

THE NATIONAL PONY SOCIETY
**GREAT BRITISH IN HAND SHOW &
PERFORMANCE SHOW**

Sunday 14th September 2025

Vale View, Leics, LE14 3LX



Featuring:

NPS/ Supreme Pony/Horse of the Year Final

NPS/Hirtsmund Stud Owner/Breeder Championship

NPS/ Home Produced

Championship

Price Family HOYS Semi Final Championship

NPS/Anthony Evans Arena Eventing Finals

NPS/Baileys Horse Feeds RIHS WHP Qualifier



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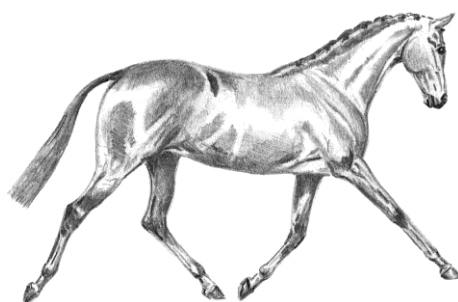
The National Pony Society

Presents

The Great British In Hand Show

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Vale View Equestrian Centre, Leicestershire.



Featuring:

- NPS/Supreme Pony/Horse of the Year Final
- NPS/Hirstmund Stud Owner/Breeder Championship
- NPS/ Home Produced Championship
- Price Family HOYS Semi Final Championship
- Classes for all M&M breeds, British Riding Ponies and Hacks plus Riding Horses, Hunters, Sport Horses, Coloureds and Rare Breeds.

**NOT BEFORE TIMES MAY BE UPDATED AFTER THE CLOSE OF
ENTRIES, PLEASE SEE WEBSITE AND SOCIAL MEDIA FOR
UPDATES**

**Entries Close: Postal – Friday 5th September; Online - Monday 8th
September**

**Stable Bookings booked directly with Vale View
www.nationalponysociety.com**



Fell Pony Society



**Evening Performance Finale
Supreme Pony/Horse of the Year**

Breed Supremes are placed 1st – 16th as we crown the NPS In Hand Pony/Horse of the Year

**Evening Performance
National Breed Supremes x16**

CPR and Breed Champion and Reserves come together for one to be crowned their Breed Supreme.

**Day Time
Champion Prelim Rounds
(CPR) –
1st & 2nd x16**

Open to ponies who were champion or reserve in an NPS Silver Medal or won an Ottergayle qualifier during the 2025 season or who were breed or national final champions/reserves at the NPS Summer Championship Show 2025 or at selected key 2025 shows.

**Day Time
Breed Sections
Champion & Reserves**

Open to all to enter.

MORE...

Daytime Owner/Breeder classes for M&M & BRP ponies with 1st & 2nd Prize winners going forward to the Evening Performance to be crowned Overall Owner/Breeder Champion and Reserve.

Daytime Home-Produced classes for M&M & BRP ponies with 1st & 2nd Prize winners going forward to the Evening Performance to be crowned Overall Home-Produced Champion and Reserve and the Champion going into the Price Family judging.

Also, daytime standalone classes for Young Handlers and sections for Rare Breeds, Hunters, Riding Horses, Coloureds, Part Breds, Sport Horses and Ponies

GENERAL INFORMATION FOR THE GREAT BRITISH IN HAND SHOW

ENTRY FEES

	NPS Members	Non-Members		NPS Members	Non-Members
In Hand Class	£15 (£25)	£25 (£35)	Foal Class	£5 (£10)	£10 (£20)
Transfer of classes on the day will incur a £5 charge					
Prices in brackets reflect the on the day prices					
Emergency Cover of £3 payable once per Exhibitor					

*Once an entry has been made no fees are refundable
unless a vet's certificate is produced.
There will be a **£10** admin charge for refunds.*

PRIZE MONEY

	Champion	Reserve	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
Supreme Breed Championship	£80	£40								
Home Produced	£150	£100	£50							
Owner/ Breeder *	£150	£100	£50							
Price Family Championship	Prize Money paid directly by Grandstand Media									
Overall Supreme	£400	£200	£100	£50	£25	£10	£10	£10	£10	£10 to 16 th place

STABLING & HOOK UP & CATERING

Stabling to be booked online through the Vale View website . £35 for overnight stay, £25 for a day stable. Hook Up £30+VAT per night. Details on the Vale View website <https://www.valeviewequestrian.co.uk/> and <https://irp.cdn-website.com/f3df7208/files/uploaded/STABLINGPOLICY%2024.pdf>

Catering – Any competitors who will require evening meals on Saturday or Sunday night will need to **pre-order with the venue**.

VACCINATIONS – Subject to any additional restrictions placed by Vale View.

Equine Influenza vaccinations are a compulsory requirement for all horses/ponies competing in NPS affiliated classes. Two injections for primary vaccination, not less than 21 days and not more than 92 days apart, are required before being eligible to compete. A first booster injection must be given within seven months after the second injection of primary vaccination. Subsequent booster injections must be given at intervals of not more than one year, commencing after the first booster injection; No horse should enter competitions within 7 days of an EI vaccination. Foals should commence vaccinations at 6 months old.

GDPR

Information from entry forms will be stored on a secure server and the details of entries will be published in the catalogue (if applicable). Information will be passed to our printer solely for the purpose of formulating the catalogue. Results information, including photographs may be published (in printed form and online) both to the press, other societies and showing organisations and in the Society's publications. Information may be supplied to professional and regulatory bodies as necessary. We will not otherwise share your personal data with other third

parties without your prior consent unless required to do so by law. The making of an entry is irrevocable consent for the storage and disclosure of information in this way.

ROSETTES

Rosettes to 16th place will be awarded in the Overall Supreme Championships and to 3rd place in the Owner/Breeder and Home Produced Championships.

In all other classes rosettes will be awarded to 6th place.

CHAMPIONSHIPS

Foals are excluded from section championships but are invited to come forward for the Foal Supreme in Ring B.

PROTESTS

Any member or exhibitor wishing to lodge a protest having reference to any person or exhibits shall do so in writing to the Secretary and shall at the same time deposit the sum of £50. The protest shall be considered by a Ground Jury Panel, the members of which have been elected by the Society's Show Committee. If on investigation the protest is not sustained, the deposit may be forfeited to the funds of the Society. All protests not delivered within an hour of the incident will not be considered.

GENERAL DISPUTES

The Chairman/Vice Chairman of the Show Committee, in their absolute discretion may, without assigning any reason, refuse an entry or cancel any entry already accepted or may decline to admit to the Showground any animal or exhibitor or person or withhold any prize. Whenever under this regulation any entry is refused or cancelled, or any exhibit, exhibitor or person is refused admission or is removed, the fees paid for such entry may, at the discretion of the Show Chairman/Vice Chairman, be refunded and if refunded, shall be accepted by the exhibitor or intending exhibitor in full satisfaction of all claims against the Society, its officers, servants or assistants.

The Chairman/Vice Chairman of the Show Committee shall have power to suspend or remove from the Showground, at the expense and risk of the person responsible, their stock or property, or anyone who shall infringe any of the Conditions or Regulations of the Society or who shall refuse to comply with any instructions given by the Stewards, or whose conduct shall in the opinion of the Chairman/Vice Chairman of the Show Committee be derogatory to the character or prejudicial to the interests of the Society or its members, or who in the opinion of the Chairman/Vice Chairman of the Show Committee have been guilty of any act or omission involving cruelty or unnecessary suffering to, or neglect of, any animal, and all forfeits, fees and charges shall be due by the person responsible before any removal from the Showground takes place.

Neither the Society nor any of its officers, servants, or assistants shall be in any way responsible for any loss, injury or damages that may happen (from any cause or circumstances whatever) to exhibitors or their servants or assistants or other members of the public, or to any animal or property, or to any vehicle brought into the Showground, or on premises used in conjunction with the Show, or while entering or leaving the same, or otherwise for anything else in connection with, or arising out of, or attributable to the Society's Show or Shows or to the Conditions, Regulations or Bye-Laws prescribed by the Society in relation thereto.

Each exhibitor shall abide by and accept as Final the decisions of the Judges and Officials of the Show who shall have power in their absolute and controlled discretion to withhold any cup or prize for want of merit or lack of competition in any class or otherwise.

CLAIMS

Each exhibitor shall be solely responsible for any consequential or other loss, injury or damage done to or occasioned by, or arising from any animal (including the spread of any infection or contagious disease) or article exhibited or introduced to the Showground by him or her and shall indemnify the Society and its Officials against all actions, proceedings, liabilities, claims, damages and expenses in relation to or arising out of his or her entry or entries in the Show.

GENERAL RULES & SOCIETY'S POWERS

The Show Committee reserves the right to change judges after publication of the Show Schedule and to make any amendments to the classes and running order of the schedule. Where possible, any changes will be sent to competitors following the close of entries, posted on the Website and Social Media. The Council of the Society reserves to itself by its Show Committee the sole and overriding power to interpret these and any other prescribed Conditions, Regulations and Bye-Laws, or the terms of any Prize List or Schedule of Show Conditions and to settle and determine all matters, questions or disputes in regard thereto, or otherwise arising out of or connected with or incidental to their Show or Shows.

Any animal not sufficiently under control shall be removed from the Show Ring immediately at the request of a Judge, Steward, Society official or member of the Show Committee.

Exhibitors shall be responsible for the behaviour of their grooms or assistants or riders and for the consequences of any conduct of such servants or assistants and all persons in charge of exhibits shall be subject to the orders of the Judge, Steward, Society official or member of the Show Committee.

ENTRIES ARE ACCEPTED ON THE ASSUMPTION THAT EXHIBITORS HAVE READ AND UNDERSTOOD THE RULES AND REGULATIONS AS LAID DOWN IN THE 2025 NPS RULEBOOK.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

All exhibits must be registered in the Stud Book or Register of their respective Breed or Type.

All Stallions and Colts two years old and over must hold a current Stallion licence, unless otherwise governed by their individual Breed Society. Two and three year old Colts are to be judged as likely to make future Stallions. In Hand stallions and colts 2 years old or over must be adequately bitted and are advised to display a stallion bridle marker available from the NPS office or from any other society.

In the case of a false pedigree being given on the entry form any prizes won will be forfeited.

Brood Mares must be four years old and over and must be shown in the ring with foal at foot which must be at least four weeks old on day of show. A Barren Mare is a mare without a foal at foot in the current season.

It is forbidden to administer any stimulant or sedative or any other substance to a pony or cause one to be administered in any way whatsoever with the object of influencing the pony's performance in the Show Ring. The Society reserves the right to conduct Dope Tests in accordance with NPS Rulebook.

In all classes animals must be sound and healthy. No Veterinary inspection will be required except when considered necessary by the judges or on a protest being lodged. The owner of an animal rejected may, upon application in writing to the Secretary, be furnished with a copy of the Veterinary Certificate. JMB Rules will apply in the event of any dispute relating to the height of a pony.

All exhibitors and persons admitted to the Showground shall be subject to the Rules, Bye Laws, Orders, Regulations and Conditions of the Council of the Society.

Handlers of Stallions and Colts must have attained their 14th birthday before 1st January of the current year.

Please note the following regulations in the interests of safety:-

- It is the owner's due diligence to ensure that horses and ponies are not left unattended whilst tied to the side of trailers or lorries.
- Exhibitors are not allowed to set up corrals in the lorry park.
- Dogs must be kept on a lead and under control at all times whilst on the Showground. The showground require dog waste to be picked up and disposed of with domestic waste, in a suitable container. Please do not place dog waste with stable manure. PLEASE TAKE RESPONSIBILITY FOR YOUR DOG.
- Bicycles, scooters, skateboards etc. are not allowed within the Showground.
- Ponies must only be exercised in the designated areas and must at all times proceed at a walk on the roadways.
- Sleeping or cooking in the stables is not permitted.

- Please obey the instructions of the Show Committee, Stable Management Team or any other Official at all times.

ENQUIRIES

The NPS Office staff are available to answer any queries on the schedule.

HORSE OF THE YEAR THE PRICE FAMILY SHOW SUPREME IN- HAND SEMI FINAL.

The Price Family Supreme In-hand Qualifier held at The NPS Great British In hand Show will offer one qualifying place for the Horse of the Year Show, NEC, 8th – 12th October 2025. The objective of the competition is to find the supreme light horse or pony in -hand champion of the year, irrespective of breed type (excluding heavy horses).

The Price Semi Final is open to qualified combinations who have qualified at one of the Price Family Supreme In Hand Semi Finals in 2025, there is no direct entry into this class.

Both the Champion Home Produced Pony (Championship 26) and the NPS Supreme Horse/Pony of the Year will be eligible to compete in the Supreme In-hand Semi Final, provided it has not previously qualified for the Price Family Supreme In-Hand Final 2025.

If the Champion has already qualified for the Horse of the Year 2025, or is ineligible, then the Reserve Champion may come forward to the NPS Great British In Hand Show Semi Final provided it has not already qualified and is eligible. If both Champion and Reserve Champion have already qualified for Horse of the Year 2025, or are ineligible, then that section will not be represented at the Great British In Hand Show Semi Final.

This class is open to yearlings, 2 year olds, 3 year olds, stallions, broodmares and barren mares only. Broodmares must be with foal at foot or have a relevant certificate of pregnancy. Mares which have not foaled or have lost their foals are eligible to enter with a relevant certificate of pregnancy for the following year. Foal Champions and geldings, four years old and over, are not eligible to compete, or eligible to qualify, for the Horse of the Year 2025.

Data given upon entry of this class is provided to Grandstand Media Limited and is stored on the Grandstand Entries System. For full policy details please visit www.grandstandentries.com

This class will run in accordance with the general rules as set out in the Horse of the Year Show rulebook, a copy of which can be downloaded from: www.hoys.co.uk

**If you would like to mark your pony/horse as 'For Sale' in the printed catalogue, please email the office once you have completed your entries.
admin@nationalponysociety.com**

Ring A	8.30am Hack Breed Classes	Hunter Pony Breed Classes	Rare Breeds In Hand	NB 10.30am Highland Breed Classes	Welsh C & D Breed Classes	NB 12.30pm New Forest Breed Classes	NB 1.30pm HP M&M Small	NB 2.30pm HP Large M&M	CLEAR		
Ring A	Miss H Barton	Mrs A Calvert	Mr A Cooper	Mrs G Simpson	Mr R Marks	Mrs J Woods	Mr A Cooper	Mr A Cooper			
Ring B	Shetland Breed Classes			NB 10.30am Welsh A & Welsh B Breed Classes	Fell Breed Classes	NB 12 noon Connemara Breed Classes	Dartmoor Breed Classes	NB 2.30pm Part Bred In Hand	NB 3.30pm Foal Supreme		
Ring B	Mrs E Lewis			Mrs S Day	Mrs G Cockbain	Mrs B McGrath	Ms S Prior	Mr R Marks	Miss H Barton		
Ring C	Champions Prelim Rounds Fell, Dales	Champion Prelim Rounds Welsh	Champions Prelim Rounds Connemara, New Forest	NB 11.00 am Exmoor Breed Classes	Champions Prelim Rounds Show Pony , Show Hunter Pony, Hack	NB 12.30pm Champ Prelim Rounds Exmoor Dartmoor	Show Pony Breed Classes		Home Produced BRP		
Ring C	Ms S Prior (F), Mrs M Taylor (D)	Mrs S Langford (A, B) Mr S Attrell (C, D)	Mr R Marks (C), Mrs M Taylor (NF)	Mrs K Logan	Miss H Barton (SP), Mrs H Griffin (SHP & Hack)	Mrs J Webb (Ex) Mrs N Shuttleworth (D)	Mrs G Simpson		Mrs M Taylor		
Ring D	Owner Breeder Classes M&M & BRP			NB 11.30am Sports Horse	Coloured In hand		NB 1.30 PM Riding Horse Breed Classes	Sport Pony In hand	NB 3.30pm Prelim Judging O/B	NB 4.15pm Prelim Judging HP	
Ring D	Mrs A Monson (M&M), Mr P Cook (BRP)						Mrs M Taylor	Mrs A Calvert	Mrs A Monson	Mrs B McGrath	Mrs N Shuttleworth

National Pony Society Great British In Hand Show Judges List

Sunday 14th September 2025

Ring A – 8.30am

Show Hack Open Breed Classes
British Riding Pony – Show Hunter Ponies Open Breed Classes
Rare Breeds & Heavy Horse Open Classes
Highland Open Breed Classes
Welsh Section C Open Breed Classes
Welsh Section D Open Breed Classes
New Forest Open Breed Classes
Home Produced - M&M Small Breeds
Home Produced - M&M Large Breeds

Miss H Barton
Mrs A Calvert
Mr A Cooper
Mrs G Simpson
Mr R Marks
Mr R Marks
Mrs J Woods
Mr A Cooper
Mr A Cooper

Ring B –

Shetland Open Breed Classes
Welsh Section A Open Breed Classes
Welsh Section B Open Breed Classes
Fell Open Breed Classes
Connemara Open Breed Classes
Dartmoor Open Breed Classes
Dales Open Breed Classes
Part Bred In Hand
Foal Supreme

Mrs E Lewis
Mrs S Day
Mrs S Day
Mrs G Cockbain
Mrs B McGrath
Ms S Prior
Miss A Pennell
Mr R Marks
Miss H Barton

Ring C –

Fell Champions Prelim Round
Dales Champions Prelim Round
Welsh Section A Champions Prelim Round
Welsh Section B Champions Prelim Round
Welsh Section C Champions Prelim Round
Welsh Section D Champions Prelim Round
Connemara Champions Prelim Round
New Forest Champions Prelim Round
Exmoor Open Breed Classes
British Riding Pony (Show Pony) Champions Prelim Round
Hack Breeding Champions Prelim Round
British Riding Pony (Show Hunter Pony) Champions Prelim Round
Exmoor Champions Prelim Round
Dartmoor Champions Prelim Round
British Riding Pony – Show Ponies Open Breed Classes
Shetland Champions Prelim Round
Highland Champions Prelim Round
Home Produced – British Riding Ponies

Ms S Prior
Mrs M Taylor
Mrs S Langford
Mrs S Langford
Mr S Attrell
Mr S Attrell
Mr R Marks
Mrs M Taylor
Mrs K Logan
Miss H Barton
Mrs J Griffin
Mrs J Griffin
Mrs J Webb
Mrs N Shuttleworth
Mrs G Simpson
Mrs G Cockbain
Mrs K Hawes
Mrs M Taylor

Ring D –

Owner/Breeder – M&M
Owner/Breeder – British Riding Pony
Sport Horse In Hand
Coloured In Hand
Riding Horse In Hand
Hunter In Hand
Young Handler (Stand Alone)
Sport Pony In Hand

Mrs A Monson
Mr P Cook
Mr K Walker
Mr K Walker
Mrs M Taylor
Mrs A Calvert
Mrs A Monson
Mrs B McGrath

Owner/Breeder Championship – Preliminary Judging
Home Produced Championship – Preliminary Judging

Mr K Walker
Mrs N Shuttleworth

GALA EVENING PERFORMANCE

5PM

NPS/HIRSTMUND STUD OWNER/BREEDER CHAMPIONSHIP

Mr K Walker

NPS HIGHLAND SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP

Mrs G Cowell

NPS BRITISH RIDING PONY (SHP) SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP

Mrs M Taylor

NPS EXMOOR SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP

Mrs A Nicholls

NPS/BRITISH CONNEMARA PONY SOCIETY CONNEMARA SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP

Mrs N Shuttleworth

NPS WELSH SECTION D SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP

Mr MT Attrell

NPS COMBINED SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP

Mr S Howard

NPS DARTMOOR SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP

Mrs M Taylor

NPS WELSH SECTION C SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP

Mr MF Attrell

NPS BRITISH RIDING PONY (SHOW PONY) SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP

Mrs J Griffin

NPS DALES SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP

Mr J Elliott

NPS FELL SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP

Mrs G Cowell

NPS WELSH SECTION A SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP

Mrs G Simpson

NPS HACK BREEDING SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP

Mrs M Taylor

NPS/SHARPTOR & BLACKERTOR STUDS SHETLAND SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP

Mrs G Cowell

NPS WELSH SECTION B SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP

Mrs G Simpson

NPS NEW FOREST SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP

Mrs A Nicholls

**NPS SUPREME IN HAND PONY/HORSE OF THE YEAR OVERALL
CHAMPIONSHIP**

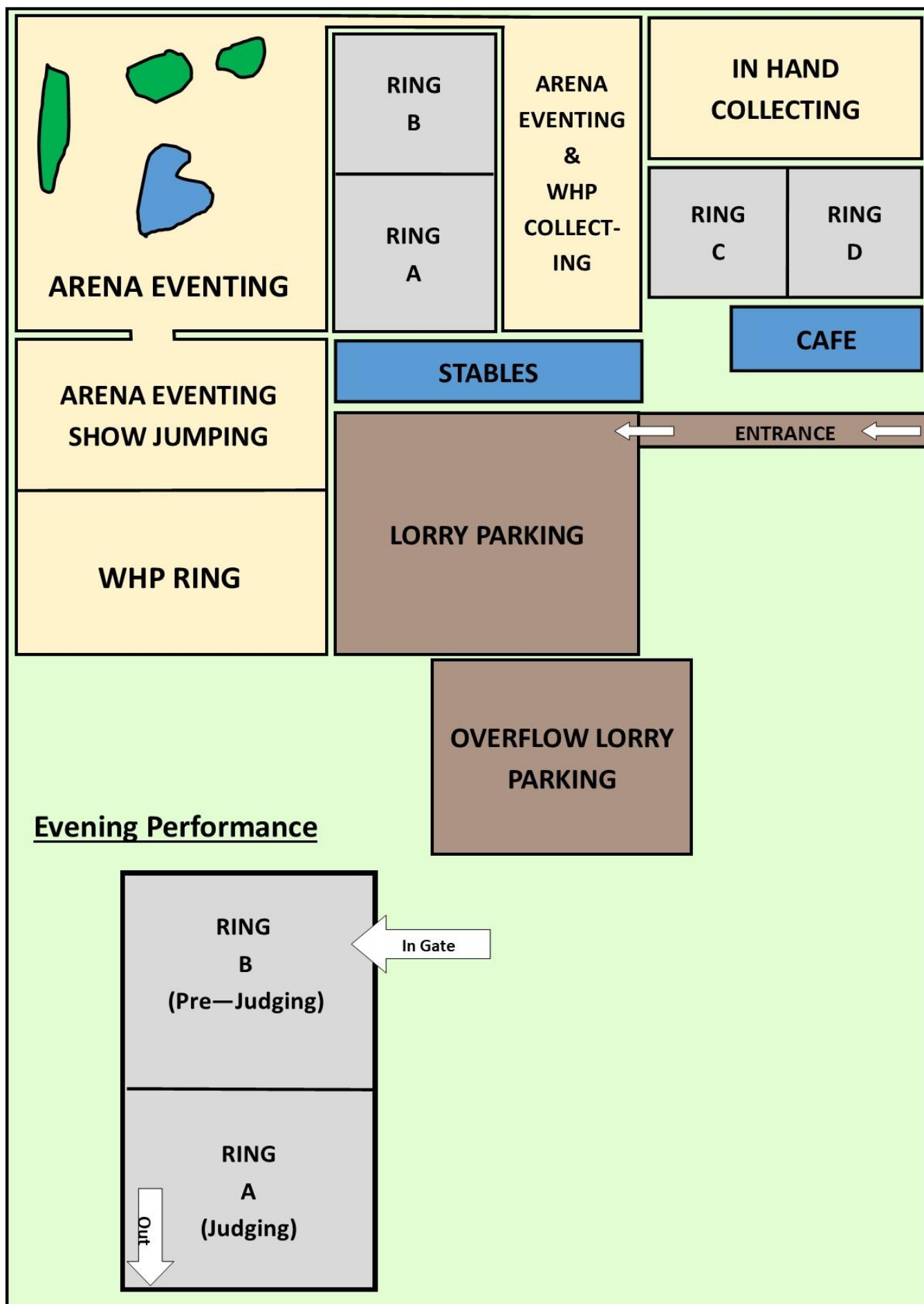
Mrs S Hird

NPS/ELMSWORTH STUD HOME PRODUCED CHAMPIONSHIP

Mrs N Shuttleworth

HOYS PRICE FAMILY SEMI FINAL CHAMPIONSHIP

Ms C Wood





horse of the year show

SAVE THE DATE

8TH - 12TH OCTOBER 2025

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Sunday 14th September 2025

Ring A

8.30am

Not before 8.30am

Show Hack Breeding

Judge: Miss H Barton

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| Class 1 | Stallion, Mare with or without Foal at foot or Gelding 4 years old & over. |
| Class 2 | Foal |
| Class 3 | Yearling Colt, Filly or Gelding |
| Class 4 | 2 & 3 Year Old Colt, Filly or Gelding |

Championship 1: 1st & 2nd prize winners from the Show Hack In hand to compete. Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve to go forward to the NPS Supreme Show Hack Breeding Championship

British Riding Pony - Hunter Ponies

Judge: Mrs A Calvert

Registered or overstamped into 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 studbooks .Not to exceed 153 cms at maturity.

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| Class 5 | Stallion, Mare with or without Foal at foot or Gelding 4 years old & over. |
| Class 6 | Foal |
| Class 7 | Yearling Colt, Filly or Gelding <i>kindly supported by Annabel Jenks</i> |
| Class 8 | 2 & 3 Year Old Colt, Filly or Gelding <i>kindly supported by Annabel Jenks</i> |

Championship 2: 1st & 2nd prize winners from the BRP Hunter Pony In hand to compete. Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve to go forward to the NPS Supreme British Riding Pony (Hunter Pony) Championship

Rare Breeds

Judge: Mr A Cooper

Priority and At Risk breeds as per the RBST classification, this includes Cleveland Bay Horse, Clydesdale Horse, Dales Pony, Dartmoor Pony, Eriskay Pony, Exmoor Pony, Fell Pony, Hackney Horse & Pony, Highland Pony, New Forest Pony, Welsh Section B Pony, Shire Horse and Suffolk Punch Horse.

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| Class 9 | Small Breeds (Dartmoor, Eriskay, Exmoor, Hackney Pony, Welsh Section B) |
| Class 10 | Large Breeds (Cleveland Bay, Dales, Fell, Hackney Horse, Highland, New Forest) |
| Class 11 | Heavy Horse (Clydesdale, Shire, Suffolk Punch) |

Championship 3: 1st & 2nd prize winners from the Rare Breeds In hand to compete. Champion to go forward to the NPS Supreme Combined Championship.

Not before 10.30am

Highland Ponies

Kindly supported by Lucinda Dargavel

Judge: Mrs G Simpson

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| Class 12 | Stallion, Mare with or without Foal at foot or Gelding 4 years old & over <i>kindly supported by Holmedown Highland Ponies</i> |
| Class 13 | Foal |
| Class 14 | Yearling: Colt, Filly or Gelding <i>kindly supported by Perburn Highlands</i> |
| Class 15 | 2 & 3 Year Old Colt, Filly or Gelding |

Championship 4: 1st & 2nd prize winners from the Highland Pony In Hand to compete. Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve to go forward to the NPS Supreme Highland Championship

Welsh Section C

Judge: Mr R Marks

- Class 16 Stallion, Mare with or without Foal at foot or Gelding 4 years old & over
- Class 17 Foal
- Class 18 Yearling Colt, Filly or Gelding
- Class 19 2 & 3 Year Old Colt, Filly or Gelding

Championship 5: 1st & 2nd prize winners from the Welsh Section C to compete. Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve to go forward to the NPS Supreme Welsh Section C Championship

Welsh Section D

Judge: Mr R Marks

- Class 20 Stallion, Mare with or without Foal at foot or Gelding 4 years old & over *kindly supported by Racheal & Issy Hanson*
- Class 21 Foal
- Class 22 Yearling Colt, Filly or Gelding
- Class 23 2 & 3 Year Old Colt, Filly or Gelding *kindly supported by James Longbottom*

Championship 6: 1st & 2nd prize winners from the Welsh Section D In Hand to compete. Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve to go forward to the NPS Supreme Welsh Section D Championship

Not before 12.30pm

New Forest Ponies

Judge: Mrs J Woods

- Class 24 Stallion, Mare with or without Foal at foot or Gelding 4 years old & over
- Class 25 Foal
- Class 26 Yearling Colt, Filly or Gelding
- Class 27 2 & 3 Year Old Colt, Filly or Gelding

Championship 7: 1st & 2nd prize winners from New Forest Pony In Hand to compete. Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve to go forward to the NPS Supreme New Forest Championship. *The New Forest Pony kindly offers a breed society rosette to the Champion.*

Not before 1.30 pm

NPS/Elmswood Stud Home Produced – Mountain & Moorland Small Breeds

Judge: Mr A Cooper

Please see the definition of Home Produced in section A 3.6. of the 2025 NPS Rulebook

- Class 28 Mountain & Moorland Small Breed Youngstock - Yearling
- Class 29 Mountain & Moorland Small Breed Youngstock – 2 and 3 year old
- Class 30 Mountain & Moorland Small Breed 4 year and over *kindly supported by Fi & Pearl Jones*

1st and 2nd prize winners to go forward to the Home Produced Championship in the Evening Performance. Please note there will be preliminary judging at 4.15pm in Ring D.

Not before 2.30 pm

NPS/Elmswood Stud Home Produced – Mountain & Moorland Large Breeds

Judge: Mr A Cooper

Please see the definition of Home Produced in section A 3.6. of the 2025 NPS Rulebook

- Class 31 Mountain & Moorland Large Breed Youngstock – Yearling
- Class 32 Mountain & Moorland Large Breed Youngstock – 2 and 3 year old
- Class 33 Mountain & Moorland Large Breed 4 year and over

1st and 2nd prize winners to go forward to the Home Produced Championship in the Evening Performance. Please note there will be preliminary judging at 4.15pm in Ring D.

Ring B

9.00am

Shetland Ponies

Kindly supported by Acresdale Stud

Judge: Mrs E Lewis

- Class 34 Stallion, Mare with or without Foal at foot or Gelding 4 years old & over *kindly supported by Stocksfield Stud*
Class 35 Yearling Colt, Filly or Gelding *kindly supported by The Equine Dresser*
Class 36 2 & 3 Year Old Colt, Filly or Gelding *kindly supported by Fountaindale Shetlands*
Class 37 Miniature Yearling, 2 & 3 Year Old: Colt, Filly or Gelding not to exceed 34" at maturity *kindly supported by Skyelands Shetland Show*
Class 38 Miniature Stallion, Mare, with or without Foal at foot & Gelding 4 years old & over not exceeding 34" *kindly supported by Courellis Shetland Show*
Class 39 Foal *kindly supported by Shadyrocks Shetlands*

Championship 8: 1st & 2nd prize winners from Shetland Pony In Hand to compete. Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve to go forward to the NPS Supreme Shetland Championship

Not before 10.30am

Welsh Section A Ponies

Judge: Mrs S Day

- Class 40 Stallion, Mare with or without Foal at foot or Gelding 4 years old & over. *Kindly supported by Agatha & Otilie Barsoum-Allen*
Class 41 Foal
Class 42 Yearling Colt, Filly or Gelding *Kindly supported by Agatha & Otilie Barsoum-Allen*
Class 43 2 & 3 Year Old Colt, Filly or Gelding

Championship 9: 1st & 2nd prize winners from Welsh Section A In Hand to compete. Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve to go forward to the NPS Supreme Welsh Section A Championship

Welsh Section B Ponies

Kindly supported by Skellorn Stud

Judge: Mrs S Day

- Class 44 Stallion, Mare with or without Foal at foot or Gelding 4 years old & over *kindly supported by Gillian Simpson*
Class 45 Foal *kindly supported by Gillian Simpson*
Class 46 Yearling Colt, Filly or Gelding
Class 47 2 & 3 Year Old Colt, Filly or Gelding *kindly supported by Rebecca Knight*

Championship 10: 1st & 2nd prize winners from the Welsh Section B In Hand to compete. Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve to go forward to the NPS Supreme Welsh Section B Championship

Fell Ponies

Judge: Mrs G Cockbain

- Class 48 Stallion, Mare with or without Foal at foot or Gelding 4 years old & over *kindly supported by Karen Hodge*
Class 49 Foal
Class 50 Yearling Colt, Filly or Gelding *kindly supported by Hedgethorpe Stud*
Class 51 2 & 3 Year Old Filly or Gelding, *kindly supported by Hedgethorpe Stud*

Championship 11: 1st & 2nd prize winners from the Fell Pony In Hand to compete. Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve to go forward to the NPS Supreme Fell Championship

Not before 12 noon

Connemara Ponies

Kindly supported by Hannah Brock

Judge: Mrs B McGrath

- Class 52 Stallion, Mare with or without Foal at foot or Gelding 4 years old & over
Class 53 Foal
Class 54 Yearling Colt, Filly or Gelding
Class 55 2 & 3 Year Old Colt, Filly or Gelding *kindly supported by Penskyber Equestrian Centre*

Championship 12: 1st & 2nd prize winners from Connemara Pony In Hand to compete. Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve to go forward to the NPS Supreme Connemara Championship

Dartmoor Ponies

Judge: Ms S Prior

- Class 56 Stallion, Mare with or without Foal at foot or Gelding 4 years old & over.
Class 57 Foal
Class 58 Yearling Colt, Filly or Gelding *kindly supported by Madge Taylor*
Class 59 2 & 3 Year Old Colt, Filly or Gelding *kindly supported by Duradens Stud*

Championship 13: 1st & 2nd prize winners the Dartmoor In Hand to compete. Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve to go forward to the NPS Supreme Dartmoor Championship

Dales Ponies

Judge: Miss A Pennell

- Class 60 Stallion, Mare with or without Foal at foot or Gelding 4 years old & over
Class 61 Foal
Class 62 Yearling Colt, Filly or Gelding.
Class 63 2 & 3 Year Old Colt, Filly or Gelding

Championship 14: 1st & 2nd prize winners from the Dales In Hand to compete. Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve to go forward to the NPS Supreme Dales Championship

Not before 2.30pm

Part Bred In Hand

Judge: Mr R Marks

- Class 64 Part Bred Arab. Horse/Pony to be registered in the partbred or anglo arab section of the Arab Horse Society with a minimum of 12.5% Arab blood
Class 65 Part Bred M&M. Horse/Pony to be registered in the partbred section of one of the M&M studbooks with a minimum of 12.5% of that breed blood

Championship 15: 1st & 2nd prize winners from the Part Bred In hand to compete. Champion to go forward to the NPS Supreme Combined Championship

Not before 3.30pm

NPS/MIDLANDS FOAL & YOUNGSTOCK SHOW FOAL SUPREME

Judge: Miss H Barton

Championship 16: 1st & 2nd prize winners from all foal classes.

Ring C

9.00am

NPS PONY OF THE YEAR FINAL – CHAMPIONS PRELIM ROUNDS

Open to ponies who have been placed champion or reserve in an NPS In Hand Silver Medal during the 2025 season or who were national final in hand champion or reserve, breed champion or reserve at the NPS Summer Championship Show 2025 or M&M breed champion or reserve at selected county shows. Hacks qualify by winning an Ottergayle qualifier during the 2025 season including at the NPS Summer Championship Show 2025. A full list of all Champions Prelim Round qualified ponies can be found on <https://www.nationalponysociety.com/qualified-ponies>

Judge: Ms S Prior

Fell Champions Prelim Round

- Class 66 Fell.
1st & 2nd & 3rd prize winners to go forward to the NPS Supreme Fell Championship.

Judge: Mrs M Taylor

Dales Champions Prelim Round

- Class 67 Dales.

1st & 2nd & 3rd prize winners to go forward to the NPS Supreme Dales Championship

Judge: Mrs S Langford

Welsh Section A Champions Prelim Round

Class 68 Welsh Section A.

1st & 2nd & 3rd prize winners to go forward to the NPS Supreme Welsh Section A Championship

Judge: Mrs S Langford

Welsh Section B Champions Prelim Round

Class 69 Welsh Section B.

1st & 2nd & 3rd prize winners to go forward to the NPS Supreme Welsh Section B Championship

Judge: Mr S Attrell

Welsh Section C Champions Prelim Round

Class 70 Welsh Section C.

1st & 2nd & 3rd prize winners to go forward to the NPS Supreme Welsh Section C Championship

Judge: Mr S Attrell

Welsh Section D Champions Prelim Round

Class 71 Welsh Section D.

1st & 2nd & 3rd prize winners to go forward to the NPS Supreme Welsh Section D Championship

Judge: Mr R Marks

Connemara Champions Prelim Round

Kindly supported by Basil B Williams Connemara Ponies

Class 72 Connemara.

1st & 2nd & 3rd prize winners to go forward to the NPS Supreme Connemara Championship

Judge: Mrs M Taylor

New Forest Champions Prelim Round

Class 73 New Forest.

1st & 2nd & 3rd prize winners to go forward to the NPS Supreme New Forest Championship

Not before 11.00am

Exmoor Ponies

Judge: Mrs K Logan

Class 74 Stallion, Mare with or without Foal at foot or Gelding 4 years old & over.

Class 75 Foal

Class 76 Yearling Colt, Filly or Gelding

Class 77 2 & 3 Year Old Colt, Filly or Gelding

Championship 17: 1st & 2nd prize winners from Exmoor Pony In Hand to compete. Champion, Reserve and 2nd Reserve to go forward to the NPS Supreme Exmoor Championship

Judge: Miss H Barton

British Riding Pony (Show Pony) Champions Prelim Round

Class 78 British Riding Pony.(Show Pony)

1st & 2nd & 3rd prize winners to go forward to the NPS Supreme British Riding Pony (Show Pony) Championship.

Judge: Mrs J Griffin

British Riding Pony (Show Hunter Pony) Champions Prelim Round

Kindly supported by Karen Pollard

Class 79 British Riding Pony (Show Hunter Pony)

1st & 2nd & 3rd prize winners to go forward to the NPS Supreme British Riding Pony (Hunter Pony) Championship

Judge: Mrs J Griffin

Show Hack Breeding Champions Prelim Round

Class 80 Hack

1st & 2nd & 3rd prize winners to go forward to the NPS Hack Breeding Supreme Championship

Not before 12.30pm

Judge: Mrs J Webb

Exmoor Champions Prelim Round

Class 81 Exmoor.

1st & 2nd & 3rd prize winners to go forward to the NPS Supreme Exmoor Championship

Judge: Mrs N Shuttleworth

Dartmoor Champions Prelim Round

Kindly supported by Dewley Highland Ponies

Class 82 Dartmoor.

1st & 2nd & 3rd prize winners to go forward to the NPS Supreme Dartmoor Championship

British Riding Pony - Show Ponies

Kindly supported by Henrietta Barton

Judge: Mrs G Simpson

Registered or overstamped into 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 studbooks. Not to exceed 148 cms at maturity.

- Class 83 Yearling Colt, Filly or Gelding *kindly supported by Annabel Jenks*
Class 84 Stallion, Mare with or without Foal at foot or Gelding 4 years old & over not to exceed 12.2hh.
Class 85 2 & 3 Year Old Colt, Filly or Gelding not to exceed 12.2hh at maturity *kindly supported by Annabel Jenks*
Class 86 Stallion, Mare with or without Foal at foot or Gelding 4 years old & over not to exceed 13.2hh.
Class 87 2 & 3 Year Old Colt, Filly or Gelding not to exceed 13.2hh at maturity *kindly supported by Basford Stud*
Class 88 Stallion, Mare with or without Foal at foot or Gelding 4 years old & over not to exceed 14.2hh.
Class 89 2 & 3 Year Old Colt, Filly or Gelding not to exceed 14.2hh at maturity
Class 90 Foal

Championship 18: 1st & 2nd prize winners from the BRP Show Pony In hand to compete. Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve to go forward to the NPS Supreme British Riding Pony (Show Pony) Championship

Not before 3.00pm

Judge: Mrs G Cockbain

Shetland Champions Prelim Round

Kindly supported by Team Sylvandene

Class 91 Shetland.

1st & 2nd & 3rd prize winners to go forward to the NPS Supreme Shetland Championship

Judge: Mrs K Hawes

Highland Champions Prelim Round

Class 92 Highland.

1st & 2nd & 3rd prize winners to go forward to the NPS Supreme Highland Championship

NPS/Elmswood Stud Home Produced – British Riding Pony

Judge: Mrs M Taylor

Please see the definition of Home Produced in section A 3.6. of the 2025 NPS Rulebook

- Class 93 Registered British Riding Pony Youngstock – Yearling
Class 94 Registered British Riding Pony Youngstock – 2 and 3 year old
Class 95 Registered British Riding Pony 4 year and over

1st and 2nd prize winners to go forward to the Home Produced Championship in the Evening Performance. Please note there will be preliminary judging at 4.15pm in Ring D.

Ring D

9.00am

NPS/Hirstmund Stud Owner/Breeder – Mountain & Moorland

Judge: Mrs A Monson

Open to ponies registered in the ownership of the recorded breeder.

Class 96	Mountain & Moorland Small Breed Youngstock
Class 97	Mountain & Moorland Large Breed Youngstock
Class 98	Mountain & Moorland Small Breed 4 year old and over
Class 99	Mountain & Moorland Large Breed 4 year old and over

1st and 2nd prize winners to go forward to the Owner/Breeder Championship in the Evening Performance. Please note there will be preliminary judging at 3.30pm in Ring D.

NPS/Hirstmund Stud Owner/Breeder – British Riding Pony

Judge: Mr P Cook

Open to ponies registered in the ownership of the recorded breeder.

Class 100	Registered British Riding Pony Youngstock
Class 101	Registered British Riding Pony 4 year old and over

1st and 2nd prize winners to go forward to the Owner/Breeder Championship in the Evening Performance. Please note there will be preliminary judging at 3.30pm in Ring D.

Not before 11.30am

Sport Horse

Judge: Mr K Walker

Exceeding 148 cms at maturity. To be judged on suitability for dressage, show jumping or eventing.

Class 102	Stallion, Mare with or without Foal at foot or Gelding 4 years old & over
Class 103	Foal
Class 104	Yearling Colt, Filly or Gelding
Class 105	2 & 3 Year Old Colt, Filly or Gelding

Championship 19: 1st & 2nd prize winners from the Riding Horse In hand to compete. Champion to go forward to the NPS Supreme Combined Championship.

Coloured Horse/Pony

Judge: Mr K Walker

Open to any breed. Must have a patch of naturally occurring white above the level of the stifle, excluding face markings.

Class 106	Stallion, Mare with or without Foal at foot or Gelding 4 years old & over
Class 107	Foal
Class 108	Yearling Colt, Filly or Gelding <i>kindly supported by Hazel Sleight</i>
Class 109	2 & 3 Year Old Colt, Filly or Gelding

Championship 20: 1st & 2nd prize winners from the Coloured Horse/Pony In hand to compete. Champion to go forward to the NPS Supreme Combined Championship.

Not before 1.30pm

Riding Horse

Judge: Mrs M Taylor

Class 110	Stallion, Mare with or without Foal at foot or Gelding 4 years old & over
Class 111	Foal
Class 112	Yearling Colt, Filly or Gelding

Class 113 2 & 3 Year Old Colt, Filly or Gelding

Championship 21: 1st & 2nd prize winners from the Riding Horse In hand to compete. Champion to go forward to the NPS Supreme Combined Championship.

Hunter

Kindly supported by Virginia Russell-Wood

Judge: Mrs A Calvert

Exceeding 148cms

Class 114 Stallion, Mare with or without Foal at foot or Gelding 4 years old & over
Class 115 Foal
Class 116 Yearling Colt, Filly or Gelding
Class 117 2 & 3 Year Old Colt, Filly or Gelding

Championship 22: 1st & 2nd prize winners from the Hunter In hand to compete. Champion to go forward to the NPS Supreme Combined

NPS Young Handler

Judge: Mrs A Monson

The aim of this class is to find the best young handler. Pony's confirmation is not taken into account. Open to M&M and plaited ponies.

Class 118 Young Handler. Mare or gelding 4 years old or over to be led by a handler 5 years of age but not to have attained their 12th birthday by 1st January in the current year.
Class 119 Young Handler. Mare or gelding 4 years old or over to be led by a handler 13 years of age but not to have attained their 18th birthday by 1st January in the current year.

Championship 23: 1st & 2nd prize winners from the Young Handler to compete.

Sport Pony

Judge: Mrs B McGrath

Not to exceed 148 cms at maturity. Pony to be judged on suitability for dressage, show jumping or eventing.

Class 120 Youngstock
Class 121 4 years old and over

Championship 24: 1st & 2nd prize winners from the Sport Pony In hand to compete. Champion to go forward to the NPS Supreme Combined Championship.

Not before 3.30pm

NPS/HIRSTMUND STUD OWNER/BREEDER CHAMPIONSHIP – PRELIMINARY JUDGING

Judge: Mr K Walker

Owner/Breeder Championship 25: Open to 1st & 2nd prize winners from Classes 96-101. Final judging and presentations in the Evening Performance

Not before 4.15pm

NPS/ELMSWOOD STUD HOME PRODUCED CHAMPIONSHIP – PRELIMINARY JUDGING

Judge: Mrs N Shuttleworth

Home Produced Championship 26: Open to 1st & 2nd prize winners from Classes 28-33 & 93-95. Final judging and presentations in the Evening Performance



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EVENING PERFORMANCE

5.00pm

NPS/HIRSTMUND STUD OWNER/BREEDER CHAMPIONSHIP

Judge: Mr K Walker

Championship 25: Open to 1st & 2nd prize winners from Classes 96-101.

Prize Money:

Champion £150

Reserve £100

Third Place £50

NPS SUPREME PONY/HORSE OF THE YEAR – BREED CHAMPIONSHIPS

In the Evening Performance the indoor arena will be split into a pre judging ring and a final presentation ring.

Judge: Mrs G Cowell

NPS Supreme Championship 1: Highland

Open to Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve from the Highland Breed Classes (Championship 4) and 1st, 2nd & 3rd from the Highland Champions Prelim Round (Class 92)

Judge: Mrs M Taylor

NPS/ Pip Baker - Beall Supreme Championship 2: British Riding Pony (Show Hunter Pony)

Open to Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve from the British Riding Pony (Show Hunter Pony) Breed Classes (Championship 2) and 1st, 2nd & 3rd from the British Riding Pony (Show Hunter Pony) Champions Prelim Round (Class 79)

Judge: Mrs A Nicholls

NPS/ Supreme Championship 3: Exmoor

Open to Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve from the Exmoor Breed Classes (Championship 17) and 1st, 2nd & 3rd from the Exmoor Champions Prelim Round (Class 81)

Judge: Mrs N Shuttleworth

NPS/British Connemara Pony Society Supreme Championship 4: Connemara

Open to Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve from the Connemara Breed Classes (Championship 12) and 1st, 2nd & 3rd from the Connemara Champions Prelim Round (Class 72)

Judge: Mr M T Attrell

NPS Supreme Championship 5: Welsh Section D

Open to Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve from the Welsh Section D Breed Classes (Championship 6) and the 1st, 2nd & 3rd from the Welsh Section D Champions Prelim Round (Class 71)

Judge: Mr S Howard

NPS/ Supreme Championship 6: Combined

Open to Champion from the Part Bred (Championship 15), Hunter (Championship 22), Coloured (Championship 20), Sport Pony (Championship 24), Sport Horse (Championship 19), Riding Horse (Championship 21) and Rare Breeds (Championship 3).

Judge: Mrs M Taylor

NPS/ Supreme Championship 7: Dartmoor

Open to Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve from the Dartmoor Breed Classes (Championship 13) and 1st, 2nd & 3rd from the Dartmoor Champions Prelim Round (Class 82)

Judge: Mr M T Attrell

NPS/ Supreme Championship 8: Welsh Section C

Open to Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve from the Welsh Section C Breed Classes (Championship 5) and 1st, 2nd & 3rd from the Welsh Section C Champions Prelim Round (Class 70)

Judge: Mrs J Griffin

NPS/ Supreme Championship 9: British Riding Pony (Show Pony)

Open to Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve from the British Riding Pony (Show Pony) Breed Classes (Championship 18) and 1st, 2nd & 3rd from the British Riding Pony (Show Pony) Champions Prelim Round (Class 78)

Judge: Mr J Elliot

NPS/ Supreme Championship 10: Dales

Open to Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve from the Dales Breed Classes (Championship 14) and 1st, 2nd & 3rd from the Dales Champions Prelim Round (Class 67)
The Dales Pony Society will generously provide a DPS In Hand Rosette to the Champion.

Judge: Mrs G Cowell

NPS Supreme Championship 11: Fell

Open to Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve from the Fell Breed Classes (Championship 11) and 1st, 2nd & 3rd from the Fell Champions Prelim Round (Class 66)

Judge: Mrs G Simpson

NPS Supreme Championship 12: Welsh Section A

Open to Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve from the Welsh Section A Breed Classes (Championship 9) and 1st, 2nd & 3rd from the Welsh Section A Champions Prelim Round (Class 68)

Judge: Mrs M Taylor

NPS/ Supreme Championship 13: Hack Breeding

Open to Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve from the Hack Breeding Classes (Championship 1) and 1st, 2nd & 3rd from the Hack Breeding Champions Prelim Round (Class 80)

Judge: Mrs G Cowell

NPS/Sharptor & Blackertor Studs Supreme Championship 14: Shetland

Open to Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve from the Shetland Breed Classes (Championship 8) and 1st, 2nd & 3rd from the Shetland Champions Prelim Round (Class 91)

Judge: Mrs G Simpson

NPS Supreme Championship 15: Welsh Section B

Open to Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve from the Welsh Section B Breed Classes (Championship 10) and 1st, 2nd & 3rd from the Welsh Section B Champions Prelim Round (Class 69)

Judge: Mrs A Nicholls

NPS Supreme Championship 16: New Forest

Open to Champion, Reserve & 2nd Reserve from the New Forest Breed Classes (Championship 7) and 1st, 2nd & 3rd from the New Forest Champions Prelim Round (Class 73)
The New Forest Pony Society will generously provide a Best of Breed Star Rosette to the Champion.

NPS SUPREME IN HAND PONY/HORSE OF THE YEAR – OVERALL CHAMPIONSHIP

Judge: Mrs S Hird

**The Champions from Supreme Championships 1 to 16 will come forward
to find the NPS Supreme In Hand Pony/Horse of the Year**

Fabulous prize money down the line:

Champion - £400

Reserve – £200

Second Reserve - £100

4th - £50

5th - £25

6th – 16th - £10

**The NPS Supreme Champion is eligible for the Price Family Semi Final
Championship (Class 122)**

**A huge thank you to THE ROSETTE SHED for
generously donating the sashes and rosettes for
the Supreme**



NPS/ELMSWOOD STUD HOME PRODUCED CHAMPIONSHIP

Judge: Mrs N Shuttleworth

Championship 26: Open to 1st & 2nd prize winners from Classes 28-33 & 93-95.

Prize Money:

Champion £150

Reserve £100

Third Place £50

The Home Produced Champion is eligible for the Price Family Semi Final (Class 122)

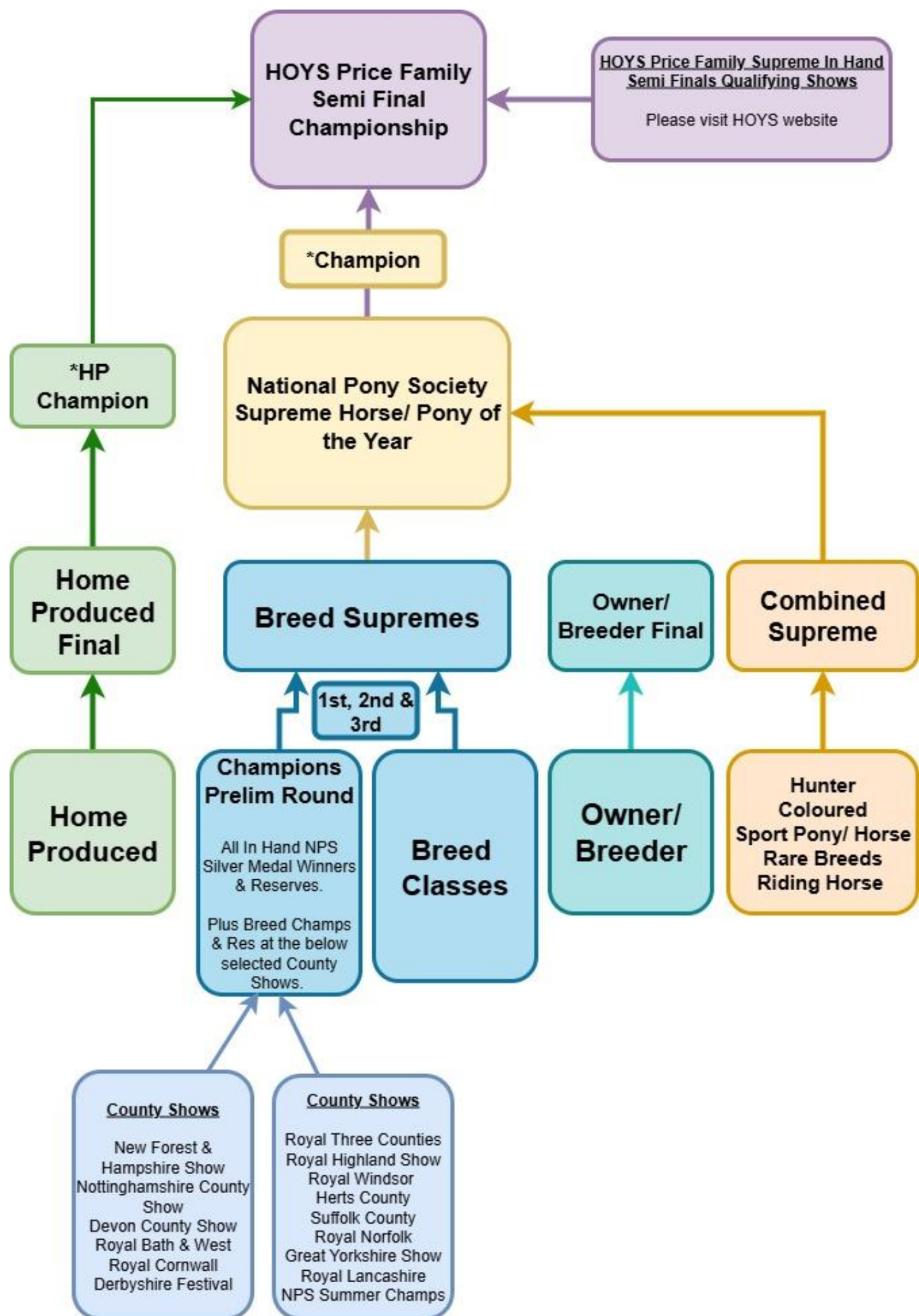
HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW PRICE FAMILY SEMI FINAL CHAMPIONSHIP

Judge: Ms C Wood

This class is open to qualified combinations who have qualified at one of the Price Family Supreme In Hand Semi Finals in 2025, there is no direct entry into this class.

This class is a qualifier for the Supreme In-Hand Championship, N.E.C., Birmingham, 7th-12th October 2025. The objective of the competition is to find the supreme light horse or pony in-hand champion of the year, irrespective of breed or type (excluding heavy horses). This is a Horse of the Year Show Qualifier, all data given upon entry of this class is provided to Grandstand Media Limited and stored on the Grandstand Entries System. For full policy details please visit www.grandstandentries.com. Qualification will be verified by the Horse of the Year Show office

Class 122 Price Family Semi Final Championship (Horse of the Year Show Qualifier)



The National Pony Society Autumn Performance Show

SUNDAY 14TH SEPTEMBER 2025

**Vale View Equestrian Centre, Old Dalby
Leicestershire, LE14 3LX**

Featuring:

**Finals of the NPS/Anthony Evans Arena Eventing Challenge,
NPS RIHS M&M WHP Qualifiers,
Last chance Arena Eventing Qualifiers,
Summer 2026 WHP Qualifiers.**

Entries to:

**Show Secretary
The National Pony Society,
RASE Centre,
6th Street
Stoneleigh Park,
Warwickshire
CV8 2LG**

**Email shows@nationalponysociety.com
Tel 01420 88333**

**NOT BEFORE TIMES MAY BE UPDATED AFTER THE CLOSE OF ENTRIES,
PLEASE SEE WEBSITE AND SOCIAL MEDIA FOR UPDATES**

**Entries Close: Postal: Friday 5th September, Online: Monday 8th September
Stable Bookings booked directly with Vale View**

WHP Arena	NPS/Simons Family & Marbeth Stud Training Stakes S ▶ L	NPS/Elite Novice M&M WHP Q L ▶ S	Stevenson Bros FR WHP	NB 12.00 NPS/ Baileys RIHS M & M WHP Q 122cm & 133cm	NB 2pm NPS/ Baileys RIHS M & M WHP Q 143cm & Exc 143cm	20 minute break	NPS Orlando Stud Junior M&M WHP L ▶ S	
	Barbara McGrath	Nicola Shuttleworth (J) Sarah Prior (Conf)	Nicola Shuttleworth	Stephen Howard (J) Sara Hird C)	Stephen Howard (J) Sara Hird (C)		Gill Simpson (J) Gill Cowell (C)	
Arena Eventing Arena	Arena Eventing Qualifier 90cm	Arena Eventing Qualifier 70cm		course change		NB 12.30pm NPS/ANTHONY EVANS ARENA EVENTING FINAL 90cm	NB 2.30pm NPS/ANTHONY EVANS ARENA EVENTING FINAL Junior	NPS/ANTHONY EVANS ARENA EVENTING FINAL 70cm
	Julia Woods	Julia Woods		Carolyn Whiteley & Paul Cook				

GENERAL INFORMATION FOR THE AUTUMN PERFORMANCE SHOW

ENTRY FEES

Prices: Prices in brackets reflect on-the-day prices where applicable

	NPS Members	Non-Members		NPS Members	Non-Members
RIHS WHP	£38 (£50)	N/A	WHP Classes	£25 (£35)	£35 (£45)
ARENA EVENTING FINALS	£35 (£35)	N/A	Arena Eventing Qualifiers	£25 (£35)	£35 (£45)
			Transfer of Class	£5	£5
Entry Fee for all Royal International Qualifiers includes a £12 Royal International levy					
Emergency Cover of £3 payable once per Exhibitor					

*Once an entry has been made no fees are refundable unless a vet's certificate is produced.
There will be a **£20** admin charge for refunds.*

PRIZE MONEY

At the discretion of the Chairman of the Show Committee; Classes which have less than 4 entries may be cancelled or amalgamated.

- Prize money will be awarded to the first 3 placed in the Royal International Horse Show WHP Qualifying Rounds

1st £38; 2nd £15; 3rd £10

- Prize money will be awarded to the first 3 placed in the Arena Eventing Finals
1st £35; 2nd £25; 3rd £10 & £50.00 to the section Champion and £30.00 to the Reserve

All prize money must be collected on the day

STABLING & HOOK UP

Stabling to be booked online through the Vale View website . £35 for overnight stay, £25 for a day stable. Hook Up £30+VAT per night. Details on the Vale View website <https://www.valeviewequestrian.co.uk/> and <https://irp.cdn-website.com/f3df7208/files/uploaded/STABLINGPOLICY%2024.pdf>

Catering – Any competitors who will require evening meals on Saturday or Sunday night will need to **pre-order with the venue.**

Sunday 14th September 2025

Richardson Family WHP Arena

NPS/Simons Family & Marbeth Stud WHP Training Stakes 2026 Qualifier	Mrs B McGrath
NPS/Elite Coachworks & Horseboxes Ltd Novice M&M WHP National Championship 2026 Qual	Mrs N Shuttleworth & Ms S Prior
NPS/Stevenson Brothers Rocking Horses M&M First Ridden WHP 2026 Qualifier	Mrs N Shuttleworth
NPS/Baileys Horse Feeds RIHS M&M WHP 2026 Qualifier	Mr S Howard s & Mrs S Hird
NPS/Orlando Stud Junior M&M WHP 2026 Qualifier	Mrs G Simpson & Mrs G Cowell

Arena Eventing Arena

NPS/Anthony Evans Arena Eventing Qualifier 90cm/70cm/Junior	Mrs J Woods
NPS/Anthony Evans Arena Eventing Challenge Final 90cm/Junior/70cm	Mrs C Whiteley & Mr P Cook

Coursebuilder: Mr David Norlander



Anthony D Evans Insurance
National Pony Society Autumn Festival Judges List

Richardson Family WHP Arena

8am

NPS/SIMONS FAMILY & MARBETH STUD Working Hunter Pony Training Stakes National Championship (M&M & Plaited) Qualifier 2026

Judge: Mrs B McGrath

Please note entries in this section may be restricted.

Open to Stallions, Mares and Gelding four years old & over, in possession of an equine passport but no specific registration or Breed Society criteria.

- These classes are designed to encourage the pony / rider to perform stylishly.
- Riders may only ride 1 pony per class.

- 123. Height of fences : 45cms – 55cms
- 124. Height of fences : 55cms – 70cms
- 125. Height of fences : 70cms – 85cms
- 126. Height of fences: 85cms – 100cms

Championship 27: 1st & 2nd prize winners from the training stakes to compete.

NPS/ELITE COACHWORKS & HORSEBOXES LTD Novice M&M Working Hunter Pony National Championship Qualifier 2026

Judges: Mrs N Shuttleworth (Jump) and Ms S Prior (Conf)

Open to novice Stallions, Mares and Gelding four years old & over, registered in the main body of their Breed Society Stud Book

- 127. Ponies exceeding 143cms but not exceeding 148cms (except for Dales and Welsh Section D for which there is no height restriction)
- 128. Ponies exceeding 133cms but not exceeding 143cms
- 129. Ponies exceeding 122cms but not exceeding 133cms
- 130. Ponies not exceeding 122cms

Championship 28: 1st & 2nd prize winners from the M&M Novice WHP to compete.

NPS/STEVENSON BROTHERS ROCKING HORSES First Ridden M&M Working Hunter Pony National Championship Qualifier 2026

Judge: Mrs N Shuttleworth

131. First Ridden WHP. Mare or Gelding 4 years old & over, not exceeding 128cms. Part bred are not eligible. Riders must have attained their 5th birthday but not their 12th birthday before the 1st January in the current year. Riders not to have qualified for HOYS or the RIHS M&M WHP finals on any pony prior to the 1st January in the current year

Not before 12 Noon

NPS/BAILEYS HORSE FEEDS M&M Working Hunter Pony RIHS Championship Qualifying Round 2026

*****Owners of ponies in this class must be Qualifying or Life Members of the NPS to enter this class. Riders must be Qualifying, Life or Junior Members to compete in the Final at RIHS*****

Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 5 years old or over, registered in the main body of their Breed Society Stud Book. Ponies may be measured at the Judge's discretion and must be within the specified height range for their breed. Rider any age, except stallions (see Section A.3.2 in the NPS Rule Book). Riders may only ride one pony in each class.

The highest placed pony in each class goes forward to the Final at the RIHS. Where the winner has already qualified the pony standing next in line that has not previously qualified receives the qualification. Qualification to go no lower than 3rd place. (NB: the qualification has to be verified by the NPS Office within 8 weeks of the qualification.)

Judges: Mr S Howard (Jump) & Mrs S Hird (Conf)

- 132. Ponies not exceeding 122cms
- 133. Ponies exceeding 122cms but not exceeding 133cms

20 minute break

Not before 2.00pm

Judges: Mr S Howard (Jump) & Ms S Hird (Conf)

- 134. Ponies exceeding 133cms but not exceeding 143cms
- 135. Ponies exceeding 143cms but not exceeding 148cms (except for Dales and Welsh Section D for which there is no height restriction)

Championship 29: 1st & 2nd prize winners from the RIHS WHP qualifiers to compete

NPS/ORLANDO STUD Junior M&M Working Hunter Pony Qualifier 2026

Judges: Mrs G Simpson (Jump) & Mrs G Cowell (Conf)

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 to be judged according to type, either a working hunter or working show pony.

- 136. Ponies exceeding 138cms but not exceeding 148cms (except for Dales and Welsh Section D for which there is no height restriction). Rider under 18 years as of 1st January
- 137. Ponies exceeding 128cms but not exceeding 138cms Rider under 16 years as of 1st January
- 138. Ponies not exceeding 128cms. Rider under 14 years as of 1st January

Championship 30: 1st & 2nd prize winners from the plaited open WHP/WSP to compete.

Arena Eventing Arena

8am

NPS/ANTHONY EVANS ARENA EVENTING CHALLENGE QUALIFIERS

Judge: Mrs J Woods

This class is a qualifier for the NPS/ANTHONY EVANS ARENA EVENTING CHALLENGE FINAL. The Final will be held at Vale View EC on Sunday 14th September. The final is open to Stallions, Mares and Geldings four year old and over, in possession of an equine passport but no specific registration or breed society criteria, not exceeding 158cm. Ponies' manes may be plaited at competitor discretion.

The aim of the competition is to achieve the fewest penalties from the total of the three components – SJ penalties, XC penalties and speed (as close to the optimum time as possible). Some XC fences have a knock down top rail. If this is knocked down, 4 penalties will be added to the penalty score. The suggested speed is 340 m/m for 70cm and 360m/m for 90cm.

Penalties –	Knockdown	2 penalties
	Refusal	4 penalties
	Each commenced second over the optimum time	1 penalty
	Each commenced second in excess of 5 seconds under the optimum time	1 penalty
	Fall of Horse or Rider	Elimination
	Third refusal, run-out or circle at same obstacle	Elimination
	Four refusals around the course	Elimination

In the event of a tie the winner will be the one closest to, but under the optimum time.

Qualification will be gained by achieving a top 10 placing. The owner does not have to be an NPS member for the pony to enter this competition or qualify, but the owner must be a Qualifying, Performance or Life member of the NPS to enter the final.

- 139. Arena Eventing Challenge 90cm
- 140.A Arena Eventing Challenge 70cm
- 140.B Arena Eventing Challenge – Junior -Rider not to have attained their 16th birthday by 1st January in the current year

Not before 12.30pm

NPS/ANTHONY EVANS ARENA EVENTING CHALLENGE FINALS 2025

Judges: Mrs C Whiteley & Mr P Cook

Open to ponies that have qualified during the 2025 season. A full list of qualified ponies can be found on the National Pony Society website. <https://www.nationalponysociety.com/qualified-ponies/>

Open to Stallions, Mares and Geldings four year old and over, in possession of an equine passport but no specific registration or breed society criteria not exceeding 158cm. Ponies' manes may be plaited at competitor discretion. Ponies may be measured at the judge's discretion. **Riders may ride more than one pony in each class.**

There will be 50 marks available from each judge, with a total of 100 marks available in total.

Section I	Flatwork	20 Marks (5 each for walk, trot, canter and gallop)
Section II	Jumping	20 Marks (10 each for show jumping and cross country)
Section III	Suitability	10 Marks
	Total	50 Marks

Section I – Flatwork

Enter the arena and the bell will signal the start of your round. Maximum time allowed of 2 minutes and 30 seconds. Marks are awarded for each pace, not accuracy of movements.

Compulsory movements include:

Medium walk (minimum of 15 metres)

Working trot left, to include one 20m diameter circle

Working trot right, to include one 20m diameter circle

Working canter left, to include one 20m diameter circle

Working canter right, to include one 20m diameter circle

Continue straight into the jumping phase

Section II – Jumping

There will be 6-8 show jumping fences including one double, followed immediately by 10-12 cross country fences that may include water and steps.

2 marks will be deducted for a knock down and 4 for a refusal. Three refusals at the same fence or four refusals around the course will result in Elimination.

Marks will be awarded for fluency, jumping ability and technique.

On jumping the final cross country fence, please demonstrate approximately 20m of gallop before pulling up and leaving the arena in walk.

Section III – Suitability

The judges will be looking for a pony that demonstrates the quality, athleticism and rideability to succeed in eventing and performance.

- 141. Arena Eventing Challenge Final 90cm (Ponies to have qualified in 75cm to 90cm qualifying rounds)
- 142. Arena Eventing Challenge Junior Final 65cm – Rider not to have attained their 16th birthday by 1st January in the current year. (Ponies to have qualified in 60cm to 70cm qualifying rounds)
- 143. Arena Eventing Challenge Final 70cm (Ponies to have qualified in 60cm to 70cm qualifying rounds)

Championship 31: 1st & 2nd prize winners from the Arena Eventing Finals to compete



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