

# Dunster Country Fair

Exmoor Pony Classes

Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> July 2026

Dunster Show Ground TA24 6NY,  
Access directly from the A39



Ring 2, 9.30am start

Judge: Mr D Brewer

Entries to close: 19<sup>th</sup> July 2026

Show Secretary: Miss C Matravers,

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## **In-hand Classes**

**Class 1: Yearlings; colt, filly or geldings**

**Class 2: 2 year olds; colt filly or geldings**

**Class 3: 3 year olds; colt, filly or geldings**

**In-hand Youngstock Championship**

***1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winner from classes 1, 2 and 3***

**Class 4: 4 years and over Stallions**

**Class 5: 4 years and over Geldings**

**Class 6: 4 years and over Mares with foal at foot**

**Class 6a: Best Foal** (*foal must be at least 3 weeks of age on the day of the show*)

**Class 7: 4 years and over Mares without foal at foot**

*(Prize to the Best Veteran, 16 years and over)*

**Senior Championship:**

***1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from classes 4,5,6 and 7***

**Class 8: In-hand pairs**

**Class 9: Best bred on Exmoor**

**Class 10: Best bred outside of Exmoor**

**Class 11: Junior Handler, 14 years and under**

## **Ridden Classes**

**Class 12: Lead Rein and Junior ridden**

**Class 13: Novice ridden** (*Pony not to have won prize money of more than 15 at the time of entry closure. Pony is to be ridden in a snaffle bridle*)

**Class 14: Open Ridden**

**Ridden Championship**

**1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> prize winners from classes 12,13 and 14**

**Best rider over the age of 21**

Bottle of champagne to be awarded to the best rider over 21 years old. In loving memory of Jackie Ablett and Gill Langdon.

**Best rider under 18**

The Marion Williams award will be awarded to the best rider under 18

**Exmoor Pony of the Year Qualifier**

Will be awarded to the Champion Youngstock and Senior pony, also to the Champion Ridden pony

**Rosette for the highest placed Exmoor Area Member**

Points to be awarded to Exmoor Area Members, for their placing in each class.

1<sup>st</sup> 6pts, 2<sup>nd</sup> 5pts etc

## **Rules**

All children under 14 years old must wear a correctly fitting, safety hat when leading ponies inside or outside of the ring.

All ponies are to be registered in section 1 of the EPS stud book

All Stallions and Colts over 2 years old must wear stallion or colt badges that are easily viewable. They must also be in possession of a stallion licence

Brood mares are to be 4 years and over

Foals at foot must be 3 weeks of age or older on the day of the show

No spurs are to be worn in any ridden classes

No schooling whips longer than 30" are to be used in the ring

No assistance from outside of the ring will be allowed

The judge's decision is final

Dunster Country Fair and the Exmoor Pony Society accept no responsibility for any form of loss, damage or injury incurred by competitors, horses, spectators or property on the show ground.

## Entry Form:

Entry closing date – 19<sup>th</sup> July 2026

Class No	Pony Name	Registration No	Sex	Age	Owner	Entry Fee

**Entry Fee: £10 per class**

**£2 per pony to be paid for St Johns Ambulance, first aid cover.**

**Name:**

**Address:**

**Contact Number:**

**Cheques to be made payable to; Exmoor Area Exmoor Pony Society**

**BACS Payment: Exmoor Area Exmoor Pony Society**

**Account: 64124562**

**Sort code: 30-99-50**

**Reference: DCF26 then your initials please.**

**All postal entries to be sent to: Miss C Matravers, 1 The Firs, Wheddon Cross  
TA24 7DS**

**Email Entries: [exmoorarearep@gmail.com](mailto:exmoorarearep@gmail.com)**

**ENTRIES BY ANY OTHER FORM WILL NOT BE COUNTED**