



South West Pony Association

'Promoting showing for all ages and types of equines'

Championship Show 2025

At The David Broome Centre, Crick, Monmouthshire. NP26 5XP

Thursday 28 August – Saturday 30 August 2025

SWPA Family Showing Series

Kindly Sponsored by TYNPORTH & FFOSCELYN STUDS

This competition is for owners / competitors who genuinely do the work themselves from home.

All we ask is that you enter in the genuine spirit of the competition and that you are entering an equine not to have been produced professionally by another person in the show ring in the category entered in the past two years.

The equine MUST be ridden or shown by a member of the family.

We may ask to see proof of ownership or lease/loan papers to prove this, and will sanction anyone found to be abusing this rule.

PLEASE NOTE: You do not need to be registered with SWPA to enter these classes

This Series takes place on Friday 29 August with the final held during the 'Evening Performance'

IN-HAND SECTION

Class 351 In-Hand Pony. Any Type (exc M&M). Youngstock. *(Special Rosette to Best Yearling)*

Class 352 In-Hand Pony. Any Type (exc M&M). Four & over.

Class 353 In-Hand Horse/Hack/Hunter/Cob. Any type. Youngstock. *(Special Rosette to Best Yearling)*

Class 354 In-Hand Horse/Hack/Hunter/Cob. Any type. Four & over.

Class 355 In-Hand Coloured Horse/Pony. Youngstock. *(Special Rosette to Best Yearling)*

Class 356 In-Hand Coloured Horse/Pony. Four & over.

M&M Small Breeds must be registered in the Pure Breed Society Stud books of Shetland, Dartmoor, Exmoor, Welsh A & B

Class 357 In-Hand M&M Small Breeds. Youngstock. *(Special Rosette to Best Yearling)*

Class 358 In-Hand M&M Small Breeds. Four & over.

M&M Large Breeds must be registered in the Pure Breed Society Stud books of New Forest, Connemara, Dales, Fell, Highland, Welsh C & D

Class 359 In-Hand M&M Large Breeds. Youngstock. *(Special Rosette to Best Yearling)*

Class 360 In-Hand M&M Large Breeds. Four & over.

Class 361 In-Hand Veteran. Any type, Fifteen years old & over

IN-HAND CHAMPIONSHIP (ch60):

1st & 2nd placed exhibits from classes 351 – 361 to compete.

Champion & Reserve to go forward to the Family Showing Series Championship held during the 'Evening Performance'

MINI RIDDEN SECTION

Class 370 Leading Rein Open Show Pony & Show Hunter Pony. Mare or Gelding. Four years old and over, not exceeding 122cms.

Riders not to have attained their 9th birthday before 1st January in the current year.

To be led by an attendant, and shown in a SNAFFLE BRIDLE, the Lead Rein to be attached to the noseband only, and held in the Leader's outside hand.

Class 371 First Ridden Open Show Pony & Show Hunter Pony. Mare or Gelding. Four years old and over, not exceeding 122cms.

Riders not to have attained their 10th birthday before 1st January in the current year. To be shown in a SNAFFLE BRIDLE.

Class 372 Mountain & Moorland Lead Rein. Open to registered Shetland, Exmoor, Dartmoor, New Forest, Welsh Section A or B. Mare or Gelding.

Four years old or over not exceeding 122cms. Riders not to have attained their 9th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

To be led by an attendant, and shown in a SNAFFLE BRIDLE, the Lead Rein to be attached to the noseband only, and held in the Leader's outside hand.

Class 373 Mountain & Moorland First Ridden. Open to registered Shetland, Exmoor, Dartmoor, New Forest, Welsh Section A or B. Mare or Gelding.

Four years old or over not exceeding 128cms. Riders not to have attained their 12th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

To be shown in a SNAFFLE BRIDLE.

MINI RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP (ch61):

1st & 2nd placed exhibits from classes 370 – 373 to compete.

Champion & Reserve to go forward to the Family Showing Series Championship held during the 'Evening Performance'

RIDDEN SECTION

Class 376 Ridden Show Pony/ Show Hunter Pony. Mare or Gelding. Four years old and over. Show Pony not exceeding 148cms.
Show Hunter Pony not exceeding 153cms. (*Riders to be suitable size for pony ridden*)

Class 377 Ridden Intermediate Show Riding / Show Hunter Type. Mare or Gelding. Four years old and over. Show Riding Type exceeding 146cms but not exceeding 158cms. Show Hunter Type exceeding 148cms but not exceeding 158cms. (*Riders to be suitable size for intermediate ridden*)

Class 378 Ridden Hack / Riding Horse / Hunter / Cob. Mare or Gelding. Four years old and over.
Hack not to exceed 160cms. Riding Horses/Hunter to exceed 148cms. Riders to have attained their 15th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Cobs, any height, (*Riders to be suitable size for equine ridden*)

Class 379 Ridden Competition Horse / Pony. Stallion, Mare or Gelding. Four years old and over. Riders any age. (*see rules for Ridden Stallions*)

Class 380 Ridden Coloured Horse / Pony. Stallion, Mare or Gelding. Four years old and over. Riders any age. (*see rules for Ridden Stallions*)

Class 381 Junior Rider. Any Type/Breed. Four years old and over. Rider must be 15 years and under at 1st January in the current year.

Class 382 Senior Rider. Any Type/Breed. Four years old and over. Rider must be 16 years and over at 1st January in the current year.

All exhibits in this Mountain & Moorland section MUST be registered with their respective Breed Society Stud Books

Class 383 Ridden Shetland, Exmoor, Dartmoor. Stallion, Mare or Gelding. Four years old and over. Riders any age. (*see rules for Ridden Stallions*)

Class 384 Ridden Welsh sections A & B. Stallion, Mare or Gelding. Four years old and over. Riders any age. (*see rules for Ridden Stallions*)

Class 385 Ridden New Forest, Connemara. Stallion, Mare or Gelding. Four years old and over. Riders any age. (*see rules for Ridden Stallions*)

Class 386 Ridden Dales, Fell, Highland. Stallion, Mare or Gelding. Four years old and over. Riders any age. (*see rules for Ridden Stallions*)

Class 387 Ridden Welsh sections C & D. Stallion, Mare or Gelding. Four years old and over. Riders any age. (*see rules for Ridden Stallions*)

Class 388 Ridden Veteran. Fifteen years & over. Stallion, Mare or Gelding. Four years old and over. Riders any age. (*see rules for Ridden Stallions*)

RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP (ch62):

1st & 2nd placed exhibits from classes 376 – 388 to compete.

Champion & Reserve to go forward to the Family Showing Series Championship held during the 'Evening Performance'

SWPA FAMILY SHOWING CHAMPIONSHIP (EVP9)

Kindly Sponsored by TYNPORTH & FFOSCELYN STUDS

All exhibitors will be expected to wear 'Evening Dress'

Champion and Reserve Champion from the following sections: -

Family Showing In-Hand classes 351 – 361, Family Showing Mini Ridden classes 370 – 373, Family Showing Ridden classes 376 – 388

Presentation of Awards

Champion: Sash, £75.00 & SWPA Family Showing Trophy. Kindly donated by Lin Herridge & Anna Gapper

Reserve Champion: Sash & £50.00

First Reserve: Sash & £25.00

Entries via: www.showingscene.com

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New Classes in this schedule for 2025 !!

Seniors Working Hunter Class on Thursday

Senior Handler Classes on Friday

Owner Bred Ridden Classes on Saturday

Best Equine Groups of Three during Thursday night 'Evening Performance'

Palomino & Dilute In-Hand & Ridden Affiliated Classes on Saturday

Hobby Horse Dressage & Show Jumping on Saturday

Extra Low Height Show Jumping & Arena Eventing Classes on Friday