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The 84th Dartmoor Pony Society Championship Show Schedule

The Lady Willingdon Field, Whiddon Down, Okehampton, Devon EX20 2QN

SUNDAY 11TH AUGUST 2024 commencing at 9.00am

- Horse of the Year Show Qualifier for National Pony Society/ Baileys Horse Feeds Mountain & Moorland Ridden Pony
- Affiliated to National Pony Society - NPS Ridden, In-Hand and Part-bred Qualifiers.
- NPS Silver Medal Rosettes.
- *NEW for 2024* Young Breeders Championship open to any breeder under the age of 30
- Horse of Year Show The Price Family Supreme In Hand Semi Final Qualifier

JUDGES

Mr M Ball, Shropshire Classes 7 - 12; 13 – 21; and Championships Class 22 stud group	Mrs J Webb, Somerset Classes 23,24 ; 25 – 28; 30 – 31; Class 29 - HOYS Performance, and Championships WHP Classes 39 – 41 and championship;	Mr L Anderson, Scotland Classes 1 - 6; 32 – 38; And championships Class 29 - HOYS Conformation, Class 22 stud group
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**This show is for Fully or Supplementary or Part-bred Registered Dartmoor Ponies.
Pony ages are as at 1st January of the current year.**

Entry closing dates: 29th July 2024 by post and online.

PLEASE NOTE: LATE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

Pre-entered ponies may add entries on the day for Young handler classes (32 & 33), Stud Group class 22 and Working Hunter Pony classes (39 – 41).

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Stabling is available contact Chris Grant, DPS secretary

Mobile numbers on show day: 07739 011569 (Paul) or 07967 810477 (Miranda)

It is recommended that ponies entered for the show are vaccinated against Equine Flu but it is not a condition of entry. Any pony showing signs of coughing or any virus complaint, will be asked to leave the Show Field. Please Note: Annual Equine Influenza vaccinations are a compulsory requirement for all ponies qualifying for the NPS Summer Championships and competing for the NPS Silver Medal Rosettes.

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TIMETABLE

Newoak Stud Ring - In-hand classes - Start 9am

Please note the DPS rules 23 – 26 for stallions and colts on pages 13 & 14

Classes 1 – 6; 13 – 18 and class 20; are NPS affiliated Qualifier classes for 2025.

Class 1	Yearling Colt / Gelding
Class 2	Yearling Filly
Class 3	2 and 3 year old gelding , rosette for the highest placed 2 year old and 3 year old
Class 4	2 and 3 year old colt, rosette for the highest placed 2 year old and 3 year old
Class 5	2 year old filly
Class 6	3 year old filly

YOUNGSTOCK CHAMPIONSHIP, inc. Yearling Championship

Class 7	Supplementary registered pony 1,2,3 years old
Class 8	Novice owner with pony 1,2,3 years old
Class 9	Pony bred in the National Park 1,2,3 years old
Class 10	Supplementary registered pony 4 years and over
Class 11	Novice owner with pony 4 years and over
Class 12	Pony bred in the National Park 4 years and over

LUNCH (approx. ½ hour)

Class 13	Gelding, In-Hand, 4 years and over
Class 14	Covered mare
Class 15	Barren mare
Class 16	Stallion aged 4,5,or 6 years
Class 17	Stallion aged 7 years and over
Class 18	Novice brood mare
Class 19	Foal
Class 20	Open brood mare
Class 21	Foal
Class 22	Stud Group

BROOD MARE AND FOAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

***NEW* YOUNG BREEDERS CHAMPIONSHIP**

SUPPLEMENTARY REGISTERED PONY CHAMPIONSHIP

LLOYDS BANK NOVICE CHAMPIONSHIP

THE SHILSTONE ROCKS CHALLENGE CUP CHAMPIONSHIP

GELDING CHAMPIONSHIP

STALLION AND COLT CHAMPIONSHIP

MARE AND FILLY CHAMPIONSHIP

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Westown Stud Ring – Start 9am

Please note the DPS rules 23 – 26 for stallions and colts on pages 13 - 14.

Class 23	NPS Part-bred, 4 years and over, ridden
Class 24	NPS Part-bred, In-hand, open to any age & any sex of pony
PART-BRED CHAMPIONSHIP	
Classes 23 & 24 are NPS affiliated Qualifiers for the NPS Summer Championships in 2025.	
Class 25	NPS Leading rein
Class 26	Beginners first ridden
Class 27	NPS First Ridden
MINI RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP	
Class 28	NPS Junior ridden
Class 29 Not before 11.00am	National Pony Society/Baileys Horse Feeds Mountain & Moorland Ridden Dartmoor Pony of the Year – Horse of the Year Show qualifier 2024
Class 30	NPS Open ridden
Class 31	NPS Novice ridden
OPEN RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP	
NPS/Nipna Dales Pony Stud M & M Ridden Silver Medal Rosette	
LUNCH (approx. ½ hour)	
Class 32	Young Handler
Class 33	Young Handler
YOUNG HANDLER CHAMPIONSHIP	
Class 34	Veteran in-hand stallion, gelding & mare aged 15 years and over
Class 35	1, 2, 3 year old, to make a lead rein or first ridden pony
Class 36	Home Produced 1,2,3 Year old
Class 37	Home Produced 4 years and over
Class 38	Sweet Dreams

SUPREME RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP on completion of the Working Hunter pony classes below. Open to MINI, OPEN & WHP ridden champions & PB riddenwinner

DPS Junior Members Challenge Championship

Tavistock Caravans Ring – WHP – Class 39 starts at approx. 2pm

Please note the DPS rules 23 – 26 for stallions and colts on pages 13 & 14.

Clear round jumping (1pm - 2pm) – entry on the day £5.

Class 39	Lead rein and first ridden WHP including part-bredS
Class 40	Novice WHP including part-breds
Class 41	Open WHP including part-breds
WORKING HUNTER PONY CHAMPIONSHIP	

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Supreme In-Hand Championship

The **Dartmoor Pony Society Challenge Cup** presented by Lady Anne Lytton and Dr E L Roberts to the Supreme In-hand Champion of the Show

The **Hisley Challenge Cup** presented by Mrs Jones and Miss Roberts for the Reserve Supreme In-hand Champion of the Show.

NPS/ Blackertor and Sharptor Studs Mountain and Moorland In-Hand Silver Medal Rosette for the best registered pony in the In-Hand section. Also NPS Dartmoor Breed Semi-Final Championship Qualifier for the Great British In-Hand Show – 7th September 2024, Bury Farm, Buckinghamshire.

Supreme Ridden Championship

The **Dartmoor Pony Society Challenge Cup** presented by Lady Anne Lytton to the Supreme Ridden Champion of the Show.

NPS/ Nipna Dales Pony Stud Mountain and Moorland Ridden Silver Medal Rosette for the best registered ridden pony in the Open Ridden Championship.

THE DPS JUNIOR CHALLENGE SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP

A Special rosette will be awarded to the highest placed Junior Member in the following classes: 25, 26, 27, 28, 32, 33, 34, 37, 39 & 40, JUNIOR MEMBER CARDS TO SHOWN IN THE RING.

Winners of the DPS Junior Challenge rosettes to come forward for judging of the DPS Junior Challenge Supreme. Champion and Reserve to receive a rosette, medal and voucher.,

Silver Medal Rosette

These classes are judged under the Rules of the NPS. 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. The Silver Medal Rosette and qualification card can be awarded no lower than third place. Foals are not eligible for Silver Medal Championships.

Special Prizes Awarded at the AGM

The **Lady Willingdon Memorial Trophy** to the breeder of the Supreme In-Hand Champion of the Show.

The **Cherry Challenge Cup** presented by Miss J Hamlyn for the stallion whose progeny wins the most points in In-Hand classes at the Show.

The **Honeybags Trophy** presented by Mrs I McKinlay-Clark for the mare whose progeny wins the most points for In-Hand classes at the Show.

The **Cave Penny Memorial Challenge Cup** presented in memory of Miss J L Cave-Penny for the exhibitor living in the Dartmoor National Park winning most points in In-Hand classes at the Show.

ENTRY FEES

First Aid	£3 per exhibitor
Classes 1- 21; 23 – 28; 30-31, 34-38	£9 entry per pony per class £18 entry per pony per class for non-members. NB. A Showing membership at a cost of £25 per person per annum may be more cost effective than paying the cost per class for a non-member, if entering several classes. Joining fee £5.
Class 29	£30 entry for DPS Members or £40 for non-Members (Includes £16.00 Horse of the Year Show contribution) Entries will only be accepted with a correctly completed Horse of the Year Show entry form, which is downloadable from their website www.hoys.co.uk Please include your Horse of the Year Show Unique Identity Number. Owners and riders must be members of the BSPS, DPS, NPS, PUK or TSR
Classes 32-33, 22, 39 - 41	£9 entry per pony per class pre-entered, £11 on Show day Clear round jumping - entry fee of £5 on the day.

Rosettes are issued to 6th place, except in the Horse of the Year Show **Class 29** where rosettes are issued to 10th place.

Sashes will be awarded to Supreme In- Hand Champion and Reserve, Supreme Ridden Champion and Reserve.

PRIZE MONEY: First £10; Second £8; Third £6 for all classes, including class 29

All ENTRIES and enquiries to: **The Show Secretary**, Mr Paul Davis, 1 Castleford Cottage, Combe Fishacre, Newton Abbot, Devon, TQ12 5UQ pdavis536@hotmail.com
Mobile: 07739 011569.

Sponsorship/ Donations

We very much appreciate any personal/stud sponsorship or donations towards the show expenses. Names of sponsors and donors will be printed in the catalogue. Please contact Chris Grant in the DPS Office if you are interested in sponsoring.

Thank you very much to everyone who has sponsored a class at the show already.

Trophies

Please ensure that any trophies you received at the previous Breed Show are returned clean and in good condition to Mrs Elizabeth Brewington, the Trophy Secretary (01409 335013), ideally one month before the show day. Please ring Mrs Brewington in good time to tell her when you will be returning the trophy. Trophies need to be returned by 9am at the latest on the Breed Show day (by prior arrangement with Mrs Brewington). Also remember the cost of sending any trophies would be entirely the responsibility of the trophy winner and not the DPS or the Trophy secretary. There are some fragile trophies that the Trophy secretary does not allow to be sent by post and the returning or receiving of these would have to be by other arrangements eg. given to a DPS Council member. These conditions are applicable to both Breed Show trophies and AGM trophies.

All Trophies are Perpetual and must be signed for by the owner of the pony on the day.

Raffle Prizes are most welcome in advance or on the day.

NPS Membership Criteria for the Breed Show

Qualifying rounds for most NPS competitions are open to the ponies owned by NPS members & non-members, and at Breed Shows, ponies can qualify for the final even if their owners are not NPS members. The owner of a pony qualifying at a Breed Show must become a NPS Qualifying member for the pony to enter the final at the NPS Summer Championship Show in 2025.

At Breed Shows, ponies can win Silver Medal Rosettes even if their owners are not members of the NPS, but they must become NPS qualifying members to enter the final in 2025.

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CLASS DEFINITIONS

Newoak Stud Ring

The Highest placed pony in the top three that have not previously qualified in classes 1-6; 13 – 17; 18 & 20 will qualify for the NPS/ Absorbine M & M In-Hand Summer Championship Show 2025. Where this pony has qualified, the next pony in line will qualify, the qualification can go no lower than third place.

- Class 1 **Yearling Colt / Gelding** *kindly sponsored by Mrs. M. Taylor*
Class 2 **Yearling Filly** *kindly sponsored by the Merribridge Stud*
Class 3 **2 and 3 year old gelding** *kindly sponsored by Mr. P. Davis*
 rosette for the highest placed 2 year old and 3 year old
Class 4 **2 and 3 year old colt** *kindly sponsored by Ms. N. French*
 rosette for the highest placed 2 and 3 year old
 The Boveycombe Buckthorn Trophy presented by Mrs A Billau (Australia) to
 the winner
Class 5 **2 year old Filly** *kindly sponsored by the Allenbrook Stud*
 The Marankie Farm Stud Trophy presented by Mr and Mrs F Bannan (Australia)
 to the winner.
Class 6 **3 year old filly** *kindly sponsored by the Greenferns Stud*

YOUNGSTOCK CHAMPIONSHIP

kindly sponsored by the Milator Stud

1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 1 – 6 to compete

The **Dartmoor Pony Society Yearling Challenge Cup** presented by Mr R H N Caunter
for the best yearling from classes 1 and 2

The **NPS Dartmoor Youngstock Challenge Cup** presented by Mrs R M Taylor to the Champion

The **Dalby Challenge Cup** presented by Mrs G Dalby for the best Devon-Bred pony from classes
1 - 6

The **Oakdene Challenge Cup** presented by Mr and Mrs de Croix for the best young gelding.
The 2 highest placed geldings from classes 1 and 3 to compete

- Class 7 **Supplementary Registered Pony 1,2,3 years old** *kindly sponsored by the*
 Trefursdon Stud
Class 8 **Novice owner and pony 1,2,3 years old.** *kindly sponsored by Mrs. S. Gill*
 Owners not to have won a first prize in-hand at the Dartmoor Pony Society
 Championship Show (excluding foal classes).
 The Trewassick Cup presented by Mr and Mrs A G Belcher to the winner
Class 9 **Pony Bred in the National Park 1,2,3 years old** *kindly sponsored by the*
 Westown Stud
Class 10 **Supplementary Registered Pony 4 years and over** *kindly sponsored by Mrs. S.*
 Greenaway
Class 11 **Novice owner and pony 4 years old and over.** *kindly sponsored by the*
 Strawbertfields Stud
 Owners not to have won a first prize in-hand at the Dartmoor Pony Society
 Championship Show (excluding foal classes).
Class 12 **Pony Bred in the National Park 4 years and over** *kindly sponsored by Mr. F.*
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Class 13 **In –hand gelding 4 years and over** *kindly sponsored by the Seves Stud*
Class 14 **Covered mare, 4 years old and over without foal but with service certificate**
 for the current year *kindly sponsored by Miss B. Holman*

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- Class 15 **Barren mare 4 years old and over without foal. Not to have run with or been covered by a stallion in the current year.** *kindly sponsored by Ms. C. Stanton*
The Trefursdon Shield presented by Mr and Mrs D Howarth–Podesta to winner
- Class 16 **Stallion 4, 5 or 6 years old.** *kindly sponsored by the Moseley Stud*
The Okeleat Trophy presented by Mr and Mrs K Locke to the novice stallion, not to have won a stallion class at a Star Show prior to the closing date of entry to the Show.
- Class 17 **Stallion 7 years and over** *kindly sponsored in memory of Trefursdon Nutcracker*
The Brandsby Tornado Trophy presented by Mrs G Little to the winner.
- Class 18 **Novice Broodmare 4 years and over** with own foal at foot. *kindly sponsored by Ms. C. Stanton*
 For mares which have not won a first prize in a Dartmoor class at a star show with a foal at foot, prior to the closing date of the show.
- Class 19 **Foal by a registered Dartmoor stallion** and out of the mare shown in Class 18.
kindly sponsored by Equus Vets
- Class 20 **Open Broodmare 4 years old and over** with own foal at foot
kindly sponsored by the Greenferns Stud
- Class 21 **Foal by a registered Dartmoor stallion** and out of the mare shown in Class 20
kindly sponsored by Tavistock Caravans
- Class 22 **Stud Group in-hand** *kindly sponsored by Ms. C. Stanton*
 Ponies can be any age, any sex, by the same Sire or Dam or 3 ponies with the same prefix, Ponies do not have to be owned by the same person, but ponies must have entered another class before show day

BROOD MARE AND FOAL CHAMPIONSHIPS *kindly sponsored by Equus Vets*

1st and 2nd prize winners in classes 18 - 21 to compete

The **Boveycombe Trophy** presented by Mrs I Gould for the best brood mare

The **Dunmere Challenge Cup** presented by Mrs Fielding & Mrs Green for the best foal.

SUPPLEMENTARY REGISTERED PONY CHAMPIONSHIP

kindly sponsored by Mrs. S. Greenaway

The 2 highest placed eligible ponies in classes 1- 6; 13 - 15; 18 and 20 plus 1st & 2nd in class 7, 10 to compete

The **Senruf Trophy** presented by Mrs M Furness to the winner.

***NEW* YOUNG BREEDERS CHAMPIONSHIP**

From classes 1-6; 13-21

LLOYDS BANK NOVICE CHAMPIONSHIP

For the best novice. Those eligible are ponies which have never won a first prize in any in-hand Dartmoor class at any show (except foal classes) prior to the closing date of entries.

The 2 highest placed eligible ponies from classes 1-6, 13- 18; and 20 to compete

The **Lloyds Bank Trophy** to the winner.

The SHILSTONE ROCKS CUP CHAMPIONSHIP

for the best pony owned by an exhibitor from outside the counties of Devon, Cornwall, Dorset and Somerset. The 2 highest placed eligible ponies in classes 1-6, 13-18; and 20 to compete.

The **Shilstone Rocks Challenge Cup** presented by Mr T Reep and Mrs E Newbolt-Young to the winner

GELDING CHAMPIONSHIP

kindly sponsored by Mrs. S. Greenaway

The 2 highest placed eligible ponies in classes 1 (geldings only), 1, 3 and 13 to compete.

The **Carnival Challenge Cup** presented by Miss P M Roberts for the best gelding

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STALLION and COLT CHAMPIONSHIP

kindly sponsored by the Midlands Dartmoor Pony Show

The 2 highest placed eligible ponies in classes 1; 4, 16 & 17 to compete

The **Janus Challenge Cup** presented by Miss E Ferguson to the Champion stallion or colt.

MARE and FILLY CHAMPIONSHIP *kindly sponsored by Equus Vets*

The 2 highest placed eligible ponies in classes 2, 5, 6, 14, 15, 18 and 20 to complete.

The **Carew Challenge Cup** presented by Mrs Carew to the Champion.

SUPREME IN-HAND CHAMPIONSHIP *kindly sponsored by The Rosette Shed*

From Stallion and Colt, Mare and Filly, and Gelding Championships, the Champions and Reserves to compete

The **Dartmoor Pony Challenge Cup** presented by Lady Anne Lytton and Dr E L Roberts to the Supreme Champion

The **Hisley Challenge Cup** presented by Mrs Jones & Miss Roberts for the Reserve Supreme Champion

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

The following class is a qualifier for The Price Family Supreme In-hand qualifier at The NPS Great British In hand Show, 7th September 2024. The Price Family Supreme In-hand Qualifier held at The NPS Great British In hand Show will offer two qualifying places for the Horse of the Year Show, NEC, 9th – 13th October 2024. The objective of the competition is to find the supreme light horse or pony in -hand champion of the year, irrespective of breed type (excluding heavy horses).

The Champion pony from the Dartmoor Pony Society Champion Breed Show's Supreme In-hand Championship will be eligible to compete in the Supreme In-hand Semi Final, provided it has not already won a Supreme In-hand Qualifier in 2024.

If the Champion has already qualified for the Horse of the Year 2024, or is ineligible, then the Reserve Champion may come forward to the NPS Great British in-hand show provided it has not already qualified and is eligible. If both Champion and Reserve Champion have already qualified for Horse of the Year 2024, or are ineligible, then the Dartmoor Pony Society will not be represented at the Great British In hand Show. In the event of a horse/pony having been awarded more than one section Championship at this show, that horse/pony will represent both/all sections and the Semi Final qualifier will not pass down to the Reserve Champion in the 2nd and any subsequent sections.

This class is open to yearlings, 2 year olds, 3 year olds, stallions, broodmares and barren mares only. Broodmares must be with foal at foot or have a relevant certificate of pregnancy. Mares which have not foaled or have lost their foals are eligible to enter with a relevant certificate of pregnancy for the following year. Foal Champions and geldings, four years old and over, are not eligible to compete, or eligible to qualify, for the Horse of the Year 2024.

There will be no direct entry to the Supreme In-hand Championship Semi Final, all animals must be a section champion or reserve champion (as applicable).

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

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

NPS / BLACKERTOR AND SHARPTOR STUDS M&M IN-HAND SILVER MEDAL ROSETTE

Judge –Mr L Anderson

A Silver Medal Rosette is offered by the NPS for the best registered pony in the In-Hand section.

The Champion and Reserve Champion also qualify for the NPS Finals at the NPS Great British In-hand show on the 7th September 2024 at Bury Farm, Buckinghamshire

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Westown Stud Ring

- Class 23 **NPS/THE ANDREWS FAMILY PART BRED RIDDEN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP** *kindly sponsored by the Newoak Stud*
Ridden part-bred stallion, mare or gelding 4 years old & over
The **Oatlands Goldfinger Trophy** presented by Mrs O Briant to the winner
- Class 24 **NPS/THE ANDREWS FAMILY PART BRED IN- HAND NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP** *kindly sponsored by the Newoak Stud*
Part-bred, In-hand, open to any age and any sex of pony

OVERALL PART-BRED CHAMPIONSHIP

kindly sponsored by the Newoak Stud

Rosettes will be awarded to the Part-bred Champion and Reserve, with 1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 23 & 24 to compete.

A **Challenge Cup** presented by Mrs G A Wright to the Part-bred In-Hand Champion
The **Cave Penny Challenge Cup** for the best pony from classes 23 and 24, which is 50% Dartmoor and 50% Thoroughbred or Arab.

Please Note - All Part-bred entries at this Show must either be registered in the Part-Bred section of the DPS Stud Book, or have their Passport over-stamped by the DPS.

NPS Mountain and Moorland qualifying rounds

These classes are judged under the current NPS rules. Ponies must be registered in the main body of their respective Mountain and Moorland Stud Books. The first placed pony in each class will qualify for the final in 2025. Qualification may pass down to third place if the first and second ponies are already qualified.

The owner of a pony qualifying at a Breed Show must become a qualifying member of the NPS for the pony to enter the final at the NPS summer championships in 2025.

NPS/ Corscaron Horse Essentials Home Produced ridden Championship.

Riders of home-produced ponies (see definition in current NPS rule book) to wear a white armband in classes where this is indicated. These ponies are then eligible to qualify for the final in 2025 at the NPS summer championships mentioned above.

- Class 25 **NPS/SHOWING CLASSICS M&M LEADING REIN NATIONAL**
kindly sponsored by the Rushfield Stud

Open to registered mares and geldings 4 years old or over not exceeding 122cm. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday but not their 9th birthday by the 1st January of the current year and the leader has to be 16 years old or over. To be shown in a snaffle bit with the lead rein attached to the noseband.

NPS/ Corscaron Horse Essentials home produced ridden championship. (wear white armbands)

The **Michelmass Challenge Cup** presented by Mrs J Montgomery to the winner
The **Buckley Challenge Cup** presented by Mr and Mrs Buckley to the highest placed novice pony, (not to have won 1st prize in any ridden class, except leading rein prior to 1st January of the current year)

A Merit rosette will be awarded to all riders not placed in classes 25,26 & 27

- Class 26 **Dartmoor Pony Society/Beginners first ridden**
kindly sponsored by Bon Bon Equestrian
Open to mares and geldings 4 years old & over. Rider must have attained their 3rd birthday but not their 10th birthday by the 1st January of the current year. Ponies to be ridden in a suitable bridle. An attendant may accompany but not lead the pony in the ring.
The **Pantmanr DPS beginners first ridden cup** presented by Mr M Ball

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Class 27

The NPS/ PARTRIDGE AND PARR M & M FIRST RIDDEN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP. *kindly sponsored by Ms. L. Oughton-Auker*

Open to registered mares and geldings 4 years old and over. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday but not their 12th birthday before the 1st January of the current year

NPS/ Corscaron Horse Essentials home produced ridden championship.
(wear white armbands)

The **Guillebaud Trophy** presented by the Guillebaud family & Mr & Mrs PS Taylor to the winner

MINI RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP *kindly sponsored by Bon Bon Equestrian*

1st & 2nd prize winners from class 25 and 27 to compete

The **Caroline Fielding Memorial Challenge Cup** presented by Mrs J Green to the Champion

Class 28

NPS/ THE COOPER FAMILY M&M JUNIOR RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP

kindly sponsored by Rushfield Willow

Open to registered mares and geldings 4 years old and over. Riders to have attained their 3rd birthday but not their 16th birthday before the 1st January of the current year. To be ridden in any suitable bridle.

NPS/ Corscaron Horse Essentials home produced ridden championship.
(wear white armbands)

Class 29

NATIONAL PONY SOCIETY/BAILEYS HORSE FEEDS MOUNTAIN AND MOORLAND RIDDEN DARTMOOR PONY OF THE YEAR – HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW QUALIFIER 2024. Rosettes to 10th

kindly sponsored by the Valgarde Stud

This competition is open to stallions, mares and geldings, four years old and over, registered and complying with the showing requirements of the main body of the Dartmoor Pony Society. Riders and owners must be members of the DPS, NPS, UK Ponies & Horses (Ltd), The Showing Register or BSPS. Ponies must not exceed 127cm as stipulated by the Dartmoor Pony Society. Riders of stallions must have obtained their 12th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

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 competing in Mountain and Moorland Ridden, Mountain and Moorland WHP and, Mountain and Moorland Junior Ridden and Mountain and Moorland Lead Rein and First Ridden 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.

This class 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

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

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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' decisions will be final.
This class is a qualifying class for the Horse of the Year Show, NEC, Birmingham, 9th – 13th October 2024. Qualification will not pass below 3rd Place. Qualification will be verified by the Horse of the Year Show office.

Class 30 **NPS/RINGSIDE STUD M&M OPEN RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP**
kindly sponsored by Cath Anderson Horsemanship
Open Ridden - open to stallions, mares and geldings 5 years old and over
NPS / Corscaron Horse Essentials home produced ridden championship. (wear white armbands)

Class 31 **NPS/ PICTON M&M NOVICE RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP**
kindly sponsored by Mrs. D. White
Open to pure bred registered M&M stallions, mares and geldings four years old or over. A pony is not eligible to compete if, before 1st January in the current year, it has done any of the following:

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

The **Roo Challenge Cup** presented by Mrs Fielding and Mrs Green to the highest placed novice pony (not to have won 1st prize in any ridden class, except leading rein prior to 1st January of the current year).

OPEN RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP *kindly sponsored by Mr. F. Last*
1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 28 - 31 to compete

NPS/ NIPNA DALES PONY STUD M &M RIDDEN Silver Medal

A Silver Medal Rosette is offered by the National Pony Society for the best registered pony from classes 28 – 31 **in the Ridden Section (Judge – Mrs J Webb)**

Class 32 **Young Handler** *kindly sponsored by the Cayberry Stud*
Pure and Part-bred ponies (no stallions or colts). Handlers not to have attained their 10th birthday by 1st January in the current year.

Class 33 **Young Handler** *kindly sponsored by Mr. & Mrs. Crisp*
Pure and Part-bred ponies (no stallions or colts). Handlers to have attained their 10th birthday but not their 16th birthday by 1st January of the current year

Classes 32 and 33 will be judged on turnout and showing ability of the handler.
A merit rosette will be awarded to all handlers not placed.

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YOUNG HANDLER CHAMPIONSHIP *kindly sponsored by Bon Bon Equestrian*
1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 32 and 33 to compete
The **White Willows Banquo Trophy** presented by Miss Jessica Faraday to the winner.

Class 34 **Veteran in-hand Stallion, Mare, Gelding 15 years and over**
kindly sponsored by Equine Retirement at Lowerton Farm

Class 35 **1,2,3 year old to make a lead rein or first ridden**
kindly sponsored by the Westown Stud

The NPS/ MOLE VALLEY FARMERS M&M HOME PRODUCED IN-HAND NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

These classes are open to pure bred registered M&M ponies which are either stabled at home or in a DIY yard and which since 1st January in the current year have not been shown by a producer or stabled in a producer's yard other than on a DIY basis or at stud. To be owned/kept, produced, ridden/handled by a person who does not receive remuneration in cash or kind from working with horses/ponies. No professional producers are allowed into the ring to groom/strip the horse/pony. To be run under National Pony Society Rules 2024. Please enter this class in the spirit it is intended. Competitors who contravene the above will be disqualified. To enter these classes, the pony must have also been entered in another class on show day

The Highest placed pony in classes 36 & 37 will qualify for the final at the Summer Championship Show 2025. Where this pony has already qualified, the next pony in line will qualify, the qualification can go no lower than third place.

Class 36 **The NPS/ MOLE VALLEY FARMERS M&M HOME PRODUCED IN-HAND NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP** *kindly sponsored by the Torfields Stud*
1,2,3 years old, open to colt, filly, gelding in hand

Class 37 **The NPS/ MOLE VALLEY FARMERS M&M HOME PRODUCED IN-HAND NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP** *kindly sponsored by Briars Magician*
4 years old and over stallion, mare or gelding

Class 38 **Sweet Dreams Class** *kindly sponsored by the Westown Stud*
Any pony owned by a member who does not possess more than 5 Dartmoor Ponies (excluding foals) **Sweet Dreams Cup** presented by Mrs E Roe to the winner

SUPREME RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP *kindly sponsored by the Treworgan Stud*
Mini, Open and WHP Champions and reserves and the Part Bred class winner eligible to compete.

The **DPS Challenge Cup** presented by Lady Anne Lytton for the Supreme Ridden Champion

The **Country Life Challenge Cup** presented by Country Life Magazine for the best mare/gelding in the Supreme Ridden Championship whose rider had not attained his/her 17th birthday by 1st January of the current year.

The **Brown Heath Challenge Cup** presented by Major & Mrs Hayes for the best gelding in the Supreme Ridden Championship.

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Tavistock Caravans Ring –Working Hunter Pony

Clear round jumping to start at approximately 1pm – Rosette for every clear round.

Riders in any class with jumping must have attained their 5th birthday before 1st January of the current year

Class 39 **Lead Rein and First Ridden Working Hunter Pony.**

kindly sponsored by the Springwater Stud

Fully and Supplementary registered and Part-bred, mares or geldings, 4 years old or over. Riders must have attained their 5th birthday but not their 11th birthday by 1st January of the current year.

Maximum height of fences 30cms.

Rosette for the best leading rein, first ridden & Part bred pony

Class 40 **Novice Working Hunter Pony**

kindly sponsored by the Springwater Stud

Fully and Supplementary registered and Part-bred, stallions, mares or geldings, 4 years old or over. Riders any age. Maximum height of fences 45cms.

A Merit Rosette will be awarded to all riders not placed.

Rosette to best Part bred

Class 41 **Open Working Hunter Pony**

kindly sponsored by the Springwater Stud

Fully and Supplementary registered, and Part-bred, stallions, mares and geldings 4 years old and over

Maximum height of fences 60cms.

The **Roeves Challenge Cup** presented by Mrs E Roeves to the highest placed Dartmoor Pony in Class 41

Rosette for best part-bred

WHP CHAMPIONSHIP

kindly sponsored by the Springwater Stud.

1st and 2nd from Classes 39-41 to compete

DARTMOOR PONY SOCIETY RULES AND CONDITIONS

1. Dartmoor Pony owners **MUST** be fully paid up members of the Dartmoor Pony Society if they wish to accept any trophy awarded to them (except for Part-breds and Class 30), and all ponies must be fully or supplementary registered Dartmoor ponies, unless otherwise stated.
2. Non-members must not remove trophies from the show ground.
3. The Judge's decision is final. The Judges will be instructed to withhold any ordinary or special prize where there is evident lack of merit.
4. The Society reserves the right to take the opinion of a Veterinary Surgeon on any pony exhibited
5. The officials do not hold themselves responsible for any accident which may occur on the showground to spectators, competitors or animals. The organisers of this Show have taken reasonable precautions to ensure the health and safety of everyone present. For these measures to be effective, everyone must take all reasonable precautions to avoid and prevent accidents occurring and must obey the instructions of the organisers and all the officials and stewards. All competitors must have Public Liability Insurance.
6. Any persons wishing to lodge an objection having reference to any persons or exhibit, shall do so in writing within one hour of the completion of the class or championship and at the same time shall deposit the sum of £50.00 with the Show Secretary. If an investigation by the Championship Show Committee shows that the objection is not justified the deposit shall be forfeited and paid into the funds of the Dartmoor Pony Society. The Committee's decision shall be final in all respects.
7. No owner may knowingly show a pony in a class where the judge has owned/bred/sold/leased/broken/trained or produced that pony or where the pony has been owned/bred/sold/leased/broken/trained or produced by the judge's immediate family, partner, employer or employee. An owner may not show under a judge for whom (s)he has produced/broken/trained an equine since 1st October in the previous year. NB Immediate family includes husband, wife, child, grandchild, brother, sister, parent, and grandparent.
8. Please check Novice status of the class you enter as status varies between classes.
9. The Championship Show Committee reserves the right to cancel or amalgamate any class/classes and to refuse entries.
10. Any member of the Championship Show Committee may act as a Steward, if required on the day.
11. **NO NOMINATIONS & NO SUBSTITUTIONS ALLOWED.** Entry fees are non-returnable
12. Passports must accompany ponies exhibited at the Show.
13. All foals must be at least 3 weeks old on the day of the Show.
14. Correctly secured skull caps/riding hats that meet one of the following current Safety Standards/specifications **MUST** be worn by all Riders of all ages as of the 1st January 2024. All PAS/015 2011; VG1; (BS) EN1384 2023; ASTM F1163 2015 & 2023; SNELL E2016 onwards; AS/NZS 3838 2006 onwards.
Handlers of ponies in the In Hand classes aged 14 years and under **MUST** wear a correctly secured skull cap/riding hat that meets one of the above Standards.
15. Body protectors are recommended for classes involving jumping.
16. The minimum age for any child jumping is 5 years old on the 1st January of the current year.
17. Whips/canes must not exceed an overall length of 75cm. (30"), no spurs may be worn in any ridden class.
18. Only Part-bred ponies can be shown plaited.
19. A fall of pony or rider whilst mounted in any class will result in disqualification, they must

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leave the ring dismounted.

20. All NPS classes will be run under NPS Rules except in the Horse of the Year Show qualifying class where, if there is a conflict of Rules, Horse of the Year Show Rules will take precedence over NPS Rules.
21. Any competitor seen practising over the WHP Course will be disqualified.
22. Dogs MUST be kept on a lead at all times.

STALLIONS AND COLTS

23. All Dartmoor stallions and colts 3 years old and over must hold a current DPS Licence. All Part-Bred stallions and colts 2 years old and over must hold a current stallion Licence.
24. Handlers of stallions and colts must have attained their 14th birthday by 1st January of the current year.
25. Riders of stallions must have attained their 12th birthday before 1st January in the current year.
26. In all RIDDEN classes, stallions **must display stallion bridle markers**.
It is recommended, but not compulsory, for stallions and colts 2 years and over shown in IN-HAND classes to display stallion bridle markers.
(NB. Stallion bridle markers will be available from the Secretary's tent for a small fee)

DIRECTIONS TO SHOWGROUND **FROM THE EAST OR NORTH**

From M5 Junction 31, follow the signs onto the A30 West, signed to Okehampton/Bodmin. Continue along the dual carriageway to the exit signed for Whiddon Down and Moretonhampstead. Whiddon Down is approximately 17 miles from Junction 31.

*In Whiddon Down, at a mini-roundabout, take the A382 signed Moretonhampstead and Chagford and after 200 metres turn right, the entrance to the showground is then on the left.

There will be signs directing traffic to the show from the mini-roundabout*.

The showground is approximately $\frac{3}{4}$ mile from the Junction on the A30 at Whiddon Down

FROM THE WEST

Take the A30, heading towards Exeter. Turn off at the exit signed for Whiddon Down and Moretonhampstead. Follow the same instructions from* above.

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