

Horses

Section Stewards:-

Overall Head of Section - David Kinhead

Deputies - Claire Shearer, Edel Quinn & Cherie McHugh

Chief Stewards:-

Horses including in-hand and Horse Working Hunter - Edel Quinn

Ponies and Pony Working Hunter - Cherie McHugh

Clydesdales - Tommy Gregg

Committee - David Kinhead, Claire Shearer, Edel Quinn, Cherie McHugh, Michelle Robb, Sam Smyth, Becky Adams, Tommy Gregg, Karen Montgomery, Emma McClean

Entries

£20 per class

Online pre entries only.

Strictly no entries on show day or late entries will be accepted.

Entries close 17th May 2026 at 6pm SHARP.

Prize money per class(unless otherwise stated) - 1st £20, 2nd £15, 3rd £10.

Prize money will be paid into the bank account that is used for entries.

Trophies are presented at the annual awards awards night being held on Saturday 14th November in Tullyglass Hotel.

If there are insufficient entries in any one class, the class will be amalgamated or cancelled.

Prize money will only be awarded if there are 3 or more entries in a class.

Rosettes will be awarded to 1st - 6th places in each class.

The judges decision is final.

Timetable

Ridden Hunters & Ridden Cobs from 9am - Ring 2

WH Pony from 9am - Ring 1(lunch break after championship)

WH Horses approx 12.30 following lunch break after Pony WH

Clydesdales from 10am - Ring 4

Horses In Hand Classes following Clydesdales - Ring 4

Riding Ponies from 10am - Ring 3

Family Ponies following riding ponies - Ring 3

Native Breeds from 10am - Ring 5

Passport to accompany the horse at all times, as they may be inspected.

Under the Horse Passport Regulations(NI)2010, which came into operation on 31st March 2010, all horses, ponies and other equine require a horse passport.
From 1st July 2009, foals(and older animals not previously registered) now need to have a passport and microchip in accordance with the Regulations.

30/05/2026 09:00

Working Hunters Horse

A special ID prize will be awarded for the highest placed Irish Draft - sponsored by Ballynamaddy Horse Haylage - please declare ID to your judges in the arena before jumping or you will not be eligible for the prize.

Ring: Horse ring

Judges

Paddy Traynor (Judge)

Brian Lewis (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
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Clydesdale Horse Section

Prize money - 1st - £15, 2nd - £10, 3rd - £5

Ring: Horse ring

Judges

To Be Confirmed (Judge)

Wendy Sweendy (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
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Riding Ponies

Kindly sponsored by Stephens Catering

Ring: Horse ring

Judges

To Be Confirmed (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
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Family Ponies

Please note all family pony classes are judged on the handler or riders ability, the quietness and suitability of the pony

Ring: Horse ring

Judges

To Be Confirmed (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
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Champion of Champions

The champion from each section will qualify for this class.

prize money kindly sponsored by Horse Finder
champion - £50
reserve champion - £30
2nd reserve champion - £20
Ring: Horse ring

Judges

All Horse Judges (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
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Ridden Hunters

Kindly sponsored by Oldstone Vets

Ring: Horse ring

Judges

To Be Confirmed (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
1	Mare or Gelding, 4 years old only, lightweight/medium/heavy weight	(exhibits will not be asked to gallop)

Open Ridden Cobs

Ring: Horse ring

Judges

To Be Confirmed (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
10	Maxi Cob Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over, not exceeding 158cm	

Horses In Hand

Ring: Horse ring

Judges

Claire Shearer (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
26	Irish Draft 1 - 3 Year Old	Must have ID passport
27	Broodmare	open to all breeds

Working Hunter Ponies

Rider correct age for pony
Pony any height up to 158cms

Ring: Horse ring

Judges

Paddy Traynor (Judge)
Brian Lewis (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
41	Working Hunter Pony class - Pony up to 158cm height - Fence maximum 1 meter	

Native Breeds

Ring: Horse ring

Judges

Desna Lewis (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
44	M & M, Excluding Connemara, In Hand, Large Breed	
53	Champion Connemara Pony - No entry required	Champion and Reserve Champion Connemara Pony will receive rosettes but no prize money will be issued for this class First and second prizewinners in classes 49 - 52 will qualify for this championship