

**SOUTH WESTERN ASSOCIATION
OF THE WELSH PONY AND COB SOCIETY**

SPRING SHOW

***Open to All Mountain & Moorland breeds
and their part-breds***

SATURDAY 5TH APRIL 2008

9 am start

Yeovil Showground, Aldon, Yeovil, Somerset BA20 2RH

(At Yeovil, just off the A37 to Dorchester)

**Affiliated to The National Pony Society and
The British Driving Society**

Qualifier for the South West Welsh Champion of the Year

South West Pony Association Championship Qualifiers

Show Secretary: Mrs E P HOLT

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PRE SHOW ENTRIES CLOSE: 28th MARCH 2008

(entries after 1st April at higher fee)

No telephone entries accepted and no entries accepted unless accompanied by appropriate fees and correctly completed entry form. In the event of bad weather it is the responsibility of competitors to contact the organisers to see if the show is still being held.

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SOUTH WEST WELSH CHAMPION OF THE YEAR

The Welsh In Hand Youngstock Champion and Reserve Champion and the Welsh In Hand Adult Championship Champion and Reserve Champion will qualify for the South West Welsh Champion of the Year at Bicton Arena on 7 September 2008

RING 1 – commencing 9 am - IN HAND CLASSES

WELSH PURE BRED IN HAND CLASSES

Judge: Mr DAVID DAVIES (CEULAN STUD)

Welsh Section A

Class 1 : 4 yrs old and over, stallion, mare or gelding

Class 2 : 1, 2 and 3 yr old, colt, filly or gelding

Welsh Section B

Class 3 : 4 yrs old and over, stallion, mare or gelding

Class 4 : 1, 2 and 3 yr old, colt, filly or gelding

Welsh Section C

Class 5 : 4 yrs old and over, stallion, mare or gelding

Class 6 : 1, 2 and 3 yr old, colt, filly or gelding

Welsh Section D

Class 7 : 4 yrs old and over, stallion, mare or gelding

Class 8 : 1, 2 and 3 yr old, colt, filly or gelding

WELSH IN HAND YOUNGSTOCK CHAMPIONSHIP

(1st & 2nd prize winners from Classes 2, 4, 6 and 8)

(Perpetual Trophy presented by Mr & Mrs B Clarke)

Champion and Reserve to qualify for the South West Welsh Champion of the Year on 7 September 2008

WELSH IN HAND ADULT CHAMPIONSHIP

(1st & 2nd prize winners from Classes 1, 3, 5 & 7)

(Perpetual Trophy presented by Mr & Mrs G Cooper)

Champion and Reserve to qualify for the South West Welsh Champion of the Year on 7 September 2008

MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND IN HAND CLASSES

PURE AND PART BRED

Judge: MR D DAVIES

Mountain & Moorland Part-Bred

(Special rosette in each class for highest placed Welsh Part-Bred)

Class 9 : 1, 2 and 3 yr old, colt, filly or gelding

Class 10 : 4 yrs old and over, stallion, mare or gelding

M&M PART-BRED IN HAND CHAMPIONSHIP

(1st & 2nd prize winners from Classes 9 & 10)

Judge: MRS J BRYER

Mountain & Moorland Pure Bred In Hand (not before 1 pm)

Class 11 : Small M&M Breeds – 1, 2 & 3 yr old colt, filly or gelding*

Class 12 : Small M&M Breed – 4 yrs & over stallion, mare or gelding*

**Special rosette to highest placed Dartmoor sponsored by Miss J Baggott*

Class 13 : Large M&M Breeds 1, 2 & 3 yr old colt, filly or gelding

Class 14 : Large M&M Breeds – 4 yrs & over stallion, mare or gelding

MIXED M&M IN HAND CHAMPIONSHIP

(1st & 2nd prize winners from Classes 11 to 14 to compete)

Judge: Mrs J BRYER

NPS HOME PRODUCED M&M IN HAND CHAMPIONSHIP

To be judged under the rules of the NPS

The pony is to be owned and produced by the Exhibitor.

WINNERS OF THESE TWO CLASSES ARE NOT ELIGIBLE

FOR THE SUPREME IN HAND CHAMPIONSHIP

Class 15: Small breeds, any age

Class 16: Large breeds, any age

The winner of each class to go forward to the final to be held at the NPS Championship Show at Malvern in August. A pony may only qualify once, where the winner in the class has already qualified the pony standing next in line which has not qualified will be deemed the qualifier. Qualification may go no lower than third place. Open to ponies which are either stabled at home or in a DIY yard and which since 1 January 2007 have not been shown by a professional producer or stabled in a professional producer's yard other than on a DIY basis. To be owned and produced and handled by an Amateur who does not derive income from professional showing of ponies or horses. Please enter this class in the spirit it is intended.

NATIONAL PONY SOCIETY RULES

The following rules apply to Classes 19-23, 24-28, 33-40 and 43-48 inclusive.

The 1st prize winners from each class will go forward to the final to be held at the NPS Summer Championship Show at Malvern in August. A pony may only qualify once. Where the first pony in line has already qualified, the pony standing next in line which has not qualified, will be deemed the qualifier. Qualification may go no lower than 3rd place.

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Qualifying rounds are open to both NPS Members of the NPS and Non Members BUT ONLY the highest placed NPS ADULT MEMBER (Standard or Showing) on production of their membership card in the ring ,will be eligible to qualify for the Final. NPS Adult/Standard members will be required to upgrade to Adult/Showing to enter the Final. Qualification to go no lower than third place. Qualified Ponies must be entered into the NPS Competition Final within 14 days for the pony to be eligible to appear in the Final.

SUPREME IN HAND CHAMPIONSHIP

*(All In Hand Champions and Reserve Champions to compete
for Championship Sashes)*

(Exhibitors who are NPS Members to stay in the ring for the next competition)

Judge: MRS J BRYER

NPS Mountain & Moorland In Hand Kilmannan Stud Silver Medal Rosette Championship (excl Part-Breds)

To be judged under the rules of the NPS

The exhibitor must be an adult/standard member of the NPS

A Silver Medal Rosette is offered by the NPS for the best registered pony in the Mountain & Moorland In Hand Section. Exhibited by an adult/standard member of the NPS. (Champion or Reserve only). **Membership card to be produced in the ring.** This section to be run under NPS rules. If the Champion pony has already qualified, the Reserve, on production in the ring of their Membership card, will receive the qualifying card and Sponsor's rosette. Qualification to go no lower than Reserve Champion. Qualifiers are entitled to compete in the NPS Mountain & Moorland In Hand Kilmannan Stud Championship to be held at the NPS Summer Championship Show in Malvern. The relevant entry fee and the qualification card must be sent to the NPS Secretariat, Willingdon House, 7 The Windmills, St Mary's Close, Turk Street, Alton, Hampshire GU34 1EF. Qualifiers may only compete in one Kilmannan final.

RING 2 (commencing 9.00 am)

RIDDEN CLASSES

Judge: Mrs J REARDEN

Class 17 : Unaffiliated Novice Ridden M&M Small Breeds, riders any age.

Class 18 : Unaffiliated Novice Ridden M&M Large Breeds, riders any age.

Judge: Mr M SAUNDERS

The NPS/Picton Mountain & Moorland Novice Ridden Championship

To be judged under the rules of the NPS

Open to stallions, mares or geldings, four years old or over, which must be registered in the main body of their respective M&M Stud Books

A pony shall not be deemed a Novice if by 1st January of the current year it has: i) won an open NPS Affiliated Ridden M&M class or ii) won a class at an Olympia or HOYS Qualifying round, or iii) qualified for the Novice/Intermediate Ridden M&M at Malvern.

Class 19 : Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Welsh A

Class 20 : Welsh B, Welsh C

Class 21 : New Forest, Connemara

Class 22 : Fell, Dales, Highland

Class 23 : Welsh D

NOVICE RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP

(1st & 2nd prize winners from classes 17-23 inclusive to compete)

(LUNCH BREAK)

Judge: MR M SAUNDERS

The NPS/Micor Demolition Ltd Mountain & Moorland Leading Rein National Championship

To be judged under the Rules of the NPS

Class 24 : Mountain & Moorland Leading Rein mares and geldings four years old or over not exceeding 122 cms(12.0 hh) registered in the Pure Bred Section of the Breed Societies Stud Book of the Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, New Forest, Welsh Section A or B. (Part bred's are not eligible) Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday but must not have attained their 9th birthday before the 1st January in the current year. ***(Special rosette for highest placed Dartmoor sponsored by Miss J Baggott)***

Ponies to be shown in a suitable snaffle bridle, the reins to go directly from the bit to the riders hand. The lead rein to be attached to the nose band only. No extra and/or attachment to or on the saddle with the exception of a crupper for the final.

The NPS/Micor Demolition Ltd Mountain & Moorland First Ridden National Championship

To be judged under the Rules of the NPS

Class 25 : Mountain & Moorland mares or geldings four years old or over not exceeding 128 cms(12.2 hh) registered in the Pure Bred Section of the Breed Societies Stud Book of the Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, New Forest, Welsh Section A or B. (Part Breds no eligible). Riders

must have attained their 3rd birthday but must not have attained their 12th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

Ponies to be shown in a suitable snaffle bridle, the reins to go directly from the bit to the riders hand. The lead rein to be attached to the nose band only. No extra and/or attachment to or on the saddle with the exception of a crupper for the final.

MINI RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP

(1st & 2nd prize winners from Classes 24,25, 33 and 34)

The NPS/RHR Demolition Mountain & Moorland Junior Ridden Championship

To be judged under the Rules of the NPS

Class 26 : Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland, Welsh Section A, Welsh Section B mares or geldings four years old and over. Riders must not have attained their 14th birthday before the 1st January in the current year. . *(Special rosette for highest placed Dartmoor sponsored by Miss J Baggott)*

Class 27 : Dales, Fells, Highland, New Forest, Connemara, Welsh Section C mares or geldings four years old and over, not exceeding 138 cm (13.2 hh).. Riders must not have attained their 18th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

Class 28 : Dales, Fells, Highland, New Forest, Connemara, Welsh Section D mares or geldings four years old and over, exceeding 138 cm (13.2 hh).. Riders must not have attained their 18th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

JUNIOR RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP

(1st & 2nd prize winners from Classes 26, 27 and 28 to compete)

RING 3 (commencing 9 am)

Judge: MR M FRY

Class 29 : Open Ridden M&M Part-Bred not exceeding 138 cm (13.2 hh)

Class 30 : Open Ridden M&M Part-Bred over 138 cm(13.2 hh)

RIDDEN M&M PART-BRED CHAMPIONSHIP

(1st & 2nd prize winners from Classes 29 and 30)

The "Holly" Perpetual Trophy donated by Miss J Baggott

YOUNG MEMBERS CLASSES

The two highest placed SWAWPCS member in the following classes will qualify for the SWA Young Handler of the Year final to be held at the South West Welsh Champion of the Year on 7 September 2008 when each age group will have its own championship. Kindly sponsored by Finnish Wood Products Ltd. SWA Membership badge to be available in the ring. To be judged on style, turnout and manners. The pony/cob shown need not be registered in the Welsh Stud Book. **NO COLTS OR STALLIONS ALLOWED.** *Please enter the name of the young member on the entry form and the name of the pony.*

Class 31 : 7-11 years

Class 32 : 12-16 years

The NPS/Micro Ponies Mountain & Moorland Novice Leading Rein National Championship

To be judged under the rules of the NPS

Class 33 : Mountain & Moorland mares and geldings four years old or over not exceeding 122 cm (12 hh). (Part bred not eligible) Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday but must not have attained their 9th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

The first prize winner in the class will go forward to the Final to be held at the NPS Summer Championship Show, Malvern in August. A pony may only qualify once. Where the first in the class has already qualified, the pony standing next in line which has not qualified will be deemed the qualifier. Qualification may go no lower than 3rd place.

Never to have won a first prize of £10 or more or qualified for NPS Micor Demolition M&M Leading Rein Final before 1st January in current year.

At qualifying rounds, owners need not be members of the National Pony Society. When a pony qualifies for the final, owners must become an adult/showing member of the National Pony Society and the pony entered into the NPS Competition final within fourteen days, for the pony to be eligible to appear in the final.

The NPS/Micro Ponies Mountain & Moorland Novice First Ridden National Championship

To be judged under the Rules of the NPS

Class 34 : Mountain & Moorland mares or geldings four years old or over not exceeding 128 cm (12.2 hh). (Part bred not eligible) Riders must have attained their 3rd birthday but must not have attained their 12th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

Never to have won a first prize of £10 or more or qualified for NPS Micor Demolition M&M Leading Rein Final before 1st January in current year.

LUNCH BREAK

***The NPS/Bob Templeton/O'Neill Mountain & Moorland Open Ridden National
Summer Championship***

To be judged under the rules of the National Pony Society

*Open to stallions, mares and geldings four years old or over which must be registered in the main
body of their respective M&M Stud Books*

- Class 35** : Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland
Class 36 : Welsh Sections A and B
Class 37 : Dales, Fells, Highland
Class 38 : New Forest, Connemara
Class 39 : Welsh Sections C and D

OPEN RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP

(1st & 2nd prizewinners from Classes 32-37 and 35-39 inclusive)

SUPREME RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP

*(Novice, Junior, Open Ridden, Ridden Part-Bred Champions & Reserves to compete)
Perpetual Trophy presented by the Briarth Stud*

Exhibitors who are NPS Members to then stay in the ring for the next competition.

Judge: Mr M Fry

***NPS/www.horsequest.co.uk Mountain and Moorland Ridden Silver Medal Rosette
Championship***

(1st & 2nd prizewinners from Classes 17-23, 26-28 and 35-39 inclusive)

A Silver Medal Rosette is offered by the National Pony Society for the best registered pony in the Mountain & Moorland Ridden Sections. Exhibited by an adult/standard member of the NPS. (Champion or Reserve Champion only) **Membership card to be produced in the ring.** This section to be run under NPS rules. If the Champion pony has already qualified, the Reserve, on production in the ring of their Membership card, will receive the qualifying card and qualifying rosette. Qualification to go no lower than Reserve Champion. Qualifiers are entitled to compete in the NPS/www.horsequest.co.uk Mountain & Moorland Ridden Silver Medal Rosette Championship to be held at the NPS Summer Championship Show in Malvern, providing they send to the NPS Secretariat the relevant entry fee and entry card provided with the Silver Medal Rosette.

RING 4 – commencing 9am

*For South West Pony Association WHP qualifiers please note ponies must be ridden in a snaffle
bridle*

WORKING HUNTER PONY

Course Builder – Mr Mike Coombes

Judge: MRS J WEBB

***The NPS Area 11 Mountain & Moorland First Ridden Working Hunter Pony
Championship***

To be judged under the rules of the NPS

Class 40: Mountain & Moorland Mares or Geldings four years old or over not exceeding 128 cm (12.2 hh)... (Part bred are not eligible.) Riders must have attained their 5th birthday but must not have attained their 12th birthday before the 1st January in the current year.

(COFFEE BREAK)

Judge: Mrs J REARDEN

OPEN WHP CLASSES

Class 41 : Open Working Hunter up to 138 cm (13.2 hh) max height of jumps 2'3"
Class 42 : Open Working Hunter over 138 cm (13.2 hh), max height of jumps 2'6"

Judge: MRS J WEBB

The NPS Mountain & Moorland Novice Working Hunter Championship

*Open to stallions, mares and geldings four years old or over which must be registered in the main
body of their respective M&M Stud Books*

Class 43 : Ponies not exceeding 122 cm(12.0 hh)
Class 44 : Ponies exceeding 122 cm (12.0 hh) but not exceeding 138 cm (13.2 hh)
Class 45 : Ponies exceeding 138 cm (13.2 hh)

***The NPS/follywoodstud.com Mountain & Moorland
Intermediate Working Hunter Pony Championship***

To be judged under the Rules of the NPS

*Open to stallions, mares and geldings 5 years old or over which must be registered in the main
body of their respective M&M Stud Books*

Class 46 : Ponies not exceeding 122 cm(12.0 hh)
Class 47 : Ponies exceeding 122 cm (12.0 hh) but not exceeding 138 cm (13.2 hh)
Class 48 : Ponies exceeding 138 cm (13.2 hh)

WORKING HUNTER PONY CHAMPIONSHIP

(1st & 2nd prize winners from Classes 41-49 to compete)
(*Perpetual Trophy presented by Dee Jays Auto Sales*)

RING 5 – DRIVING - commencing 11 AM

DRIVING CLASSES – Judge: MRS M FORD

TO BE HELD UNDER BDS RULES

*SPONSORED BY ETHERIDGE FARM AND STUD
MR TONY WAREHAM & MRS ANNE BASSETT
Okeford Fitzpaine, Blandford, Dorset*

Class 49 : IN HAND

Class 50 : NOVICE DRIVEN

A Novice Horse/Pony is defined as animal which has not won a First Prize in harness.

Class 51 : BEST JUNIOR WHIP

A driver under the age of 16 yrs to be accompanied in the vehicle by a competent and responsible person aged 18 yrs or over. Proof of age will be required if necessary. BDS Young Driver rosettes.

CLASS 52: BEST LADY WHIP

CLASS 53: OPEN PRIVATE DRIVING including 2008 OSBORNE REFRIGERATORS MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND QUALIFER

Private Driving Classes for horses and ponies any height, 4 years old or over, to be driven single, Pair or tandem to a suitable vehicle (commercial vehicles and hackney show wagons not permitted) Championships.

Including **2008 Osborne Refrigerators** qualifier:

h. BDS Single Registered Mountain & Moorland excluding pure bred Registered Welsh

This is also the

The Victoria Food Company Open Private Driving Championships Qualifier

The Champion will qualify for the Grand Final to be held on Sunday 7 September 2008 at the Welsh Showtime Finale, David Broome Event Centre, Ballan Manor, Crick, Nr Chepstow. In the event that the Champion has already qualified then the Reserve Champion to qualify.

Class 54: OSBORNE REFRIGERATORS BDS CHAMPIONSHIP – WELSH CLASS

These classes are qualifiers for the 2008 Osborne Refrigerators BDS National Championships. The highest placed turnout owned and driven by a member of the BDS and eligible for the following type-sections disregarding those already qualified down to 6th place in the class will qualify for the 2008 Semi-Finals. The Championship will immediately follow the Semi-Finals and will be held at Unex Towerlands Arena, Braintree, Essex on 4/5 October 2008..

- e - Single Pure Bred Registered Welsh Cobs - Section D
- f - Single Pure Bred Registered Welsh Pony - Section C
- g Single Pure Bred Registered Welsh Pony – Sections A & B

Class 55 : CONCOURS D'ELEGANCE - Judge: MISS NINA SQUIRES

DRIVING CHAMPIONSHIP

(1st & 2nd prize winners from Classes 51-55 to compete)

NATIONAL PONY SOCIETY RULES

Owners and Exhibitors are responsible for checking that they comply with the current NPS Rules in respect of any of the qualifiers they enter. These have been changed for this year and you are advised to obtain a copy of these from the NPS, Willingdon House, 7 The Windmills, St Mary's Close, Turk Street, Alton, Hants GU34 1EF or www.nationalponysociety.org.uk.

DARTMOOR PONY SOCIETY Rosettes sponsored by
MISS J BAGGOTT will be awarded to the highest placed Dartmoor in classes
11, 12, 24 and 26

South West Pony Association 2008 Championships

New Rules for 2008

On gaining qualification for 2007 Championships, you will be awarded a qualification card in the normal way. This card **MUST** be completed in **FULL** and returned within **14 DAYS** of the qualifying show. ALL Owners, Exhibitors and Riders (if not a family member) **MUST** become Members. You will then be sent a new set of 'competition record cards' for the pony/horse. These are to be signed by a judge or steward during the season as your pony qualifies for other championship classes. Having received your set of competition record cards you **MUST NOT** accept another qualification card for the same pony/horse. (failure to comply with this rule may invalidate all qualifications for the pony/horse)

The 2008 Championships will be held on Friday, Saturday & Sunday 31 August, 1/2 September 2008 at the David Broome Event Centre, Crick, Gwent, South Wales. NP26 5XP

Further details from: Mrs M A Broad, 7 Sand Farm Lane, Sand Bay, Weston-Super-Mare, North Somerset BS22 9UF

ENTRY FEES:

	SWA Members	Non Members
	£5.00	£7.00
After 28th March	£7.00	£10.00

ROSETTES: Rosettes to 6th place. Specials to all leading rein competitors. Specials to highest placed Welsh pure bred (registered) in all driving classes. Specials to best yearling in all youngstock classes. Specials to best gelding in Welsh in hand classes 1-8.

NO PRIZE MONEY

The 2008 SWA shows are:

- Sunday 2nd March:** PRE SEASON PRACTICE SHOW
Kingston Maurward, Dorchester, Dorset
Sec: Mary-Anne McCrow tel: 01258 860941
- Sunday 11th May:** EARLY SUMMER SHOW
With NPS M&M qualifiers
Poltimore Equestrian Centre, Nr Exeter
Sec: Rosie Preston tel: 01840 261020
- Sunday 22nd June:** ANNUAL MEDAL SHOW
with NPS and BDS and VHS qualifiers
Bicton Arena, Nr Exeter
Sec: Lorna Knowles tel: 01363 774466
- Sunday 31st August:** LATE SUMMER MEDAL SHOW
Trevarth, St Newlyn East, Newquay, Cornwall
Sec: Debbie Kellow tel: 01209 861405
- Sunday 7th September:** SOUTH WEST WELSH CHAMPION OF THE YEAR &
YOUNG HANDLER OF THE YEAR
Bicton Arena
Sec: Emily Jones tel: 01840 261492
- Saturday 1st November:** FOAL & NOVICE RIDDEN SHOW
Poltimore Equestrian Centre, Nr Exeter
Sec: to be decided
- Sunday 16th November:** YOUNGSTOCK & NOVICE RIDDEN SHOW
With Ponies(UK) qualifiers, Badgworth Arena, Axbridge,
Somerset
Sec: Tracy Parker tel: 01984 640245
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*PARENTS SHOULD BE AWARE THAT THERE WILL BE OFFICIAL PHOTOGRAPHERS AT THIS SHOW AND IF THEY DO NOT WANT THEIR CHILDREN PHOTOGRAPHED THEY MUST MAKE THEIR OWN ARRANGEMENTS.
ONLY OFFICIAL PHOTOGRAPHERS ARE ALLOWED IN THE RINGS.*

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RULES

1. The Organisers and each of the Show's officers, servants or agents shall not be in any way responsible or accountable for any loss, injury or damage that may happen (from any cause or circumstances whatever) to exhibitors or their servants or agents or other members of the public, to any animal or property or to any vehicle brought onto the Showground, or on premises used in conjunction with the Show, or while entering or leaving the same or otherwise for anything else in conjunction with, or arising out of, or attributable to the Show.
2. Any member or exhibitor wishing to lodge a protest having reference to any person or exhibit shall do so in writing to the Show Secretary and shall at the same time deposit the sum of £10. If on investigation by the Show Committee the protest is not sustained, the deposit will be forfeited to the funds of the Show. All protests shall be delivered within half an hour of the incident.
3. The Organisers reserve the right to amend the Judge's Panel and Order of Classes if it should become necessary.
4. All entries must be entered in the A, B, C, D or Welsh Part-Bred Register EXCEPT for some Mountain & Moorland classes, their Part-Breds and Driving classes. Animals registered in the Welsh Section X of the Stud Book and Foundation Stock cannot compete but FS.1 and FS.2 may. ***All registration numbers must be given on the entry form.***
5. Relevant classes are eligible for points towards the Welsh Pony & Cob Society Performance Award Scheme, the South Western Association Performance, In Hand and Young Adult In Hand Award Competitions.
6. The Committee reserves the right to cancel/amalgamate any Class with less than three entries.
7. The Committee reserves the right to retain all or part of the entry fees in the event of the Show being cancelled.
8. **NO MANES OR TAILS OF PURE BREDS TO BE PLAITED IN ANY M&M CLASS – IT IS OPTIONAL FOR PART BREDS.**
9. It is the Exhibitor's responsibility to ensure they are ready to enter the ring at the appropriate time.
10. Ponies must be the bona fide property of the Exhibitor or officially leased.
11. Riders must wear correctly secured current British Standards skull caps/riding hats at all times when mounted. Spurs are not permitted. Showing canes can be no more than 30 inches long.
12. All dogs must be kept on a lead.
13. Exhibitors should not enter an animal when that animal will be judged by a person who is the breeder or who has had a financial interest in the animal.
14. NO nominations or substitutions will be permitted.
15. Exhibitors are requested not to bring any coughing pony to the Show and may be requested to remove any such animal at the Veterinary Officer's discretion.
16. All cups and trophies remain the property of the South Western Association of the Welsh Pony & Cob Society and must be returned to the Show Secretary. They may only be signed for and collected by an adult and remain the responsibility of the winner whilst in their possession. Any person who has had a SWA cup or trophy in the past and has not returned it by the time of the next show may not be allowed to take away any cup or trophy that they have been awarded.
17. Colts and stallions to be licensed in accordance with Breed Society rules.
18. No change of rider/handler will be allowed throughout the class without the judge's permission.
19. Exhibitors entering classes which may clash do so at their own risk, no entry fees will be refunded.
20. The organisers reserve the right to refuse any entry without given a reason.

21. Handlers of ponies in In Hand classes aged 14 years and under must wear correctly secured current British Standard skull caps/riding hats.
 22. The show committee strongly recommends that competitors have adequate third party insurance.
 23. National Pony Society rules regarding age of Handlers/Riders of Stallions apply.
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REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE

THE BRITISH RED CROSS WILL BE IN ATTENDANCE

SWA ANNUAL COMPETITIONS
for SWA Members

IN HAND AND PERFORMANCE COMPETITIONS

The competition for 07/08 started at the end of October so please send in early for your cards, especially if you compete during the winter! The Organisers are: In Hand Competition: Mrs D Kellow, Chywoon Cottage, Chywoon Farm, St Gluvais, Nr Penryn TR10 9AF Tel: 01209 861405, and for the Performance Competition: Mrs B Watson, North Lawn, Haldon Drive, Dunchideock, Exeter EX6 7YF Tel: 01392 833525.

YOUNG ADULT IN HAND POINTS COMPETITION

Kindly sponsored by Finnish Wood Products Ltd. Please do support this competition for members aged between 16 and 25 years of age – Details are available from Mrs Kellow (see above for In Hand Competition). You would be surprised how the points mount up!

YOUNG HANDLERS COMPETITION

Also kindly sponsored by Finnish Wood Products Ltd, The final of this competition is held at the South West Champion of the Year on Sunday 7th September 2008 at Bicton Arena and all those young handlers who have qualified at our shows during the year are eligible to compete. The age groups are 7-11 years and 12-16 years and each group will have its own championship. If you qualify please do try and attend.

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