**SOUTH WEST SHETLAND PONY GROUP** 



## \*\*\*SHETLAND SHOW\*\*\*

## by kind invitation from DUNSTER COUNTRY FAIR

# WEDNESDAY 30<sup>th</sup>JULY 2025

## held at

## DUNSTER CASTLE LAWN, TA24 6NY 10.00am start

### Affiliated to the Shetland Pony Stud-Book Society

# \*\*\* BRONZE MEDALS \*\*\*

Postal Entries ONLY: Classes 1 – 3, 6 – 17 Members £8.00 per entry Non-Member £10.00 per entry Classes 4 & 5 £5.00 per entry

## Postal Entries ONLY will close on SATURDAY 12<sup>th</sup> JULY 2025

Due to Dunster Country Fair issuing E Tickets for entry into the Show, there will be

## \*\*\*\*NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED\*\*\*\*

#### Please Note there is a change to the Entry Passes from last Year

Each Exhibitor entered will receive 2 E Tickets which includes the Driver. The E Tickets will be issued by Dunster Country Fair. Please can all Exhibitors provide an Email Address to be able to receive your E Tickets.

Extra Tickets can be purchased in Advance (please see next page)

Please write your entries on the Entry Form and include your Name, Address, Email Address and Tel No. Send to: Mrs. Elaine Locke, Niases, Jacobstowe, Okehampton, Devon, EX20 3RJ

Any queries please contact me on 01837 851308 or Email elainelocke58@hotmail.co.uk

For Show Day ONLY you can contact Elaine on her Mobile : 07904 171450

Extra Tickets can be purchased in Advance - Adult		£13.00
	Child (under 16 years)	£4.00
	Family	£30.00
Prices on the Gate -	Adult	£15.00
	Child (under 16 years)	£5.00
	Family	£35.00
Prices on the Gate -	Adult Child (under 16 years)	£15.00 £5.00

Exhibitors Numbers will be posted out

#### **First Aid**

In order to comply with the Health & Safety of Dunster Country Fair the SWSPG has been asked for each Exhibitor to contribute the sum of £3.00 for First Aid. There will be 2 Ambulances on the field with 2 Paramedic Crews. Also 2 First Responders at the First Aid Post.

Photographer – Martha Morgan Photography

**Rosettes**  $1^{st} - 6^{th}$  in all classes except classes 1 & 2, 4 & 5 where there is **Rosettes** to all.

**SPS-BS Rosettes** must only be given to ponies registered with the Society or to Foals eligible for registration.

**SPS-BS BRONZE MEDALS** – The Shetland Pony Stud-Book Society Bronze Medals will be awarded to the Champion Miniature, Champion Standard and the Ridden Champion. Pony subject to being registered with the SPS-BS and the owner/exhibitor is a fully paid up Member of the SPS-BS. In the event of the Champion pony or owner/exhibitor not being eligible, the Bronze Medal can be awarded to the Reserve Champion, should they meet the Registration and Membership requirements. Medals will be awarded by the Show Secretary, upon production of a current SPS-BS Membership Card.

**Trythall Stud Trophy** will be awarded to the Supreme Champion. Winner **MUST** be a Member of the SWSPG. The Trophy is Perpetual and **MUST** be signed for.

#### Judge: MS. G. WRIGHT Ringwood, Hants.

1. Lead Rein Pony Mare or Gelding 4 years old & over. Rider must have attained their 3<sup>rd</sup> birthday by the day of their class and not to have attained their 9<sup>th</sup> birthday on the 1<sup>st</sup> January of year of Show. Ponies must be shown in a suitable snaffle bridle. The lead rein must be attached to the noseband only. The reins must go directly from the bit to the rider's hands. The only attachment to the saddle allowed are a crupper or handle. Reins must not be attached to the handle or saddle. The reins must be an appropriate length and not knotted together or stitched together at a shorter length.

SPS-BS Rosette to the winner of the class. Rosettes to all

**2.** First Ridden Pony Mare or Gelding, 4 years old & over. Rider must have attained their 3<sup>rd</sup> birthday by the day of their class and not to have attained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday by the 1<sup>st</sup> January of the year of Show. Ponies must be shown in any suitable snaffle bridle. Ponies must not be cantered except in their individual show.

SPS-BS Rosette to the winner of the class. Rosettes to all

**3.** Open Ridden Pony Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old & over. Any rider of suitable height and weight. Rider any age except for Stallions where the rider must have attained their 12<sup>th</sup> birthday by the day of their class. Any suitable bridle is permitted apart from bitless bridles & running gags.

**SPS-BS Rosette** to the winner of the class.

#### **Ridden Championship**

1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> prizewinners from classes 1 – 3 to compete BRONZE MEDAL awarded to the Champion (see details on the second page)

4. Young Handler 3 – 8 years old. (Must be 3 years of age on the day of the Show) No Colts or Stallions in this class. Entry Fee £5.00
SPS-BS Rosette to the winner of the class. Rosettes to all

5. Young Handler 9 – 14 years old.
No Colts or Stallions in this class. Entry Fee £5.00
SPS-BS Rosette to the winner of the class. Rosettes to all

#### Young Handler Championship Kindly Sponsored by Flood Control International

1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> prizewinners from classes 4 & 5 to compete

All Colts 2 or 3 years old must be suitably bitted and it is recommended they display a Colt badge on their bridle.

6. Standard Yearling, Colt, Filly or Gelding

7. Miniature Yearling, Colt, Filly or Gelding Kindly Sponsored by Anne Fairweather

8. Standard 2 or 3 years old, Colt, Filly or Gelding Special Rosette for the Best 2 year old

**9. Miniature** 2 or 3 years old, Colt, Filly or Gelding **Special Rosette** for the Best 2 year old

#### **Standard Junior Championship**

1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> prizewinners from classes 6 & 8 to compete **SPSB-S Rosettes** to the Champion and Reserve Champion

#### **Miniature Junior Championship**

1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> prizewinners from classes 7 & 9 to compete **SPSB-S Rosettes** to the Champion and Reserve Champion All Stallions **MUST** have an 'S' number to be eligible for entry in classes 14 – 17. Please read Rule number 15 before entering. It is advised to display a Stallion Badge on their bridle.

10. Standard 4 years old & over Gelding

11. Miniature 4 years old & over Gelding

**12. Standard** 4 years old & over Mare*Kindly Sponsored by* **Pauline HemusSpecial Rosette** for the Best Foal out of a Mare in this class

**13.** Miniature 4 years old & over Mare**Special Rosette** for the Best Foal out of a Mare in this class

14. Standard 4 years old & over Stallion

15. Miniature 4 years old & over Stallion

16. Midi 4 years old & over Stallion, Mare or GeldingTo exceed 34" but not to exceeding 38"This class is not eligible to compete in any Championship

17. Veteran Pony Standard or Miniature, Stallion, Mare or Gelding. To be 15 years old & over.
Best Veteran Rosette to the winner of the class.
This class is not eligible to compete in any Championship

#### **Gelding Championship**

Highest placed Gelding from classes 6 – 9 with the 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> prizewinners from classes 10 & 11 to compete. **SPS-BS Rosette** to the Champion

#### **Standard Championship**

Junior Champion & Junior Reserve Champion with the 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> prizewinners from classes 10, 12 & 14 to compete **SPS-BS Rosettes** to the Champion & Reserve Champion **BRONZE MEDAL** awarded to the Champion (see details on the second page)

#### **Miniature Championship**

Junior Champion & Junior Reserve Champion with the 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> prizewinners from classes 11, 13 & 15 to compete **SPS-BS Rosettes** to the Champion & Reserve Champion **BRONZE MEDAL** awarded to the Champion (see details on the second page)

#### Supreme Championship

Kindly Sponsored by Flood Control International

Standard Champion & Reserve Champion, Miniature Champion & Reserve Champion

and Ridden Champion & Reserve Champion to compete.

The Trythall Stud Perpetual Trophy to the Supreme Champion

## SWSPG RULES

#### By entering the Show, you have agreed and accepted all these rules

1) The Organisers of the Shetland Pony Ring (Show) have taken all reasonable precautions to ensure the health and safety of everyone present. For these measures to be effective, everyone **MUST** take care to prevent accidents occurring and **MUST** obey the instructions of the Officials and Stewards.

2) All Exhibitors are advised to have their own Public Liability Insurance.

3) All vehicles are parked at the risk of the Owners and the Organisers will not be liable for any damage whatsoever or how so ever caused.

4) First Aid is on site. Read all about First Aid on page 2 of this Schedule.

5) Objections which may only be lodged by the Owner or their authorised representative must be handed to the Secretary, in writing within 15 minutes of the incident and must be accompanied by £20 deposit. Returnable if the objection is upheld.

6) No entry will be accepted unless accompanied by the correct entry fee.

7) The Organisers reserve the right to limit entries and refuse entry to any Exhibitor without giving a reason.

8) This Show is also run under the rules of the Shetland Pony Stud-Book Society (SPS-BS).9) The Judge's decision is final.

10) All Ponies entered must be registered with the Shetland Pony Stud-Book Society. Ponies full name must be on the entry form.

11) SPS-BS Rosettes must only be given to ponies registered with the Society or to Foals eligible for registration.

12) 3 years old Fillies with Foals at foot may not be shown.

13) All Foals must be a minimum of 3 weeks old on the day of the Show.

14) All Stallions and Colts 2 years old and over must be suitably bitted. They are also advised to display a Colt/Stallion Bridle Badge.

15) IN ORDER TO ENTER A STALLION IN HAND OR A RIDDEN CLASS AT AN AFFILIATED SHOW, ENTIRE MALES AGED 4 YEARS OLD AND OVER **MUST** HAVE AN 'S' NUMBER AND HAVE BEEN SUCCESSFULLY THROUGH EITHER THE SPS-BS STALLION ASSESSMENT PRIOR TO 2006 OR THE CURRENT SPS-BS VOLUNTARY VETERINARY EXAMINATION.

In Hand Classes Stallion/Colts are advised to display a Bridle Badge. All Stallions in Ridden classes **MUST** wear a Bridle Badge.

16) Exhibitors should not kneel but remain standing while in the Ring.

17) There MUST be no Colts or Stallions in the Young Handler classes.

18) Children under 14 years old may not show Colts (excluding Foals) or Stallions in the In Hand classes.

19) Handlers of ponies in the In Hand classes aged 14 years old and under **MUST** wear correctly secured Skull Caps/Riding Hats conforming to current British Safety Standards /Specifications.

20) Riders of all ages **MUST** wear correctly secured Skull Caps/Riding Hats conforming to current British Safety Standards/Specifications.

21) Riders of Stallions **MUST** be 12 years old and over.

22) 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.

23) Whips or canes must not exceed 30"

24) Mobile phones are not permitted in the Ring under any circumstance.

25) All dogs must be kept on leads at all times.

26) For the safety of spectators, especially children, the Collecting Ring Area is for **EXHIBITORS ONLY**. **Please adhere to this Rule.** 

## **DIRECTIONS**

Postcode for Showfield is TA24 6NY

From North take Junction 23 (Bridgwater) then A39

From South come off M5 at Junction 26 then A38/A358/A39

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### The South West Shetland Pony Group Committee

We would like to thank Dunster Country Fair for their kind invitation for our Group to run a Shetland Show at the Fair. A big thank you to Ms. G. Wright for agreeing to Judge. Also to our Sponsors – Flood Control International, Anne Fairweather and to Pauline Hemus. Your Sponsorship is very much appreciated. Thanking all Exhibitors in anticipation of your support.

Hope you all will have a lovely day and enjoy the Fair