

# The 'Chaser Communications'



**Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> May 2024**

**Crescent Farm, Throckley, Newcastle –upon-Tyne, NE15 9RE**

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*Very good road links. Easily accessed from A69 and 5 minutes from A1.*



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Leave the A69 signed for Throckley/ Newcastle Airport. Follow the roads signed for Ponteland/ the Airport off the roundabouts. The entrance to the show field is 150yards off the roundabout on the right hand side.

**All ponies** at this show must be registered in the main body of their respective Mountain & Moorland Stud Books.

**Photographer and Catering Van will be on site throughout the day**



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**ANY ABUSIVE LANGUAGE or BEHAVIOUR TOWARDS SHOW OFFICIALS, ANIMALS or FELLOW COMPETITORS WILL RESULT IN EXPULSION FROM THE SHOWGROUND and by entering this Show you agree to abide by this and all of the following:**

1. All persons entering the showground must have Personal and Public Liability Insurance. The Committee will not be held responsible for any damage, loss or injury to any animal, person or property whilst on the showground. Under NO circumstances must anyone other than the Judge, Stewards, Competitors and grooms enter the show rings.
2. The Judges' decision is final. Any objections must be made, in writing, within one hour of the class/incident and handed to the Secretary with a deposit of £30.
3. The Committee reserve the right to amalgamate, cancel or divide classes as entries warrant.
4. The Committee reserve the right to return or refuse any entry made either by post or on the day.
5. Under NO circumstances will entries be substituted and any refunds will be totally at the discretion of the committee and will be subject to the £10 admin charge.
6. In the event of postponement all entries will be carried over to the new date unconditionally.
7. In the event of cancellation, refunds MUST be requested in writing (NO emails) and should be sent with a SAE enclosed to the Show Secretary within 28 days of the show date and will be subject to a £10 admin charge.
8. Mountain and Moorland ponies will be shown in accordance to the Breed Society rules.
9. In-foal mares may be asked to produce a certificate of service. Three year old fillies with foals at foot may not be shown, all foals must be a minimum of three weeks old.
10. Stallions may not be led or ridden by children under the age of 12 years in accordance with NPS rules and must be licensed in accordance with breed society rules.
11. In the interest of safety, excessive assistance or interference from outside the ring will not be tolerated.
12. The Committee reserve the right to carry out random dope testing.
13. Dishonoured cheques will incur a £10 administration fee and may result in entries being refused in the future.
14. Dogs must be kept on a lead at all times. Any dog caught off the lead will result in a £10 fine to be donated to the show's chosen charity.
15. Please use the bins provided for litter and no mucking out of horseboxes onto the show field.
16. There will be no holding of any classes; competitors enter multiple classes at their own risk.
17. **All ponies attending the show must be vaccinated for Equine Influenza in line with NPS rules.**

**Native Pony Festival Committee**

Chairman & Treasurer – Mrs S. Dowdeswell  
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Committee – Mrs J. Grant and Mrs T. Turner

General Secretary – Mr C. Grant  
Show Director & Judges – Mrs B. McGrath  
Trophy Secretary - Mrs A. Redpath

**ENTRY FEES: PRE ENTRIES £15 per class. ENTRIES ON THE DAY at £20 per class.**

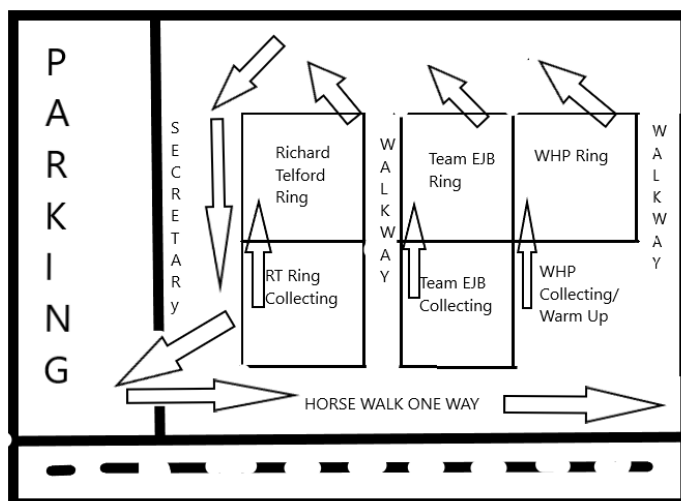
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1<sup>st</sup> Aid fee of £3 per rider/handler. The Mountain Rescue will be covering this event and all first aid fees will be donated to them.

**Native Pony Festival is affiliated to**

- The National Pony Society
- NPS Area 4
- HPEC Golden Anniversary Championship

**All ponies** at this show must be registered in the main body of their respective Mountain & Moorland Stud Books.



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This Show is a qualifier for The NATIONAL PONY SOCIETY SUMMER CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW to be held at Malvern from 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> August 2024. **All Classes to be run under National Pony Society Rules 2024.** You do not need to be a member of The National Pony Society to compete in any class at this Show. The Rules for the NPS can be found on their website [www.nationalponysociety.com](http://www.nationalponysociety.com) All competitors are deemed to have read the present rules of the National Pony Society upon entering, and other relevant Native Pony Societies Rules.

## **NATIONAL PONY SOCIETY CLASSES**

**NPS Summer Qualifying Rounds:** These classes are judged under the Rules of the NPS. Ponies must be registered in the main body of their respective M&M Stud Book.

Qualifying rounds for most NPS competitions are open to ponies owned by NPS members and non-members but only ponies owned by adult NPS **Qualifying or Life** members are eligible to qualify for the final of the competition at the NPS Summer Championship Show at Malvern from **6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> August 2024.**

**The highest placed pony, if owned by an NPS member, in each class will qualify for the final. Qualification may pass down to third place if the first and second ponies are already qualified.**

NPS/Corscaron Horse Essentials Home Produced Ridden Championship - Riders of Home Produced ponies (see definition in the NPS Rules Book) can wear a white arm band in classes where this is indicated. These ponies, if owned by NPS members, are then eligible to qualify for the final at the NPS Summer Championship Show. The Owner's Membership cards **MUST** be produced in the ring when requested or the qualification will be forfeit.

**NPS Silver Medal Rosette Championships:** These classes are judged under the Rules of the NPS. NPS Silver Medal Rosettes are only awarded when the owner of the champion pony is a **Qualifying or Life** member of the NPS. A valid membership card must be in the rider's/handler's possession on entering the ring and be produced immediately on request by either the judge or the steward. If the owner of the Champion pony is not a member, or the owner's membership card is not immediately produced, the rosette may be awarded to the Reserve Champion provided they have the required membership card. If the Champion pony has previously qualified it is still entitled to the Silver Medal Rosette, but the qualification card goes to the Reserve Champion pony, provided the owner of that pony is a member of the NPS. The Silver Medal Rosette and the qualification card can be awarded no lower than first Reserve (third). Foals are not eligible for Silver Medal Championships

## **Native Pony Festival Trophies**

**Class 15 Best Highland In Hand** *Tower Highland Piper Trophy*  
**Class 16 Best Fell In Hand** *The Dene Cup*  
**Class 12 Best Fell Pony Young stock** *North East FPS Group Tankard*  
**Class 17 Best Dales In Hand** *Tudor Dales Salver*  
**Class 10 Best Exmoor In Hand** *Beinnliath Plate*  
**Class 10 Best Dartmoor In Hand** *Senruf Tankard*  
**Class 10 Best Shetland In Hand** *The Southernwood Cup*  
**Class 18 Best N.Forest In Hand** *Northern New Forest Pony Supporters Group Salver*  
**Class 18 Best Connemara In Hand** *Glenwood Stud Salver*  
**Class 9 Welsh A & B Ponies – In Hand** *Equestrian Pilates Salver*  
**Class 14 Welsh C & D Ponies – In Hand** *Rhyd-ddu Glyndwr Trophy*  
**NPS Home Produced Ponies – In Hand** *The Kirkbridge Trophy*  
**Class 11 Welsh C/D Youngstock** – *The Scott Family Salver*  
**Supreme Champion Pony – In Hand** *The Peggy Howes Memorial Rosebowl*  
**Ringside Stud M & M Open Ridden** *Need4Tweed Rosebowl*  
**Highest Placed Connemara** – *The Sydserff Halley Rosebowl*  
**Highest Placed Dales, Fell or Highland** – *Tudor Dales Pony Tankard*  
**Dargavel M & M Open Ridden** *Highfox Stud Plate*  
**Picton Stud M & M Novice Ridden** *The Trailtrow Salver*  
**Highest Placed Dales, Fell or Highland** *Rackwood Fell Pony Stud Perpetual Rosebowl*  
**Peasedown Stud M & M Intermediate Ridden** *HPEC North East Rosebowl*  
**Ryehouse M & M Junior Ridden** *The Owens Family Perpetual Rosebowl*  
**NPF Starter Ridden** *The Gorfenletch Cup*  
**Supreme Ridden Champion** *The Dene Decoris Trophy*  
**Open Mini Ridden M&M Ponies** *The Tetcott Romance Trophy*  
**Novice Mini Ridden M & M Ponies** *Heddon Laws Tankard*  
**Supreme Mini Champion** *Rosefinch Trophy*  
**Novice Working Hunter Pony** *Mowhaugh Rosebowl*  
**Intermediate M & M WHP** *Dunedin Rhuann Tankard*  
**Tiny Tots WHP** *Native Pony Festival Tankard*  
**Junior M&M WHP** *Heltondale Mike Trophy*  
**Training Stakes WHP** *The Glendinning Family Cup*  
**Supreme WHP Champion** *Durham County Cars Trophy*

All trophies won in 2023 should be returned before the show to our trophy secretary Ann Redpath. If you intend to return trophies on the show day please email Ann [ann.redpath@solveit.org.uk](mailto:ann.redpath@solveit.org.uk) and let her know beforehand.

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Ring Timetable and Running Order

<b>RICHARD TELFORD RING</b>	<b>TEAM EJB RING</b>	<b>POLISHED PONIES RING</b>	<b>HOUGHTON COUNTRY RING</b>
<u>9am Prompt</u> <b>Small &amp; Large In hand</b> Mrs J Webb Classes 5-15  <b>Silver Medal In hand</b> Mrs J Webb  <b>Part Bred Classes</b> Miss S Coulter Classes 16-17  <b>Young Handler</b> Miss S Coulter Classes 42 - 43  <b>Novice/ Open Mini Ridden</b> Mrs D Hadwen Classes 38 – 41  <b>Mini Supreme</b> Mrs D Hadwen	<u>9am Prompt</u> <b>Starter/ Nursery Ridden</b> Miss S Coulter Class 18 – 19  <b>Amateur Ridden</b> Miss S Coulter Classes 20  <b>Novice Ridden</b> Mrs D Hadwen Classes 21-25  <b>Young Open Ridden</b> Mrs MC Nimmo Classes 26 – 28  <b>Intermediate Ridden</b> Mrs MC Nimmo Classes 29 - 33  <b>Open Ridden</b> Mrs D Hadwen Classes 34 - 35  <b>Silver Medal Ridden</b> Mrs D Hadwen	<u>9am Prompt</u> <b>Training Stakes</b> Mrs MC Nimmo Classes 44-46  <b>Junior WHP</b> Mrs EA Nicholls (J) & Mrs J Webb © Classes 47 – 49  <b>NPF Style and Performance</b> Miss S Coulter Classes 50 - 52  <b>Novice WHP</b> Mrs J Webb (J) & Mrs EA Nicholls © Classes 53 – 56  <b>Intermediate WHP</b> Mrs MC Nimmo (J) & © Classes 57 – 60  <b>WHP Supreme</b> Mrs MC Nimmo	<u>9am Prompt (Conf ring)</u> <b>HP In hand</b> Mrs EA Nicholls Classes 1-4  <b>Junior Ridden</b> Mrs EA Nicholls Classes 36 - 37

**NPS /BLACKERTOR & SHARPTOR STUD M&M In Hand Silver Medal Rosette Championship**

**Judge – Mrs J Webb**

*This Championship is kindly sponsored by B Print and Display*

A Silver Medal Rosette is offered by the National Pony Society for the best registered pony owned by an NPS Qualifying or Life member in the M&M In Hand section. Membership cards must be presented in the ring to receive the medal and/or the qualification.

NPS M&M Breed Champions Prelim Rounds Qualifier for the Great British In Hand Show – 7<sup>th</sup> September 2024, TBC. The Champion and Reserve will qualify for the NPS Area 4/Gowland Plumbing Services Northern Breeders Final to be held at the NPS Area 4 North of England Show on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> August 2024. Entry to the final is free. Schedule and details can be found on the website [npsarea4.com](http://npsarea4.com)

**Prizes in kind, presented by Equine Products to the Champion.**

**NPS / NIPNA DALES PONY STUD M&M Ridden Silver Medal Rosette Championship – Judge – Mrs D Hadwen**

*This Championship is kindly sponsored by TopSpec*

A Silver Medal Rosette is offered by the National Pony Society for the best registered pony owned by an NPS Qualifying or Life member in the M&M Ridden section (excluding Leading Rein, First Ridden & WHP). Membership cards must be presented in the ring to receive the medal and/or the qualification.

**Prizes in kind, presented by TopSpec to the Champion.**

**Native Pony Festival Overall WHP Championship – Judges – Mrs MC Nimmo**

*This Championship is kindly sponsored by Ryecroft Glenton, Chartered Accountants.*

**A £50 Training Bursary will be presented to the Champion, kindly donated by the Metcalf Family.**

**Native Pony Festival Overall Mini Championship – Judge – Mrs D Hadwen**

*This Championship is kindly sponsored by Bella Welsh*

**Horseworld, Gateshead will present a riding hat to the Champion.**

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## **IN HAND SECTION - If entries in In-hand classes suffice they will be split at the show's discretion**

### **NPS/ MOLE VALLEY FARMERS M&M Home Produced In Hand National Championship** - Judge – Mrs A Nicholls

Please see NPS Rule Book, Sec A 3.6.

Please enter this class in the spirit it is intended. Competitors who contravene the above will be disqualified.

**Class 1** - Small Breeds Colt, Filly or Gelding 3 years old and under. *kindly sponsored by Vicki Partington*

**Class 2** - Small Breeds Stallion, Mare or Gelding 4 years old and over *kindly sponsored by RS Equine*

**Class 3** - Large Breeds Colt, Filly or Gelding 3 years old and under *kindly sponsored by HPEC North East*

**Class 4** - Large Breeds Stallion, Mare or Gelding 4 years old and over *kindly sponsored by Katie Raine*

**Home Produced In-hand Championship** (1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize winners from the above classes to compete.)

*kindly sponsored by Merkel Dene Welsh Pony Stud*

Champion and Reserve Champion will then go forward to The Supreme Mountain & Moorland In hand Championship, and the **NPS M & M In Hand Silver Medal Rosette Championship (except foals)**.

### **Small Breeds In-hand** – Judge – Mrs J Webb

#### **NPS/ABSORBINE STUD M&M In Hand Summer Championship**

These classes are open to pure bred registered M&M ponies in the main body of their studbook. Owner's membership cards must be shown in the ring to receive qualifications. Foals are not eligible.

**Class 5** – Welsh A & Welsh B Colt, Filly or Gelding 3 years old and under *kindly sponsored by The Social Stirrup*

**Class 6** – Dartmoor/Exmoor/Shetland Colt, Filly or Gelding 3 years old and under *kindly sponsored by Juliet Rogers*

**Class 7** – Welsh A & Welsh B Stallion, Mare or Gelding 4 years old and over *kindly sponsored by Sam Cogden*

**Class 8** – Dartmoor/Exmoor/ Shetland Stallion/Mare/Gelding 4 years & over *kindly sponsored by Combebank Stud*

**Small Breeds In-hand Championship** (1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize winners from the above classes to compete.)

*kindly sponsored by Chesterwood Shetland Ponies.*

Champion and Reserve Champion will then go forward to The Supreme Mountain & Moorland In hand Championship, and the **NPS M & M In Hand Silver Medal Rosette Championship (except foals)**.

### **Large Breeds In-hand** – Judge – Mrs J Webb

#### **NPS/ABSORBINE M&M In Hand Summer Championship**

These classes are open to pure bred registered M&M ponies in the main body of their studbook. Owner's membership cards must be shown in the ring to receive qualifications. Foals are not eligible

**Class 9** – Connemara, New Forest, Welsh C & D Colt, Filly or Gelding 3 years old and under *kindly sponsored by Bella Welsh*

**Class 10** – Highland/Fell/Dales Colt/Filly/Gelding 3 years & under *kindly sponsored by Gillian Wright*

**Class 11** – Welsh C & Welsh D Stallion, Mare or Gelding 4 years old and over *kindly sponsored by Caroline Grey*

**Class 12** – Highland Stallion, Mare or Gelding 4 years old and over *kindly sponsored by Manor Born Highland Ponies*

**Class 13** – Fell Stallion, Mare or Gelding 4 years old and over *kindly sponsored by North East FPS Group*

**Class 14** – Dales Stallion, Mare or Gelding 4 years old and over *kindly sponsored by Kebroyd Stud*

**Class 15** – Connemara & New Forest Stallion/Mare/Gelding 4 yrs & over *kindly sponsored by NE Connemara Group*

**Large Breeds In-hand Championship** (1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize winners from the above classes to compete.)

*kindly sponsored by Intake Vets, Hexham*

Champion and Reserve Champion will then go forward to The Supreme Mountain & Moorland In hand Championship, and the **NPS M & M In Hand Silver Medal Rosette Championship (except foals)**.

## **PART BRED SECTION**

### **NPS/ The Andrews Family Part Bred National Championship**– Judge – Miss S Coulter

Horse/pony to be registered in the partbred section of one of the M&M studbooks with a minimum of 12.5% of that breed blood. Horses/ponies may be shown plaited or unplaited to suit type. Handler/Rider any age, except stallions (see rules in section A 3.2).

**Class 16** – Inhand Part Bred M&M. Horse/Pony any age excluding foals. *kindly sponsored by Home Foot Clinic*

**Class 17** – Ridden Part Bred M&M. Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years and over. Lead Rein and First Ridden exhibits are not eligible. *kindly sponsored by Edurance GB, Northumberland and Tyneside.*

**Part Bred Championship** (1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize winners to compete.) *kindly sponsored by Bella Welsh*

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**RIDDEN SECTION - If entries in Ridden classes suffice, they will be split at the show's discretion**

**Native Pony Festival Starter Ridden** – Judge – Miss S Coulter

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

Ponies not to have been placed 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> in any ridden class prior to 1<sup>st</sup> January of the current year.

**Class 18** Mixed Breeds Starter Ridden (This class is for ponies new to the show ring. Ponies will walk and trot only in the go round and cantering in the show is optional.) *kindly sponsored by AO Photo*

**Class 19** Mixed Breeds Nursery Novice Ridden (Ponies will walk, trot and canter in the go round)  
*kindly sponsored by Mount Huly Equestrian*

**Starter Ridden Championship** (1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from the above classes will compete.)

*kindly sponsored by Harriet Dean, Herd 14.*

**NPS/ M&M Amateur Ridden National Championship** – Judge – Miss S Coulter

Open to pure bred registered M&M stallions, mares and geldings four years old and over. Rider any age, except stallions.

*NPS/Fiona Cork Saddles Young Rider Championship Qualifier – for rider up to 25*

**Class 20** Amateur Ridden Small and Large breeds *kindly sponsored by Rebecca O'Rourke*

**NPS/ PICTON STUD M&M Novice Ridden National Championship** – Judge – Mrs D Hadwen

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, LIHS 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, LIHS 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.

*NPS/Fiona Cork Saddles Young Rider Championship Qualifier – for rider up to 25*

**Class 21** Dartmoor, Exmoor and Shetland *kindly sponsored by Eiadsnol Shetland Ponies*

**Class 22** Welsh A and Welsh B *kindly sponsored by Bella Welsh*

**Class 23** New Forest and Connemara *kindly sponsored by Wendy Howes, Riding & Driving Instructor*

**Class 24** Welsh C and Welsh D *kindly sponsored by Halcyon Maben*

**Class 25** Fell, Dales and Highland *kindly sponsored by Fellside Groundworks*

**Novice Ridden Championship** (1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from the above classes will compete.)

*kindly sponsored by Sparket Equestrian Events*

Champion and Reserve Champion will then go forward to The Supreme Mountain & Moorland Ridden Championship, and also the **NPS M & M Ridden Silver Medal Rosette.**

**NPS/ DARGAVEL M&M Young Ridden Pony National Championship** – Judge – Mrs MC Nimmo

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

*NPS/Fiona Cork Saddles Young Rider Championship Qualifier – for rider up to 25*

**Class 26** All breeds – 4 years old *kindly sponsored by Rhino Arena*

**Class 27** All breeds – 5 years old *kindly sponsored by Elaine Tweddel*

**Class 28** All breeds – 6 years old *kindly sponsored by 'A Townie on a Farm'*

**Young Open Ridden Championship** (1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from the above classes will compete.)

*kindly sponsored by MCF Wellbeing, Diana Beaumont.*

Champion and Reserve Champion will then go forward to The Supreme Mountain & Moorland Ridden Championship, and also the **NPS M & M Ridden Silver Medal Rosette.**

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**NPS/PEASEDOWN & JESS TALBOT M&M Intermediate Ridden National Championship** Judge – Mrs MC Nimmo

Open to pure bred registered M&M stallions, mares and geldings five years old or over.

A pony is not eligible to compete if it has qualified before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year for the Open M&M Ridden Championship final at Horse of the Year Show, Royal International Horse Show or London International Horse Show.

*NPS/Fiona Cork Saddles Young Rider Championship Qualifier – for rider up to 25*

- Class 29** Dartmoor, Exmoor and Shetland *kindly sponsored by Charlotte Carr*  
**Class 30** Welsh A and Welsh B *kindly sponsored by Bella Welsh*  
**Class 31** New Forest and Connemara *kindly sponsored by Charlotte Carr*  
**Class 32** Fell, Highland and Dales *kindly sponsored by Gillian Wright*  
**Class 33** Welsh C and Welsh D *kindly sponsored by Halcyon Maben*

**Intermediate Ridden Championship** (1st and 2nd prize winners to compete.) *kindly sponsored by Lesley Parker*

Champion and Reserve Champion will then go forward to The Supreme Mountain & Moorland Ridden Championship, and also the **NPS M & M Ridden Silver Medal Rosette**

**NPS/RINGSIDE STUD M&M Open Ridden National Championship** – Judge – Mrs D Hadwen

Open to registered pure bred M&M stallions, mares and geldings five years old or over.

*NPS/Corscaron Horse Essentials Home Produced Ridden Championship Qualifier– wear white arm bands.*

*NPS/Fiona Cork Saddles Young Rider Championship Qualifier – for rider up to 25 years*

*NB the following classes will be split if entries suffice*

- Class 34** Small Breeds *kindly sponsored by Jennifer Dart*  
**Class 35** Large Breeds *kindly sponsored by Linda Graham and Dalesman of Combebank*

**Open Ridden Championship** (1st and 2nd prize winners from the above classes will compete.)

*kindly sponsored by Hydrafix Horseboxes.*

Champion and Reserve Champion will then go forward to The Supreme Mountain & Moorland Ridden Championship, and also the **NPS M & M Ridden Silver Medal Rosette**.

**NPS/ Cooper Family M&M Junior Ridden National Championship** Judge – Mrs A Nicholls

Open to registered pure bred M&M mares and geldings four years old or over.

*NPS/Corscarron Horse Essentials Home Produced Ridden Championship – wear white arm bands.*

*NPS/Fiona Cork Saddles Young Rider Championship Qualifier – for rider up to 25*

- Class 36** Small Breeds (Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland Welsh A & B). Riders must not have attained their 14th birthday before the 1st January in the current year. *kindly sponsored by SRUC*  
**Class 37** Large Breeds (Dales, Fell, Highland, New Forest, Connemara, Welsh C & D) Riders must not have attained their 18th birthday before 1st January in the current year. *kindly sponsored by SRUC*

**Junior Ridden Championship** (1st and 2nd prize winners to compete.) *kindly sponsored by SRUC*

Champion and Reserve Champion will then go forward to The Supreme Mountain & Moorland Ridden Championship, and also the **NPS M & M Ridden Silver Medal Rosette**.

**MINI SECTION** \*\*\*\* Please note Tiny Tots WHP – Class 50 \*\*\*\*\*

**Open Mini Ridden** – Judge – Mrs D Hadwen

- Class 38** NPS / SHOWING CLASSICS Leading Rein National Championship  
Open to mares and geldings 4 years old or over not exceeding 122 cm registered in the main body of their respective Breed Society stud book. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday but must not have attained their 9th birthday before the 1st January in the current year. To be shown in a snaffle bit.

*NPS/Corscaron Horse Essentials Ridden Championship – wear white arm bands.*

*kindly sponsored by Rushfield Stud*

- Class 39** NPS / PARTRIDGE & PARR M& M First Ridden National Championship  
Open to mares and geldings four years old or over not exceeding 128 cm registered in the main body of their respective Breed Society stud book.. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday but not reached their 12th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

*NPS/Corscaron Horse Essentials Ridden Championship – wear white arm bands.*

*NPS/Fiona Cork Saddles Young Rider Championship Qualifier – for rider up to 25*

*kindly sponsored by Fiona Scott and Lee Carrol*

**Open Mini Ridden Championship** (1st and 2nd prize winners from the above classes will compete.)

Champion and Reserve Champion will then go forward to The Supreme Mountain & Moorland Mini Championship.

*kindly sponsored by Clare Dewhurst*

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**Novice Mini Ridden** – Judge – Mrs D Hadwen

**Class 40** NPS/ THE KINGS HEAD M&M Novice Leading Rein National Championship  
Open to mares and geldings 4 years old or over not exceeding 122 cm registered in the main body of their respective Breed Society stud book. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday but must not have attained their 9th birthday before 1st January in the current year.  
Ponies never to have won a first prize of £10 or more in Leading Rein classes or qualified for the NPS/Showing Classics M&M Leading Rein final before 1st January in current year. To be shown in a snaffle bit.  
*kindly sponsored by Greystonedale Mansion House, Holiday Retreat, Haltwhistle*

**Class 41** NPS / BRYNDEFAID STUD M&M Novice First Ridden National Championship  
Open to mares and geldings four years old or over not exceeding 128 cm registered in the main body of their respective Breed Society stud book.. Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday but not reached their 12th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.  
Pony never to have won a first prize of £10 or more in First Ridden classes or qualified for the NPS/Partridge & Parr M&M First Ridden Final before 1st January in current year.  
*NPS/Fiona Cork Saddles Young Rider Championship Qualifier – for rider up to 25*  
*kindly sponsored by Jean Airlie*

**Novice Mini Ridden Championship** (1st and 2nd prize winners to compete.) *kindly sponsored by Nicky Clarke*  
Champion and Reserve Champion will then go forward to The Supreme Mountain & Moorland Mini Championship.

**Young Handlers** – Judge – Miss S Coulter

Open to pure bred registered M&M mares and geldings four years old or over. Hard hats must be worn

**Class 42** Young Handler not to have attained their 9<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year.  
*kindly sponsored by Lee Carol*

**Class 43** Young Handler to have attained their 9<sup>th</sup> birthday but not to have attained their 13<sup>th</sup> birthday before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. *kindly sponsored by Wren Todd*

**Young Handler Championship** (1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners to compete.) *kindly sponsored by Jennifer Dart*

**WHP SECTION – Course Builder – Miss J Thompson, Northumberland**

**BACK PROTECTORS ARE RECOMMENDED IN ALL WHP CLASSES**

**NPS/ THE SIMONS FAMILY & MARBETH STUD WHP Training Stakes National Championship**

Judge – Mrs MC Nimmo

Ponies to jump a round of fences. This class will be judged on the jumping phase only.

Open to mares, geldings and stallions four year old and over.

Riders may only ride one pony in each class. Rider any age except stallions (see NPS rules).

**Class 44** Height of fences 45cms to 55cms *kindly sponsored by North Walbottle Waggonway*

**Class 45** Height of fences 55cms to 70cms *kindly sponsored by Julie 'Jools' Howard*

**Class 46** Height of fences 70cms to 85cms *kindly sponsored by Rothiemurchas Trekking Centre*

**Training Stakes WHP Championship** (1st and 2nd prize winners to compete.) *kindly sponsored by Equine Products*  
Champion and Reserve Champion will then go forward to The Supreme Mountain & Moorland WHP Championship.  
**A £25 Training Bursary will be presented to the Champion, kindly donated by the Metcalf Family.**

**NPS/ THE NICHOLLS FAMILY M&M Junior Working Hunter Pony National Championship**

Judge – Mrs A Nicholls (Jumping) and Mrs J Webb (Conf)

Open to registered pure bred M&M stallions, mares and geldings, four years old or over. The three highest placed ponies, owned by an NPS member, in each class go forward to the final. Where these ponies has already qualified the pony standing next in line, which is owned by an NPS member and has not already qualified, receives the qualification. Qualification goes no lower than fifth place.

**Class 47** Ponies exceeding 138cm but not exceeding 148cm (except for Dales and Welsh Section D for which there is no height restriction). Riders must not have attained their 18th birthday by the 1st January in the current year. *kindly sponsored by Alison Glendinning*

**Class 48** Ponies exceeding 128 cm but not exceeding 138cm. Riders must not have attained their 16<sup>th</sup> birthday by 1st January in the current year. *kindly sponsored by Trailtrow Highland Ponies*

**Class 49** Ponies not exceeding 128cm. Riders must not have attained their 14th birthday by 1st January in the current year *kindly sponsored by Gail Whetter*

**Junior WHP Championship** (1st and 2nd prize winners to compete.) *kindly sponsored by Amanda Hart, Brittleton Stud*  
Champion and Reserve Champion will then go forward to The Supreme Mountain & Moorland WHP Championship  
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**Native Pony Festival Style and Performance WHP** - Judge – Miss S Coulter

Ponies to jump a round of fences and on completion to immediately perform a short show including a change of rein. Rider any age, except for Tiny Tots. Open to mares, geldings and stallions (except Tiny Tots) four year old and over.

- Class 50** Tiny Tots Style and Performance WHP - Ponies not exceeding 128cm. Riders must not have attained their 12th birthday by 1st January in the current year. Lead Rein and Assistance Permitted. Jumps 30cms max. *kindly sponsored by Jane Ramsey*
- Class 51** 50cm Style and Performance WHP *kindly sponsored by Alison Glendinning*
- Class 52** 70 cm Style and Performance WHP *kindly sponsored by Ross Ward, Schooling & Breaking.*

**Style and Performance WHP Championship** (1st and 2nd prize winners from the above classes will compete.)  
*kindly sponsored by Newcastle Greyhound Rescue*

Champion and Reserve Champion will then go forward to The Supreme Mountain & Moorland WHP Championship.

**NPS /M&M Novice Working Hunter Pony National Championship** Judge – Mrs J Webb (J) and Mrs A Nichols (C)

Open to registered pure bred M&M stallions, mares and geldings, four years old or over. Riders may only ride one pony in each class. Ponies must be shown in a snaffle bit. A pony is not eligible to compete if, before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year, it has done any of the following:

- i) Won an open affiliated M&M WHP class
- ii) Qualified for Horse of the Year Show or RIHS Open WHP classes.
- iii) Qualified for the NPS M&M Novice or Intermediate WHP final at the NPS Summer Championship show. (NB Ponies can compete as novices for two consecutive years provided they do not make an entry in the final in the first year.)
- iv) If a pony qualifies for Horse of the Year Show or RIHS in its second year it is immediately denoviced and cannot compete in the Novice WHP Final.

- Class 53** Ponies exceeding 143cm but not exceeding 148cm (except for Dales and Welsh Section D for which there is no height restriction) *kindly sponsored by Perburn Highland Ponies*
- Class 54** Ponies exceeding 133 cm but not exceeding 143cm *kindly sponsored by Linnel Fell Ponies*
- Class 55** Ponies exceeding 122 cm but not exceeding 133 cm *kindly sponsored by Caroline Grey*
- Class 56** Ponies not exceeding 122 cm *kindly sponsored by Shivers Equine Transport*

**Novice WHP Championship** (1st and 2nd prize winners from the above classes will compete.)

*kindly sponsored by Equine Products*

Champion and Reserve Champion will then go forward to The Supreme Mountain & Moorland WHP Championship

**NPS / NPS Area 5 M&M Intermediate Working Hunter Pony National Championship**

Judge – Mrs MC Nimmo (Jump and Conf)

Open to registered pure bred M&M stallions, mares and geldings, **five** years old or over. Ponies never to have qualified for the NPS M&M Working Hunter Pony (Horse of the Year Show/RIHS) finals before 1<sup>st</sup> January in the current year. Riders may only ride one pony in each class.

- Class 57** Ponies not exceeding 122 cm *kindly sponsored by Laura Macdonald, Ronaura Dales Ponies*
- Class 58** Ponies exceeding 122 cm but not exceeding 133 cm *kindly sponsored by Judith Strange*
- Class 59** Ponies exceeding 133 cm but not exceeding 143cm *kindly sponsored by Amanda Barton*
- Class 60** Ponies exceeding 143cm but not exceeding 148cm (except for Dales and Welsh Section D for which there is no height restriction) *kindly sponsored by HPEC North East*

**Intermediate WHP Championship** (1st and 2nd prize winners from the above classes will compete.)

*kindly sponsored by Bella Welsh*

Champion and Reserve Champion will then go forward to The Supreme Mountain & Moorland WHP Championship

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<b>WHP FENCE HEIGHT INFORMATION</b>			
<b>NPS/ Novice WHP Classes</b>			
<b>Class</b>	<b>Minimum Height</b>	<b>Maximum Height</b>	<b>Maximum Spread</b>
Ponies not exceeding 122cms	45cms	60cms	45cms
Ponies exceeding 122cms but not exceeding 133cms	55cms	65cms	55cms
Ponies exceeding 133cms but not exceeding 143cms	65cms	75cms	65cms
Ponies exceeding 143cms	75cms	85cms	75cms
<b>NPS Area 5 Intermediate WHP Classes</b>			
<b>Class</b>	<b>Minimum Height</b>	<b>Maximum Height</b>	<b>Maximum Spread</b>
Ponies not exceeding 122cms	50cms	65cms	50cms
Ponies exceeding 122cms but not exceeding 133cms	60cms	75cms	60cms
Ponies exceeding 133cms but not exceeding 143cms	70cms	85cms	70cms
Ponies exceeding 143cms	80cms	95cms	80cms
<b>NPS/ Nicholls Family Junior WHP Classes</b>			
<b>Class</b>	<b>Minimum Height</b>	<b>Maximum Height</b>	<b>Maximum Spread</b>
Ponies not exceeding 122cms	50cms	65cms	50cms
Ponies exceeding 122cms but not exceeding 138cms	60cms	75cms	60cms
Ponies exceeding 138cms	70cms	80cms	65cms

## Native Pony Festival – Sun 19<sup>th</sup> May 2024 – Entry Form

Pre entries close – Weds 15<sup>th</sup> May. Pre entries £15 per class.

Exhibitor .....

Address .....

Telephone ..... Email .....

<b>Classes</b>	<b>Registered Name</b>	<b>Reg. No</b>	<b>Owner</b>	<b>Rider</b>	<b>Fee</b>
			<b>Medical Fee</b>		<b>£3.00 per rider/handler</b>
<b>Cheques payable to: 'Native Pony Festival'</b>			<b>Total</b>		

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Completed Forms should be returned to: Hannah Atkinson, Low House Farm,  
Carlton-in-Cleveland, Stokesley, TS9 7EA

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