

BSPS Scotland Spring Show Saturday 30th March 2024

Champfleurie Stables Torphichen, Bathgate, EH48 4ND

QUALIFIERS FOR:

BSPS Summer Championship
Blair Castle Training Stakes Championship
NPS Scotland Blair Castle Championship
Royal Highland Show Nursery Stakes Championship

RING 1 – Flat Classes	RING 2 – Working Hunter
Judge: Eleanor Holme	Judge: Jade Thomson
1 New Combination Horse/Pony	36 Training Stakes 50cm
2 Novice Show Pony	37 Training Stakes 60cm (Blair Q)
3 Novice Intermediate SRT/SH	38 Training Stakes 70cm (Blair Q)
4 Novice Show Hunter Mixed	39 Training Stakes 80cm (Blair Q)
Championship 1-4	Championship 36-39
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5 Open Show Pony – Lead Rein	Judge: Jade Thomson & Stuart Sloan
6 Open Show Pony – First Ridden	40 Open Cradle Stakes
Championship 5 & 6	41 Open Nursery Stakes (Highland Q)
	Championship 40 & 41
7 Open Show Pony 128cm	
8 Open Show Pony 138cm	42 Novice Working Hunter 133cm
9 Open Show Pony 148cm	43 Novice Working Hunter 143cm
Championship 7 8 & 9	44 Novice Working Hunter 153cm
	45 Novice Working Hunter Intermediate
10 Show Hunter – Lead Rein	Championship 42 43 44 & 45
11 Show Hunter – First Ridden	
Championship 10 & 11	46 Open Working Hunter Intermediate
	47 Open Working Hunter 153cm
12 Show Hunter Open 123cm	48 Open Working Hunter 143cm
13 Show Hunter Open 133cm	49 Open Working Hunter 133cm
14 Show Hunter Open 143cm	Championship 46 47 48 & 49
15 Show Hunter Open 153cm	
Championship 12-15	Judge: Karen Slight
	50 M&M Open Cradle Stakes
16 Intermediate Show Hunter	51 M&M Open Nursery Stakes
17 Part Bred	Championship 50 & 51
Championship 16 & 17	
	52 M&M Novice Working Hunter 122cm
Judge: Charlotte Miller	53 M&M Novice Working Hunter 133cm
18 Tiny Tots Lead Rein	54 M&M Novice Working Hunter 143cm
19 Tiny Tots First Ridden	55 M&M Novice Working Hunter exc 143cm
Championship 18 & 19	Championship 52 53 54 & 55
20 M&M Novice Lead Rein	56 M&M Open Working Hunter exc 143cm
21 M&M Novice First Ridden	57 M&M Open Working Hunter 143cm
Championship 20 & 21	58 M&M Open Working Hunter 133cm
	59 M&M Open Working Hunter 122cm
22 Novice Dartmoor Exmoor Shetland	Championship 56 57 58 & 59
23 Novice Welsh A & B	
24 Novice Welsh C & D	
25 Novice New Forest Connemara	
26 Novice Fells Dales Highland	
Championship 22 23 24 25 & 26	Cavana a of Cha
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27 Open Dartmoor Exmoor & Shetland	•
28 Open Welsh A & B	All Champions are
29 Open Welsh C & D	, c.:a::.p:c::c ai c
30 Open New Forest Connemara	invited to come forward
31 Open Fells Dales Highland	invited to come forward
Championship 27 28 29 30 & 31	
32 M&M Open Lead Rein	
33 M&M Open First Ridden	
Championship 32 & 33	
34 M&M Young Riders Small Breeds	
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35 M&M Young Riders Large Breeds	
35 M&M Young Riders Large Breeds Championship 34 & 35	

Novice Classes

CLASS 1 NEW COMBINATION RIDDEN HORSE OR PONY

- Mare or gelding 4 years old & over. Any height. Any type.
- Combination to be within their first 12 months of partnership.

CLASS 2 THE BSPS NOVICE SHOW PONY MIXED HEIGHT

- Mare or gelding 4 years old and over not exc 148cms.
- Riders must be the right age for the height of pony they ride.
- 128cm Ponies Rider not to have attained their 13th birthday before 1st January in current year.
 138cm Ponies Rider not to have attained their 15th birthday before 1st January in current year.
 148cm Ponies Rider not to have attained their 17th birthday before 1st January in current year

CLASS 3 THE BSPS MIXED NOVICE INTERMEDIATE SHOW RIDING TYPE/SHOW HUNTER

- Mare or gelding. Exceeding 146cm but not 158cm.
- Riders not to have attained their 25th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

CLASS 4 THE BSPS MIXED HEIGHT NOVICE SHOW HUNTER PONIES

- Mare or gelding 4 years old and over not exceeding 153cms.
- Riders must be the correct age for the height of animal they ride.
- 123cm Ponies Rider not to have attained their 12th birthday before 1st January in current year.
 133cm Ponies Rider not to have attained their 14th birthday before 1st January in current year.
 143cm Ponies Rider not to have attained their 17th birthday before 1st January in current year.
 153cm Ponies Rider not to have attained their 20th birthday before 1st January in current year.

Championship – 1^{st} & 2^{nd} from the above classses are invited to come forward

Show Ponies Mini

CLASS 5 THE BSPS OPEN SHOW PONY - LEAD REIN

- Mare or gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 122cms.
- Riders not to have attained their 8th birthday before the 1st of January in the current year. No child under 3 years may compete
- Leader must be 16 years or over
- The lead rein must be attached to the noseband

CLASS 6 THE BSPS OPEN SHOW PONY - FIRST RIDDEN

- Mare or gelding 4 years old and over, not exceeding 122cms.
- Riders not to have attained their 10th birthday before the 1st of January in the current year.
- No cantering is allowed except for individual performances
- Ponies should leave the ring at walk or trot

Show Ponies Open

CLASS 7 THE BSPS OPEN SHOW PONIES – 128cm

- Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, not exc 128cms.
- Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 13th birthday before 1st January in the current year.

CLASS 8 THE BSPS OPEN SHOW PONIES – 138cm

- Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, exc 128cms and not exceeding 138cms.
- Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 15th birthday before 1st January in the current year.

CLASS 9 THE BSPS OPEN SHOW PONIES – 148cm

- Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, exc 138cms and not exceeding 148cms.
- Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 17th birthday before 1st January in the current year

Championship – 1^{st} & 2^{nd} from the above classses are invited to come forward

Show Hunters Mini

CLASS 10 THE BSPS OPEN SHOW HUNTER PONY LEAD REIN

- Mare or gelding 4 years old and over not exc 122cms.
- Riders not to have attained their 9th birthday before 1st January in current year.
- Ponies may be trotted altogether in the class

CLASS 11 THE BSPS FIRST PONY OF SHOW HUNTER TYPE

- Mare or gelding 4 years old and over not exc 122cms.
- Riders not to have attained their 10th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.
- Snaffle bridles only. No cantering is allowed except in individual performance. Ponies must leave ring
 in walk or trot.

Championship – 1^{st} & 2^{nd} from the above classses are invited to come forward

Show Hunter Open

CLASS 12 THE BSPS OPEN SHOW PONY OF HUNTER TYPE – 123cm

- Mare or gelding 4 years old and over not exc 123cms.
- Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 12th Birthday before 1st January in the current year.

CLASS 13 THE BSPS OPEN SHOW PONY OF HUNTER TYPE – 133cm

- Mare or gelding 4 years old and over exc 122cms and not exceeding 133cms.
- Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 14th Birthday before 1st January in the current year.

CLASS 14 THE BSPS OPEN SHOW PONY OF HUNTER TYPE – 143cm

- Mare or gelding 4 years old and over exc 133cms and not exceeding 143cms.
- Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 17th Birthday before 1st January in the current year.

CLASS 15 THE BSPS OPEN SHOW PONY OF HUNTER TYPE – 153cm

- Mare or gelding 4 years old and over exc 143cms and not exceeding 153cms.
- Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 20th Birthday before 1st January in the current year.

Championship – 1^{st} & 2^{nd} from the above classses are invited to come forward

Intermediate & Part Bred

CLASS 16 THE BSPS OPEN INTERMEDIATE SHOW HUNTER / SHOW RIDING TYPE

- Open to both show hunter and show riding types
- Mare or gelding 4 years old and over exceeding 146cms, but not exceeding 158cms.
- Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25th birthday before 1st January in curren year

CLASS 17 RIDDEN PART BRED HORSE/PONY

• Mare or gelding. 4 years old and over, any height, any type. Rider any age.

Championship – 1^{st} & 2^{nd} from the above classses are invited to come forward

Tiny Tots – Judge Charlotte Miller

CLASS 18 TINY TOTS LEAD REIN (UNAFFILIATED)

- Mare or gelding 4 years old and over not exc 122cms. Open to Show Ponies, Show Hunter Ponies
 & Mountain & Moorland Ponies. (unaffiliated)
- Riders not to have attained their 5th birthday before 1st January in the current year.
- Snaffle bridles only

CLASS 19 TINY TOTS FIRST RIDDEN (UNAFFILIATED)

- Mare or gelding 4 years old and over not exc 128cms. Open to Show Ponies, Show Hunter Ponies and Mountain & Moorland Ponies. (unaffiliated)
- Riders not to have attained their 9th birthday before 1st January in the current year.
- Snaffle bridles only. Cantering in individual show is optional.

Mountain	& Moorland	Mini Novice

CLASS 20 THE BSPS HERITAGE MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND NOVICE LEAD REIN

- Registered pure bred mare or gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 122cm.
- Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 9th birthday before 1st January in the current year.

CLASS 21 THE BSPS "HERITAGE" MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND NOVICE FIRST RIDDEN

- Pure bred mare or gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 128cms.
- Riders not to have attained their 12th birthday before the first January in the current year. Any suitable bridle.

Championship – 1^{st} & 2^{nd} from the above classses are invited to come forward

Mountain & Moorland Novice

This section is a qualifier for the NPS Scotland/Kilmannan Stud Novice Ridden M&M Championship. The 2 highest placed ponies, not already qualified, in each class will qualify for the Final which will take place at the Blair Castle International Horse Trials on Friday 23rd August 2024. Qualifications to go no lower than 4thplace.

CLASS 22 THE BSPS "HERITAGE" MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND NOVICE RIDDEN

Registered Pure Bred Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland Ponies 4 years old or over. Riders any age.

CLASS 23 THE BSPS "HERITAGE" MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND NOVICE RIDDEN

Registered Pure-Bred Welsh Section A and B Ponies 4 years old or over. Riders any age.

CLASS 24 THE BSPS "HERITAGE" MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND NOVICE RIDDEN

Registered Pure-Bred Welsh C & D Ponies 4 years old or over. Riders any age

CLASS 25 THE BSPS "HERITAGE" MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND NOVICE RIDDEN

Registered Pure Bred New Forest and Connemara Ponies 4 years old or over. Riders any age.

CLASS 26 THE BSPS "HERITAGE" MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND NOVICE RIDDEN

Registered Pure-Bred Fells, Dales, Highland Ponies 4 years old or over. Riders any age

Championship – 1^{st} & 2^{nd} from the above classses are invited to come forward

Mountain & Moorland Open

This section is a qualifier for the NPS Scotland/Baileys Horse Feeds Open Ridden Mountain & Moorland Championship. The 2 highest placed ponies, not already qualified, in each class will qualify for the Final which will take place at the Blair Castle International Horse Trials on Friday 23rd August 2024. Qualifications to go no lower than 4thplace.

CLASS 27 THE BSPS "HERITAGE" MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND OPEN RIDDEN

Registered Pure Bred Dartmoor Exmoor Shetlands 4 years old or over. Riders any age.

CLASS 28 THE BSPS "HERITAGE" MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND OPEN RIDDEN

Registered Pure Bred Welsh Section A and B Ponies 4 years old or over. Riders any age.

CLASS 29 THE BSPS "HERITAGE" MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND OPEN RIDDEN

Registered Pure Bred Welsh C & D Ponies 4 years old or over. Riders any age.

CLASS 30 THE BSPS "HERITAGE" MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND OPEN RIDDEN

Registered Pure Bred New Forest & Connemaras 4 years old or over. Riders any age.

CLASS 31 THE BSPS "HERITAGE" MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND OPEN RIDDEN

Registered Pure-Bred Fells, Dales, Highland Ponies 4 years old or over. Riders any age.

Championship – 1^{st} & 2^{nd} from the above classses are invited to come forward

Mountain & Moorland Mini Open

This section is a qualifier for the NPS Scotland/Kilgraston School M&M Lead Rein/First Ridden Championship. The 2 highest placed ponies, not already qualified, in each class will qualify for the Final which will take place at the Blair Castle International Horse Trials on Friday 23rd August 2024. Qualifications to go no lower than 4thplace.

CLASS 32 THE BSPS "HERITAGE" MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND OPEN LEAD REIN.

- Registered pure bred mare or gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 122cms.
- Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 9th birthday begore 1st January in the current year.

CLASS 33 THE BSPS "HERITAGE" MOUNTAIN AND MOORLAND OPEN FIRST RIDDEN.

- Pure bred mare or gelding, 4 years old and over not exceeding 128cms.
- Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 12th birthday before 1st of January in the current year.

Championship – 1^{st} & 2^{nd} from the above classses are invited to come forward

Mountain & Moorland Young Riders

This section is a qualifier for the NPS Scotland/Maggie May Junior Open Ridden Championship. The highest placed pony, not already qualified, in each class will qualify for the Final which will take place at the Blair Castle International Horse Trials on Friday 23rd August 2024. Qualifications to go no lower than 4thplace

CLASS 34 THE BSPS HERITAGE YOUNG RIDERS M&M SMALL BREEDS RIDDEN

- Registered Pure Bred Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Welsh Sections A & B, Mare or Gelding 4 year old or over.
- Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 14th birthday before 1st January in the current year.

CLASS 35 THE BSPS HERITAGE YOUNG RIDERS M&M LARGE BREEDS RIDDEN

- Registered Pure Bred Connemara, Dales, Highland, New Forest, Fell, Welsh Sections C & D, Mare o Gelding 4 years old or over.
- Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 18th birthday before 1st January in the current year.

FOR ALL WORKING HUNTER CLASSES – Please Note the Following:

- Hind boots are not permitted.

- Body protectors MUST be worn when jumping in any WHP Classes including practice ring.
- A BETA approved and appropriately labelled "Level 3 body protector" with the year 2018 (Blue and Black) shown on the label. BETA recommends body protectors are replaced at least every three to five years, after which the impact absorption properties of the foam may have started to decline. All types of air jackets are not allowed.

- No change of saddlery is allowed between phases.

Ring 2 – Working Hunter Commencing 8am

JUDGE: Jade Thomson

Training Stakes – Blair Castle Qualifiers

These classes are open to plaited and heritage m&m ponies.

The 60cm, 70cm & 80cm classes are qualifiers for the BSPS Scotland Training Stakes Championship which will take place at Blair International Horse Trials on Thursday 22nd August 2024. The 2 highest placed ponies will qualify.

Qualification may pass down to 4th place but is dependent upon a clear round.

You do not need to be member of BSPS to enter this class or the final.

Method of Judging: Animals will be required to jump a course of fences, they will immediately be asked to give a short show including a change of rein and gallop in the same ring.

CLASS 36 TRAINING STAKES – 50cm

- Animals 4yrs old or over. Riders any age.
- Maximum height of fences 50cm

CLASS 37 BLAIR CASTLE BSPS SCOTLAND TRAINING STAKES QUALIFIER – 60cm

- Animals 4yrs old or over up to 158cm. Riders any age.
- Maximum height of fences 60cm

CLASS 38 BLAIR CASTLE BSPS SCOTLAND TRAINING STAKES QUALIFIER—70cm

- Animals 4yrs old or over up to 158cm. Riders any age.
- Maximum height of fences 70cm

CLASS 39 BLAIR CASTLE BSPS SCOTLAND TRAINING STAKES QUALIFIER – 80cm

- Animals 4yrs old or over. Riders any age.
- Maximum height of fences 80cm

Championship – 1st & 2nd from the above classses are invited to come forward

Mini Working Hunter		
Class	Height	Spread
Cradle Stakes	45-60cm	45-60cm
Nursery Stakes	60-75cm	60-75cm

CLASS 40 THE BSPS OPEN CRADLE STAKES

- Mare or gelding 4years old and over not exc 122cms.
- Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 11th birthday before 1st January in the current year.
- First fence not to exceed 45cm

CLASS 41

THE BSPS OPEN NURSERY STAKES (RHS Qualifier) Kindly sponsored by Champfleurie Equestrian

- This Class is a Qualifier for the Royal Highland Show. The top 4 rider/pony combinations will qualify providing they have jumped a clear round.
- Mare or gelding 4 years old and over not exc 133cms.
- Riders not to have attained their 12th birthday before 1st January in the current year.

Championship – 1^{st} & 2^{nd} from the above classses are invited to come forward

Novice Working Hunter			
Class – Novice	Max Height	Max Spread	
133cm	75cm	75cm	
143cm	85cm	85cm	
153cm	95cm	95cm	
Intermediate	1m	1m	

CLASS 42 THE BSPS NOVICE WORKING HUNTER PONY – 133cm

- Mare or gelding 4 years old and over not exceeding 133cm
- Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 14th birthday before 1st January in the current year

CLASS 43 THE BSPS NOVICE WORKING HUNTER PONY – 143cm

- Mare or gelding 4 years old and over exceeding 133cm and not exceeding 143cm
- Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 17th birthday before 1st January in the current year

CLASS 44

THE BSPS NOVICE WORKING HUNTER PONY - 153cm

- Mare or gelding 4 years old and over exceeding 143cm and not exceeding 153cm
- Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 20th birthday before 1st January in the current year

CLASS 45

THE BSPS NOIVCE WORKING HUNTER PONY - INTERMEDIATE

- Mare or gelding 4 years old and over exceeding 148cm and not exceeding 158cm
- Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25th birthday before 1st January in the current year

Open Working Hunter			
Class – Open	Heights Spreads		
133cm	80-90cm	80-90cm	
143cm	90-100cm	90-100cm	
153cm	95-105cm	95-105cm	
Intermediate	105-110cm	105-110cm	

CLASS 46 THE BSPS WORKING HUNTER PONY – OPEN INTERMEDIATE

- Mare or gelding 4 years old and over exceeding 148cm and not exceeding 158cm
- Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 25th birthday before 1st January in the current year

CLASS 47 THE BSPS OPEN WORKING HUNTER PONY – 153cm

- Mare or gelding 4 years old and over exceeding 143cm and not exceeding 153cm
- Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 20th birthday before 1st January in the current year

CLASS 48 THE BSPS OPEN WORKING HUNTER PONY – 143cm

- Mare or gelding 4 years old and over exceeding 133cm and not exceeding 143cm
- Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 17th birthday before 1st January in the current year

CLASS 49 THE BSPS OPEN WORKING HUNTER PONY – 133cm

- Mare or gelding 4 years old and over not exceeding 133cm
- Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 14th birthday before 1st January in the current year

Working Hunter Minis - Mountain & Moorland		
Class – Heritage	Heights	Spread Max
Cradle Stakes	47-55cm	47cm
Nursery Stakes	50-65cm	50cm

CLASS 50 THE BSPS "HERITAGE" MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND OPEN CRADLE STAKES

- Registered pure-bred ponies 4 years old and over not exc 122cms.
- Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 11th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

CLASS 51 THE BSPS "HERITAGE" MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND NURSERY STAKES

- Registered pure-bred ponies 4 years old and over not exc 133cms.
- Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 13th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

Championship – 1^{st} & 2^{nd} from the above classses are invited to come forward

Working Hunter Novice - Mountain & Moorland		
Heritage Novice	Heights	Spread Max
122cm	47-60cm	47cm
133cm	55-65cm	55cm
143cm	65-75cm	65cm
Exc 143cm	75-85cm	75cm

CLASS 52 THE BSPS "HERITAGE" MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND NOVICE WHP – 122cm

- Registered pure-bred ponies 4 years old and over not exceeding 122cm.
- Riders any age.

CLASS 53 THE BSPS "HERITAGE" MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND NOVICE WHP – 133cm

- Registered pure-bred ponies 4 years old and over exceeding 122cm but not exceeding 133cm
- Riders any age.

CLASS 54 THE BSPS "HERITAGE" MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND NOVICE WHP – 143cm

- Registered pure-bred ponies 4 years old and over exceeding 133cm but not exceeding 143cm
- Riders any age.

CLASS 55 THE BSPS "HERITAGE" MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND NOVICE WHP – exceeding 143cm

- Registered pure-bred ponies 4 years old and over, exceeding 143cm
- Riders any age.

Working Hunter Open - Mountain & Moorland

This section is a qualifier for the NPS Scotland/Kingfisher Building Products Mountain & Moorland Open WHP Championship. The 2 highest placed ponies, not already qualified, in each class will qualify for the Final which will take place at the Blair Castle International Horse Trials on Friday 23rd August 2024. Qualifications to go no lower than 4^{th} place.

Heritage Open WHP	Height	Spreads Max
122cm	55-70cm	55cm
133cm	65-80cm	65cm
143cm	75-90cm	75cm
Exc 143cm	85-100cm	85cm

CLASS 56 THE BSPS "HERITAGE" MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND OPEN WHP – exceeding 143cm

- Registered pure-bred ponies 4 years old and over, exceeding 143cm
- Riders any age.

CLASS 57 THE BSPS "HERITAGE" MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND OPEN WHP – 143cm

- Registered pure-bred ponies 4 years old and over, exceeding 133cm but not exceeding 143cm
- Riders any age.

CLASS 58 THE BSPS "HERITAGE" MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND OPEN WHP – 133cm

- Registered pure-bred ponies 4 years old and over, exceeding 122cm but not exceeding 133cm
- Riders any age.

CLASS 59 THE BSPS "HERITAGE" MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND OPEN WHP – 122cm

- Registered pure-bred ponies 4 years old and over not exceeding 122cm.
- Riders any age.

Championship – 1^{st} & 2^{nd} from the above classses are invited to come forward

Supreme of Show

All Champions are invited to come forward

Look out for the special Easter prizes!

****ALL CLASSES ARE OPEN TO BOTH MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS***

ENTRY FEE'S

		Pre-Entry	On the Day
Flat Classes	Members	12	15
	Non-Members	16	19
Working Hunter Classes	Members	14	18
	Non-Members	18	22

Entries will close Wednesday 27th March 2024

RULES AND CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

All BSPS members and show exhibitors agree to comply with the rules laid out in the current BSPS Rule Book. This includes but is not limited to rules regarding dope testing, good conduct and discipline and the social media and internet policy. It is necessary all exhibitors carry Public Liability Insurance for an adequate indemnity to protect against their negligence including any injury caused by their animals or property.

Conditions of Entry & Rules:

- This Show is Affiliated to the British Show Pony Society and all persons entering, competing, showing or otherwise taking part in the B.S.P.S. Classes, whether or not Members of the B.S.P.S. are subject to the Constitution and Rules of the B.S.P.S., including disciplinary procedures, and shall be deemed to have consented to the jurisdiction of the B.S.P.S.
- Neither the BSPS Scottish Branch Committee, nor any of its Officers, Servants, or Assistants shall be responsible or accountable for any loss, injury or damage to any person, animal, or property in connection with this Show.
- Entry fees are non-refundable if the show must be cancelled due to weather conditions which are out with the control of the BSPS Scottish Branch. Please check website for up to date information on the show. Entries are also not transferable to other riders, ponies or classes.
- EQUINE PASSPORTS/INFLUENZA VACCINATION CERTIFICATES. Exhibitors are required to have Passports for all horses/ponies when competing at the show and up to date Equine Inoculation Certificate for each of their exhibits in accordance with the current BSPS Rule and Show Handbook. Any exhibitor found without a passport or valid certificates for all their animals will be asked to leave the Showground.
- Entries will not be accepted without the appropriate fee. An S.A.E. must be submitted with entries if a receipt is required. No numbers will be sent to Exhibitors prior to the Show. Competitors' numbers should be collected from the Secretary's Office on the Show Ground. Cheques and Postal Orders to be made payable to B.S.P.S. SCOTTISH BRANCH. NO entries will be accepted over the telephone.
- NO REFUND OF ENTRIES WILL BE MADE. Entries cannot be changed, substituted or amended once received.
- OBJECTIONS must be made in writing with the objector's full name and address within 60 minutes of the completion of
 judging and must be lodged at the Secretary's Office together with the sum of £50 deposit. This sum will be returned if the
 objection is sustained, but if the objection is not sustained the deposit will be forfeited. Any objection against the judging of
 a class or championship must be referred to the BSPS in accordance with the Rules in the current BSPS Rule and Show Hand
 Book.

BODY PROTECTORS

• Body Protectors MUST be worn when jumping in any WHP and WH classes Including practice rings at B.S.P.S. affiliated shows. (Including Tiny Tots, Cradle and Nursery Stakes, WSP, LRWSP and Training Stakes). Riders must wear a body protector when working in (practice jumps) and the jumping phase in all B.S.P.S. organised and affiliated events. A British Equestrian Trade Association (BETA) approved and appropriately labelled "Level 3 body protector" 2018 (Blue and Black) shown on the label. BETA recommends body protectors are replaced at least every three to five years, after which the impact absorption properties of the foam may have started to decline. All types of Air Jackets are not allowed.

HATS

• Correctly secured Skull Caps/Riding Hats Nos. PAS015 2011, VG1, (BS) EN1384 2023, ASTM F1163 2015 and 2023, SNELL E2016 and E2021, AS/NZS 3838 2006, MUST be worn by riders at all times when mounted. Hats should have a plain cover,

either Black, Navy Blue, Brown, Grey or Green. Velvet covers are encouraged. The B.S.P.S. encourages members to have their hats tagged through the B.S.P.S. scheme or via the Pony Club Scheme. Tagging indicates that the hat meets the accepted standards, no check of the fit or condition of the hat is implied. It is considered to be the responsibility of the members/guardians to ensure the hat complies with the current standards and is tagged before they compete. Members/guardians are responsible for ensuring the manufacturer's guidelines with regard to fit and replacement are followed. Hat Tagging in B.S.P.S. classes is compulsory at BSPS Winter, Summer and Heritage Championship shows, Royal International Horse Show, London International Horse Show, Burghley Gold Cup and lead rein WSP final. (We are accepting British Riding Club and Pony Club tags)

Judging:

- Each Exhibitor shall abide by and accept as final the decision of the Judges, Referees, Chief Steward and Officials of the Show.
- Classes will be Judged in accordance with the current BSPS Rule Book.
- The Judges listed in the Schedule have accepted our invitation to Judge, but the Committee reserve the right to appoint substitutes should any Judge withdraw.
- No Exhibitor may knowingly show a pony under a Judge in circumstances that would constitute a breach of Rules by the Judge.
- The BSPS Scottish Branch/Board of Directors reserve the right to move, change, amalgamate or divide any class, championship or supreme as they deem fit when necessary to facilitate the running of the show. It is therefore the competitor's responsibility to keep up to date with any changes which may occur during the running of the show.
- No marks will be displayed until after the presentation of awards.

Dope Testing:

Any animal taking part in BSPS Shows or shows affiliated to BSPS are liable to Dope Testing

Trophies

• All Trophy winners must be members of BSPS Scotland. An ADULT must sign for the Trophy, and agree to return when requested by the BSPS Scotland, in a good, clean condition. All breakages will be charged for.

General:

- Only tack and spurs that are permissible in the ring in BSPS classes are allowed on the showground
- Mounted exhibitors must adhere to horse walkways and riding areas.
- Motorised vehicles including scooters are not allowed on the showfields.
- Ponies must not to left overnight in trailers or horseboxes. Coralling is not permitted.
- The current welfare policy will be enforced at every show.
- Only animals entered in classes at the BSPS Scottish Branch Ltd Show may use the arenas for exercising.

Liability:

- Neither the BSPS or any of its officers, assistants or stewards shall in any way be responsible for any loss, injury or damages
 that may happen to exhibitors or their assistants or other members of the public, or to any animal or property or to any
 vehicle brought into the Showground or on any premises used in conjunction with the Show, or while entering or leaving the
 same.
- BSPS shall not be liable to the show entrants in contract, tort, negligence, breach of statutory duty or otherwise for any loss, damage, costs or expenses of any nature whatsoever incurred or suffered by the show entrants of an indirect or consequential nature including without limitation any economic loss or other loss of turnover, profits, business or goodwill. Any notice served in accordance with this clause shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given if left at or sent by post or telex or facsimile to the entrant at the address or relevant telecommunications number for such entrant or such other address as the entrant may from time to time designate
- It is necessary all exhibitors carry Public Liability Insurance for an adequate indemnity to protect against their negligence including any injury caused by their animals or property.

Conduct:

Rule 67 - No member of the BSPS shall conduct himself in a manner or be guilty of behaviour which is derogatory to the
character or prejudicial to the interests of the BSPS and in particular (but without prejudice to the generality of the
foregoing) no Member shall behave in an offensive or abusive or unpleasant matter to any person at any show or at any
other location where BSPS business is being transacted or via social media or the internet or via any publication in whatever

- format or via any other written or electronic format. Members' attention is drawn to the BSPS Social Media and Internet Policy set out in the back of the BSPS Handbook.
- Rule 70 Members are responsible for the actions of any non-members who are Family Members (as defined below) or who are friends or friends of Family Members or who are employed by themor assisting, supporting or representing them or otherwise acting on their behalf and any action or conduct of such non-member which would be a breach of the Rules were he a Member shall constitute a breach of the Rules by the Member concerned. Family Member shall include a spouse or civil partner, a partner, a direct descendant or ascendant of the Member or his spouse or civil partner, brothers, sisters or adopted children of the Member or his spouse or civil partner, or any other person who is part of the same household as the Member or is in the reasonable opinion of the BSPS a member of the Member's family in the widest sense.

QUALIFYING INFORMATION

This Show is a qualifier for the 2024 BSPS Championships Show to be held at Arena UK. The 1st and 2nd prize winners only in the following classes Open LR, FR, SP, NS and the 1st, 2nd and 3rd prize winners in Classes Open Intermediate SRT (including Mixed height), W.H & SHT, CS the 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th prize winners in mixed height classes will qualify for the BSPS Championships provided the animal is registered in accordance with Rules 5, 21 and 26 and ridden by a BSPS member.

1st Prizewinners in qualifying classes will receive £5 prizemoney. All prizemoney must be collected on the day of the show prior to secretaries office closing & before the supreme of show. Any prizemoney not collected will be forfeited.

THE BLUE RIBAND PONY OF THE YEAR

This show is a qualifier for the BSPS Blue Riband Pony of the Year. The 1st & 2nd prize winners in the Open Lead Rein, Open First Ridden OR Open Show Pony OR Open Working Hunter Pony OR Open Show Hunter Pony OR Open Intermediate WH, SRT, and SH classes will qualify.

THE BSPS CHALLENGE

This show is a qualifier for the BSPS Challenge. Animals competing in the following Open classes will qualify; Open Lead Rein, First Ridden, Lead Rein of Hunter Type, Show Pony, SHP, Cradle and Nursery Stakes, WHP, Intermediate SRT, SH and WH and Open Heritage Lead Rein, First Ridden, Ridden and WHP Classes.

THE BSPS "BINKS FAMILY" CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS

This show is a qualifier for the BSPS Binks Family Champion of Champions the 1st prize winners in the following classes will qualify:- Open Lead Rein, Open First Ridden, Open Lead Rein of Hunter Type, Open Show Pony, SHP, WHP, Intermediate SH, SRT and WH and Open Heritage Lead Rein, First Ridden, Ridden and WHP classes.

THE BSPS "BINKS FAMILY" MINI W.H.P CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS

This show is a qualifier for the BSPS Binks Family Mini WHP Champion of Champions the 1st prize winners in Open Cradle and Nursery Stakes will qualify.

THE ROYAL HIGHLAND SHOW - NURSERY STAKES

This show is a qualifier for The Royal Highland Show Nursery Stakes 2024. The first 4 placed same pony and rider combination will qualify for the 2024 Royal Highland Show Nursery Stakes provided they have jumped a clear round. Qualification will only move down the line to the next eligible pony and rider combination meeting the qualification criteria. This class is open to both BSPS Members and Non-Members.

BSPS SCOTLAND TRAINING STAKES CHAMPIONSHIP

Blair Castle BSPS Training Stakes Series: Ponies placed first & second in the 60cm, 70cm and 80cm training stakes classes will qualify for the Championships held at the Blair Castle International Horse Trials & Country Fair. Qualification may go down to fourth place if higher placed ponies have previously qualified — only those who have jumped a clear round can qualify. If a combination qualifies in all three height categories they are only able to compete in the two higher height classes at the final.

NPS SCOTLAND CHAMPIONSHIP RULES 2024

To be run under NPS Scotland Championship Rules 2024 which are on the NPS Scotland website www.npsscotland.co.uk these rules clarify areas particular to NPS Scotland. We also run to the Rules of the National Pony Society. Copies of rules can be found at www.npsscotland.co.uk Exhibitors are deemd to be conversant with these rules.

Caledonian Showing Championships

The Caledonian Showing Championships are now well established in the showing calendar and will once again give competitors the opportunity to compete at a top level Championship Final in Scotland. Evening Performances, loads of bling and razzmatazz everything an end of season Championship should have! This year's show will be held at Highfield @ Howe, near Ladybank, Fife. This Show is a qualifier and every horse & pony placed 1st in all Inhand, Ridden Showing classes (not fun classes) & Working Hunter/Pony classes will qualify to compete in any appropriate class at the Finals. Qualification will be from placings, no qualification cards will be awarded in the ring, and no qualification can go down the line. Qualification is for the Horse & Pony except for Adult/Young Handler classes, where the Handler qualifies. All qualified horses and ponies will be listed on the Caledonian Showing Show's website www.caledonianchampionships.webs.com where you will also find a regularly updated list of qualifying shows and a wealth of other information.

BSPS SCOTLAND 2024 EVENTS

Midterm Show – Sunday 12th May, Howe

Summer Extravaganza – Sunday 14th July

Finale Show – Saturday 7th September, Howe

Presentation Ball – Saturday 9th November, Dunblane Hydro

Please keep up to date with our events by following our Facebook page.