



# **Somerset Native & Equi-Events**

**With Classes for In Hand & Ridden Horses & Ponies  
To include:**

**Full Range of Affiliated Shetland Classes  
15+ Horse & Pony Regional Championship  
Qualifiers for Ponies (UK), Equifest, Royal London & SWPA**

**To be held at:  
Chard Equestrian Centre,  
Higher Purtington Showfield, Chard, Somerset. TA18 8QY**

**On:  
Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2019  
Please see Ring Start Times in Schedule**

**Champion & Reserve Sashes awarded in all Championships**



**Enquiries to:**

**Karen Hodge 07581 397781  
Debbie Miller 07957 503631**

**Pre Entries sent prior to the 15<sup>th</sup> July will be charged at £10.00 per class.  
Entries taken on the day will be at £12.00 per class.  
First Aid; £4.00 per rider/handler**

**See entry form for further details**

**Ring One to Commence at 09.30AM**

**Affiliated Shetland Classes**

**Judge – Mrs. J Lonsdale (Jemstar)**

**Miniature Shetlands 34” and under**

- Class 1:** Owner Bred Miniature Shetland any age  
**Class 2:** Best Entire Male – any age  
**Class 3:** Best Mare with or without foal at foot. No foals less than 30 days may be shown.  
Rosette for Best Foal  
**Class 4:** Best Gelding – any age  
**Class 5:** Best 3 year old- colt, filly or gelding.  
**Class 6:** Best 2 year old – colt, filly or gelding.  
**Class 7:** Best Yearling – colt, filly or gelding.

**Standard Shetlands**

- Class 8:** Owner/Bred Standard Shetland any age  
**Class 9:** Best Entire Male – any age  
**Class 10:** Best Mare with or without foal at foot. No foals less than 30 days may be shown.  
Rosette for Best Foal  
**Class 11:** Best Gelding – any age  
**Class 12:** Best 3 year old- colt, filly or gelding.  
**Class 13:** Best 2 year old – colt, filly or gelding  
**Class 14:** Best Yearling – colt, filly or gelding

**Overall Senior Shetland Championship (4 years & over – from classes 1 – 14)**

**Overall Junior Shetland Championship (3 years & under) from classes 1 – 14)**

- Class 15:** Lead Rein Shetland Mare or Gelding. Four years old and over not exceeding 122cms. Riders not to have attained their 9th birthday before 1st January in the current year. To be led by an attendant and shown in a Snaffle Bridle.  
**Class 16:** Open Ridden Shetland Mare or Gelding. Four years old and over not exceeding 122cms. Riders not to have attained their 12th birthday before 1st January in the current year.

**Championship for 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from Classes 15 to 16**

**Champion & Reserve Sashes awarded**

**Supreme Shetland Championship - open to Champions & Reserves from the Senior, Junior & Ridden Championships**

**Classes 17 - 23 Open Classes not to start before 12.30**

**Open to both registered and un-registered Miniature & Standard Shetlands**

- Class 17:** Best Broken Coloured Shetland any age.  
**Class 18:** Best Solid Coloured any age.  
**Class 19:** Best Midi (35” to 38”) 4 years old and over.  
**Class 20:** Best Veteran – 12 years and over  
**Class 21:** Best Black Pony  
**Class 22:** Best Gelding  
**Class 23:** Best Mare

**Championship for 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from Classes 17 to 23**

**Champion & Reserve Sashes awarded**

**Ring Two – to commence at 09.30 am**

**Ridden Classes – Plaited**

**Judge: Mr. J Askins**

- Class 24:** New Ridden Combination.  
Open to any new combination not to have won a 1<sup>st</sup> prize at the close of entries.
- Class 25:** Nursery Novice pony 4 years and over, riders any age.  
Not to have won a 1<sup>st</sup> prize before the 1<sup>st</sup> of January 2019, can be split if entries suffice.
- Class 26:** Open Ridden Show Pony/Show Hunter Pony not to exceed 148cms/153cms, mare or gelding, four years old or over, riders to be the correct height for the pony that they ride.
- Class 27:** Ridden Intermediate SRT / SHT. Mare or gelding 4 years old or over, SRT to exceed 146cms but not to exceed 158cms. SHT to exceed 148cms but not to exceed 158cms. Riders not to have attained their 26<sup>th</sup> birthday prior to the 1<sup>st</sup> of January in the current year.
- Class 28:** Ridden Hack / Riding Horse, mare or gelding 4 years old & over. Hacks not to exceed 160cms, Riding Horses to exceed 148cms. Riders any age. The judge will not ride.
- Class 29:** Ridden Hunter. Mare or Gelding, four years old & over, exceeding 148cms, riders any age. The Judge will not ride.
- Class 30:** Open Ridden Cob, mare or gelding, four years old & over. exceeding 148cms. This class includes Maxi Cobs. Riders to have attained their 15th birthday before 1st January in the current year. The Judge will not ride.
- Class 31:** Junior Open Ridden (excluding M & M). Mare or Gelding 4 years old & over, any type or colour, not to exceed 138 cms. Riders not to have attained their 14<sup>th</sup> birthday before the 1<sup>st</sup> of January in the current year.
- Class 32:** Junior Open Ridden (excluding M & M). Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, any type or colour, to exceed 138 cms. Riders not to have attained their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday before the 1<sup>st</sup> of January in the current year.
- Class 33:** Open Ridden Coloured horse or pony, mare or gelding, 4 years old or over. Riders any age.  
To include Skewbald, Piebald, Spotted, Palomino & Dun.
- Class 34:** Open Ridden Arab, Part Bred, Anglo Arab, Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over. Riders any age.

**Championship for 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from Classes 24 to 34**

**Class 35 not to start before 14.00 hrs.**

**TINY TOTS CLASSES**

**Judge: Mr. John Askins**

- Class 35:** Teeny Tiny Handler. Children to be aged between 3 and 10 years old by the 1st of January in the current year.
- Class 36:** Tiny Tots First Ridden - ponies not to exceed 122cms. Riders to be in their first year off the Lead Rein. Riders to have attained their 3rd birthday before the 1st of January in the current year but not their 10th birthday. No cantering. Will be split into ability if entries suffice. **(To include Plaited & M & M)**
- Class 36a** Tiny Tots Lead Rein - ponies not to exceed 122cms. Riders to have attained their 3<sup>rd</sup> birthday but not their 7<sup>th</sup> birthday before the 1<sup>st</sup> of January in the current year.
- Class 37:** Open Plaited Lead Rein - ponies not to exceed 122cms. Riders to have attained their 3rd birthday before the 1st of January in the current year but not their 8th birthday. (Excluding M&M's).

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**Class 38:** Open Plaited First Ridden to include Show Ponies & Show Hunter Ponies - ponies not to exceed 122 cms. Riders to have attained their 3rd birthday before the 1st of January in the current year but not their 10th birthday. No cantering on the go round. (Excluding M & M's)

**Class 39:** Lead Rein Pony of Show Hunter Type – ponies not to exceed 122 cms. Riders to have attained their 3<sup>rd</sup> birthday before the 1<sup>st</sup> of January in the current year but not their 10<sup>th</sup> birthday. (Excluding M & M)

**Tiny Tots Championship for 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from Classes 35 -39**  
**Sashes to Champion & Reserve**

**Class 40 to start at approx. 15.30 hrs**

**Judge:** TBC

**Class 40:** Concours d'Elegance Mare or Gelding, 4 years old & over not to exceed 148cms. Riders any Age. Riders will be asked to perform a short display. Lead Reins accepted.

**Class 41:** Concours d'Elegance Mare or Gelding, 4 years old & over to exceed 148cms. Riders any Age. Riders will be asked to perform a short display.

**Class 42:** Concours d'Elegance In Hand Mare or Gelding, 4 years old & over. Will be asked to perform a short display.

**Concours d'Elegance Championship for 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from Classes 40 to 42**  
**Sashes to Champion & Reserve**

**Ring Three – to commence at 09.00 am**

**Judge: Mrs V Bruce**

- Class 43:** Open In Hand Veteran, this class is a **Regional qualifier for the Horse 15+ Veteran Championships**. Open to Mares or Geldings 15 years and over not exceeding 153cms. **Open to both Plaited and Mountain & Moorlands**
- Class 44:** Open In Hand Veteran, this class is a **Regional qualifier for the Horse 15+ Veteran Championships**. Open to Mares or Geldings 15 years and over exceeding 153cms. **Open to both Plaited and Mountain & Moorland.**
- Class 45:** Open Ridden Veteran, this class is a **Regional qualifier for the Horse 15+ Veteran Championships**. Open to Mares or Geldings 15 years and over not exceeding 153cms, riders any age. **Open to both Plaited and Mountain & Moorlands**
- Class 46:** Open Ridden Veteran, this class is a **Regional qualifier for the Horse 15+ Veteran Championships**. Open to Mares or Geldings 15 years and over exceeding 153cms, riders any age. **Open to both Plaited and Mountain & Moorlands**

**Regional Horse 15+ Championship for 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from Classes 43 to 46**

**Ridden Classes – Mountain & Moorland**

**Class 47 not to start before 10.45 am**

**Judge: Mr. R Pink**

- Class 47:** New Ridden Combination.  
Open to any new combination not to have won a 1<sup>st</sup> prize at the close of entries.
- Class 48:** Nursery Novice pony 4 years and over, riders any age.  
Not to have won a 1<sup>st</sup> prize before the 1<sup>st</sup> of January 2019, can be split if entries suffice.
- Class 49:** Mountain & Moorland Lead Rein, open to mares & geldings 4 years old or over, not exceeding 122cms. Riders must have attained their 3<sup>rd</sup> birthday but not reached their 9<sup>th</sup> birthday before the 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. To be shown in a snaffle bit.
- Class 50:** Mountain & Moorland First Ridden, open to mares & geldings 4 years old or over, not exceeding 128cms. Riders must have attained their 3<sup>rd</sup> birthday but not reached their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday before the 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. To be shown in a snaffle bit.
- Class 51:** Mountain & Moorland Small Breeds to include Part Breds, Stallions, Mares or Geldings four years old or over, Riders any age. Part Bred Mountain and Moorland must not exceed 138 cms. Class will be split if entries suffice.  
To include, Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Welsh A & B.
- Class 52:** Mountain & Moorland Large Breeds to include Part Breds, Stallions, Mares or Geldings four years old or over, Riders any age.  
To include Dales, Fell, Highland, Connemara, New Forest, Welsh C & D.
- Class 53:** Junior Ridden Small Breeds. Shetland, Exmoor, Dartmoor, Welsh sections A & B. Riders not to have attained their 14th birthday before 1st January in the current year.
- Class 54:** Junior Ridden Large Breeds. New Forest, Connemara, Fells, Dales, Highland, Welsh sections C & D. Riders not to have attained their 18th birthday before 1st January in the current year.

**Please note that only pure bred Mountain & Moorland ponies can qualify for the SWPA Championships from the above classes.**

**Championship for 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from Classes 47 to 54**

**Class 55 not to start before 14.00 hrs**  
**In Hand Classes – Mountain & Moorland**

**Judge: Mr. R Pink**

- Class 55:** Mountain & Moorland Small Breed, 1, 2 & 3 year old.
- Class 56:** Mountain & Moorland Small Breed 4 years and over.
- Class 57:** Mountain & Moorland Large Breed 1, 2 & 3 year old.
- Class 58:** Mountain & Moorland Large Breed 4 years and over.
- Class 59:** Open Coloured Mountain & Moorland, any age Mountain & Moorland type..  
To include Skewbald, Piebald, Spotted, Palomino & Dun
- Class 60:** Part Bred Mountain & Moorland 1, 2 & 3 year old
- Class 61:** Part Bred Mountain & Moorland 4 years old and over
- Class 62:** Owner Bred Mountain & Moorland, any age

**Championship for 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from Classes 55 to 62**

**Ring Four– to commence at 10.30 am**

**Working Hunter Pony Classes**

**Judge: - Mrs. V Bruce**

- Class 63:** Tiny Tots Working Hunter Pony – ponies not to exceed 122cms. Open to Plaited and Mountain & Moorland. Riders to have attained their 3<sup>rd</sup> birthday before the 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year, but not their 8<sup>th</sup> birthday. Class will be split into lead reins and non-lead reins if entries are sufficient.  
**Maximum height of fences 45 cms.**
- Class 64:** Working Hunter Pony Training Stakes.  
Open to both plaited and unplaited WH Horse or Pony, Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over. Rider any age. **Maximum height of fence 60 cms.**
- Class 65:** Working Hunter Pony Open Nursery Stakes, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old & over, not exceeding 133cms. Open to Plaited and Mountain & Moorland Ponies, riders not to have attained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday before The 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.  
**Maximum height of fences 60 cms**

**Lunch break after Class 65**

- Class 66:** Working Hunter Pony Training Stakes.  
Open to both plaited and unplaited WH Horse or Pony, Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over. Rider any age. **Maximum height of fence 75 cms.**
- Class 67:** Open Working Hunter Pony, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old & over, not exceeding 153cms. Rider must be the correct age for the animal they ride. Fences to be adjusted for each height section.
- Class 68:** Open M&M Working Hunter Pony  
Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over. Riders any age. Ponies to jump in height order.  
**Working Hunter Pony Championship open to 1<sup>st</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from Classes 63 to 68**

***SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP***

***OPEN TO ALL CHAMPIONS & RESERVES THROUGHOUT THE DAY WILL FOLLOW  
ON COMPLETION OF ALL OF THE CLASSES***

## **Affiliations**

### **Shetland Pony Society**

1. Classes must be confined to SPS-BS registered ponies. Ponies must be named on the entry form and in the catalogue if one is produced. Society rosettes must only be given to ponies registered with the Society or to foals eligible for registration.
2. Three-year-old fillies with foals at foot may not be shown. All foals must be a minimum of three weeks old on the day of the Show. All entire males aged 2 years and over must display a stallion disc.
3. There must be no colts or entire males in Young Handlers classes. Children under 14 yrs old may not show colts (excluding foals) or entire males in In-hand classes. Children under 12 yrs old on the day of the show may not show entire males in ridden classes. In the interests of safety, hard hats must be worn by all handlers aged 14 yrs or under in In-hand classes. Exhibitors should not kneel but remain standing while in the ring. Hard hats must be worn by all exhibitors, irrespective of age, in ridden classes. Ridden and driven ponies must be 4 years old or over. In ridden Classes, if a rider falls off at any time whilst in the ring, both pony and rider must leave the ring, rider dismounted, and take no further part.

### **Horse 15+ Regional Championship Classes**

The 15+ Horse & Pony Events Regional Classes are exclusively aimed at all horses & ponies aged 15 years & over giving an extra award to show off their 'oldies' to the showing world.

The 3 highest 15+ placing in the Regional Championship In-Hand & Ridden classes will be offered 15+ qualifiers will go forward to the 15+ National Supreme In-Hand & Ridden Championship at Weston Lawns Equitation, Bulkington, Bedworth, CV12 9JA on August 17<sup>th</sup>/18<sup>th</sup> 2019.

Further information about this exciting organisation and what it can offer please contact 15+ Horse & Pony Events 01588 650180 [horse15plus@aol.com](mailto:horse15plus@aol.com) [www.15plus.org.uk](http://www.15plus.org.uk)

### **Ponies Association (UK)**

This show is affiliated to Ponies (UK) and 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> prize winners in the appropriate classes will qualify for the Summer Classic on the 8<sup>th</sup> September at Keysoe Equestrian Centre, Keysoe, Bedfordshire. MK44 2JP. No membership is required to enter the Championship show. Qualification cards are not given out in the ring, however results will be verified by the office.

### **Royal London 2019**

1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> placed horses/ponies not already qualified in eligible classes will qualify for the Champion of Britain Title classes to be held at the Royal London Show to be held at the College Equestrian Centre, Keysoe, Bedfordshire. MK44 2JP ON THE 20<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2019. If a horse/pony has already qualified, cards may be handed down to 6<sup>th</sup> place at the judge's discretion. Each qualified horse/pony will receive a qualification card in the ring which will enable the owner to enter the Royal London Show, provided that the owner and rider/handler are, or become registered with the International Showing Society within 21 days of the qualifying show. No horse registration is required. For up to date information please telephone the I>S>S Secretary on 01425 471680 or 07971 931971. Website [www.royallondonshow.co.uk](http://www.royallondonshow.co.uk).

### **Equifest 2019**

This show is affiliated to Equifest, taking place at the East of England Showground on the 29th August – 1st September 2019. The two highest exhibits not already qualified in each affiliated class will qualify."

### **South West Ponies Association**

This show is a qualifier for the South West Pony Association Championships to be held on the 29<sup>th</sup> August – 31<sup>st</sup> August 2019 at the David Broome Event Centre, Crick, Monmouthshire. NP26 5XP. To qualify for the Championships:-

1. Enter one of the qualifying shows.
2. Be one of the two highest placed exhibits not already qualified within the first four and receive a qualification card
3. Complete the entry form on the qualification card.
4. Register on-line at [www.showingscene.com](http://www.showingscene.com) within 14 days of qualification.
5. Up load this card using our on-line management system at [www.showingscene.com](http://www.showingscene.com)

Please note: Registration fee for 2019 is £30.00 to include all members of the family and equines owned by the family. For shows held after the 2019 Championship show, qualification will be for the 2020 Championship show.

# **Harnessed Hats must be worn in all classes**

## **RULES**

- **Classes 1 to 14 must be confined to SPS-BS registered ponies. Ponies must be named on the entry form and in the catalogue if one is produced. Society rosettes must only be given to ponies registered with the Society or to foals eligible for registration.**
- **Three-year-old fillies with foals at foot may not be shown. All foals must be a minimum of three weeks old on the day of the Show. All entire males aged 2 years and over must display a stallion disc .**
- **There must be no colts or entire males in Young Handlers classes. Children under 14 yrs old may not show colts (excluding foals) or entire males in In-hand classes. Children under 12 yrs old on the day of the show may not show entire males in ridden classes. In the interests of safety, hard hats must be worn by all handlers aged 14 yrs or under in In-hand classes. Exhibitors should not kneel but remain standing while in the ring. Hard hats must be worn by all exhibitors, irrespective of age, in ridden classes. Ridden and driven ponies must be 4 years old or over. In ridden Classes, if a rider falls off at any time whilst in the ring, both pony and rider must leave the ring, rider dismounted, and takes no further part.**
- **All competitors take part at their OWN RISK and are expected to exercise due care at all times and obey all notices displayed. The organisers and owner of the venue accepts no responsibility for any accident, loss or damage to any competitors, spectators, animals or property. It is a condition of entry that competitors will hold the organisers blameless and indemnify them against any damage or legal proceedings.**
- **Equi Events & Somerset Natives recommends that all exhibitors should have adequate personal sports insurance. All accidents, injuries or falls should be reported to the Secretary.**
- **Correct British Standard Headgear conforming to PAS015 or EN1384 or ASTM F1163 or current standard must be worn at all times when mounted, with chinstraps from 3 points on the hat fastened.**
- **The organisers reserve the right to alter the times of classes or the Judge if necessary without prior notice. The organisers reserve the right to refuse entry of persons or ponies at the secretary's discretion without assigning a reason.**
- **Any objections must be in writing and must be given to the Secretary within 30 minutes of the completion of the relevant class, and accompanied by a fee of £15.00 which will be refunded should the objection be upheld.**
- **Unmannerly behaviour towards officials will not be tolerated.**
- **No exercising in the rings, anyone doing so will be disqualified, unless permission has been given.**
- **NO ENTRY FEE WILL BE REFUNDED**
- **In Hand Stallions or Colts may NOT BE LED by any juniors who have not attained their 14<sup>th</sup> birthday before the 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.**
- **Showing Canes MUST not exceed 30" long unless deemed to be "dress code" for the class entered.**
- **The Judge's decision is final**
- **Dogs to be kept on leads at all times**
- **Horses/Ponies are not to be left tied to the side of a trailer or lorry**



- **Please park where instructed**

- **All ridden horses or ponies must be 4 years old or over.**
- **Push chairs, wheelchairs, buggies or bikes are not allowed in the horse areas or collecting rings without prior arrangement with the Secretary so that details can be checked with our insurance.**
- **Please respect the show and the venue and tidy around you before you leave eg: litter, hay, muck etc.**

**On behalf of the Show Committee, we would like to thank you for your continued support, we hope that you enjoy your day and look forward to seeing you again very soon.**

**For further information please contact Karen Hodge 07581 397781 or Debbie Miller 07957 503631.**

**ENTRY FORM**

<b>CLASS NO</b>	<b>NAME OF HORSE</b>	<b>NAME OF RIDER</b>	<b>NAME OF OWNER</b>	<b>ENTRY FEE</b>

**Name of Exhibitor**.....

**Address**.....

.....**Email**.....

**Telephone Number**.....

**Signature**.....I agree to the rules of the show

Pre Entries sent prior to the 15<sup>th</sup> July will be charged at £10.00 per class. Entries taken on the day will be at £12.00 per class.

Please post to:  
Debbie Miller, Withybridge Farm, Withy Road, West Huntspill, Somerset. TA9 3NN or  
Karen Hodge, 37, School Road, Monkton Heathfield, Taunton, Somerset. TA2 8PE



**JUST FOR FUN FAMILY DOG SHOW ON SATURDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> JULY  
AT CHARD EQUESTRIAN CENTRE, TA18 8QY  
EVERYONE WELCOME –  
COME ALONG AND HAVE SOME FUN WITH YOUR DOG  
FUN AGILITY TO RUN THROUGHOUT THE DAY.**

***Classes to Start at 11.30 am***

- Class 1. Dog with the most appealing eyes
- Class 2. Dog with the waggiest tail
- Class 3. Best Rescue Dog
- Class 4. Best Child Handler (under 12 years)
- Class 5. Best Child Handler (12 to 16 years)
- Class 6. Best Adult Handler
- Class 7. The Dog that the judge would most like to take home.
- Class 8. Best Puppy (4 to 12 months)
- Class 9. Best Bitch – (12 months plus)
- Class 10. Best Dog (12 months plus)
- Class 11. Best Veteran (8 years plus)
- Class 12. Best Trick
- Class 13. Fancy Dress (Handlers 12 years and under)
- Class 14. Fancy Dress (Handlers over 12 years)
- Class 15. Dog most like its owner
- Class 16. Best Hairiest Dog
- Class 17. Best Short Coated Dog

**Best in Show – open to all first prize winners throughout the day.**

Entry fee £1.50 per class payable on entry to the ring..

**Attendance at this event is at your own risk – any enquiries to Karen Hodge 07581 397781 or Debbie Miller 07957 503631**