

Horses

The closing date for entries in this Section is – FRIDAY 14TH AUGUST 2026.
STRICTLY NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER THIS DATE.
NO ENTRIES WILL BE TAKEN ON SHOW DAY.
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Exhibitors should allow for traffic hold-ups. All livestock exhibited in this section should enter the Showground through Gate C – Conistone Bridge.
All Main Ring Horse Events commence at 8.30 a.m.

8.30 a.m. RIDDEN HORSES CLASSES BEGIN
9am MOUNTAIN and MOORLAND CLASSES BEGIN
9am WORKING HUNTER CLASS BEGINS
9am NOVICE EQUINE RIDDEN CLASSES BEGIN
NOVICE EQUINE IN HAND CLASSES will not begin before 1pm

Exhibitors are asked to read the timetable to avoid clashes in the timing of classes they enter.

Rosettes presented to all Prize Winners in Heavy Horse Classes.

Rosettes will be presented in all classes to 6th place.
Prize money will be awarded to the first 4 places. Prize money must be claimed on Show Day.

Competitors are strongly advised to only bring horses to the show that have undertaken an Equine Influenza vaccination course, and are up to date with their boosters/injections.

Entry Fee £10.00 FOR ALL MAIN RING CLASSES (C10 – C26)
Entry Fee £7.00 FOR ALL CLASSES IN THE ELEANOR TOMLINSON RING (C29 – C47)
01/09/2026 08:00

Ridden Horses in the main ring

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Ring: Main Ring

Judges

Number	Name	Description
C10	Ridden Hunter	4 years and over, 14.3 hands or more, mare or gelding Trophies: GEORGIANA TROPHY
C11	Ridden Coloured	Piebald/Skewbald native or non-native type any size no lead-reins Trophies: THE NORTHERN HORSE DENTISTRY TROPHY
C12	Ridden Cob	Including Maxi-Cobs mare or gelding, 4 years and over suitable for general riding, pleasure rides and riding club. No jumping required
C13	Retrained Racehorse	Horses MUST have raced in UK or France. 4 Years and over. Not to be ridden by the Judge Trophies: COUNTRYWIDE FLAME TROPHY
C14	Hack & Trekking	Class for all-comers, nothing disallowed; must be under saddle with riders dressed as for a 3+ hour ride. Paces to be shown and optional tasks ie. open/shut gate to gain extra points. No jumping
C15	Ridden Horse Championship	1st & 2nd Prize winners from Classes C9?? To C14 no pre-entry Trophies: THE SCRET DRAWER TROPHY

Working Hunter

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Before class C16 there will be a Clear round working hunter. Jumping from 8.30am to 9.45am.

Entries taken on the day.

Entry Fee £3. Please bring cash.

Ring: Main Ring

Judges

Wendy Wild (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
C16	Mixed Height Mountain & Moorland Working Hunter	Pure Bred, natural state only, no-spurs. Judged as one class - same course for both sections only height changed for Large Breeds
C17	Working Hunter	Under 15 Hands to jump natural fences not more than 70cm
C18	Novice Working Hunter	15 Hands and over to jump natural fances not more that 90cm. A novice horse has not to have won more than £50 prize money in ANY jumping class - any horses that have will be transferred to Class 19
C19	Open Working Hunter	15 Hands and over to jump natural fences not more that 105cm
C20	Working Hunter Championship	1st & 2nd Prize winners from Classes 16 to 19 no pre-entry

Novice Equine Ridden Classes

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Ring: Eleanor Tomlinson Ring

Judges

Z Elliot (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
C29	Lead-rein any type/breed/size	To be judged on suitability for developing inexperienced rider's skills. Riders over 8 years, under 14 years - genuine novices in first showing season. Lead rein entrants must stay on lead for any other classes entered.
C30	First-ridden Showing	For slightly more experienced riders, able to go off the lead rein. Rider not to exceed 14 years of age.
C31	Walk & Trot	For novice ponies and/or riders. No cantering in go round, but short canter may be shown in the individual show if wanted.
C32	Veteran Horse/Pony	Ridden by a child or adult. For horses/ponies aged 15 years and older
C33	Junior Equitation	Riders 16 years and under. Horse/pony any size/type etc. To be judged on position, balance and effectiveness of rider and way of going of horse/pony.
C34	Senior Equitation	Riders over 16 years. Horse/pony any size/type etc. To be judged on position, balance and effectiveness of rider and way of going of horse/pony
C35	Ridden Championship	Pre-entry not permitted. No prize money Trophies: THE STOCKS RUARAI DH TROPHY

Hobby Horses

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Entries can be taken on the day. Cash only.

£5.00 Entry Fee.

Maximum 12 competitors in each class

Ring: Eleanor Tomlinson Ring

Judges

Ms Joanne Tiffany (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
C36	Best Turned Out	Traditional i.e. Normal riding clothes. Pony correctly turned out/presented.
C37	Walk/Trot/Canter (no jumps)	Judged on good use of arena, even rhythm and correct canter leads.
C38	25cm Jumping	Course of jumps to negotiate, clear rounds to jump off against the clock
C39	45cm Jumping	Course of jumps to negotiate, clear rounds to jump off against the clock
C40	60cm Jumping	Course of jumps to negotiate, clear rounds to jump off against the clock
C41	Chase-Me-Charlie (aka Puissance) if time permitting	How high can you and your pony go?!

Mountain and Moorland

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Malham & Kilnsey Show Mountain and Moorland Championship - Competitors will accumulate points for the Mountain and Moorland classes entered at both shows with a Championship trophy awarded to the points winner at Kilnsey Show, sponsored by Cragview Highland Ponies.

Rules

- Pure bred Mountain and Moorland ponies only, Shetland, Dartmoor, Exmoor, New Forest Fells, Dales, Highland, Connemara, Welsh A, B, C and D
- All ridden ponies must be 4 years and over on the day of the shows.
- Stallions welcome however must display stallion disc, wear correct harness and tack and be handled by persons 16 years and over.
- All ponies to be shown in natural state, with snaffle bridles and riders with no spurs.
- Points will accumulate as follows: 1pt for each and every Mountain and Moorland class entered then awarded for class placings: 1st Place, 10pts: 2nd Place, 8 points: 3rd Place, 6pts: 4th Place, 4 pts.
- Points will be totaled at the end of the final class at Kilnsey before awarding Championship.

Ring: Main Ring

Judges

Number	Name	Description
C21	In Hand Small Breeds Moutain & Moorland (Pure Bred)	To be shown in natural state. For registered Shetland, Dartmoor, exmoor andWelsh Sec A & B ponies. Mares, geldings or stallions
C22	In Hand Large Breeds Mountain & Moorland (Pure Bred)	To be shown in natural state. For registered , Welsh C & D, Connemara, Sales, New Forest and Highland ponies. Mares, geldings or stallions
C23	Mountain & Moorland Lead Rein Class	Open to any breed of Mountain & Moorland pony, pony must be 4 years old or over. Rider must be aged 3 or under 8 on showday. The pony must wear a snaffle bridle with lead rein attached to the noseband and not to the bit. Leader must be 16 years or over.
C24	Mountain & Moorland First Ridden	Rider must be 12 years or under on showday. Rider must be suitably mounted regarding size of mount. Must be shown in a snaffle bridle. Trot & Canter in a group before rider shows mount individually and should show canter.
C25	Open Ridden Small Breeds Mountain & Moorland (Pure Bred)	No spurs, to be shown in natural state. For registered Shetland, Dartmoor, exmoor andWelsh Sec A & B ponies. Mares, geldings or stallions
C26	Open Ridden Large Breeds Mountain & Moorland (Pure Bred)	No spurs, to be shown in natural state. For registered , Welsh C & D, Connemara, Sales, New Forest and Highland ponies. Mares, geldings or stallions
C27	Mountain & Moorland Championship	For 1st & 2nd prize winners from Classes C14. C15, C21 to C24. No pre-entry Trophies: WYMINGBROOK STUD SHIELD

Shire Horses

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Kilnsey Show is affiliated to the Shire Horse Society.

A Silver Spoon and Rosette will be awarded to a Mare or Filly owned by a member of that Society.

All animals competing for this award must be registered or eligible for registration in the Stud Book or Grade B Register. The Stud Book number and the horse's registered names should be included on the entry form.

Ring: Main Ring

Judges

Michael Martin (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
C1	Brood Mare with foal at foot	NULL Trophies: GEORGE HUCK MEMORIAL TROPHY
C2	Foal, Colt or Filly, born in 2024	to be shown in ring with or without mare. Trophies: P. W. BEDFORD CUP
C3	Yearling, Colt, Gelding or Filly	champion and reserve to be awarded
C4	Two-year-old, Colt, Gelding or Filly	for the best heavy horse under 3 years old, to be decided between the winners of class 3 and 4. Champion and reserve to be awarded Trophies: GEORGE CRELLAN CUP
C5	Barren Mare, Gelding or Filly	3 years and over Trophies: THE DW SUNDERLAND TROPHY
C6	Pair of heavy horses	NULL
C7	Best animal in the shire horse section	Champion and reserve to be awarded. Trophies: PETER CLARKE AUTOS TROPHY

Heavy Horses

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Ring: Main Ring

Judges

Number	Name	Description
C8	Any Other Pure Bred Heavy Horse.	
C9	BRHHS Eversley Ridden Heavy Horses	Open to horses, 4 years old and over that are registered in the main British Stud Books of the Shire, Clydesdale, Suffolk or Percheron Society at the time of qualification and must be entered in the name and ownership they are registered. Qualification to be awarded no lower than third place if the winning horse has already qualified. Riders will be required to give a short individual show at walk, trot & canter or set show lasting approximately 2 minutes. Change of rein and lengthened strides in trot and canter must be shown. Rein back, (optional) stand still and obedience to the leg. Horses should leave the ring at a walk or trot. Entries will not be asked to jump.

Local Rider championship

The local horse/pony who gains the most points from competing in any of the horse/pony classes at the show.

Ring: Main Ring

Judges

Number	Name	Description
Trophy	Local Horse/Pony	Local Horse/Pony who gains the most points from competing in any of the horse/pony classes at the show. It need not be ridden by the same rider in each class. Trophies: CHRISTA TROPHY

Novice Equine In-hand Classes

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Ring: Eleanor Tomlinson Ring

Judges

Number	Name	Description
C42	Young Handler	Handler to be aged 16 years and under on show day. Judged on how child handles and presents the pony and general turnout. Age taken into account.
C43	Senior Handler	16 years or over on show day. Judged on how handler handles and presents horse/pony and general turnout.
C44	Condition In-Hand	Judged on horse/pony's general condition and turnout.
C45	Veteran Horse/Pony	To be judged on overall condition and turnout, for equines over the age of 15 years.
C46	Mountain and Moorland Part-Bred	Any height/type/age. Shown by an adult or a child.
C47	In-hand Championship	Pre-entry not permitted. No prize money

Supreme Championship

Champion Classes C15, C20, C27

Ring: Main Ring

Judges

Number	Name	Description
C28	Supreme Show Championship	All Champions and Reserves from Classes C15, C20 & C27. No pre-entry Trophies: ELLISON CUP