Class 30** R.I.H.S. LIGHTWEIGHT RIDDEN HUNTER mare or gelding 4yrs old or over, capable of carrying 79.5kgs (12stone 7lbs)
- Class 31** R.I.H.S. MIDDLEWEIGHT RIDDEN HUNTER mare or gelding 4yrs old or over, capable of carrying 79.5kgs (12stone 7lbs)
- Class 32** R.I.H.S. HEAVYWEIGHT RIDDEN HUNTER mare or gelding 4yrs old or over, capable of carrying 89kgs (14stone)

Championship 7 – RIHS Open Ridden HUNTER CHAMPIONSHIP
1st & 2nd placed in Classes 29 - 32 to compete.

NOT BEFORE 10.30AM

R.I.H.S Amateur Ridden Hunters

- Class 33** R.I.H.S. AMATEUR LIGHTWEIGHT HUNTER and SMALL HUNTER mare or gelding, 4yrs old or over capable of carrying 82.7kgs (12stone 7lbs) and under. The two highest placed Lightweight Hunters and the two highest placed Small Hunters will qualify for the R.I.H.S providing they meet the relevant criteria. (Please see rules and regulations)
- Class 34** R.I.H.S.AMATEUR MIDDLEWEIGHT and HEAVYWEIGHT HUNTER mare or gelding 4yrs old or over capable of carrying 82.7kgs (12stone 7lbs) and under. The two highest placed Heavyweight Hunters and the two highest placed Middleweight Hunters will qualify for the R.I.H.S providing they meet the relevant criteria. (Please see rules and regulations)

Championship 8 – R.I.H.S Amateur Ridden Hunter Championship
1st & 2nd placed in Classes 33 – 34 to compete.

- Class 35** RIDDEN IRISH DRAUGHT PURE BRED and RIDDEN IRISH DRAUGHT SPORT HORSE Four years old and over, stallion, mare or gelding, This class is kindly sponsored by a supporter of the Irish Draught Society in memory of the Late Ellen Walton
- Class 36** Ridden Retrained Racehorse Mare or gelding 4 years old and over. The judge will not ride the exhibits in this class.

NOT BEFORE 1.00PM

R.I.H.S B.S.H.A AMATEUR CLASSES

To enter these classes please refer to Rule 6 A - C of the 2026 BSHA Rule Book.

Judge: Ms V Smith, Lancashire

- Class 37** R.I.H.S. Amateur Hack mare or gelding 4yrs old or over, exceeding 148cms but not exceeding 160cms. Open to horses owned and ridden by an amateur, the rider need not be the owner of the horse.
- Class 38** R.I.H.S. Amateur Riding Horse mare or gelding 4yrs old or over, exceeding 148cms. Open to horses owned and ridden by an amateur, the rider need not be the owner of the horse.
- Class 39** R.I.H.S. Amateur Cob mare or gelding 4yrs old or over, exceeding 148cms but not exceeding 155cms..Open to horses owned and ridden by an amateur, the rider need not be the owner of the horse.
- Class 40** R.I.H.S. Amateur Maxi-Cob mare or gelding 4yrs old or over, exceeding 155cms. Open to horses owned and ridden by an amateur, the rider need not be the owner of the horse.

**Championship 9 – R.I.H.S Amateur B.S.H.A Championship
1st & 2nd placed in Classes 37 – 40 to compete.**

R.I.H.S B.S.H.A OPEN CLASSES

JUDGE: Ms V Smith, Lancashire

- Class 41** R.I.H.S. Open Hack mare or gelding 4yrs old or over, exceeding 148cms but not exceeding 160cms. Open to horses owned and ridden by an amateur, the rider need not be the owner of the horse.
- Class 42** R.I.H.S. Open Riding Horse mare or gelding 4yrs old or over, exceeding 148cms. Open to horses owned and ridden by an amateur, the rider need not be the owner of the horse.
- Class 43** R.I.H.S. Open Cob mare or gelding 4yrs old or over, exceeding 148cms but not exceeding 155cms..Open to horses owned and ridden by an amateur, the rider need not be the owner of the horse.
- Class 44** R.I.H.S. Open Maxi-Cob mare or gelding 4yrs old or over, exceeding 155cms. Open to horses owned and ridden by an amateur, the rider need not be the owner of the horse. The winners of this class is not eligible for the Open Cob Championship.

**Championship 10– R.I.H.S OPEN B.S.H.A Championship
1st & 2nd placed in Classes 41 – 43 to compete.**

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**ALL HORSE & PONIES MUST HAVE A VALID UP TO DATE YEARLY EQUINE
INFLUENZA CERTIFICATE AND PASSPORTS MUST BE CARRIED WITH THE
CORRECT HORSE OR PONY BY LAW.**

RANDOM PASSPORTS INSPECTION WILL BE TAKING PLACE

RING FOUR B.S.P.S Area 4B Winter Show Ring
Commencing at 9.00 am PROMPT

Classes are open to members and non members of the B.S.P.S.
Non-Members will have 7 days to become members if they wish to compete at the B.S.P.S Winter Championships.

- JUDGE:** Mr I Dickinson
- Class 45** B.S.P.S Heritage Mountain & Moorland Novice Ridden Small Breeds
Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Welsh A & B
Open to ponies 4 years old or over. Riders any age.
- Class 46** B.S.P.S Heritage Mountain & Moorland Novice Ridden Large Breeds
Fell, Dales, Highland, Connemara, New Forrest, Welsh Section C & D
Open to ponies 4 years old or over. Riders any age.
- Class 47** B.S.P.S Heritage Mountain & Moorland Open Ridden Small Breeds
Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Welsh A & B
Open to ponies 4 years old or over. Riders any age.
- Class 48** B.S.P.S Heritage Mountain & Moorland Open Ridden Large Breeds
Fell, Dales, Highland, Connemara, New Forrest, Welsh Section C & D
Open to ponies 4 years old or over. Riders any age.

Championship 11– Heritage Ridden Championship
1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 45 – 48 to compete.

N.C.P.A. Registered Small & Large Mountain & Moorland Ridden

N.C.P.A. registered Mountain & Moorland Pony to be on the N.C.P.A. register, and pony's N.C.P.A. registered number quoted on the entry form. Pink Card to be produced in the ring.

- Class 49** Registered Mountain & Moorland, 4 years old and over, stallion, mare or gelding, registered with the NCPA. To be shown under saddle.

N.C.P.A Registered Plaited Horse or Pony Ridden

N.C.P.A. registered Plaited Horse or Pony to be on the N.C.P.A. register and pony's registration number to be quoted on the entry form, Pink Card to be produced in the ring.

- Class 50** Registered Plaited Horse of Pony, 4 years old and over Stallion, mare or gelding, registered with the NCPA. To be shown under saddle.

NCPA Junior Ridden Mountain & Moorland Pony of the Year

The following classes are qualifiers for the TOPLINE HORSEBOXES Junior Ridden Pony of the year to be held at the 2026 N.C.P.A Pony of the Year Show. The highest placed pony and rider not already qualified in the first five will qualify. Qualification will go not lower than fifth place. Classes will be marked on a 50/50 mark system.

£100 prize money to 1st place at the final at The Pony of the Year Show with prize money down to 10th place.

- Class 51** N.C.P.A TOPLINE HORSEBOXES Junior Mountain & Moorland Ridden Small Breeds: Registered Pure Bred Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Welsh A & B
Open to mare or gelding, 4yr old or over. Riders not to have attained their 14th birthday by the 1st of January in the current year.

Class 52 **N.C.P.A TOPLINE HORSEBOXES Junior Mountain & Moorland Ridden Large Breeds:** Registered Pure Bred Connemara, Dales, Fell, Highland, New Forest, Welsh C & D Mares or Geldings 4yr old or over. Riders not to have attained their 18th birthday by the 1st of January in the current year.

**Championship 11– NCPA Chairmans Cup Championship
1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 49 - 52 to compete**

NOT BEFORE 10.30AM

JUDGE: **Mr A Brooke, East Yorkshire**

Class 53 **B.S.P.S Novice Intermediate.**
Open to mare or gelding 4years old or over, to exceed 146cms but not exceeding 160cms. To be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25th birthday before the 1st January in the current year. To incorporate Intermediate Show Riding and Hack Type and Intermediate Show Hunter.

Class 54 **B.S.P.S Mixed Height Novice Show Hunter Pony**
Open to mare or gelding Show Hunter Pony, 4 years old or over, not exceeding 153cms. Competitors must be the correct age for the height of pony they ride.

Class 55 **B.S.P.S Mixed Height Novice Show Pony**
Open to mare or gelding Show Hunter Pony, 4 years old or over, not exceeding 148cms. Competitors must be the correct age for the height of pony they ride.

Class 56 **B.S.P.S Open Intermediate.**
Open to mare or gelding, 4years old or over, to exceed 146cms but not exceeding 160cms. To be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25th birthday before the 1st January in the current year. To incorporate Intermediate Show Riding and Hack Type and Intermediate Show Hunter.

Class 57 **B.S.P.S Open Mixed Height Show Hunter Pony**
Open to mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 153cms
Comptitors must be the correct age for the height of the pony they ride

Class 58 **B.S.P.S Open Mixed Height Show Pony.**
Open to mare or gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 148cms. Competitors must be the correct height of the pony they ride.

**Championship 12 - Championship
1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 53 – 58 to compete.**

NOT BEFORE 1.00PM

Classes are open to members and non members of the B.S.P.S.

Non-Members will have 7 days to become members if they wish to compete at the B.S.P.S Winter Championships.

**JUDGE: Mr A Brooke, (Classes 59 – 64)
Mrs J Griffin (Classes 65 - 68)**

- Class 59 B.S.P.S Tiny Tots Leading Rein Pony**
Open to plaited or unplaited ponies, mare or gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 122cms. Riders not to have attained their 5th birthday before 1st January in the current year.
- Class 60 B.S.P.S Tiny Tots First Ridden Pony**
Open to plaited or unplaited ponies, mare or gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 128cms. Riders not to have attained their 9th birthday before 1st January in the current year.
- Class 61 B.S.P.S Novice Plaited Leading Rein Pony**
Four years old and over, mare or gelding, not exceeding 123cms. Riders not to have attained their 9th birthday before 1st January in the current year.
- Class 62 B.S.P.S Novice Plaited First Ridden Show Pony**
Four years old and over Mare or Gelding - not exceeding 122cms. Riders not to have attained their 10th birthday before 1st January in the current year.
- Class 63 B.S.P.S Open Plaited Leading Rein Show Pony**
Four years old and over, mare or gelding, not exceeding 122cms. Riders not to have attained their 9th birthday before 1st January in the current year.
- Class 64 B.S.P.S Open Plaited First Ridden Show Pony**
Four years old and over Mare or Gelding - not exceeding 123cms. Riders not to have attained their 10th birthday before 1st January in the current year.
- Class 65 B.S.P.S Heritage Mountain & Moorland Novice Lead Rein**
Open to mare or gelding, 4 years old or over, not exceeding 122cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 9th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.
- Class 66 B.S.P.S Heritage Mountain & Moorland Novice First Ridden**
Open to mare or gelding, 4 years old or over, not exceeding 128cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 12th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.
- Class 67 B.S.P.S Heritage Mountain & Moorland Open Lead Rein**
Open to mare or gelding, 4 years old or over, not exceeding 122cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 9th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.
- Class 68 B.S.P.S Heritage Mountain & Moorland Open First Ridden**
Open to mare or gelding, 4 years old or over, not exceeding 128cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 12th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

**Championship 13– Mini Championship
1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 59 -68**

RING FIVE

Commencing 9.00 AM

In-Hand Classes

NCPA, EQUIFEST & ESUK

JUDGE: Mr K Baskeyfield, Derbyshire

- Class 69 In Hand Small Breeds.**
Open to Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Welsh Section A & B. Ponies any age
- Class 70 In Hand Large Breeds.**
Open to Fells, Dales, Highlands, Welsh Section C & D, Connemara & New Forest. Ponies any age.
- Class 71 Riding Pony/Show Hunter Pony In Hand, any age**
- Class 72 Hunter/Sport Horse/Irish Draught In Hand, any age**
- Class 73 Retired/Retrained Racehorse In Hand any age**
- Class 74 Hack/Riding Horse In Hand, any age**
- Class 75 Golden Oldies In Hand, Handlers to be 50 years old and over.**
- Class 76 In Hand Veteran** Open to horse or pony 15 years old and over

N.C.P.A Registered In Hand Mountain and Moorland Pony

N.C.P.A. registered Mountain & Moorland pony to be on the N.C.P.A. register and pony's registration number to be quoted on the entry form, Pink Card to be produced in the ring.

Class 77 Yearling, Two or Three years old Colt, Filly or Gelding

Class 78 Four years old and over Stallion, Mare or Gelding

N.C.P.A Registered In Hand Plaited Horse or Pony

N.C.P.A. registered Plaited Horse or Pony to be on the N.C.P.A. register and pony's registration number to be quoted on the entry form, Pink Card to be produced in the ring.

Class 79 Yearling, Two or Three years old Colt, Filly or Gelding

Class 80 Four years old and over Stallion, Mare or Gelding

Championship 14 - The Presidents Cup Supreme In Hand Championship

1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 69 - 80 to compete

The champion will qualify for the President's Cup held at the NCPA Pony of the Year Show

NOT BEFORE 11AM

The Lincolnshire & East Midlands Connemara Group Spring Show Ring

JUDGE: Mr K Baskeyfield

Connemara In Hand Classes

Classes 82 and 83 are qualifiers for

The NPS/ABSORBINE M&M In Hand Summer Championship. 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. AND The NPS/MOLE VALLEY FARMERS M&M Home Produced In Hand National Championship) Please see NPS Rule Book, Sec A, 3.6. Please enter this class in the spirit it is intended. Competitors who contravene the above will be disqualified.

Class 81 In Hand Part Bred & Overheight Connemara, any age.

A special rosette will be awarded to the highest placed yearling, two year old and three year old in this class.

Class 82 NPS In Hand Connemara Youngstock

Open to Fillies & geldings three years old and under.

This class is a qualifier for the NPS/ABSORBINE M&M IN Hand at the 2026 NPS Summer Championships Show. AND The NPS/MOLE VALLEY FARMERS M&M Home Produced In Hand National Championship

The three highest placed exhibits, not already qualified in the first six will qualify for the Tam O'Shanter Championships at the BCPS Breed Show on the 17th July 2026.

Class 83 NPS In Hand Connemara Pure Bred Stallion

Open to stallions, 4 years old and over.

This class is a qualifier for the NPS/ABSORBINE M&M IN Hand at the 2026 NPS Summer Championships Show AND The NPS/MOLE VALLEY FARMERS M&M Home Produced In Hand National Championship

Class 84 NPS In Hand Connemara Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over.

This class is a qualifier for the NPS/ABSORBINE M&M IN Hand at the 2026 NPS Summer Championships Show AND The NPS/MOLE VALLEY FARMERS M&M Home Produced In Hand National Championship

The three highest placed exhibits, not already qualified in the first six will qualify for the Tam O'Shanter vChampionships at the BCPS Breed Show on the 17th July 2026.

The three highest placed exhibits, not already qualified in the first six will qualify for the Tam O'Shanter Championships at the BCPS Breed Show on the 17th July 2026.

Class 85 In Hand Veteran Connemara.

Open to ponies 15years old & over.

**Championship 15 - Connemara In Hand Championship
1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 81 - 85 to compete**

NOT BEFORE 12NOON

Connemara Ridden Classes.

JUDGE: Mr K Baskeyfield

Class 86 NPS Junior Ridden Connemara

Open to Pure Bred Mare or gelding, not exceeding 148cms. Riders not to have attained their 18th birthday before the 1st January in the current year. This class is a qualifier for the NPS/ WTJ Insurance Brokers Ltd Home Produced Ridden Championship Qualifier. Competitors eligible must wear a wear white arm bands.

Qualifier for the NPS/Fiona Cork Saddles Young Rider Championship or rider up to 25 years.

To be run under NPS Rules

Class 87 NPS Picton Novice Ridden Connemara.

Open to pure bred registered M&M stallions, mares and geldings four years old or over. 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 affiliated mixed M&M Ridden class ii. Qualified for Horse of the Year Show, LIHS or RIHS Open M&M Ridden classes iii. Qualified for the M&M Novice or Intermediate Ridden final at the NPS Summer Championship show (N.B. Ponies can compete as novices in this competition for two consecutive years provided they do not submit an entry to the final in the first year). iv. If a pony qualifies for Horse of the Year Show, LIHS or RIHS in its second year it is immediately de-noviced and cannot compete in the Picton Final. Ponies must be shown in a snaffle bit.

To be run under NPS Rules

Class 88 NPS Darvel Young Ridden Connemara Pony Class.

Open to pure bred registered M&M stallions, mares and geldings four, five or six years old . **This class WILL be split into three sections as follows:**

- a) 4 years old**
- b) 5 years old**
- c) 6 years old**

To be run under NPS Rules

Class 89 NPS Jess Talbot/Peasedown Intermeditae Ridden Connemara

Open to pure bred registered M&M stallions, mares and geldings five years old or over A pony is not eligible to compete if it has qualified before 1st January in the current year for: i) The M&M Open Ridden Championship final at Horse of the Year Show or ii) The M&M Supreme Ridden Championship final at London International Horse Show or iii) The M&M Open Ridden Championship Final at Royal International Horse Show NPS/Fiona Cork Saddles Young Rider Championship Qualifier – for rider up to 25 years

To be run under NPS Rules

Class 90 NPS Ringside Open Ridden Connemara Class

Open to registered pure bred M&M stallions, mares and geldings five years old or over. Qualifier for the NPS/WTJ Insurance Brokers Ltd Home Produced Ridden Championship. Competitors eligible must wear a wear white arm bands. Qualifieir for NPS/Fiona Cork Saddles Young Rider Championship Qualifier – for rider up to 25 years. To be run under NPS Rules

**Championship 16 – NPS Nipna Dales Ridden Silver Medal Championship
1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 86 - 90 to compete**

- Class 91 Really Novice Overheight and Part Bred Ridden Connemara**
For ponies four years old and over. Combination not to have been placed first in any ridden show class at any show. Ponies to be shown in snaffle bridles.
- Class 92 Really Novice Pure Bred Connemara**
For ponies four years old and over. Combination not to have been placed first in any ridden show class at any show. Ponies to be shown in snaffle bridles.
- Class 93 Really Novice Overheight and Part Bred Ridden Connemara Walk & Trot**
For ponies four years old and over. Combination not to have been placed first in any ridden show class at any show. Ponies to be shown in snaffle bridles.
- Class 94 Really Novice Pure Bred Connemara Walk & Trot**
For ponies four years old and over. Combination not to have been placed first in any ridden show class at any show. Ponies to be shown in snaffle bridles.
- Class 95 Ridden Style and Performance
Pure Bred /Part Bred / Overheight Connemara.**
For ponies four years old and over. To be judges on a show to include walk, trot, three loop serpentine in canter and an extended canter.
- Class 96 Open Ridden Pure Bred/Part Bred/Overheight Connemara.**
For ponies four years old and over.

**Championship 17 – Novice Ridden Connemara Championship
1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 91 - 96 to compete**

***THANK YOU FOR TAKING THE TIME TO VIEW OUR SCHEDULE
WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU ON THE DAY OF THE SHOW***

