

THE BRITISH SKEWBALD AND PIEBALD ASSOCIATION.
SOUTH WEST REGION
STAR OF THE WEST
SPRING SHOW
INCLUDING QUALIFIERS FOR THE NATIONAL
CHAMPIONSHIPS
AND
ROYAL INTERNATIONAL HORSE SHOW
INCLUDING
YOUNGSTOCK EVALUATION & VETERAN CLASSES

Skewbald and Piebalds only.

Open to members and non - members
(Except RIHS classes)

SUNDAY 22ND APRIL 2012

AT

THE GRANGE EQUESTRIAN CENTRE
NORTHLEW ROAD
OKEHAMPTON. DEVON
01837 52858

THE SHOW WILL BE HELD IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE BRITISH HORSE SOCIETY GUIDELINES
FOR THE WELFARE OF HORSES AND PONIES AT EVENTS
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QUALIFICATION DETAILS

All classes are affiliated to the British Skewbald and Piebald Association with qualifiers for the World Championships of colour August 18th-19th 2012, held at an independent show at EQUIFEST, EAST OF ENGLAND SHOW GROUND, PETERBOROUGH. Classes will be judged within the rules and criteria of the BSPA, copies can be obtained from them. Please note that you do not have to be a member to compete but you must hold a current membership to qualify for the World Championships.

1st - 3rd or three highest placed in open classes will qualify.

All qualification cards MUST be signed in the ring by the judge in order to be valid.

Classes 10 and 11, the Brightwell Auctioneers Skewbald and Piebald Sports Horse and Pony In Hand National Championship Qualifier. These classes are for athletic horses and ponies that have the conformation and movement to compete in dressage, show jumping, one day eventing, and that have a **verified/proven parentage passport, breeding must be indicated on the entry form**. The three highest places in each class will qualify for the final to be held at the British Skewbald and Piebald Association World Championships of Colour. At the final, the Champion will receive £50, the Reserve £25

Each horse or pony is to be judged individually on a triangle and also walked and trotted round the ring as a class. Marks will be awarded for conformation, walk, trot, and overall impression. Handlers, owners and horses/ponies, must be members of the BSPA for qualification to remain valid. These classes are open to BSPA members with registered horses/ponies only.

Classes 21-26 are affiliated to the British Skewbald and Piebald Association and are qualifiers for the Royal International Horse Show at Hickstead on Tuesday 17 July 2012. These classes will be judged under BSPA rules, copies of which can be obtained from them. All horses/ponies must be registered with, and owners and riders members of the BSPA prior to the show. Rider age is taken from the 1st January. All stallions must be graded and licensed by BSPA and in possession of a BSPA Stallion I D card. No rider less than 14 years old may exhibit a stallion in any class. Membership and Qualification cards **MUST** be carried in the ring by competitors and produced as required for inspection and signature. Failure to do so will disqualify any competitor, and their qualification handed down to the next unqualified competitor. Spurs may not be worn in any pony class. Ponies 153cms or under must possess a current JMB height certificate. Qualification: 1st place and the highest next unqualified competitor standing 2nd or 3rd qualify from each class. No competitor may qualify from lower than 3rd place.

ENTRY FEES £7 in advance £9 on the day per class ROSETTES 1st-6th
QUALIFYING CARDS AND MEMBERS ROSETTES IN EACH CLASS
CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION IN EACH SECTION

RING 1

COMMENCE 10 am

JUDGE - CATHY WOOD

1. **BEST COLOUR AND MARKINGS IN HAND.** Open to skewbald and piebald horses/ponies of any age. To be judged 90% colour and markings, 10% judge's discretion
 2. **BEST YEARLING.** Special rosette for best native/traditional.
 3. **BEST TWO YEAR OLD.** Special rosette for best native/ traditional.
 4. **BEST THREE YEAR OLD.** Special rosette for best native/traditional.
 5. **TRADITIONAL/ VANNER TYPES IN HAND.** Any age/height. Traditional's must be presented with flowing manes and tails, untrimmed and unplaited. Driving plaits not permitted. Vanners must be shown as either Traditional's or cobs I.e. hogged manes and pulled tails. Driving cobs may be shown in harness. (Entries in this class may not enter class 6).
 6. **NATIVE PONY TYPES IN HAND.** (Entries in this class may not enter class 5).
 7. **PONIES NOT EXCEEDING 12.0HH IN HAND** (Entries in this class may not enter
 8. **PONIES NOT EXCEEDING 15.0HH (153cm) IN HAND.** Class 8).
 9. **HORSES EXCEEDING 15.0HH (153cm) IN HAND.**
- CHAMPIONSHIP FOR 1ST AND 2ND PRIZE WINNERS FROM CLASSES 2-9**
10. **BRIGHTWELL AUCTIONEERS SPORTS HORSE YOUNGSTOCK**
In hand sports horse young stock skewbald and piebald horse or pony. Colt, filly or gelding. Any height. Not exceeding 3 years. (Refer to rules regarding eligibility).
 11. **BRIGHTWELL AUCTIONEERS OPEN SPORTS HORSE AND PONY.**
In hand skewbald and piebald horse or pony. 4-8 years old. Any height. Open to mare's geldings or stallions. Stallions must be licensed and graded with the BSPA. (Refer to rules for eligibility).

CHAMPIONSHIP FOR 1ST AND 2ND PRIZE WINNERS FROM CLASSES 10-11.
CHAMPION AND RESERVE QUALIFY FOR THE "BSPA SUPERSTAR" AT THE NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS.

FOR ALL CLASSES 12-14 ALL RIDERS/HANDLERS MUST BE 10 YEARS AND UNDER.

No stallions or colts in any class in this section.

- 12. BEST CHILD HANDLER.** 5-10 years.
13. FIRST RIDDEN 12HH AND UNDER. Riders 10 years old and under, A short display will be needed, no canter necessary.
14. PONY NOT EXCEEDING 12.0HH AND UNDER. May be led.
CHAMPIONSHIP FOR 1ST AND 2ND PRIZE WINNERS FROM CLASSES 12 - 14.

- 27. DARTMOOR HILL PONY CLASS** for Registered Dartmoor Hill Ponies.
28. VETERANS to be judged in three categories 18-20years, 21-25 years, 26+ years

RING 2

RIDDEN RING

COMMENCE AT 10 am

JUDGE – SHIRLEY COZENS

- 15. FAMILY HORSE / PONY** Suitable for all members of the family, 13.2 h and over. No spurs. Snaffle bridle Cavesson Noseband. Display required.
16. NOVICE PONY NOT EXCEEDING 15.0HH not to have won a ridden class. Snaffle bridle only. Cavesson Noseband
17. NOVICE HORSE 15 HH AND OVER not to have won a ridden class. Snaffle bridle only Cavesson Noseband.
18. TRADITIONAL / VANNER TYPE HORSE/PONY RIDDEN
19. PONY NOT EXCEEDING 15.0HH
20. HORSE EXCEEDING 15.0HH.
21. VETERANS to be judged in three categories 18-20 years, 21-25 years, 26+ years.
CHAMPIONSHIP FOR 1ST AND 2ND PRIZE WINNERS FROM CLASSES 15 - 21

RIHS QUALIFIERS CLASSES 21-26 ARE HELD UNDER THE RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE B.S.P.A ONE CLASS ONLY CAN BE ENTERED IN THIS SECTION. QUALIFYING CARDS MUST BE SIGNED IN THE RING. £30/class.

JUDGE - MR JOHN CONIFY

(Entries can be made on the day for £10 extra. Qualification, Membership cards must be shown.

- 21. RIHS Skewbald/ Piebald Pony not exceeding 143cms.**
Any type, sex, 4 years old and over. Rider any age suitable for the pony. The judges will not ride. Short display required. **NO SPURS.**

- 22. RIHS Traditional, Native, Cob Skewbald/ Piebald pony. Exceeding 143cms, not exceeding 153cms.**
Any type, sex, 4 years old and over. Rider any age to suitable for pony. The judges will not ride. Short display required. **NO SPURS**

- 23. RIHS Skewbald/Piebald exceeding 143cms. Not exceeding 153cms. (Plaited).**
Any type, sex, 4 years old and over. Rider any age to suitable for pony. The judges will not ride. Short display required. **NO SPURS**

24. RIHS Skewbald/ Piebald Lightweight Horse exceeding 153cms (Plaited).

Any type, sex, 4 years old and over. Rider 15 years and older as 1st of January of the current year. Judge will ride and may request a display at their discretion.

25. RIHS Skewbald/ Piebald Middleweight/Heavyweight Horse exceeding 153cms.

(Plaited). Any type, sex, 4 years old and over. Rider 15 years and older as 1st of January of the current year. Judge will ride and may request a display at their discretion.

26. RIHS Skewbald/ Piebald Heavyweight/ Native/ Vanner/ Cob/ Traditional Horse exceeding 153cms.

Any type, sex, 4 years old and over. Rider 15 years and older as 1st of January of the current year. Judge will ride and may request a display at their discretion.

CHAMPIONSHIP: 1ST AND 2ND FROM CLASSES 21 – 26 compete.

Commencing 8.30 am.

**YOUNGSTOCK EVALUATION
ENTRY FEE £15
JUDGE – STELLA HORE**

**TO BE JUDGED ON FUTURE LIKELIHOOD TO BECOME
A BSPA GRADED STALLION OR GRADED MARE.
NO FOALS OR GELDINGS. 1-3 YR OLDS ONLY.
ALL SCORE SHEETS AVAILABLE ON THE DAY
ALL HORSE/PONIES SHOULD BE WELL HANDLED AND BE ABLE
TO TROT IN HAND ON A TRIANGLE.**

**All Classes to be judged in three categories, Yearling, Two and three year old.
Colts and Fillies only.**

SCORING SYSTEM:

**RED PREFERRED – SCORES OF 71% + THOSE ACHIEVING THIS STATUS
WILL BE AWARDED 1% TO BE ADDED TO THEIR GRADING SCORE
IF THEY GRADE SUCCESSFULLY.**

BLUE PREFERRED – FOR THOSE SCORING 65%-70%.

WHITE CERTIFIED – FOR THOSE SCORING 65% OR LESS

NO ENTRIES ON DAY.

ALL ENTIRES BY 1ST APRIL 2012 TO ANNE SIZMUR

Class A- Skewbald and Piebald plaited horse.

Exhibits exceeding or calculated to exceed 153 cm at maturity.

Class B- Skewbald and Piebald Native / Cob / Traditional.

Exhibits exceeding 153cm or calculated to exceed 153cm at maturity.

Class C- Skewbald and Piebald plaited pony not to exceed 153 cm.

Class D-Skewbald and Piebald Native / Cob / Traditional not to exceed 153 at maturity.

RULES AND REGULATIONS.

All classes are qualifiers for the British and piebald national championships.

1. To qualify for these championships, you must be a member and your horse must be registered BEFORE the show, PLUS have a personalized Qualifiers Showing Card **with you.**
2. The BSPA reserve the right to alter the schedule at any time, should it be necessary, to refuse any entry and to cancel any classes due to insufficient entries received.
3. Hard hats must be worn at all times by anyone who is mounted.
4. No animals under the age of 4 to be ridden on the showground.
5. The BSPA disclaim any responsibility for accidents that may happen to exhibitors, competitors, spectators, their property, servants or goods in the connection or arising, out of the show. It shall be considered a condition of entry that each entrant shall agree to indemnify the promoters and / or any legal action arising from an accident and/ or occurrence whatsoever.
6. The judge's decision is final.
7. Objections must be made in writing to the show secretary (in this case Anne Sizmur) within 30 minutes of the end of the class accompanied by a deposit of £15, which may be forfeited. IF the objection is upheld.
8. All stallions must be licensed and graded with the BSPSA.

CLASS NO.

NAME OF HORSE/PONY.....

NAME of

RIDER/HANDLER.....

ENTRY FEE.....

STANDARD ENTRIES - £7 in advance, before 17th April. £9 on the day.

ENTRIES FOR RIHS CLASSES -£30.00. Entries for these classes (21-26) close 5TH April 2012.

All Cheques made payable to British Skewbald and Piebald Association.

NAME & ADDRESS of the exhibitor;

TEL. NO

I agree to abide by the rules and regulations as laid down in this schedule.

Signed.....

Show secretary; MRS A SIZMUR, Oatnell Farm, Thorndon Cross, Okehampton, Devon, EX20 4NQ. Tel. No. 01837 861 278