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GOSFORTH AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY
Registered Charity No. 1176889

Rules & Regulations
and
List of Premiums & Prizes

Offered by the Company at the

ANNUAL SHOW

on
Saturday 17th AUGUST 2019

Entries close on 3rd August 2019

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Gosforth Show Website

Extracts from Rules

6. Membership shall be open to all residing in the Show's area and every subscriber of £7.00 annually shall be a Member of the Show. The Company may, at its Annual Meeting, elect Life Members. This honour will only be awarded where exceptional service has been rendered to the Show. Life Members will be entitled to all the privileges of Full Members.
7. The General Committee shall have the discretion to elect Donors, Subscribers or others from outside the Show's area to Membership if they think this to be in the Company's interest. Membership of the Show will lapse where a year's subscription has not been paid before the end of the following year subject to the exemption as set out in Rule 12.

8. GENERAL DATA PROTECTION REGULATIONS (GDPR)

By signing the entry form, exhibitors accept that we will share their data, if necessary, with bodies and breed societies that the show is affiliated with, such as, Side Saddle Association, Jacob Sheep Society, Charollais Sheep Society, Texel Sheep Society. Data will be published in our show programme and may be on our society's website and Facebook page and given to local press/Farmers Guardian with regards to the show results. Exhibitors do have the right to withdraw consent of this at any time by contacting the general secretary, gosforthshow@hotmail.com or 07856162428.

SUBSCRIPTIONS & ENTRY FEES

12. The Subscription of Members shall be £7.00 and members of the General Committee £7.00. These subscriptions will entitle Members to Subscribers' Tickets for admission to the Show. In any year in which the Annual Show is not held subscription will be waived and such year will not be considered as a qualifying year for membership. Subscriptions which have been paid in a year in which the Show has been cancelled will, if desired, exempt the relative members from payment in the next year in which a show is held.
13. Exhibitors of Horses, Cattle, Sheep or Pigs will be supplied with Exhibitors' Passes for the necessary attendants in charge of their exhibits. Minimum entry to qualify is £7
14. Entry Fees:

All Horse Classes inc. Jumping	£5.00 (£10 on Show Day)
Dogs	£2.00
Sheep Classes	£2.00
Cattle Classes	£3.00
Young Handler Classes	Free
Vintage	Free

The General Committee shall have the power to fix entry fees for any Classes not included in the above list. Special Committees appointed to run specified Sections of the Show, such as Horticultural and Handicraft Sections, Shall have power to fix suitable Entry Fees for the Classes under their control.

15. All entry Fees must be sent with the Entry Form. Cheques payable to Gosforth Agricultural Show.
16. Exhibitors are not allowed free entry to the Show Ground except as provided in the rules.

RULES FOR EXHIBITORS

26. The age of all animals shown for all prizes offered by the Show or given by private donors shall be taken from the day of birth.
28. Any person who shall have been proved to the General Committee to have been excluded from showing for prizes at the Show or any other Show as a result of having attempted to gain a prize by giving a false certificate shall not be allowed to compete for any of the prizes offered by the Show except with the special sanction of the General Committee.
30. No animal for which there is a class shall be entered for a special prize unless entered and shown in its respective class.

31. In no class shall a prize be awarded unless the judge shall deem the stock or other exhibit to be of sufficient merit, more especially if it is the only entry in any class.
32. All bulls shall be secured by a ring in the nose with a chain or staff attached; otherwise they cannot be admitted into the Show Ground. All the cattle and heavy horses must be tied up in places assigned to them.
33. No animal and no exhibit of any description shall be marked with the name of the Exhibitor but only such ticket or number as may be allotted by the General Secretary.
34. When making their entries Exhibitors must give to the Secretary a written statement of the age of each animal shown on them.
35. All entries must be sent in on the Show's printed forms. The Exhibitors must collect their numbers or tickets from the Secretary's Tent on the morning of the show.
36. All stock shall be on the Show Ground before 9.00am on the morning of the Show unless stated otherwise. Stock not on the ground at this time will be excluded from the competition or liable to a penalty of 25p in each case as the Committee may decide.
37. All stock will be required to remain on the Show Ground until after the Parade.
38. Any person or persons wishing to lodge a protest or objection having reference to any Exhibitor at the Show must do so in writing, stating clearly the reason or grounds for his or their protest or objection, and deliver the same to the General Secretary before 6.00pm on the day of the Show. Any person wishing to lodge a protest or objection to the winner of any Challenge Trophy must deliver same to the General Secretary before the Grand Parade of prize animals takes place together with a deposit of £5 in all cases. In the case of investigation the protest or objection is not sustained to the satisfaction of the committee the sum deposited shall be forfeited to the funds of the Show. No protest or objection will be considered if not delivered and the deposit paid as lay down above. Any protest, dispute or mistake, which may arise, shall be referred to a Sub-Committee of not less than five to be chosen by the Chairman, Vice-Chairman or General Secretary, and their decision shall be final. Notice of the Committee meeting will be duly given to the parties concerned so they may attend and lay their case before the committee.
39. In the event of two or more judges failing to agree, a referee approved by the Chairman, Vice-Chairman or General Secretary shall be called in and his decision shall be final. No other method of settlement will be recognised. The referee will only give his decision on the point on which the judges fail to agree.

Information for Exhibitors

1. Give all details asked for on Entry Form. If the same animal is in more than one class, this must be shown. Give the animal's name, if any.
2. No entries are necessary for Championship or Trophies. 1st and 2nd prize winners from the appropriate classes are eligible.
3. All Prize Animals must turn out in the Grand Parade; otherwise owners will forfeit their Prize Money.
4. All entries must be received by 3rd August 2019 to be included in the catalogue. Entry Fees must accompany all entries in all cases and a minimum of £7 must be sent to receive entrance tickets. A table of entry fees is given in Rule 14.
5. All exhibits must be in their places on the field by 9.00am except show jumping competitors, who must be available 30 minutes prior to classes starting at 3.15pm.
6. All exhibits must remain on the Field until after the Grand Parade, unless permitted to leave by the secretary.
7. Exhibitor's numbers may be obtained from the Secretary's Tent on arrival. Exhibitors must wear their numbers during the whole of the Show. If any animal is entered in more than one class, the other class or classes in which it is entered must be stated in the proper column, or the following written under the first entry: "Entered also in Class (*give number*) or Classes (*give numbers*)

Jumpers must get their riding numbers from the Secretary's Tent half an hour before Jumping commences.

8. Exhibitors entitled to them will be sent Exhibitor's passes which must be given up at the Gate. Failure to produce this pass will entail payment for admission. These passes are not transferable and can only be used when actually bringing in Exhibits. This rule will be strictly enforced. Minimum entry £7

Prize money will be paid out between 4.00 pm and 6.00 pm in the Secretary's Tent if not collected beforehand.

HORSE EXHIBITORS - MAIN RING ARRANGEMENTS

*ALL LORRY PARKING HAS BEEN MOVED TO THE SEASCALE SIDE OF THE FIELD BESIDE THE HORSE AND WORKING HUNTER RINGS – THIS IS TO ALLOW THE MAIN RING AND COLLECTING RING TO BE EXTENDED TO ACCOMMODATE THE EXTRA CLASSES AND THE ATTRACTION. A ROADWAY HAS BEEN IMPROVED TO MAKE THIS EASIER.

*PLEASE SUPPORT THE SHOW IN THEIR EFFORTS TO MAKE THESE IMPROVEMENTS.

*A WALKWAY FOR HORSES WILL BE IN PLACE BETWEEN THE HORSE BOXES AND THE MAIN RING.

MAIN RING: (may change based on conditions on the day)

CLASSES 7 TO 19 – RIDDEN HORSE, SIDE SADDLE, CHILDREN'S RIDDEN PONY

CLASSES 26 TO 31 – HEAVY HORSE CLASSES

CLASSES 36 TO 37 – MOUNTED MOUNTAIN AND MOORLAND CLASSES.

HORSE RING (NEAR SEASCALE GATE):

CLASSES 1 TO 6 – IN HAND HORSES AND PONIES & CLASSES 32 TO 35 IN HAND MOUNTAIN AND MOORLAND

PLEASE NOTE THAT ALL COMPETITOR NUMBERS FOR THE HORSE CLASSES ARE TO BE COLLECTED FROM THE SECRETARY'S TENT ON SHOW DAY.

HORSE ENTRIES PLEASE NOTE: THE COMMITTEE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO AMALGAMATE CLASSES AND/OR WHERE LESS THAN 4 ENTRIES IN A CLASS ONLY 1ST PRIZE MONEY WILL BE AWARDED

****ENTRIES FOR ALL HORSE CLASSES CAN BE TAKEN ON SHOW DAY AT DOUBLE THE ENTRY FEE (£10 PER ENTRY)**

RIDING CLASSES & LIGHT HORSES

OPEN TO ALLCOMERS

All prize money in these classes: 1st £15; 2nd £10; 3rd £5.unless otherwise stated

Entry Fee £5

Judging of In Hand and Ridden Classes will take place in separate rings

EVERY EFFORT HAS BEEN MADE TO AVOID CLASSES OVERLAPPING HOWEVER CLASSES CANNOT BE HELD UP FOR EXHIBITORS IN OTHER RINGS.

IN-HAND CLASSES JUDGE: TBA

Starting Time: 9.00 am

1. BROOD MARE in foal or with foal at foot. 14.2hh & under
2. BROOD MARE in foal or with foal at foot, over 14.2hh
3. BEST FOAL 1st £8; 2nd £5; 3rd £3
4. YEARLING, TWO AND THREE YEAR OLD in hand to make 14.2hh & under
5. YEARLING. TWO AND THREE YEAR OLD in hand to make over 14.2hh
6. COLOURED HORSE OR PONY, ANY AGE.

In Classes 4 and 5 a special rosette will be awarded to the highest placed yearling, highest placed 2 year old and highest placed 3 year old in addition to the normal prizes.

THE SMITH TROPHY, presented by Mrs E. Smith and the late Mr J W Smith of Stonehouse. St. Bees, for the Best Animal in the Classes 1 & 4. To be held for one year.

THE KESWICK TROPHY, presented by Keswick Outside Caterers will be presented to the Best Animal in Classes 2 & 5. To be held for one year.

The CAFFREY MEMORIAL TROPHY presented by Mrs Christine Royston of Kell Head Cottage will be awarded to the winner of class 6

RIDDEN HORSE CLASSES

JUDGE: TBA

Starting Time: 9.00 am

7. RIDING HORSE/HACK, exceeding 14.2hh but not exceeding 15.2hh.
THE TEMPLE PERPETUAL CUP, given by Mrs J. Harrison will be awarded to the winner.
8. RIDING HORSE, exceeding 15.2hh.
THE LUCAS & CUSSONS PERPETUAL CUP presented by the late S.J Brownjohn Esq will be awarded to the winner. To be held for one year.
9. OPEN HUNTER.
THE ANTINS TROPHY presented by Mr & Mrs J Antins, Ellerbeck Barns, St. Bees will be awarded to the winner.
10. OPEN COB.
THE CARR CHALLENGE CUP presented by the Carr family of Coulderton will be awarded to the winner. To be held for one year.
11. RIDDEN COLOURED HORSE OR PONY (includes Palomino & Dun).
THE ROYSTON TROPHY presented by Mr & Mrs I Royston Kell Head Cottage, Egremont will be awarded to the winner. To be held for one year.

SIDE-SADDLE CLASSES

JUDGE: TBA

Starting Time: Immediately after Riding Horse Classes.

12. The Side Saddle Association EQUITATION CHAMPIONSHIPS QUALIFYING OPEN CLASS

Run under S.S.A. Rules defined in the current Handbook. Open to S.S.A. Members and Non Members. Members carrying their current Championship Points Cards are eligible for S.S.A. rosettes to 3rd Adult and 3rd Junior places and S.S.A. Championship Points. Southernden Farm offers a rosette to the highest placed Member under 12 on 1st January of the current year. Side Saddle International offers a rosette to the Adult Member and Manor Grange Show Centre to the Junior Member, judged to be the best turned out.

THE ROBINSON TROPHY presented by Mr & Mrs Robinson Stoneacre Cottage, Rothersyke will be presented to the winner. To be held for one year.

The Northern Side Saddle Group offers a rosette/sash to the highest placed member not having already won one in the current year, membership cards must be produced and signed by the judge in the ring.

13. BEST HORSE OR PONY RIDDEN SIDE SADDLE. Open to horses and ponies 4 years old and over: conformation and manners will be taken into consideration. At the Judge's discretion, horses/ponies may be stripped for conformation. A special rosette will be awarded to the highest placed Adult and Junior Members of the S.S.A. carrying their current Championship Points Cards.

** The Highest placed coloured exhibit (who has not already qualified) receives a Special Rosette and qualifies for the Side Saddle Final at the CHAPS Championship Show. Open to any type of exhibit. Riders must be 16 or over. Riders/Owners need not be a member or their exhibit registered with CHAPS at the time of qualification, but in order to compete at the Championships, the Rider/Owner must be a showing member and their horse/pony registered with CHAPS before entering the final.

THE STEPHENSON TROPHY presented by Mr & Mrs Stephenson Whitecroft House, Egremont will be presented to the winner. To be held for one year.

14. SIDE SADDLE COSTUME CONCOURS d'ELEGANCE (This class will be judged in the Main Ring immediately before the Grand Parade. Time will be allowed after Class 12 for competitors to change)

The sole criteria for this class are the elegance of the picture presented by horse/pony and Rider, and the way of going of the horse/pony. Safe tack must be used. Detailed inspection of the rider's period costume is not required. Fancy dress is not permitted. Competitors are required to walk, trot and canter. No individual show is required, but the judge may ask small groups of riders to give short displays. 2 Special rosettes to the highest placed Adult and Junior Members of the S.S.A. carrying their current Championship Points Card. Competitors should produce a brief written resume about their costume for the Commentator. Juniors must wear hats to British Safety standards or above for this class. Adult riders not wearing such hats do so at their own risk.

THE HUNDITH HILL TROPHY kindly presented by J & P Butterworth will be presented to the winner. To be held for one year.

RIDING PONY CLASSES

JUDGE: TBA

Starting Time: 9.00am – ALL COMPETITORS FOR RIDING PONY CLASSES MUST PRESENT AT 9AM.

15. CHILDREN'S RIDING PONY not exceeding 12.2hh and ridden by a child under 13 years on Show day. All entrants will receive a rosette.
16. CHILDREN'S RIDING PONY exceeding 12.2hh, but not exceeding 13.2hh. To be ridden by a child under 15 years on Show day.
17. CHILDREN'S RIDING PONY exceeding 13.2hh but not exceeding 14.2hh. To be ridden by a child under 17 years on show day.
18. CHILDREN'S RIDING PONY, under 12.0hh. Not to have been entered in any other class and to be ridden by a child under 8 years on Show day. Leading rein not to be attached to bit. All entrants receive a rosette.
19. THE NORAH TROPHY (Entry Free) presented by late Mrs M. Hartley, for the pony & rider most suited to each other & under 14.2hh, the rider to be under 16 years on Show day & living within 15 miles of the Showground and must be ridden off the lead rein. To be held for one year.
20. MOUNTED FANCY DRESS for children under 14 yrs of age on Show day. **Entry Free**
This class will be judged immediately before the Grand Parade. All entrants will receive a rosette
1st £5.00: 2nd £4.00: 3rd: £3.00: 4th £2.00.

THE ALLONBY TROPHY, presented by Mrs D Allonby of Green Head. Grayrigg, Kendal will be awarded to the winner of Class 18. To be held for one year and becomes property of 3 times winner, not necessarily in succession.

THE NEWTON TROPHY, kindly presented by the late Comd. H.W. Falcon-Steward. OBE, RN, of Newton Manor, Gosforth, for the Best Children's Riding Pony in Classes 15, 16 & 17. To be held for one year.

WORKING HUNTER CLASSES

Starting times: 11am

JUDGE: TBA

21. WORKING HUNTERS not exceeding 13hh.
22. WORKING HUNTERS Exceeding 13hh but not over 14hh.
23. WORKING HUNTERS Exceeding 14hh but not over 15hh.
24. WORKING HUNTERS Exceeding 15hh.
25. NOVICE WORKING HUNTER Exceeding 15hh. Fences will not exceed 2' 6". Entries must not have been placed 1st or 2nd in any working hunter competition.
26. Open Working Hunter for any horse/pony. Fences will not exceed 2' 6"

The EHSS TROPHY Presented to the Winner of the Novice Working Hunter Class

The BUCKSWOOD JOKER TROPHY presented by Mr & Mrs M Wareing of Laverock Howe, Ponsonby will be presented to the Champion Working Hunter horse or pony (Excludes Open Working hunter Class).

HEAVY HORSES

Judging to start at 10.30am

JUDGE: TBA

27. MARE IN FOAL or WITH FOAL AT FOOT 3yrs or Over
28. BEST FOAL.
29. YEARLING, FILLY or GELDING.
30. TWO YEAR OLD FILLY or GELDING.
31. GELDING OR BARREN MARE 3yrs or Over
32. RIDDEN HEAVY HORSE – Open to all heavy horse breeds. Half bred horses are permitted provided that the heavy horse parent is stated on the entry form.

Classes 29 & 30 may be amalgamated at the discretion of the Judge.

A SILVER ROSE BOWL presented by Angus Boadle in memory of his father Archie Boadle, to be presented to the Best Animal in the Heavy Horse classes.

The QUEENIE TROPHY presented by the late Mr Albert Fawcett will be presented to the best Animal 3yrs and under from classes 28, 29 & 30.

MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND

(M & M will include Fell, Shetland, Exmoor, Dartmoor, Welsh etc.)

Judging to start at 9.00am prompt

JUDGE: TBA

33. PURE BRED 3yrs or under. SPECIAL FOR HIGHEST PLACED 3yr old, 2yr old & Yearling.
34. PURE BRED MARE IN FOAL or WITH FOAL AT FOOT.
 - SPECIAL FOR BEST PURE BRED FOAL – 1ST £8, 2ND £5, 3RD £3
35. PURE BRED or PART-BRED OVER 3yrs – IN HAND
36. SHETLAND IN HAND CLASS (ANY AGE) – THIS CLASS WILL BE MERGED WITH CLASSES 30, 31 OR 32 IF LESS THAN 6 ENTRIES. SPECIFY PONY AGE ON ENTRY FORM.
37. PURE BRED or PART-BRED MARE OR GELDING TO BE BROUGHT INTO THE RING MOUNTED (Excluding Shetland) (including lead rein) THIS CLASS MAY BE SPLIT INTO RIDDEN AND LEAD REIN DEPENDING ON THE NUMBER OF ENTRIES – PLEASE STATE ON ENTRY FORM IF LEAD REIN.
38. SHETLAND MARE OR GELDING TO BE BROUGHT INTO THE RING MOUNTED (including lead rein)

CHALLENGE CUP, presented by the late W. F. Ratcliffe Esq., will be awarded to the Best Animal in the Mountain & Moorland. Not to be won outright. To be held for one year.

THE WILMAN SHIELD will be awarded to the Champion Fell pony in the Mountain & Moorland Classes; to be held for one year, from classes 33, 34, 35 & 37

A PERPETUAL CHALLENGE CUP presented by the late Ramsay Timmins Esq. of High Harrington, for the Champion Shetland Pony from classes 36 & 38

The ALLENGROVE TROPHY kindly donated by the Nicholson family will be presented to the Best Ridden Shetland Pony (Class 38).

JUMPING COMPETITIONS

Starting approx. 3.15pm

Entry Fee £5.00

Prizes for Showjumping Classes: 1st 10, 2nd £7, 3rd £5

Ponies 14.2hh and under:

- 39. Fences Maximum 60cm in 1st round
- 40. Fences Maximum 75cm in 1st round
- 41. Fences Maximum 90cm in 1st round.

Horses over 14.2hh:

- 42. Fences Maximum 75cm in 1st round.
- 43. Fences Maximum 85cm in 1st round
- 44. Fences Maximum 95cm in 1st round

THE E J BRAITHWAITE MEMORIAL TROPHY presented by Miss N Braithwaite will be presented to the winner of the 60cm class. To be held for one year.

THE ARMSTRONG TROPHY presented by the late R N Armstrong will be presented to the Winner of 75cm class. To be held for one year.

THE PERCY MOORE MEMORIAL TROPHY will be presented to the winner of the 90cm class. To be held for one year.

THE W.E. PARK MEMORIAL TROPHY presented by Mrs Park will be presented to the highest placed competitor in the 90 cm class who lives within 15 miles of the Showground. To be held for one year.

THE HEWRIGG RUBY TROPHY presented by Mrs Ellwood to the winner of the Horse 75cm class. To be held for one year.

THE MARLEY SILVER SALVER will be presented to the winner of Horse 85cm class. To be held for one year.

THE B.N.F.L. TROPHY will be presented to the winner of the 95cm class. To be held for one year