THE THREE SHIRES SPRING FESTIVAL

PRESENTED BY BSPS AREA 5

SUNDAY 19TH APRIL 2026
VALE VIEW EQUESTRIAN CENTRE
LE14 3LX

BSPS 'Best of the Best' Area Supreme Championship

ONLINE ENTRIES AT ENTRY MASTER

QUALIFIERS FOR:

RIHS SHOW HUNTER PONIES
RIHS HERITAGE RIDDEN incl. LR & FR
RIHS PRETTY POLLY
RIHS LEAD REIN & FIRST RIDDEN
RIHS SHOW PONIES
RIHS INTERMEDIATES
RIHS ANGLO & PART BRED ARABS
RIHS HACK, RIDING HORSE, COBS & AMATEURS
BLUE RIBAND QUALIFYING CLASSES
UKPH RIHS YOUNG RIDERS & AMATEURS
RIHS IRISH DRAUGHT

North of England Supreme Championship Qualifiers:

THE ELLENA THOMAS SUPREME PRETTY POLLY CHAMPIONSHIP

THE THOMAS FAMILY SUPREME RIDDEN PONY CHAMPIONSHIP

THE ANDREWS FAMILY SUMPREME M & M CHAMPIONSHIP

All Rings and working in are on all weather surfaces
All Parking on hard standing

Pre-Entries close Monday 13th April 2026
Entries taken on day at extra cost
Entries online @ www.bspsarea5.com for link to entrymaster

Entries Secretary:

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No Calls after 9pm please
BSPS affiliation number –
UKPH –
www.bspsarea5.com

This show is affiliated to the British Show Pony Society (BSPS) and all persons entering, competing, showing or otherwise taking part in BSPS classes, whether or not members of the BSPS 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.

This show is a qualifier for the RIHS 2026.

The highest placed pony (not already qualified) from the first three ponies will qualify in the following classes: Open Lead Rein & First Ridden, 128cms, 138cms,148cms, Show Pony, Lead Rein of Hunter Type, Open First Pony Of Show Hunter Type, 123cms, 133cms, 143cms, 153cms, Show Hunter Pony; Nursery Stakes; 133cms, 143cms, 153cms, Working Hunter Pony; Intermediate Hack Riding Horse, Intermediate Show Hunter, and Open Heritage Lead Rein, First Ridden, Ridden, Pretty Polly Heritage Lead Rein & First Ridden; Pretty Polly Mixed Height Show Pony; Pretty Polly Mixed Height Show Hunter Pony. Heritage Lead Rein & Heritage First Ridden; Heritage Ridden Classes Heritage Pretty Polly Mixed Height Ridden. Anglo & Part Bred Arab not exceeding 148cms.

Young Dragonara class. All ponies, owners and riders must be registered with the BSPS before competing in these classes.

This show is a qualifier for the 2026 Summer BSPS Championships Show, to be held at Arena UK

The 1st and 2nd prize winners only in the following classes; 10-13 and 14-19. The 1st, 2nd and 3rd classes 20 – 22. Prize-winners will qualify for the BSPS championships show provided the animal is registered in accordance with Rules 21 and 26 and ridden by a BSPS member.

This show is a qualifier for the BSPS Thor Atkinson Steel Fabrications Ltd Challenge.

Animals must qualify for the Challenge by attending any BSPS affiliated show & competing in the appropriate Class- Lead Rein, First Ridden, Open Show Pony, Lead Rein of Hunter Type, Open Show Hunter Pony, Open Working Hunter Pony, and the Open Intermediate SRT, SH, and WH, and the Heritage Open Lead Rein, First Ridden, Ridden and WHP classes will qualify. 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. If a pony qualifies for the Horse of the Year Show it will forfeit its qualification for the B.S.P.S. Challenge.

Please see RULE 411 page 71 of the 2026 BSPS rule book.

This show is a qualifier for the BSPS View Point Champion of Champions. 1st prize winners in the following classes will qualify-

Open Lead, Rein First Ridden, Open Show Pony, Open W.H.P, Nursey Stakes, Open S.H.P. Open L.R.H.T .Open Intermediate S.H.,S.R.T.& W.H., Open Heritage Lead Rein, First Ridden, Ridden & W.H.P.

BSPS Part Bred classes

Owners and riders must be BSPS members to compete in classes with RIHS and Blue Riband Qualification and animals must be registered with the BSPS except for the Anglo & Part Bred Arabs who must be registered with the AHS

This show is a qualifier Blue Riband the 1st and 2nd in the following classes will qualify. Open Lead Rein & First Ridden, 123cms, 133cms, 143cms, 153cms, Show Hunter Pony; 133cms, 143cms, 153cms, Working Hunter Pony; 128cms, 138cms, 148cms Show Pony. The 1st and, 2nd in the following classes will qualify intermediate Riding Horse, Hack and Show Hunter and Working Hunter ponies.

This Show is a Qualifier for the UK Ponies & Horses Ltd Gold Medal Series to take place at Spring Classic 2027.1st 2nd & 3rd placed competitors in classes 24 to 28 will qualify. Qualifications cards are not given out in the ring however results can be verified by the office.

HATS- Correctly secured Skull Caps/Riding Hats Nos. PAS015 2011, VG1, (BS) EN1384 2023, ASTM F1163 2015 and 2023, SNELL E2016 and E2021, MUST be worn by riders at all times when mounted. Hats should have a plain cover, either Black, Navy Blue, Brown, Grey or Green. Velvet covers are encouraged. The B.S.P.S. encourages members to have their hats tagged through the B.S.P.S. scheme or via the Pony Club Scheme. Tagging indicates that the hat meets the accepted standards, no check of the fit or condition of the hat is implied. It is considered to be the responsibility of the members/guardians to ensure the hat complies with the current standards and is tagged before they compete. Members/guardians are responsible for ensuring the manufacturer's guidelines with regard to fit and replacement are followed. Hat Tagging in B.S.P.S. classes is compulsory at BSPS Winter, Summer and Heritage Championship shows, Royal International Horse Show, London International Horse Show, Burghley Gold Cup and lead rein WSP final. (We are accepting British Eventing, British Riding Club and Pony Club tags) No pony or horse allowed on the showground that is not entered in a class.

BSHA Classes RIHS qualifying classes

Held under the rules of the British Show Horse Association. Horses must be registered with the Association and all Owners, Exhibitors and Riders and must be Association Members. Riders must be 15 years of age or older. Registration numbers must be quoted on entry form.

Classes 38-39, 41-42, 44-46, are qualifiers for Open championships at The Royal International Horse Show. 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, with the exception of BSHA shows, where qualification will go down the line.

Horses competing at the RIHS and qualifying shows in Hunter sections of The Sport Horse Breeding of Great Britain at their Affiliated Shows cannot compete in Hack, Cobs and Riding Horse classes at the same show, on the same day and vice versa. This does not apply to SHB (GB) Ridden Sport Horse classes.

Classes 47 -50 are qualifiers for the Amateur Championships at The Royal International Horse Show. The highest placed unqualified horse in each section in each class in the Hack, Cob and Riding Horse classes will qualify for the RIHS Amateur final, with the two highest placed unqualified horses qualifying in the Maxi Cob class.

Classes 37, 40 & 43 qualifiy for the EASY CHIP NOVICE SERIES QUALIFIER Owners, Riders and Horses must be registered with BSHA or have temporary membership with a Day/Show Ticket. The highest placed unqualified horse in the top three in each class will qualify for the Easy Chip Novice Final at the BSHA National Championship Show in September. Horses competing as four and five-year-olds in BSHA classes, will retain Novice status, irrespective of any wins, placings or prize money accrued, unless they have been placed 1st – 5th at HOYS or RIHS in any OPEN Ridden class (with the exception of the Search for A Star Finals). Horses competing as a six year old or over, in BSHA classes, will retain Novice status unless they have been placed 1st – 5th at HOYS or RIHS in any OPEN Ridden class, BSHA or otherwise, (with the exception of the Search For A Star Finals) or have won a first prize of £25 or over in any showing class, excluding Working Show Horse Classes, Rising Star classes and finals, Ladies Show Horse or In-Hand classes, that were Affiliated to the Association, at home or abroad, prior to 1st January in the current year. Winnings as a four-year-old are exempt. If a horse changes category (ie from a Hack to a Riding Horse or vice versa), it may not revert to a Novice. Snaffle bridles may be worn for Novice classes. The BSHA offer a Champion rosette to be awarded in the separate Amateur Championship. Please refer to rules 6A-C in the 2026 BSHA Rulebook. The Amateur qualifying classes may be entered on a day ticket, but appropriate membership and horse registration must be applied for within 14 days of the qualifier in order to confirm qualification.

DAY TICKETS & SHOW TICKETS

Non-Members may purchase up to a maximum of 2 Day Tickets and two Show Tickets per Exhibitor, per Horse, per Rider, per season. A Day Ticket will allow entry into Amateur, Home Produced, In-Hand, Novice, Working, Young Rider, and Open Affiliated classes only, but will NOT allow entry into RIHS (except Amateur classes) or HOYS qualifying classes. A Show Ticket has the same criteria and covers all days of a Show running for longer than one day. Horses registered on a Day / Show Ticket do not require a JMB height certificate. Competitors can apply for a Day / Show Ticket by applying online on the BSHA website.

The BSHA offer a Novice, Young Rider 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, Racehorse to Show Horse & HOYS Hunter classes).

BSHA CLASSIC OF YEAR FINALS

The highest placed unqualified exhibit in the top 5 in each Open Affiliated class 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.

ENTRIES & PRIZE MONEY

Closing Date 13th April 2026

ALL R.I. Qualifying classes:	
Pre Entry	£40
Late Entry/On Day	£56
(Includes £12 RIHS Surcharge)	

All other Classes:	
Pre Entry	£20
Late Entry/On Day	£25
No Prize Money awarded	

Prize Money RI quals classes only: 1st £25, 2nd £10, 3rd £5
If less than 4 animals entered in any class first prize only will be awarded
It is strongly advised that all competitors take-out third-party insurance on their horses and ponies
Please note Competitors Qualifying at this show for the Longines Royal International Horse Show 21ST-26th July must submit **their** entries online within 48hours of Qualifying

HEALTH & SAFETY
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
Neither the Area 5 Committee, nor any of its Officers, Servants, or Assistants shall be responsible or accountable for any loss, injury or damage to any person, animal, or property, or vehicle in connection with this Show

'BEST OF THE BEST' AREA SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP

ELIGIBLE FOR QUALIFICATION ANIMALS MUST BE REGISTERED, OWNED AND RIDDEN WITH THE BSPS AND MUST BE MEMBERS OF THE RELEVANT AREA TO COMPETE IN THEIR AREA SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP AREA 5 MEMBERS TO WEAR ARMBANDS.

DAVID CRONK MEMORIAL CHAMPIONSHIP

The Highest placed AREA 5 member in each class will receive the David Cronk Memorial Rosette. These competitors will then compete for the David Cronk Memorial Championship.
The champion will be awarded a Rosette and Trophy
AREA 5 Members to wear Armbands in classes

DAVID CRONK CUP

The David Cronk Cup will be awarded to the best turned out area 5 member in the
Show Pony Section
The cup will be awarded at the presentation point party
AREA 5 Members to wear Armbands in Working Hunter Ponies

North of England Supreme Championship Qualifiers:

The 'ALAN MARNIE' Supreme Ridden Mountain & Moorland Championship
The final to be held at the NORTH OF ENGLAND SUMMER SHOW *Kindly sponsored by* **'Alan Marnie & Family'**
The Champion Mountain & Moorland will Qualify if the champion already qualified then the reserve Champion will go forward. Only the Champion or Reserve Champion will qualify.

The 'THOMAS FAMILY' Supreme Ridden Pony Championship
The final to be held at the NORTH OF ENGLAND SUMMER SHOW *Kindly sponsored by* **'The Thomas Family'**
The Champion SHOW HUNTER PONY will qualify, if already qualified the Reserve.
Champion will qualify. Only the champion or reserve will qualify.
The MINI SHOW PONY CHAMPION will qualify, if already qualified the Reserve.
Champion will qualify. Only the champion or reserve will qualify
The LEAD REIN OF HUNTER TYPE WINNER will qualify, if already qualified the Reserve.
Champion will qualify. Only the champion or reserve will qualify

The 'ELLENA THOMAS' Supreme 'Pretty Polly' Ridden Championship
The final to be held at the NORTH OF ENGLAND SUMMER SHOW *Kindly sponsored by* **'Ellena Thomas'**
The Pretty Polly champion will qualify If the Champion has already qualified, then the Reserve Champion will go forward. Only the Champion or Reserve Champion will qualify.

Prize Money at the Finals; 1st £1000, 2nd £400,3rd £100, 4th £50, 5th £25, 6th £25, 7th £25, 8th £25
Exhibitors who qualify for the final will be sent details directly from:
The Secretary North Summer Show, Blue Slate Stables, Showley Road, Clayton-le-Dale, Blackburn BB1 9DP
www.northofenglandshows.co.uk

RING 1 : 9:00am

YOUNG DRAGONARA & PRETTY POLLY CLASSES

JUDGE: Mrs L Guant

CLASS 1 BSPS PRETTY POLLY (RIHS) HERITAGE M & M RIDDEN MIXED BREEDS Registered Pure Bred Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Welsh Sec A or B ponies, Connemara, Dales, Highland, New Forest, Fell, Welsh Sec C & D 4yrs old or over. Riders any age. This class will be judged as a whole but all ponies will be brought in at walk and then the class will be divided for the go round into small and large breeds the two sections will then be lined up together to do the individual show and conformation and the result will be decided on the highest scored achieved. Kindly Sponsored by New Horizon Plastics

CLASS 2 BSPS PRETTY POLLY (RIHS) MIXED HEIGHT SP Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over, not exceeding 148cms. Riders for 128cms ponies not to have attained their 13th birthday before 1st January in the current year Exceeding 128cms Riders not to have attained their 18th birthday before 1st January in the current year Kindly Sponsored by Linda Card.

CLASS 3 BSPS PRETTY POLLY (RIHS) MIXED HEIGHT SHP Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 133cms. Riders must not have attained their 14th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, exceeding 133cms but not exceeding 153cms. Riders not to have attained their 20th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Kindly Sponsored by New Horizon Plastics

CLASS 4 BSPS HERITAGE M & M PRETTY POLLY (RIHS) LEADING REIN PONY Registered Pure Bred Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over not exceeding 122cms. Riders not to have attained their 9th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Kindly Sponsored by Mr Michael Painter

CLASS 5 BSPS HERITAGE M & M PRETTY POLLY (RIHS) FIRST RIDDEN PONY Registered Pure Bred mare or Gelding 4 years old or over not exceeding 128cms. Riders not to have attained their 12th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Kindly Sponsored by Mr Michael Painter

PRETTY POLLY CHAMPOINSHIP 1st & 2nd prize winners classes 1 - 5 to compete.

CLASS 6 B.S.P.S. (RIHS) YOUNG DRAGONARA RIDER'S CHAMPIONSHIP Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over, not exceeding 153cms or show pony or show hunter pony type. Riders not to have attained their 20th birthday on 1st January in the current year. Riders not to have ridden in any HOYS (except Lead Rein or Search for a Star) or LIHS Heritage Supreme Championship and not to have been placed 1st-8th in any ridden showing class at RIHS (except Lead Rein and Pretty Polly classes) in 2024 or 2025. 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 New Horizon Plastics

Not before: 12.30pm

SHOW HUNTER PONY CLASSES

JUDGE: Mr T Wiggett

CLASS 7 BSPS MIXED HEIGHT NOVICE SHOW HUNTER PONY Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 153cm. Competitors must be the correct age for the height of the pony they ride.

CLASS 8 BSPS (RIHS) LEAD REIN PONY OF HUNTER TYPE Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 122cms. Riders not to have attained their 9th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Kindly Sponsored by Team Jinks.

CLASS 9 BSPS. (RIHS) OPEN FIRST PONY OF SHOW HUNTER TYPE Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over, not exceeding 123cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 10th. birthday before the 1st. January in the current year. Kindly Sponsored by Team Jinks.

MINI SHOW HUNTER PONY CHAMPIONSHIP 1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 8 & 9 to compete.

CLASS 10 BSPS (RIHS) OPEN 123cm SHP Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 123cm. Riders not to have attained their 12th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Kindly Sponsored by C4 Events & Catering Ltd.

CLASS 11 BSPS (RIHS) OPEN 133cm SHP Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, exceeding 123cm, and not exceeding 133cm. Riders not to have attained their 14th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Kindly Sponsored by New Horizon Plastics

CLASS 12 BSPS (RIHS) OPEN 143cm SHP Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, exceeding 133cm, and not exceeding 143cm. Riders not to have attained their 17th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Kindly Sponsored by New Horizon Plastics

CLASS 13 BSPS (RIHS) OPEN 153cm SHP Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, exceeding 143cm, and not exceeding 153cm. Riders not to have attained their 20th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Kindly Sponsored by Emma Hawthorn.

SHOW HUNTER PONY CHAMPIONSHIP 1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 10 – 13 to compete. 1st prize-winners classes 8 - 13 will qualify for BSPS VIEW POINT FAMILY CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS

RING 2: 9:00AM PROMPT

SHOW PONY CLASSES

JUDGE: Mrs R Ball

CLASS 14 BSPS (RIHS) LEADING REIN PONY Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 122cms. Riders not to have attained their 8th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Kindly Sponsored by Church Family.

CLASS 15 BSPS (RIHS) FIRST RIDDEN PONY Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 123cms. Riders not to have attained their 10th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Kindly Sponsored by Henritta Barton.

MINI RIHS SHOW PONY CHAMPIONSHIP 1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 14 & 15 to compete

1st prize-winners classes 14 & 15 will to qualify for BSPS VIEW POINT CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS.

Class 16 BSPS NOVICE MIXED HEIGHT SHOW PONY Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 148cms. Competitors must be the correct age for the height of the pony they ride. Kindly Sponsored by New Horizon Plastics

CLASS 17 The B.S.P.S. (RIHS) OPEN SHOW PONY Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over, not exceeding 128cms. Riders not to have attained their 13th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Kindly Sponsored by Nigel Wakefield.

CLASS 18 The B.S.P.S. (RIHS) OPEN SHOW PONY Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over, exceeding 128cms not exceeding 138cms. Riders not to have attained their 15th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Kindly Sponsored by Nigel Wakefield.

CLASS 19 The B.S.P.S. (RIHS) OPEN SHOW PONY Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over, exceeding 138cms not exceeding 148cms. - Riders not to have attained their 18th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Kindly Sponsored by Nigel Wakefield.

SHOW PONY CHAMPIONSHIP 1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 17 – 19 to compete. 1st prize-winners classes 17 - 19 will qualify for BSPS VIEW POINT CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS.

Not before:- 12 NOON

INTERMEDIATES CLASSES

JUDGE: Miss F Ludlow

CLASS 20 BSPS (RIHS) OPEN INTERMEDIATE SHOW HUNTER Mare or Gelding exceeding 148cms not exceeding 158cms.Riders not to have attained their 25th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Kindly Sponsored by The De la Hey Family.

CLASS 21 BSPS (RIHS) OPEN INTERMEDIATE HACK, Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over, exceeding 146cm and not exceeding 160cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25th. birthday before 1st January in the current year. Kindly Sponsored by The De la Hey Family.

CLASS 22 BSPS (RIHS) OPEN INTERMEDIATE SHOW RIDING HORSE. Mare or gelding 4 yrs old and over exceeding 148cm and not exceeding 158cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Kindly Sponsored by The De la Hey Family.

INTERMEDIATE CHAMPIONSHIP 1ST & 2ND prize winners to compete classes 20 - 22

PART BRED ARAB CLASS

JUDGE: Miss F Ludlow

CLASS 23 BSPS (RIHS) RIDDEN ANGLO AND PART BRED ARABS Mare Stallion or Gelding 4yrs old or over, not exceeding 148cms Riders any age. Kindly Sponsored by New Horizon Plastics

RING 3: 9:00 AM PROMPT

UK PONIES & HORSES LTD & Anthony Evans Insurance Brokers Young Riders Royal International Ridden M & M

JUDGE: - Mr P Cook

To compete in classes 24 to 27 Owners must be Adult/Life members, Riders must be current UKPH Annual members and the ponies currently registered with UK Ponies and Horses before time of entry in order to compete in the following classes. Open to Mountain & Moorland stallion (Intermediate class only), mare or gelding,4 years old & over. Registered in their approved Pure Breed Society Stud Books of Connemara, Dartmoor, Dales, Exmoor, Fell, Highland, New Forest, Shetland, Welsh A,B,C,D. Rider not to have attained their 25th birthday before 1st January in the current year.(see rule 7 of the current UK Ponies & Horses Rule Book. The highest placed exhibit in classes 24 to 27 not already qualified within the first five will qualify for the U.K. Ponies & Horses LTD. R.I.H.S. Young Riders M.& M. Final at the R.I.H.S. Hickstead in July 2026. Qualification will be verified by the office.

CLASS 24 UK Ponies & Horses & Anthony Evans Insurance Brokers R.I.HS. M & M SMALL BREEDS
Mare or Gelding 4years old & over. Registered in their Approved Pure Breed Society stud books of Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Welsh Section A or B. Riders not to have attained their 14th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

CLASS 25 UK Ponies & Horses & Anthony Evans Insurance Brokers R.I.H.S. M & M LARGE BREEDS
Mare or Gelding 4years old & over. Registered in their Approved Pure Breed Society stud books of Connemara, Dales, Fell, Highland, New Forest, Welsh Section C or D. Riders not to have attained their 18th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

CLASS 26 UK Ponies & Horses & Anthony Evans Insurance Brokers R.I.H.S. INTERMEDIATE M & M
Stallion Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over. Registered in their approved Pure Breed Society stud books of Connemara, Dales, Dartmoor, Exmoor, Fell, Highland, 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 in the current U K Ponies & Horses Ltd. Rule book)

M & M U.K. PONIES & HORSES CHAMPIONSHIP 1st & 2nd prize winners classes 24-26 to compete.

CLASS 27 UK Ponies & Horses & Anthony Evans Insurance Brokers R.I.H.S. AMATEUR RIDERS M & M.
Stallion Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over. Registered in their Section A, B,C or D. Riders any age. (Please see rule 25 of the current UK Ponies & Horses ltd rule book)
Please see page 7 of the current U.K. Ponies & Horses Rule Book for the UKPH Amateur Rules.

CLASS 28 UK PONIES & HORSES MINI JUNIORS - Mare or Gelding, 4 years old & over. Small Breeds only, registered in their approved Pure Breed Society stud books of Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Welsh Section A or B. Riders to have attained their 8th birthday but not their 13th Birthday before the 1st of January in the current year.
Combinations would not be required to become a Member of UK Ponies & Horses to compete in this class.
This Show is Affiliated to UK Ponies & Horses,1st 2nd & 3rd placed combinations in classes 24 to 28 will qualify for UK Ponies & Horses Spring Classic 2027.

Not before:- 1:30pm

HERITAGE MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND CLASSES

JUDGE: Mr A Cooper

CLASS 29 THE B.S.P.S. HERITAGE MOUNTAIN AND MOORLAND NOVICE RIDDEN MIXED BREEDS.
Registered Pure Bred Ponies 4 years old or over. Riders any age. Kindly Sponsored by New Horizon Plastics

CLASS 30 BSPS (RIHS) HERITAGE MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND RIDDEN CLASS Registered Pure Bred Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, and Ponies 4 years old or over. Riders any age. (see note on stallions). Kindly Sponsored by New Horizon Plastics

CLASS 31 BSPS (RIHS) HERITAGE MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND RIDDEN CLASS Registered Pure Bred Welsh Section A & B Ponies 4 years old or over. Riders any age. (see note on stallions). Kindly Sponsored by New Horizon Plastics

CLASS 32 BSPS (RIHS) HERITAGE MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND RIDDEN CLASS Registered Pure Bred Welsh Section C & D Ponies 4 years old or over. Riders any age. (see note on stallions) Kindly Sponsored by Jane Sonnex.

CLASS 33 BSPS (RIHS) HERITAGE MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND RIDDEN CLASS Registered Pure Bred New Forest & Connemara Ponies 4 years old or over. Riders any age. (see note on stallions) Kindly sponsored by Helen Radford.

CLASS 34 BSPS (RIHS) HERITAGE MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND RIDDEN CLASS Registered Pure Bred Fells Dales & Highland Ponies 4yrs old or over. Kindly Sponsored by Manity Building and Maintenance.

HERITAGE MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND OPEN RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 30 to 34 compete.1st prize-winners classes 30-34 will Qualify for BSPS VIEW POINT CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS..

CLASS 35 BSPS (RIHS) HERITAGE MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND LEAD REIN Registered Pure Bred Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over not exceeding 122cms. Riders not to have attained their 9th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Kindly Sponsored by Time to Bond.

CLASS 36 BSPS (RIHS) HERITAGE MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND FIRST RIDDEN Registered Pure-Bred Mare or Gelding 4 years old or over not exceeding 128cms. Riders not to have attained their 12th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Kindly sponsored by Time to Bond

HERITAGE MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND MINI CHAMPIONSHIP1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 35 & 36 to compete. 1st prize-winners classes 35 & 36 will qualify for BSPS VIEW POINT CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS.

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RING 4: 8:30 AM PROMPT

BSHA HACK CLASSES

JUDGES: Miss J Wormall (Ride) Mrs F Atkinson (Conformation)

CLASS 37 BSHA EASY CHIP NOVICE HACK mare or gelding 4 years and over exceeding 148cms and not exceeding 160cms. Refer to Novice rule. Rule 6D of the 2026 BSHA Rule book. Kindly Sponsored by New Horizon Plastics

CLASS 38 BSHA (RIHS) SMALL HACK mare or gelding 4 years and over exceeding 148cms and not exceeding 154cms. Kindly Sponsored by New Horizon Plastics

CLASS 39 BSHA (RIHS) LARGE HACK mare or gelding 4 years and over exceeding 154cms and not exceeding 160cms. Kindly Sponsored by New Horizon Plastics

BSHA HACK CHAMPIONSHIP 1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 37 - 39 to compete.

Not before: 10:00am BSHA RIDING HORSE CLASSES

JUDGES: Miss J Wormall (Ride) Mrs F Atkinson (Conformation)

CLASS 40 BSHA EASY CHIP NOVICE RIDING HORSE mare or gelding 4 years and over exceeding 148cms. Refer to Novice rule. Rule 6D of the 2026 BSHA Rule book. Kindly Sponsored by New Horizon Plastics

CLASS 41 BSHA (RIHS) SMALL RIDING HORSE mare or gelding 4 years and over exceeding 148cms and not exceeding 158cms. Kindly Sponsored by New Horizon Plastics

CLASS 42 BSHA (RIHS) LARGE RIDING HORSE mare or gelding 4 years and over exceeding 158cms. Kindly Sponsored by New Horizon Plastics

BSHA RIDING HORSE CHAMPIONSHIP 1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 40 – 42 to compete.

Not before: 11:30pm BSHA COB CLASSES

JUDGES: Miss J Wormall (Ride) Mrs F Atkinson (Conformation)

CLASS 43 BSHA EASY CHIP NOVICE COB mare or gelding 4 years and over exceeding 148cms [to include Maxis] Refer to Novice rule. Rule 6D of the 2026 BSHA Rule book. Kindly Sponsored by New Horizon Plastics

CLASS 44 BSHA (RIHS) LIGHTWEIGHT COB mare or gelding 4 years and over capable of carrying up to 14st exceeding 148cms and not exceeding 155cms. Kindly Sponsored by Bev Vaughan.

CLASS 45 BSHA (RIHS) HEAVYWEIGHT COB mare or gelding 4 years and over capable of carrying over 14st exceeding 148cms and not exceeding 155cms. Kindly Sponsored by New Horizon Plastics

CLASS 46 BSHA (RIHS) MAXI COB mare or gelding 4 years and over exceeding 155cms. To be shown hogged. Kindly Sponsored by Emma Livesey

OPEN COB CHAMPIONSHIP 1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 43 – 46 to compete.

Not before: 2:00pm BSHA AMATEUR CLASSES

JUDGES: Miss B Crosbie-Starling (Ride) Mrs A Varley (Conformation)

CLASS 47 BSHA (RIHS) AMATEUR HACK mare or gelding 4 years and over exceeding 148cms, not exceeding 160cms. Open to Horses owned and ridden by an Amateur, the Rider need not be the Owner of the Horse. Kindly Sponsored by New Horizon Plastics

CLASS 48 BSHA (RIHS) AMATEUR RIDING HORSE mare or gelding 4 years and over, exceeding 148cms. Open to Horses owned and ridden by an Amateur, the Rider need not be the Owner of the Horse. Kindly Sponsored by New Horizon Plastics

CLASS 49 BSHA (RIHS) AMATEUR COB mare or gelding 4 years and over exceeding 148cms, not exceeding 155 cms. Open to Horses owned and ridden by an Amateur, the Rider need not be the owner of the horse. Kindly Sponsored by Lucinda Burnett.

CLASS 50 BSHA (RIHS) AMATEUR MAXI COB mare or gelding 4 years and over exceeding 155cms. To be shown hogged. Open to Horses owned and ridden by an Amateur, the Rider need not be the owner of the horse. Kindly Sponsored by Lucinda Burnett.

AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP 1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 47 – 50 to compete.

Classes 56-59 are qualifiers for the Amateur Championships at The Royal International Horse Show. The highest placed unqualified horse in each section in each class in the Hack, Cob and Riding Horse classes will qualify for the RIHS Amateur final, with the two highest placed unqualified horses qualifying in the Maxi Cob class. The BSHA offer a Champion rosette to be awarded in the separate Amateur Championship.

Please refer to rule 6A-C in the 2026 BSHA Rulebook. The Amateur qualifying classes may be entered on a day ticket, but appropriate membership and horse registration must be applied for within 14 days of the qualifier in order to confirm qualification.

CLASS 51 TURLEY & GILL AMATEUR HOME PRODUCED QUALIFIER Owners, Riders and Horses must be registered with BSHA or have temporary membership with a Day Ticket. Riders must be 15years of age or older. This class is a qualifier for the Turley & Gill Family Amateur Home-Produced Supreme Final to be held at the BSHA National Championship Show. Open to horses to be Home- Produced and ridden by an Amateur; please see rule 6A-C in 2026 BSHA Rulebook. Horses must be registered as a either a Hack, Cob, Maxi Cob or Riding Horse. The two highest placed unqualified in the top five will qualify for the final at the BSHA National Championship Show.

NOVICE RULE:. *Horses competing as four- and five-year-olds in BSHA classes, will retain Novice status, irrespective of any wins, placings or prize money accrued, unless they have been placed 1st – 5th at HOYS or RIHS in any OPEN Ridden class (with the exception of the Search for A Star Finals). Horses competing as a six year old or over, in BSHA classes, will retain Novice status unless they have been placed 1st – 5th at HOYS or RIHS in any OPEN Ridden class, BSHA or otherwise, (with the exception of the Search For A Star Finals) or have won a first prize of £25 or over in any showing class, excluding Working Show Horse Classes, Rising Star classes and finals, Ladies Show Horse or In-Hand classes, that were Affiliated to the Association, at home or abroad, prior to 1st January in the current year. Winnings as a four-year-old are exempt. If a horse changes category (ie from a Hack to a Riding Horse or vice versa), it may not revert to a Novice. Snaffle bridles may be worn for Novice classes. Novice animals must be Registered with the Association or Exhibitors must have purchased a 'Day Ticket' in order to compete in Novice classes.*

R.I.H.S IRISH DRAUGHT CLASSES

This show is a qualifier for the Agria Royal International British Horse Feeds and IDHS (GB) Ridden Championship Series.

The 2 highest-placed horses (not already qualified) from Classes **52** and **53** will qualify for the final to be held at the **Royal International Horse Show Hickstead, on July 25th 2026**. Qualification can be passed to 3rd place if the highest-placed horses have already qualified and if in the opinion of the judges, the exhibit is of sufficient quality. Horses can only qualify once, irrespective of the number of shows entered. These classes are also qualifiers for the IDHS(GB) £2000 challenge

These classes also afford qualification for the IDHS(GB) and Yorkshire Irish Draught and Hunter Show £2000 challenge Final on September 5-6 2026 at Pickering Grange EC. Those eligible will be contacted by the Society. In the Final, the Champion will be awarded £1,000 prize money, the Reserve Champion will be awarded £500 and 3rd to 7th inclusive will be awarded £100 each. In addition, the highest placed Purebred Irish Draught will receive £100, and the highest placed Sport Horse will receive £50. Eligibility criteria apply.

All horses must be in the correct ownership and must be 4 years and over and 153cm (15hh) or over.
N.B. Stallions MUST be ridden and handled by an experienced person over the age of 18 and identified by a red, white and blue tail ribbon.

JUDGES: **Miss B Crosbie-Starling** ***(Ride) Ms T Southern (Conformation)***

CLASS 52 RIHS Ridden Pure Bred Irish Draughts.

- Purebred Irish Draught horses must be registered with or overstamped by the IDHS (GB).
- Purebred stallions must be the progeny of a graded mare (ID Class 1, ID Class 2, RID, AID, or Supplementary Grade Up) by an ID Class 1, Class 2, RID(GB) stallion and be inspected or overstamped by the IDHS (GB) and classified as ID Class1 Class 2, or RID(GB).
- Owners of Pure Bred Irish Draught horses must be **FULL** members of the Irish Draught Horse Society (GB).

Kindly Sponsored by Amanda Scott

CLASS 53 RIHS Ridden Irish Draught Sport Horses (minimum of 25% proven Irish Draught). Open to mares, stallions, and geldings 4 years and over, registered on the Irish Draught Sport Horse Register. First 2 to quality.

- Irish Draught Sport Horses (including stallions) must have a minimum of 25% proven Irish Draught breeding and must be registered on the Irish Draught Sport Horse Register.
- Owners must be **FULL** members of the Irish Draught Horse Society (GB)

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CHAMPIONSHIP 1st and 2nd prize winners from classes 52 – 53 to compete.

IDHS (GB) £2000 Ridden Challenge - This show is a qualifier for the IDHS (GB) £2,000 Ridden Challenge. This show is a qualifier for the IDHS(GB) £2,000 Ridden Challenge. The highest placed horse/s (not already qualified) from each of the following will qualify for the final of the IDHS (GB) £2,000 Ridden Challenge which will be held at the IDHS (GB) National Championship Show on 5th & 6th September 2026 at Pickering Grange EC, Terrace Road, Ellistown, Leicestershire, LE67 1EZ

A horse may only qualify for the final once, regardless of the type or number of classes won, placed in or entered. Qualifiers will be contacted by a member of the IDHS (GB) Show Team. In the Final, the Champion will be awarded £1,000 prize money, the Reserve Champion will be awarded £500 and 3rd to 7th inclusive will be awarded £100 each. In addition, the highest placed Purebred Irish Draught will receive £100, and the highest placed Sport Horse will receive £50.

To qualify, a horse must follow the same eligibility criteria as for both Irish Draught & Irish Draught Part Bred (Sport Horse) but Horses need not be registered with / over stamped by the IDHS (GB) to qualify but must be on the appropriate Register or over stamped by the IDHS (GB) and the owner be a full member of the Society by the time of the Championship.

Classes 40 – 42 & 48 BSHA RIDING HORSE CLASSES
Classes 43 – 46 & 49 -50 BSHA COB/MAXI COB CLASSES
Classes 53 – 54 IDHS Classes