

# THE BSPS CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW

TUESDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> TO SATURDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2026

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## **RULES AND REGULATIONS**

Classes 36–39, 82–84, 109–111, 151–154, Owners, Riders and Ponies must be registered with the BSPS, UK Ponies & Horses, NPS, or TSR to compete in HOYS qualifying classes. 171–172 Owners, Riders and Horses must be registered with Sport Horse Breeding (GB), BSHA, NPS, UK Ponies & Horses, TSR, or BSPS

Classes 181, 202–206, 225–227, 252–253 Owner, Riders and Ponies must be registered with the BSPS, UK Ponies Horses, NPS, or TSR to compete in and Ponies must be registered in and comply with the showing requirements of their respective breed Society

Classes 260 – 265 Owners, Riders and Horses must be registered with BSHA.

Classes 259, 266 – 270 Owners, Riders and Horses must be registered with BSHA, TSR or SHB (GB).

Owners and Riders must be current BSPS members, and ponies must be registered with the BSPS to compete in all other classes and they will be run under BSPS Rules. Overseas Visitors may compete by invitation.

## **ENTRIES**

**ENTRIES CLOSE –9<sup>th</sup> August 2026** All entries and stabling MUST be paid in full when entries are made.

ENTRIES online at [www.bsps.com](http://www.bsps.com)

***INCORRECT OR TELEPHONE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED***

**Entries received after the closing date and prior to the Show will be online only and accepted subject to an additional £10 per entry providing the classes are not oversubscribed. Entries will NOT be accepted AFTER Friday 21st August at 10.00 am. NO ENTRIES AT THE SHOW, except for the Training Stakes (if pony is already entered at show). No cash will be accepted at the show, card payments only.**

## **ENTRY FEES**

## **NO ENTRY FEE WILL BE REFUNDED**

Any cheque that is not honoured by the nominated Bank will be returned to the exhibitor with their entries, and their memberships and registrations will be suspended in accordance with Page 7 in the 2026 BSPS Rule and Show Handbook.

GOLD CUP CLASSES = £65

BEST OF THE BEST – No Charge

SHOWMAN'S AWARD – No Charge

GRANGE BANK STUD AWARDS – No Charge

BREEDERS CHALLENGE – No Charge

HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW QUALIFYING CLASSES £65 these include a £20.00 Horse of the Year Show contribution

ALL OTHER CLASSES = £43 per entry.

MONDAY EARLY PASSES = £75. £35 for exhibitors over a 300 miles radius (Radius determined by postcodes)

NO EARLY PASS CHARGE FOR EXHIBITORS ENTERING ON THE TUESDAY

**PRE-ORDER CATALOGUES £8                      ON THE DAY PRICE CATALOGUE £10**

## **ONLY ANIMALS COMPETING AT THE SHOW ARE ALLOWED ON THE SHOWGROUND**

**STABLING –10' x 10' Loose Boxes, Barn Stables and Indoor stables may be booked for the duration of the Show only. 10' x 10' Loose Boxes – A limited number are available on a one night basis.**

**MONDAY NIGHT STABLES ARE AVAILABLE TO HORSE EXHIBITORS ONLY; they must be vacated by 4 pm on the Tuesday.**

## **SPONSORS AREA STABLES – @ £175 including VAT available to SPONSORS ONLY**

**A LIMITED NUMBER OF INDOOR/BARN STABLES ARE AVAILABLE TO SPONSORS FOR A £25 SUPPLEMENT = £200**

**Stabling in the Sponsors area must be used for horses/ponies and not for storage of tack and/or feed.**

**GREEN AREA STABLES – 10' x 10" Stables @ £155 including VAT.**

**ONE NIGHT STABLES – 10' x 10' @ £100 per night, including VAT ONLY A LIMITED NUMBER AVAILABLE**

A £10 Surcharge will be charged for stables cancelled prior to the closing date of entries.

**NO REFUNDS on stables cancelled after the closing date of entries.**

**IMPORTANT – FODDER will not be provided but will be available for purchase from ARENA UK**

## **ONLY SHAVINGS ARE PERMITTED**

**PLEASE NOTE THAT NO OUTSIDE FODDER SUPPLIERS WILL BE ALLOWED TO DELIVER TO SITE  
ALL STABLES MUST BE VACATED BY 10 am ON SUNDAY 30<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2026**

**PONIES MUST NOT BE LEFT OVERNIGHT IN HORSEBOXES OR TRAILERS. CORRALS ARE NOT PERMITTED.**

**EQUINE PASSPORTS/INFLUENZA VACCINATION CERTIFICATES –**

See Rule 62a in the 2026 BSPS Rule and Show Handbook. Exhibitors are required to have Passports for all horses/ponies when competing at the show and up to date Equine Inoculation Certificate for each of their exhibits. Any exhibitor found without a Passport or valid certificates for all their animals will be asked to leave the Showground. Under the Licensing Act 2003, the whole of Arena UK is classed as a "Premises" under the new act, ; entry the site by unaccompanied children under the age of 16 will not be permitted.

**THE SHOWGROUND GATES WILL BE OPENED AS FOLLOWS**  
**HORSEBOXES – MONDAY EARLY PASSES ONLY 2 pm until 9 pm. – HORSEBOX GATE**

**Early Passes will be issued at the Gate on the production of your receipt of entries.**

**TUESDAY – 9.00 am until 11.00 pm –HORSEBOX GATE**

**WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY – 6.00 a.m. until 10.00 pm HORSEBOX GATE**

**THE GATES WILL BE LOCKED AT ALL OTHER TIMES**

**CARS – MAIN GATE AT ALL TIMES – Cars leaving during the show must have a pass to regain access.**

**PRIZE MONEY**

CLASSES with 8 or less entries only 1<sup>st</sup> prizemoney. Classes with 4 or less entries, no prize money will be given. ALL OTHER CLASSES – 1<sup>st</sup> £35, 2<sup>nd</sup> £10, 3<sup>rd</sup> £5

ALL PRIZEMONEY MUST BE COLLECTED AT THE SHOW

EXCEPT FOR THE PRIZEMONEY FOR CHAMPIONSHIPS HELD DURING THE EVENING PERFORMANCES WHICH WILL BE SENT AFTER THE SHOW BY POST

**CLASSES**

Classes with 4 or less entries may be amalgamated. In the event of amalgamation there will only be one set of prize money and rosettes. Classes with 4 or less entries no prize money will be given.

**MARKS SHEETS**

Mark sheets will be available to view in the results office at the show. Only mark sheets from Saturday afternoon will be sent out after the show. HOYS mark sheets will not be available to view until after the championship.

**AWARDS**

Rosettes will be awarded to 8<sup>th</sup> Sashes will be awarded to all Champions and Reserve Champions, the winning Teams and the Clear round rosettes to competitors in the Desert Orchid Classes. Finalists' rosettes to all competitors in the QUALIFYING classes. Special Rosettes will be awarded to all competitors in the Non qualifying Lead Rein, First Ridden, Tiny Tots, Cradle Stakes and Heritage Lead Rein and First Ridden classes, Sashes to The Grange Bank Stud Awards and Showman's Awards

**TROPHIES**

All trophies are CHALLENGE Trophies and must be returned to the BSPS Office when requested. Adult Exhibitors will be required to sign for trophies before taking them away.

**CLASHING OF CLASSES**

Every endeavour has been made to avoid classes clashing, but if an exhibitor finds the times of their classes overlap, it is suggested permission be obtained from the stewards to jump out of turn in the WHP classes and give individual shows ridden and in-hand early in the Show Pony classes, then leave the pony with an attendant. The attendant may not ride the pony. Classes will not be held up for missing competitors. Exhibitors are reminded to consider clashing of either pony or riders before entering.

**COMPETITORS LEAVING THE RING TO COMPETE IN OTHER CLASSES**

When a competitor asks for permission to leave the ring to compete in another class (except HOYS qualifying classes), the Steward will notify the Show Office, who will then check that the competitor is competing in another class. If it is discovered that the competitor is not actually in another class, they will not be allowed to return to the original class or be considered in the results.

**Ponies and Riders must be back into the ring for the final walk round in Flat classes that are not marked.**

**METHOD OF JUDGING FLAT CLASSES**

THE CLASSES WILL NOT BE SPLIT. Blue Riband, Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions and Open Classes will be judged on Marks. The Challenge, Novice, Best of the Best Area Supreme, First Season, Part bred, Tiny Tots flat classes, and the Ronnie Marmont Championship will not be marked.

**DECLARATIONS AND ORDER OF JUMPING**

All competitors (or their representatives) in W.H.P., MUST report to the collecting ring Steward at least 15 minutes before the commencement of their classes. Unless you do this the Stewards will assume that you do not intend to compete and close the class. **All WHP Classes on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday ponies will compete in catalogue order and on Friday and Saturday in reverse catalogue order** unless there is a good reason not to, when special arrangements should be made with the collecting ring Steward at the beginning of the class.

**ENTERTAINMENT**

**Children's Fashion Show and Disco – Tuesday Evening**

**Five-A-Side Football – Tuesday Evening**

**Sublime Science – Wednesday Evening**

**Dog Show – Thursday Evening**

**Children's Fancy Dress and Party Night – Friday Evening**

**Disco and End of Season Party – Friday & Saturday Night**

**Hobby Horse Competitions throughout the week**

## TIMETABLE – TUESDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2026

### THE TOPSPEC CHAMPIONS HALL – RING 1

8.00 am	Class 260	HOYS Alan Marnie & Family Small Riding Horse – Conf: Miss K Duxbury Ride: Mr J Van Praagh
9.15 am	Class 261	HOYS Alan Marnie & Family Large Riding Horse – Conf: Miss K Duxbury Ride: Mr J Van Praagh
To follow on	Riding Horse	Championship – Miss K Duxbury and Mr J Van Praagh
10.30 am	Class 262	HOYS The Andrews Family Small Hack – Conf: Mrs J Pybus Ride: Mrs N Turner
11.45 pm	Class 263	HOYS Culford Lodge Commodities Large Hack – Conf: Mrs J Pybus Ride: Mrs N Turner
to follow on	Hack	Championship – Mrs J Pybus and Mrs N Turner
12.45 pm	Class 126	The Young Show Pony – Phase I: Mrs P Prickett Phase II: Miss S Turner
1.30 pm	Class 127	The Young SHP – Phase I: Mrs P Prickett Phase II: Miss S Turner
2.15 pm	Class 128	The Young Intermediate Hack/Riding Horse/Hunter Type – Phase I: Mrs P Prickett Phase II: Miss S Turner
3.00 pm	Class 129	The Young Heritage Ridden Pony – Phase I: Mrs P Prickett Phase II: Miss S Turner
To follow	The Young Pony of the Year	including 4, 5 and 6 year old Championships Mrs P Prickett and Miss S Turner
3.45 pm	BHF New Horizon Trainer's Excellence Award	Championship Mrs J Nixon and Mr R Davison

### THE TOPSPEC CHAMPIONS HALL EVENING PERFORMANCE

5.15 pm	Course Build for Showjumping
<b>6.45 pm</b>	<b>PRESENTATION OF YOUNG JUDGES OF THE YEAR AWARDS</b>
7.15 pm	Walk Course
7.30 pm	Class 48c Gold Cup Nursery Stakes Showjumping – Mrs L Fogg
8.00 pm	Class 49c Gold Cup 143cm Showjumping – Mrs L Fogg
8.30 pm	Class 50c Gold Cup 148cm Showjumping – Mrs L Fogg
9.00 pm	Class 51c Gold Cup 158cm Showjumping – Mrs L Fogg
	Gold Cup Championship –

### JINKS SHOW TEAM RING and COOPER CORPORATION RINGS 2 & 3

8.00 am	Class 266	HOYS Hamilton Tarmac Small Show Hunter – Conf: Ms C Roberts Ride: Mr B Storey
9.15 am	Class 268	HOYS Catplant Group of Companies Ltd Lightweight Hunter – Conf: Ms C Roberts Ride: Mr B Storey
10.30 am	Class 269	HOYS Catplant Group of Companies Ltd Middleweight Hunter – Conf: Ms C Roberts Ride: Mr B Storey
11.45 am	Class 270	HOYS Catplant Group of Companies Ltd Heavyweight Hunter – Conf: Ms C Roberts Ride: Mr B Storey
To follow on	Hunter	Championship – Ms C Roberts and Mr B Storey
12.45 pm	Class 267	HOYS Ladies Side Saddle – Conf: Mrs J La-Four Ride: Miss F Ludlow
1.45 pm	Class 264	HOYS The Harrod and Coles Family Lightweight Cob – Conf: Mrs J LaFour Ride: Mrs N Turner
2.45 pm	Class 265	HOYS The Harrod and Coles Family Heavyweight Cob – Conf: Mrs J LaFour Ride: Mrs N Turner
To follow on	Cob	Championship – Mrs J LaFour and Mrs N Turner

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## **Grass Arena**

8:00am Class 51a Gold Cup Dressage – Mrs V Hodgett  
9.30am Class 50a Gold Cup Dressage – Lesley Merrin  
11.15am Class 48a Gold Cup Dressage – Mrs V Hodgett  
1:30pm Class 49a Gold Cup Dressage – Lesley Merrin

## **TEAM AHERN – Ring 5**

9.15 am Class 48b Performance Nursery Stakes– Max Height fences 75cms – Mrs H Sloan  
10.30 am Class 49b Performance WSP 143cms – Max height fences 85cms – Mrs H Sloan  
11.30 am Class 50b Performance WSP 148cms – Max height fences 95cm – Mrs H Sloan  
12.30 pm Class 51b Performance WSP 158cm – Max height fences 1metre 5cm – Mrs H Sloan  
2.30 pm Class 259 HOYS Alan Marnie & Family (Meta Lounge Limited and SHB (GB)) Working  
Hunter of the Year Championship – Conf: Mrs L Gaunt Ride: Mr J Van Praagh

## **EMMERSON SHOW TEAM – RING 6**

10.30 am YOUNG JUDGES COMPETITION

## **ANTHONY EVANS RING – RING 7**

8.00 am Class 56 Training Stakes 50cms – Phase I: Mr S Sloan Phase II: Mrs P Hollings  
9.00 am Class 57 Training Stakes 60cms – Phase I: Mr S Sloan Phase II: Mrs P Hollings  
10.00 am Class 58 Training Stakes 70cms – Phase I: Mr S Sloan Phase II: Mrs P Hollings  
11.00 am Class 59 Training Stakes 80cms – Phase I: Mr S Sloan Phase II: Mrs P Hollings  
11.45 am Class 60 Training Stakes 90cms – Phase I: Mr S Sloan Phase II: Mrs P Hollings  
12.45 pm Class 210 Heritage WHP ex 143 95cm – Phase I: Mrs N Shuttleworth Phase II: Mrs C Scott  
1.45 pm Class 209 Heritage WHP 143cm 85cm – Phase I: Mrs C Scott Phase II: Mrs N Shuttleworth  
2.45 pm Class 208 Heritage WHP 133cm 75cm – Phase I: Mrs N Shuttleworth Phase II: Mrs C Scott  
3.45 pm Class 207 Heritage WHP 122cm 65cm – Phase I: Mrs C Scott Phase II: Mrs N Shuttleworth  
To follow on Heritage WHP Championship – Mrs C Scott and Mrs N Shuttleworth

## WEDNESDAY 26th AUGUST

### TOPSPEC CHAMPIONS HALL – RING 1

8.00 am	Class 121	The “Royal Bronze” 123cm, 128cm, 133cm, 138cm, Show Pony or Show Hunter Pony to Music – Mrs A Birch
9.00 am	Class 119	The “Royal Bronze” Plaited or Mountain and Moorland Lead Rein Pony to Music – Ms A Devane
10.00 am	Class 120	The “Royal Bronze” First Pony Plaited or Mountain and Moorland to Music – Mrs A Birch
11.00 am	Class 123	The “Royal Bronze” Intermediate to Music – Ms A Devane
12.00 noon	Class 124	The “Royal Bronze” Junior Rider Heritage Pony to Music – Mrs A Birch
1.30 pm	Class 122	The “Royal Bronze” 143cm/148 cm/153cms Show Pony/Show Hunter Pony to Music – Ms A Devane
2.00 pm	Class 125	The “Royal Bronze” Adult Rider Heritage Pony to Music – Mrs A Birch
3.00 pm	Class 251	Pretty Polly Heritage Ridden Large Breeds – Mrs D Plummer
3.45 pm	Class 250	Pretty Polly Heritage Ridden Small Breeds – Mrs D Plummer
To follow on		Pretty Polly Heritage Championship – Mrs D Plummer

## **BEST DRESSED STABLE**

**Kindly sponsored by Philip Judge**

**The theme for this year is:-**

**AMERICA**

**The presentation will take place on the Wednesday Evening in the TopSpec Arena**

### WEDNESDAY EVENING PERFORMANCE

6.30 pm	ROYAL BRONZE PONY TO MUSIC CHAMPIONSHIP – Mrs A Birch and Ms Aimee Devane
7.00 pm	INTER COUNTRY TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP – Mrs D Plummer
7.45 pm	NOVICE SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP – Mr J Munro
To follow on	PARADE OF INTER COUNTRY TEAMS and <b>BEST DRESSED STABLE</b>

### JINKS SHOW TEAM – Ring 2

8.00 am	Class 112	Novice 128cms Show Pony – Mrs N Turner
9.00 am	Class 113	Novice 138cms Show Pony – Mrs N Turner
10.00 am	Class 114	Novice 148cms Show Pony – Mrs N Turner
To follow on		Novice Show Pony Championship – Mrs N Turner
11.00 am	Class 155	Novice 123cms Show Hunter Pony – Mr P Hilton
11.45 am	Class 156	Novice 133cms Show Hunter Pony – Mr P Hilton
12.30 pm	Class 157	Novice 143cms Show Hunter Pony – Mr P Hilton
1.15 pm	Class 158	Novice 153cms Show Hunter Pony – Mr P Hilton
To follow on		Novice Show Hunter Pony Championship – Mr P Hilton
2.45 pm	Class 176	Novice Intermediate Hack Type – Mrs J Mead
3.15 pm	Class 177	Novice Intermediate Riding Horse Type – Mrs J Mead
4.00 pm	Class 178	Novice Intermediate Show Hunter – Mrs J Mead
To follow on		Novice Intermediate Championship – Mrs J Mead

### **COOPER CORPORATION – Ring 3**

7.45 am		Walk course ready to start the class
8.00 am	Class 93	Lead Rein Working Sports Pony (not a qualifier) – Mrs P Hollings
9.00 am	Class 94	First Ridden Working Sports Pony (not a qualifier) – Mrs P Hollings
To follow on		Heritage Working Sports Pony Championships – Mrs P Hollings
10.15 am	Class 159	Pretty Polly Mixed Height SHP – Mr D Jinks
11.00 am	Class 179	Pretty Polly Mixed Height Intermediate Show Horse – Mr D Jinks
11.45 am	Class 115	Pretty Polly Mixed Height Show Pony – Mr D Jinks
12.30 am	Class 249	Heritage Novice Ridden Large Breeds – Ms S Prior
1.15 am	Class 248A	Heritage Novice Ridden Welsh C & D – Ms S Prior
2.00 pm	Class 248	Heritage Novice Ridden New Forest and Connemara – Ms S Prior
2.45 pm	Class 247	Heritage Novice Ridden Small Breeds – Ms S Prior
To follow on		Heritage Novice Ridden Championship – Ms S Prior
3.30 pm	Class 85	Novice Lead Rein – Mrs N Turner
4.15 pm	Class 86	Novice First Ridden – Mrs N Turner
To follow on		Novice Mini Show Pony Championship – Mrs N Turner

### **JAGO/CARVOSSO – Ring 4 (Indoor Arena2)**

8.00 am	Class 8	Tiny Tots Ridden Young Rider Class – Mr D Jinks
9.00 am	Class 230	Heritage Novice Lead Rein – Ms S Prior
10.30 am	Class 231	Heritage Novice First Ridden – Ms S Prior
To follow on		Heritage Novice Mini Championship – Ms S Prior
11.30 am	Class 89	Pretty Polly Plaited or Unplaited Lead Rein – Mrs J Mead
12.15 pm	Class 90	Pretty Polly Plaited or Unplaited First Ridden – Mrs J Mead
1.30 pm	Class 91	Pretty Polly Plaited or Unplaited Lead Rein Hunter Type – Mr R Grace
To follow on		Pretty Polly Mini Championship – Mrs J Mead and Mr R Grace
2.30 pm	Class 87	Novice Lead Rein Hunter Type – Mrs P Hollings
3.30 pm	Class 88	Novice First Pony Hunter Type – Mrs P Hollings
To follow on		Novice Mini Show Hunter Pony Championship – Mrs P Hollings

### **TEAM AHERN – Ring 5**

8.00 am	Class 19	Section D Inter Country Teams Int WH – Ph I: Mrs H Sloan Ph II: Ms D Colebrooke
9.00 am		Section C Inter Country Teams 153 WHP Ph I: Ms D Colebrooke Ph II: Mrs H Sloan
10.00 am		Section B Inter Country Teams 143 WHP Ph I: Mrs H Starkie Ph II: Ms C Roberts
11.00 am		Section A Inter Country Teams 133 WHP Ph I: Mrs H Starkie Ph II: Ms C Roberts
12 noon	Class 43	Novice Inter WH – Phase I: Mrs L Gaunt Phase II: Mrs V Harris
1.15 pm	Class 42	Novice 153cms WHP – Phase I: Mrs L Gaunt Phase II: Mrs V Harris
2.30 pm	Class 41	Novice 143cms WHP – Phase I: Mrs L Gaunt Phase II: Mrs V Harris
3.45 pm	Class 40	Novice 133cms WHP – Phase I: Mrs L Gaunt Phase II: Mrs V Harris
To follow on		Novice WHP Championship – Mrs L Gaunt and Mrs V Harris

### **ANTHONY D EVANS – Ring 6**

8.00 am	Class 52	Open 133 WHP – Phase I: Mr S Sloan Phase II: Mrs P Archer
9.00 am	Class 53	Open 143 WHP – Phase I: Mrs P Archer Phase II: Mr S Sloan
10.00 am	Class 54	Open 153 WHP – Phase I: Mr S Sloan Phase II: Mrs P Archer
11.00 am	Class 55	Open Intermediate WH – Phase I: Mrs P Archer Phase II: Mr S Sloan
To follow on		Open WHP Championship – Mrs P Archer and Mr S Sloan
12.15 pm	Class 188	Heritage Novice Cradle Stakes – Phase I: Ms M Allison Phase II: Henrietta Barton
1.30 pm	Class 189	Heritage Novice Nursery Stakes Phase I: Ms M Allison Phase II: Henrietta Barton
To follow on		Heritage Novice Mini WHP Championship – Ms M Allison and Henrietta Barton
3.00 pm	Class 17	Novice Cradle Stakes – Phase I: Mrs H Sloan Phase II: Mr S Sloan
4.00 pm	Class 18	Novice Nursery Stakes – Phase I: Mr S Sloan Phase II: Mrs H Sloan
To follow on		Novice Mini WHP Championship – Mr S Sloan and Mrs H Sloan

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**EMMERSON SHOW TEAM RING –Ring 7**

8.00 am	Class 214	Heritage Novice ex 143cms WHP – Phase I: Ms C Hamilton Phase II: Mrs J James
9.15 am	Class 212	Heritage Novice 133cms WHP – Phase I: Mrs J James Phase II: Ms C Hamilton
10.30 am	Class 213	Heritage Novice 143cms WHP – Phase I: Ms C Hamilton Phase II: Mrs J James
11.30 am	Class 211	Heritage Novice 122cms WHP – Phase I: Mrs J James Phase II: Ms C Hamilton
To follow on	Heritage Novice	WHP Championship – Mrs J James and Ms C Hamilton
12.00 pm	Class 218	Heritage Performance ex 143 WHP – Ms D Colebrook
1.30 pm	Class 217	Heritage Performance 143 WHP – Ms D Colebrook
3.00 pm	Class 216	Heritage Performance 133 WHP – Ms D Colebrook
3.45 pm	Class 215	Heritage Performance 122 WHP — Ms D Colebrook

## **THURSDAY 27<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 2026**

### **TOPSPEC CHAMPIONS HALL – Ring 1**

8.00 am	Class 103	Challenge 128cms Show Pony – Miss E Kivlochan
8.45 am	Class 104	Challenge 138cms Show Pony – Miss E Kivlochan
9.30 am	Class 105	Challenge 148cms Show Pony – Miss E Kivlochan
10.30 am	Class 80	Simply the Best Lead Rein of Hunter Type – Miss E Kivlochan
11.30 am	Class 81	Simply the Best First Pony of Hunter Type – Miss E Kivlochan
To follow on	Simply the Best	Mini Show Hunter Pony Championship – Miss E Kivlochan
12.45 pm	Class 106	Simply the Best Open 128cms Show Pony Phase I: Mrs S Hatton Phase II: Mrs D Christie
1.30 pm	Class 107	Simply the Best Open 138cms Show Pony Phase I: Mrs D Christie Phase II: Mrs S Hatton
2.15 pm	Class 108	Simply the Best Open 148cms Show Pony Phase I: Mrs S Hatton Phase II: Mrs D Christie
To follow on	Simply the Best	Show Pony Championship – Mrs S Hatton and Mrs D Christie
3.15 pm	Class 147	Simply the Best Open 123cm Show Hunter Pony Phase I: Miss H Cook Phase II: Mr R Grace
4.00 pm	Class 150	Simply the Best Open 153cms Show Hunter Pony Phase I: Mr R Grace Phase II: Miss H Cook
4.45 pm	Class 148	Simply the Best Open 133cms Show Hunter Pony Phase I: Miss H Cook Phase II: Mr R Grace
5.30 pm	Class 149	Simply the Best Open 143cms Show Hunter Pony Phase I: Mr R Grace Phase II: Miss H Cook
To follow on	Simply the Best	SHP Championship – Mr R Grace and Miss H Cook

### **THURSDAY EVENING PERFORMANCE**

6.30 pm	Young Pony Mini SP/SHP/Heritage Championship – Mr S Hollings
6.45 pm	Final judging of the Robert Oliver Showman's Award – Mr A Forster
	CHALLENGE Heritage Mini WHP Championship – Mrs F Holton and Mr B Williams
	CHALLENGE Mini WHP Championship – Mrs M Hamilton and Miss M Hewitt
	CHALLENGE WHP Championship – Mrs P Eddis and Ms F Cabrol
	CHALLENGE Mini Pony Championship – Mr R Grace
	CHALLENGE Show Pony Championship – Miss E Kivlochan
	CHALLENGE SHP Championship – Mr J Munro
	CHALLENGE Inter Championship – Mr R Grace
	CHALLENGE Heritage WHP Championship – Miss M Hewitt and Mr B Williams
	CHALLENGE Heritage Mini Champion – Ms D Colebrooke
	CHALLENGE Heritage Ridden Championship – Mrs L Gaunt
	CHALLENGE SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP – Mr I Dickinson

Thursday continued

## **JINKS SHOW TEAM – Ring 2**

8.00 am	Class 145	Challenge 143cms SHP – Mr J Munro
8.45 am	Class 146	Challenge 153cms SHP – Mr J Munro
9.30 am	Class 143	Challenge 123cms SHP – Mr J Munro
10.15 am	Class 144	Challenge 133cms SHP – Mr J Munro
11.00 am	Class 168	Challenge Intermediate Hack Type – Mr R Grace
11.45 pm	Class 169	Challenge Intermediate Riding Horse Type – Mr R Grace
12.30 pm	Class 170	Challenge Intermediate Show Hunter – Mr R Grace
1.15 pm	Class 173	Simply the Best Open Intermediate Hack Type Phase I: Mrs F Preston-Smith Phase II: Mr P Cook
2.00 pm	Class 174	Simply the Best Open Intermediate Riding Horse Type Phase I: Mr P Cook Phase II: Mrs F Preston-Smith
2.45 pm	Class 175	Simply the Best Open Intermediate Show Hunter Phase I: Mrs F Preston-Smith Phase II: Mr P Cook
To follow on	Simply the Best	Intermediate Championship – Mr P Cook and Mrs F Preston-Smith
3.30 pm	Class 132	First Season Show Pony/Show Hunter – Miss E Kivlochan
4.15 pm	Class 6	Tiny Tots Walk and Trot – Miss E Kivlochan

## **COOPER CORPORATION – Ring 3**

7:45 am	Course Walk	for Challenge Lead Rein Hunter Type
8.00 am	Class 77	Challenge Lead Rein Hunter Type – Mrs L Gaunt
9.30 am	Class 236	Heritage Challenge Ridden Small Breeds – Mrs L Gaunt
10.15 am	Class 237	Heritage Challenge Ridden New Forest & Connemara – Mrs L Gaunt
11.00 am	Class 238	Heritage Challenge Ridden Welsh C and D – Mrs L Gaunt
11.45am	Class 239	Heritage Challenge Ridden Large Breeds – Mrs L Gaunt
12.45 pm	Class 240	Simply the Best Heritage Open Ridden Small Breed Phase I: Ms D Colebrooke Phase II: Mr R Marks
1.15 pm	Class 241	Simply the Best Heritage Open Ridden New Forest and Connemara – Phase I: Mr R Marks Phase II: Ms D Colebrooke
2.00 pm	Class 242	Simply the Best Heritage Open Ridden Large Breeds Phase I: Ms D Colebrook Phase II: Mr R Marks
To follow on	Simply the Best	Heritage Ridden Championship – Ms D Colebrook and Mr R Marks
3.00 pm	Class 255	Young Riders Small Breeds – Mrs C Hamilton
3.45 pm	Class 256	Young Riders Large Breeds – Mrs C Hamilton
4.30 pm	Class 254	Young Riders Mixed Breeds – Mrs C Hamilton
To follow	Young Riders	Championship – Mrs C Hamilton
5.15 pm	Preliminary	Judging of The Robert Oliver Showman's Award – Mr P Cook

## **THE JAGO/CARVOSSO – Ring 4 (Indoor Arena2)**

8.00 am	Class 76	Challenge First Ridden – Mr R Grace
8.45 am	Class 75	Challenge Lead Rein – Mr R Grace
9.30 am	Class 221	Challenge Heritage Lead Rein – Ms D Colebrook
10.15 am	Class 222	Challenge Heritage First Ridden – Ms D Colebrook
11.00 am	Class 78	Simply the Best Open Lead Rein – Miss H Cook
12 noon	Class 79	Simply the Best Open First Ridden – Phase I: Ms F Cabrol Phase II: Miss H Cook
To follow on	Simply the Best	Mini Championship – Ms F Cabrol and Miss H Cook
1.00 pm	Class 223	Simply the Best Heritage Open Lead Rein – Mr J Munro
2.00 pm	Class 224	Simply the Best Heritage Open First Ridden Phase I: Mr J Munro Phase II: Mrs D Plummer
To follow on	Simply the Best	Heritage Mini Championship – Mr J Munro and Mrs D Plummer
3.00 pm	Class 130	The Young Mini LR SP/SHT/Heritage Pony – Mr S Hollings
3.45 pm	Class 131	The Young Mini FR SP/SHT/Heritage Pony – Mr S Hollings

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### **TEAM AHERN – Ring 5**

8.00 am	Class 35	Simply the Best Open Inter WH Phase I: Mr A Evans Phase II: Mrs J Mead
8.45 am	Class 34	Simply the Best Open 153cms WHP Phase I: Mr A Evans Phase II: Mrs J Mead
9.45 am	Class 33	Simply the Best Open 143cms WHP Phase I: Mr A Evans Phase II: Mrs J Mead
11.00 am	Class 32	Simply the Best Open 133cms WHP Phase I: Mr A Evans Phase II: Mrs J Mead
To follow on	Simply the Best	WHP Championship – Mr A Evans and Mrs J Mead
12.15 pm	Class 202	HOYS The Cooper Family M&M Junior 122cms WHP – Phase I: Mr P Hilton Phase II: Mr I Dickinson
1.30 pm	Class 203	HOYS The Cooper Family M & M Open 122cms WHP – Phase I: Mr I Dickinson Phase II: Mr P Hilton
2.45 pm	Class 204	HOYS The Cooper Family M & M Open 133cms WHP – Phase I: Mr P Hilton Phase II: Mr I Dickinson
4.00 pm	Class 205	HOYS The Cooper Family M & M Open 143cms WHP – Phase I: Mr I Dickinson Phase II: Mr P Hilton
5.30 pm	Class 206	HOYS The Cooper Family M & M Open ex 143cms WHP Phase I: Mr P Hilton Phase II: Mr I Dickinson
To follow on	M & M WHP Championship	– Mr P Hilton and Mr I Dickinson

### **ANTHONY D EVANS – Ring 6**

8.00 am	Class 64	Summer Worker Stakes 60cms – Ph I: Mr K Baskeyfield Ph II: Miss V Smith
9.30 am	Class 65	Summer Worker Stakes 70cms – Ph I: Miss V Smith Ph II: Mr K Baskeyfield
11.00 am	Class 66	Summer Worker Stakes 80cms – Ph I: Mr K Baskeyfield Ph II: Miss V Smith
12.30 pm	Class 67	Summer Worker Stakes 90cms – Ph I: Miss V Smith Ph II: Mr K Baskeyfield
1.30 pm	Class 68	Summer Worker Stakes 1 metre – Ph I: Mr K Baskeyfield Ph II: Miss V Smith
2.45 pm	Class 31	Challenge Intermediate WH – Phase I: Mrs P Eddis Phase II: Ms F Cabrol
3.45 pm	Class 30	Challenge 153cms WHP – Phase I: Ms F Cabrol Phase II: Mrs P Eddis
4.45 pm	Class 29	Challenge 143cms WHP – Phase I: Mrs P Eddis Phase II: Ms F Cabrol
To follow on	Class 28	Challenge 133cms WHP – Phase I: Mr F Cabrol Phase II: Mrs P Eddis

### **EMMERSON SHOW TEAM RING –Ring 7**

8.00 am	Class 197	Challenge Heritage ex 143cms WHP Phase I: Miss M Hewitt Phase II: Mr B Williams
9.00 am	Class 196	Challenge Heritage 143cms WHP Phase I: Miss M Hewitt Phase II: Mr B Williams
10.00 am	Class 195	Challenge Heritage 133cms WHP Phase I: Miss M Hewitt Phase II: Mr B Williams
11.00 am	Class 194	Challenge Heritage 122cms WHP Phase I: Miss M Hewitt Phase II: Mr B Williams
12 noon	Class 182	Challenge Heritage Cradle Stakes– Phase I: Mrs F Holton Phase II: Mr B Williams
1.30pm	Class 183	Challenge Heritage Nursery Stakes Phase I: Mrs F Holton Phase II: Mr B Williams
3.00 pm	Class 12	Challenge Nursery Stakes Phase I: Miss M Hewitt Phase II: Mrs M Hamilton
4.15 pm	Class 11	Challenge Cradle Stakes Phase I: Miss M Hewitt Phase II: Mrs M Hamilton

## **FRIDAY 28<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 2026**

### **TOPSPEC CHAMPION HALL – Ring 1**

7:15am	Course Walk for Blue Riband LRHT
7.30 am	Class 71 Blue Riband LRHT – Mr S Hollings, Mr P Hilton, Mr I Dickinson and Mrs L Homer
8.15 am	Class 162 Blue Riband Intermediate Hack Type – Mrs K Carne, Mrs M Hamilton Mr P Hilton and Mrs L Gaunt
9.00 am	Class 163 Blue Riband Intermediate Riding Horse Type – Mrs K Carne, Mrs M Hamilton, Mr P Hilton and Mrs L Gaunt
9.45 am	Class 164 Blue Riband Inter SH – Mrs K Carne, Mrs M Hamilton, Mr P Hilton and Mrs L Gaunt
10.30 am	Class 97 Blue Riband 128 Show Pony – Mrs M Hamilton, Mrs L Gaunt, Mrs F Preston-Smith and Mr I Dickinson
11.15 am	Class 98 Blue Riband 138 Show Pony – Mrs M Hamilton, Mrs L Gaunt, Mrs F Preston-Smith and Mr I Dickinson
12 noon	Class 99 Blue Riband 148 Show Pony – Mrs M Hamilton, Mrs L Gaunt, Mrs F Preston-Smith and Mr I Dickinson
12.45 pm	Class 135 Blue Riband 123 SHP – Mr S Hollings, Mrs K Carne, Mrs L Homer and Mr J Geake
1.30 pm	Class 136 Blue Riband 133 SHP – Mr S Hollings, Mrs K Carne, Mrs L Homer and Mr J Geake
2.30 pm	Class 137 Blue Riband 143 SHP – Mr S Hollings, Mrs K Carne, Mrs L Homer and Mr J Geake
3.15 pm	Class 138 Blue Riband 153 SHP – Mr S Hollings, Mrs K Carne, Mrs L Homer and Mr J Geake
4.00 pm	Class 69 Blue Riband Lead Rein – Mr S Hollings, Mr P Hilton, Mr I Dickinson and Mrs L Homer
To follow on	Class 70 Blue Riband First Ridden – Mr S Hollings, Mr P Hilton, Mr I Dickinson And Mrs L Homer

### **FRIDAY EVENING PERFORMANCE**

6.15 pm	Class 257 Best of the Best Supreme Championship – Mr S Hollings and Mrs T Hunter The Snuggly Hoods & Woodroyd Stud Blue Riband Mini Championship – Mr S Hollings Marnie-Grange Stud Leading Pony of the Year Awards Championship – Mr P Thomas, Mrs S Smith, Henrietta Barton and Mr P Hilton The Perform Equine Blue Riband Legend Show Pony Championship – Mrs M Hamilton The Harvey John Peel Blue Riband SHP Championship – Mr J Geake Presentation of the Ronnie Marmont Trophy – Mr P Cook The LG Show Team Blue Riband Intermediate Championship – Mrs K Carne Final Judging of The Andrews Family Intermediate Young Rider of the Year – Mrs K Pickles The Millard Blue Riband Supreme Championship – Ms F Cabrol
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## **JINKS SHOW TEAM – Ring 2**

8.00 am	Class 253	HOYS Thor Atkinson Steel Fabrications Ltd M&M Junior Riders Small Breeds – Phase I: Miss M Hewitt Phase II: Mr J Munro
9.30 am	Class 252	HOYS Thor Atkinson Steel Fabrications Ltd M&M Junior Riders Large Breeds – Phase I: Mr J Munro Phase II: Miss M Hewitt
To follow on	Junior Riders	M & M Championship – Mr J Munro and Miss M Hewitt
11.15 am	Class 134	Young Dragonara Riders Championship – Miss E Kivlochan
12 noon	Class 4	Tiny Tots First Ridden 7 years – Ms F Cabrol
1.00 pm	Class 181	HOYS De La Hey Family Ridden Part Bred Pony of the Year – Phase I: Mrs F Preston-Smith Phase II: Ms F Cabrol
3.30 pm		The Breeders Challenge – Mrs F Preston-Smith
4.15 pm		Preliminary Judging of Andrews Family Int Young Rider of the Year – Mrs K Pickles

## **COOPER CORPORATION – Ring 3**

8.00 am	Class 116	Part Bred Show Pony not exceeding 128cms – Mrs C Redgate
8.30 am	Class 117	Part Bred Show Pony ex 128 but not exceeding 138cms – Mrs C Redgate
9.15 am	Class 118	Part Bred Show Pony ex 138 but not exceeding 148cms – Mrs C Redgate
10.00 am	Class 160	Part Bred SHP not exceeding 133cms – Mrs C Redgate
10.45 am	Class 161	Part Bred SHP ex 133 but not exceeding 153 – Mrs C Redgate
11.30 am	Class 180	Part Bred Intermediate – Mrs C Redgate
To follow on		Part Bred Championship – Mrs C Redgate
12.15 pm	Class 243	Heritage Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Welsh A and B (London International qualifier) – Mr J Munro
1.00 pm	Class 246	Heritage Highland, Fell and Dales (London International qualifier) – Mr J Munro
1.45 pm	Class 245	Heritage New Forest & Connemara (London International qualifier) – Mr J Munro
2.30 pm	Class 244	Heritage Welsh C&D (London International qualifier) – Mr J Munro
To follow on		Heritage Ridden Championship – Mr J Munro
3.45 pm	Class 84	HOYS Mears-Wood Family Lead Rein of Hunter Type – Mrs M Hamilton

## **JAGO/CARVOSSO – Ring 4 (Indoor Arena2)**

8.00 am	Class 133	First Season Heritage Pony – Mrs D Plummer
8.45 am	Class 3	Tiny Tots Lead Rein – Miss C Pearsall
10.00 am	Class 5	Tiny Tots First Ridden – Miss C Pearsall
11.15 am	Class 226	HOYS Westown Stud M and M Non-Welsh Breeds Leading Rein – Mr B Williams
12.30 pm	Class 227	HOYS Brynseion M&M First Ridden–Phase I: Mr B Williams Phase II: Mrs P Prickett
1.45 pm	Class 225	HOYS Colne M & M Welsh Breeds Leading Rein – Mr B Williams
To follow on		Colne & Brynseion Mini M & M Championship – Mr B Williams and Mrs P Prickett
3.00 pm	Class 229	Heritage First Ridden – Mr R Marks
3.45 pm	Class 228	Heritage Lead Rein – Mr R Marks
To follow on		Heritage Mini Championship – Mr R Marks

## **TEAM AHERN – Ring 5**

8.00 am	Class 36	HOYS NPS/Mole Valley Farmers 133cms WHP Phase I: Mr G Merton Phase II: Ms D Colebrooke
9.15 am	Class 37	HOYS NPS/Mole Valley Farmers 143cms WHP Phase I: Ms D Colebrooke Phase II: Mr G Merton
10.30 am	Class 38	HOYS NPS/Mole Valley Farmers 153cms WHP Phase I: Mr G Merton Phase II: Ms D Colebrooke
12.00 pm	Class 39	HOYS NPS/Mole Valley Farmers Intermediate WH Phase I: Ms D Colebrooke Phase II: Mr G Merton
To follow on	WHP Championship – Mr G Merton and Ms D Colebrooke	
1.30 pm	Class 24	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions 133cms WHP Phase I: Ms A Devane Phase II: Mrs A Blundell
2.30 pm	Class 25	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions 143cms WHP Phase I: Mrs A Devane Phase II: Mrs A Blundell
3.15 pm	Class 26	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions 153cms WHP Phase I: Mrs A Devane Phase II: Mrs A Blundell
To follow on	Class 27	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions Intermediate WH Phase I: Mrs A Devane Phase II: Mrs A Blundell
To follow on	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions WHP Championship – Ms A Devane and Mrs A Blundell	

## **ANTHONY D EVANS – Ring 6**

8.00 am	Class 193	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions Heritage ex 143cms WHP Phase I: Mr R Marks Phase II: Mrs F Holton
9.00 am	Class 192	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions Heritage 143cms WHP Phase I: Mrs F Holton Phase II: Mr R Marks
10.00 am	Class 191	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions Heritage 133cms WHP Phase I: Mr R Marks Phase II: Mrs F Holton
11.00 am	Class 190	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions Heritage 122cms WHP Phase I: Mrs F Holton Phase II: Mr R Marks
To follow on	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions Heritage WHP Championship – Mr R Marks and Mrs F Holton	
12.30 pm	Class 1	Tiny Tots Stakes – Phase I: Mrs E Hector Phase II: Ms F Holton
2.00 pm	Class 10	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions Nursery Stakes – Phase I: Ms D Colebrooke Phase II: Mrs E Hector
3.15 pm	Class 9	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions Cradle Stakes Phase I: Mrs E Hector Phase II: Ms D Colebrooke
To follow on	The Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions Mini WHP Championship – Mrs E Hector and Ms D Colebrooke	

## **EMMERSON SHOW TEAM – Ring 7**

8.00 am	Class 16	Nursery Stakes– Max height fences – 75cm Phase I: Mr J Geake Phase II: Miss E Kivlochan
8.45 am	Class 15	Cradle Stakes – Max height fences –60cm Phase I: Mr J Geake Phase II: Miss E Kivlochan
To follow on	Open Mini	WHP Championship – Mr J Geake and Miss E Kivlochan
10.15 am	Class 44	Pretty Polly Plaited or Unplaited 123 WHP – Phase I: Mrs D Plummer Phase II: Miss C Gillett
11.30 am	Class 45	Pretty Polly Plaited or Unplaited 133 WHP – Phase I: Mrs D Plummer Phase II: Miss C Gillett
12.45 pm	Class 46	Pretty Polly Plaited or Unplaited 143 WHP – Phase I: Mrs D Plummer Phase II: Miss C Gillett
2.00 pm	Class 47	Pretty Polly Plaited or Unplaited exc 143 WHP – Phase I: Mrs D Plummer Phase II: Miss C Gillett
To follow	Pretty Polly	Plaited or Unplaited WHP Championship – Mrs D Plummer and Miss C Gillett
3.15 pm	Class 96	FR Working Sports Pony Plaited – Mrs C Redgate
4.15 pm	Class 95	LR Working Sports Pony Plaited – Mrs C Redgate
To follow	Working sports pony	Championship – Mrs C Redgate

## **SATURDAY 29<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 2026**

### **TOP SPEC – Ring 1**

8.00 am	Class 111	HOYS The British Show Pony Society 148cm Children's Riding Pony – Phase I: Mr P Hilton Phase II: Ms D Colebrooke
9.00 am	Class 110	HOYS The British Show Pony Society 138cm Children's Riding Pony – Phase I: Ms D Colebrooke Phase II: Mr P Hilton
10.00 am	Class 109	HOYS The British Show Pony Society 128cm Children's Riding Pony – Phase I: Mr P Hilton Phase II: Ms D Colebrooke
To follow on	Show Pony Championship – Mr P Hilton and Ms D Colebrooke	
11.00 am	Class 102	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions 148cms Show Pony – Phase I: Mrs K Carne Phase II: Mr J McTiffin
11.45 am	Class 101	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions 138cms Show Pony – Phase I: Mr J McTiffin Phase II: Mrs K Carne
12.30 pm	Class 100	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions 128cms Show Pony – Phase I: Mrs K Carne Phase II: Mr J McTiffin
To follow on	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions Show Pony Championship – Mrs K Carne and Mr J McTiffin	
1.30 pm	Class 151	HOYS Shine Source Footwear UK Ltd 123cms SHP – Phase I: Mrs M Hamilton Phase II: Mr J McTiffin
2.15 pm	Class 152	HOYS Shine Source Footwear UK Ltd 133cms SHP – Phase I: Mr J McTiffin Phase II: Mrs M Hamilton
3.00 pm	Class 153	HOYS Shine Source Footwear UK Ltd 143cms SHP – Phase I: Mrs M Hamilton Phase II: Mr J McTiffin
To follow on	Class 154	HOYS Shine Source Footwear UK Ltd 153cms SHP – Phase I: Mr J McTiffin Phase II: Mrs M Hamilton
To follow on	Show Hunter Pony Championship – Mrs M Hamilton and Mr J McTiffin	

## **SATURDAY EVENING PERFORMANCE**

5.45pm The Working Sports Pony Supreme Championship – Mrs M Hamilton  
The Top Hat House, Edinburgh Tiny Tots Supreme Championship – Mrs K Pickles  
The Grange Bank Stud Awards Supreme Championship – Miss S Parrott  
The Anthony D Evans Insurance Brokers & Co Desert Orchid WHP Championship – Mr P Cook, Mr D Ingle and Mr J Munro  
The Team Harker BSPS Supreme Heritage Mini Pony Championship – Mrs E Hector  
The Unex Competition Yard Ltd BSPS Supreme Mini WHP Championship – Mr D Ingle  
The Jackson BSPS Supreme Mini SHP Championship – Mr P Hilton  
The Honourable Stud BSPS Supreme Mini Show Pony Championship – Mrs L Gaunt  
The Hunt BSPS Pretty Polly Overall Supreme Championships – Mr N Hollings  
The Simon Constable's Equine Vets BSPS Supreme Heritage Ridden Pony Championship – Mrs C Scott  
The BSPS Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions Supreme Championship – Miss C Pearsall

### **PARADE OF AREA TEAMS**

The Demetriou Family BSPS Supreme Heritage WHP Championship – Mr S Howard  
The Goodyear Family BSPS Supreme WHP – Mrs J Bradwell  
The Colin Rose BSPS Supreme Intermediate Championship – Mr J McTiffin  
The Alan Hall BSPS Supreme SHP Championship – Mrs D Colebrooke  
The Annabel's Deliciously British BSPS Supreme Show Pony Championship – Mr G Merton  
The Philip Judge BSPS Overall Supreme Championship – Mr N Schofield

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### **JINKS SHOW TEAM – Ring 2**

7.45 am	Class 142	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions 153cms Show Hunter Pony Phase I: Mrs L Gaunt Phase II: Mrs F Preston-Smith
8.30 am	Class 140	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions 133cms Show Hunter Pony – Phase I: Mrs F Preston-Smith Phase II: Mrs L Gaunt
9.15 am	Class 141	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions 143cms Show Hunter Pony – Phase I: Mrs L Gaunt Phase II: Mrs F Preston-Smith
10.00 am	Class 139	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions 123cms Show Hunter Pony – Phase I: Mrs F Preston-Smith Phase II: Mrs L Gaunt
To follow on	Anthony Evans	Insurance Champion of Champions SHP Championship – Mrs F Preston-Smith and Mrs L Gaunt
11.00 am	Class 74	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions LRHT – Mrs F Preston-Smith
12:00 noon	Class 74A	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions FRHT – Mrs F Preston-Smith
To follow on	Anthony Evans	Insurance Champion of Champions Mini SHP Championship – Mrs F Preston-Smith
1.00 pm	Class 171	HOYS The Honourable Stud Intermediate Show Horse – Phase I: Mr J Geake Phase II: Miss J Bradwell
2.00 pm	Class 172	HOYS The Smith Family Intermediate Show Hunter – Phase I: Miss J Bradwell Phase II: Mr J Geake
To follow on	Intermediate	Championship – Miss J Bradwell and Mr J Geake
3.00 pm	Class 7	Tiny Tots Ridden – Ms D Colebrook
3.45 pm	Class 165	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions Intermediate Hack Type – Phase I: Mr D Ingle Phase II: Ms D Colebrooke
4.15 pm	Class 166	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions Intermediate Riding Horse Type Phase I: Ms D Colebrooke Phase II: Mr D Ingle
To follow	Class 167	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions Intermediate Show Hunter Phase I: Mr D Ingle Phase II: Ms D Colebrooke
To follow on	Anthony Evans	Insurance Champion of Champions Intermediate Championship – Mr D Ingle and Ms D Colebrooke

## **JAGO/CARVOSSO – Ring 4 (Indoor Arena2)**

8.00 am	Class 73	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions First Ridden – Phase I: Mrs M Hamilton Phase II: Mr J McTiffin
9.00 am	Class 72	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions Lead Rein – Mrs M Hamilton
To follow on		Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions Mini Championship – Mrs M Hamilton and Mr J McTiffin
10.00 am	Class 219	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions Heritage Lead Rein – Ms F Cabrol
11.00 am	Class 220	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions Heritage First Ridden – Phase I: Ms F Cabrol Phase II: Henrietta Barton
To follow on		Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions Heritage Mini Championship – Ms F Cabrol and Henrietta Barton
12.15 pm	Class 83	HOYS Annabel’s Deliciously British First Ridden – Phase I: Miss M Hewitt Phase II: Mrs S Smith
1.30 pm	Class 82	HOYS Annabel’s Deliciously British Lead Rein – Miss M Hewitt
To follow on		Mini Championship – Miss M Hewitt and Mrs S Smith
2.45 pm	Class 232	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions Heritage Ridden Small Breeds – Phase I: Mr S Howard Phase II: Mrs E Hector
3.15 pm	Class 233	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions Heritage Ridden New Forest & Connemara – Phase I: Mrs E Hector Phase II: Mr S Howard
3.45 pm	Class 234	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions Heritage Ridden Welsh C & D – Phase I: Mr S Howard Phase II: Mrs E Hector
To follow on	Class 235	Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions Heritage Ridden Large Breeds – Phase I: Mrs E Hector Phase II: Mr S Howard
To follow on		Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions Heritage Ridden Championship – Mrs E Hector and Mr S Howard

## **TEAM AHERN Ring 3**

8.00 am	Class 23	Desert Orchid Intermediate WH – Phase I: Mr D Ingle
8.45 am	Class 22	Desert Orchid 153 WHP – Phase I: Mr J Munro
10.00 am	Class 21A	Desert Orchid 143 WHP – Phase I: Mr D Ingle
11.00 am	Class 21B	Desert Orchid Mountain and Moorland WHP – Phase I: Mr P Cook
12.30 pm	Class 20A	Desert Orchid 133 WHP – Phase I: Mr J Munro
2.00 pm	Class 20B	Desert Orchid Mountain and Moorland 143 WHP – Phase I: Mr J Munro

## **COOPER CORPORATION Ring 5**

8.00 am	Class 23	Desert Orchid Intermediate WH – Phase II: Mr J Munro
8.45 am	Class 22	Desert Orchid 153 WHP – Phase II: Mr D Ingle
10.00 am	Class 21A	Desert Orchid 143 WHP – Phase II: Mr J Munro
11.00 am	Class 21B	Desert Orchid Mountain and Moorland WHP – Phase II: Mr J Munro
12.30 pm	Class 20A	Desert Orchid 133 WHP – Phase II: Mr D Ingle
2.00 pm	Class 20B	Desert Orchid Mountain and Moorland 143 WHP – Phase II: Mr P Cook
4.00 pm		The Grange Bank Stud Awards Lead Rein Championship – Miss S Parrott
4.30 pm		The Grange Bank Stud Awards First Ridden Championship – Miss S Parrott
5.00 pm		The Grange Bank Stud Awards Cradle Stakes Championship – Miss S Parrott

## **ANTHONY D EVANS – Ring 6**

8.00 am	Class 92	Burghley Qualifier Working Sports Pony Lead Rein – Miss M Hewitt
9.30 am	Class 201	Simply the Best Heritage Open ex 143cms WHP Phase I: Mrs E Hector Phase II: Mrs T Hunter
10.30 am	Class 200	Simply the Best Heritage Open 143cms WHP Phase I: Mrs T Hunter Phase II: Mrs E Hector
11.30 am	Class 199	Simply the Best Heritage Open 133cms WHP Phase I: Mrs E Hector Phase II: Mrs T Hunter
12.30 pm	Class 198	Simply the Best Heritage Open 122cms WHP Phase I: Mrs T Hunter Phase II: Mrs E Hector
To follow on	Simply the Best	Heritage WHP Championship – Mrs T Hunter and Mrs E Hector
1.30 pm	Class 184	Simply the Best Heritage Cradle Stakes – Phase I: Ms F Cabrol Phase II: Mrs C Scott
To follow	Class 185	Simply the Best Heritage Nursery Stakes – Phase I: Mrs C Scott Phase II: Ms F Cabrol
To follow on	Simply the Best	Heritage Mini WHP Championship – Mrs C Scott and Ms F Cabrol

## **EMMERSON SHOW TEAM RING – Ring 7**

8.00 am	Class 2	Tiny Tots Stakes – Phase I: Mr S Hollings Phase II: Mr J Geake
9.30 am	Class 186	Heritage Cradle Stakes – Max height fences 55 cms – Phase I: Mr S Hollings Phase II: Mrs V Clark
10.30 am	Class 187	Heritage Nursery Stakes– Max height fences 65 cms – Phase I: Mr S Hollings Phase II: Mrs V Clark
To follow on	Mini Heritage	WHP Championship: – Mr S Hollings and Mrs V Clark
12 noon	Class 13	Simply the Best Cradle Stakes – Phase I: Mrs L Gaunt Phase II: Mrs D Plummer
1.15 pm	Class 14	Simply the Best Nursery Stakes – Phase I: Mrs D Plummer Phase II: Mrs L Gaunt
To follow on	Open Mini	WHP Championship – Mrs D Plummer and Mrs L Gaunt
2.30 pm	Class 61	Junior Riders Plaited/Unplaited WHP – Fences 60cms – Phase I: Mr S Hollings Phase II: Miss A Grummitt
3.15 pm	Class 62	Junior Riders Plaited/Unplaited WHP –Fences 70cms – Phase I: Miss A Grummitt Phase II: Mr S Hollings
To follow	Class 63	Junior Riders Plaited/Unplaited WHP – Fences 80cms – Phase I: Mr S Hollings Phase II: Miss A Grummitt

# THE BSPS BREEDERS CHALLENGE

**In conjunction with the NPS**

**JUDGE: – Faye Preston-Smith**

To be competed for by the highest placed Mares in the following: –

**SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN** Show Pony, Show Hunter Pony and Intermediate  
Classes 106-108, 147-150, 173-175.

**PART BRED** Show Pony, Show Hunter Pony and Intermediate  
Classes 116–118, 160-161, 180.

**CHALLENGE** Show Pony, Show Hunter Pony and Intermediate  
Classes 103-105, 143-146, 168–170.

**BLUE RIBAND** Show Pony, Show Hunter Pony and Intermediate  
Classes 97–99, 135–138, 162-164.

There will be a premium prize to be won by the Champion.

The premium is not transferable to another mare.

Once a pony has won either prize it cannot compete in the competition in subsequent years.

***First Prize – A nomination from The National Pony Society to the cost of £500 for a registered British Riding Pony Stallion of the winner's choice.***

Offer to be taken up within 3 years of the win, fee to be paid to the stallion owner, once mare is scanned in foal. The premiums are not transferable to another mare.

## **METHOD OF JUDGING**

The Mares will be judged in the Jinks Show Team Ring on Friday at 3.30pm

They will enter the ring as a class, will walk, trot, and canter they will not be judged with marks. Ponies, or a selection of ponies, may be stripped at the Judge's discretion.

# **MARNIE-GRANGE LEADING PONY OF THE** **YEAR AWARDS**

**To be Judged Friday evening in the TopSpec Champions Hall**

Ponies will enter the ring and line up. They will then be allocated 2 minutes to undertake a freestyle show. There will be 4 judges, judging independently who allocate a maximum of 20 marks each pony. The pony with the highest score wins.

Leading Show Pony

Leading Show Hunter Pony

Leading Intermediate

Leading Mini Show Pony

Leading Working Hunter Pony

Leading Mini Working Hunter Pony

**Champion £1000, Reserve Champion £750, First Reserve £500, 4<sup>th</sup> £300, 5<sup>th</sup> £150, 6<sup>th</sup> £100**

# **THE GRANGE BANK STUD AWARDS**

The Grange Bank Awards are open to riders that have not in 2025 or the current year: –

- a) Won a first prize in the same class at the BSPS Summer Championships
- b) Has not ridden ponies produced by a Professional Producer
- c) Has not been placed in the same class (not Pretty Polly) at HOYS, RIHS or LIHS.

To be eligible for these Awards exhibitors must have a Grange Bank Stud Award Card in the ring. The Grange Bank Stud Award Cards are available from Head Office or the Secretary's Office at the show.

## **SASHES WILL BE AWARDED TO THE HIGHEST PLACED ELIGIBLE RIDERS IN THE EACH OF THE FOLLOWING CLASSES: –**

Riders can only win one sash in each section (i.e. one in Lead Rein Classes, One in First Ridden Classes and One in Cradle Stakes Classes), if the highest placed eligible rider in the class has already won one sash in the section, the sash will move down the line to the next highest eligible rider.

### **Lead Rein 69, 71, 72, 74, 75, 77, 78, 80, 82, 84, 85, 87, 219, 221, 223, 225, 226, 228, 230.**

The winning ponies will be eligible for The Grange Bank Stud Award Lead Rein Championship to be judge in the Cooper Corporation Ring on Saturday at 4.00 pm.

### **First Pony 70, 73, 74A, 76, 79, 81, 83, 86, 88, 220, 222, 224, 227, 229, 231.**

The winning ponies will be eligible for The Grange Bank Stud Award First Pony Championship to be judge in the Cooper Corporation Ring on Saturday at approx. 4.30 pm.

### **Cradle Stakes 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 182, 184, 186, 188.**

The winning ponies will be eligible for The Grange Bank Stud Award Cradle Stakes Championship to be judged in the Cooper Corporation Ring on Saturday at approx. 5.00 pm.

## **The Champions and Reserve Champions will be eligible for THE GRANGE BANK STUD AWARD SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP**

The Supreme Champion Rider will receive a Flower Sash.

The Supreme Championship will be judged during the Saturday Evening Performance.

The champion to receive the Grange Bank Stud trophy.

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# TINY TOTS SECTION

## CLASSES 1 to 8 - NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED

### **SASHES TO THE 1<sup>ST</sup> TO 6<sup>TH</sup> PLACED RIDERS IN THE TINY TOTS CLASSES 1 to 8**

- CLASS 1      **THE BSPTS “TOP HAT HOUSE, EDINBURGH” TINY TOTS STAKES**  
Maximum height of fences 40cms. Plaited or heritage Ponies not exceeding 123cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 9<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.  
**RIDERS NOT TO HAVE COMPETED IN ANY PLAITED OR MOUNTAIN AND MOORLAND WHP  
CLASS AT HOYS**
- CLASS 2      **THE BSPTS “TOP HAT HOUSE, EDINBURGH” TINY TOTS STAKES**  
Maximum height of fences 40cms.  
Plaited or heritage Ponies not exceeding 123cms. **RIDERS NOT TO HAVE WON A CRADLE STAKES  
CLASS AT THE BSPTS SUMMER CHAMPIONSHIP**  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 10<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.
- CLASS 3      **THE BSPTS “TOP HAT HOUSE, EDINBURGH” TINY TOTS LEAD REIN PONY**  
Plaited or heritage Ponies not exceeding 122cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 5<sup>th</sup>  
birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.  
The “Dalehills Elf” Trophy presented by the late Janet Jenkinson to the winner.  
**RIDERS NOT TO HAVE WON A CLASS AT THE BSPTS SUMMER CHAMPIONSHIPS**  
(Tiny Tots & Pretty Polly Classes exempt)
- CLASS 4      **THE BSPTS “TOP HAT HOUSE, EDINBURGH” TINY TOTS FIRST RIDDEN PONY YOUNG RIDER**  
Plaited or Heritage Ponies not exceeding 128cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained **their 8<sup>th</sup>  
birthday** before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. **Ponies will only walk and trot in this class.**
- CLASS 5      **THE BSPTS “TOP HAT HOUSE, EDINBURGH” TINY TOTS FIRST RIDDEN PONY**  
Plaited or Heritage Ponies not exceeding 128cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 9<sup>th</sup>  
**birthday** before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.  
**RIDERS NOT TO HAVE WON A CLASS AT THE BSPTS SUMMER CHAMPIONSHIPS**  
(Tiny Tots & Pretty Polly Classes exempt)
- CLASS 6      **THE BSPTS “TOP HAT HOUSE, EDINBURGH” TINY TOTS WALK AND TROT RIDDEN CLASS**  
Plaited or Heritage Ponies not exceeding 128cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 7<sup>th</sup>  
birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. Ponies will only walk and trot in this class.  
**RIDERS NOT TO HAVE QUALIFIED FOR HOYS 2026 IN ANY SECTION EXCEPT LEAD REIN**
- CLASS 7      **THE BSPTS “TOP HAT HOUSE, EDINBURGH” TINY TOTS RIDDEN CLASS**  
Plaited or Heritage Ponies not exceeding 128cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their **10<sup>th</sup> birthday** before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.  
In this class, Ponies will be asked to canter in their individual shows only.  
**RIDERS NOT TO HAVE QUALIFIED FOR HOYS 2026 IN ANY SECTION EXCEPT LEAD REIN**  
The “Bumble Bee” Trophy to the winner Presented by Maestir Stud
- CLASS 8      **THE BSPTS “TOP HAT HOUSE, EDINBURGH” TINY TOTS RIDDEN CLASS YOUNG RIDER**  
Plaited or Heritage Ponies not exceeding 128cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 9<sup>th</sup>  
**birthday** before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. **Ponies will be asked to canter in individual show.**

**“TOP HAT HOUSE, EDINBURGH”**

**TINY TOTS SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP 2026**

To be Judged in the TOP SPEC ARENA during the Saturday Evening Performance

To be competed for by the 1<sup>st</sup> prize winners from

Class 1 – TOP HAT HOUSE, EDINBURGH TINY TOTS STAKES

Class 2 – TOP HAT HOUSE, EDINBURGH TINY TOTS STAKES

Class 3 – TOP HAT HOUSE, EDINBURGH TINY TOTS LEAD REIN

Class 4 TINY TOTS FIRST RIDDEN

Class 5 – TOP HAT HOUSE, EDINBURGH TINY TOTS FIRST RIDDEN

Class 6 – TOP HAT HOUSE, EDINBURGH TINY TOTS WALK & TROT RIDDEN PONY CLASS

Class 7 – TOP HAT HOUSE, EDINBURGH TINY TOTS RIDDEN PONY CLASS

Class 8 – TOP HAT HOUSE EDINBURGH TINY TOTS RIDDEN PONY CLASS

**All First Prize Winners will receive a Teddy Bear**

***CLASSES 1 TO 8 and CHAMPIONSHIP***

***KINDLY SPONSORED BY TOP HAT HOUSE, EDINBURGH***

***Jane Lindsay***

***The Champion to receive a Rug and Basket of Goodies***

**THE MELISSA HATTON TROPHY to the Champion**

# CRADLE and NURSERY STAKES SECTION

## THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS CRADLE AND NURSERY STAKES

### CLASSES 9 & 10 QUALIFICATION

Ponies must have been placed first in the appropriate class at BSPS Affiliated Summer shows in 2025 or the current year.

### CLASSES 9 – 10 MAXIMUM HEIGHT FOR FENCES – OPEN HEIGHT

#### CLASS 9 THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS CRADLE STAKES PONY

Ponies not exceeding 123cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.

#### CLASS 10 THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS NURSERY STAKES PONY

Ponies not exceeding 133cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 13<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year

### THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS MINI WHP

The 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from classes 9 and 10 to compete for  
The Champion will receive £100

The Champion to compete for THE BSPS SUPREME ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS –see page 87

THE BSPS SUPREME MINI WHP OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP see page 89

## THE THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE 2026 KINDLY SPONSORED BY THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD

### CLASSES 11 & 12 – NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED

#### Class 11 MAXIMUM HEIGHT FOR FENCES – Max height fences 55cms

#### CLASS 11 THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE CRADLE STAKES

Ponies not exceeding 123cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.

#### Class 12 MAXIMUM HEIGHT FOR FENCES – Max height fences 70cms

#### CLASS 12 THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE NURSERY STAKES PONY

Ponies not exceeding 133cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 13<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

### THE THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE MINI WHP CHAMPIONSHIP

The 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from classes 11 and 12 to compete.

*Kindly Sponsored by Thor Atkinson Steel Fabrications.*

The Champion to compete for THE THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD Supreme Championship see page 87 THE BSPS SUPREME MINI WHP OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP see page 89

# SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN CRADLE AND NURSERY STAKES

## CLASSES 13 & 14 QUALIFICATION

Ponies must have been placed 1<sup>st</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> OR 3<sup>rd</sup> at a BSPS Summer affiliated show in 2025 or the current year.

### CLASSES 13 & 14 MAXIMUM HEIGHT FOR FENCES – OPEN HEIGHT

#### CLASS 13 THE BSPS “CURSON SOWERBY PARTNERS LLP” SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN CRADLE STAKES PONY OF 2026

Ponies not exceeding 123cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.

The "Longclose" Trophy presented by Mr and Mrs J Thorne.

The "Harmony" Trophy presented by Mr and Mrs M Appell to the rider of the winner.

*Kindly Sponsored by Curson Sowerby Partners LLP – Luke Sowerby*

#### CLASS 14 THE BSPS “CURSON SOWERBY PARTNERS LLP” SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN NURSERY STAKES PONY OF 2026

Ponies not exceeding 133cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 13<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

The “Chirk Mint Sauce” Trophy presented by Mr and Mrs Beighton to the rider of the winning pony.

*Kindly Sponsored by Curson Sowerby Partners LLP – Luke Sowerby*

### THE BSPS SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN MINI W.H.P. CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026

Open to 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from classes 13 and 14

*The Champion to compete for THE BSPS MINI SUPREME WHP OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP – See Page 89*

## NURSERY AND CRADLE STAKES

### CLASSES 15 and 16 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED

#### Class 15 MAXIMUM HEIGHT FOR FENCES – 60 cms

#### CLASS 15 THE BSPS “APPELL” CRADLE STAKES PONY OF 2026

Ponies not exceeding 123cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**Kindly Sponsored by Mr & Mrs M Appell**

Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.

#### Class 16 MAXIMUM HEIGHT FOR FENCES – 75cms

#### CLASS 16 THE BSPS “PENNINGTON FAMILY” NURSERY STAKES PONY OF 2026

Ponies not exceeding 133cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 13<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. The “Greenfields Willow” Trophy to the winner.

**Kindly Sponsored by The Pennington Family**

### THE BSPS “MIKE HANNIGAN” MINI W.H.P. CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from classes 15 and 16 to compete.

*Generously sponsored by Mike’s Friends and Family*

*The Champion to compete for  
THE BSPS MINI SUPREME WHP OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP – See Page 89*

# **NOVICE NURSERY AND CRADLE STAKES**

**CLASS 17 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED** Open to Ponies that have NOT been placed 1<sup>st</sup> in a Plaited Cradle Stakes class at a BSPS Winter or Summer Championships Show in 2025 or the current year

## **MAXIMUM HEIGHT OF FENCES 50 cms**

### **CLASS 17 THE BSPS “WYSLYCH & LEE” NOVICE CRADLE STAKES PONY OF 2026**

Ponies not exceeding 123cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.  
Kindly Sponsored by Jan Wyslych and Hannah Lee

**Class 18 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED** Open to ponies that were Novice on 1.1.26 in accordance with BSPS Rules in the 2026 Rule and Show Handbook

## **MAXIMUM HEIGHT FOR FENCES – 65 CM**

### **CLASS 18 THE BSPS NOVICE NURSERY STAKES PONY OF 2026**

Ponies not exceeding 133cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 13<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

The “Premier Garages” Trophy to be presented by Mr and Mrs W R Barker to the winner.

## **THE BSPS NOVICE MINI W.H.P. CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026**

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from classes 17 and 18 to compete.

*The Champion to compete for*

THE BSPS MINI SUPREME WHP OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP – See Page 89

## **CLASS 19 INTER COUNTRY WORKING HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR COMPETITION**

Open to National Teams from England, Scotland, Wales and Overseas. Teams of four animals and riders.

One animal from Section A, Section B, Section C and one animal from any one of the three height sections. Only the three highest scores will count.

Teams should be nominated by the Chef d’Equipe of the Country concerned by 4.00 pm on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> August 2026

### **“The Irish Pony Society Trophy to the winning team”**

**MAXIMUM HEIGHT FOR FENCES – CHAMPIONSHIP HEIGHT i.e. Open plus 5cm**

#### **SECTION A THE BSPS INTER COUNTRY TEAM 133cms WORKING HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR**

Ponies not exceeding 133cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 15<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

#### **SECTION B THE BSPS INTER COUNTRY TEAM 143cms WORKING HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR**

Ponies not exceeding 143cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

#### **SECTION C THE BSPS INTER COUNTRY TEAM 153cms WORKING HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR**

Ponies not exceeding 153cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

#### **SECTION D THE BSPS INTER COUNTRY TEAM INTERMEDIATE WORKING HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR**

Ponies not exceeding 158cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

### **THE BSPS “WYSLYCH & LEE” INTER COUNTRY TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP**

The first and second prize winners to compete.

**Kindly Sponsored by Jan Wyslych and Hannah Lee**

The Stockham Stonechat trophy presented by Issy Dixon

THE CHAMPION TO COMPETE FOR THE BSPS SUPREME WHP CHAMPIONSHIP – See page 89 THE PARADE OF TEAMS AND PRESENTATION OF ROSETTES WILL TAKE PLACE IN THE TOP SPEC CHAMPIONS HALL DURING THE WEDNESDAY EVENING PERFORMANCE. ALL TEAMS WILL BE REQUIRED TO PARADE ON FOOT ACCOMPANIED BY THEIR CHEF D’EQUIPES, TO RECEIVE THEIR ROSETTES

# **WORKING HUNTER PONY SECTION**

**ANTHONY D. EVANS (Insurance Brokers) & CO**

**DESERT ORCHID BLUE RIBAND**

**WORKING HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR**

## **CLASSES 20 to 23 – QUALIFICATION**

Qualification Criteria to enter horses/ponies must have completed 2 WHP/MMWHP RIHS/ HOYS qualifiers or qualified in their respective open WHP or MM WHP class for the RIHS or HOYS in the current or previous year.

- CLASS 20(A) THE BSPS “ANTHONY D EVANS” DESERT ORCHID BLUE RIBAND WHP OF THE YEAR 100cm**  
Mare or Gelding 5 years old or over not exceeding 133cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 15<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.
- CLASS 20 (B) THE BSPS “ANTHONY D EVANS” DESERT ORCHID MOUNTAIN AND MOORLAND BLUE RIBAND WHP OF THE YEAR 95cm**  
Mountain and Moorland WHP. (but shown in accordance with their breed standard) Mare, Gelding or Stallion 5 years old and over, not exceeding 143cms Riders any age.
- CLASS 21(A) THE BSPS “ANTHONY D EVANS” DESERT ORCHID BLUE RIBAND WHP OF THE YEAR 110cm**  
Mare or Gelding 5 years old or over not exceeding 143cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.  
The “Greenfields Bits and Pieces” Trophy presented by Frankie Ramsey
- CLASS 21 (B) THE BSPS “ANTHONY D EVANS” DESERT ORCHID BLUE RIBAND MOUNTAIN AND MOORLAND WHP OF THE YEAR 110cm**  
Mountain and Moorland WHP. (Ponies any height, but shown in accordance with their breed standard).  
Mare, gelding or stallion, 5 years old and over. Riders any age.
- CLASS 22 THE BSPS “ANTHONY D EVANS” DESERT ORCHID BLUE RIBAND WHP OF THE YEAR 115cm**  
Mare or Gelding, 5 years old or over not exceeding 153cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.
- CLASS 23 THE BSPS “ANTHONY D EVANS” DESERT ORCHID BLUE RIBAND INTER WH OF THE YEAR 120cm** Any height of horse or pony. Mare or Gelding 5 years old and over. Riders any age.

The “Johnson Trophy” presented by Mrs H Johnson

### **Please note.**

Riders of stallions must have attained their 12th birthday for small breeds and their 14th birthday to ride large breeds.  
Riders may ride a different pony in classes 20A, 20B, 21A and 21B.

### **RIDERS CAN ONLY COMPETE ON THE SAME PONY IN ONE CLASS**

Entries will be strictly limited in each class.

Judged in accordance with current Desert Orchid rules.

**PHASE 1 JUDGING** Exhibitors completing a **CLEAR ROUND** in Classes 20 to 23 will be awarded a **BONUS MARK of 20**

**THE BSPS “ANTHONY D. EVANS (Insurance Brokers) & Co”**  
**DESERT ORCHID BLUE RIBAND**  
**WORKING HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP**

The 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from classes 20A, 20B, 21A, 21B, 22 and 23 (if rider 25 years or under) to compete for:  
*Horse and Pony Breeding and Benefit Trophy to the Champion and £100.*

*The Desert Orchid Blue Riband Classes and Championship are kindly sponsored by  
Anthony D Evans (Insurance Brokers) & Co.*

THE BSPS SUPREME HERITAGE WHP OR PLAITED WHP OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP  
(depending on whether a plaited or Heritage pony) – see page 89 or 92

# THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS WORKING HUNTER PONY CHAMPIONSHIP

## **CLASSES 24 to 27 – QUALIFICATION**

**Animals must have been placed 1<sup>st</sup> in the appropriate Open classes at BSPS Affiliated Summer shows in 2025 or the current year.**

### **CLASSES 24 – 27 MAXIMUM HEIGHT FENCES– CHAMPIONSHIP HEIGHT i.e. Open plus 5cm**

**CLASS 24**      **THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS 133cms WHP CHAMPION**

Ponies not exceeding 133cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 15<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**CLASS 25**      **THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS 143cms WHP CHAMPION**

Ponies not exceeding 143cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**The Southerly Trophy to the winner**

**CLASS 26**      **THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS 153cms WHP CHAMPION**

Ponies not exceeding 153cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**The Pebbly Maid of Honour Trophy to the winner**

**CLASS 27**      **THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS INTERMEDIATE WH CHAMPION**

Animals not exceeding 158cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

# THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS WORKING HUNTER PONY CHAMPIONSHIP

To be competed for by 1<sup>st</sup> prize winners from classes 24 to 27

**The Champion will receive £100**

The Mirah Gilgobben Rebel Trophy to the winner

**The Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions WHP Champion to compete for: –  
Champion to compete for The Overall Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions see page**

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**And THE BSPS SUPREME WHP OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP –See Page 89**

**THE THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS  
LTD  
CHALLENGE 2026  
KINDLY SPONSORED BY THOR ATKINSON STEEL  
FABRICATIONS LTD**

**CLASSES 28 to 31 QUALIFICATION**

Animals must have qualified for the BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE by attending any BSPS Affiliated Summer show and competed in the appropriate class in 2025 or the current year.

Ponies must NOT have qualified for the Horse of the Year Show in the current year, been placed 1st – 5th at HOYS in the previous year or been placed 1st – 5th at RIHS in the current or previous year in the relevant class, excluding Pretty Polly and Young Dragonara, or been placed 1st – 5th in the BSPS Heritage Supreme at LIHS in the previous year.

**CLASSES 28 –31 MAXIMUM HEIGHT FOR FENCES – CHALLENGE HEIGHT**

**CLASS 28 THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE WORKING**

**HUNTER PONY 133cms**

Ponies not exceeding 133cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 15<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**CLASS 29 THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE WORKING**

**HUNTER PONY 143cms**

Ponies not exceeding 143cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**CLASS 30 THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE**

**WORKING HUNTER PONY 153cms**

Ponies not exceeding 153cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**CLASS 31 THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE INTERMEDIATE W.H.**

Animals not exceeding 158cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD  
CHALLENGE WORKING HUNTER PONY CHAMPIONSHIP**

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> from: The BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE

Classes 28, 29, 30 and 31 to compete.

The Champion to compete for: –THE THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE SUPREME  
CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026 see page 87

and

THE BSPS SUPREME WHP CHAMPION – see page 89

# **SIMPLY THE BEST**

## **OPEN WORKING HUNTER PONY CLASSES**

### **CLASSES 32 to 35 QUALIFICATION**

Ponies must have been placed 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> in the appropriate Open WHP (1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> for class 35) or 1<sup>st</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup> in a Mixed Height class at a BSPS Summer affiliated show in 2025 or the current year.

### **CLASSES 32 to 35 MAXIMUM HEIGHT FOR FENCES – CHAMPIONSHIP HEIGHT i.e. Open plus 5cm**

**CLASS 32 THE BSPS “WAKES END EQUESTRIAN” SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN 133cms WORKING HUNTER PONY OF 2026**

Ponies not exceeding 133cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 15<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**The "Pegasus" Trophy presented by Pegasus Horse Feeds Limited**

**CLASS 33 THE BSPS “WAKES END EQUESTRIAN” SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN 143cms WORKING HUNTER PONY OF 2026**

Ponies not exceeding 143cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**The "Snipe Trophy" presented by Mrs Ray W. Hansom**

**CLASS 34 THE BSPS “WAKES END EQUESTRIAN” SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN 153cms WORKING HUNTER PONY OF 2026**

Ponies not exceeding 153cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**The "Toytown" Trophy presented by His Hon. The Late Judge and Mrs Waddilove**

**The "Helen Forsyth" Memorial Trophy presented by The Forsyth Family**

**CLASS 35 THE BSPS “WAKES END EQUESTRIAN” SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN INTERMEDIATE WORKING HUNTER OF 2026**

Animals not exceeding 158cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**The "Leicester II" Perpetual Trophy presented by Mr and Mrs L J Connor**

## **THE BSPS “WAKES END EQUESTRIAN” SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN WHP/WH CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026**

The 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from classes 32 to 35 compete for:

***Kindly Sponsored by Wakes End Equestrian – The Kivlochan Family***

The "Nutbeam Minto" Trophy presented by Mr and Mrs J Dyson

The "Peta Beckett Memorial" Trophy to the Rider of the winning pony – presented by Mrs D Thorne

*The Champion to compete in THE BSPS SUPREME WHP OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP – see page 89*

# **HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW WORKING HUNTER PONY** **QUALIFYING CLASSES**

## **CLASSES 36– 39 MAXIMUM HEIGHT FOR FENCES HOYS HEIGHT**

**CLASS 36** **HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW National Pony Society/Mole Valley Farmers**  
**133cm WORKING HUNTER PONY 2026 QUALIFYING CLASS**  
Ponies not exceeding 133cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 14<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.  
**The “Shandryn April’s Lad” Trophy presented by Mr R.L. and Mrs D.A. Walker to the winner.**

**CLASS 37** **HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW National Pony Society/Mole Valley Farmers**  
**143cm WORKING HUNTER PONY 2026 QUALIFYING CLASS**  
Ponies exceeding 133cms but not exceeding 143cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 17<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.  
**The “Gems Bally Kiss Angel” Trophy presented by Mr R.L. and Mrs D.A. Walker**

**CLASS 38** **HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW National Pony Society/Mole Valley Farmers**  
**153cm WORKING HUNTER PONY 2026 QUALIFYING CLASS**  
Ponies exceeding 143cms but not exceeding 153cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 20<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**CLASS 39** **HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW National Pony Society/Mole Valley Farmers**  
**INTERMEDIATE WORKING HUNTER 2026 QUALIFYING CLASS**  
Animals ex. 148cms but not exceeding 158cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

Marks will be awarded in the following way:

PHASE 1– 70 MARKS

A. JUMPING 50 MARKS

B. STYLE WHILE JUMPING 20 MARKS

PHASE 11 – 30 MARKS

C. CONFORMATION, TYPE AND FREEDOM OF ACTION 20 MARKS

D. MANNERS AND WAY OF GOING 10 MARKS

In the event of equality, the TOTAL MARK from Phase 1 will take precedence, followed by the MANNERS Mark, and then the CONFORMATION/ TYPE & FREEDOM OF ACTION MARK

Classes 36 to 39 will be run in accordance with Horse of the Year show rules, a copy of which can be downloaded from [www.hoys.co.uk](http://www.hoys.co.uk).

Eligibility for these classes is Open to Mares and Geldings four years old or over. All ponies must be registered with the BSPTS., UK Ponies and Horses, NPS or TSR.

The highest placed unqualified pony qualifies for the Horse of the Year Show, Birmingham 7<sup>TH</sup> – 11<sup>TH</sup> October 2026.

Qualification will be verified by Horse of the Year Show Office. Qualification will not pass below 5<sup>th</sup> place.

Exhibitors are required by DEFRA to carry with them Official Identity Documents for all horses/ponies when competing or travelling. Competitors are reminded that it is a DEFRA requirement that the Official Identity Documents must be in the name of the legal owner within 30 days of ownership. This must be registered with the breed society, relevant studbook or ID issuing agency, dependant on breed/type of animal. Spot checks may be carried out at qualifying shows and by breed societies.

Classes 36–39 are Horse of the Year Show Qualifiers, all data given upon entry of these classes is provided to Grandstand Media Limited and stored on the Grandstand Entries System. For full policy details please visit [www.grandstandentries.com](http://www.grandstandentries.com)

## **“OYSTER WEALTH” WORKING HUNTER PONY CHAMPIONSHIP**

The 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from classes 36 to 39

*Kindly Sponsored by Oyster Wealth*

**The Champion to compete for**  
**THE BSPTS SUPREME WHP OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP – see page 89**

# NOVICE WORKING HUNTER PONY CLASSES

Classes 40 to 43 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED

Open to ponies that were Novice on 1.1.26 in accordance with BSPS Rules in the 2026 Rule and Show Handbook

## MAXIMUM HEIGHT FOR FENCES – NOVICE HEIGHT

CLASS 40 THE BSPS NOVICE 133cms WORKING HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR

Ponies not exceeding 133cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 15<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

*Kindly sponsored by Laura Hay*

The "Queenie" Trophy presented by Mrs P.C. Stirling

CLASS 41 THE BSPS "CHALK STREAM MEDICAL" NOVICE 143cms WORKING HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR

Ponies not exceeding 143cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

*Kindly Sponsored by Chalkstream Medical - Anna Cayzer*

The "Precious May" Trophy presented by Heather and Claire Punshon

CLASS 42 THE BSPS "MURPHY AND BRAND" NOVICE 153cms WORKING HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR

Ponies not exceeding 153cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

*Kindly Sponsored by Mrs P. Murphy and Mrs J. Brand*

CLASS 43 THE BSPS NOVICE INTERMEDIATE WORKING HUNTER OF THE YEAR

Animals ex. not exceeding 158cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

The "Nevada Trophy" to the winner.

## THE BSPS NOVICE WORKING HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR

First and Second prize winners from classes 40 to 43 compete for: –

The "Sefton Tony" Trophy presented by Mr Leslie and The Late Mrs Connor to the Champion

The "Rudgeway" Trophy presented by Mrs C. Cropper and Mrs C. Harding to the Reserve Champion

**The Champion to compete for the: –**

**The BSPS SUPREME WHP CHAMPIONSHIP – See page 89**

## PRETTY POLLY WHP PLAITED OR UNPLAITED CLASSES

Classes 44 - 47 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED Open to ponies in accordance with the BSPS Pretty Polly Rules

CLASS 44 THE BSPS PRETTY POLLY 123cms WHP OF 2026

Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over Ponies plaited or unplaited not exceeding 123cms Riders any age.

**MAXIMUM HEIGHT OF FENCES 70CMS**

CLASS 45 THE BSPS PRETTY POLLY 133cms WHP OF 2026

Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over. Ponies plaited or unplaited not exceeding 133cm Riders any age.

**MAXIMUM HEIGHT OF FENCES 80 CMS**

CLASS 46 THE BSPS PRETTY POLLY 143cms WHP OF 2026

Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over. Ponies plaited or unplaited not exceeding 143cms Riders any age.

**MAXIMUM HEIGHT OF FENCES 90 CMS**

CLASS 47 THE BSPS PRETTY POLLY ex. 143cms WHP OF 2026

Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over not exceeding 143cms. Ponies plaited or unplaited. Riders any age.

**MAXIMUM HEIGHT OF FENCES 100 CMS**

## THE BSPS PRETTY POLLY WORKING HUNTER PONY CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026

Open to 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from classes 44- 47

The Champion to compete for

THE BSPS SUPREME HERITAGE WHP OR PLAITED WHP OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP

(depending on whether a plaited or Heritage pony) – see page 89 or 92

## **BSPS “HOLDER SHOW TEAM” GOLD CUP CHAMPIONSHIP**

### **CLASS 48 THE BSPS “HOLDER SHOW TEAM” OPEN Nursery Stakes GOLD CUP**

(Section A) DRESSAGE (Section B) PERFORMANCE WSP 75cm (Section C) SHOW JUMPING 80cm

Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 133cms. Riders not to have attained their 13<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year

### **CLASS 49 THE BSPS “HOLDER SHOW TEAM” OPEN 143cms GOLD CUP**

(Section A) DRESSAGE (Section B) PERFORMANCE WSP 85cm (Section C) SHOW JUMPING 90cm

Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 143cms. Riders not to have attained their 15<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year

### **CLASS 50 THE BSPS “HOLDER SHOW TEAM” OPEN 148cms GOLD CUP**

(Section A) DRESSAGE (Section B) PERFORMANCE WSP 95cm (Section C) SHOW JUMPING 100cm

Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, and not exceeding 148cms. Riders not to have attained their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year

### **CLASS 51 THE BSPS “HOLDER SHOW TEAM” OPEN 158cms GOLD CUP**

(Section A) DRESSAGE (Section B) PERFORMANCE WSP 105cm (Section C) SHOW JUMPING 110cm,

Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 158cms. Riders not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday by 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**The Dick Goudkuil Trophy to the overall winner of class 49.**

**METHOD OF JUDGING THE GOLD CUP** - To be run in accordance with the BSPS Rules for Combined Training and Gold Cup Classes. No pony may compete in more than one class. No rider will be allowed to ride more than one pony per section.

**SECTION A** – PC Grassroots PC80 Championship Dressage Test 2026 (40m x 20m) will be used for class 48. PC Novice PC90 Dressage Test 2026 (40m x 20m) will be used for classes 49, 50 and 51 copies are available from The Pony Club Website. Bits to comply with British Dressage rules. **The dressage test may be commanded in Class 1 only.**

**SECTION B** The Gold Cup Performance WORKING SPORTS PONY will be run in accordance with the BSPS Combined and Gold Cup Rule Book.

MAXIMUM MARKS

JUMPING	60
STYLE and MANNERS	20
POSITION OF SEAT AND EFFECTIVENESS OF RIDER	10
GALLOP	10
TOTAL	100 Maximum Marks

Entries will be limited; competitors MUST enter both sections A & B to be eligible to go forward to Section C.

WSP – scores lower than 45 regardless of combined placing will not go forward to show jumping.

**SECTION C** will be a show jumping course.

There will be a jumping course consisting of coloured fences which will be run in accordance with the BSPS Combined and Gold Cup Rule Book Rules. There will be an ALTERNATIVE JOKER FENCE included within the timed course, a BONUS MARK of TEN will be awarded to competitors who successfully jump the alternative fence and 20 penalties if it is knocked down. All faults will be deducted from the total score carried forward from Sections A and B. This phase will be open to competitors gaining the highest amalgamated scores from Section A & B. The ponies to go forward will be announced before the Show Jumping starts. Anyone eliminated in S/J will not come forward for overall rosette.

## **BSPS “HOLDER SHOW TEAM” GOLD CUP CHAMPIONSHIP**

To be competed for by 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from classes 48 – 51

Kindly sponsored by the Holder Show Team

The “Necta Peebles” trophy to the Champion.

***THE HIGHEST PLACED TWO PONIES, OWNED REGISTERED AND RIDDEN BY BSPS MEMBERS IN CLASSES IN CLASSES 2, 3 and 4 WILL QUALIFY FOR***

***THE BSPS “TOPSPEC” GOLD CUP FINAL***

***At the DEFENDER BURGHLEY HORSE TRIALS on Sunday 6th September 2026***

# PERFORMANCE WSP CLASSES

**Classes 48-51 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED - NO CONFORMATION MARKS**  
**PONIES ENTERED IN THE GOLD CUP WILL AUTOMATICALLY BE ENTERED INTO THIS CLASS**  
**THIS CLASS CAN BE ENTERED AS A STANDALONE COMPETITION**

**CLASS 48b THE BSPTS PERFORMANCE NURSERY STAKES**

Max Height/ width of fences 75cms

Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 133cms. Riders not to have attained their 13<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year

**CLASS 49b THE BSPTS PERFORMANCE OPEN 143cms WSP**

Max height/width of fences 85cms

Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 143cms. Riders not to have attained their 15<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year

**CLASS 50b THE BSPTS PERFORMANCE OPEN 148cms WSP**

Max Height/width of fences 95 cms

Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, and not exceeding 148cms. Riders not to have attained their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year

**CLASS 51b THE BSPTS PERFORMANCE INTERMEDIATE WH**

Max Height/width of fences 1m 5cms

Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 158cms. Riders not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday by 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

## WORKING HUNTER PONY CLASSES

**Classes 52 to 55 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED**

**CLASS 52 THE BSPTS 133cms WORKING HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR** Max height fences 85cms.

Ponies not exceeding 133cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 15<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**CLASS 53 THE BSPTS 143cms WORKING HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR** Max height of fences 95cms.

Ponies not exceeding 143cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**CLASS 54 THE BSPTS 153cms WORKING HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR**

**Max height of fences 105cm.**

Ponies not exceeding 153cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**CLASS 55 THE BSPTS INTERMEDIATE WORKING HUNTER OF THE YEAR** Max height of fences 1m10cms

Animals not exceeding 158cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

### THE BSPTS CHAMPION WORKING HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR

First and Second prize winners from classes 52 to 55 compete for: –

**The Champion to compete for the: – The BSPTS SUPREME WHP OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP – See page 89**

## THE BSPTS TRAINING STAKES WHP CLASSES

**Classes 56 to 60 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED**  
**OPEN TO PLAITED AND HERITAGE PONIES**

**CLASS 56 THE BSPTS TRAINING STAKES**

Ponies 4 years old or over. Riders any age. MAXIMUM HEIGHT OF FENCES 50cms

**CLASS 57 THE BSPTS TRAINING STAKES**

Ponies 4 years old or over. Riders any age. MAXIMUM HEIGHT OF FENCES 60cms

**CLASS 58 THE BSPTS TRAINING STAKES**

Ponies 4 years old or over. Riders any age. MAXIMUM HEIGHT OF FENCES 70cms

**CLASS 59 THE BSPTS TRAINING STAKES**

Ponies 4 years old or over. Riders any age. MAXIMUM HEIGHT OF FENCES 80cms

**CLASS 60 THE BSPTS TRAINING STAKES**

Ponies 4 years old or over. Riders any age. MAXIMUM HEIGHT OF FENCES 90cms

**BHF New Horizon Trainer's Excellence Award Championship - Eligible riders must wear a white armband. Assessment of this award will take place after completing the course in a separate conformation area. The highest placed 4, 5 or 6 year old in each of the above classes will go through to the BHF New Horizon Trainer's Excellence Award Championship in the TopSpec Champions Hall See page 85.**



# **LEADING REIN, FIRST RIDDEN AND LEAD REIN HUNTER TYPE SECTION**

## **THE BLUE RIBAND LEAD REIN, FIRST RIDDEN CLASSES**

### **METHOD OF JUDGING**

These classes will be Judged by Four BSPS Panel Judges.

Marks will be awarded as Follows: –

Judge 1	50 marks for Phase 1– Performance, Manners and Way of Going
Judge 2	50 marks for Phase 2– Conformation
Judge 3	50 marks for Phase 3 Technical Performance
Judge 4	50 marks for Phase 4 – Elegance and Appeal

The Phase 3 and 4 marks will be announced immediate after the individual shows.

In the event of equality, the marks from Judge 1 will take preference, followed by the marks awarded by Judges 2, Judge 3 and Judge 4.

### **CLASSES 69 to 70 – QUALIFICATION**

Animals must have been placed 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> in the appropriate Open classes at shows which are qualifiers for the 2026 Blue Riband Mini Pony of the Year.

Class 71 Animals must have qualified for Lead Rein Hunter Type class at 2026 RIHS or HOYS.

## **THE “SNUGGY HOODS & WOODROYD STUD” BLUE RIBAND MINI PONY OF THE YEAR**

### **CLASS 69 THE “SNUGGY HOODS & WOODROYD STUD” BLUE RIBAND LEAD REIN PONY OF THE YEAR**

Ponies not exceeding 122cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 8<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.**

### **CLASS 70 THE “SNUGGY HOODS & WOODROYD STUD” BLUE RIBAND FIRST RIDDEN OF THE YEAR**

Ponies not exceeding 123cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 10<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.**

### **CLASS 71 THE “SNUGGY HOODS & WOODROYD STUD” BLUE RIBAND LEAD REIN OF HUNTER TYPE**

Ponies not exceeding 122cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 9<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year

**Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.**

## **THE “SNUGGY HOODS & WOODROYD STUD” BLUE RIBAND MINI PONY OF THE YEAR**

The 1<sup>st</sup>. and 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize winners in classes 69 to 71 will compete for: –

The” Cadogan Trophy”, presented by The Late Sybil Smith. £100 to the Champion and £50 to the Reserve

***Kindly Sponsored by Snuggly Hoods & Woodroyd Stud – Becky Godfrey-Faussett***

**THE CHAMPION TO COMPETE FOR THE BSPS BLUE RIBAND SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP – See page 89**

and

**THE BSPS SUPREME MINI SHOW PONY CHAMPIONSHIP (if a SP) See page 90**

or

**THE BSPS SUPREME MINI SHP CHAMPIONSHIP (if a LRHT) – See page 91**

**THE BSPS**  
**ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS**  
**MINI SHOW PONY**

**CLASSES 72 to 74 – QUALIFICATION** Animals must have been placed 1<sup>st</sup> in the appropriate Open classes at BSPS Affiliated Summer shows in 2025 or the current year.

**CLASS 72**      **THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS LEAD REIN CHAMPION**

Ponies not exceeding 122cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 8<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.

**CLASS 73**      **THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS FIRST RIDDEN CHAMPION**

Ponies not exceeding 123cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 10<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.

**THE BSPS**  
**ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS**  
**MINI PONY**

To be competed for by 1<sup>st</sup> prize winners from classes 72 and 73

**The Champion will receive £100**

The Hayes Trophy to the Champion.

The Champion to compete for **The BSPS SUPREME ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS see page 87**  
and **THE BSPS SUPREME MINI SHOW PONY OF THE YEAR –see page 90**

**CLASS 74**      **THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS LEAD REIN HUNTER TYPE**

Ponies not exceeding 122cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 9<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.

**CLASS 74A**      **THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS FIRST RIDDEN HUNTER TYPE** Ponies not exceeding 123cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 10<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.

**THE BSPS**  
**ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS**  
**MINI SHIP PONY**

To be competed for by 1<sup>st</sup> prize winners from classes 74 and 74A

**The Champion will receive £100**

The Champion to compete for **The BSPS SUPREME ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS see page 87**  
and **THE BSPS SUPREME MINI SHOW HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR –see page 91**

**THE THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD  
CHALLENGE 2026  
KINDLY SPONSORED BY THOR ATKINSON  
STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD**

**CLASSES 75 to 77 – QUALIFICATION** Animals must have qualified for the BSPS CHALLENGE by attending any BSPS Affiliated Summer show and competed in the appropriate class in 2025 or the current year. Ponies must NOT have qualified for the Horse of the Year Show in the current year, been placed 1st – 5th at HOYS in the previous year or been placed 1st – 5th at RIHS in the current or previous year in the relevant class, excluding Pretty Polly and Young Dragonara, or been placed 1st – 5th in the BSPS Heritage Supreme at LIHS in the previous year.

**CLASS 75** **THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE LEAD REIN**  
Ponies not exceeding 122cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 8<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.

**CLASS 76** **THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE FIRST RIDDEN**  
Ponies not exceeding 123cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 10<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.

**CLASS 77** **THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE LEAD REIN OF HUNTER TYPE**  
Ponies not exceeding 122cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 9<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.

**THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD  
CHALLENGE MINI CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026**

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize winners from Classes 75 - 77 to compete. **Champion to compete for THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP**– see page 87 and BSPS SUPREME MINI SP or SHP – see page 90 or 91

**SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN LEAD REIN & FIRST RIDDEN CLASSES**

**CLASSES 78 to 79 QUALIFICATION** Ponies must have been placed 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> in the appropriate Open class at a BSPS Summer affiliated show in 2025 or the current year.

**CLASS 78** **THE BSPS SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN LEADING REIN PONY OF 2026**  
Ponies not exceeding 122cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 8<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.  
**The "Carol Cooper" Trophy presented by The Late Mrs J. Lee-Smith to the winner.**  
**Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.**

**CLASS 79** **THE BSPS SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN FIRST RIDDEN OF 2026**  
Ponies not exceeding 123cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 10<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.

**THE SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN MINI CHAMPIONSHIP**

First and second prize winners in classes 78 and 79  
Champion to compete for **THE BSPS SUPREME MINI SHOW PONY OF THE YEAR** – See page 90

**CLASS 80** **THE BSPS "W H ENGINEERING" SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN LEAD REIN HUNTER TYPE OF 2026**  
Ponies not exceeding 122cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 9<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. *Kindly Sponsored by W H Engineering – Rachel Hall*  
**Jackson Trophy Presented by Lisa Jackson to the winner. Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.**

**CLASS 81** **THE "BSPS AREA 3B" SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN FIRST PONY OF HUNTER TYPE OF 2026**  
Ponies not exceeding 123cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 10<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

*Kindly Sponsored by BSPS Area 3B*  
**Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.**

**THE SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN MINI HUNTER PONY CHAMPIONSHIP**

First and second prize winners in classes 80 and 81  
Champion to compete for **THE BSPS SUPREME MINI SHOW HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR** – See page 91

## **HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW ANNABEL'S DELICIOUSLY BRITISH LEAD REIN & FIRST RIDDEN**

### **CLASS 82 HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW ANNABEL'S DELICIOUSLY BRITISH LEAD REIN 2026 QUALIFYING CLASS**

Ponies not exceeding 122cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider must have attained their 3<sup>rd</sup>. birthday by the day of the competition, but not their 8<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.**

### **CLASS 83 HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW ANNABEL'S DELICIOUSLY BRITISH FIRST RIDDEN 2026 QUALIFYING CLASS**

Ponies not exceeding 123cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider must have attained their 3<sup>rd</sup> birthday by the day of competition and not to have attained their 10<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.**

### **THE "WALTON FAMILY" MINI SHOW PONY CHAMPIONSHIP**

First and second prize winners in classes 82 and 83.

*Kindly Sponsored by The Walton Family – Lucy Walton*

The Champion will compete for

**THE BSPTS SUPREME MINI SHOW PONY OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP – see page 90**

### **CLASS 84 HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW MEARS-WOOD FAMILY LEAD REIN PONY OF HUNTER TYPE 2026 QUALIFYING CLASS**

Ponies not exceeding 122cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider who has attained their 3<sup>rd</sup> birthday by the day of the competition but not their 9<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

Obstacles will be used in the qualifying rounds and the final.

**Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.**

***The winner to compete for BSPTS MINI SUPREME SHP OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP– see page 91***

MARKS will be awarded in the following way:

Manners & Way of Going 50 MARKS Maximum

Conformation, Type & Freedom of Action 50 MARKS Maximum

In the event of equality, the pony with the highest Manners & Way of Going mark will be deemed the winner.

If there still be equality at this point, then the judges' decision will be final.

Exhibitors are required by DEFRA to carry with them Official Identity Documents for all horses/ponies when competing or travelling. Competitors are reminded that it is a DEFRA requirement that the Official Identity Documents must be in the name of the legal owner within 30 days of ownership. This must be registered with the breed society, relevant studbook or ID issuing agency, dependant on breed/type of animal. Spot checks may be carried out at qualifying shows and by breed societies. Classes 79-81 will be run in accordance with Horse of the Year show rules, a copy of which can be downloaded from [www.hoys.co.uk](http://www.hoys.co.uk).

Eligibility for these classes is Open to Mares and Geldings four years old or over. All ponies must be registered with the BSPTS., UK Ponies and Horses, NPS or TSR. Riders and Owners must be members of BSPTS, NPS, UK Ponies & Horses or TSR. The highest placed unqualified pony qualifies for the Horse of the Year Show, Birmingham 7<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> October 2026.

Qualification will be verified by Horse of the Year Show Office. Qualification will not pass below 5<sup>th</sup> place. Classes 82-84 are Horse of the Year Show Qualifiers, all data given upon entry of these classes is provided to Grandstand Media Limited and stored on the Grandstand Entries System. For full policy details please visit [www.grandstandentries.com](http://www.grandstandentries.com).

## **NOVICE LEAD REIN & FIRST RIDDEN CLASSES**

**Classes 85 to 86 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED Open to ponies that were Novice on 1.1.26 in accordance with BSPTS Rules in the 2026 Rule and Show Handbook.**

### **CLASS 85 THE BSPTS "JAMES KNIPE FARRIERY DIP WCF" NOVICE LEADING REIN PONY OF THE YEAR**

Ponies not exceeding 122cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 8<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. Grange Bank Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.

***Kindly Sponsored by James Knipe Farriery DIP WCF***

**Basford Elegant Trophy to Winner**

### **CLASS 86 THE BSPTS NOVICE FIRST RIDDEN PONY OF THE YEAR**

Ponies not exceeding 123cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 10<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.

### **THE BSPTS NOVICE MINI SHOW PONY CHAMPIONSHIP**

First and second prize winners in classes 85 and 86

The Champion to compete for

**THE BSPTS SUPREME NOVICE RIDDEN PONY OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP – see page 88  
and THE MINI SHOW PONY SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP – See page 90**

**CLASS 87 THE BSPS NOVICE LEADING REIN PONY OF HUNTER TYPE**

Ponies not exceeding 122cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 9<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.

**CLASS 88 THE BSPS NOVICE FIRST PONY OF HUNTER TYPE OF 2026**

Ponies not exceeding 123cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 10<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.

**THE BSPS NOVICE MINI SHOW HUNTER PONY CHAMPIONSHIP**

First and second prize winners in classes 87 and 88

The Champion to compete for

**THE BSPS SUPREME NOVICE RIDDEN PONY OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP – see page 88  
and THE MINI SHOW HUNTER PONY SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP – See page 91**

**PRETTY POLLY PLAITED OR UNPLAITED LEAD REIN & FIRST RIDDEN  
CLASSES**

**Classes 89 to 91 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED** Open to plaited or unplaited ponies in accordance with the BSPS Pretty Polly Rules

**CLASS 89 THE BSPS “MILLARD” PRETTY POLLY LEADING REIN PONY OF THE YEAR**

Plaited and unplaited Ponies not exceeding 122cms Suitable for and to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 10<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

*Kindly Sponsored by Laura Millard*

**CLASS 90 THE BSPS “MILLARD” PRETTY POLLY FIRST RIDDEN PONY OF THE YEAR**

Plaited and unplaited Ponies not exceeding 128cms Suitable for and to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

*Kindly Sponsored by Laura Millard*

**CLASS 91 THE BSPS PRETTY POLLY LEADING REIN PONY OF HUNTER TYPE OF THE YEAR**

Plaited and unplaited Ponies not exceeding 122cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 9<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**THE “WALTON FAMILY” PRETTY POLLY MINI CHAMPIONSHIP**

First and Second prize winners in classes 89 to 91 compete.

*Kindly Sponsored by The Walton Family – Lucy Walton*

The Champion is eligible to compete for the BSPS PRETTY POLLY SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP – See page 88

and THE SUPREME MINI SHOW PONY CHAMPIONSHIP (if a SP) see page 90

OR THE BSPS SUPREME MINI SHP CHAMPIONSHIP (if a SHP) see page 91

Or THE BSPS SUPREME HERITAGE MINI PONY (If a heritage pony) – see page 93

**NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED**

**CLASS 92**

**THE BSPS TOPSPEC LEAD REIN WORKING SPORTS PONY**

Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 122cms to have attained their 4<sup>th</sup> birthday by 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year and not to have attained their 10<sup>th</sup> birthday in the current year.

**METHOD OF JUDGING**

Ponies will enter the ring at the walk, they may be trotted altogether at the Judges' discretion.

They will be pulled into line and asked to perform an individual test around obstacles, a minimum of five fences and a maximum of seven, including jumping a maximum of three small upright fences not exceeding 30cms and a change of rein. No spread fences. Water will not be included.

Ponies will not be asked to walk on artificial material e.g., plastic sheeting during the test.

Riders will not be asked to dismount.

The Leader must be 16yrs. old or over and may only lead one pony in a class.

The rein MUST go directly from the bit to the rider's hand, with no extra aids or attachments to or on the saddle.

Handles on saddles are permitted, but the reins must not be attached to the handle or to the saddle.

The Lead rein must be affixed to the noseband on which it must remain while the pony is in the ring.

Whilst in the ring, ponies must be led by the leader at all times.

The Leaders must lead on the near side with the lead ring in the left hand.

**DRESS CODE**

Riders– Hats and Body Protectors in accordance with BSPS Rules. Tweed jackets, beige or cream jodhpurs, Shirts, tie, boots and gloves. No Buttonholes.

Leaders – Country attire, Gentleman Trilby Hats or Caps, Ladies modest hats.

**MARKS**

Way of going, Manners and style whilst performing the test (Including jumping) 60 Marks.

Type and Freedom of Action 20 Marks

Presentation, condition and suitability of pony for rider 20 Marks

TOTAL 100 Marks

Judges will penalise refusals, knockdowns or taking the wrong course.

A stride or two of canter over the fences will not be penalised.

There will be NO conformation marks.

***THE 1<sup>st</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> PLACED PONIES IN THE BSPS LEAD REIN WORKING SPORTS PONY CLASS WILL QUALIFY FOR THE TOP SPEC BSPS LEAD REIN WORKING SPORTS PONY At the DEFENDER BURGHLEY HORSE TRIALS On Sunday 6th September 2026***

***Ponies placed 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> will go forward to the BSPS Working Sports Pony Supreme Championship – see page 88***

**CLASS 93**

**THE BSPS HERITAGE LEAD REIN WORKING SPORTS PONY**

Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, Registered Mountain and Moorland or non-registered mountain and moorland type Ponies not exceeding 128cms. Ridden by a child to have attained their 4<sup>th</sup> birthday on the 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year and not to attain their 10<sup>th</sup> birthday by 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. Any suitable snaffle bridle. Ponies to be shown unplaited.

In Lead rein WSP the Judge will be looking for a pony suitable for a child to begin their future in Working Sports Pony Classes.

**DRESS CODE**

Riders– Hats and Body Protectors in accordance with BSPS Rules. Tweed jackets, beige or cream jodhpurs, Shirts, tie, boots and gloves. No Buttonholes.

Leaders – Country attire, Gentleman Trilby Hats or Caps, Ladies modest hats.

**MARKS**

Manners and style whilst performing the test (Including jumping) 60 Marks.

Type and freedom of action 20 Marks

Presentation, condition and Suitability of pony for the rider 20 Marks

TOTAL 100 Marks

Judges will penalise refusals, knockdowns or taking the wrong course.

A stride or two of canter over the fences will not be penalised.

There will be NO conformation marks.

#### **METHOD OF JUDGING**

Ponies will enter the ring at the walk, they may be trotted altogether at the Judges' discretion.

They will be pulled into line and asked to perform an individual test around obstacles, including jumping a maximum of three small upright fences not exceeding 30cms No spread fences. Water will not be included.

Ponies will not be asked to walk on artificial material e.g., plastic sheeting during the test.

Riders will not be asked to dismount.

The Leader must be 16yrs. old or over and may only lead one pony in a class.

The rein **MUST** go directly from the bit to the rider's hand, with no extra aids or attachments to or on the saddle.

Handles on saddles are permitted, but the reins must not be attached to the handle or to the saddle.

The Lead rein must be affixed to the noseband on which it must remain while the pony is in the ring.

Whilst in the ring, ponies must be led by the leader at all times.

The Leaders must lead on the near side with the lead rein in the left hand.

Ponies must be shown unplaited and in accordance with their breed standards

#### CLASS 94

### **THE BSPS HERITAGE FIRST RIDDEN WORKING SPORTS PONY**

Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, for registered Mountain and Moorland ponies or non registered Mountain and Moorland type ponies. Ponies not exceeding 128cms. Ridden by a child to have attained their 5<sup>th</sup> birthday on the 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year and not to attain their 12th birthday in the current year. Any suitable snaffle bridle.

Ponies to be shown unplaited. In First Ridden WSP the Judge will be looking for a pony suitable for a child to begin their future in Working Sports Pony Classes.

#### **MARKS**

Manners and style whilst performing the test 60 Marks.

(Including jumping)

Type and freedom of action 20 Marks

Presentation, condition and Suitability of pony for the rider 20 Marks

TOTAL 100 Marks

#### **DRESS CODE**

Riders– Hats and Body Protectors in accordance with BSPS Rules. Tweed jackets, beige or cream jodhpurs, Shirts, tie, boots and gloves. No Buttonholes. Body protectors are compulsory in this class. Martingales are permitted in this class.

### **THE BSPS HERITAGE WSP CHAMPIONSHIP**

First and second prize winners in classes 93 and 94

The Champion to compete for - the BSPS Supreme Heritage Mini Pony of the Year Championship – see page 93

1st and 2nd compete for the BSPS Working Sports Pony Supreme Championship – see page 88

#### CLASS 95

### **THE BSPS PLAITED LEAD REIN WORKING SPORTS PONY**

Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, Ponies not exceeding 128cms. Ridden by a child to have attained their 4<sup>th</sup> birthday on the 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year and not to attain their 10th birthday by 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. Any suitable snaffle bridle. Ponies to be shown plaited.

In Lead rein WSP the Judge will be looking for a pony suitable for a child to begin their future in Working Sports Pony Classes.

#### **DRESS CODE**

Riders– Hats and Body Protectors in accordance with BSPS Rules. Tweed jackets, beige or cream jodhpurs, Shirts, tie, boots and gloves. No Buttonholes.

Leaders – Country attire, Gentleman Trilby Hats or Caps, Ladies modest hats.

#### **MARKS**

Manners and style whilst performing the test 60 Marks.

(Including jumping)

Type and freedom of action 20 Marks

Presentation, condition and Suitability of pony for the rider 20 Marks

TOTAL 100 Marks

Judges will penalise refusals, knockdowns or taking the wrong course.

A stride or two of canter over the fences will not be penalised.

There will be NO conformation marks.

## **METHOD OF JUDGING**

Ponies will enter the ring at the walk, they may be trotted altogether at the Judges' discretion.

They will be pulled into line and asked to perform an individual test around obstacles, including jumping a maximum of three small upright fences not exceeding 30cms No spread fences. Water will not be included.

Ponies will not be asked to walk on artificial material e.g., plastic sheeting during the test.

Riders will not be asked to dismount.

The Leader must be 16yrs. old or over and may only lead one pony in a class.

The rein **MUST** go directly from the bit to the rider's hand, with no extra aids or attachments to or on the saddle.

Handles on saddles are permitted, but the reins must not be attached to the handle or to the saddle.

The Lead rein must be affixed to the noseband on which it must remain while the pony is in the ring.

Whilst in the ring, ponies must be led by the leader at all times.

The Leaders must lead on the near side with the lead rein in the left hand.

## **CLASS 96**

### **THE BSPS PLAITED FIRST RIDDEN WORKING SPORTS PONY**

Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, Ponies not exceeding 128cms. Ridden by a child to have attained their 5<sup>th</sup> birthday on the 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year and not to attain their 12th birthday by 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. Any suitable snaffle bridle. Ponies to be shown plaited. In First Ridden WSP the Judge will be looking for a pony suitable for a child to begin their future in Working Sports Pony Classes.

## **MARKS**

Manners and style whilst performing the test 60 Marks.

(Including jumping)

Type and freedom of action 20 Marks

Presentation, condition and Suitability of pony for the rider 20 Marks

TOTAL 100 Marks

## **DRESS CODE**

Riders– Hats and Body Protectors in accordance with BSPS Rules. Tweed jackets, beige or cream jodhpurs, Shirts, tie, boots and gloves. No Buttonholes. Body protectors are compulsory in this class. Martingales are permitted in this class.

## **METHOD OF JUDGING**

Ponies will enter the ring at the walk, they may be trotted altogether at the Judges' discretion.

They will be pulled into line in any order and asked to perform an individual test around obstacles, including jumping a maximum of three small upright fences not exceeding 30cms. At the end of the test they will canter down one side of the arena to finish. No spread fences. Water will not be included.

Ponies will not be asked to walk on artificial material e.g., plastic sheeting during the test.

Riders will not be asked to dismount. Judges will penalise refusals, knockdowns or taking the wrong course at their discretion.

Cantering over the fences will not be penalised. There will be no conformation marks.

### **THE BSPS PLAITED WSP CHAMPIONSHIP**

First and second prize winners in classes 95 and 96

The Champion to compete for the BSPS Supreme Mini Show Hunter Pony of the Year Championship – see page 91

1st and 2nd to compete for the BSPS Working Sports Pony Supreme Championship – see page 88

# SHOW PONY SECTION

## THE PERFORM EQUINE LEGEND BLUE RIBAND SHOW PONY OF THE YEAR

### METHOD OF JUDGING THE BLUE RIBAND SHOW PONY CLASSES.

#### METHOD OF JUDGING

These classes will be Judged by Four BSPS Panel Judges.

Marks will be awarded as Follows: –

Judge 1	50 marks for Phase 1– Performance, Manners and Way of Going
Judge 2	50 marks for Phase 2– Conformation
Judge 3	50 marks for Phase 3 Technical Performance
Judge 4	50 marks for Phase 4 – Elegance and Appeal

In the event of equality, the marks from Judge 1 will take preference, followed by the marks awarded by Judges 2, Judge 3 and Judge 4.

#### **CLASSES 97 to 99 – QUALIFICATION**

**Animals must have been placed 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> in the appropriate Open classes at shows which are qualifiers for the 2026 Blue Riband Show Pony of the Year.**

#### **CLASS 97 THE “PERFORM EQUINE” LEGEND BLUE RIBAND SHOW PONY OF THE YEAR 128cms.**

Ponies not exceeding 128cms., Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 13<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

#### **CLASS 98 THE “PERFORM EQUINE” LEGEND BLUE RIBAND SHOW PONY OF THE YEAR 138cms.**

Ponies exceeding 128cms., but not exceeding 138cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 15<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

#### **CLASS 99 THE “PERFORM EQUINE” LEGEND BLUE RIBAND SHOW PONY OF THE YEAR 148cms.**

Ponies exceeding 138cms, not exceeding 148cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

## THE “PERFORM EQUINE” LEGEND BLUE RIBAND SHOW PONY OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP

The 1<sup>st</sup>.and 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize winners from classes 97, 98 and 99 to compete for:

Champion will receive The Rupert Cobb Trophy and £200

The Reserve Champion will receive £100

*The Legend Blue Riband Classes and Championship*

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**PERFORM EQUINE**

**CRAIG ELENOR AND SARA PARROTT**

*The Champion to compete for*

**THE BSPS SUPREME SHOW PONY OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP– See page 90  
and THE BSPS BLUE RIBAND SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP – see page 93**

# THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS SHOW PONY

## CLASSES 100 to 102 – QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

Animals must have been placed 1<sup>st</sup> in the appropriate Open classes at BSPS Affiliated Summer shows in 2025 or the current year.

- CLASS 100**     **THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS 128cms SHOW PONY CHAMPION**  
Ponies not exceeding 128cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 13<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. The “Chinook Marie Trophy” to the winner
- CLASS 101**     **THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS 138cms SHOW PONY CHAMPION**  
Ponies exceeding 128cms but not exceeding 138cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 15<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.  
The Aberbrwynen Royal Diamond Trophy” presented by The Welby Family
- CLASS 102**     **THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS 148cms SHOW PONY CHAMPION**  
Ponies exceeding 138cms but not exceeding 148cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year

## THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS SHOW PONY

To be competed for by 1<sup>st</sup> prize winners from classes 100 to 102 to compete

**The Champion will receive £100**

The Champion will receive “The Gunnerby Gaiety Girl” Trophy presented by The Sington Family  
The Champion to compete for **THE BSPS SUPREME ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS**—see page 87 and the Champion to compete for **BSPS SUPREME SHOW PONY OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP** – see page 90

## **THE THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE 2026**

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### CLASSES 103 to 105 – QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

Animals must have qualified for the BSPS CHALLENGE by attending any BSPS Affiliated Summer show and competed in the appropriate class in 2025 or the current year.

Ponies must NOT have qualified for the Horse of the Year Show in the current year, been placed 1st – 5th at HOYS in the previous year or been placed 1st – 5th at RIHS in the current or previous year in the relevant class, excluding Pretty Polly and Young Dragonara, or been placed 1st – 5th in the BSPS Heritage Supreme at LIHS in the previous year.

- CLASS 103**     **THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE SHOW PONY 128cms**  
Ponies not exceeding 128cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 13<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.
- CLASS 104**     **THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE SHOW PONY 138cms**  
Ponies exceeding 128cms but not exceeding 138cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 15<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.
- CLASS 105**     **THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE SHOW PONY 148cms**  
Ponies exceeding 138cms but not exceeding 148cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

## **THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE SHOW PONY CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026**

1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize winners from Classes 103 to 105 to compete.

**Champion to compete for THE THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE SUPREME CHAMPION** see page 87 and **THE BSPS SUPREME SHOW PONY OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP** – see page 90

# **SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN SHOW PONY CLASSES**

## **QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS CLASSES 106, 107 and 108**

Ponies must have been placed 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> in the appropriate Open class or 1<sup>st</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> Mixed Height class at a BSPTS Summer affiliated show in 2025 or the current year.

**CLASS 106**      **THE BSPTS “MONAGHAN HULATT” SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN 128cms SHOW PONY OF 2026**  
Ponies not exceeding 128cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 13<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.  
***Kindly Sponsored by Tracy Monaghan Hulatt***  
The "Dungworth" Trophy presented by The Late Mr Dungworth

**CLASS 107**      **THE BSPTS SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN 138cms SHOW PONY OF 2026**  
Ponies exceeding 128cms, not exceeding 138cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 15<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.  
The "Natalie Van Damm" Trophy presented by The Late Mrs Van Damm

**CLASS 108**      **THE BSPTS SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN 148cms SHOW PONY OF 2026**  
Ponies exceeding 138cms, but not exceeding 148cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.  
The "Pendley" Trophy presented by The Late Mr Dorian Williams and Mrs Dorian Williams

## **THE BSPTS “EVOLUTION HORSEBOXES” SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN SHOW PONY CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026**

First and Second prize winners in classes 106, 107 and 108 will compete for: –

***Kindly Sponsored by Evolution Horseboxes***

The “Whiteway” Memorial Trophy presented by Mrs A.J. Ray Whiteway

**The Champion to compete for: The BSPTS SUPREME SHOW PONY OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP – see page 90**

**Also See Pages 49 and 50 for**

**THE TREBBLE FAMILY ROYAL BRONZE SHOW PONY TO  
MUSIC**

**Also see page 51 for  
THE MILLARD FUTURE STAR  
YOUNG SHOW PONY OF THE YEAR**

**Also see page 52 for  
FIRST SEASON SHOW PONY/SHOW HUNTER PONY**



# NOVICE SHOW PONY CLASSES

**Classes 112, 113 and 114 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED Open to ponies that were Novice on 1.1.26 in accordance with BSPS Rules in the 2026 Rule and Show Handbook**

**CLASS 112 THE BSPS NOVICE 128cms SHOW PONY OF THE YEAR**

Ponies not exceeding 128cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 13<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**CLASS 113 THE BSPS NOVICE 138cms SHOW PONY OF THE YEAR**

Ponies exceeding 128cms., but not exceeding 138cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 15<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**The "Silversmiths" Trophy presented by W. Wright Limited of Brighton**

**CLASS 114 THE BSPS NOVICE 148cms SHOW PONY OF THE YEAR**

Ponies exceeding 138cms, but not exceeding 148cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**The "Joan Nelson" Memorial Trophy to the winner**

## THE BSPS NOVICE SHOW PONY CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026

First and Second prize winners in classes 112 to 114 to compete for:–

The "Claudia Cooper" Trophy to the Champion

The "Louisa Lee" Trophy presented by Mrs Lee to the Reserve Champion

***The Champion to compete for: – The BSPS SUPREME NOVICE RIDDEN PONY OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP***

***The Novice Supreme Championship to be judged on the Wednesday Evening see page 88***

***and***

**THE BSPS SUPREME SHOW PONY OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP – See page 90**

# PRETTY POLLY SHOW PONY

**NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED Open to ponies in accordance with the BSPS Pretty Polly Rules**

**CLASS 115 THE "WALTON FAMILY" PRETTY POLLY MIXED HEIGHT SHOW PONY OF THE YEAR**

Ponies not exceeding 148cms. Riders on ponies 128cms and under must not have attained their 13<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. Riders on ponies exceeding 128cms must not have attained their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

***Kindly Sponsored by The Walton Family – Lucy Walton***

The "Chinook Matador" Trophy to the highest placed 128cm

The "Second Thoughts" Trophy to the highest placed 138cm

The "Elwair Charm" Trophy to the highest placed 148cm

The "Pretty Polly" Trophy to the Overall Winner

***The Winner to compete for the Pretty Polly Overall Ridden Pony Supreme Championship – see page 88***

***and***

**THE BSPS SUPREME SHOW PONY CHAMPIONSHIP – See page 90**

## THE BSPS PART BRED SHOW PONY CLASSES

**Classes 116 to 118 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED Open to animals Registered or Unregistered as Part Bred**

**CLASS 116 THE BSPS PART BRED 128cms SHOW PONY**

Ponies not exceeding 128cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 13<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**CLASS 117 THE BSPS PART BRED 138cms SHOW PONY**

Ponies exceeding 128cms., but not exceeding 138cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 15<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**CLASS 118 THE BSPS PART BRED 148cms SHOW PONY**

Ponies exceeding 138cms, but not exceeding 148cms Riders any age.

**The 1<sup>st</sup> prize winners in class 116, 117 and 118 to compete in the Part Bred Championship see page 62**

# **THE TREBBLE FAMILY** **ROYAL BRONZE PONY TO MUSIC**

**Classes 119 to 125 – No QUALIFICATION REQUIRED**

- CLASS 119**     **THE “TREBBLE FAMILY” ROYAL BRONZE HERITAGE LEAD REIN PONY OR LEAD REIN SHOW PONY OR SHOW HUNTER TYPE TO MUSIC. Plaited or unplaited**  
Ponies not exceeding 122cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 9<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.
- CLASS 120**     **THE “TREBBLE FAMILY” ROYAL BRONZE HERITAGE FIRST RIDDEN OR FIRST PONY OF SHOW OR SHOW HUNTER TYPE TO MUSIC Plaited or unplaited**  
Ponies not exceeding 128cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.
- CLASS 121**     **THE “TREBBLE FAMILY” ROYAL BRONZE 123cm/128cms/133cms/138cm SHOW PONY OR SHOW HUNTER PONY TO MUSIC Plaited ponies**  
Ponies not exceeding 138cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 15<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.
- CLASS 122**     **THE “TREBBLE FAMILY” ROYAL BRONZE 143cm/148cm/153cm SHOW PONY OR SHOW HUNTER TYPE PONY TO MUSIC Plaited Ponies**  
Ponies exceeding 143cm but not exceeding 153cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 20<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.
- CLASS 123**     **THE “TREBBLE FAMILY” ROYAL BRONZE INTERMEDIATE SHOW HORSE OR SHOW HUNTER PONY TO MUSIC Plaited ponies**  
Ponies exceeding 153cm but not exceeding 160cm.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.
- CLASS 124**     **THE “TREBBLE FAMILY” ROYAL BRONZE JUNIOR RIDER ON HERITAGE PONY TO MUSIC**  
For Registered Mountain and Moorland ponies  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 16<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.
- CLASS 125**     **THE “TREBBLE FAMILY” ROYAL BRONZE ADULT RIDER ON HERITAGE PONY TO MUSIC**  
For Registered Mountain and Moorland ponies  
Riders any age

## **THE TREBBLE FAMILY** **ROYAL BRONZE PONIES TO MUSIC CHAMPIONSHIP**

To be competed for by First prize winners in classes 119 to 125

**THE CHAMPION WILL RECEIVE**

**£500**

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## **SHOWING TO MUSIC – message from the JUDGES**

**Showing to music.**

This is the ideal way for you to display the true harmony between you and your horse.

You have 3min to 3.30 minutes to knock our socks off!

There are rules, and those are listed below just to give you an idea of what we would like to see, but most of all we want to be entertained.

Choose pieces of music that really suit your paces and reflect your personality, it's got to be something you both enjoy riding to, and that we will enjoy watching.

Show tunes, film soundtracks, classical, house music, hip hop! we don't care, if it suits you both and we see that extra sparkle then it will give us a reason to award you the best score possible.

A smiling face counts for a lot if you smile your horse knows, and so do we. It's going to tell the judges you've got something truly amazing for us to see.

If you make a mistake keep that grin on your face and we will never know that wasn't what you intended to do.

Be ready for the crowd to clap along, it's your job to get them on your side too, pop your dancing shoes on and have some fun, the technical stuff is so much easier when you're having a good time.

Here's the technical bit, it's only for your guidance so don't let it put you off.

**Arena size** 20m x 60m

**Duration of show** 3.00 minutes to 3.30minutes

**Permitted movements** Collected walk, free walk on a long rein, collected trot, extended trot, collected canter, medium canter, and gallop, rein back.

Competitors must show a minimum of 20m of each movement.

(You are not obliged to show them all, but extra marks are awarded if you do)

### **FIRST RIDDEN AS ABOVE BUT NO GALLOP**

**LEAD REIN Permitted movements** walk and trot only but with a good variation between working and more collected work. Free walk is permitted. Demi vaults, Serpentine with changes of pace, halts at beginning and end on centre line.

**Music** Minimum of 1 track, maximum of 4 tracks may be edited to match the show.

Your music should be handed to the Show Secretary, in an envelope with your pony's number, your name and the class entered at least 1 hour before your class.

It must be on a USB memory stick in mp3 format, (not a mobile phone) the music for your show should be the only file on either.

**Choreography** Circles or semi circles (20m, 15m ,10m)

Work on the track, centre line, and  $\frac{3}{4}$  line.

Diagonal lines, serpentine, demi volte, or reverse demi volte.

Halts on the centre line with salute to mark the beginning and end of your show.

The choreography is designed by the rider and the judges do not need to see a transcript of your show.

**Riders MUST remain seated in the saddle at all times during the performance.**

# **THE MILLARD FUTURE STAR** **YOUNG PONY OF THE YEAR**

**NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED**

**CLASS 126**

**THE MILLARD FUTURE STAR YOUNG SHOW PONY OF THE YEAR**

Mare of Gelding Show Pony 4, 5 or 6 yrs. old not exceeding 148cms.  
Riders any age but must be suitably mounted for the animal they ride.  
Rosettes for the highest placed 4, 5 and 6 years old

**CLASS 127**

**THE MILLARD FUTURE STAR YOUNG SHOW HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR**

Mare or Gelding Show Hunter Pony 4, 5 or 6 yrs. old not exceeding 153cms.  
Riders any age but must be suitably mounted for the animal they ride.  
Rosettes for the highest placed 4, 5 and 6 years old

**CLASS 128**

**THE MILLARD FUTURE STAR YOUNG INTERMEDIATE HACK/RIDING HORSE/HUNTER TYPE OF THE YEAR**

Mare or Gelding Intermediate 4, 5 or 6 yrs. old not exceeding 160cms.  
Riders any age but must be suitably mounted for the animal they ride.  
Rosettes for the highest placed 4, 5 and 6 years old

**CLASS 129**

**THE MILLARD FUTURE STAR YOUNG HERITAGE PONY OF THE YEAR**

Registered Heritage Stallion, Mare or Gelding. 4, 5 or 6 yrs. old.  
Riders any age but must be suitably mounted for the animal they ride.  
Rosettes for the highest placed 4, 5 and 6 years old

**The BHS New Horizons Plastics Trainers Excellence Award will be judged in conjunction with these classes.  
The winning pony in each class to go forward to a Championship on Tuesday at 3.45pm in the Top Spec Arena.  
See page 85**

## **THE MILLARD FUTURE STAR YOUNG PONY OF THE** **YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP**

To be competed for by First and second prize winners and the highest placed 4, 5 and 6 year old (if not placed) in classes 126 to 129

**THE CHAMPION WILL RECEIVE £200.00 AND RESERVE CHAMPION £50.00  
SASHES FOR CHAMPION 4, 5 AND 6 YEAR OLDS  
*KINDLY SPONSORED BY LAURA MILLARD***

**CLASS 130**

**THE "SMITH FAMILY" FUTURE STAR YOUNG LEAD REIN SHOW PONY/SHOW HUNTER PONY/HERITAGE PONY OF THE YEAR**

Mare of Gelding 4,5 and 6 years old not exceeding 122 cm. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 9<sup>th</sup> birthday  
Rosettes for the highest placed 4, 5 and 6 years old

**CLASS 131**

**THE "SMITH FAMILY" STAR YOUNG FIRST RIDDEN SHOW PONY/SHOW HUNTER PONY/HERITAGE PONY OF THE YEAR**

Mare of Gelding 4,5 and 6 years old not exceeding 128cm. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday  
Rosettes for the highest placed 4, 5 and 6 years old

## **THE "SMITH FAMILY" FUTURE STAR YOUNG MINI PONY OF** **THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP**

To be competed for by First and second prize winners and the highest placed 4, 5 and 6 year old (if not placed) in classes 130 to 131

***Kindly Sponsored by Laura Smith***

**THE CHAMPION WILL RECEIVE £200.00 AND RESERVE CHAMPION \$50.00  
SASHES FOR CHAMPION 4, 5 AND 6 YEAR OLDS**

## **FIRST SEASON CLASSES**

These classes are for ponies that have not been shown in any showing classes prior to 31<sup>st</sup> October 2025 and are in their first full year of their showing career.

**NO QUALIFICATION IS REQUIRED**

**CLASS 132**    **SHOW PONY/SHOW HUNTER PONY FIRST SEASON PONY**

Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over, not exceeding 153cm. Riders any age.  
Riders must be suitably mounted for the pony they ride.

**CLASS 133**    **HERITAGE FIRST SEASON PONY**

Registered Mountain and Moorland ponies Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over.  
Riders any age. Riders must be suitably mounted for the pony they ride.

## **YOUNG DRAGONARA RIDERS CHAMPIONSHIP**

**CLASS 134**    **THE “BRADLEYBRIDGE” YOUNG DRAGONARA RIDERS CHAMPIONSHIP**

Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over, not exceeding 153cm of show pony or show hunter pony type. Riders not to have attained their 20<sup>th</sup> birthday on 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. Riders not to have ridden in any class at HOYS (except lead rein and Search for a Star) or LIHS Heritage Supreme Ridden Championship and not to have been placed 1<sup>st</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> in any ridden show class at RIHS (Except Lead Rein, Young Dragonara and Pretty Polly classes) in 2025 or 2026. Riders must be suitably mounted and ponies must not be undersized for the rider. Ponies and riders may be professionally produced as long as they adhere to the above criteria. Ponies will be required to walk, trot and canter all together on the go-round.

*Kindly Sponsored by Sandy Wooderson*

**SHOW HUNTER PONY SECTION**  
**THE "HARVEY" JOHN PEEL**  
**BLUE RIBAND**  
**SHOW HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR**  
**METHOD OF JUDGING**  
**THE BLUE RIBAND SHOW HUNTER PONY CLASSES**

**METHOD OF JUDGING**

These classes will be Judged by Four BSPS Panel Judges.

Marks will be awarded as Follows: –

Judge 1	50 marks for Phase 1– Performance, Manners and Way of Going
Judge 2	50 marks for Phase 2– Conformation
Judge 3	50 marks for Phase 3 Technical Performance
Judge 4	50 marks for Phase 4 – Fluency and Appeal

In the event of equality the marks from Judge 1 will take preference, followed by the marks awarded by Judges 2, Judge 3 and Judge 4.

**CLASSES 135 to 138– QUALIFICATION**

**Animals must have been placed 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> in the appropriate Open classes at shows which are qualifiers for the 2026 Blue Riband Show Hunter Pony of the Year.**

**CLASS 135 THE "HARVEY" JOHN PEEL BLUE RIBAND SHP OF THE YEAR**

Ponies not exceeding 123cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. The Alicia Stubbings Trophy to the winner.

**CLASS 136 THE "HARVEY" JOHN PEEL BLUE RIBAND SHP OF THE YEAR**

Ponies exceeding 123cms., but not exceeding 133cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 14<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**CLASS 137 THE "HARVEY" JOHN PEEL BLUE RIBAND SHP OF THE YEAR**

Ponies exceeding 133cms., but not exceeding 143cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 17<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

The "Scottish Quest" Trophy presented by Sarian Turner.

**CLASS 138 THE "HARVEY" JOHN PEEL BLUE RIBAND SHP OF THE YEAR**

Ponies exceeding 143cms., but not exceeding 153cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 20<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**THE "HARVEY" JOHN PEEL**  
**BLUE RIBAND SHOW HUNTER PONY**  
**OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP**

The 1st. and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from classes 135 to 138 to compete for "John Peel Trophy".

£200 to the Champion and £100 to the Reserve Champion

*The John Peel Blue Riband Classes and Championship kindly sponsored by*

**JOHN HARVEY**

The Champion to compete for

and THE BSPS SUPREME SHOW HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP – see page 91 and

THE BSPS BLUE RIBAND SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP – see page 93

# THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS SHOW HUNTER PONY

## **CLASSES 139 to 142 – QUALIFICATION**

**Animals must have been placed 1<sup>st</sup> in the appropriate Open classes at BSPS Affiliated Summer show in 2025 or the current year.**

**CLASS 139      THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS 123cms SHOW  
HUNTER PONY CHAMPION**

Ponies not exceeding 123cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**CLASS 140      THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS 133cms SHOW  
HUNTER PONY CHAMPION**

Ponies exceeding 123cms but not exceeding 133cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 14<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**CLASS 141      THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS 143cms SHOW  
HUNTER PONY CHAMPION**

Ponies exceeding 133cms but not exceeding 143cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 17<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**CLASS 142      THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS 153cms SHOW  
HUNTER PONY CHAMPION**

Ponies exceeding 143cms but not exceeding 153cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 20<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

# THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS SHOW HUNTER PONY CHAMPIONSHIP

To be competed for by 1<sup>st</sup> prize winners from classes 139 to 142

The Champion will receive The “Daisy” Trophy and £100

The Champion will receive “The Joyce Tilling Trophy” and compete for The Overall Supreme Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions –see page87

The Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions SHP to compete for the

**The BSPS SUPREME SHOW HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP– see page 91**

# **THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE 2026**

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**THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD**

## **CLASSES 143 to 146 – QUALIFICATION**

Animals must have qualified for the BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE by attending any BSPS Affiliated Summer show and competed in the appropriate class in 2025 or the current year.

Ponies must NOT have qualified for the Horse of the Year Show in the current year, been placed 1st – 5th at HOYS in the previous year or been placed 1st – 5th at RIHS in the current or previous year in the relevant class, excluding Pretty Polly and Young Dragonara, or been placed 1st – 5th in the BSPS Heritage Supreme at LIHS in the previous year.

### **CLASS 143 THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE SHOW HUNTER PONY 123cms**

Ponies not exceeding 123cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

### **CLASS 144 THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE SHOW HUNTER PONY 133cms**

Ponies exceeding 123cms but not exceeding 133cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 14<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

### **CLASS 145 THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE SHOW HUNTER PONY 143cms**

Ponies exceeding 133cms but not exceeding 143cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 17<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

### **CLASS 146 THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE SHOW HUNTER PONY 153cms**

Ponies exceeding 143cms but not exceeding 153cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 20<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

## **THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE SHOW HUNTER PONY CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026**

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> from Classes 143 to 146 to compete.

Champion to compete for

THE THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP– see page 87

and THE BSPS SUPREME SHP OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP– see page 91

Also See Pages 49 and 50 for

THE ROYAL BRONZE SHOW HUNTER PONY TO MUSIC

and page 51 for THE FUTURE STAR &  
YOUNG SHOW HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR

And page 52 for FIRST SEASON SHOW PONY/SHOW HUNTER PONY

# **SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN SHOW HUNTER PONY CLASSES**

## **QUALIFICATION CLASSES 147, 148, 149 and 150**

Ponies must have been placed 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> in the appropriate Open class or 1<sup>st</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> in a Mixed height class at a BSPP Summer affiliated show in 2025 or the current year.

**CLASS 147 THE BSPPS “BAXTERS SUPPLIES – GRAB & TIPPER HIRE” SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN 123cms SHOW HUNTER PONY OF 2026**

Ponies not exceeding 123cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year  
The "Beacon's Trudy" Trophy presented by Mr and Mrs Saxton.

**CLASS 148 THE BSPPS “BAXTERS SUPPLIES – GRAB & TIPPER HIRE” SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN 133cms SHOW HUNTER PONY OF 2026**

Ponies exceeding 123cms., but not exceeding 133cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 14<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**CLASS 149 THE BSPPS “BAXTERS SUPPLIES – GRAB & TIPPER HIRE” SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN 143cms SHOW HUNTER PONY OF 2026**

Ponies exceeding 133cms., but not exceeding 143cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 17<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.  
The "Victor Romeo" Trophy presented by Mr and Mrs B. Manning

**CLASS 150 THE BSPPS “BAXTERS SUPPLIES – GRAB & TIPPER HIRE” SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN 153cms SHOW HUNTER PONY OF 2026**

Ponies exceeding 143cms., but not exceeding 153cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 20<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

## **THE BSPPS “BAXTERS SUPPLIES – GRAB & TIPPER HIRE” SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN SHOW HUNTER PONY CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026**

First and Second prize winners in classes 147 to 150 to compete for:–

***Classes 147 to 150 and Championship  
Kindly Sponsored by Baxters Supplies – Grab & Tipper Hire  
Andrew & Sally Baxter***

“The Merlin Trophy” presented by Mrs Karen Toynton Ward to the Champion

The “Tow Valley Moussec Trophy” to the Reserve Champion

***The Champion to compete for:  
THE BSPPS SUPREME SHOW HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP  
– see page 91.***

# **SHOW HUNTER PONY SECTION**

## **HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW**

### **THE SHOW HUNTER PONY QUALIFYING CLASSES**

- CLASS 151**     **HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW Shine Source Footwear UK Ltd 123cm SHOW HUNTER PONY 2026 QUALIFYING CLASS**  
Ponies not exceeding 123cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.
- CLASS 152**     **HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW Shine Source Footwear UK Ltd 133cm SHOW HUNTER PONY 2026 QUALIFYING CLASS**  
Ponies exceeding 123cms, but not exceeding 133cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 14<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.
- CLASS 153**     **HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW Shine Source Footwear UK Ltd 143cm SHOW HUNTER PONY 2026 QUALIFYING CLASS**  
Ponies exceeding 133cms, but not exceeding 143cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 17<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.
- CLASS 154**     **HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW Shine Source Footwear UK Ltd 153cm SHOW HUNTER PONY 2026 QUALIFYING CLASS**  
Ponies exceeding 143cms, but not exceeding 153cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 20<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

Classes 151–154 will be run in accordance with Horse of the Year show rules, a copy of which can be downloaded from [www.hoys.co.uk](http://www.hoys.co.uk).

Eligibility for these classes is Open to Mares and Geldings four years old or over. All ponies must be registered with the BSPS., UK Ponies and Horses, NPS or TSR.

The highest placed unqualified pony qualifies for the Horse of the Year Show, Birmingham 7<sup>TH</sup> – 11<sup>TH</sup> October 2026. Qualification will be verified by Horse of the Year Show Office. Qualification will not pass below 5<sup>th</sup> place. Exhibitors are required by DEFRA to carry with them Official Identity Documents for all horses/ponies when competing or travelling. Competitors are reminded that it is a DEFRA requirement that the Official Identity Documents must be in the name of the legal owner within 30 days of ownership. This must be registered with the breed society, relevant studbook or ID issuing agency, dependant on breed/type of animal. Spot checks may be carried out at qualifying shows and by breed societies.

Classes 151 – 154 are Horse of the Year Show Qualifiers, all data given upon entry of these classes is provided to Grandstand Media Limited and stored on the Grandstand Entries System. For full policy details please visit [www.grandstandentries.com](http://www.grandstandentries.com)

MARKS will be awarded in the following way:

Manners & Way of Going	50 MARKS Maximum
Conformation, Type & Freedom of Action	50 MARKS Maximum

In the event of equality, the pony with the highest Manners & Way of Going mark will be deemed the winner. If there still be equality at this point, then the judges' decision will be final.

## **THE “ABI & TOM WALKER OF TRURO LOCK AND LEAVE STORAGE” SHOW HUNTER PONY CHAMPIONSHIP**

First and Second prize winners in classes 151 to 154 to compete

*Kindly Sponsored by Abi and Tom Walker*

The Champion to compete for BSPS SUPREME SHOW HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP – see page 91

## **NOVICE SHOW HUNTER PONY CLASSES**

**Classes 155 to 158 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED** Open to ponies that were Novice on 1.1.26 in accordance with BSPS Rules in the 2026 Rule and Show Handbook

**CLASS 155 THE BSPS "TERRY ALLEN ELECTRICAL LTD" NOVICE 123cms SHOW HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR**

Ponies not exceeding 123cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

*Kindly Sponsored by Terry Allen Electrical Ltd – Kath Allen*

The "Crossbrook Glitter" Trophy, presented by Mrs A Georgakis

**CLASS 156 THE BSPS NOVICE 133cms SHOW HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR**

Ponies exceeding 123cms., but not exceeding 133cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 14<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

The "Small-land Arabella" Trophy presented by Mrs D Ellerton

**CLASS 157 THE BSPS NOVICE 143cms SHOW HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR**

Ponies exceeding 133cms., but not exceeding 143cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 17<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

The "Stanley Grange Foxglove" Trophy presented by Mrs G Parr

**CLASS 158 THE BSPS NOVICE 153cms SHOW HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR**

Ponies exceeding 143cms., but not exceeding 153cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 20<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

### **THE BSPS NOVICE SHOW HUNTER PONY CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE YEAR**

First and Second prize winners in classes 155 to 158 to compete for:–

The "Ivanhoe" Trophy to the Champion and The "Rosevean Bell Boy" to the Reserve Champion presented Mrs P. Furness

The "Sound Mind and Body" Trophy to the rider of the winning pony

*The Champion to compete for:– SUPREME NOVICE RIDDEN PONY OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP – see page 88*

*The Supreme Novice Championship will be judged on the Wednesday Evening and*

**THE BSPS SUPREME SHOW HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP – SEE PAGE 91**

## **PRETTY POLLY SHOW HUNTER PONY SECTION**

**NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED** Open to ponies in accordance with BSPS Pretty Polly Rules

**CLASS 159 THE BSPS PRETTY POLLY SHP OF THE YEAR**

Ponies not exceeding 133cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 14<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. Ponies exceeding 133cms but not exceeding 153cm. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 20<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

The winner to compete for the BSPS Supreme Show Hunter Pony of the Year and the Pretty Polly Overall Supreme Champion – Page 88 & 91

## **THE BSPS PART BRED SHOW HUNTER PONY CLASSES**

**Classes 160 to 161 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED** Open to animals Registered or Unregistered as Part Bred

**CLASS 160 THE BSPS "TEAM HORTON" PART BRED 133cms SHOW HUNTER PONY**

Ponies exceeding 123cms, but not exceeding 133cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 14<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**CLASS 161 THE BSPS "TEAM HORTON" PART BRED 153cms SHOW HUNTER PONY**

Ponies exceeding 133cms, but not exceeding 153cms. Riders any age.

*Classes 160 and 161 Kindly Sponsored by Team Horton*

The 1<sup>st</sup> prize winner in class 160 and 161 to compete in the Part Bred Championship see page 62

**INTERMEDIATE SECTION**  
**METHOD OF JUDGING**  
**THE BLUE RIBAND INTERMEDIATE CLASSES**

**METHOD OF JUDGING**

These classes will be Judged by Four BSPS Panel Judges.

Marks will be awarded as Follows: –

Judge 1            50 marks for Phase 1– Performance, Manners and Way of Going

Judge 2            50 marks for Phase 2– Conformation

Judge 3            50 marks for Phase 3 Technical Performance

Judge 4            50 marks for Phase 4 – Fluency and Appeal

Judge 3 and 4 marks will be announced immediately after the individual show

In the event of equality the marks from Judge 1 will take preference, followed by the marks awarded by Judges 2, Judge 3 and Judge 4.

**THE “LG SHOW TEAM” BSPS BLUE RIBAND**  
**INTERMEDIATE OF THE YEAR**

**CLASSES 162 to 164 – QUALIFICATION**

Animals must have been placed 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> in the appropriate Open classes at shows which are qualifiers for the 2026 Blue Riband Intermediate of the Year.

**CLASS 162            THE “LG SHOW TEAM” BLUE RIBAND INTERMEDIATE HACK TYPE OF THE YEAR**  
Mare or gelding 4 years old or over, exceeding 146cms but not exceeding 160cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year

**CLASS 163            THE “LG SHOW TEAM” BLUE RIBAND INTERMEDIATE SHOW RIDING HORSE TYPE OF THE YEAR**  
Mare or gelding 4 years old or over, exceeding 148cms but not exceeding 158cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year

**CLASS 164            THE “LG SHOW TEAM” BLUE RIBAND INTERMEDIATE SHOW HUNTER OF THE YEAR**  
Mares or geldings 4 years old or over, exceeding 148cms but not exceeding 158cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year

JUDGING FOR “THE RONNIE MARMONT TROPHY” WILL TAKE PLACE DURING THIS CLASS – SEE PAGE 94

**THE “LG SHOW TEAM”**  
**BLUE RIBAND INTERMEDIATE OF THE YEAR**

The 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize winners in classes 162 to 164 will compete for: –The “Rupert Cobb” Trophy to the Champion and £100. The Reserve Champion will receive £50

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***LG SHOW TEAM – Lucy Glover***

The Champion will compete for: – THE BSPS SUPREME INTERMEDIATE OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP – see page 92 and THE BSPS BLUE RIBAND SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP – see page 93

# THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION

## **CLASSES 165 to 167 – QUALIFICATION**

Animals must have been placed 1<sup>st</sup> in the appropriate Open classes at BSPS Affiliated Summer shows in 2025 or the current year.

### CLASS 165

#### **THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS INTERMEDIATE HACK TYPE**

Mare or gelding 4 years old or over, exceeding 146cms but not exceeding 160cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year

### CLASS 166

#### **THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS INTERMEDIATE RIDING HORSE TYPE**

Mare or gelding 4 years old or over, exceeding 148cms but not exceeding 158cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year

### CLASS 167

#### **THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS INTERMEDIATE SHOW HUNTER CHAMPION**

Mares or geldings 4 years old or over, exceeding 148cms but not exceeding 158cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year

### **THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS INTERMEDIATE CHAMPIONSHIP**

To be competed for by 1<sup>st</sup> prize winners from classes 165 to 167

The Champion will receive £100

Champion to compete for **THE SUPREME ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS  
CHAMPIONSHIP** –page 87

The Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions Intermediate Champion to compete for  
**BSPS SUPREME INTERMEDIATE OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP** – see page 92

## **THE THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE 2026**

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THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD**

**CLASSES 168 to 170 – QUALIFICATION.** Animals must have qualified for the BSPS CHALLENGE attending any BSPS Affiliated show and competed in the appropriate class in 2025 or the current year.

Ponies must NOT have qualified for the Horse of the Year Show in the current year, been placed 1<sup>st</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> at HOYS in the previous year or been placed 1<sup>st</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> at RIHS in the current or previous year in the relevant class, excluding Pretty Polly and Young Dragonara, or been placed 1<sup>st</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> in the BSPS Heritage Supreme at LIHS in the previous year.

### CLASS 168

#### **THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE INTERMEDIATE HACK TYPE**

Animals exceeding 146cms but not exceeding 160cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

### CLASS 169

#### **THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE INTERMEDIATE RIDING HORSE TYPE**

Animals exceeding 148cms but not exceeding 158cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year

### CLASS 170

#### **THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE INTERMEDIATE SHOW HUNTER**

Animals exceeding 148cms but not exceeding 158cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

JUDGING FOR “THE RONNIE MARMONT TROPHY” WILL TAKE PLACE DURING THIS CLASS– SEE PAGE 94

### **THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026**

1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize winners from Classes 168 to 170 to compete.

The Champion to compete for

**THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP** – see page 87

And **THE BSPS SUPREME INTERMEDIATE OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP** – see page 92



## NOVICE INTERMEDIATE CLASSES

Classes 176 to 178 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED Open to ponies that were Novice on 1.1.26 in accordance with BSPS Rules in the 2026 Rule and Show Handbook

### CLASS 176 THE BSPS NOVICE INTERMEDIATE HACK TYPE OF THE YEAR 2026

Animals ex. 146cms but not exceeding 160cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

### CLASS 177 THE BSPS NOVICE INTERMEDIATE RIDING HORSE TYPE OF THE YEAR 2026

Animals ex. 148cms but not exceeding 158cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

### CLASS 178 THE BSPS "STEWART FAMILY" NOVICE INTERMEDIATE SHOW HUNTER

Animals ex. 148cms, but not exceeding 158cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

*Kindly Sponsored by Kelda Stewart*

JUDGING FOR "THE RONNIE MARMONT TROPHY" WILL TAKE PLACE DURING THIS CLASS- SEE PAGE 94

### THE BSPS "HOLDER SHOW TEAM" NOVICE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPIONSHIP

First and Second prize winners in classes 176 to 178 to compete for: –

*Kindly Sponsored by The Holder Show Team – Gayle Holder*

*The Champion to compete for: THE BSPS SUPREME NOVICE RIDDEN PONY OF THE YEAR – see page 88*

*The Supreme Novice Ridden Championship will be judged on the Wednesday Evening*

**and**

**THE BSPS SUPREME INTERMEDIATE OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP – See page 92**

## PRETTY POLLY INTERMEDIATE CLASSES

Class 179 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED Open to ponies in accordance with the BSPS Pretty Polly Rules

### CLASS 179 THE BSPS PRETTY POLLY INTERMEDIATE SHOW HORSE/SHOW HUNTER

Animals ex. 146cms but not exceeding 160cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. The "Soveretta" Trophy to the highest placed Show Horse The "Tarron Jones Memorial" Trophy to the highest placed SH.

*The WINNER is eligible to compete for the BSPS SUPREME PRETTY POLLY CHAMPIONSHIP – See page 88*

*And THE BSPS SUPREME INTERMEDIATE OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP – see page 92*

## THE BSPS PART BRED INTERMEDIATE CLASSES

Classes 180 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED Open to animals Registered or Unregistered as Part Bred

### CLASS 180

### THE BSPS "TEAM HORTON" PART BRED INTERMEDIATE SHOW HORSE

Animals exceeding 146cms but not exceeding 160cms Riders any age.

*Kindly Sponsored by Team Horton*

JUDGING FOR "THE RONNIE MARMONT TROPHY" WILL TAKE PLACE DURING THIS CLASS FOR INTERMEDIATE SHOW HUNTERS ONLY – SEE PAGE 94

### THE BSPS "TEAM HORTON" PART BRED CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026

To be competed for by 1<sup>st</sup> prize winner in classes and 116, 117, 118, 160, 161 and 180

*Kindly Sponsored by Team Horton*

# **HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW PARTBRED SECTION**

## **CLASS 181 HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW THE DE LA HEY RIDDEN PARTBRED PONY OF THE YEAR 2026 QUALIFYING CLASS**

Stallion, Mare or gelding 4 years old or over not exceeding 148cms. Riders any age with the exception of those riding stallions who must have attained their 14th birthday before 1st January in the current year.

Highest placed Part Bred Arab will receive the “Miss McGredy” Trophy donated by The Late Mrs Caroline Nelson.

Class 181 will be run in accordance with Horse of the Year show rules, a copy of which can be downloaded from [www.hoys.co.uk](http://www.hoys.co.uk). Open to Stallions, Mares and Geldings 4 years old or over, registered within one or more of the following stud books: The part bred or Anglo Arab section of the Arab Horse Society (min 12.5% Arab Blood) The part bred Section of the Welsh Pony and Cob Stud Books (min 12.5% Welsh Blood) The part bred section of the Dartmoor Pony Stud Book (with min of 12.5% Dartmoor Blood) The part bred section of the British Connemara Stud Book (min 25% Connemara Blood) The part bred section of the New Forest Pony Stud Book (min 25% New Forest Blood) Owners and Riders must be BSPS, NPS, UK Ponies and Horses, TSR, CHAPS, AHS, DPS, BCPS, NFPB&CS or WPCS members.

Class 181 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](http://www.grandstandentries.com)

A copy of the pony’s passport showing its registration or oversampling with either the AHS, WPCS, DPS, BCPS or NFPB&CS must be logged with Grandstand Media Ltd. Prior to entry in any qualifying round.

All ponies must be shown plaited and in tack appropriate to type. Riders are permitted to wear tweed or navy jackets.

This class is a qualifying class for Horse of the Year Show, NEC, Birmingham 7<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> October 2026. Qualification will be awarded to the highest placed pony not already qualified. Qualification will not pass below 5<sup>th</sup> place.

Exhibitors are required by DEFRA to carry with them Official Identity Documents for all horses/ponies when competing or travelling.

Competitors are reminded that it is a DEFRA requirement that the Official Identity Documents must be in the name of the legal owner within 30 days of ownership. This must be registered with the breed society, relevant studbook or ID issuing agency, dependant on breed/type of animal.

Spot checks may be carried out at qualifying shows and by breed societies.

To be judged under the Horse of the Year Show general rules.

MARKS	Performance	50 marks maximum
	Conformation, Movement and Quality	50 marks maximum

In the case of equality, the horse with the highest Performance Mark will be deemed the winner, If there still equality at this point, then the judges’ decision will be final. THE QUALIFICATION WILL BE VERIFIED BY HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW

# **THE BSPS HERITAGE MOUNTAIN and MOORLAND CRADLE AND NURSERY STAKES SECTION**

## **THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE HERITAGE OPEN CRADLE & NURSERY STAKES CLASSES**

### **CLASSES 182 to 183 – QUALIFICATION**

Animals must have qualified for the BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE attending any BSPS Affiliated show in 2025 or the current year. Ponies must NOT have qualified for the Horse of the Year Show in the current year, been placed 1st – 5th at HOYS in the previous year or been placed 1st – 5th at RIHS in the current or previous year in the relevant class, excluding Pretty Polly and Young Dragonara, or been placed 1st – 5th in the BSPS Heritage Supreme at LIHS in the previous year.

### **MAXIMUM HEIGHT OF FENCES – 47cms**

#### **CLASS 182 THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE HERITAGE OPEN M & M CRADLE STAKES OF 2026**

Registered Ponies not exceeding 122cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.

### **MAXIMUM HEIGHT FOR FENCES – CHALLENGE HEIGHT**

#### **CLASS 183 THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE HERITAGE OPEN M & M NURSERY STAKES OF 2026**

Registered Ponies not exceeding 133cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 13<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

### **THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD HERITAGE CHALLENGE MINI W.H.P. CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026**

The THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD Challenge Open to 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from classes 182 and 183

The Champion to compete for: –

The THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD Challenge Supreme Championship, page 87 and

THE BSPS SUPREME MINI WHP CHAMPIONSHIP –See page 89

## **SIMPLY THE BEST HERITAGE OPEN CRADLE & NURSERY STAKES CLASSES**

### **CLASSES 184 and 185 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED**

#### **MAXIMUM HEIGHT OF FENCES – 55cms Spreads 47cms**

#### **CLASS 184 THE “ANNABEL’S DELICIOUSLY BRITISH” SIMPLY THE BEST HERITAGE OPEN M & M CRADLE STAKES OF 2026**

Registered Ponies not exceeding 122cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.  
Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.

#### **MAXIMUM HEIGHT FOR FENCES – 65cms Spreads 50cms**

#### **CLASS 185 THE “ANNABEL’S DELICIOUSLY BRITISH” SIMPLY THE BEST HERITAGE OPEN M & M NURSERY STAKES OF 2026**

Registered Ponies not exceeding 133cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 13<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

### **THE “ANNABEL’S DELICIOUSLY BRITISH” SIMPLY THE BEST MINI HERITAGE W.H.P. CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026**

Simply the Best Open to 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from classes 184 and 185

*Classes 184, 185 & Championship Kindly Sponsored by  
Annabel’s Deliciously British - Annabel Makin-Jones*

The Champion to compete for:–  
THE BSPS SUPREME MINI WHP CHAMPIONSHIP –See page 89

## **HERITAGE OPEN CRADLE & NURSERY STAKES CLASSES**

### **CLASSES 186 and 187 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED**

#### **MAXIMUM HEIGHT OF FENCES –55cms Spreads 47cms**

#### **CLASS 186 THE BSPS “TEAM DARLINGTON” HERITAGE M & M CRADLE STAKES OF 2026**

Registered Ponies not exceeding 122cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.  
Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.

#### **MAXIMUM HEIGHT FOR FENCES – 65cms Spreads 50cms**

#### **CLASS 187 THE BSPS “TEAM DARLINGTON” HERITAGE M & M NURSERY STAKES OF 2026**

Registered Ponies not exceeding 133cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 13<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

### **THE BSPS “TEAM DARLINGTON” MINI HERITAGE W.H.P. CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026**

Open to 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from classes 186 and 187

*Classes 185, 186 and Championship Kindly Sponsored by Team Darlington*

The Champion to compete for: –  
THE BSPS SUPREME MINI WHP CHAMPIONSHIP –See page 89

## **HERITAGE NOVICE CRADLE AND NURSERY STAKES CLASSES**

**CLASS 188 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED** Ponies must NOT have been placed 1<sup>st</sup> in a Heritage Cradle Stakes class at a BPS Winter or Summer Championships Show in 2025 or the current year.

**MAXIMUM HEIGHT OF FENCES –Maximum height 47cms**

**CLASS 188 THE BPS HERITAGE NOVICE M & M CRADLE STAKES OF 2026**

Registered Ponies not exceeding 122cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.

**CLASS 189 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED** Ponies must NOT have been placed 1<sup>st</sup> in a Heritage Nursery Stakes class at a BPS Winter or Summer Championships Show in 2025 or the current year.

**MAXIMUM HEIGHT FOR FENCES – Maximum height 50cms**

**CLASS 189 THE BPS HERITAGE NOVICE M & M NURSERY STAKES OF 2026**

Registered Ponies not exceeding 133cms.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 13<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

### **THE BPS HERITAGE NOVICE MINI W.H.P. CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026**

Open to 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from classes 188 and 189

**The Champion to compete for: –**

**THE BPS SUPREME MINI WHP CHAMPIONSHIP – See page 89**

# THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS HERITAGE WORKING HUNTER PONY

## **CLASSES 190 to 193 – QUALIFICATION**

Animals must have been placed 1<sup>st</sup> in the appropriate Open M & M class at shows in 2025 or the current year.

## **CLASSES 190 – 193 MAXIMUM HEIGHT FOR FENCES – CHAMPIONSHIP HEIGHT i.e., Open + 5cms**

**CLASS 190**      **THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS HERITAGE 122cms  
WHP CHAMPION**  
Registered Ponies not exceeding 122cms Riders any age.

**CLASS 191**      **THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS HERITAGE 133cms  
WHP CHAMPION**  
Registered Ponies exceeding 122cms but not exceeding 133cms Riders any age.

**CLASS 192**      **THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS HERITAGE 143cms  
WHP CHAMPION**  
Registered Ponies exceeding 133cms but not exceeding 143cms Riders any age.

**CLASS 193**      **THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS HERITAGE EX 143cms  
WHP CHAMPION**  
Registered Ponies exceeding 143cms Riders any age.

## **THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS HERITAGE WORKING HUNTER PONY CHAMPIONSHIP**

**The Champion will receive £100**

To be competed for by 1<sup>st</sup> prize winners from classes 190 to 193

The Champion to compete for **The BSPS Supreme Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of  
Champions** –see page 87

The Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions Heritage WHP Champion to compete for

**THE BSPS SUPREME HERITAGE WHP PONY OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP** –See Page 92

# THE THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE 2026

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## CLASSES 194 to 197 QUALIFICATION

Animals must have qualified for the BSPTS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE by attending any BSPTS Affiliated Summer show and competed in the appropriate class in 2025 or the current year.

Ponies must NOT have qualified for the Horse of the Year Show in the current year, been placed 1st – 5th at HOYS in the previous year or been placed 1st – 5th at RIHS in the current or previous year in the relevant class, excluding Pretty Polly and Young Dragonara, or been placed 1st – 5th in the BSPTS Heritage Supreme at LIHS in the previous year.

### CLASSES 194 –197: MAXIMUM HEIGHT FOR FENCES – CHALLENGE HEIGHT

CLASS 194 THE BSPTS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE HERITAGE 122cms WHP

Registered Ponies not exceeding 122cms Riders any age.

CLASS 195 THE BSPTS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE HERITAGE 133cms WHP

Registered Ponies 122cms but not exceeding 133cms. Riders of any age.

CLASS 196 THE BSPTS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE HERITAGE 143cms WHP

Registered Ponies exceeding 133cms but not exceeding 143cms. Riders of any age.

CLASS 197 THE BSPTS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE HERITAGE ex 143cms WHP

Registered Ponies exceeding 143cms. Riders of any age.

## THE BSPTS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE HERITAGE WHP CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> from classes 194 to 197 to compete

The Champion to compete for THE BSPTS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE Heritage  
Supreme Championship– see page 87  
and BSPTS SUPREME HERITAGE WHP OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP– see page 92

## THE BSPTS SIMPLY THE BEST HERITAGE OPEN WHP

CLASSES 198 – 201 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED

### CLASSES 198– 201 MAXIMUM HEIGHT FOR FENCES – HERITAGE OPEN HEIGHT

CLASS 198 THE BSPTS “R K CONTRACTING SERVICES” HERITAGE M and M SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN 122cms WHP OF 2026 Registered Ponies not exceeding 122cms Riders any age.

CLASS 199 THE BSPTS “R K CONTRACTING SERVICES” HERITAGE M and M SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN 133cms WHP OF 2026 Registered Ponies ex 122cms but not exceeding 133cms Riders any age.

CLASS 200 THE BSPTS “R K CONTRACTING SERVICES” HERITAGE M and M SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN 143cms WHP OF 2026 Registered Ponies, exceeding 133cms but not exceeding 143cms Riders any age.

CLASS 201 THE BSPTS “R K CONTRACTING SERVICES” HERITAGE M and M. SIMPLY THE BEST ex. 143cms WHP OF 2026 Registered Ponies exceeding 143cms Riders any age.

## **BSPTS “R K CONTRACTING SERVICES” HERITAGE SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN WHP CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026**

Open to 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from classes 198 to 201

**Classes 198 to 201 and Championship Kindly Sponsored by R K Contracting Services**

The Champion to compete for THE BSPTS SUPREME HERITAGE WHP OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP – see page 92

# **HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW THE COOPER FAMILY MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND WHP AND JUNIOR RIDERS WORKING HUNTER PONY CLASSES**

This class will be split into 5 sections and must run in the below order.  
**CLASS 202      MAXIMUM HEIGHT FOR FENCES –60cms**

**CLASS 202      THE HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW THE COOPER FAMILY JUNIOR MOUNTAIN AND MOORLAND 122cms W.H.P. qualifying Class.**

Registered Mares or Geldings not exceeding 122cms. Riders not to have attained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

Please note that at Horse of the Year Show ponies must not compete in both Mountain & Moorland Junior 122cms Working Hunter Pony of the Year and the Mountain & Moorland 122cms Working Hunter Pony of the Year.

The pony will compete in the class in which it qualifies first during the season.

Riders and Ponies may compete in both Section A and Section B at Horse of the Year qualifiers. Once at pony has qualified in either Section A or Section B it will no longer be eligible to compete in the Section in which it has not qualified.

In section A Mountain and Moorland Junior 122cm the course of fences must contain only one double and no water tray.

**CLASSES 203– 206 MAXIMUM HEIGHT FOR FENCES – HERITAGE OPEN HEIGHT**

**CLASS 203      THE HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW THE COOPER FAMILY MOUNTAIN AND MOORLAND 122cms W.H.P. qualifying Class**

Registered Ponies not exceeding 122cms Riders any age.

**CLASS 204      THE HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW THE COOPER FAMILY MOUNTAIN AND MOORLAND 133ms W.H.P. qualifying Class**

Registered Ponies exceeding 122cms., but not exceeding 133cms Riders any age.

**CLASS 205      THE HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW THE COOPER FAMILY MOUNTAIN AND MOORLAND 143cms W.H.P. qualifying Class**

Registered Ponies exceeding 133cms but not exceeding 143cms Riders any age.

**CLASS 206      THE HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW THE COOPER FAMILY MOUNTAIN AND MOORLAND ex 143cms W.H.P. qualifying Class** Registered Ponies exceeding 143cms Riders any age.

This competition is Open to stallions, mares and geldings, four years old and over, to be registered in and complying with the showing requirements of the main body of their respective stud books. Riders and owners must be members of their respective Breed Society, BSPS, NPS, UK Ponies and Horses or The Showing Register. Ponies must not exceed the height limits as stipulated by the relevant breed societies. Riders of stallions must have obtained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday (small breeds) or 14<sup>th</sup> birthday (large breeds) before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

All Animals competing in Mountain and Moorland classes will be required to be in possession of a current/valid JMB height certificate within 28 days of the notification of qualification from HOYS or by the closing date of HOYS entries, whichever is sooner. Failure to do so may result in qualification of the pony being removed, at the discretion of GML.

Exhibitors are required by DEFRA to carry with them Official Identity Documents for all horses/ponies when competing or travelling. Competitors are reminded that it is a DEFRA requirement that the Official Identity Documents must be in the name of the legal owner within 30 days of ownership. This must be registered with the breed society, relevant studbook or ID issuing agency, dependant on breed/type of animal. Spot checks may be carried out at qualifying shows and by breed societies.

These classes will be 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](http://www.hoys.co.uk). 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](http://www.grandstandentries.com).

Marks will be awarded in the following way:

PHASE I (70 Marks)

A. JUMPING POINTS

50 MARKS

B. STYLE WHILE JUMPING

20 MARKS

PHASE II (30 Marks)

C. BREED TYPE & CONFORMATION      20 MARKS

D. INDIVIDUAL SHOW & MANNERS      10 MARKS

In the event of equality, the TOTAL MARK from Phase I will take precedence followed by the Individual Show & Manners Mark and then the Breed Type & Conformation mark.

This class is qualifying class for Horse of the Year Show, NEC, Birmingham 7<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> October 2026. **Qualification will not pass below 3<sup>rd</sup> place.** Qualification will be verified by the Horse of the Year Show office.

## **THE MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND WORKING HUNTER PONY CHAMPIONSHIP**

Open to 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from classes 203 to 206

The "LENTEN MOONSHADOW" Trophy to the Champion

The Champion to compete for

THE BSPS SUPREME HERITAGE WHP OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP See Page 92

# **OPEN HERITAGE WHP**

**CLASSES 207 – 210 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED**

**CLASSES 207 – 210 MAXIMUM HEIGHT FOR FENCES – HERITAGE CHALLENGE HEIGHT**

- CLASS 207 THE BSPS HERITAGE 122cms WHP OF 2026**  
Registered Ponies not exceeding 122cms Riders any age.
- CLASS 208 THE BSPS HERITAGE 133cms WHP OF 2026**  
Registered Ponies ex 122cms but not exceeding 133cms Riders any age.
- CLASS 209 THE BSPS HERITAGE 143cms WHP OF 2026**  
Registered Ponies, exceeding 133cms but not exceeding 143cms Riders any age.
- CLASS 210 THE BSPS “IN MEMORY OF CLAIR BLACKIE” HERITAGE ex. 143cms WHP OF 2026**  
Registered Ponies, exceeding 143cms Riders any age.  
**Kindly Sponsored by Aimee White**

## **BSPS HERITAGE WHP CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026** Open to 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from classes 207 to 210

The Champion to compete for THE BSPS SUPREME HERITAGE WHP OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP – see page 92

# **THE BSPS HERITAGE NOVICE WHP SECTION**

**Classes 211 to 214 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED Open to ponies that were Novice on 1.1.26 in accordance with BSPS Rules in the 2026 Rule and Show Handbook**

**CLASSES 211 – 214 MAXIMUM HEIGHT FOR FENCES – HERITAGE NOVICE HEIGHT**

- CLASS 211 THE BSPS HERITAGE M and M NOVICE 122cms WHP OF 2026**  
Registered Ponies not exceeding 122cms Riders any age.
- CLASS 212 THE BSPS HERITAGE M and M NOVICE 133cms WHP OF 2026**  
Registered Ponies not ex 122cms but not exceeding 133cms Riders any age.
- CLASS 213 THE BSPS HERITAGE M and M NOVICE 143cms WHP OF 2026**  
Registered Ponies, exceeding 133cms but not exceeding 143cms Riders any age.
- CLASS 214 THE BSPS HERITAGE M and M NOVICE ex. 143cms WHP OF 2026**  
Registered Ponies, exceeding 143cms Riders any age.

## **THE BSPS HERITAGE MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND NOVICE WORKING HUNTER PONY CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026**

Open to 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from classes 211 to 214  
The Champion to compete for

THE BSPS SUPREME HERITAGE WHP OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP – see page 92

# **THE BSPS HERITAGE PERFORMANCE WHP SECTION**

**Classes 215 to 218 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED**

**MAXIMUM HEIGHT FOR FENCES – CHALLENGE HEIGHT NO CONFORMATION MARKS**

- CLASS 215**      **THE BSPS HERITAGE PERFORMANCE 122cms WHP OF 2026**  
Registered Ponies not exceeding 122cms   Riders any age.
- CLASS 216**      **THE BSPS HERITAGE PERFORMANCE 133cms WHP OF 2026**  
Registered Ponies ex 122cms but not exceeding 133cms   Riders any age.
- CLASS 217**      **THE BSPS HERITAGE PERFORMANCE 143cms WHP OF 2026**  
Registered Ponies, exceeding 133cms but not exceeding 143cms   Riders any age.
- CLASS 218**      **THE BSPS HERITAGE PERFORMANCE ex. 143cms WHP OF 2026**  
Registered Ponies, exceeding 143cms   Riders any age.

## **THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS HERITAGE MINI PONY**

**CLASSES 219 to 220 – QUALIFICATION**

**Animals must have been placed 1<sup>st</sup> in the appropriate M & M classes at BSPS Summer shows in 2025 or the current year.**

- CLASS 219**      **THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS HERITAGE LEAD  
REIN PONY**  
Registered Mares and Geldings not exceeding 122cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider must not have attained their 9<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.  
Grange Bank Special Award to the highest placed eligible Rider.
- CLASS 220**      **THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS HERITAGE FIRST  
RIDDEN PONY**  
Registered Mares and Geldings not exceeding 128cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider must not have attained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.  
Grange Bank Special Award to the highest placed eligible Rider.

### **THE BSPS**

#### **ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS HERITAGE MINI CHAMPIONSHIP**

To be competed for by 1<sup>st</sup> prize winners from classes 219 and 220

The Champion to compete for The BSPS Overall Supreme Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of  
Champion – See Page 87

**The Champion will receive £100**

The Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions Heritage Mini Champion to compete for  
The BSPS SUPREME HERITAGE MINI PONY OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP – see page 93

# THE THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATION LTD CHALLENGE 2026

**KINDLY SPONSORED BY THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATION LTD**

CLASSES 221 to 222 – QUALIFICATION Animals must have qualified for the BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE by attending any BSPS Affiliated Summer show and competed in the appropriate class in 2025 or the current year.

Ponies must NOT have qualified for the Horse of the Year Show in the current year, been placed 1st – 5th at HOYS in the previous year or been placed 1st – 5th at RIHS in the current or previous year in the relevant class, excluding Pretty Polly and Young Dragonara, or been placed 1st – 5th in the BSPS Heritage Supreme at LIHS in the previous year.

**CLASS 221** THE BSPS “THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD” CHALLENGE HERITAGE LEAD REIN

Registered Mares and Geldings not exceeding 122cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider have not attained their 9<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. Grange Bank Special Award to the highest placed eligible Rider.

**CLASS 222** THE BSPS “THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD” CHALLENGE HERITAGE FIRST RIDDEN

Registered Mares and Geldings not exceeding 128cms Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.  
Grange Bank Special Award to the highest placed eligible Rider.

## THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE HERITAGE MINI CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> from 221 and 222 The Champion to compete for THE THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD  
CHALLENGE SUPREME see page 87  
THE BSPS SUPREME HERITAGE MINI OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP – see page 93

## SIMPLY THE BEST “INSPIRED RIDING LTD” HERITAGE OPEN LEAD REIN and FIRST RIDDEN

Classes 223 and 224 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED

**CLASS 223** THE BSPS “INSPIRED RIDING LTD” HERITAGE SIMPLY THE BEST LEAD REIN PONY OF 2026

Registered Mares or Geldings 4 yrs. old or over not exceeding 122cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 9<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.  
Grange Bank Special Award to the highest placed eligible Rider.

**CLASS 224** THE BSPS “INSPIRED RIDING LTD” HERITAGE SIMPLY THE BEST FIRST RIDDEN PONY OF 2026

Registered Mares or Geldings 4 yrs. old or over not exceeding 128cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.  
Grange Bank Special Award to the highest placed eligible Rider.

## THE BSPS “INSPIRED RIDING LTD” HERITAGE SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN MINI CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026

To be competed for by 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> from classes 223 and 224

*Classes 223, 224 and Championship Kindly Sponsored by  
Inspired Riding Ltd – Chris Holt and Family*

The Champion to compete for  
THE BSPS HERITAGE MINI SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP – see page 93

## **HOYS M & M LEAD REIN and FIRST RIDDEN**

**CLASS 225 HORSE OF THE YEAR COLNE MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND WELSH BREEDS LEAD REIN 2026 QUALIFYING CLASS**

Mares or Geldings 4 yrs. old or over not exceeding 122cms however ponies must also not exceed the height limits as stipulated by the relevant Breed Societies.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider to have attained their 3<sup>rd</sup> birthday by the day of the show but not their 9<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.

**CLASS 226 HORSE OF THE YEAR WESTOWN STUD MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND NON-WELSH BREEDS LEAD REIN PONY 2026 QUALIFYING CLASS**

Mares or Geldings 4 yrs. old or over not exceeding 122cms however ponies must also not exceed the height limits as stipulated by the relevant Breed Societies.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider to have attained their 3<sup>rd</sup> birthday by the day of the show but not their 9<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.

**CLASS 227 THE HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW BRYNSEION MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND FIRST RIDDEN 2026 QUALIFYING CLASS**

Registered Mares or Geldings 4 yrs. old or over not exceeding 128cms., however, ponies must also not exceed the height limits as stipulated by the relevant Breed Societies.

Suitable to be ridden by a rider to have attained their 3<sup>rd</sup> but not their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.

### **COLNE & BRYNSEION MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND MINI CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026**

To be competed for by 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> from classes 225, 226 and 227

The Champion to compete for

THE BSPS HERITAGE MINI SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP – see page 93

Classes 225, 226 & 227 will be 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](http://www.hoys.co.uk)

This competition is open to Mountain and Moorland mares and geldings four years old and over to be registered in and complying with the showing requirements of, the main body of their respective Stud Books.

Owners and riders must be members of their respective Breed Society, BSPS, NPS, TSR or UK Horses and Ponies.

These are qualifying classes for Horse of the Year Show, Birmingham 7<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> October 2026. Qualification will not pass below 3<sup>rd</sup> place.

Exhibitors are required by DEFRA to carry with them Official Identity Documents for all horses/ponies when competing or travelling.

Competitors are reminded that it is a DEFRA requirement that the Official Identity Documents must be in the name of the legal owner within 30 days of ownership. This must be registered with the breed society, relevant studbook or ID issuing agency, dependant on breed/type of animal.

Spot checks may be carried out at qualifying shows and by breed societies.

Riders must not compete in both the Mountain & Moorland Lead Rein/First Ridden Pony of the Year and the Mountain & Moorland Pony of the Year.

All Animals competition will be required to be in possession of a current/valid JMB Height Certificate within 28 days of the notification of qualification from HOYS or by closing date of HOYS entries.

#### **MARKS**

Show, freedom of action                      50 maximum

Breed Type and Conformation              50 maximum

In the case of equality, the pony with the highest show, freedom of action mark will be deemed the winner, if there still be equality at this point, then the judge's decision will be final. Qualification will be verified by the Horse of the Year Show office.

## **OPEN HERITAGE LEAD REIN and FIRST RIDDEN**

**Classes 228 and 229 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED**

**CLASS 228 THE BSPS HERITAGE LEAD REIN PONY OF 2026**

Registered Mares or Geldings 4 yrs. old or over not exceeding 122cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 9<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.  
Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.

**CLASS 229 THE BSPS HERITAGE FIRST RIDDEN PONY OF 2026**

Registered Mares or Geldings 4 yrs. old or over not exceeding 128cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.  
Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.

### **THE BSPS HERITAGE MINI CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026**

To be competed for by 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> from classes 228 and 229

The Champion to compete for

**THE BSPS SUPREME HERITAGE MINI CHAMPIONSHIP – See page 93**

## **HERITAGE NOVICE LEAD REIN and FIRST RIDDEN**

**Classes 230 and 231 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED Open to ponies that were Novice on 1.1.26 in accordance with BSPS Rules in the 2026 Rule and Show Handbook**

**CLASS 230 THE BSPS “MILLARD” HERITAGE M. and M. NOVICE LEAD REIN PONY OF 2026**

Registered Mares or Geldings 4 yrs. old or over not exceeding 122cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 9<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.  
Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.

**CLASS 231 THE BSPS “MILLARD” HERITAGE M. and M. NOVICE FIRST RIDDEN PONY OF 2026**

Registered Mares or Geldings 4 yrs. old or over not exceeding 128cms.  
Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.  
Grange Bank Special Award Sash to the highest placed eligible rider.

### **THE BSPS “MILLARD” HERITAGE NOVICE MINI CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026**

To be competed for by 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> from classes 230 and 231

***Classes 230, 231 and Championship Kindly Sponsored by Laura Millard***

The Champion to compete for

**THE BSPS NOVICE SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP – see page 88**

*The Novice Supreme Ridden Championship will be judged on the Wednesday evening.*

*And*

**THE BSPS SUPREME HERITAGE MINI CHAMPIONSHIP – See page 93**

**THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION  
OF CHAMPIONS  
HERITAGE RIDDEN PONIES**

**CLASSES 232 to 235 QUALIFICATION** Animals must have been placed 1<sup>st</sup> in the appropriate Open M & M class at summer shows in 2025 or the current year.

**CLASS 232 THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS HERITAGE RIDDEN  
SMALL BREED**

Registered Dartmoor, Exmoor and Shetland and Welsh Section A & B. Riders and age

**CLASS 233 THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS HERITAGE RIDDEN  
NEW FOREST AND CONNEMARA** Registered New Forest and Connemara. Riders any age.

**CLASS 234 THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS HERITAGE RIDDEN  
WELSH C & D**

Registered Welsh Section C & D. Riders any age.

**CLASS 235 THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS HERITAGE RIDDEN  
LARGE BREEDS**

Registered Fell, Highland and Dales. Riders any age.

**THE ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF  
CHAMPIONS  
HERITAGE RIDDEN PONY CHAMPIONSHIP**

To be competed for by 1<sup>st</sup> prize winners from classes 232 to 235

**The Champion will receive £100**

The Champion to compete for The BSPS Overall Supreme Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of  
Champions– see page 87

& THE BSPS SUPREME HERITAGE RIDDEN PONY OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP –See Page 93

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THE FUTURE STAR & YOUNG HERITAGE RIDDEN PONY OF THE YEAR**

# **THE THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE 2026**

## **KINDLY SPONSORED BY THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD**

### **CLASSES 236 to 239 QUALIFICATION**

Animals must have qualified for the BSPS Thor Atkinson Steel Fabrications Ltd CHALLENGE by attending any BSPS Affiliated show and competed in the appropriate class in 2025 or the current year.

Ponies must NOT have qualified for the Horse of the Year Show in the current year, been placed 1st – 5th at HOYS in the previous year or been placed 1st – 5th at RIHS in the current or previous year in the relevant class, excluding Pretty Polly and Young Dragonara, or been placed 1st – 5th in the BSPS Heritage Supreme at LIHS in the previous year.

**CLASS 236**     **THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE HERITAGE RIDDEN**  
Registered Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland Welsh A & B. Riders any age

**CLASS 237**     **THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE HERITAGE RIDDEN**  
Registered New Forest and Connemara Riders any age.

**CLASS 238**     **THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE HERITAGE RIDDEN**  
Registered Welsh Section C & D. Riders any age.

**CLASS 239**     **THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE HERITAGE RIDDEN**  
Registered Fell, Highland and Dales, Riders any age.

### **THE BSPS THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE HERITAGE CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026**

1<sup>st</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> from classes 236 to 239

The Champion to compete for THE THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE Heritage  
Supreme –see page 87  
and BSPS SUPREME HERITAGE RIDDEN PONY OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP– see page 93

### **THE BSPS SIMPLY THE BEST HERITAGE OPEN RIDDEN SECTION**

#### **CLASSES 240 to 242 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED**

**CLASS 240**     **THE “SIMPSON REFRACTORIES LTD” SIMPLY THE BEST HERITAGE OPEN M & M RIDDEN**  
Registered Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland Welsh A & B. Riders any age  
*Kindly Sponsored by Gill Simpson*

**CLASS 241**     **THE BSPS SIMPLY THE BEST HERITAGE OPEN M & M RIDDEN PONY OF THE YEAR**  
Registered New Forest and Connemara. Riders any age.

**CLASS 242**     **THE BSPS SIMPLY THE BEST HERITAGE OPEN M & M RIDDEN PONY OF THE YEAR**  
Registered Highland, Fell and Dales, Welsh C and D. Riders any age.

### **THE BSPS SIMPLY THE BEST HERITAGE OPEN RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE YEAR**

To be competed for by 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners in classes 240 to 242

The Champion to compete for  
THE BSPS SUPREME HERITAGE RIDDEN PONY OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP–see page 93

**THE BSPTS “NEW HORIZON PLASTICS”**  
**LONDON INTERNATIONAL HORSE SHOW**  
**HERITAGE RIDDEN QUALIFYING CLASSES**

**CLASSES 243 TO 246 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED**

- CLASS 243**     **THE BSPTS “NEW HORIZON PLASTICS” HERITAGE OPEN RIDDEN– LONDON INTERNATIONAL QUALIFYING CLASSES**  
Registered Dartmoor, Exmoor and Shetland, Welsh Section A & B ponies 4 years old or over. Riders any age
- CLASS 244**     **THE BSPTS “NEW HORIZON PLASTICS” HERITAGE OPEN RIDDEN - LONDON INTERNATIONAL QUALIFYING CLASSES**  
Registered Welsh Section C & D ponies 4 years old or over. Riders any age
- CLASS 245**     **THE BSPTS “NEW HORIZON PLASTICS” HERITAGE OPEN RIDDEN – LONDON INTERNATIONAL QUALIFYING CLASSES**  
Registered New Forest and Connemara ponies 4 years old or over. Riders any age
- CLASS 246**     **THE BSPTS “NEW HORIZON PLASTICS” HERITAGE OPEN RIDDEN – LONDON INTERNATIONAL QUALIFYING CLASSES**  
Registered Fell, Highlands and Dales ponies 4 years old or over. Riders any age

**THE BSPTS “NEW HORIZON PLASTICS”**  
**HERITAGE CHAMPIONSHIP**

To be competed for by 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners in classes 243 to 246  
THE CHAMPION WILL QUALIFY FOR THE BSPTS SUPREME HERITAGE RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP  
To be held at  
THE LONDON INTERNATIONAL HORSE SHOW  
The Champion to compete for  
THE BSPTS SUPREME HERITAGE RIDDEN PONY OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP–see page 93

**QUALIFICATION**

The Champion will qualify for the BSPTS Heritage Ridden Supreme Championship, if the Champion has already qualified, the Reserve Champion will qualify. If the Champion and Reserve Champions have already qualified the 3<sup>rd</sup> placed animal will qualify  
The 1<sup>st</sup> to 3<sup>rd</sup> prize winners of classes 242-245 (with the exception of the ponies that have qualified) will qualify to compete in the Semi Final to be held at The BSPTS Heritage Championship Show.

**THE BSPTS HERITAGE NOVICE RIDDEN SECTION**

**Classes 247 and 252 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED** Open to ponies that were Novice on 1.1.26 in accordance with BSPTS Rules in the 2026 Rule and Show Handbook

- CLASS 247**     **THE BSPTS HERITAGE NOVICE M and M RIDDEN PONY OF 2026**  
Registered Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Welsh A & B. Riders any age.
- CLASS 248**     **THE BSPTS HERITAGE NOVICE M and M RIDDEN PONY OF 2026**  
Registered New Forest and Connemara. Riders any age.
- CLASS 248A**   **THE BSPTS HERITAGE NOVICE M and M RIDDEN PONY OF 2026**  
Registered Welsh C & D. Riders any age.
- CLASS 249**     **THE BSPTS HERITAGE NOVICE M and M RIDDEN PONY OF 2026**  
Registered Highland, Fell and Dales. Riders any age.

**THE BSPTS HERITAGE NOVICE RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026**

To be competed for 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners in classes 247 to 249  
The Champion to compete for  
THE BSPTS SUPREME NOVICE RIDDEN PONY OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP– see page 88  
The Supreme Novice Ridden Championship will be judged on the Wednesday Evening and  
THE BSPTS SUPREME HERITAGE RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP – See age 93

# **THE BSPS HERITAGE PRETTY POLLY RIDDEN SECTION**

**Classes 250 and 251 NO QUALIFICATION REQUIRED** Open to ponies in accordance with the BSPS Pretty Polly Rules

**CLASS 250 THE BSPS HERITAGE PRETTY POLLY RIDDEN SMALL BREEDS OF 2026**  
Registered Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Welsh A & B. Riders any age.

**CLASS 251 THE BSPS HERITAGE PRETTY POLLY RIDDEN LARGE BREEDS PONY OF 2026**  
Registered New Forest, Connemara, Dales, Fell, Highland, Welsh C & D. Riders any age.

## **THE BSPS PRETTY POLLY HERITAGE RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP**

First and Second prize winners in classes 250 and 251

*The Champion is eligible to compete for the BSPS SUPREME PRETTY POLLY CHAMPIONSHIP – See page 88*

*And THE BSPS SUPREME HERITAGE RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP – see page 93*

## **JUNIOR RIDDEN MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND RIDDEN PONY HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW QUALIFYING CLASSES**

**CLASS 252 THE HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW THOR ATKINSON STELL LTD JUNIORS RIDDEN M & M  
LARGE BREEDS OF 2026**

Registered Pure Bred Connemara, Dales, Fell, Highland, New Forest and Welsh C & D,  
Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over. Riders must have attained their 10th birthday before the 1st January in the  
current year, and not have attained their 18th birthday before the 1st January in the current year

**CLASS 253 THE HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW THOR ATKINSON STEEL LTD JUNIORS RIDDEN M & M  
SMALL BREEDS OF 2026**

Registered Pure Bred Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland and Welsh A & B, Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over.  
Riders must not have attained their 14th birthday before the 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

## **THE JUNIOR RIDDEN Mountain & Moorland PONY CHAMPIONSHIP of 2026**

To be competed for by 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners in classes 252 and 253

The Champion to compete for  
THE BSPS SUPREME HERITAGE RIDDEN PONY OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP – see page 93

Classes 252 & 253 will be 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](http://www.hoys.co.uk)

These classes are Open to mares and geldings, four years old and over, to be registered in and complying with the showing requirements of the main body of their respective stud books. Ponies must not exceed the height limits as stipulated by the relevant breed societies. Part Breds are not eligible to compete. Riders and owners must be members of their respective breed society, the BSPS, NPS, UK Horses and Ponies or The Showing Register.

This is a Horse of the Year Qualifier, all data given upon entry of classes 252 and 253 is provided to Grandstand Media Limited and stored on the Grandstand Entries System. For full policy details please visit [www.grandstandentries.com](http://www.grandstandentries.com).

Exhibitors are required by DEFRA to carry with them Official Identity Documents for all horses/ponies when competing or travelling. Competitors are reminded that it is a DEFRA requirement that the Official Identity Documents must be in the name of the legal owner within 30 days of ownership. This must be registered with the breed society, relevant studbook or ID issuing agency, dependant on breed/type of animal. Spot checks may be carried out at qualifying shows and by breed societies.

Marks will be awarded in the following way: –

Show, freedom of action      50 maximum      Breed type and conformation      50 maximum

In the case of equality, the pony with the highest show, freedom of action mark will be deemed the winner. If there is still equality at this point, then the judges' decision will be final.

Please note that at Horse of the Year riders must not compete in both the Mountain & Moorland Lead Rein/First Ridden Pony of the Year and the Junior Mountain & Moorland Pony of the Year. This class is a qualifying class for the Horse of the Year Show, NEC Birmingham, 7<sup>TH</sup> to 11<sup>TH</sup> October 2026. Qualification will be verified by the Horse of the Year Show office. Qualification will not pass below 3<sup>rd</sup> place.

## YOUNG RIDERS RIDDEN CLASSES

No qualification required

**CLASS 254 THE BSPS HERITAGE YOUNG RIDERS MOUNTAIN AND MOORLAND MIXED BREEDS RIDDEN**

Registered Pure Bred Connemara, Dales, Dartmoor, Exmoor, Fell, Highland, New Forest, Shetland, Welsh Sections A, B, C and D. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to attained their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**CLASS 255 THE BSPS HERITAGE YOUNG RIDERS MOUNTAIN AND MOORLAND SMALL BREEDS RIDDEN**

Registered Pure Bred Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Welsh Sections A, B, C and D. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to attained their 14<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

**CLASS 256 THE BSPS HERITAGE YOUNG RIDERS MOUNTAIN AND MOORLAND LARGE BREEDS RIDDEN**

Registered Pure Bred Connemara, Dales, Fell, Highland, New Forest, Welsh Sections C and D. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to attained their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.

### THE YOUNG RIDERS RIDDEN MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND PONY CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026

To be competed for by 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners in classes 254 – 256

The Champion to compete for

THE BSPS SUPREME HERITAGE RIDDEN PONY OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP – see page 93

### BEST OF THE BEST AREA SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP

**CLASS 257 THE BSPS AREA “BEST OF THE BEST” SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP**

Open to animals that have been Supreme Champion at their BSPS Area Show during 2026. If the Area Supreme Champion is unable to compete, then they may be replaced with the Area Supreme Reserve Champion. To enter this class ponies must be entered into at least one other class at this show.

***£1000 prize money***

**1<sup>ST</sup> £500, 2<sup>ND</sup> £150.00, 3<sup>RD</sup> £100, 4<sup>TH</sup> £50, 5<sup>TH</sup> £50, 6<sup>TH</sup> £50, 7<sup>TH</sup> £25, 8<sup>TH</sup> £25, 9<sup>TH</sup> £25, 10<sup>TH</sup> £25**

***Sashes to Champion and Reserve Rosettes to all competitors***

**NO ENTRY FEE**

***Kindly sponsored by the BSPS Areas***

This class will be judged during the FRIDAY EVENING PERFORMANCE in the TOP SPEC ARENA at 6.15pm

**METHOD OF JUDGING**

This class will be judged by two judges. Competitors will enter the ring and walk altogether, any Lead Rein or First Ridden Ponies will be pulled into line, whilst the remainder trot and canter as a group and be lined up in any order.

All ponies will come out individually, walk up, trot back and give a free style show of no more than 1½ minutes.

# “ROBERT OLIVER SHOWMANS AWARD CHAMPIONSHIP”

KINDLY SPONSORED BY SIMON CONSTABLE'S EQUINE VETS

## CLASS 258 THE ROBERT OLIVER SHOWMANS AWARD

Open to Riders who have not attained their 25th birthday by 1<sup>st</sup> January that have qualified for this Championship by winning The Best Showman's sash in Classes:-

32, 33, 34, 35, 106, 107, 108, 147,148, 149, 150, 173, 174, 175, 207, 208, 209, 210, 240, 241, 242,

The riders will be judged in a preliminary final at The BSPS Summer Championships Show with the Final during the Thursday Evening Performance.

**PRIZE MONEY:** 1st £500, 2nd £200, 3rd £50

**NO ENTRY FEE**

The Champion Rider will receive The Robert Oliver Trophy

## HORSE OF THE YEAR Alan Marnie & Family (Meta Lounge Limited and SHB (GB)) Working Hunter of the Year Championship

MAXIMUM HEIGHT OF FENCES 1.15m

To be judged in accordance with Horse of the Year Show Rules, a copy of which can be downloaded from [www.hoys.co.uk](http://www.hoys.co.uk). This class is a qualifier for the HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW NEC, Birmingham 7<sup>TH</sup> to 11<sup>TH</sup> October 2026 All Riders, Owners and Producers must be members of the British Show Horse Association, The Showing Register or Sport Horse Breeding GB Horses must be registered with the British Show Horse Association, The Showing Register or Sport Horse Breeding GB There should be a minimum of 8 fences and a maximum of 12 fences. The course must contain a combination and should contain a water tray. This class will be judged in two parts. Part one (Jumping) will be judged first, without a jump off. All clear rounds and any other horses the judges may require will go forward to the next part. A rider can ride up to two horses in the jumping phase but then must select only one horse to take forward into the ride and conformation section if so required (no change of rider is allowed)

Any horse which has qualified as a Grade A Show Jumper or Advanced Event Horse as at 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year is not eligible to compete in Working Hunter classes.

Exhibitors are required by DEFRA to carry with them Official Identity Documents for all horses/ponies when competing or travelling. Competitors are reminded that it is a DEFRA requirement that the Official Identity Documents must be in the name of the legal owner within 30 days of ownership. This must be registered with the breed society, relevant studbook or ID issuing agency, dependant on breed/type of animal. Spot checks may be carried out at qualifying shows and by breed societies.

The highest placed **unqualified** horse **in the first three** will qualify to enter at Horse of the Year Show.

No horse lower than **third** place will qualify. Qualification will be verified by the Horse of the Year Show Office.

Marks must be awarded in the following way:

PHASE 1

(60 MARKS)

A JUMPING POINTS 40 MARKS

B: STYLE WHILE JUMPING 20 MARKS

PHASE 11

(40 MARKS)

C: CONFORMATION 20 MARKS

D: RIDE 20 MARKS

In the event of equality, the CONFORMATION MARK from Phase 11 will take precedence, following by the RIDE MARK, and then the STYLE MARK.

**CLASS 259 HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW ALAN MARNIE & FAMILY (META LOUNGE LIMITED AND SHB (GB)) WORKING HUNTER OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIP 2026 QUALIFYING CLASS**

Mare, Gelding OR Stallion (competition stallions must have a red, white and blue ribbon displayed in their tail) 4 years old or over exceeding 148cms.

Riders 15 years and over

Class 259 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](http://www.grandstandentries.com)

## **HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW HORSE CLASSES**

Classes 259–270 are Horse of the Year Show Qualifiers, all data given upon entry of these classes is provided to Grandstand Media Limited and stored on the Grandstand Entries System. For full policy details please visit [www.grandstandentries.com](http://www.grandstandentries.com)

HOYS Horse Qualifying Classes (including Working Hunter qualifiers)

These classes will be run in accordance with the general rules as set out in the Horse of the Year rulebook, a copy of which can be downloaded from [www.hoys.co.uk](http://www.hoys.co.uk). Exhibitors are required by DEFRA to carry with them Official Identity Documents for all horses/ponies when competing or travelling. Competitors are reminded that it is a DEFRA requirement that the Official Identity Documents must be in the name of the legal owner within 30 days of ownership. This must be registered with the breed society, relevant studbook or ID issuing agency, dependant on breed/type of animal. Spot checks may be carried out at qualifying shows and by breed societies.

HACK, COB & RIDING HORSES

Classes 260–265 are qualifiers for the Horse of the Year Show NEC Birmingham 7th to 11th October 2026.

These classes are open to Mares or Geldings four years old or over that must be registered with the British Show Horse Association. All Riders Owners and Producers must be members of the British Show Horse Association. Qualification will not pass below fifth place, with the exception of classes at the BSHA National Championship Show. Qualification will be verified by the Horse of the Year Show Office. In accordance with BSHA rules the entered animal must hold Full Horse Registration with the BSHA in order to qualify. Upgrades to Full Registration cannot be made retrospectively. This fee is not the Horse of the Year Show contribution, which goes to Grandstand Media Ltd.

Horses competing at the Horse of the Year Show and qualifying shows in The Hunter section of Sport Horse Breeding of GB classes at their affiliated shows cannot compete in Hack, Cob and Riding Horse classes at the same show and vice versa. This does not apply to SHB (GB) Ridden Sport Horse classes.

The highest placed unqualified exhibit in the top 5 in each Open Affiliated class (hack, Cob, Maxi Cob, Riding Horse & Hunters) will qualify to compete in the BSHA Classic of the Year Final. The Finals will be held at the BSHA National Championship Shows in September 2026.

The BSHA offer a Novice, Young Riders and Amateur rosette in each OPEN class and a Champion rosette for each section (with the exception of Open Working Show Horse, Ladies Show Horse and HOYS Hunter classes)

HUNTERS and SMALL HUNTERS

Classes 266, 268-270 are qualifiers for the Horse of the Year Show NEC Birmingham 7th to 11th October 2026. All Riders Owners and Producers must be members of the British Show Horse Association, The Showing Register or the Sport Horse Breeding of GB. Horses must be registered with the British Show Horse Association, The Showing Register or Sport Horse Breeding GB (Hunters only in the Ladies Side Saddle of the Year Championship) 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 and so forth to fifth place. Qualification will be verified by the Horse of the Year show office. Competitors must enter their horses in the appropriate section, but the Lightweight Show Hunter will be judged first, and the judges shall have the power to transfer exhibits to the Middleweight or Heavyweight section if they deem it necessary.

SMALL HUNTER Entries in class may not compete in the Show Hunter class, and vice versa.

LADIES SHOW HORSE

Class 263 are qualifiers for the Horse of the Year Show NEC Birmingham 7th to 11th October 2026. Riders must be 15 years of age or older. All Riders, Owners and Producers must be Members of the British Show Horse Association, The Showing Register or Sport Horse Breeding of GB. Horses must be registered with the British Show Horse Association, The Showing Register or Sport Horse Breeding GB (Hunters only). This is a qualifier for The Mears Ladies Show Horse Championship, with a First Prize of £200, to be held at the BSHA National Championships 2026, the four highest placed to qualify. If competing as a registered BSHA riding horse or hack, you are not permitted to compete as an affiliated SHB(GB) Ladies Hunter and vice versa; ie you must choose in which category your horse Competitors will compete as in the Ladies Show Horse/Ladies Side Saddle classes.

## **RIDING HORSE OF THE YEAR**

**CLASS 260**     **HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW Alan Marnie and Family SMALL RIDING HORSE 2026 Qualifying class**     Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over, exceeding 148cms, but not exceeding 158cms. Riders 15 years of age or older.

**CLASS 261**     **HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW Alan Marnie and Family LARGE RIDING HORSE 2026 Qualifying class**     Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over, exceeding 158cms. Riders 15 years of age or older.

### **RIDING HORSE CHAMPIONSHIP**

To be competed for by 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from classes 260 – 261

*Riding Horses and Championship Kindly Sponsored by British Show Horse Association*

The Randall First March Trophy presented by The McTiffin Family to the Champion

## **HACK OF THE YEAR**

**CLASS 262**     **HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW The Andrews Family SMALL HACK 2026 QUALIFYING CLASS**  
Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over, exceeding 148cms but not exceeding 154cms.  
Riders 15 years of age or older.

**CLASS 263**     **HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW Culford Lodge Commodities LARGE HACK 2026 QUALIFYING CLASS**     Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over, exceeding 154cms but not exceeding 160cms.  
Riders 15 years of age or older.

### **HACK CHAMPIONSHIP**

To be competed for by 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from classes 262 – 263

## **COB OF THE YEAR**

**CLASS 264**     **HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW The Harrod & Coles Family LIGHTWEIGHT COB 2026 Qualifier**  
Mare or Gelding 4 years old and over, exceeding 148cms, but not exceeding 155cms, capable of carrying up to 14 stone. Riders 15 years of age or older.

**CLASS 265**     **HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW The Harrod & Coles Family HEAVYWEIGHT COB 2026 Qualifier**  
Mare or Gelding 4 years old and over exceeding 148cms, but not exceeding 155cms, capable of carrying more than 14 stone. Riders 15 years of age or older.

### **COB CHAMPIONSHIP**

To be competed for by 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from classes 264 – 265

## **SMALL SHOW HUNTER OF THE YEAR**

**CLASS 266**     **HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW Hamilton Tarmac SMALL SHOW HUNTER 2026 Qualifying class.**  
Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over, exceeding 148cms, but not exceeding 158cms.  
Riders 15 years of age or older.

## **LADIES SIDE SADDLE HORSE OF THE YEAR**

**CLASS 267**     **HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW LADIES SIDE SADDLE 2026 Qualifying class**  
Mare or gelding, 4 years old or over, exceeding 148cms, suitable to carry a side saddle, to be ridden by a lady.. Highest placed unqualified horse down to fifth place.. Exhibits will be required to gallop/extend together during the go round phase. Riders 15 years of age or older.

## **SHOW HUNTER OF THE YEAR**

CLASS 268

**HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW CATPLANT GROUP OF COMPANIES LTD.**

**LIGHTWEIGHT HUNTER 2026 Qualifying class**

Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over exceeding 158cms capable of carrying up to 12 stone 7lbs. Riders 15 years of age or older.

CLASS 269

**HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW CATPLANT GROUP OF COMPANIES LTD.**

**MIDDLEWEIGHT HUNTER 2026 Qualifying class**

Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over exceeding 158cms, capable of carrying from 12 stone 7lbs to 14 stone. Riders 15 years of age or older.

CLASS 270

**HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW CATPLANT GROUP OF COMPANIES LTD.**

**HEAVYWEIGHT HUNTER 2026 Qualifying class**

Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over exceeding 158cms, capable of carrying more than 14 stone Riders 15 years of age or older.

## **BRITISH SHOW HORSE ASSOCIATION SHOW HUNTER CHAMPIONSHIP**

To be competed for by 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from classes 268 – 270

**Kindly Sponsored by The British Show Horse Association**

# **THE BSPS PREMIER LEAGUE TEAM COMPETITIONS**

**CONDITIONS OF ENTRY** BSPS Areas, the Scottish Branch and Ireland are allowed to enter Teams  
Scores will be taken from the **THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE OR THE SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN CLASSES**

1<sup>st</sup> – 100 points, 2<sup>nd</sup> – 90 points,  
3<sup>rd</sup> – 80 points, 4<sup>th</sup> – 70 points,  
5<sup>th</sup> – 60 points, 6<sup>th</sup> – 50 points,  
7<sup>th</sup> – 40 points, 8<sup>th</sup> – 30 points.

Teams gaining the highest number of points will be the winners.  
In the event of teams finishing with an equal number of marks the Team with the higher individual placings will take precedence.

If Areas have **no alternative** then: – a) the same pony and /or rider may be nominated in more than one class in the same team.  
b) more than one pony may be nominated in the same class c) Riders must inform Office when ponies change division

The owner and rider of the pony must be a member of the Area they are representing. Areas may enter up to two Teams and must nominate the ponies and riders to the Secretary by 12 noon on Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> August 2026

**THE PARADE OF TEAMS AND PRESENTATION OF ROSETTES WILL TAKE PLACE IN THE TOPSPEC CHAMPIONS HALL, DURING THE EVENING PERFORMANCE ON SATURDAY 29<sup>th</sup> AUGUST. ALL TEAMS WILL BE REQUIRED TO PARADE ON FOOT ACCOMPANIED BY THEIR CHEF D'EQUIPES, TO RECEIVE THEIR ROSETTES**

## **THE BSPS PREMIER LEAGUE AREA W.H.P. TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026**

A Team to consist of a Maximum of 6 ponies, one pony from each of the following classes:

Simply the Best Open or Challenge Cradle Stakes – 11 or 13  
Simply the Best Open or Challenge Nursery Stakes – 12 or 14  
Simply the Best Open or Challenge 133cms W.H.P. – 28 or 32  
Simply the Best Open or Challenge 143cms W.H.P – 29 or 33  
Simply the Best Open or Challenge 153cms W.H.P. – 30 or 34  
Simply the Best Open or Challenge Intermediate W.H. – 31 or 35

**THE AREA 2A TROPHY TO THE WINNING TEAM**

## **BSPS PREMIER LEAGUE AREA SHOW PONY TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026**

A Team to consist of a Maximum of 7 ponies, one pony from each of the following classes:-

Simply the Best Open or Challenge Lead Rein– 75 or 78  
Simply the Best Open or Challenge First Ridden – 76 or 79  
Simply the Best Open or Challenge 128cms Show Pony 106 or 103  
Simply the Best Open or Challenge 138cms Show Pony 107 or 104  
Simply the Best Open or Challenge 148cms Show Pony 108 or 105  
Simply the Best Open or Challenge Intermediate Show Hack Type– 168 or 173  
Simply the Best Open or Challenge Intermediate Show Riding Horse Type – 169 or 174

**The "Thomas Hunnable" Memorial Trophy will be presented to the winning Team**

## **THE BSPS PREMIER LEAGUE AREA SHP TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026**

A Team to consist of a Maximum of 7 ponies, one pony from each of the following classes:

**Simply the Best Open or Challenge Lead Rein SHT. 80 or 77**  
**Simply the Best Open First Ridden SHP - 81**  
**Simply the Best Open or Challenge 123cms S.H.P. 147 or 143**  
**Simply the Best Open or Challenge 133cms S.H.P. 148 or 144**  
**Simply the Best Open or Challenge 143cms S.H.P. 149 or 145**  
**Simply the Best Open or Challenge 153cms S.H.P. 150 or 146**  
**Simply the Best Open or Challenge Inter S.H. 170 or 175**

**The winning Team will receive the "David Griffin" Trophy**

## **BSPS "TEAM ARMSTRONG-SMALL" PREMIER LEAGUE AREA HERITAGE TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026**

A Team to consist of a Maximum of 12 ponies, one pony from each of the following classes:

**Simply the Best Open or Challenge Cradle Stakes – 182 or 184**  
**Simply the Best or Challenge Open Nursery Stakes – 183 or 185**  
**Simply the Best Open or Challenge Heritage Lead Rein –221 or 223**  
**Simply the Best Open or Challenge Heritage First Ridden – 222 or 224**  
**Simply the Best Open or Challenge Heritage Ridden Small Breeds 236 or 240**  
**Simply the Best Open or Challenge Heritage Ridden New Forest & Connemara 237 or 241**  
**Simply the Best Open or Challenge Heritage Ridden C & D – 238 or 242**  
**Simply the Best Open Heritage Ridden Large – 239 or 242**  
**Simply the Best Open or Challenge Heritage 122 WHP – 194 or 198**  
**Simply the Best Open or Challenge Heritage 133 WHP –195 or 199**  
**Simply the Best Open or Challenge Heritage 143 WHP – 196 or 200**  
**Simply the Best Open or Challenge Heritage ex 143 WHP–197 or 201**

***Kindly Sponsored by Team Armstrong-Small***

**The winning Team will receive the "Area 2B" Trophy.**

## **NEW HORIZONS TRAINERS EXCELLENCE AWARD**

These awards will be judged in conjunction with the Young Pony Classes and the Training Stakes on Tuesday August 25<sup>th</sup> with the Championship in the Evening Performance on Tuesday Evening.

Judged separately, but in simultaneously, within the class,

by Yogi Breisner, NBE, FBHS, Richard Davidson FBHS, and Jane Nixon MA Vet MB BSC MRCVS

In the Training Stakes on eligible ponies the rider will wear a white arm band.

In all the classes, any competitors achieving 80% or above, and a minimum of 50% in each marked category will receive an award. The owner of the pony/horse will determine who gets the "Excellence" award, that can be the rider, trainer or producer. Entry Free.

The winning pony in the four Young Pony classes (126-129) and the highest placed 4, 5 or 6 year old in the 50 cm, 60cm, 70cm, 80cm and 90 cm Training Stakes (56-60) will come forward for the Final judging in the TopSpec Champions Hall on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> August.

### **• Prizes**

The overall champion will receive £750, the reserve champion £250,

Finalists will receive £50 provided they achieve an overall score of more than 80% and a minimum of 50% in each marked category.

- Kindly sponsored by New Horizon Plastics**

# *THE B.S.P.S. SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIPS OF 2026*

## *“THE ANDREWS FAMILY”*

### **BSPS INTERMEDIATE YOUNG RIDER OF THE YEAR SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP**

**QUALIFICATION – Open to Animal and Rider combination that qualified by winning an Intermediate class at one of the following shows:–**

**THE BSPS WINTER CHAMPIONSHIP 2026**

**The Winners of the two RIHS Intermediate Show Hack Type and Show Riding Horse Type and Intermediate Show Hunter qualifying classes.**

**THE ROYAL WINDSOR HORSE SHOW 2026**

**The Intermediate Show Hack Type, the Intermediate Riding Horse Type and Intermediate Show Hunter Classes.**

**THE ROYAL INTERNATIONAL HORSE SHOW 2026**

**The Intermediate Show Hack and Riding Horse Type and Intermediate Show Hunter Classes**

**THE BSPS SUMMER CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW 2026**

**The winners of the Pretty Polly and Simply the Best Open Intermediate Show Hack & Riding Horse and Intermediate Show Hunter Classes**

**If the 1<sup>st</sup> prize winner has already qualified the qualification will pass to the 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winner.**

**The class will be preliminary judged in the Jinks Show Team Ring on Friday at 4.15 pm.**

**Animals will enter the ring altogether, walk, trot and canter and give an individual show they will be judged on marks as follows:–**

**Performance Maximum Marks 40  
Conformation Maximum Marks 30  
Rider Maximum Marks 30**

## *THE OVERALL CHAMPION WILL RECEIVE £500*

**The highest placed Small Intermediate Show Riding Type will receive £100**

**The highest placed Large Intermediate Show Riding Type will receive £100**

**The highest placed Intermediate Show Hunter Type will receive £100**

*Kindly sponsored by The Andrews Family*

**THE BSPS OVERALL  
SUPREME ANTHONY EVANS  
INSURANCE CHAMPION OF  
CHAMPIONS**

**To be competed for by THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF  
CHAMPIONS**

WHP/WH., Mini Show Pony, Show Pony, Show Hunter Pony, Intermediate,  
The Heritage Ridden and The Heritage WHP Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of  
Champions,

The Anthony Evans Insurance Champion of Champions Heritage Mini Champion  
Mini SHP Champion,  
and The Mini WHP Champion

**THE SUPREME ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION  
OF CHAMPIONS WILL RECEIVE**

**£1,000.00**

The "Jim Cowan Memorial" Trophy presented by The Cowan Family, to the Supreme Champion

Flower Sash to the Rider of the Supreme Champion

**THE THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD  
CHALLENGE SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP OF 2026**

**To be competed for by  
THE THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD CHALLENGE  
CHAMPIONS: –**

Mini WHP Champion, WHP Champion, Mini Pony Champion, Show Pony Champion, SHP  
Champion, Intermediate Champion, Heritage Mini Champion, Heritage WHP Champion and  
the Heritage Mini WHP Champion and the  
Heritage Ridden Champion

Presidents Trophy to the Supreme Champion

Kindly sponsored by Thor Atkinson Steel Fabrications Ltd

# THE BSPS "HUNT" PRETTY POLLY OVERALL SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP

To be competed for by the:

**THE BSPS "WALTON FAMILY" PRETTY POLLY MINI CHAMPION**  
**The winner BSPS "WALTON FAMILY" PRETTY POLLY SHOW PONY – Class 115**  
**THE winner BSPS PRETTY POLLY SHOW HUNTER PONY – CLASS 159**  
**THE BSPS PRETTY POLLY INTERMEDIATE – Class 179**  
**THE BSPS PRETTY POLLY HERITAGE RIDDEN CHAMPION**  
**The Albert Deptford Memorial Trophy to Supreme Champion**  
**KINDLY SPONSORED BY ANGELA HUNT**

# THE BSPS "RHOS STUD" SUPREME NOVICE RIDDEN PONY OF THE YEAR

To be competed for by the following

**THE BSPS NOVICE MINI SHOW PONY CHAMPION**  
**THE BSPS "SNUGGY HOODS & WOODROYD STUD" NOVICE SHOW PONY  
CHAMPION**  
**THE BSPS MINI SHP CHAMPION**  
**THE BSPS NOVICE SHP CHAMPION**  
**THE BSPS "HOLDER SHOW TEAM" NOVICE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION**  
**THE BSPS "MILLARD" HERITAGE NOVICE MINI CHAMPION**  
**THE HERITAGE NOVICE RIDDEN PONY CHAMPION**

**The Supreme Champion will receive**  
**The Anndalyse Sugar Plum Trophy**  
***The Rider of the Supreme Champion will receive a Flower Sash***  
*kindly sponsored by*  
*The Rhos Stud*  
*Breeders of Show Ponies, Part Bred Arab and Part Bred Welsh Ponies*

# THE BSPS "JOHN FAMILY" WORKING SPORTS PONY SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP

To be competed for by the following –

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place The BSPS TopSpec Lead Rein Working Sports Pony – class 92  
1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place the BSPS Heritage Lead Rein Working Sports Pony – class 93  
1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place the BSPS Heritage First Ridden Working Sports Pony – class 94  
1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place the BSPS Plaited Lead Rein Working Sports Pony – class 95  
1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place the BSPS Plaited First Ridden Working Sports Pony – class 96

***Kindly Sponsored by Eliza Scarborough***

**The Supreme Champion will receive £200**

# THE "GOODYEAR FAMILY" BSPS SUPREME WORKING HUNTER OF THE YEAR

To be competed for by the following:-

THE BSPS "ANTHONY D. EVANS" DESERT ORCHID WHP CHAMPION (if a plaited pony)  
THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS WHP CHAMPION  
THE BSPS "THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD" CHALLENGE WHP CHAMPION  
THE BSPS SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN WHP CHAMPION  
THE BSPS OPEN WHP CHAMPION  
THE BSPS NOVICE WHP CHAMPION  
THE INTER COUNTRY TEAM CHAMPION  
THE HOYS WHP CHAMPION  
THE BSPS PRETTY POLLYWHP CHAMPION (if a plaited pony)

**The Supreme Champion will receive £200**

*The Little Diamond Trophy will be awarded to the Supreme Champion  
The rider will receive a Flower sash and the John Allen Memorial Trophy  
The BSPS Supreme WHP of the Year is kindly sponsored by*

***The Goodyear Family***

# THE "UNEX COMPETITION YARD LTD" BSPS SUPREME MINI WHP OF THE YEAR

To be competed for by the following:-

THE NOVICE MINI WHP CHAMPION  
THE ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS MINI WHP CHAMPION  
THE "THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD" CHALLENGE MINI WHP CHAMPION  
THE BSPS SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN MINI WHP CHAMPION  
THE BSPS "MIKE HANNIGAN" MINI WHP CHAMPION  
THE SIMPLY THE BEST "ANNABEL'S DELICIOUSLY BRITISH" HERITAGE  
MINI WHP CHAMPION  
THE "THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD" HERITAGE CHALLENGE MINI WHP  
CHAMPION  
THE HERITAGE "TEAM DARLINGTON" OPEN MINI WHP CHAMPION  
THE HERITAGE NOVICE MINI WHP CHAMPION

**The Supreme Champion will receive £200**

and "The Kyregate Peter Pan Trophy" presented by The Eddis Family  
*The Rider of the Supreme Champion will receive a Flower Sash  
The BSPS Supreme Mini WHP of the Year is kindly sponsored by*

***Polly Gredley***

# THE “HONOURABLE STUD” SUPREME MINI SHOW PONY OF THE YEAR

To be competed for by the following: –

THE “SNUGGY HOODS & WOODROYD STUD” BLUE RIBAND MINI CHAMPION (if a SP)

THE “THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD”

CHALLENGE MINI CHAMPION (if a SP)

THE BSPTS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS MINI SP  
CHAMPION

THE BSPTS SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN MINI SHOW PONY CHAMPION

THE HOYS “WALTON FAMILY” MINI SHOW PONY CHAMPION

THE BSPTS NOVICE MINI SHOW PONY CHAMPION

THE BSPTS “WALTON FAMILY” PRETTY POLLY MINI CHAMPION (if a SP)

**The Supreme Champion will receive £200**

and the Nantcol Lady Penelope Trophy

kindly presented by Mrs Hente Martin and Family

The rider of the Supreme Champion will receive a Flower sash

*The BSPTS Supreme Mini Show Pony of the Year  
is kindly sponsored by The Honourable Stud – Ami Blundell*

# “ANNABEL’S DELICIOUSLY BRITISH” SUPREME SHOW PONY OF THE YEAR

To be competed for by the following: –

THE BSPTS “PERFORM EQUINE” BLUE RIBAND LEGEND SHOW PONY CHAMPION

THE “THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATION LTD” CHALLENGE SHOW PONY  
CHAMPION

THE BSPTS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS SP CHAMPION

THE SHOW PONY CHAMPION (HOYS)

THE BSPTS SIMPLY THE BEST “EVOLUTION HORSEBOXES” OPEN SHOW PONY  
CHAMPION

THE BSPTS NOVICE SHOW PONY CHAMPION

THE WINNER “WALTON FAMILY” PRETTY POLLY SHOW PONY – CLASS 115

**The Supreme Champion will receive £200**

The Albert Deptford Memorial Trophy to the winner

The Vivian Eckley Trophy to the Breeder

The Cusop Call Boy Trophy and a Flower sash to the rider

*The BSPTS Supreme Show Pony of the Year  
is kindly sponsored by Annabel Makin-Jones*

# THE BSPS "ALAN HALL" SUPREME SHOW HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR

To be competed for by the following:-

THE BSPS "TEAM HARVEY" JOHN PEEL BLUE RIBAND SHOW HUNTER PONY CHAMPION

THE BSPS "THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD" CHALLENGE SHP CHAMPION

THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS SHP CHAMPION

THE SHP CHAMPION (HOYS)

THE BSPS "BAXTERS SUPPLIES GRAB & TIPPER HIRE" SIMPLY THE BEST  
OPEN SHP CHAMPION

THE BSPS NOVICE SHOW HUNTER PONY CHAMPION

THE BSPS PRETTY POLLY SHP WINNER Class 159

**The Supreme Champion will receive £200**

"The Curbishley Trophy"

The Debbie Beatham Memorial Trophy and a Flower sash to the rider

*The BSPS Supreme SHP of the Year is kindly sponsored by*

***THE HALL FAMILY***

# THE BSPS "JACKSON" SUPREME MINI SHOW HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR

To be competed for by the following winners of:-

THE BSPS "SNUGGY HOODS & WOODROYD STUD" BLUE RIBAND MINI PONY (if a LRHT)

THE "THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD" CHALLENGE MINI CHAMPION (if a  
SHP)

THE PRETTY POLLY "WALTON FAMILY" MINI CHAMPION (if a LRHT)

THE BSPS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS CHAMPION MINI  
SHOW HUNTER TYPE

THE HOYS LEAD REIN HUNTER TYPE – CLASS 84

THE BSPS NOVICE MINI SHOW HUNTER PONY CHAMPION

THE BSPS SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN MINI SHOW HUNTER PONY CHAMPION

BSPS PLAITED WORKING SPORTS PONY CHAMPION

**The Supreme Champion will receive £200**

**and The Malcolm Jackson Memorial Trophy, presented by**

**The Late Mrs Pat Jackson and Family**

The rider will receive a Flower sash

*The BSPS Supreme Mini SHP of the Year is kindly sponsored by*

***Alison Andrew***

# THE BSPTS COLIN ROSE MEMORIAL SUPREME INTERMEDIATE OF THE YEAR

To be competed for by the following:–

THE BSPTS “LG SHOW TEAM” BLUE RIBAND INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION

THE BSPTS “THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD” CHALLENGE INTERMEDIATE  
CHAMPION

THE BSPTS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS INTERMEDIATE  
CHAMPION

THE INTERMEDIATE SHOW HORSE CHAMPION (HOYS)

THE BSPTS SIMPLY THE BEST OPEN INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION

THE BSPTS “HOLDER SHOW TEAM” NOVICE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION

THE BSPTS PRETTY POLLY INTERMEDIATE winner class 179

**The Supreme Champion will receive £200**

The Supreme Intermediate Trophy presented by Mr & Mrs P. Baker–Beall  
to the Champion and the rider will receive a Flower sash

*The BSPTS Supreme Intermediate of the Year  
is kindly sponsored by Dinah Rose, Edward Young  
and Colette McGoldrick*

# THE BSPTS “DEMETRIOU FAMILY” SUPREME HERITAGE WHP OF THE YEAR

To be competed for by the following:–

THE BSPTS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS HERITAGE WHP  
CHAMPION

THE “THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD” CHALLENGE HERITAGE WHP  
CHAMPION

THE BSPTS SIMPLY THE BEST HERITAGE OPEN WHP CHAMPION

THE HERITAGE WHP CHAMPION (HOYS)

THE BSPTS HERITAGE NOVICE WHP CHAMPION

THE BSPTS OPEN HERITAGE WHP CHAMPION

THE PRETTY POLLY HERITAGE WHP CHAMPION (if registered M and M)

THE BSPTS “ANTHONY D EVANS” DESERT ORCHID WHP CHAMPION (If reg M & M)

**The Supreme Champion will receive £200**

The rider will receive the Maesyberwyn Waving Corn Trophy kindly presented  
by The Jewson Family and a Flower sash

*The BSPTS Supreme Heritage WHP of the Year is kindly sponsored by The  
Demetriou Family*

**THE BSPTS "TEAM HARKER"**  
**SUPREME HERITAGE MINI PONY OF THE YEAR**

To be competed for by the following:–

- THE ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS MINI CHAMPION  
THE BSPTS "THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD" CHALLENGE HERITAGE MINI CHAMPION  
THE BSPTS "INSPIRED RIDING" SIMPLY THE BEST HERITAGE OPEN MINI CHAMPION  
THE BSPTS "MILLARD" PRETTY POLLY MINI CHAMPION (if a Heritage pony)  
THE M & M MINI CHAMPION (HOYS)  
THE BSPTS "MILLARD" NOVICE HERITAGE MINI CHAMPION  
THE BSPTS HERITAGE OPEN MINI CHAMPION  
HERITAGE WORKING SPORTS PONY CHAMPION

**The Supreme Champion will receive £200**

The rider will receive The Richard Toynton Trophy and a Flower sash

*The BSPTS Supreme Heritage Mini of the Year  
is kindly sponsored by The Harker Family*

**THE BSPTS "SIMON CONSTABLE'S EQUINE VETS"**  
**SUPREME HERITAGE RIDDEN PONY OF THE YEAR**

To be competed for by the following:–

- THE BSPTS ANTHONY EVANS INSURANCE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS HERITAGE RIDDEN CHAMPION  
THE "THOR ATKINSON STEEL FABRICATIONS LTD" CHALLENGE HERITAGE RIDDEN CHAMPION  
SIMPLY THE BEST HERITAGE OPEN RIDDEN PONY CHAMPION  
THE BSPTS HERITAGE JUNIOR RIDERS CHAMPION (HOYS)  
THE BSPTS HERITAGE NOVICE RIDDEN CHAMPION  
THE NEW HORIZON PLASTICS LONDON INTERNATIONAL HERITAGE CHAMPION  
THE PRETTY POLLY HERITAGE RIDDEN CHAMPION  
THE YOUNG RIDERS CHAMPION

**The Supreme Champion will receive £200**

The rider will receive The Cuff Trophy and a Flower sash

*The BSPTS Supreme Heritage Ridden Pony of the Year  
is kindly sponsored by Simon Constable's Equine Vets*

**THE BSPTS "MILLARD" BLUE RIBAND SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP**

To be competed for by the following:–

- THE PERFORM EQUINE LEGEND BLUE RIBAND SHOW PONY CHAMPION  
THE HARVEY JOHN PEEL BLUE RIBAND SHOW HUNTER PONY CHAMPION  
THE LG SHOW TEAM INTERMEDIATE BLUE RIBAND CHAMPION  
THE SNUGGY HOODS & WOODROYD STUD BLUE RIBAND MINI PONY CHAMPION

*Kindly sponsored by Laura Millard*

The Running Parks Hill Star Trophy presented by Messrs Hollings to the Champion  
The Rider of the Supreme Champion will receive a Flower Sash

## THE BSPTS RONNIE MARMONT “THE SCHWEPPE TROPHY”

This prestigious trophy will be awarded to the Best Turned Out Animal, Rider and Groom from the following Classes:

– It will be Judged by Mr Paul Cook during the judging of classes.

Class 164 Blue Riband Intermediate Show Hunter      Class 170 Challenge Intermediate Show Hunter  
Class 175 Simply the Best Intermediate Show Hunter      Class 178 Novice Intermediate Show Hunter  
Class 180 Part Bred Intermediate Show Hunter

The Judge will be looking for Riders and Grooms correctly dressed and turned out and animals correctly presented including Turn Out and Tack.

*Kindly Sponsored by Jinks Show Team*

*This magnificent trophy was given to the BSPTS by The Late Ronnie Marmont, whose horse won this trophy outright by winning the Royal International Horse Show at The White City three times. Ronnie was the top showman of his era having a string of prolific horses which included Rajah 111, Cufflink, South Pacific and his most famous small hunter Burrough Hills. Ronnie will also be remembered for his immaculate Turn Out both in the Show Ring and the Hunting Field. Ronnie was great supporter of the BSPTS and a much sought after and well-respected Judge.*

## THE BRITISH SHOW PONY SOCIETY'S “PHILIP JUDGE INTERNATIONAL” SUPREME CHAMPION OF 2026

To be competed for by the following: –

**THE BSPTS “HONOURABLE STUD” MINI SUPREME SHOW PONY OF THE YEAR**

**THE BSPTS “ANNABEL’S DELICIOUSLY BRITISH” SUPREME SHOW PONY OF THE YEAR**

**THE BSPTS “UNEX COMPETITION YARD LTD” SUPREME MINI WHP OF THE YEAR**

**THE BSPTS “GOODYEAR FAMILY” SUPREME WORKING HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR.**

**THE BSPTS “JACKSON” SUPREME MINI SHOW HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR**

**THE BSPTS “ALAN HALL” SUPREME SHOW HUNTER PONY OF THE YEAR**

**THE BSPTS “COLIN ROSE MEMORIAL” SUPREME INTERMEDIATE OF THE YEAR**

**THE BSPTS “TEAM HARKER” SUPREME HERITAGE MINI OF THE YEAR**

**THE BSPTS “SIMON CONSTABLE’S EQUINE VETS” SUPREME HERITAGE RIDDEN PONY OF THE YEAR**

**THE BSPTS “DEMETRIOU FAMILY” SUPREME HERITAGE WHP OF THE YEAR**

**THE BSPTS “HUNT” PRETTY POLLY SUPREME OF THE YEAR**

**THE BSPTS CHAMPION OF CHAMPION SUPREME OF THE YEAR**

**THE BSPTS “RHOS STUD” NOVICE SUPREME OF THE YEAR**

**THE BSPTS “MILLARD” BLUE RIBAND SUPREME OF THE YEAR**

**THE BSPTS “THOR ATKINSON” CHALLENGE SUPREME OF THE YEAR**

**The Overall Supreme Champion will receive £300**

*The Rider of the Champion will receive “The Timberwolf Trophy” and a Flower Sash*

*Kindly presented by The Late Lyndsey Kelbie in memory of her pony Timberwolf*

*The Champion will receive*

**“The Rodrigues Bronze Trophy” kindly presented by Mr A. Rodrigues**

*The Breeder of the Champion Pony will receive the “Rodney Mansfield Memorial” Trophy*

# **YOUNG JUDGES OF THE YEAR 2026**

Supported by Showing Journal

**This will take place on Tuesday August 25<sup>th</sup> at 10.30 am**

**AWARDS AND PRESENTATIONS will be in TopSpec Champions Hall at 6.45 pm**

**Open to Two Teams and Individuals per BSPS Area including Scotland, Ireland, and Wales**

## **YOUNG JUDGES' TEAM OF THE YEAR**

A team shall consist of three BSPS Area Members, one to have attained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday and the remaining members their 14<sup>th</sup> but not 21<sup>st</sup> birthday by 1<sup>st</sup> Jan in the current year.

*Kindly Sponsored by The Gresty Family*

## **INDIVIDUAL YOUNG JUDGE OF THE YEAR**

Candidates must have attained their 18<sup>th</sup> but not their 25<sup>th</sup> birthday by 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. The winner will receive a free assessment for the Judge's Panel upon achieving the age of 25.

*Kindly Sponsored by Clive Johnston*

## **METHOD OF JUDGING**

**The Competition will be judged as a Ridden Supreme using the Marks System.**

**Candidates will be asked questions about**

**Placing of Ponies, Way of Going, Conformation, Rules, and Judging dilemmas.**

**AWARDS and PRIZEMONEY to the TOP THREE TEAMS AND INDIVIDUALS.**

**FIRST PRIZE WINNERS IN BOTH THE TEAM AND INDIVIDUAL COMPETITIONS RECEIVE A YEAR'S FREE SUBSCRIPTION TO THE SHOWING JOURNAL**

**PRIZES WILL ALSO BE AWARDED TO THE MOST SUITABLY TURNED OUT TEAM AND INDIVIDUAL**

**Kindly Sponsored by**

**Catering for the Young Judges is kindly sponsored by Area 14 and 1A  
with thanks to Lyn David**

## **ENTERTAINMENT**

**Children's Fashion Show and Disco – Tuesday Evening**

**Five-A-Side Football – Tuesday Night**

**Sublime Science Activities – Wednesday Afternoon**

**Sublime Science Show – Wednesday Evening**

**Dog Show – Thursday Evening**

**Children's Fancy Dress and Party Night – Friday Evening**

**Disco – Friday Night**

**Party Night – Saturday Night**

**Hobby Horse Competitions Every Day with Supreme Championship Saturday**

## BYLAWS

All exhibitors shall be considered as having read the following regulations, and all persons entering, competing, or otherwise taking part in the classes, are subject to the Constitution and Rules of the BSPS, including the Disciplinary Procedures, and shall be deemed to have consented to the jurisdiction of the BSPS.

### DRESS FOR EVENING PERFORMANCE

Riders may wear WHITE or Black coats with hunting ties (stocks) correct riding hats (see below) and leather or string gloves. No Buttonholes or earrings

### BODY PROTECTORS

Body Protectors MUST be worn when jumping in all WHP and WH classes (Including Tiny Tots, Cradle and Nursery Stakes, WSP, LRWSP and Training Stakes) and in collecting rings (practice jumps).

RIDING HATS Correctly secured Skull Caps/Riding Hats IN ACCORDANCE WITH BSPS Rule 43 in the 2026 BSPS Rule and Show Handbook MUST be worn and in all classes, and at all times when mounted. In the interest of Health and Safety the BSPS Council are determined that exhibitors shall comply with this Rule.

**Authorised spot checks will be made and exhibitors breaking this Rule will not be allowed to compete.**

When Mounted correct Dress including Footwear with heels MUST be worn.

SPURS - Spurs are NOT PERMITTED including the use of Spurs in collecting rings, except for competitors in the Horse classes.

GADGETS Only tack or spurs that are permissible in the ring in BSPS Classes is allowed on the showground while mounted.

STALLION BADGES - Stallions must wear a Stallion badge on their bridles **AT ALL TIMES** (including working in) Stallion Badges are available at the show.

JUDGES AND JUDGING The Judges' decisions are final. The Committee reserve the right to substitute, add or remove any Judge from any class or championship.

CANCELLED OR AMALGAMATED OR SPLIT CLASSES The Committee reserve the right to cancel, amalgamate or split classes.

STEWARDS AND OFFICIALS - All Stewards give up their time freely, they are there solely for the benefit of competitors, so please be polite and helpful to them, even if you are under pressure.

GROOMS - Grooms must be neatly dressed and must wear suitable hats when attending ponies in the ring.

WALKING COURSES Riders and attendants walking the WH or WHP courses MUST be neatly dressed and wear suitable hats.

**WHP COLLECTING RING - PONIES CAN ONLY BE WARMED UP OVER THE PRACTICE RING FENCES BY THE RIDERS COMPETING IN THE CLASS**

SOUNDNESS - All animals must be sound. Any entry which may appear unsound will be examined by the Veterinary Surgeon. The Veterinary Surgeon's opinion is final. No class will be delayed for such an examination.

DISEASE - Any animal found to be suffering from any contagious or infectious disease shall be removed from the Showground and stables, at the request of the Veterinary Surgeon.

HORSE WALKS - The horse walks must be adhered to.

DISQUALIFICATION - The Show Committee retain the right to refuse or cancel any entry at their discretion. Any person or persons found to have entered any of the rings mounted, or to have jumped any of the jumps used in connection with the classes, before the commencement of their class, will be disqualified.

### **EQUINE PASSPORTS/INFLUENZA VACCINATION CERTIFICATES.**

Exhibitors are required to have Passports for all horses/ponies when competing at the show and up to date Equine Inoculation Certificate for each of their exhibits in accordance with Rule 62a in the 2026 BSPS Rule and Show Handbook. Any exhibitor found without a passport or valid certificates for all their animals will be asked to leave the Showground.

### **WELFARE POLICY**

The Society will enforce their Welfare Policy at this show. Ponies will be monitored in collecting rings, stable areas and warming up areas to ensure all exhibitors abide by the Welfare Policy.

**ANY HORSE OR PONY ON THE SHOWGROUND SHALL BE LIABLE TO DOPE TESTING.**

OBJECTIONS Objections MUST be made in writing with the objector's full name and address within ONE HOUR of the allocation of Awards in the class concerned and must be lodged at the Secretary's Office together with the sum of £ 100.00 deposit. This sum will be returned if the objection is sustained, but if the objection is not sustained the deposit will be forfeited to the funds of the BSPS Championships Show. The Objection Committee will consist of the Show Chairman, National Chairman, Show Vice Chairman, Show Director, Executive Officer, Course Director, Showground Director, Company Secretary any other Official if applicable. Any objection against a J.M.B. Certificate must be lodged in accordance with the current J.M.B. Rules. Any objection against the judging of a class or championship must be referred to the BSPS in accordance with Rule 73, in the BSPS 2026 Rule and Show handbook.

**RESPONSIBILITY AND CONTROL** Any pony which is not under complete control or in any way constitutes a danger, shall be removed from the Showground. The Chairman, Vice Chairman or Show Director shall have power to suspend or remove from the Showground anyone who may infringe any of the Regulations or Rules, or whose conduct shall, in the opinion of the Chairman, Vice Chairman or Show Director be derogatory or prejudicial to the interests of the BSPS or who may be guilty of any act or omission involving cruelty or unnecessary suffering to an animal.

Exhibitors shall be responsible for the behaviour of their assistants and riders and all persons in charge of exhibits shall be subject to the instructions given by the Show Officials.

Neither the BSPS 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.*

**WARNING!! Children, Motorcycles, Bicycles, Scooters, Skateboards, Roller blades.**

Children MUST NOT be allowed to play on the bales of straw. Motorcycles, bicycles, skateboards, roller blades, Scooters or roller skates will NOT be allowed to be used around the Showground or stable area at any time.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

The show Committee would like to emphasise to ALL MEMBERS that it is an offence for a person under the age of 18 years to purchase or consume alcoholic drinks. It is also illegal and extremely irresponsible for persons over the age of 18 years to purchase drinks for minors. A breach of this regulation not only jeopardises the alcohol licence carried by the BSPS but leaves the offender and the BSPS open to prosecution. We do ask that Members respect the regulations in the interests of the continued benefit to fellow Members. Under-age driving on the Showground will not be tolerated. Any offenders will be asked to leave the Show.

**CANCELLATION**

The BSPS shall be entitled to cancel the Championships Show.

- 1) upon the serving of notice to the entrant of such cancellation, not less than 48 hours prior to the Championships Show: or
- 2) an Event of Force Majeure occurs

For the purpose of this clause, "Event of Force Majeure" means an act of God including but not limited to fire, flood, earthquake, windstorm or other natural disaster, act of any sovereign including but not limited to war, invasion, act of foreign enemies, hostilities (whether war be declared or not) civil war, rebellion, revolution, insurrection, military or usurped power or confiscation, nationalisation, requisition, destruction or damage to property by or under the order of any government or public or local authority or imposition of government sanction embargo or similar action; law, judgement, order, decree, embargo, blockade, labour dispute including but not limited to strike, lockout or boycott; interruption or failure of utility service including but not limited to electric power, gas, water or telephone service; failure of the transportation of any personnel equipment, machinery supply or material required by BSPS for the provision of show services breach of contract by any essential personnel; any other matter or cause beyond the control of BSPS.

Upon the cancellation of the Championships Show, BSPS shall return a percentage of Championship Show entry fees to the entrants, however in certain circumstances the Society reserve the right to retain the stabling fees when the Society has incurred expenses.

BSPS shall not be liable to the show entrants in contract, tort, negligence, breach of statutory duty or otherwise for any loss, damage, costs or expenses of any nature whatsoever incurred or suffered by the show entrants of an indirect or consequential nature including without limitation any economic loss or other loss of turnover, profits, business or goodwill. Any notice served in accordance with this clause shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given if left at or sent by post or email to the entrant at the address or relevant telecommunications number for such entrant or such other address as the entrant may from time to time designate.