

Join us on
SATURDAY 30TH AUGUST 2025



SHOW SCHEDULE

Entry Closing Date

10th August 2025

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Bellingham Show & Country Festival

Is held under the auspices of the North Tyne and Redesdale Agricultural Society Est 1842 Ltd - Company No 9612953

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Judges 2025

Black Face - Scotch Type – Craig Thornborrow, Biggar
Black Face - Hexham type – Fiona Goodfellow, Morpeth
Bluefaced Leicester – Andrew Campbell, Biggar
Mules – Malcom Thornborrow, Peebles
Young Handlers – John Carruthers, Bellingham
Texel – Andrew Proctor, Morpeth
Shetland – Susan Russell, Ayshire
Overall – John Carruthers, Bellingham
BSHA Rising Star Classes – K Southlands, North Yorkshire
BSPS Performance, Cradle & Nursery & Mini Ridden – Mrs G Wright, Brampton
Fancy Dress – Barbara Duggan
Working Hunter Ponies 30cm – 50cm & BSPS LR & FR WSP – Mrs E Jones, Penrith
Top Rider & 60cm – 1m Working Hunter - Mr D Wright
Inhand & Young Handler – Miss L Jones, Penrith
Unaffiliated Ridden Classes – Miss S Jones, Penrith
Park End Equestrian Local Supreme – TBC
Equine Supreme - TBC
Home Baking (Savoury) – Margaret Ogle, Sleaford & Neale Arnup, Bellingham
Home Baking (Sweet) – Mandy Fuller, Newbiggin & Stacey Wilshaw, Ashington
Jams & Chutney – Mary Clarkson, Falkirk
Honey & Beekeeping – Northumberland Honey Company
W.I. Judge – Phyllis Scott & Judith Jackson, Hexham W.I.
Children's Home Baking & Crafts – Suzanne & Joe Speed, Hexham
Children's Handwriting & Art – Emma Potts & Rebecca Forest, Prudhoe
Craft – Phyllis Scott & Judith Jackson, Hexham
Floral – Margaret Telfer, Bellingham
Art – TBC
Photography – James Little, Morpeth
Dressed Walking Sticks – Kate Elliot, Newcastleton
Northumbrian Piping –
Cumberland and Westmoreland Wrestling – Josie Brown
Fox Hounds – TBC
Companion Dog Show – Hannah Thompson, West Woodburn
Terriers – Liam Hodgson, Haydon Bridge
Gun Dogs – TBC
Border Collies – Davy Wallace, Bellingham

COMPETITION TIMETABLE

Note main ring could be subject to change

- 08:00 *Equine Classes begin Main Ring*
- 08:00 *Equine Classes begin Peart Arenas Working Hunter Ring*
- 08:30 *Equine classes begin Dunelle Sheepdog Ring*
- 09:00 *Show field opens to the public.*
- 09:00 *Equine Classes begin – Ring 3*
- 10:30 *Judging Sheep Classes*
- 10:30 *Judging Industrial Tent*
- 11:00 *Companion Dog Show*
- 11:45 *Heavy Horse*
- 12.15 *Gun Dog Display – Main Ring*
- 13:00 *Judging Northumbrian Piping Competition*
- 13:00 *Dog Show*
- 13:10 *Agricultural Demonstration – Main Ring*
- 13:50 *Vintage Vehicle Parade – Main Ring*
- 14:00 *Judging of Hounds*
- 14:30 *Fell Race – Main Ring*
- 14:30 *Fancy Dress Competition – Main Ring (Open to any animal with 4 legs and a heart)*
- 14:45 *Pony Club Demonstration - Main Ring*
- 15:00 *Quoits*
- 15:00 *Cumberland Wrestling*
- 15:00 *Presentation of Industrial Section Trophies at Industrial Tent*
- 16:15 *Supreme Championship – Main Ring*
- 16:00 *Lifting of Exhibits*
- 16:30 *Inter Hunt Challenge – Main Ring*
- 17:00 *Showground closes*

SHEEP

JUDGING WILL BEGIN AT 10.30 AM

PLEASE NOTE It is the exhibitors' responsibility to deliver and collect the necessary licences to and from the Show Officials. **Show CPH** is 31/069/8000.

All female sheep to be owned by exhibitor for at least 3 months before the date of the show. **Chief Steward & Bio Security Officer:** Ms Diane Anderson.

*The **Geoff Robson Memorial Perpetual Challenge Cup** to be presented to the Overall Champion. The **Tom MacKay Memorial Trophy** to be presented to the Reserve Overall Champion. The **Brieredge Trophy** for the Best Blackface Sheep in Show presented by Mr and Mrs B Anderson. An interbreed championship for the Groups of 3 sheep.*

Overall Champion Judge: John Carruthers

All Entries: £2 per class.

BLACKFACE SHEEP – SCOTCH

Judge: Craig Thornborrow, Biggar

The **Hexham Courant Salver** to be presented to the Champion in this section.

Prize Money: 1st £10; 2nd £7; 3rd £4; 4th rosette, Champ & Res champ rosette

- Class 1 Tup, shearling or over
- Class 2 Tup lamb
- Class 3 Ewe that has reared lambs this season
- Class 4 Gimmer
- Class 5 Ewe lamb
- Class 6 Pair of ewe lambs
- Class 7 Group – any three sheep

BLACKFACE SHEEP – HEXHAM

Judge: Fiona Goodfellow, Morpeth

The **William Henry Charlton Cup** to be presented to this section Champion

Prize Money: 1st £10; 2nd £7; 3rd £4; 4th rosette, Champ & Res champ rosette

- Class 8 Tup, shearling or over
- Class 9 Tup lamb
- Class 10 Ewe that has reared lambs this season
- Class 11 Gimmer
- Class 12 Ewe lamb
- Class 13 Pair of ewe lambs
- Class 14 Group –any three sheep

BLUEFACED LEICESTER SHEEP

Judge: Andrew Campbell, Biggar

The **Act Perpetual Trophy** to be presented to this section Champion

Prize Money: 1st £10; 2nd £7; 3rd £4; 4th rosette, Champ & Res champ rosette

Class 15 Tup, shearling or over

Class 16 Tup lamb

Class 17 Ewe that has reared lambs this season

Class 18 Gimmer

Class 19 Ewe lamb

Class 20 Group – any three sheep

MULES

Judge: Malcom Thornborrow, Peebles

The **Perpetual Tankard** to be presented to this section Champion. The **Mathew Wood**

Shield will be awarded to the highest placed lamb exhibited by a NEMSA member.

Prize Money: 1st £10; 2nd £7; 3rd £4; 4th rosette, Champ & Res champ rosette

Class 21 Group of 5 ewe lambs

Class 22 3 ewe lambs

Class 23 Single ewe lamb

TEXEL

Judge: Andrew Proctor, Morpeth

Open to both Solway & Tyne Texel Breds and Non- accredited.

Prize Money: 1st £10; 2nd £7; 3rd £4; 4th rosette, Champ & Res champ rosette

Class 24 Ram one year and above

Class 25 Ram lamb

Class 26 Ewe which has reared lambs this season

Class 27 Gimmer

Class 28 Ewe lamb

Class 29 Group of any three sheep.

SHETLAND SHEEP

Judge: Susan Russell, Ayshire

This show is a Qualifying Show for the National Shetland Sheep Society Flock Competition. There will be two **Nat West Trophies** one for the Champion Sheep in each section. The **Bellingham Show Trophy** will be presented to the overall Champion. The **Douglas Trophy** for the best lamb kindly presented by **Mrs Rena Douglas. Shetland Sheep Society Rosettes** for the Best Young Handler and the Best Novice Handler

Prize Money: 1st £10; 2nd £7; 3rd £4; 4th rosette, Champ & Res champ rosette

SHETLAND SHEEP – COLOURED

Class 30 Ram of any age

Class 31 Ewe of any age

Class 32 Shearling ewe

Class 33 Ewe lamb

Class 34 Ram lamb

SHETLAND SHEEP – WHITE

Class 35 Ram of any age

Class 36 Ewe of any age

Class 37 Shearling ewe

Class 38 Ewe Lamb

Class 39 Ram Lamb

YOUNG HANDLER'S CLASS

Judge: John Carruthers, Bellingham

Rosettes for all entrants. FREE ENTRY (To be taken on the day).

Prize Money: 1st £10; 2nd £7; 3rd £4; 4th rosette

Class 40 Sheep, any breed, exhibitor to be under 16 on show day

Entries in classes of prs of lambs and groups of sheep can be drawn from stock in other classes.

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EQUESTRIAN SECTION

Chief Steward: Tracy Turner, 07817568075

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NO LATE ENTRIES- closing date August 9th 23.59.

Entry fee £14 per class unless otherwise stated

Park End Equestrian Local Rider Supreme Judge- TBC

Supreme Judge - TBC

Prize money will be paid to 3rd place if more than six entries in a class, if not, only 1st place prize money will be awarded. Rosettes to 6th in all classes.

All champions & reserves, also 1st & 2nd place from inhand classes are invited to the main ring to take part in the Supreme at 4pm.

*A Park End Equestrian "Local Rider Award" (a rider who lives within a 15 miles radius of the showground and is classed as an amateur) will be awarded in all classes; they will have their own championship at the end of the day in ring one. **All local riders to wear an armband of some type so the judge can pick you out.** Please check the timetable which is a rough guide until all entries are received. All classes will follow on.*

LONDON INTERNATIONAL HORSE SHOW QUALIFYING CLASSES

This Show is affiliated to the British Show Pony Society (BSPS), affiliation 683, and all persons entering, competing, showing or otherwise taking part in BSPS Classes whether or not members of the BSPS are subject to the Rules of the BSPS including the disciplinary procedures and shall be deemed to have consented to the jurisdiction of the BSPS. This show is a qualifier for the London International Horse Show Qualifying Classes. Only one pony in each of the following classes will qualify and the highest placed (not already qualified) from the first THREE ponies placed in classes 215-216, 217-218, 219-223. Non-members of the BSPS have seven days to complete their registration and membership to keep the qualification. If not, this will pass to the next exhibitor.

BRITISH SHOW HORSE ASSOCIATION RISING STAR CLASSES Conditions: RISING STAR AMATEUR RULES FOR 2025

Open to members and pre-registered non-members, 15 yrs and over, eligible under Rising Star Amateur rules. Please note: Rising Star Amateur Rules 2025 are separate from BSHA Amateur rules. Please see the separate Rising Star Rulebook in the Rising Star section available on the BSHA website. <https://britishshowhorse.org/bsha-rising-stars-series/>

If you are in any doubt regarding your Rising Star Amateur status, please contact the BSHA Office directly, to have your status confirmed.

QUALIFIERS FOR FINALS AT LONDON INTERNATIONAL HORSE SHOW

(LIHS 18th – 22nd December 2025)

Classes 200-205 qualify for LIHS BSHA Rising Star Supreme Finals at the London International Horse Show, highest placed unqualified in top five to qualify. A results points table will run for all qualifying classes and a 'wild card' will be awarded to those unqualified with the highest points in each section following the final qualifier. The Judge will NOT ride exhibits in these classes or at the Finals.



Caledonian Showing Championships

This show is a qualifier for the Caledonian Showing Championships, which offers competitors the opportunity to compete at a top level Championship Final in Scotland. With a draped main arena, amazing rosettes, special prizes, music, judges from the south and atmospheric Evening Performances,

this is the show everyone wants to be part of. This year's show will be held at

Highfield @ Howe, near Ladybank, Fife on 17/18/19 October 2025

Every horse & pony placed 1st in all In hand, Ridden Showing classes (not fun classes) & Working Hunter/Pony classes will qualify to compete in any appropriate class at the Finals. All Champions & Reserves will qualify for the Champion & Reserves Stakes Finals. Qualification will be from placings, no qualification cards will be awarded in the ring, and no qualification can go down the line.

All qualified horses and ponies will be listed on the Caledonian Showing Championship Show's website www.caledonianchampionships.co.uk (under construction) or the Puddledub Shows Facebook page

BSHA RISING STAR CLASSES Entry Fee: £26 inc £10 Levy charge.

Judge – Miss K Southlands, Boroughbridge

KATE HUTCHINSON MEMORIAL TROPHY will be awarded to the overall winner in **Classes 200- 202**. A Champion and Reserve Champion will be judged from the 1st & 2nd placed competitors from each class 200-202 and another championship for classes 203-205. As per the 2025 rulebook all horses/owners/riders must be pre-registered (£5 each) in order to be eligible to compete in the LIHS qualifiers. If they qualify, they then have 2 weeks in which to upgrade to full LIHS registration (at which point they pay the £25 balance for each person/horse, to bring them up to the £30 fee for LIHS membership/re **Prize Money: 1st £15; 2nd £10; 3rd £5**

Class 200 Rising Star Ridden Hunter - Small/Lightweight Hunter type: Mare or gelding, 4 years old or over, (Lightweight exceeding 158cms, Small Hunter exceeding 148cms, but not exceeding 158cms). Capable of carrying up to 79.5kgs (12 stone 7lbs). Rider to be 15yrs or over. The highest placed unqualified horse in the top 5 will qualify for the LIHS BSHA Rising Star Small/Lightweight Hunter Supreme Final at the LIHS in

December. QUALIFICATION WILL BE CONFIRMED BY EMAIL ONCE BSHA MEMBERSHIP IS COMPLETED WITHIN 14 DAYS OF QUALIFICATION

In addition, the two highest placed unqualified horses will qualify for the Associate Rising Star Hunter final at the BSHA National Championships Show in September. Associate Rising Star Qualification Cards will be awarded in the ring.

Class 201 Middleweight/Heavyweight Hunter type: Mare or gelding, 4 years old or over, exceeding 158cms. Capable of carrying over 89kgs (14 stone). Rider to be 15yrs or over. The highest placed unqualified horse in the top 5 will qualify for the LIHS BSHA Rising Star Middleweight/Heavyweight Hunter Supreme Final at the LIHS in December. QUALIFICATION WILL BE CONFIRMED BY EMAIL ONCE BSHA MEMBERSHIP IS COMPLETED WITHIN 14 DAYS OF QUALIFICATION. In addition, the two highest placed unqualified horses will qualify for the Associate Rising Star Hunter final at the BSHA National Championships Show in September. Associate Rising Star Qualification Cards will be awarded in the ring

Class 202 Rising Star Racehorse to Show Horse Mare or gelding, 4 years old or over, exceeding 148cm. Open to Thoroughbred and Arab horses retired from race training. Riders to be 15yrs or over. The highest placed unqualified horse in the top 5 will qualify for the LIHS BSHA Rising Star Racehorse to Show Horse Supreme Final at the LIHS in December. This class is open to competitors who work within the racing industry. QUALIFICATION WILL BE CONFIRMED BY EMAIL ONCE BSHA MEMBERSHIP IS COMPLETED WITHIN 14 DAYS OF QUALIFICATION. In addition, the two highest placed unqualified horses will qualify for the Rising Star Associate Finals at the BSHA National Championship Show in September. Associate Rising Star Qualification Cards will be awarded in the ring.

All three Style & Performance Series classes will be marked, and judged as follows:

Exhibitors will ride together as a class, which will be considered as part of the collective marks.

Exhibitors will then be asked to perform a freestyle show/ display, which will be marked (max 2.5 mins), to include, (but not restricted to), in any order:

- **on both reins: walk, trot, canter.**
- **halt in the middle of the show/display for 4 secs before proceeding.**
- **a canter change of rein across the diagonal through trot or walk (5 strides max).**
- **lengthened canter strides.**
- **free walk on a long rein.**

Marks:

Performance (not to exceed 2.5 minutes) 70 Marks

Please see above for full requirements

Collective marks

Overall Impression 15 marks

(incl. Horsemanship, Harmony, Rider Position)

Manners & way of going for type 15 marks

TOTAL 100 marks

Style & Performance series classes dress rules – please refer to dress rules at end of the Rulebook, the same dress rules apply to both the ‘Type’ classes and the Style & Performance classes.

Class 203 Rising Star Ladies Side Saddle Style & Performance: Mare or gelding, 4 years old or over, exceeding 148cm, to carry a side saddle and to be ridden by a lady. Open to ALL types and to be judged on performance. Rider to be 15yrs or over. There will be no conformation marks awarded in the class (exhibits will not be stripped).

The highest placed unqualified horse in the top 5 will qualify for the LIHS BSHA Rising Star Side Saddle Style Performance Supreme Final at the LIHS in December.

QUALIFICATION WILL BE CONFIRMED BY EMAIL ONCE BSHA MEMBERSHIP IS COMPLETED WITHIN 14 DAYS OF QUALIFICATION.

In addition, the two highest placed unqualified horses will qualify for the Associate Rising Star Style & Performance final at the BSHA National Championships Show in September. Associate Rising Star Qualification Cards will be awarded in the ring. (2025)

Class 204 Rising Star Style & Performance Young Rider: Mare or gelding, 4 years old or over, exceeding 148cm. Open to ALL types, rider to be aged 15- 25 years. This is a flat class to be judged solely on performance, there will be no conformation marks awarded, and exhibits will not be stripped.

The highest placed unqualified horse in the top 5 will qualify for the LIHS BSHA Rising Star Style & Performance Young Rider Supreme Final at the LIHS in December. **QUALIFICATION WILL BE CONFIRMED BY EMAIL ONCE BSHA MEMBERSHIP IS COMPLETED WITHIN 14 DAYS OF QUALIFICATION**

In addition, the two highest placed unqualified horses will qualify for the Associate Rising Star Style & Performance final at the BSHA National Championships Show in September. Associate Rising Star Qualification Cards will be awarded in the ring.

Class 205 Rising Star Style & Performance Over 25: Mare or gelding, 4 years old or over, exceeding 148cm. Open to ALL types, rider to be aged over 25 years. This is a flat class to be judged solely on performance, there will be no conformation marks awarded, and exhibits will not be stripped.

The highest unqualified horse placed in the top 5 will qualify for the LIHS BSHA Rising Star Style & Performance Over 25 Supreme Final at the LIHS in December.

QUALIFICATION WILL BE CONFIRMED BY EMAIL ONCE BSHA MEMBERSHIP IS COMPLETED WITHIN 14 DAYS OF QUALIFICATION.

In addition, the two highest placed unqualified horses will qualify for the Associate Rising Star Style & Performance final at the BSHA National Championships Show in September. Associate Rising Star Qualification Cards will be awarded in the ring.

WORKING HUNTER RING

The Working Hunter ring is kindly sponsored by Peart Arenas

Course Builder – Paul Chester

Judge- Mrs E Jones, Penrith

The BELLINGHAM SHOW CHAMPION WORKING HUNTER PONY CUP for the Champion in **classes 206-207. Prize Money: 1st £10; 2nd £5; 3rd £3**; A Champion and Reserve Champion will be judged from the 1st & 2nd placed competitors from class 208 – 209.

Please enter these classes in the spirit that they are intended, novice/ nervous riders & ponies

Class 206 Lead Rein, jumps max 30cm

Class 207 Assisted, jumps max 30cm

Any height of horse/ pony, rider any age. A Champion and Reserve Champion will be judged from the 1st & 2nd placed competitors from classes 208 – 209. **The GSC Grays Working Hunter Trophy for the champion pony of classes 208 - 209**

Prize Money: 1st £10; 2nd £5; 3rd £3

Judge – Sarah Ramsden

Class 208 40cm

Class 209 50cm

The Jonnie Hutchinson Memorial Working Hunter Trophy for the champion pony of **classes 210 - 214. Prize Money: 1st £10; 2nd £5; 3rd £3** Any height of horse/ pony, rider any age.

Judge- Mr D Wright

Class 210 60cms

Class 211 70cms

Class 212 80cm

Class 213 90 cms

Class 214 1 meter. Open to any horse or pony and any age of rider.

London International Horse Show Qualifiers

Entry Fee: £26 inc £10 Levy charge.

Judge – Mrs G Wright

The BELLINGHAM SHOW CHAMPION WORKING HUNTER PONY CUP for the Champion in classes 215-216. **Prize Money: 1st £10; 2nd £5; 3rd £3.** A Champion and Reserve Champion will be judged from the 1st & 2nd placed competitors from class 215 – 216.

Class 215 Open Cradle Stakes Class LIHS Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 123cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained not to have attained their 11th birthday before 1st January in the current year. **Entry Fee: £26 inc £10 Levy charge.**

MARKING

PHASE ONE

Jumping	50
Style & Manners while Jumping	20
PHASE TWO	
Manners and way of going	10
Conformation, Type & Freedom of Action	20
TOTAL	100

PENALTIES - PHASE ONE

Jumping Knock Down	10
First Refusal	15
Second Refusal	20
Third Refusal	Disqualification
Fall of pony or rider in any phase	Disqualification

Class 216 Open Nursery Stakes Class LIHS, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over, not exceeding 133cm. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 13th birthday before 1st January in the current year.

Entry Fee: £26 inc £10 Levy charge.

MARKING

PHASE ONE

Jumping	50
Style & Manners while Jumping	20
PHASE TWO	
Manners and way of going	10
Conformation, Type & Freedom of Action	20
TOTAL	100

PENALTIES - PHASE ONE

Jumping Knock Down	10
First Refusal	15
Second Refusal	20
Third Refusal	Disqualification
Fall of pony or rider in any phase	Disqualification

Method of Judging

This is a judged over a course of WHP fences individually with a separate conformation section and then all ponies come together for the final result.

Shows may put on a Championship for the two highest placed animals.

The **R A YOUNG TROPHY** for the champion of **classes 217 - 218**

Prize Money: 1st £10; 2nd £5; 3rd £3;

Class 217 BSPS Heritage Lead Rein Working Sports Pony **Entry Fee: £26 inc £10 Levy charge.** Mare or Gelding, 4yrs old and over, Mountain and Moorland registered ponies and non-registered Mountain and Moorland type ponies not exceeding 128cms. Ridden by a child to have attained their 5th birthday on the 1st January in the current year and not to attain their 10th birthday by 1st January in the current year. Any suitable snaffle bridle. In Lead Rein WSP classes the Judges will be looking for a pony suitable for a child to begin their future in Working Sports Pony classes. Body protectors are compulsory in this class.

Marks:

Manners & Style whilst performing the test (including go round and jumping)	60 Marks
Type, Movement and Freedom of Action	20 Marks
Presentation, condition and suitability of pony for the rider	20 Marks
TOTAL	100 MARKS

Criteria

The Leader must be 16 years old or over and may only lead one pony in a class.

The rein **MUST** go directly from the bit to the rider's hand, with no extra aids or attachments to or on the saddle.

Handles on saddles are permitted but the reins must not be attached to the handle or to the saddle. The Lead Rein must be affixed to the noseband on which it must remain while the pony is in the ring. Whilst in the ring ponies must always be led by the leader.

The Leader must lead on the near side with the lead rein in the left hand.

RIDERS - Hats in accordance with BSPS Rules, Tweed Jackets, Beige or cream jodhpurs, Shirt, tie, boots and gloves. No Buttonholes

LEADERS Country attire, Gentlemen Trilby Hats or Caps, Ladies modest hats.

Method of Judging

Ponies will enter the ring at the walk, they may be trotted altogether at the Judges' discretion. They will be pulled into line and asked to perform an individual test around obstacles including jumping a maximum of three small upright fences not exceeding 30cms. No spread fences. Water will not be included. Ponies will not be asked to walk on artificial material e.g., plastic sheeting during the test. *Riders will not be asked to dismount.*

Judges will penalise refusals, knockdowns or taking the wrong course at their discretion. A stride or two of canter over the fences will not be penalised. There will be NO conformation marks. **Ponies must be shown unplaited and in accordance with their breed standards.**

Class 218 Heritage First Ridden Working Sports Pony **Entry Fee: £26 inc £10 Levy charge.**

Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, for registered Mountain and Moorland ponies and non-registered Mountain and Moorland type ponies not exceeding 128 cm. Ridden by a child to have attained their 6th birthday on the 1st January in the current year and not to have attained their 12th birthday by 1st January in the current year. Any suitable snaffle bridle. Ponies to be shown unplaited.

In First Ridden WSP classes the Judges will be looking for a pony suitable for a child to begin their future in Working Sports Pony classes. Ponies will be shown unplaited.

Marks:

Manners & Style whilst performing the test (including go round and jumping)	60 Marks
Type, Movement and Freedom of Action	20 Marks
Presentation, condition and suitability of pony for the rider	20 Marks
TOTAL	100 MARKS

Criteria

Martingales are permitted

RIDERS - Hats in accordance with BSPS Rules, Tweed Jackets, Beige or cream jodhpurs, Shirt, tie, boots and gloves. Body protectors are compulsory in this class. No Buttonholes

Method of Judging -Ponies will enter the ring at the walk, and then trotted altogether at the Judges' discretion. They will be pulled into line in any order and asked to perform an individual test around obstacles including jumping a maximum of three small upright fences not exceeding 30cms. At the end of the test, they will canter down one side of the arena to finish. No spread fences. Water will not be included. Ponies will not be asked to walk on artificial material e.g., plastic sheeting during the test. *Riders will not be asked to dismount.* Judges will penalise refusals, knockdowns or taking the wrong

course. Cantering over the fences will not be penalised. There will be NO conformation marks.

RING 2

BSPS PERFORMANCE CLASSES

THE DELCOUR TROPHY will be awarded to the overall winner in Classes 219 – 223.

Prize Money: 1st £10; 2nd £5; 3rd £3. Championship for 1st & 2nd in classes 219 - 223

Entry £26 Inc a £10 Levy

Judge Mrs G Wright, Cumbria

Class 219 BSPS Junior Performance Pony, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over not exceeding 128 cms. Plaited ponies. Riders not to have attained their 12th birthday on the 1st January in the current year. Any suitable bridle, no cantering except in individual show.

Class 220 BSPS Performance Pony Mare or Gelding 4 years old and over, not exceeding 148cm Plaited ponies. Riders not to have attained their 17th birthday on 1st January in the current year.

Class 221 BSPS Performance Pony Stallion, Mare or Gelding 4 years old and over, not exceeding 158cm. Plaited ponies/horses. Riders any age.

Class 222 BSPS Performance Coloured Native/Cob/Traditional Horse/Pony Class. Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over. Riders any age. Unplaited.

Class 223 BSPS Performance Coloured Non-Native Horse/Pony Class. Stallion, Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over. Riders any age. Plaited.

Marks:

Performance	70 Marks
Manners and way of going	10 Marks
Presentation, suitability and condition	10 Marks
Type and freedom of action	10 Marks

TOTAL 100 Marks

Method of judging for

Exhibitors enter the ring as a whole class on the right rein. (Classes may be split on the go round dependent on numbers at the judge's discretion). Exhibitors will walk, trot and canter, including change of rein and canter on the left rein before coming back to walk. No galloping on the go round. In the 128cm Performance Pony Class, NO CANTERING on the go round. NO PULL IN. In the event of a tie performance marks take precedence.

Exhibitors will perform an individual display, this must include a walk, trot and canter on both reins, a free walk on a long rein, canter circle, extension at canter (not a gallop) on one rein, and a halt. Canter transitions must be executed on the straight, (not at a corner) No stripping, exhibitors will be asked to walk away and trot back to the judge before commencing their display. Any suitable bridle, including a Micklem bridle, flash or grackle, nosebands etc, and a correctly fitted running martingale can be used. Coloured or plain brow bands can be used. Bit-less bridles and Running Gags are not permitted. Shows may put on a Championship for the two highest exhibits.

UNAFFILIATED RIDDEN CLASSES

The Riverdale Hall Hotel Trophy for the champion pony of classes 224 - 228

Prize Money: 1st £10; 2nd £5; 3rd £3; Rosettes to 6th

Judge Miss S Jones, Cumbria

Class 224 Any type exceeding 15hh, ponies will canter together

Class 225 Any type, not exceeding 15hh, ponies will canter together

Class 226 Any type, not exceeding 14hh, ponies will canter together

Class 227 Any type, not exceeding 13hh, ponies will canter together

Class 228 Starter ridden, any age or size, to be a genuine novice pony/ combination or in their first year of showing. Competitors will not canter together and is optional in the individual show. **No lead rein.**

Mini Ponies

Judge Mrs G Wright

The Betty Bowles Trophy for the champion pony of classes 229 – 230

Prize Money: 1st £10; 2nd £5; 3rd £3;

Class 229 Tiny tots lead rein ponies any type. Open to mares and geldings 4 years old and over, not exceeding 128cm. Riders not have attained their 6th birthday. Ponies must be shown in a snaffle bit. Lead Rein to attach to the noseband.

Class 230 First year first ridden ponies/ novice first ridden (please enter this in the spirit it is intended). Any type. Not exceeding 138cm. Riders not to have attained their 12th birthday. Ponies may be shown in any suitable bridle. Ponies will not canter together.

The Dene Trophy for the champion pony of classes 231 - 232

Prize Money: 1st £10; 2nd £5; 3rd £3;

Class 231 M&M lead rein ponies. Open to mares and geldings 4 years old and over, not exceeding 122cm. Riders not have attained their 9th birthday. Ponies must be shown in a snaffle bit. Lead Rein to attach to the noseband.

Class 232 M&M first ridden ponies. Not exceeding 128cm. Riders not to have attained their 12th birthday. Ponies may be shown in any suitable bridle. Ponies will not canter together but will trot.

A Trophy for the champion pony of classes 233 – 234

Prize Money: 1st £10; 2nd £5; 3rd £3;

Class 233 Plaited, hogged, traditional (no M&M's) lead rein ponies. Open to registered mares and geldings 4 years old and over, not exceeding 138cm. Riders not to have attained their 10th birthday. Ponies must be shown in a snaffle bit.

Class 234 First ridden ponies. Plaited, traditional, hogged (no M&M's), any size. Ponies may be shown in any suitable bridle. Riders not to have attained their 12th birthday. Ponies will not canter together.

Unaffiliated Ridden

No lead – rein except class 236

Judge Miss S Jones

All 1st & 2nd place in the following classes are eligible for the supreme championship in the main ring at 4pm. **Prize Money:** 1st £10; 2nd £5; 3rd £3;

Class 235 Thoroughbred, rider must be aged 12 or over & be confident to canter as a ride

Class 236 Veteran ridden.

Class 237 Cob ridden.

Class 238 Rare Breeds ridden

Class 239 Heavy Horse ridden

Ring Three

INHAND SECTION

All 1st & 2nd place may return to the main ring in the afternoon for the Supreme Champion at 4pm. **Prize Money:** 1st £10; 2nd £5; 3rd £3;

Judge Miss L Jones

Class 240 Rare Breeds

Class 241 Foreign/ Heavy Breeds

Class 242 Mountain & Moorland, 4yr old and over

Class 243 Coloured (any type) 4yr old and over

Class 244 Youngstock, any type, 3yr old and under

Class 245 Thoroughbred

Class 246 Veteran

Class 247 Hunter ponies/ Show ponies

The following classes (Top rider and young handler) are aimed to be training classes, to help the rider/ handler improve their show. The judge will give feed-back after the initial go around, before their individual show.

Young Handler

Judge- Miss L Jones

A champion & reserve from classes 248 – 251 *Refers to riders age on show day.

To be judged on the handler only, not the animal.

Class 248 Handle 5 & under

Class 249 Handle 8 & under

Class 250 Handle 12 & under

Class 251 Handle 16 & under

TOP RIDER 'To be judged on the rider ability, NOT the pony conformation'

Method of Judging, Ponies will enter the ring at the walk, they may be trotted altogether at the Judges' discretion. They will be pulled into line and asked to perform a short show showing a change of rein. Open to amateur riders only, please enter in the spirit that is intended.

Judge – Mr D Wright

The Isaac Walton Perpetual Challenge Trophy will be awarded to the Best Combination in the following classes. 221-224. *Refers to riders age on show day.

Prize Money: 1st £10; 2nd £5; 3rd £3;

Class 252 Riders 5 & under, Lead rein or assisted

Class 253 Rider, 8 years and younger

Class 254 Rider 12 years and younger

Class 255 Rider 16 years and younger

RIDERS MUST DISPLAY THEIR COMPETITOR NUMBERS AT ALL TIMES

In the event of cancellation by the Show Council, entry money will be returned, less a £5 administration fee. To make the show as safe as possible, please don't ride horses about the main show field.

Trimming of whiskers - please be aware of individual society guidelines – for the avoidance of doubt within the unaffiliated classes, Bellingham Show follow the showing society guidelines which state Sensory hairs are the hard hairs located on the horse's muzzle and around the eyes, also known as 'whiskers' that are used for

sensation. It is recommended that horses should not have whiskers trimmed or removed (other than for veterinary purposes or with a vet's certificate).

Equine Flu Advice

In keeping with the current Showing Council guidelines, Bellingham Show Influenza policy is as follows: Equine Influenza and Tetanus vaccinations are a compulsory requirement for all horses and ponies attending Bellingham Show. The requirement for the first three vaccination are as followed: The first two vaccinations 21 – 92 days apart, a third booster between 150-215 days and an annual booster vaccination within 365 days thereafter. No horse should enter within 7 days of an EI vaccination. This rule may be subject to change from guidance from the FEI/ BEF and any changes will be notified via The Showing Council and ASAO websites.

Competitor numbers to be collected on show morning from the Equine Tent.

The Society reserves the right to cancel, amalgamate or divide classes according to the number of entries. Judging times are approximate, variations may occur depending on the number of entries.

Complimentary Admission Passes for Equine Exhibitors are distributed in accordance with the number of horses or ponies entered and not the number of entries made.

1 horse = 2 admission passes and 1 vehicle pass
2 horses = 3 admission passes and 1 vehicle pass
3 or 4 horses = 5 admission passes and 2 vehicle pass
5 to 7 horses = 6 admission passes and 2 vehicle passes
8 or more horses = 8 admission passes and 3 vehicle passes

Exhibitor e-tickets will be emailed prior to the show. PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU ENTER YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS CORRECTLY. Additional tickets at a reduced price can be purchased in advance.

When jumping in the Ring, the practice or collecting areas, all Riders must wear protective headgear, according to the current standards as listed below:

PAS015 2011, VG1, (BS) EN1384 2023, ASTM F1163 2015 and 2023, SNELL E2016 and E2021 onwards, AS/NZS 3838 2006 onwards, MUST be worn by riders at all times when mounted. BSPS classes must adhere to rule 43 in the 2025 BSPS Rulebook with regard to hat standards

All riders to wear protective head gear to current BSI standards whenever mounted.
Body protectors to current standards are a requirement in BSPS working hunter

classes and are strongly recommended in the other working hunter sections. The organisers of this show have taken reasonable precautions to ensure the health and safety of everyone present. For these measures to be effective everyone in attendance must take all reasonable precautions to avoid and prevent accidents occurring and must obey the instructions of the organisers and all the officials and stewards.

Start Times Please note that there may be some traffic congestion leading up to and on to the show field, therefore please allow plenty of time to arrive and prepare for your class. A timetable with start times/ not before times will be available no later than one week before the show on the website and our FB page. Under no circumstances will judging be delayed due to the late arrival of competitors.

Insufficient entries the committee reserve the right to amalgamate or split classes if necessary.

Parking All competitors must park as directed by officials. NO HORSES TO BE LEFT UNATTENDED TIED TO HORSEBOXES. Absolutely NO skipping out in the lorry park.

Equestrian Class Timetable

**** Please note that class times may be subject to change depending on the number of entries.****

Main Ring	Peart Arenas Working Hunter Ring	Dunelle Sheepdogs Ring	Ring 2
7.45 All classes follow on BSHA Sml/ lgt hunter Mdl/ hvy hunter BSHA Racehorse BSHA Ladies Side Saddle BSHA Young Rider BSHA Performance 25+ Fancy Dress Time 2.30pm	8AM 30cm LR 30CM Ass 40cm 50cm 60cm 70cm 80cm 90cm 1m BSPS Cradle BSPS Nursery BSPS LR WSP BSPS FR WSP	8AM BSPS Performance catalogue order Unaffil ridden Exceeding 15hh follow on Minis Catalogue order Unaffil ridden catalogue order follow on Park End Equestrian & SRUC Local Rider Championship	9AM In-hand Rare breeds Heavy/ foreign M&M Coloured Youngstock TB Veteran Hunter/ Show Young handler 5&U followed on Top Rider 5&U followed on

Supreme Time 4pm			
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FANCY DRESS OPEN TO ANY ANIMAL WITH FOUR LEGS AND A HEART!

Judge - Barbara Duggan

The Lucy Duggan Memorial Trophy to be presented to the winner of the Fancy dress class. (ALL AGES) All Competitors will receive a rosette and prizes in kind.

Entries on field only

No Entry Fee

14.30 in the Main Ring Animals to be ridden, led or accompanied (as appropriate)

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INDUSTRIAL TENT

To enter, please fill out an entry form and return it to the Secretary by the 10th August 2025. ONLY EXHIBITS DETAILED ON ENTRY FORMS WILL BE ACCEPTED ON SHOW DAY – EXTRA/ADDITIONAL EXHIBITS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED. Entry fee: 50p (all children's classes are free) Exhibitors whose entry fees amount to £8 or over will be admitted free to the showground in charge of their exhibits. No marks shall be attached to exhibits and any marks, such as artist's initials on art work, which may identify the exhibitor must be covered. The stewards retain the right to cover any identification left uncovered or to reject the exhibit. All articles to be made by the exhibitor, except where otherwise stated. Individuals may not enter exhibits in any classes which reflect their trade or profession – with the exception of the Dressed Stick classes. The Stewards retain the right to reject any proffered exhibit which, in their opinion, is of such a nature as to be offensive. **All exhibits to be staged by 10.15.** Judging to commence at 10.30. Exhibits can be collected from 16.00 onwards. **Every article will receive the utmost care and attention, but the committee will not hold themselves responsible for loss or damage to any exhibit.**

Presentation of trophies will take place in the Industrial Tent at 3pm. All trophies to be held for 1 year unless otherwise specified

THE HUGH THOMPSON CUP FOR THE BEST EXHIBIT IN CLASSES 301 TO 379 as judged by panel of judges.

HOME BAKING & PRODUCE

Judges: Margaret Ogle, Slaley & Neale Arnup, Bellingham- classes 301-315, Mandy Fuller, Newbiggin & Stacey Wilshaw, Ashington - classes 316-330. The **Bellingham Show Rose Bowl** for the exhibitor with the most points in classes 301-338 (1st =3, 2nd = 2, 3rd =1) **Prize Money: 1st £2.00; 2nd £1.50; 3rd £1.00**

Class 301 4 hens eggs – to be staged on a plate. Please provide a 2nd white plate or saucer so eggs may be broken by the judge

Class 302 2 dyed eggs (onion peel)

Class 303 Handmade white loaf – tin or free form

Class 304 Focaccia loaf

Class 305 An enriched dough bread of your choice – along with the recipe you have selected.

Class 306 4 sultana oven scones

Class 307 4 cheese scones

- Class 308** 4 oven scones, a flavour of your choice, sweet or savoury.
- Class 309** Savoury pie – short crust pastry
- Class 310** Savoury flan
- Class 311** 4 sausage rolls with home-made puff pastry
- Class 312** A savoury pasty
- Class 313** Banoffee Pie – short pastry base
- Class 314** 4 squares of Sly Cake
- Class 315** 4 custard creams
- Class 316** **Men only class** – Plain Victoria Sponge filled with jam and buttercream dusted with icing sugar
- Class 317** 4 pieces of flapjack
- Class 318** 4 pieces of tray bake, any variety, all the same. Baked or unbaked.
- Class 319** 4 shortbread biscuits
- Class 320** 4 rock buns
- Class 321** 4 chocolate brownies
- Class 322** 4 Ginger Biscuits
- Class 323** 4 individually decorated cup cakes (decoration only judged)
- Class 324** Sandwich cake with jam, no icing, no dusting of icing sugar. **Baked in 1 tin**
- Class 325** A tea loaf
- Class 326** An individual dessert
- Class 327** An illusion cake – any subject (decoration and cake judged, cake will be cut) **1st £2.50, 2nd £2, 3rd £1.50**
- Class 328** A carrot cake with icing
- Class 329** Ginger loaf or cake
- Class 330** 6 pieces of fudge – any variety



Judge: Mary Clarkson, Falkirk

The **Mary Nixon Memorial Trophy** for the exhibitor with the most points in jams and preserves.

- Class 331** Jar of blackcurrant jam
- Class 332** Jar of raspberry jam
- Class 333** Jar of fruit jam (any variety not already specified)
- Class 334** Jar of jelly
- Class 335** Jar of marmalade - any variety
- Class 336** Jar of lemon curd
- Class 337** Jar of chutney
- Class 338** Jar of relish

W.I. SECTION Open to Members of any W.I. or S.W.I.

Judges: Phyllis Scott and Judith Jackson, Hexham W.I. The Women's Institute Cup for most points in the W.I. Section (1st =3, 2nd = 2, 3rd =1)

Prize Money: 1st £2; 2nd £1.50; 3rd £1.00

- Class 339** 1 Jar of Raspberry jam
- Class 340** A bottle of fruit liqueur
- Class 341** photograph of a garden
- Class 342** Flower arrangement in an unusual container
- Class 343** A decorated chocolate cake
- Class 344** An item of handicraft

CRAFT - articles MUST NOT to have been entered previous at Bellingham Show

Judges: Phyllis Scott and Judith Jackson. The **Myers Cup** will be awarded to the best exhibit in the Craft Section. **A Trophy**, kindly donated by Mrs Eileen Walton, Tarsset, will be given to the exhibitor with the most points in classes 345-355 (1st=3, 2nd=2, 3rd=1). **Prize Money: 1st £2; 2nd £1.50; 3rd £1**



- Class 345** A decorated stemmed glass
- Class 346** A decorated trinket box
- Class 347** A premature baby blanket approx 20" x24" 51cm x 60cm. – **all entries will be donated to Northumbria Specialist Emergency Care Hospital special care baby unit (No lacy patterns please so little fingers, toes and tubes can't get caught up in the blankets. Check out Bliss website for more information.)**
- Class 348** Something new from something old - an item made from recycled materials. If not obvious please include a note explaining the materials used
- Class 349** A needle felted creation
- Class 350** Article of cross stitch, needlepoint, embroidery, tapestry or canvas work (framed or made up)
- Class 351** Knitted or crocheted bobble hat
- Class 352** A handmade cushion cover – any technique made up, cover only to be judged.
- Class 353** Any knitted garment or article not already specified
- Class 354** Any crocheted garment or article not already specified
- Class 355** A handmade wreath, any theme, excluding needlework, knitting and crochet.

NOVELTIES – owned by the exhibitor.

Judge: Margaret Telfer, Bellingham.

Prize Money: 1st £1; 2nd 75p; 3rd 50p

- Class 356** Novelty Teapot
- Class 357** Novelty Fridge Magnet
- Class 358** Novelty salt & pepper set
- Class 359** Novelty vintage / retro toy

FLORAL SECTION

Judge: Margaret Telfer, Bellingham. The **Bellingham Show Trophy** for the best exhibit in the floral section. **Prize Money:** 1st £3; 2nd £2; 3rd £1

Class 360 An arrangement from a bunch of supermarket flowers to the value of no more than £10 (receipt to be provided, garden foliage may be added)

Class 361 A vase of home grown flowers (any variety, may include foliage)

Class 362 An arrangement on a kitchen utensil

ART - MUST NOT to have been entered previously at Bellingham Show

Judge: TBC **Prize Money:** 1st £2; 2nd £1.50; 3rd £1

Class 363 A pencil or pen and ink drawing by the exhibitor – any subject *Max. dimensions 22" x 18" (56cm x 46cm) including any framing*

Class 364 A watercolour painting by the exhibitor - any subject. *Max. dimensions 22" x 18" (56cm x 46cm) including any framing*

Class 365 A picture by the exhibitor – any medium(s) - any subject. *Max. dimensions 22" x 18" (56cm x 46cm) including any framing*

AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHY – MUST NOT have been entered previously at

Bellingham Show A maximum of 3 entries per competitor, per class.

All photographs a maximum of 7 "x 5".

Judge: James Little, Morpeth. *Hexham Courant Trophy will be awarded to the 'Best Photograph' and The Hutchinson Tankard for most points in classes 366 – 374*

Prize Money: 1st £2; 2nd £1.50; 3rd £1.

Class 366 The Night sky

Class 367 A Portrait of a person or people

Class 368 Any subject (colour)

Class 369 Any subject (black & white)


Class 370 Humorous photograph with caption

Class 371 A selfie photograph

Class 372 A waterscape (any body of water – sea or fresh water)

Class 373 A pet or pets

Class 374 Nature



Any jars as
long as they
match

HONEY AND BEEKEEPING

Judge: Northumberland Honey Company

Exhibits must be from hives owned or cared for by the exhibitor

The Greensides Shield will be awarded for the most points in classes 375-379

Prize Money: 1st £2; 2nd £1.50; 3rd £1.

Class 375 Two matching jars of run (liquid) honey

Class 376 Two matching jars of set honey

Class 377 Two matching boxes of cut comb (approx ½ lb for each comb)

Class 378 One jar of run (liquid) honey

Class 379 One jar of set honey

DRESSED WALKING STICKS

Judge: Mrs Kate Elliot, Newcastleton

The **Bellingham Auction Mart Perpetual Challenge Cup** will be awarded to the exhibitor with the most points in classes 380 to 391. (1st = 3, 2nd = 2, 3rd = 1).

A **Special Rosette** will be awarded to the Best Stick in the Show. The **Ken Proudlock Memorial Cup** to be awarded to the best plain stick. All exhibits must be made by those exhibiting. **Prize Money:** 1st £5; 2nd £3; 3rd £2

Class 380 Best plain walking stick, wood, one or two piece

Class 381 Best walking stick, horn head plain

Class 382 Best Dressed Walking Stick made by a Novice*

Class 383 Ornamental stick carved back and front, wood or horn

Class 384 Best fancy stick, horn head

Class 385 Best lambing stick, wood, one or two piece

Class 386 Best lambing stick, horn head, plain

Class 387 Best trout stick, horn head

Class 388 Best stick for a lady, horn head

Class 389 Best fancy wood head, two piece

Class 390 Best half head stick, horn

Class 391 Best thumb stick, horn head

*Novice Class: A novice is defined as a competitor who has not previously entered in any stick making competition before January 2022, and is permitted to enter as a Novice for three consecutive competition years. A competition year is defined as a calendar year the 1st of January – 31st of December.

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CHILDREN'S INDUSTRIAL SECTION

Jenny and Kate Tankard will be presented for the most points in Classes 392– 434 The **Joyce Davidson Challenge Cup** will be presented for the most points in Children's crafts – classes 397 – 413 (1st = 3, 2nd = 2, 3rd = 1). The **Joan Forster Shield** will be presented to the best entry in the children's writing and art classes. The **Tarset Millennium Group Shield** will be presented to the best exhibit in the cookery section – classes 392- 396 .***To enter children must be under 16 years on Show Day. All ages are based on the school year the child will finish/has finished in July 2025.***
Prize Money: 1st £1.50; 2nd £1; 3rd 75p

COOKERY

Judge: Suzanne & Joe Speed, Hexham


Class 392 4 cupcakes, iced & decorated – reception age and under

Class 393 4 cupcakes, iced & decorated – year 1 -4

Class 394 4 cupcakes, iced & decorated – middle school & above

Class 395 4 homemade chocolate chip cookies.

Class 396 Chocolate cake, baked in one tin, decorated with chocolate buttercream icing.



**FREE ENTRY
FOR ALL
CHILDREN'S**

CRAFT

Judge: Suzanne & Joe Speed, Hexham

Class 397 A fruit and/or vegetable creation (please state age of child on exhibit)

Class 398 A paper plate face– Reception age and under

Class 399 A paper plate face – Year 1 & 2

Class 400 A homemade animal theme pompom – Year 3 & 4

Class 401 A homemade animal theme pompom – Middle school

Class 402 A painted stone – Under 3s

Class 403 A painted stone– Preschool and reception age

Class 404 A painted stone – Year 1 & 2

Class 405 A painted stone – Year 3 & 4

Class 406 A painted stone – Middle school age

Class 407 A piece of homemade jewellery

Class 408 A handmade Birthday card – any medium – under 3's


Class 409 A handmade Birthday Card – any medium – preschool & reception age

Class 410 A handmade Birthday Card – any medium – years 1 & 2


Class 411 A computer generated picture "Dark Skies" – max. size A4 – Year 3 & 4

Class 412 A computer generated picture "Dark Skies" – max. size A4 – Middle school

Class 413 A computer generated picture "Dark Skies" – max. size A4 – under 16's



**INCLUDING
CLASSES FOR
TODDLERS &
PRE-SCHOOL**



**NEW
CLASSES**

NOVELTY

Judge: Suzanne & Joe Speed, Hexham.

Class 414 Lego creation (original, not from a kit) – Max. base size 15” (38cm) x 15” (38cm) 48x48 studs

Class 415 Your favourite cuddly toy (must be owned by the exhibitor)

ART

Judges: Emma Potts & Becky Forrest, Prudhoe.

All pictures to be size A4

Class 416 A picture created using hand prints – under 3’s

Class 417 A picture created using hand prints – pre-school & reception age

Class 418 A piece of art - Farming theme Max. size A4 – year 1 & 2

Class 419 A piece of art - Farming theme Max size A4 - year 3 & 4

Class 420 A piece of art - Farming theme Max. size A4 - middle school age

PHOTOGRAPHY

Judges: Emma Potts & Becky Forrest, Prudhoe.

All pictures to be size 7”X 5”

Class 421 A picture of your holiday or a day out

Class 422 A four-legged friend picture

COLLAGE & FLOWERS

Judges: Emma Potts & Becky Forrest, Prudhoe.

Class 423 A collage – “Dark Skies ” size A4

Class 424 A miniature farm yard on a plate, not to exceed 30 cm / 12” in any one direction

HONEY

Judge: Northumberland Honey Company.

Prize Money: 1st £1.50; 2nd £1; 3rd 75p

Class 425 A painting or drawing about bees or beekeeping – size A4 – under 3’s

Class 426 A painting or drawing about bees or beekeeping – Size A4 - pre-school & reception age

Class 427 A painting or drawing about bees or beekeeping – Size A4 – year 1 & 2

Class 428 A painting or drawing about bees or beekeeping – Size A4 – year 3 & 4

Class 429 A honey / beekeeping themed sculpture – any medium

Class 430 An item of food made using honey, along with the recipe

HANDWRITING

Judges: Emma Potts & Becky Forrest, Prudhoe.

** You may illustrate these or add a border, but only the handwriting will be judged.*

Class 431 Handwriting, set piece, paper to be size A5 (reception and younger) *

Northumberland Dark Skies

Class 432 Handwriting, set piece, paper to be size A5 (year 1 & 2)*

Northumberland has the most pristine dark skies in England

Class 433 Handwriting, set piece, paper to be size A5 (year 3 & 4)*

It's safe to say that Northumberland is the best place to stargaze in the UK. 572 square miles of the county have been awarded Gold Tier status for their pristine dark skies, and our International Dark Sky Park is the largest in the UK.

Class 434 Handwriting, paper to be size A5 (Middle School) *

Dark Skies in Northumberland

Deep in the heart of Northumberland you can experience a night sky which is out of this world.

At nearly 580sq miles, our dark sky zone, known as Northumberland International Dark Sky Park, is the largest Gold Tier Dark Sky Park area of protected night sky in Europe. The first of its kind in England and one of the largest in the world, Kielder joins the likes of Death Valley and Big Bend Dark Sky Parks in the USA.

Becoming a Dark Sky Park means that our night skies will be kept free from light pollution, and we can create more opportunities for people to be inspired by the stars.

GROUP POSTER COMPETITION

OPEN TO NURSERIES – SCHOOLS – CHILDREN’S & YOUTH ORGANISATIONS

Prize Money: 1st £20. Open to any school, nursery, children’s or youth organisation in the North Tyne and Redesdale Valleys.

Entries must state the age range of the group that made the poster.

Class 435 A poster made by the children about the Night Sky

Maximum size 1 metre x 0.50 metres. (Posters must be suitable to be displayed hung along the walls of the marquee)

FELL RACE

Steward: Andrew Clark

Registration on the field at the Catalogue Hut.

Race start at 2.30pm, Main Ring.

NO ENTRY FEE Competitors must be 16 years and older. Prizes spread over 15 sections.

Runners kit can be left in the Secretary's Hut. The show committee take no responsibility for any loss or damage to property left there.

Distance is 6.4km/ 4 miles. Climbing is 183m. Category is B/S.



NORTHUMBRIAN PIPING COMPETITIONS

Entry Free. Register at the Piping Marquee from 12.30pm onwards on Show Day

Judge: Steward: Magnetic North East

Competitions start at 1pm

Classes

Novice

Intermediate

Open

Piping Pairs

Mixed Pairs

Half Longs

Champion of Champions

Trophy

Archie Dagg Cup

Oliver Rose Bowl

Breckons Trophy

Robson Trophy

Greenhaugh Cup

G V Charlton Cup

Spencer Trophy

CUMBERLAND & WESTMORLAND STYLE WRESTLING

No entry fee Entries will be taken on the show field at the Wrestling ring up to 3.15pm. Wrestling to start at 3.30pm. Wrestlers will weigh in before the draw. **Costumes to be**

worn if possible. Held under the auspices of the Cumberland & Westmorland Wrestling Association.

Chief Steward: Josie Brown

Officials from Cumberland & Westmorland Wrestling Association



Class	First	Second	Third
Under 12 years	£10	£7	£4
Boys under 15 years	£10	£7	£4
Boys under 18 years	£20	£15	£10
Novices	£10	£7	£4
7 stone and under	£15	£8	£5
12 stone and under	£50	£30	£10
14 stone and under	£50	£30	£20
Ladies 10 stone and under	£30	£20	£10
Ladies Open	£30	£20	£10
All Weights	£75	£50	£25

FOXHOUND SHOW

Chief Steward: Miss Leanne Little

Entry fee £1.50 Judging commences at 2pm. Entries taken on the show field on the day. The **Bellingham Horn** will be presented to the overall championship hound Reserve champion will be presented with a rosette.

Prize money. 1st £5, 2nd £3, 3rd £2

Judge: TBC

Class 1 Group of four hounds

Class 2 Couple

Class 3 Unentered Dog

Class 4 Entered Dog

Class 5 Unentered Bitch

Class 6 Entered Bitch



COMPANION DOG SHOW

Chief Steward: Miss M Bousfield

Entries to be taken at the dog ring on showday from 10.15am

Judging to commence 11am

Judge: Hannah Thompson, West Woodburn

Entries on the field

Entry Fee £1.00. Prize Money: 1st £3; 2nd £2; 3rd £1

Trophy for the best child's pet

1. Best dog with 6 legs
2. Dog the judge most wants to kidnap
3. Dog who loves the most
4. Dog with the waggiest tail.
5. Dog most like it's owner
6. Children's pet - any breed (children under 16 years)

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DOG SHOW

Judging to commence 1:00pm

Entries on the field. Entry Fee £2 Prize Money: 1st £3; 2nd £2; 3rd £1

Trophy for the best Border Terrier in show. **Cup** for the best Border Terrier puppy in show. **Tankard** for the best Jack Russell Terrier in show. **Tankard** for the best Lakeland/Patterdale Terrier in show. **Tankard** for the best Cross Bred Terrier in show. **Cup** to the winner of Gun Dog Classes.

BORDER COLLIE CLASSES

Judge: Davy Wallace, Bellingham

Class 1 Border collie dog

Class 2 Border collie bitch

Class 3 Border collie puppy (under 12 months and not to have been shown in any other class except 1-6)

GUN DOG CLASSES

Judge: TBC

Class 4 Best dog

Class 5 Best bitch

Class 6 Best puppy (under 12 months and not to have been shown in any other class except 1-6)

TERRIER CLASSES

Judge: Liam Hodgson, Haydon Bridge

Class 7 Border terrier dog

Class 8 Border terrier bitch

Class 9 Jack Russell dog

Class 10 Jack Russell bitch

Class 11 Lakeland/Patterdale dog

Class 12 Lakeland/Patterdale bitch

Class 13 Cross bred dog

Class 14 Cross bred bitch

Class 15 Terrier puppy

Class 16 Veteran terrier (over 7 years)

Class 17 Any couple/ pair of terriers

Only undocked or legally docked dogs may be entered for exhibition at this show.

N.B. Champions of each terrier class excluding 15, 16 & 17 will go forward to the Overall Champion Terrier

CONDITIONS

1. Competitions and premiums in this list are all open, except Classes where otherwise stated.
2. Closing date for entries will be strictly adhered to, at the Secretary's discretion.
3. Animals obtaining premiums to be the bona fide property of their exhibitor.
4. When there is no competition prizes will not be awarded except where the stock exhibited is thought worthy by the judges.
5. Neither the Society, in any of its officers or servants shall be in any way responsible, or accountable for anything that may happen (from any cause or circumstance whatever) to Exhibitors or their employees, or any animal or article exhibited, or property brought in to the Show field or otherwise for anything else in connection with or arising out of, or attributable to the Society's Show; or these in any other condition, or regulations prescribed by the society, in relation thereto.
6. No exhibit shall bear any distinctive marks or placeard other than the society's official number.
7. Entry fees as stated in each section.
8. The Society do not hold themselves responsible or liable for any stock sent to the show, though every precaution will be taken to protect exhibitors from loss or damage.
9. All disputed questions shall be referred to the Show Council, by whom they will be finally settled without appeal. All objections to the Judge's decision or otherwise must be lodged with the Secretary in writing, within one week from the closure of the Show, accompanied by a deposit of £10 which is liable to forfeiture.
10. The Stewards shall have the power to order from the Show the stock or property belonging to any Exhibitor who shall infringe any of the regulations or conditions of the meeting, or shall refuse to comply with any instruction given by the Judges or Stewards.
11. All horses may be measured before entering the Judging Ring.
12. In no case shall a prize be awarded unless the Judges deem the stock of sufficient merit and the Judges will be specially cautioned not to award any prize to any animal showing signs of hereditary disease. The Judges may consult the Society's Veterinary Surgeon if they deem it expedient.
- 13. Horses must not be ridden around the Show Field in any circumstances.**
14. The Society reserves to itself by its Council the sole and absolute right to interpret these or any other prescribed conditions and regulations or Prize Sheets and to settle and determine all matters, questions or differences on regards thereto, or otherwise arising out of or connected with or incidental to the Show. Also to refuse and to cancel any entries, disqualify exhibitors, prohibit exhibition of entries, vary or cancel awards of prizes, or reserve numbers and relax conditions as the Society may deem necessary.
15. Prize money shall be paid to the successful exhibitor on Show Day. Please follow separate rules of Procedure for claiming prize money.
16. CANCELLATION In the event the Show Council cancel, a £5 administration fee will be retained and entry money over £5 will be returned.
17. **WHILST EVERY CARE WILL BE TAKEN BY THE SHOW COMMITTEE, ALL ANIMALS ARE SHOWN AT THEIR OWNER'S RISK**

***IMPORTANT* RULES FOR PAYMENT OF PRIZE MONEY.**

It is intended this year to pay out the Prize Money of Bellingham Show by cash on Show Day. Your co-operation is requested to follow these rules very carefully.

1. The Society will pay out Prize Money to successful exhibitors on Show Day, except to Exhibitors whose exhibits are sent by post and unaccompanied.
2. Successful Exhibitors of postal and unaccompanied exhibits will receive their Prize Money by cheque after the Show by post.
3. The Prize Money for the Sheep, Equestrian and Dog sections will be attached to the prize winning tickets and given to successful exhibitors when the Judging of the class is complete.
4. Exhibitors in the Baking, Industrial and Craft sections must complete prize claim forms.
5. Prize money will be paid out at the Secretary's office between 14.00 and 16.30 on show day to the successful exhibitors in the Baking, Industrial and Craft sections.
6. Only ONE EXHIBITOR may claim on a PRIZE CLAIM FORM, but it can be used to claim more than one prize.
7. The PRIZE CLAIM FORM, when submitted for payment, will be checked with the Official Prize List and, if correct, paid. The prize claim form can be retained by the Cashier as the Receipt for the Prize Money.
8. If any exhibitor is unable to collect their prize money they must claim by post on the official prize claim form.
9. If any Prize Money is not claimed on show day, it will be retained by the Society until the 30th of September of the current year after which date all claims will be considered VOID.
10. Claiming Exhibitors must be prepared to produce to the cashier their prize card as proof of identification.
11. PRIZE CLAIM FORMS may be obtained from the Stewards of the Secretary's Office.

TROPHIES TO BE HELD UNTIL THE 1ST OF AUGUST WHEN THEY SHOULD BE RETURNED TO THE SECRETARY.