

Northern

Counties Pony Association

Registered Charity No: 264796



DERBYSHIRE FESTIVAL

Spring Show

Sunday, 15th April 2012

Fieldhouse Equestrian Centre

Marchington, Uttoxeter, Staffordshire ST14 8NX

Gates onto showground will not open before 7.30am

Ring times are for guidance only but class will not start before stated times

NCPA Affiliation No 20/12

RIHS NPS M&M Working Hunter Qualifiers

These classes are kindly sponsored by Fieldhouse Equestrian Centre

**P(UK) M&M Young Riders Qualifier 2012 Longines Royal
International Horse Show**

Qualifier for The National Pony Society Summer 2012

(Membership cards must be shown in the ring, qualification goes no lower than 3rd place)

Equifest Qualifiers Summer 2012, 15th-19th August

Pony of the Year Qualifier, 9th September 2012

No lunging allowed in the dedicated warm-up arenas - lunging will only be permitted on the ash across the road and competitors do so at their own risk, the road crossing will not be manned.

Entries taken on-line – visit www.ncpa-Derbyshire.co.uk

GENERAL ENQUIRIES

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SHOW RULES

This show is affiliated to the National Pony Society and Ponies UK and will be run in accordance with their rules.

- 1 The judge's decision is final.
- 2 Any objection must be made within one hour of the incident and handed to the Secretary with a deposit of £30.00.
- 3 The committee reserve the right to amalgamate, cancel or divide the classes as entries warrant.
- 4 Mountain and Moorland ponies must be shown in accordance with the breed society rules.
- 5 No entries will be changed in any way.
- 6 All prize money must be collected on the day; otherwise it will be deemed as a donation to the Show.
- 7 The committee will not be held responsible for any damage, loss or injury to animal, person or property whilst on the showground.
- 8 1st, 2nd, 3rd prize money will only be awarded if there are six competitors or more, if less, then 1st prize money only will be awarded.
- 9 Prize money – RIHS Working Hunter and PUK RIHS Junior ridden only; 1st, £20.00; 2nd, £12.00; 3rd, £8.00.

Entry Fees – Postal entries MUST be received by 8th April 2012

RIHS classes, NCPA Members £20; Non-Members £23 before the day; £30 to all on the day (entry fee includes the RIHS Levy at £8).

All other classes – NCPA Members £10.00 Non-members £12.00

First Aid contribution £2.00 per entry form

Entries on the day £15.00 (members and non-members) Cash only, no cheques

In the case of cancellation a £2 levy for each entry will be enforced.

NPS – Qualifying rounds are open to ponies owned by NPS members and non-members but only ponies owned by full, life or standard NPS members are eligible to qualify for the Final of the competition to be held at the NPS Summer Championship Show, August 1st-3rd 2012.

Riders of small stallions must be 12 years or over, riders of large stallions must be 14 years or over.

NPS Silver Medal Rosette Championships. To be judged under the Rules of the NPS. NPS Silver Medal Rosettes are only awarded when the Owner of the champion pony is a Member of the NPS. A valid membership card must be in the Rider's/Handler's possession on entering the ring and be produced immediately on request by either the judge or the steward. If the Owner of the Champion pony is not a Member, or the Owner's membership card is not immediately produced, the rosette may be awarded to the Reserve Champion provided they have the required membership card. If the Champion pony has previously qualified it is still entitled to the Silver Medal Rosette but the Qualification Card goes to the Reserve Champion pony, provided the Owner of that pony is a Member of the NPS. The Silver Medal Rosette and the Qualification Card can be awarded no lower than first Reserve. Qualifiers are entitled to compete in the final of the Silver Medal Rosette Championship to be held at the NPS Summer Championship Show

Qualification for Summer National Championships – 1st, 2nd and 3rd placed horses/ponies in all Summer National Championships will qualify for the P(UK) Summer National Championships (classes 15-19).

Results must be submitted to the Ponies (UK) Office within 14 days of the qualifying show with the exception of shows being held between 1st July and 31st July; these shows need to submit their results within 48 hours after the qualifying event. Qualification cards will not be presented in the ring. Competitors in qualifying positions who are NOT current members of P(UK) are allowed 14 days in which to become members and register their horses/ponies in order for the qualification to remain valid. The exception being any competitor qualifying at a show between 1st July and 31st July t, their membership must be submitted within 48 hours after the qualifying event in order for the qualification to remain valid.

Ring 1 - MAIN INDOOR ARENA - 9am Start

Judges: Mrs B Hodgson (perf) Mr R James (conf)

Ponies UK Young Riders' M&M RIHS Championship

These classes are held under the current rules of Ponies Association (UK).

Owners, riders and ponies must be current member of P(UK) before the date of the show in order to compete in these classes. Open to Mountain and Moorland ridden stallion (intermediate class only), Mares and geldings, 4 years and over. Registered with their approved Pure Breed Society Stud Books of Connermara, Dartmoor, Dales, Exmoor, Fells, Highlands, New Forest, Shetland, Welsh section A, B, C or D.

The highest placed pony within the first five, not already qualified, will qualify for the P(UK) Young Riders M&M Ridden RIHS Championship to be held at the Longines Royal International Horse Show 17th-22nd July 2012.

Class 1 P(UK) Intermediate M&M. Stallion, mare and gelding, 4 years old and over Registered with their approved Pure Breed Society Stud Books of Connermara, Dartmoor, Dales, Exmoor, Fells, Highlands, New Forest, Shetland, Welsh section A, B, C or D. Riders not to have attained their 25th birthday before the 1st January in the current year (see rule 7 of the current P(UK) Rule book).

Class 2 P(UK) M&M Large Breeds. Mare and gelding, 4 years old and over Registered with their approved Pure Breed Society Stud Books of Connermara, Dales, Fells, Highlands, New Forest, Welsh section C or D. Riders not to have attained their 18th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

Class 3 P(UK) M&M Small Breeds. Mare and gelding, 4 years old and over Registered with their approved Pure Breed Society Stud Books of Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Welsh section A and B. Riders not to have attained their 14th birthday before the 1st January in the current year (see rule 7 of the current P(UK) Rule book).

Young Riders Championship. 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 1-3 to compete.

Ring 1A - MAIN INDOOR ARENA - not before 11am

Judge: Mrs B Hodgson

NCPA Members Classes - Open to all NCPA members, special rosettes awarded to NCPA registered Ponies.

Class 4 M&M Young stock In-hand. 1, 2 and 3 year old, colt filly or geldings, Registered with their approved Pure Breed Society Stud Books of Connermara, Dartmoor, Dales, Exmoor, Fells, Highlands, New Forest, Shetland, Welsh section A, B, C or D.

Class 5 M&M Open In-hand. Stallion, mare and gelding, 4 years old and over Registered with their approved Pure Breed Society Stud Books of Connermara, Dartmoor, Dales, Exmoor, Fells, Highlands, New Forest, Shetland, Welsh section A, B, C or D.

Class 6 Non-M&M Youngstock and Open In-hand. P(UK) COMMANCHEE IN-HAND PIEBALD/SKEWBALD HORSE/PONY SUMMER CHAMPIONSHIP - Piebald/Skewbald, Non-Native/Native/Traditional/Cob/Show Cob Type, stallion, mare, gelding, colt or filly, any height. Open to any breeds except registered M&M, pures breeds or part-breeds, 4yrs and over.

Class 7 **M&M Ridden.** Stallion, mare and gelding, 4 years old and over Registered with their approved Pure Breed Society Stud Books of Connermara, Dartmoor, Dales, Exmoor, Fells, Highlands, New Forest, Shetland, Welsh section A, B, C or D.

Class 8 **Non M&M Open Ridden.** Open to any breeds except registered M&M, pure breeds or part-breds, 4yrs and over.

NCPA Members Championship - 1st and 2nd prizewinners from classes 4 -8 to compete.

Ring 1B - MAIN INDOOR ARENA - not before 11am

Judge: Mrs D Hadwen

Class 9 **The NPS/The King's Head M&M Novice Leading Rein National Championship (MM-NLR) and P(UK) Colne Confined Novice M&M Lead Rein Summer Championship.** Open to registered Dartmoors, Exmoor, Shetland, New Forest, Welsh Section A or B mares and geldings, 4 years old and over not exceeding 122cm. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday but not reached their 9th birthday before the 1st January in the current year. Ponies never to have won a first prize of £10 or more in Leading rein classes or qualified for the NPS/Micor Demolition M&M Leading Rein final before 1st January in current year. To be shown in a snaffle bit.

Class 10 **The NPS/Simpson Refractories M&M Novice First Ridden National Championship (MM-NFR) and P(UK) Brineton Confined Novice M&M First Ridden Summer Championship.** Open to registered Dartmoors, Exmoor, Shetland, New Forest, Welsh Section A or B mares and geldings, 4 years old and over not exceeding 128cm. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday but not reached their 12th birthday before the 1st January in the current year. Pony never to have won a first prize of £10 or more in First Ridden classes or qualified for the The NPS/Micor Demolition M&M First Ridden Final before 1st January in current year.

Class 11 **The NPS/Micor Demolition Ltd M&M Leading Rein National Championship and P(UK) Lobster Pot M&M Lead Rein Summer Championship.** Open to registered Dartmoors, Exmoor, Shetland, New Forest, Welsh Section A or B mares and geldings, 4 years old and over not exceeding 122cm. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday but not reached their 9th birthday before the 1st January in the current year. To be shown in a snaffle bridle.

NPS/Rosettes Direct Home Produced Ridden Championship - wear white armbands.

Class 12 **The NPS/Micor Demolition Ltd M&M First Ridden National Championship and P(UK) Brineton M&M First Ridden Summer Championship.** Open to registered Dartmoors, Exmoor, Shetland, New Forest, Welsh Section A or B mares and geldings, 4 years old and over not exceeding 128cm. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday but not reached their 12th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

NPS/Rosettes Direct Home Produced Ridden Championship - wear white armbands.

MINI CHAMPIONSHIP: 1st and 2nd prize winner from classes 9-12 to compete.

Ring 1 - MAIN INDOOR ARENA - Not before 1.30

Judge: Mrs D Hadwen

The NPS/Dargavel M&M 4, 5 & 6 Year Old Ridden National Championship

Classes 13 & 14 are NPS Silver Medal Qualifiers.

Class 13 **All Breeds.** 4 years old.

Class 14 **All Breeds.** 5 years old.

Class 15 **All Breeds.** 6 years old.

Open to pure breed registered M&M stallions, mares and geldings four, five and six years old.

NPS/Rosettes Direct Home Produced Ridden Championship - wear white arm bands.

NPS/Dargavel championship: 1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 13-15 to compete.

Ring 1 - MAIN INDOOR ARENA - Not before 2.30

Judges: Mrs D Hadwen

The NPS/Picton Mountain & Moorland Novice Ridden Championship

Open to pure bred registered Mountain and Moorland stallions, mares and geldings, four years old or over.

A pony is not eligible to compete if, before 1st January in the current year, it has done any of the following:

- i) Won an open NPS Affiliated M&M Ridden class;
 - ii) Won a class at an Olympia, HOYS or RIHS qualifying round;
 - iii) Qualified for HOYS or RIHS ridden classes;
 - iv) Qualified for the M&M Novice or Intermediate Ridden Final at the NPS Summer Championship Show;
 - v) Qualified for the M&M Ridden Championship Final at Olympia in previous years.
- Ponies must be ridden in a snaffle bridle.
- vi) If a pony qualifies for HOYS or RIHS in its second year it is immediately de-noviced and cannot compete in the Picton Final.

P(UK) KINGSFORD RIDDEN M&M PONY SUMMER CHAMPIONSHIP

Open to confined novice Mountain & Moorland ponies registered in their approved respective pure breeds society books of the Connemara, Dales, Dartmoor, Fells, New Forest, Shetland, Welsh Section A, B, C or D. Stallion, mare or gelding, 4 years old or over, not to have won a first prize of £10.00 or more in any open ridden Mountain & Moorland class at any show on or before 1st January in the current year. Riders any age.

Class 16 **Stallion, Mare or Gelding.** 4 yrs old or over from Stud Books of Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland.

Class 17 **Stallion, Mare or Gelding.** 4 yrs old or over from Stud Books of Welsh A & B.

Class 18 **Stallion, Mare or Gelding.** 4 yrs old or over from the Stud Books of New Forest and Connemara.

Class 19 **Stallion, Mare or Gelding.** 4 yrs old or over from the Stud Books of Fell, Highland and Dales.

Class 20 **Stallion, Mare or Gelding.** 4 yrs old or over from Stud Books of Welsh C & D.
NOVICE CHAMPIONSHIP. 1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 16-20 to compete.

NPS/THE MINNS M&M Ridden Silver Medal Championship. Champion or Reserve from classes (13-15 and 16-20) the NPS/Dargavel and Picton/Kingsford to compete for the Silver Medal Rosette (providing they have the required NPS Membership in the ring).

RING 2 - outdoor surface 8.30am

Judges: Mrs B Evans (Perf): Mr R Sutcliffe (Conf)

The NPS/Leyhills M&M Working Hunter Pony Starter Stakes National Championship

A) Stallions, mares and geldings four years old or over, registered in the main body of their respective Breed Society Stud Book.

Ponies may be measured at the judge's discretion.

The pony never to have been placed 1st, 2nd or 3rd in any open affiliated WHP class (all Societies).

If a pony qualifies for any open affiliated WHP class it may not compete in the final of this competition. Riders who have been placed at HOYS/RIHS WHP finals may not compete in this competition. Rider any age except stallions (see NPS rules).

Class 21 **Large Breeds.** Connemara, New Forest, Welsh C, Welsh D.

Class 22 **Large Breeds.** Fell, Dales, Highland.

Class 23 **Small Breeds.** Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Welsh A, Welsh B.

Championship. 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 21-23 to compete.

Not before 10.30am

Judges: Mrs B Evans (Perf): Mr R Sutcliffe (Conf)

The NPS/Area XI M&M First Ridden Working Hunter Pony National Championship

Open to registered M&M mares or geldings, four years old or over, not exceeding 128cms. Riders must have attained their 5th birthday but must not have attained their 12th birthday before the 1st January in the current year. Riders who have qualified for the (HOYS/RIHS) M&M Working Hunter Pony Championship before 1st January in the current year are not eligible. Riders may only ride one pony in each class.

Class 24 **NPS/Area XI M&M FR WHP.**

Not before 11.00am

Judges: Mr R James (Perf); Mr R Sutcliffe (Conf)

The NPS/PRP Equestrian Rescue M&M Working Hunter Pony Royal International Horse Show Championship

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Open to pure bred registered M&M stallions, mares and geldings, five years old and over. The owner must be a Full or Life member of the NPS for the pony to enter this competition. Riders may only ride one pony in each class.

Class 25 **Ponies not to exceed 122cms**

Class 26 **Ponies exceeding 122cms but not exceeding 138cms**

Class 27 **Ponies exceeding 138cms but not exceeding 148cms** (except for Dales and Welsh Section D for which there is no height restriction). Fells, Dales & Highlands will jump first over Class 26 height fences.

Championship. 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 25-27 to compete.

Not before 2.30pm

Judges: Mr R Sutcliffe (Perf); Mrs B Evans (Conf)

The NPS/KBIS M&M Intermediate WHP -

Open to registered pure bred M&M stallions, mare and geldings, 5 years old and over. Ponies never to have qualified for the NPS M&M Working Hunter Pony (HOYS/RIHS) Final before the 1st January of the current year. Riders may only ride one pony in each class.

Class 28 **Large Breeds.** Ponies exceeding 138cms but not 148cms except for the Dales and Welsh Sec D where there are no height restrictions.

Class 29 **Large Breeds.** Ponies exceeding 122cms but not exc 138cms.

Class 30 **Small Breeds.** Ponies not to exceed 122cms.

Championship. 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 28-30 to compete.

Derbyshire Festival

Incorporating

CHAPS (UK) North West Regional Show and the
British Palomino Society Midland Championship

Somerford Park, Cheshire

**9th & 10th
June 2012**

SHOW SECRETARY:

Hollinhurst Head Farm, New Mills, High Peak, Derbyshire SK22 4Q

NPCA Derbyshire

"Through the judges' eyes"

Talk and Demonstration with Mr Robert Parker-Jones

On the **2nd April 2012** we are hosting a talk with a demonstration being held at **Barleyfields EC** 2-5pm

In-hand and ridden - this is your chance to learn what the judges are looking for, and your opportunity to ask questions

Members and Non-members welcome

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