



**THE WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS
OF COLOUR**

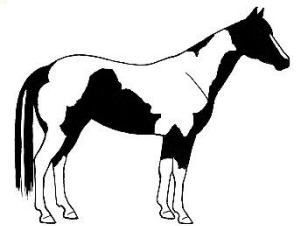
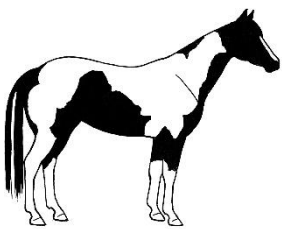
1989 – 2019

***THE 29TH ANNUAL NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS
OF THE
BRITISH SKEWBALD
AND
PIEBALD ASSOCIATION***

SATURDAY 14TH SEPTEMBER 2019

TO BE HELD AT:

**THE COLLEGE EQUESTRIAN CENTRE
CHURCH ROAD
KEYSOE
BEDFORD
MK44 2JP**



***Postal Entries Closing Date: Friday 6th September
On Line Entries Closing Date: Monday 9th September
Thereafter As Day Entry Rate. No Cheques Accepted After 6th September.***

**THE CHAMPIONSHIPS WILL BE HELD IN ACCORDANCE WITH
BRITISH HORSE SOCIETY GUIDELINES FOR THE
WELFARE OF HORSES AND PONIES AT EVENTS AND THE BSPA CHILD PROTECTION &
BHS SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN POLICIES.**

BSPA NATIONAL SUMMER CHAMPIONSHIPS (WCC)
TIMETABLE – SATURDAY 14TH SEPTEMBER

FRIDAY EVENING

BSPA Free Welcome Party

7.00pm – 10pm

Pimms & “Nibbles” & fun Karaoke (bring your own beer!)

GOLD RING

8.30am

Judges: Miss J Paterson (C) & Miss P Coles (R/P)

RIDDEN PLAITED HORSE/PONY–CHAMPIONSHIP F

Class 1 Plaited Horse exceeding 153cms

Class 2 Plaited Pony not exceeding 153cms

Class 3 Plaited Pony not ex 133cms

CHAMPIONSHIP G IN CHAMPS GALA

Not before 9.30am

Judge: Mrs M Walton

OATNELL FARM JUNIOR CLASSES – CHAMP L

Class 4 Ponies Any type. Rider 13-18 years

Class 5 Ponies Any type. Rider 12yrs & under

Class 6 Lead Rein / First Ridden not exc 128cms

CHAMPIONSHIP L IN CHAMPS GALA

Not before 10.45am

Judge: Ms E Jones

NOVICE HORSE / PONY – CHAMPIONSHIP R

Class 7 4 years old horse / pony any height

Class 8 Novice Plaited Horse /Pony any height

Class 9 Novice Nat/Cob/Trad Horse/Pony any height

CHAMPIONSHIP R IN CHAMPS GALA

Not before 12.00noon

Judges: Mrs M Walton (C) & Ms E Jones (R/P)

RIDDEN NATIVE / TRAD HORSE/PONY CHAMP K

Class 10 Ridden Trad/Native Horse exc 153cms

Class 11 Ridden Trad/Native Pony not ex 153cms

Class 12 Ridden Trad/Native Pony not ex 133cms

CHAMPIONSHIP K IN CHAMPS GALA

Not Before 1.30pm

Judges: Mr J Lloyd & Ms E Jones

RIDDEN SHOWCASE, THE ‘BEST OF THE BEST’

Class 13 Nat/Cob/Trad Horse or Pony

Class 14 Plaited Horse or Pony

CHAMPIONSHIP IN CHAMPS GALA

Not Before 2.15pm

Judge: Miss P Coles

Class 15 Ridden Intermediates

Not before 2.45pm

Judges: Mr J Lloyd & Ms E Jones

BSPA STAR SERIES FINAL – CHAMPIONSHIP Y

Class 16 Ridden Final

Class 17 In Hand Final

TOP 6 & CHAMPIONSHIP IN CHAMPS GALA

SILVER RING

8.30am

Judges: Mrs C Senior (C) & Mr D Froggatt (R)

RIDDEN SKEWBALD & PIEBALD OPEN SECTION

EQUINES NEED NOT BE REGISTERED NOR MEMBERSHIP REQUIRED TO ENTER THESE RIDDEN CLASSES ONLY. FOR BSPA MEMBERS RIDING REGISTERED EQUINES THESE CLASSES ARE QUALIFIERS FOR WCC 2019.

Class 18 Native/Trad Horses exceeding 153cms

Class 19 Native/Trad Ponies not exceeding 153cms

Class 20 Hogged & Trimmed Cobs – any height

Class 21 Veterans – 15 years old & over

Class 22 Plaited Horses exceeding 153cms

Class 23 Plaited Ponies not exceeding 153cms

CHAMPIONSHIP

Not before 10.45am

Judges: Miss J Paterson (C) & Miss P Coles (R/P)

BSPA HOME PRODUCED – CHAMPIONSHIP M

Class 24 Home Prod Plaited Horses exc 153cm

Class 25 Home Prod Nat/Trad/Cob exc 153cms

Class 26 Home Prod Nat/Trad/Cob n/e 153cms

Class 27 Home Prod Plaited Ponies n/e 153cms

CHAMPIONSHIP M IN CHAMPS GALA

Not before 12.45pm

Judges: Mrs C Senior (C) & Mr D Froggatt (R)

RIHS 2020 QUALIFIERS

Class 28 Plaited Horse exceeding 153cms

Class 29 Trad/Native/Cob exceeding 153cms

Class 30 Native/Trad/Hogged Pony not exc 153cms

Class 31 Plaited Pony not exceeding 153cms

Class 32 Pony – any type not exceeding 133cms

BSPA RIHS CHAMPIONSHIP IN CHAMPS GALA

Not before 3.00pm

Judges: Mrs M Walton (C) & Ms E Jones (R/P)

COLNE RIDDEN AMATEUR – CHAMPIONSHIP V

Class 33 Plaited Ponies not exceeding 153cms

Class 34 Plaited Horses exceeding 153cms

Class 35 Native/Trad/Cob Ponies not exc 153cms

Class 36 Native/Trad/Cob/Vanner Horses exc 153cms

CHAMPIONSHIP V IN CHAMPS GALA

BRONZE RING

8.15am

Judges: Ms L Lodge, Mrs L Bradfield & Mr C Peopall

YOUNGSTOCK EVALUATION / GRADING

Class 37 Youngstock Evaluation – Horses

Class 38 Youngstock Evaluation – Ponies

8.45am

Judge: Mr J Lloyd

COLNE AMATEUR IN HAND – CHAMPIONSHIP T

Class 39 Youngstock – 1, 2, 3 years old

Class 40 Plaited 4 years & over any height

Class 41 Trad/Cob/Native/Vanner 4yrs & over exc 153cms

CHAMPIONSHIP T IN CHAMPS GALA

Not before 10.00am

Judge: Mr J Lloyd

IN HAND NATIVE/TRAD – CHAMPIONSHIP X

Class 42 In Hand Native/Trad 4 years & over

Class 43 In Hand Shetlands – any age

Class 44 In Hand Native/Trad 1,2,3 years

CHAMPIONSHIP X IN CHAMPS GALA

Not before 11.30am

Judge: Mr J Lloyd

BRIGHTWELLS SPORT HORSE/PONY

Class 45 Sports Horse/Pony – any age

Not before 12.00noon

Judge: Mr C Peopall

BREEDING SHOWCASE (VB)

Class 46 Warmblood, TB or PB/AA First Cross Youngstock

Class 47 Horse Youngstock (VB)

Class 48 Pony Youngstock (VB)

Class 49 BSPA Graded Stallion

Class 50 BSPA Graded Mare

Class 51 Brood Mare & Foal of the Year

1ST & 2ND FROM CLASSES 46-51 TO COMPETE IN EITHER CHAMPIONSHIP A, B OR E IN THE CHAMPIONS GALA.

Not before 1.45pm

Judge: Miss J Paterson

NOVICE OF THE YEAR IN HAND – CHAMP S

Class 52 Novice 1,2,3 years of age

Class 53 Novice In Hand Pony of the Year 4 years & over

Class 54 Novice In Hand Horse of the Year 4 years & over

CHAMPIONSHIP S IN CHAMPS GALA

Not before 2.45pm

Judge: Miss J Paterson

HOME PRODUCED – CHAMPIONSHIP P

Class 55 Youngstock – 1, 2, 3 years old

Class 56 Plaited 4 years & over any height

Class 57 Trad/Cob/Native/Vanner 4yrs & over exc 153cms

CHAMPIONSHIP P IN THE CHAMPS GALA

Not before 3.15pm

Judge: Miss J Paterson

IN HAND SKEWBALD & PIEBALD OPEN SECTION –

EQUINES NEED NOT BE REGISTERED NOR

MEMBERSHIP REQUIRED TO ENTER THESE IN HAND

CLASSES ONLY. FOR BSPA MEMBERS REGISTERED

EQUINES IN THESE CLASSES WILL QUALIFY FOR WCC

2020.

Class 58 Miniatures In Hand

Class 59 Colour & Markings – any age or type

Class 60 Male – any age or type

Class 61 Female – any age or type

Class 62 Veterans In Hand 15 years old & over

Class 63 Amateur and/or Home Produced Horse or Pony

Class 64 Junior Hander – 17 years of age & under

CHAMPIONSHIP

CHAMPIONS GALA

5.00pm

Judge:

Class 65 – Pairs Class

5.15pm

Judges: Mrs C Senior & Mr D Froggatt

BSPA RIHS Championship

Judges: Miss J Paterson & Miss P Coles

Champ F – Ridden Plaited Horse / Pony of the Year

Judge: Mr J Lloyd

Champ X – In Hand Native/Trad Horse/Pony of the Year

Judge: Mrs M Warren

Champ L – Oatnell Farm Children's Pony of the Year

Judge: Ms E Jones

Champ R – Novice Ridden Horse / Pony of the Year

Judges: Miss J Paterson & Miss P Coles

Champ M – Ridden Home Produced of the Year

Judge: Mr J Lloyd

Champ T – Colne In Hand Amateur of the Year

Judges: Mrs M Walton & Ms E Jones

Champ K – Ridden Trad / Nat Horse / Pony of the Year

Judges: Mrs M Walton & Ms E Jones

Champ V – Colne Ridden Amateur of the Year

Judge: Mrs M Walton

Champ S – Novice In Hand Horse / Pony of the Year

Judges: Mr J Lloyd & Ms E Jones

Ridden Showcase Championship – Classes 13-14

Judges: Mr J Lloyd & Ms E Jones

Class 15 – BSPA In Hand Super Star – Top 6

Class 16 – BSPA Ridden Super Star – Top 6

Champ Y – Super Star In Hand / Ridden Championship

Judge: Mrs M Walton

Champ P – In Hand Home Produced of the Year

SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIPS

Judges: Mr J Lloyd & Miss J Paterson

Champ A – BSPA Supreme In Hand Pony Championship

Judges: Mr J Lloyd & Miss J Paterson

Champ B – Supreme In Hand Horse Championship

Judges: Mr J Lloyd & Miss J Paterson

Champ E – Supreme In Hand Youngstock Championship

Judges: Mrs M Walton & Miss P Coles

Champ C – Supreme Ridden Pony Championship

Judges: Mrs M Walton & Ms E James

Champ D – Supreme Ridden Horse Championship

Judges: Mr J Lloyd & Miss J Paterson

IN HAND CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS

Judges: Mrs M Walton, Miss P Coles & Ms E Walton

RIDDEN CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS

ON LINE ENTRIES MAY BE MADE

VIA ENTRY MASTER:

<http://entrymaster.net/index.php?id=1&alias=bspa>

ENTRY FEES – UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED IN SCHEDULE

CHAMPIONSHIP CLASSES:	£20 per class up to the 9 th September
RIHS CLASSES:	£36 + £9.00 levy (total £45.00) up to the 9 th September
OPEN CLASSES:	£18 per class up to the 9 th September

**ON LINE ENTRIES MAY BE MADE VIA ENTRYMASTER UP TO THE 9TH SEPTEMBER
ENTRIES ACCEPTED AT THE SHOW AT AN ADDITIONAL £10 PER CLASS.
NO CHEQUES ACCEPTED AT THE SHOW.**

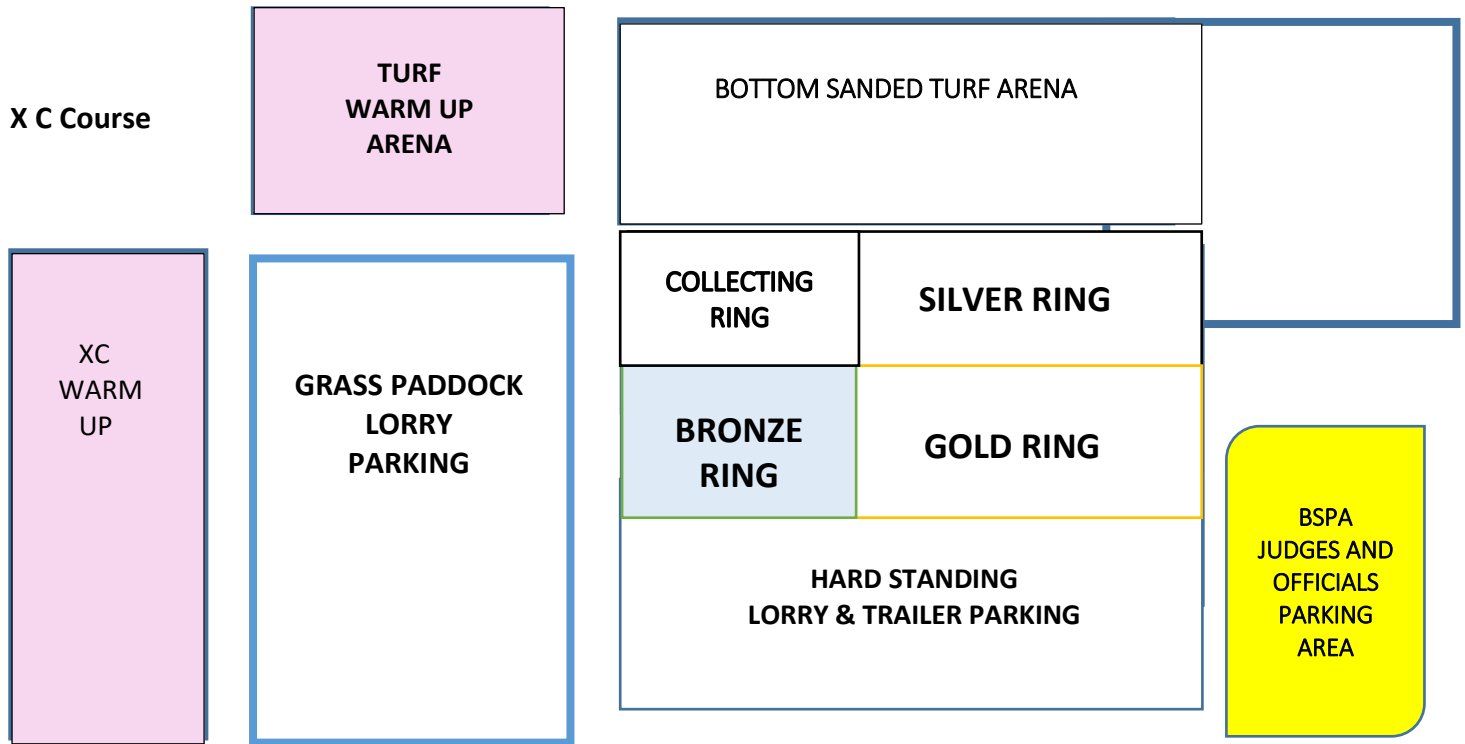
PRIZE MONEY

**£100 Supreme Champion of Champions – In Hand & Ridden
£75 Reserve Supreme – In Hand & Ridden £25 1st Reserve – In Hand & Ridden**

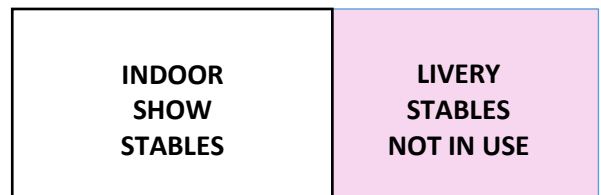
**£50 to each Supreme Champion A, B, C, D, E
£25 to each Reserve**

BSPA CHAMPIONSHIPS & SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP ROLL

CHAMPIONSHIP NUMBER	CHAMPIONSHIP
A	The BSPA Supreme In Hand Pony
B	The BSPA Supreme In Hand Horse
C	The BSPA Supreme Ridden Pony
D	The BSPA Supreme Ridden Horse
E	The BSPA Supreme In Hand Youngstock
F	The BSPA Ridden Plaited Horse / Pony of the Year
K	The BSPA Ridden Native / Traditional of the Year
L	The BSPA Oatnell Farm Children's Pony of the Year
M	The BSPA Ridden Home Produced of the Year
P	The BSPA In Hand Home Produced of the Year
R	The BSPA Ridden Novice of the Year
S	The BSPA In Hand Novice of the Year
T	The BSPA Colne Amateur In Hand of the Year
V	The BSPA Colne Amateur Ridden Championship
X	The BSPA In Hand Native / Traditional of the Year
Y	The BSPA Super Star In Hand / Ridden Championship
	EIRINS CLOVER IN HAND SUPREME CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS & BEST IN SHOW
	INDIAN TRAIL SUPREME RIDDEN CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS & BEST IN SHOW



SITE PLAN (NOT TO SCALE)



TO BOOK STABLES PLEASE CONTACT:

College Equestrian Centre
 Church Road
 Keysoe
 Bedford, MK44 2JP

Tel: 01234 708400 Email: info@keysoe.com

Please note

- ❖ No lunging on indoor / outdoor arenas and ride only where directed.
- ❖ Lunging Ring available.
- ❖ No schooling of horses in showing arenas / collecting areas
- ❖ Forage: Haylage / Hay & Feed book and pay in advance and it will be ready for you to pick up at Keysoe.
- ❖ Bedding, Hook ups & Stabling available from Keysoe Equestrian Centre.

PLEASE SEND ALL ENTRIES TO:

British Skewbald & Piebald Association
Stanley House, Silt Drove, Tipps End,
Welney, Cambs., PE14 9SL
Tel: 01354 638226

POSTAL ENTRIES CLOSE ON FRIDAY 6th SEPTEMBER 2019

SPECIAL NOTICES:

EQUINE FLU

Only vaccinated Horses/Ponies are able to compete at these Championships.

- Attending horses/ponies should have had at least two primary vaccinations followed by Boosters. The last vaccination **MUST** be no more than 6 months from the date of the show.
- If you have doubts concerning your vaccination status, please contact your Vet regarding Boosters. We will accept a booster administered within 7 days of the Show date.
- **ALL PASSPORTS WILL** be inspected prior to either a day entry or pre entry number collection. Attendees are requested to have their passports open at the appropriate section for checking.

Additional advice and information can be obtained from the Showing Council website – www.showingcouncil.co.uk

PRIZEMONEY

- No prizemoney will be offered for class entries of less than 3 entries.
- In the event of a Championship having less than 6 forward then the Committee at their discretion may reduce the level of prizemoney offered by up to 50%.
- **ALL Supreme Champions will receive Prizemoney as indicated.**

DOPE TESTING

Random testing – may occur at this year's Championships. Any horse/pony identified for testing **MUST** present themselves at the required time in the special area provided. **Refer Rule 33 BSPA Rule book**). Failure to do so will result in immediate disqualification.

TENTS AND CARAVANS

Are welcome. **Please remember to be considerate to your neighbours regarding noise. ALL appliances MUST comply with current safety regulations. All generators must be turned off at 11pm. Erect tents only in the designated areas.**

SHOWERS

Are available at the showground.

DOGS

If you must bring them remember they are not allowed in the indoor facility. (Hygiene & H&S). No fouling - you must clean up and pick up any mess they leave behind them. Bring your pooper-scoopers and bags please. **Welfare of animals requires you to ensure they are in a cool well-ventilated environment at all times.**

<p>EVENING WEAR - All Judges and Officials will change into more formal evening wear, and we expect that competing members will dress up for the occasion too. For those competitors competing in the Champions Gala then the dress code is more formal and the schedule advises you about this - refer to page 20.</p>
--

CONDITIONS FOR ENTRY INTO CHAMPIONSHIP CLASSES AND FINALS - NO EXCEPTIONS:

REGISTRATION

All Horses/Ponies **MUST** be registered with the B.S.P.A. prior to the Championships except for the OPEN classes. All registration documentation **MUST** be in the name of the current owner or owners (including leaseholders and co-owners). If you have not completed the change of ownership procedure, do so now (refer registration form). Registered Prefixes only will be used. **ALL** others will be deleted from Catalogue.

QUALIFICATION CARDS

Your BSPA Qualification cards must be submitted with your entry correctly signed and completed by Judges or Show Secretaries. **REMEMBER** the B.S.P.A. check all entries against this year's results, so make sure you only enter the section(s) In Hand or Ridden that you have qualified for.

MEMBERSHIP

You (owner or co-owner, producer or leaseholder) and anyone who either rides or leads your Horse/Pony including producers or trainers attending the Championships **all need to be members**. We do allow membership to be purchased on the day so as long as you have checked this out with your riders and handlers, then there won't be any problems. Any non-member competing with any horse or pony (In Hand or Ridden) will result in the disqualification of the entrant and the loss of all places and any prize-money. Under these circumstances the awards will be handed down and the results adjusted accordingly.

BSPA MEMBERSHIP CARDS

These will be inspected by Ring Stewards or officials at their discretion throughout the show – even in Championships.

PASSPORTS

It is a *Defra Requirement* that you **MUST** have these with you when you travel your equines. You will be asked to show them if you are stopped, or the show is inspected, or if you require any Emergency veterinary assistance. Your Passport Number and Passport Issuing Organisation (PIO) details are also required with your entries. **See Entry Form.**

STALLIONS

Only BSPA Graded Stallions may compete at the Championships. STALLION Blue I.D. CARDS **MUST** be carried at all times by Handlers/Riders and BSPA Bridle Discs must be worn. **Only BSPA Stallion Discs may be worn.**

CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW RULES

BSPA SHOWING RULES APPLY (refer to Rule Book),

It is the competitor's responsibility to be familiar with BSPA showing rules.

UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES MAY A HORSE OR PONY BE RIDDEN AT THE SHOW WHICH IS NOT ENTERED INTO A RIDDEN CLASS.

- 1. THE JUDGE'S DECISION IS FINAL.**
- Competitors and spectators attend the show at their own risk. The organizers disclaim any responsibility for any accident or injury to persons or animals, damage, loss or theft of car, vehicles or property. Entry to the Show is an acceptance of this rule.
- The Organisers reserve the absolute right to alter the programme, cancel a class, restrict the numbers of entries, amalgamate any class at their discretion whether indicated in the Schedule or not; or refuse an entry for any class, or reject an entry from any person they may see fit to do so, refunding any fee in respect thereof.
- Competitors, members and Judges should behave at all times in ways that do not bring himself or herself or the B.S.P.A. into disrepute.
- Any exhibit deemed by the Judge or Show Director/s to be dangerous and/or out of the control of its handler/rider, WILL be asked to leave the ring and may be asked to leave the showground.
- The videoing (by any means including the use of mobile phones) of any class or animal whilst competing in a class is forbidden unless permission has been sort from the Show Directors. Under these circumstances **a permit will be issued and MUST be shown on request.**
- Membership Cards-** must be carried at all times and may be required to be shown to BSPA officials at any time.
- Hats: ALL** competitors must wear hard hats and correct riding footwear when mounted. Competitor's attention is drawn to the BSPA Rule book (page 20) Rule 47- "Hard hats **MUST** be worn to the current approved BSI standard". Competitors who do not comply with this regulation do so entirely at their own risk and against the advice of the B.S.P.A. – exception. In Supreme Championships only, Top hats / Bowlers / Beaglers may be worn by riders over 18 years (as January 1st) at rider's risk & responsibility. It is **mandatory** for Junior competitors under the age of 18 as Jan 1st to wear properly secured hats at all times including Evening Performances. **NB Please note rule change as 1st January 2017 (refer BSPA Rule book)**
- Whips/Canes must not exceed 30" (76cms).** Under no circumstances should dressage whips be used in any in hand or ridden class. They will be removed by Stewards.

10. Excessive use of whips and spurs in classes will lead to the instant disqualification of the competitor who will be asked to leave the Showground.
11. The Organisers reserve the right to check the height of any horse / pony competing, or refuse entry to any animal considered, in their opinion, to be unfit for competition. Where a horse has been entered previously or is registered at a height or weight higher than current entry a Joint Measurement Height Certificate will be required, and proof of weight, prior to the entry being accepted.
12. The Show will commence promptly at its recorded time; thereafter it is the Competitors' responsibility to ensure that they present themselves to the ring in good time for their class. Ring information will be announced as available. **No refunds will be given to competitors failing to attend their class.**
13. Handlers and Riders not presenting themselves at the collecting ring when the class is called may be disqualified. NO competitor may enter the ring once the Class has commenced trotting or once the In Hand trot up (IH) has commenced. Refer to the BSPA Rule Book.
Riders must be mounted for all ridden phases of a class including final walk round and awards; and should lead their exhibit for the conformation phase unless an exemption has been given by the Show Director
14. No competitor may jump any fences on the Showground other than those designated as practice jumps or courses if applicable.
15. All Stallions MUST be both Graded and Licensed and registered with the B.S.P.A. in order to compete in the Championships and in possession of a Stallion I D Card and disc. **Stallion Harness** - Competitors please note that these should not be worn. N.B. It is the exhibitors' responsibility to ensure that their Horse/Pony is under proper control at all times.
16. **Stallions** - No junior handler under 14 years (as 1st January) or junior rider may compete with a stallion in any class.
17. All equine exhibits competing in in hand classes must wear a suitable bridle and bit. No headcollars / halters permitted, with the exception of foals born in the current year.
18. No horse or pony less than 4 years of age may compete in any ridden class held under the auspices of the BSPA nor may be ridden around the showground or in any Collecting Ring.
19. Yearling, 2 and 3yr old colts MUST be bitted in order to be shown. Handlers in all Youngstock / In Hand classes are strongly advised for personnel safety to wear protective headgear. It is mandatory for Junior Competitors under the age of 18 to wear properly secured hats at all times. The B.S.P.A. does not accept any liability for injury to competitors who do not comply with this rule. All competitors are urged to carry accident insurance and third party liability insurance.
20. No Leading Rein exhibits are eligible for any ridden class unless so indicated.
21. **Open Pony Classes** - When Senior and Junior Riders compete in the same class, including Working Hunter Pony, no competitor should wear spurs (refer Rule 10). Judges and Stewards will insist on their removal if this rule is not adhered to. This rule does not apply to Horse or Cob exceeding 153cms classes or to Section and Supreme Championships where the same tack is required to be worn that applied to the original class.
22. Junior riders must not have attained their **18th** birthday by 1st January. **JUNIOR RIDERS MUST NOT WEAR SPURS.** Judges and Stewards will insist on their removal if this rule is not adhered to, **even in Championships.**
23. **Make-up** - Colour enhancing/disguising make-up is forbidden on any equine. This **does not** apply to hoof oil, baby oil, white powder bloc, glistening or evening glitter.
24. **Substitution** - No Horse or Pony may be substituted in any entry/class once entries have closed. Competitor details must comply with database information. When a competitor qualifies more than one exhibit for a Champion or Supreme Championship, another rider/handler may be substituted for the Championship only. B.S.P.A. Rules 62 and 32.
25. **Late Entries** - must be paid by Cash, Building Society or Bank cheques or Postal Orders only, no personal cheques will be accepted. **Show Day - Entries by cash only.** Cheques made payable to the BSPA for entries, if not honoured by the bank will incur BSPA Rule 42 immediately.
26. **REFUNDS & CANCELLATION OF SHOW - The B.S.P.A.** regrets that due to the high costs of staging the Championships, no entry fee will be refunded (no exceptions) after the closing date. In the event of circumstances beyond the control of the Committee causing this event to be cancelled, no refund of entries will be issued to any competitor. It should be noted that costs are incurred that will require payment whether the show is held or not. **Payment of entry fees demonstrate acceptance of this rule by every member.**
27. The Show Committee may at their absolute discretion refuse or reject an entry from any member, without explanation.

28. **PRIZE MONEY** - All prize money will be paid by cheque following the completion of the Championships.
29. On grounds of Health and Safety, horses must only be walked from the Horsebox area to practice, collection and show rings. **NO TROTTING OR CANTERING WILL BE ALLOWED IN THE SPECTATOR AREAS OR IN CHAMPIONSHIP HOLDING/COLLECTING AREAS.** Any breach of this rule may result in the offender being asked to leave the show.
30. The playing of ball games or participation in any activity that may excite or frighten an animal is **strictly not allowed** within the Lorry Parking and Camping Field or those areas set aside for stabling or as practice or exercise areas.
31. **Dogs must be on a fixed lead at ALL times and are only allowed in the Lorry Parking/Camping Areas.**
32. **Paramedic & First Aid Cover** – a £6 levy per exhibit to be paid with entries.

FREE COMMEMORATIVE CATALOGUE: All entries received by closing date will be included in the Catalogue along with FULL DETAILS OF SHOW ORDER, PROPOSED TIMETABLE AND ANY CLASS AMENDMENTS or CORRECTIONS. Once printed the Show will keep to published order wherever possible.

SHOW ENQUIRIES PLEASE EMAIL: esbranyan@aol.com

OR RING TEL: 01354 638226

NO CALLS OR SHOW ENQUIRIES AFTER 8PM PLEASE.

Please Note: Competitors Numbers will be available for collection from the Show Office.

Postal Entries Close: Friday 7th September

ON LINE ENTRIES MAY BE MADE

VIA ENTRY MASTER:

<http://entrymaster.net/index.php?id=1&alias=bspa>

GOLD RING

BSPA RIDDEN PLAITED HORSE & PONY CHAMPIONSHIP CLASSES - CHAMP F

- CLASS 1** RIDDEN PLAITED HORSE EXCEEDING 153CMS. Rider any age.
- CLASS 2** RIDDEN PLAITED PONY NOT EXCEEDING 153CMS - Rider any age suitable for size of pony.
- CLASS 3** RIDDEN PLAITED PONY NOT EXCEEDING 133CMS - Rider any age suitable for size of pony.

CHAMPIONSHIP F - 1st 2nd and 3rd places from classes 1-3 compete for the **Ridden Plaited of the Year 2019** during the Champions Gala. Champion & Reserve Champion compete for Supreme Championship C or D as appropriate.

OATNELL FARM CHILDREN'S PONY OF THE YEAR – CHAMPIONSHIP L

- CLASS 4** RIDDEN PONY- ANY TYPE RIDER 13-18 YEARS – mare or gelding not exceeding 153cms.
- CLASS 5** RIDDEN PONY- ANY TYPE RIDER 12 YEARS & UNDER – mare or gelding not exceeding 153cms.
- CLASS 6** LEAD REIN / FIRST RIDDEN PONY NOT EXCEEDING 128CMS – mare or gelding, any type. Riders not to have attained their 12th birthday.

CHAMPIONSHIP L – 1st and 2nd placed exhibits from classes 4-6 to compete during the Champions Gala. Champion & Reserve Champion compete for Supreme Championship C.

RIDDEN NOVICE OF THE YEAR 2019 – CHAMPIONSHIP R

Please note: Exhibits in classes 7-9 must not have qualified for or competed at any previous National Championships. **Bitting:** Snaffle bridles only with a plain cavesson noseband only can be worn.

BSPA Showing Rule 58 applies. 1 Class only to be entered.

- CLASS 7** NOVICE 4 YEAR OLD HORSE OR PONY – stallion, mare or gelding, 4 years old and over, any height.
Awards: 1st – 8th place. Placed to 10th where entries exceed 14.
- CLASS 8** NOVICE PLAITED HORSE/PONY Any Height – stallion, mare or gelding, 4 years old and over.
Awards: 1st – 8th place. Placed to 10th where entries exceed 14.
- CLASS 9** NOVICE TRADITIONAL / NATIVE / COB / VANNER HORSE/PONY – stallion, mare or gelding, 4 years old and over.
Awards: 1st – 8th place. Placed to 10th where entries exceed 14.

CHAMPIONSHIP R – 1st and 2nd placed exhibits from 7-9 compete for the Ridden Novice of the Year 2019 during the Champions Gala. Champion & Reserve Champion compete for Supreme Championship C or D as appropriate.

RIDDEN NATIVE / TRADITIONAL HORSE / PONY – CHAMPIONSHIP K

- CLASS 10** RIDDEN NATIVE / TRADITIONAL HORSE EXCEEDING 153CMS – Stallion, mare or gelding, 4 years old & over. The Judge will ride all exhibits plus may request a display at their discretion.

CLASS 11 RIDDEN NATIVE / TRADITIONAL PONY EXCEEDING 133CMS BUT NOT EXCEEDING 153CMS - Stallion, mare or gelding, 4 years old & over. Rider any age, suitable size for pony. The Judge will not ride. Display required.

CLASS 12 RIDDEN NATIVE / TRADITIONAL PONY NOT EXCEEDING 133CMS - Stallion, mare or gelding, 4 years old & over. Rider any age, suitable size for pony. The Judge will not ride. Display required.

CHAMPIONSHIP K – 1st, 2nd & 3rd from classes 10-12 to compete during the Champions Gala. Champion & Reserve Champion compete for Supreme Championship C or D as appropriate.

****** RIDDEN SHOWCASE – BEST OF THE BEST ******

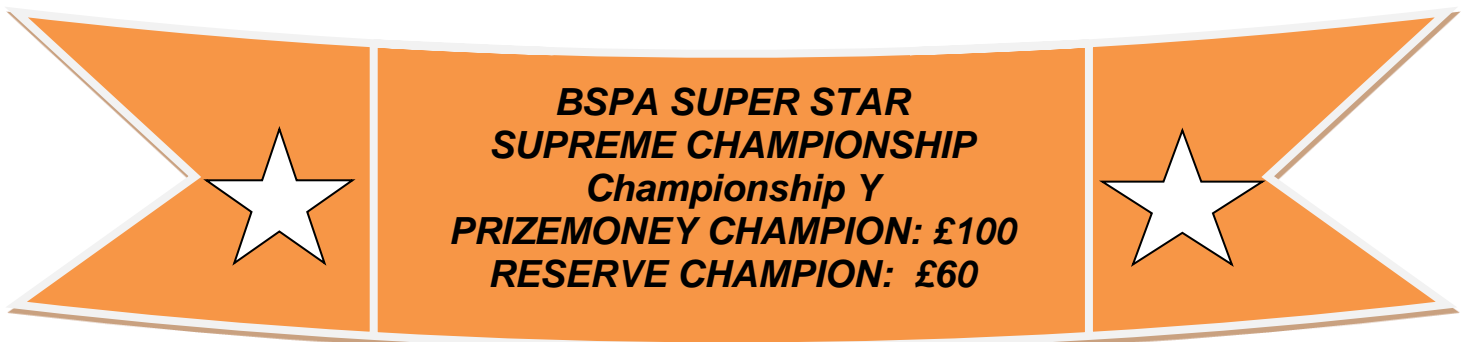
Ridden Showcase Classes – Each Rider will have 2 minutes to ride a free style show, demonstrating walk, trot, canter and an extension on each rein. They will then be individually judged by 3 Judges, each giving marks out of 30 in the Ring on score cards. Conformation will be marked out of 40 by the Conformation Judge. An additional 10 points is available in the gala for “WOW Appeal”. Marks will be totalled and the highest combination of marks will win.

CLASS 13 RIDDEN NATIVE/TRADITIONAL/COB HORSE OR PONY – stallion, mare or gelding, 4 years old and over.

CLASS 14 RIDDEN PLAITED HORSE OR PONY – stallion, mare or gelding, 4 years old and over.

CHAMPIONSHIP – 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 13-14 to compete during the Champions Gala.

CLASS 15 RIDDEN INTERMEDIATES – Mare or gelding, 4 years old & over, any type, not exceeding 158cms. Riders not to have attained their 25th birthday before 1st January in the current year.



BSPA SUPER STAR IN HAND & RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP – CLASSES 16 & 17

Open to all horses / ponies that have qualified by being either Champion / Reserve Champion at any County Show affiliated to the BSPA OR Champion / Reserve Champion at any of the BSPA Regional Shows OR the 2018 Summer Championships, 2019 Winter Championships and the 2019 Summer Festival Show. Please state the name of show that you qualified at.

CLASS 16 BSPA Super Star In Hand Championship.
Awards: Champion, Reserve Champion, 3rd – 6th place.
Final Placings: Top 6 go forward to the Champions Gala.
And Champion & Reserve Champion compete for the **Superstar Supreme Championship** in the Gala Performance.

CLASS 17 BSPA Super Star Ridden Championship.
Awards: Champion, Reserve Champion, 3rd – 6th place.
Final Placings: Top 6 go forward to the Champions Gala.
And Champion & Reserve Champion compete for the **Superstar Supreme Championship** in the Gala Performance.

SILVER RING

RIDDEN OPEN SKEWBALD & PIEBALD SECTION

EQUINES NEED NOT BE REGISTERED NOR OWNERS / RIDERS A BSPA MEMBER TO ENTER CLASSES 18-23 INCLUSIVE. FOR BSPA MEMBERS RIDING REGISTERED EQUINES THESE CLASSES ARE QUALIFIERS FOR WCC 2020 PROVIDING MEMBERSHIP & HORSE REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS ARE MET.

CLASS 18	RIDDEN NATIVE / TRADITIONAL HORSE EXCEEDING 153CMS – Stallion, mare or gelding, 4 years old & over. The Judge will ride all exhibits plus may request a display at their discretion.
CLASS 19	RIDDEN NATIVE / TRADITIONAL PONIES NOT EXCEEDING 153CMS - Stallion, mare or gelding, 4 years old & over. Rider any age, suitable size for pony. The Judge will not ride. Display required.
CLASS 20	RIDDEN HOGGED & TRIMMED COBS ANY HEIGHT - Stallion, mare or gelding, 4 years old & over.
CLASS 21	RIDDEN VETERANS 15 YEARS OLD & OVER – Stallion, mare or gelding, any size or type. Rider any age.
CLASS 22	RIDDEN PLAITED HORSES EXCEEDING 153CMS - Stallion, mare or gelding, 4 years old & over. Riders 15 years old & over as January 1 st 2019. The Judge will ride all exhibits plus may request a display at their discretion.
CLASS 23	RIDDEN PLAITED PONY NOT EXCEEDING 153CMS - Stallion, mare or gelding, 4 years old & over. Rider any age, suitable for size of pony
<u>CHAMPIONSHIP</u> – To Follow Class 23 – 1 st & 2 nd prize winners from classes 18-23 to compete	

BSPA HOME PRODUCED HORSE / PONY – CHAMPIONSHIP M

These classes are open to horses and ponies that have been stabled at home without any paid assistance or kept at livery on a DIY basis since 1st January 2019. Horses/ponies must not have been shown or trained by a professional producer or kept at full livery at any time during this period. To be owned, kept, produced and ridden by a person who does not derive their main income from working with horses / ponies.

It is anticipated that exhibitors will enter in the true spirit of this competition.

CLASS 24	HOME PRODUCED RIDDEN PLAITED HORSE – exceeding 153cms. Any type or sex, rider 15 years and older as January 1 st .
CLASS 25	HOME PRODUCED RIDDEN NATIVE/TRADITIONAL/COB/VANNER – exceeding 153cms. Any type or sex.
CLASS 26	HOME PRODUCED NATIVE / TRADITIONAL / COB NOT EXCEEDING 153CMS. Any type or sex. Display required.
CLASS 27	HOME PRODUCED PLAITED PONY NOT EXCEEDING 153CMS. Any type or sex. Small rider any age. Display required.
<u>CHAMPIONSHIP M</u> – 1 st and 2 nd placed exhibits from classes 24-27 to compete during the Champions Gala. Champion & Reserve Champion compete for Supreme Championship C or D as appropriate.	

BSPA ROYAL INTERNATIONAL HORSE SHOW QUALIFIERS 2020

Skewbald and Piebald horses only may compete. All horses / ponies must be registered with the BSPA in order to compete and a competitor qualification card issued prior to this show.

Classes 28-32 are held under the rules and requirements of the BSPA – refer to showing card. All Stallions must be graded with the BSPA and have their blue Stallion ID Card in riders/handlers possession for inspection at any time and wear the stallion disc. One class only may be entered.

QUALIFICATION RIHS: 1st place and the next unqualified competitor standing 2nd or 3rd in all classes. No competitor may qualify from lower than 3rd place. Qualification cards must be brought into the ring by riders and given to the Judge to sign whilst rosettes are being awarded. Failure to present qualification card invalidates any qualification which will be handed down in the ring to the next unqualified competitor standing no lower than 3rd place.

- CLASS 28** LWT / MWT / HWT PLAITED HORSE EXCEEDING 153CMS - Stallion, mare or gelding, 4 years old & over. Riders 15 years old & over as January 1st 2019.
- CLASS 29** TRADITIONAL / NATIVE / COB EXCEEDING 153CMS - Stallion, mare or gelding, 4 years old & over. Riders 15 years old & over as January 1st 2019.
- CLASS 30** NATIVE / TRADITIONAL / HOGGED PONY NOT EXCEEDING 153CMS - Stallion, mare or gelding, 4 years old & over. Rider any age, suitable for size of pony
- CLASS 31** PLAITED PONY 133CMS – 153CMS - Stallion, mare or gelding, 4 years old & over. Rider any age, suitable for size of pony
- CLASS 32** PONY ANY TYPE NOT EXCEEDING 133CMS - Stallion, mare or gelding, 4 years old & over. Rider any age, suitable for size of pony

BSPA RIHS CHAMPIONSHIP – 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 28-32 to compete during the Champions Gala.

THE COLNE RIDDEN AMATEUR OWNER/HOME PRODUCED/RIDER – CHAMPIONSHIP V

Open to Mares and Geldings **only** no Stallions. All horses or ponies **MUST** be owned and or shown by BSPA Members.

ENTRANTS MUST RESPECT THE AMATEUR STATUS OF THESE CLASSES WITHIN THEIR ENTRIES. (See p18 for definition of amateur). The BSPA reserves the right to refuse any entry.

- CLASS 33** PLAITED PONIES NOT EXCEEDING 153CMS – any type or sex. Rider any age, suitable size for pony. The Judge will not ride. Display required.
- CLASS 34** PLAITED HORSES EXCEEDING 153CMS – any type or sex, rider 15 years and older as January 1st. The Judge will ride all exhibits plus may request a display at their discretion.
- CLASS 35** NATIVE // TRADITIONAL / COB PONIES NOT EXCEEDING 153CMS – any type or sex. Rider any age, suitable size for pony. Exhibits may be hogged. The Judge will not ride. Display required.
- CLASS 36** NATIVE / TRADITIONAL / COB / VANNER HORSES EXCEEDING 153CMS – any type or sex, rider 15 years and older as January 1st. The Judge will ride all exhibits plus may request a display at their discretion.

CHAMPIONSHIP V – 1st & 2nd from classes 33-36 to compete during the Champions Gala. Champion & Reserve Champion compete for Supreme Championship C or D as appropriate.

BRONZE RING

YOUNGSTOCK BREEDING STOCK EVALUATION / GRADING IN HAND

Entry Fee: £15 per Class. To be judged on future likelihood to become a BSPA Graded Stallion or BSPA Graded Mare. No Foals or Geldings permitted. Results declared on the day.

Awards: Red, Blue & White Preferred dependent upon results.

CLASS 37 HORSES ANY TYPE. Exceeding 153cms or calculated to exceed 153cms at maturity. BSPA Passport and registration data will confirm.

CLASS 38 PONIES ANY TYPE. Not exceeding 153cms or calculated not to exceed 153cms at maturity. BSPA Passport and registration data will confirm.

THE COLNE AMATEUR OWNER/PRODUCER HANDLER IN HAND CHAMPIONSHIP – CHAMPIONSHIP T

Open to Mares and Geldings only no Stallions. All horses or ponies MUST be owned and or shown by BSPA Members. One class only may be entered in this section. **ENTRANTS MUST RESPECT THE AMATEUR STATUS OF THESE CLASSES WITHIN THEIR ENTRIES.** (See p18 for definition of Amateur). The BSPA reserves the right to refuse any entry.

CLASS 39 AMATEUR YOUNGSTOCK IN HAND – 1, 2, 3 years old, any type, height or sex. 1st and 2nd placed exhibits compete for Championship E in the Champions Gala.

CLASS 40 AMATEUR PLAITED HORSE / PONY 4 YEARS & OVER – any height, any type or sex.

CLASS 41 AMATEUR TRADITIONAL / COB / NATIVE / VANNER 4 YEARS & OVER – any height, any sex.

CHAMPIONSHIP T – 1st & 2nd placed exhibits from classes 39-41 to compete during the Champions Gala. Champion & Reserve Champion compete for Supreme A or B as appropriate.

IN HAND NATIVE / TRADITIONAL – CHAMPIONSHIP X

CLASS 42 IN HAND NATIVE / TRADITIONAL – 4 years old and over. Any height.

CLASS 43 IN HAND SHETLANDS – any age and sex.

CLASS 44 IN HAND NATIVE / TRADITIONAL – 1, 2, 3 years old. Any height. 1st and 2nd placed exhibits compete for Supreme Championship E in the Champions Gala.

CHAMPIONSHIP X – 1st, 2nd & 3rd placed exhibits from classes 42-44 to compete during the Champions Gala. Champion & Reserve Champion compete for Supreme A or B as appropriate.

THE BRIGHTWELL AUCTIONEERS SPORTS HORSE & PONY YOUNGSTOCK

A three generation Verified Breeding passport is required for all competitors. All Stallions must be graded with the BSPA. Ponies 153cms & under, Horses to exceed 153cms. Exhibits will be suitable for the competition disciplines of Dressage, Show Jumping or Eventing and demonstrate their free moving and athletic abilities within the class. Refer to page 17 for details.

Awards: 1st – 6th.

CLASS 45 THE BRIGHTWELLS SPORT HORSE / PONY. Any age, any sex. Award to the highest placed exhibit out of a BSPA Graded Mare. 1st & 2nd placed exhibitors compete for Supreme A, B or E as appropriate.

BSPA BREEDING SHOWCASE
THE SUPREME YOUNGSTOCK OF THE YEAR 2019 - CHAMPIONSHIP

Entry Fee (no surcharge): £15 Class. BSPA Graded Mares Free.

These classes are in support of the BSPA Studbook and require competitors to hold either a BSPA Studbook Passport or other Verified Breeding Passport and BSPA Registration in order to enter.

One class only to be entered in section 46-51 inclusive. All yearlings are required to have qualified to enter the Championships.

Awards: Rosettes 1st – 8th place inclusive plus placed to 10th according to numbers forward.

CLASS 46 BRITISH BRED YOUNGSTOCK – WARMBLOOD, THOROUGHBRED, OR PART BRED & ARAB/ANGLO ARAB – Verified Breeding – In Hand. To exceed 153cms at maturity.

CLASS 47 HORSE YOUNGSTOCK - Verified Breeding – In Hand. Exceeding or to exceed 153cms at maturity.

CLASS 48 PONY YOUNGSTOCK - Verified Breeding – In Hand. Not to exceed 153cms at maturity:
Yearlings not to exceed 143cms on the day of the show
2 Years old not to exceed 146cms on the day of the show
3 Years old not to exceed 147cms on the day of the show

CHAMPIONSHIP E - 1st, 2nd placed exhibitors from classes 46 – 48 to compete for Championship E in the Champions Gala.

CLASS 49 BSPA GRADED STALLION HORSE AND PONY OF THE YEAR IN HAND. Horses and Ponies, any type or size. **Awards:** 1st & Champion Graded Stallion to 6th place

CLASS 50 GRADED MARE HORSE AND PONY IN HAND. Barren mare. Horse and Ponies any type or size. **Awards:** 1st & Champion to 6th & Champion Graded Mare.

CLASS 51 BROODMARE & FOAL OF THE YEAR 2019 IN HAND. Open to Mares with foal at foot or who have foaled during 2018 or 2019. In foal Mares, Certificate of Service required. Open to Foals and Weanlings born in 2019 (may be shown with their Dam who need not be a Skewbald or Piebald). Foals need not have qualified to compete in this Class. Prize voucher to Best Graded Mare. **Awards:** 1st – 10th incl. Champion & Reserve Champion

CHAMPIONSHIP A/B - 1st, 2nd placed exhibitors from classes 49 – 51 to compete for either Championship A or B as applicable in the Champions Gala.

NOVICE OF THE YEAR IN HAND – CHAMPIONSHIP S

CLASS 52 NOVICE 1,2,3 YEARS OF AGE – any type or sex. 1st and 2nd placed exhibitors to compete for Championship E in the Champions Gala.

CLASS 53 NOVICE PONY OF THE YEAR – not exceeding 153cms, any type.

CLASS 54 NOVICE HORSE OF THE YEAR – exceeding 153cms, any type.

CHAMPIONSHIP S 1st, 2nd & 3rd placed exhibits from 52-54 to compete during the Champions Gala. Champion & Reserve Champion compete for Supreme A, B or E as appropriate.

**THE HOME PRODUCED OWNER/PRODUCER
HANDLER IN HAND CHAMPIONSHIP – CHAMPIONSHIP P**

Horses/Ponies Any Sex, Stallions MUST be Graded with BSPA or hold a valid Showing Permit. All horses or ponies MUST be owned and or shown by BSPA Members. One class only may be entered in this section. **ENTRANTS MUST RESPECT THE HOME PRODUCED STATUS OF THESE CLASSES WITHIN THEIR ENTRIES.** (See p17 for definition). The BSPA reserves the right to refuse any entry.

CLASS 55 YOUNGSTOCK IN HAND – 1, 2, 3 years old, any type, height or sex. 1st and 2nd placed exhibitors to compete for Championship E in the Champions Gala.

CLASS 56 PLAITED HORSE / PONY 4 YEARS & OVER – any height, any type or sex.

CLASS 57 TRADITIOAL/ COB / NATIVE / VANNER 4 YEARS & OVER – any height or sex.

CHAMPIONSHIP P – 1st & 2nd placed exhibits from classes 55-57 to compete during the Champions Gala. Champion & Reserve Champion compete for Supreme A, B or E as appropriate.

IN HAND SKEWBALD & PIEBALD OPEN SECTION

EQUINES NEED NOT BE REGISTERED NOR OWNERS / HANDLERS A BSPA MEMBER TO ENTER THESE IN HAND CLASSES - INCL. FOR BSPA MEMBERS RIDING REGISTERED EQUINES THESE CLASSES ARE QUALIFIERS FOR WCC 2020 PROVIDING MEMBERSHIP & HORSE REGISTRATION IS COMPLETED.

CLASS 58 IN HAND MINIATURES – any age, sex and type, not exceeding 34”.

CLASS 59 COLOUR & MARKINGS – stallion, mare or gelding, any height or type.

CLASS 60 BEST MALE ANY AGE OR TYPE – stallion or gelding.

CLASS 61 BEST FEMALE ANY AGE OR TYPE – mare or filly.

CLASS 62 IN HAND VETERANS. Stallion, mare or gelding, any height, 15 years old and over.

CLASS 63 AMATEUR &/or HOME PRODUCED IN HAND – any age, sex and type.

CLASS 64 CHILD HANDLER 13 – 17 years of age & under on the date of the show.

CHAMPIONSHIP – To follow Class 49. 1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 58-64 to compete.

CHAMPIONS GALA

Entry fee: £5.00

**CLASS 65 PAIRS CLASS – stallion, mare or gelding, any size or type. Special prize for best matched pair and best mis-matched pair.
ENTRIES RESTRICTED TO 6 PAIRS**

Please see timetable on page 3 for the running order of the Champions Gala. Classes will run on so please ensure that you are in the Collecting Ring in plenty of time.

THE BRIGHTWELL AUCTIONEERS IN HAND SPORTS HORSE AND SPORTS PONY

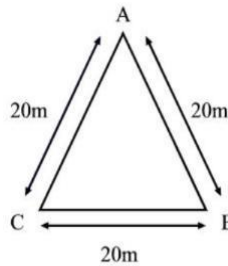
In Hand Horse/Pony likely to excel in the competition disciplines of Dressage, Eventing or Show Jumping. These classes are for athletic sport horses and ponies who have the conformation and movement to excel in their chosen sphere and who hold a Verified Breeding/Proven Pedigree Passport. All owners & handlers **MUST** be BSPA members and horses & ponies registered with BSPA in order to compete & qualify.

METHOD OF JUDGING:

PHASE 1: All exhibits/finalists will enter the the Judge (s) as a class, for temperament and **PHASE 2:** All exhibits will leave the ring and re- for individual judging and mark allocation.

In the final exhibits will be required to walk in 2&3, see diagram.

PHASE 3: All exhibits/finalists will enter the presentation.



ring to be comparatively judged by manners.

enter individually in number order

and trot the triangle as indicated

ring together for final judging and

JUDGING:

1. **CONFORMATION** Judges will either stand at A or in a designation ring area and award conformation marks out of 20.
2. **WALK** Exhibits will either walk the triangle A-B, B-C, C-A, OR as directed by the Judge (s). Marks out of 20.
3. **TROT** Exhibits will either Trot the triangle A-B, B-C, C-A, OR as directed by the Judge (s). Marks out of 20.
4. **OVERALL IMPRESSION**, Marks out of 20 (as exhibit leaves the ring)
5. **PRESENCE AND PACES**, Athleticism fluidity of paces and prescience will be judged throughout phases 1-3 marks out of 20.

SCORING:

- Judge (s) will give marks out of 20 for each section 1-5.
- The exhibit(s) total points will determine placing. The winner will be the exhibit with the highest score out of 100 marks.
- In the event of a tied score 'count back' to the marks awarded in 5. **Presence & Paces** will determine the winner.
- In the event of a 2nd tied score 'count back' to the marks awarded in 4. **Overall Impression** will determine the winner.
- Tied Scores thereafter will result in joint placing being awarded.

DEFINITIONS

COLNE RIDDEN AMATEUR OWNER/PRODUCER/RIDER Ridden & In Hand

All Horses or Ponies in this section **MUST** be owned, registered, produced and ridden by the owner or their son/daughter/grandchild/brother/sister. **Nor** must the exhibitor earn their primary living from a stud or other equestrian or competitive discipline. Nor must they be a trainer or producer for reward or hire.

Ponies/Horses **MUST NOT** have been stabled in a livery since 1st January or stabled with a trainer during 2008 except in the case of a Broodmare. **DIY livery is acceptable.** Exhibitors will be registered Members who have either been issued with a blue amateur status qualification card or who are so classified on the BSPA membership database.

BRITISH COLD BLOODS - defined as:

A Horse or Pony that does not have American, Continental, TB or Arab bloodlines within their first and second generation, sire and dam lines. The type usually represents the hardy and thrifty indigenous British stock of Draught, Native and Vanner types and PB's. They require significant trimming and tiding unless being shown as a Traditional. They may not have verifiable parentage, although unknown parentage does not confirm any Coldblood origins. More frequently now they will be have proven parentage.

PART BRED AND FIRST CROSS BRITISH COLD BLOODS - Verified Breeding (VB)

British Coldblood first cross (first generation) horses and ponies **MUST** have a minimum of 50% verified Coldblood breeding from their first generation sire or dam lines **AND** part bred not less than 60% accumulated via both first and/or second generations. B.S.P.A. Stud Book and Registration records will confirm eligibility and status.

TRADITIONALS - defined as:

Ponies and Horses of Draught Type with feathering covering both the coronet band and descending over the hoof to a minimum of 8". Often feather will also descend from behind the knee. Manes are full flowing and untrimmed. Working Traditionals may however have a bridle track and tail trimmed so that it does not trail the ground.

Shetland and smaller Native Ponies are not "Traditionals" in the context of these classes.

COMPETITOR DRESS - The following guidance is offered:

In Hand - Handlers must be as neat and tidy and as well turned out as their Horses. Thus: -

Men - Should wear a collar and tie with either a Hacking Jacket and slacks or a suit. A bowler hat, trilby or cap or hard hat should be worn as appropriate. For Youngstock / In Hand classes it is strongly recommended that protective headgear should be worn, in the interest of personal safety. (See below). A show cane should always be carried. (Refer Rule 17 whips/canes). Gloves should be worn.

Women - Can also wear the same as above or skirt or divided skirt. Shoes should be sensible and non-slip. A show cane should always be carried. (Refer Rule 17 whips/canes). Gloves should be worn.

Hats – Anyone on a horse must wear a hard hat. A skullcap or hat and safety harness which is correctly adjusted and fitted according to the current approved BSI or European Standards. In all other classes it is strongly recommended that competitors aged 18years and over wear a skullcap or hats in accordance with current BSI or European Standards, in order to minimise risk of head injury. **It is mandatory for competitors under the age of 18 to wear skullcaps or hard hats.**

Grooms – Grooms entering the ring **must** be dressed in accordance with BSPA Rule 69. Failure to comply with the dress code will result in their ejection from the ring and may result in the exhibit they are attending being disqualified. For Evening Gala Performances, grooms, when in attendance, must wear evening dress both In Hand and Ridden.

Ridden - Tweed coats, plain blue or black showing jackets. Plain, fawn, buff or yellow jodhpurs (not white). Plain black or brown boots, long or short. Garter straps, when worn, must face outwards. Spurs, when worn, (Refer Schedule Rule—Junior Riders) must be high on heel of boot and horizontal. Gloves leather or string. Ties must be pinned down. Plain or leather covered show canes – no dressage whips.

Champions Gala & Evening - As for all Championships i.e. navy blue or black show coats. Plain or cut away. Men to wear dinner jackets or evening suits in which case no hats are worn. Some adult competitors may wish to wear top hats in the evening, which is acceptable but not mandatory, under these circumstances the following guidance must be followed:

Men - Hunting dress with hunting whips. (Red jackets also appropriate)

Women - Black or blue hunting coats with Bowler or Top Hat plus fawn breeches or lemon breeches with black boots and garter straps. Stock and pin.

Grooms

All grooms entering the ring must be correctly attired and comply with the BSPA Dress Code. Rule 69. It is the exhibitor’s responsibility to ensure that Grooms entering the ring are smartly turned out. Jackets and hats should always be worn. Failure to comply will result in the Groom being asked to leave the ring and the exhibit they are attending will be disqualified. Grooms should wait in the collecting area until the class is lined up before entering the ring discretely. They should approach horses from behind the line up and never walk across the Judges or horses path. Equipment must be kept to a minimum. Health and Safety is of paramount importance.

Suitable Dress:

Male – Hats must be worn: Bowler Hats, Caps or hard hats. No show jumping hats or baseball caps. Shirt (tucked in), tie, suit, jacket, trousers, **NO VESTS, NO DENIM**, suitable footwear.

Female – Hats must be worn. Shirt, tie hacking jacket, trouser suit and suitable footwear. **NO VESTS, NO DENIM**, suitable footwear.

HEIGHT CONVERSION CHART

11.0hh = 112cms	13.0hh = 132cms	15.0hh = 153cms
11.1hh = 114cms	13.1hh = 135cms	15.1hh = 155cms
11.2hh = 117cms	13.2hh = 137cms	15.2hh = 158cms
11.3hh = 119cms	13.3hh = 140cms	15.3hh = 160cms
12.0hh = 122cms	14.0hh = 142cms	16.0hh = 163cms
12.1hh = 124cms	14.1hh = 145cms	16.1hh = 165cms
12.2hh = 127cms	14.2hh = 148cms	16.2hh = 168cms
12.3hh = 130cms	14.3hh = 150cms	16.3hh = 170cms

AGE CLASSES - HEIGHTS

128 cms	Yearling – 123 cms	2 yr old – 126 cms	3 yr old – 127 cms
138 cms	Yearling – 133 cms	2 yr old – 136 cms	3 yr old – 137 cms
148 cms	Yearling – 143 cms	2 yr old – 146 cms	3 yr old – 147 cms

2019 / 2020 DIARY DATES

November 2019

Stallion & Mare Grading

November 2019

Judges Assessment Day

2020

**BSPA Festival of Showing &
Winter Championships**

College Equestrian Centre, Keysoe, Bedfordshire

2020

**The World Championships of Colour
College Equestrian Centre, Keysoe, Bedfordshire**