

# AINTREE NEDZ WORKING HUNTER SHOW

SATURDAY 4TH & SUNDAY 5TH JUNE 2022

Including HOYS Working Hunter of the Year Qualifier

Affiliated to the BSHA & BSPS (open to members and non members)

Tiny Tots to 1.15m, Working Hunter Ponies, Heritage, Working Hunter Horses

Entries open - Wednesday 23rd March 2022 Entries close - Thursday 2nd June (Entries may close early, subject to numbers) Online entries only



## **SCHEDULE**

#### SATURDAY 4TH JUNE - 9AM START - INTERNATIONAL INDOOR ARENA

#### CLASSES 1 - 10 OPEN TO MEMBERS AND NON MEMBERS OF THE BSPS ENTRY FEE - £20 PRIZE MONEY - £20, £10, £5 (PRIZE MONEY RULE APPLIES) ROSETTES TO 6TH

**DRAWN ORDER -** All classes will be run in drawn order and approximate times. These draws and times will be emailed to all entries the day before the show starts.

The jumping phase will take place in the International Indoor arena, after the jumping round is completed, you will then go forward to the outdoor arena (weather permitting) for your individual show. No stripping will be required in these classes. All competitors who have not been eliminated, will be asked to come forward into the indoor arena at the end of the class for presentation. **BSPS WHP classes are required to wear a body protector.** 

#### CLASS 1

**PLAITED UNAFFILIATED PRE NOVICE WORKING HUNTER PONY** - Not exc 153cm, For plaited ponies. Maximum height of fences 60cms.

#### CLASS 2

**THE B.S.P.S. MIXED HEIGHT NOVICE W.H.P/INTERMEDIATE W.H**. Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over, not exceeding 158cms. Riders MUST jump in their correct height section and be the correct age for the height of the animal they ride. Riders may ride more than one pony providing the animals are of a different height section. (see rule 37) Height of pony must be detailed at entry stage.

133cms. max height of fences 75cms

143cms. max height of fences 85cms

153cms. max height of fences 95cms.

Intermediate W.H. max height of fences 1m.

#### CLASS 3

**THE B.S.P.S. MIXED HEIGHT OPEN W.H.P/INTERMEDIATE W.H.** Mare or Gelding, 4 years old or over, not exceeding 158cms. Riders MUST jump in their correct height section and be the correct age for the height of the animal they ride. Riders may ride more than one pony providing the animals are of a different height section. (see rule 37). Height of pony must be detailed at entry stage.

133cms. WHP min 75cms max 90cms

143cms. WHP min 85cms max 1m.10cms.

153cms.WHP min 90cms max 1m.05cms

Intermediate W.H. min 1m.00cms max 1m.15cms.

#### **CLASS 4**

**THE B.S.P.S. TINY TOTS STAKES.** Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 122cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained not to have attained their 9th. birthday before 1st. January in the current year. Maximum height and spread for fences 40cms. **Open to plaited or unplaited ponies.** 



#### CLASS 5

**THE B.S.P.S. NURSERY STAKES.** Mare or Gelding, 4 years old and over, not exceeding 133cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained not to have attained their 12th birthday before 1st January in the current year. Min/Max height of fences - 60-75cms

#### **CLASS** 6

**THE B.S.P.S. HERITAGE MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND OPEN NURSERY STAKES.** Registered Pure Bred Ponies 4 yrs. old and over, not exceeding 133cms. Suitable to be ridden by a rider not to have attained their 13th. birthday before 1st. January in the current year. Min/Max height of fences - 50-65cms

#### CLASS 7

**UNPLAITED UNAFFILIATED PRE NOVICE WORKING HUNTER PONY** - For unplaited ponies, not exceeding 158cm. Maximum height of fences 60cms.

#### CLASS 8

**THE B.S.P.S. HERITAGE MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND NOVICE WHP. MIXED HEIGHT.** Registered Pure Bred Ponies 4yrs. old or over. Riders any age. Ponies must jump in their correct height section. Riders may ride more than one pony providing the animals are of a different height section. Classes may be divided by height and fences adjusted for each height section. Height of pony must be detailed at entry stage. Fence heights:-

Ponies not exceeding 122cms. min 47cms. max 60cms

Ponies ex.122cms not ex. 133cms min 55cms. max 65cms.

Ponies ex. 133cms. not ex. 143cms min 65cms. max 75cms.

Ponies ex.143cms min 75cms max 85cms

#### CLASS 9

**THE B.S.P.S. HERITAGE MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND OPEN WHP. MIXED HEIGHT.** Registered Pure Bred Ponies 4yrs. old or over. Riders any age. Ponies must jump in their correct height section. Riders may ride more than one pony providing the animals are of a different height section. Classes may be divided by height and fences adjusted for each height section. Height of pony must be detailed at entry stage. Fence heights:-

Ponies not exceeding 122cms. min 55cms. max 70cms.

Ponies ex. 122cms not ex. 133cms min 65cms. max 80cms.

Ponies ex. 133cms not ex. 143cms min 75cms. max 90cms

Ponies ex. 143cms min 85cms max 100cms

#### CLASS 10

**OVERALL WORKING HUNTER PONY CHAMPIONSHIP.** For Ponies that have been placed 1st & 2nd in classes 1 - 9. Champion £20, Reserve Champion £10, 1st Reserve £5

#### PRIZE MONEY RULE FOR ALL CLASSES

Prize money will be paid out as follows in each section:-

1-4 competitors - 1st prize only

- 5-9 competitors 1st and 2nd prize only
- 10 + competitors 1st, 2nd and 3rd prize only

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## **HORSE CLASSES**

#### SUNDAY 5TH JUNE - 9AM START - INTERNATIONAL INDOOR ARENA

#### CLASSES 11 - 13 UNAFFILIATED - OPEN TO ALL ENTRY FEE - £20 PRIZE MONEY - £20, £10, £5 (PRIZE MONEY RULE APPLIES) ROSETTES TO 6TH

The jumping phase will take place in the International Indoor arena, after the jumping round is completed, you will then go forward to the outdoor arena (weather permitting) for your individual show. Stripping will only be required in the BSHA affiliated classes. All competitors who have not been eliminated, will be asked to come forward into the indoor arena at the end of the class for presentation.

#### CLASS 11

**UNAFFILIATED 75cm WORKING HUNTER** For Horses exc 158cms, Riders over 14yrs. Maximum height of fences 75cms.

#### CLASS 12

**UNAFFILIATED 85cm WORKING HUNTER** For Horses exc 158cms, Riders over 14yrs. Maximum height of fences 85cms.

#### CLASS 13

**UNAFFILIATED 95cm WORKING HUNTER** For Horses exc 158cms, Riders over 14yrs. Maximum height of fences 85cms.

#### CLASS 14

#### TATTERSALLS ROR FORMER RACEHORSE CHALLENGE

RoR eligibility: Horses must have raced in GB . Horses must have current RoR Competition Membership and riders must be 15 years old on the 1st of January 2022. Mare or gelding 4yrs old or over and of any height. Horses to be ridden in any suitable bridle and should be plaited.

Racing injuries and blemishes ARE IGNORED in this series.

The first three go forward to the Final at the The Jockey Club RoR National Championships, Aintree in August 2022 or 2023 for shows after 1st August 2022.

The Series Champion automatically qualifies for the RoR Ridden Show Series Supreme Championship at Aintree.

The judge will NOT ride. Horses may be stripped for conformation at the discretion of the judge. Competitors must wear a safety/kite mark hard hat with a chinstrap. All those entering horses and/or participating in the show agree to be bound by the Retraining of Racehorses Rules and Regulations from time to time in force.

The class to be judged 50% jumping, 20% Style while jumping and performance and 30% awarded for show, manners and suitability to be retrained.

#### PHASE 1

Jumping to be judged:

8 rustic jumps 90cm to 100cm with a maximum spread of 95cm

The following points to be deducted at the end of each jumping round:

- 10 points to be deducted for a knock down.
- 15 points to be deducted for a refusal.
- 20 points for second refusal.
- Elimination for third refusal or fall

#### PHASE 2

Class returns without boots and judged for an individual show/conformation. (In some classes, at the judge's discretion, horses might be asked to do a 'show' following their jumping without leaving the ring. This is often the case with a large number in the class)

Each horse to complete an individual show of no longer than 1 ½ minutes. Show to include the following movements:

- Walk, Trot, canter showing change of leg, extended canter (gallop) halt and stand, walk off on long rein.
- Total marks out of 30% for Show, manners and suitability to be retrained.

Fences for the final at Aintree will be up to a maximum of 1.05 metre

Prizes : Rosettes 1st \_ 4th and Vouchers 1st to 3rd place.

1st £30 plus RoR prize, 2nd £20, 3rd £10.

Veteran prize : £20 voucher to be redeemed from RoR office and qualification for the RoR Ridden Veteran Final at the RoR National Championships at Aintree.

**BSHA WORKING SHOW HORSE RULES (CLASSES 15 & 16) -** All affiliated Open Working Show Horse Classes are qualifiers for the SEIB Working Show Horse of the Year Championship, to be held at the BSHA National Championship Show. The two highest placed horses, in the top five, not already qualified in each Open Working Show Horse class, will qualify for the Championships; no Horse placed lower than fifth will qualify. Those Shows held after the 2022 National Championship Show will carry the qualification (s) forward to 2023; see Rule 9 for further information.

Owners, riders and horses must be registered or have temporary membership with a day ticket. Riders must be 15 years and over.

Any Horse which is a Grade B Showjumper, Intermediate Eventer, or above, as at the 1st January of the current year, is not eligible to compete in any Working Show Horse class. A Rider may ride up to two Horses in the jumping phase but must then select one Horse to take through to the Ride and Conformation phases (if required). No change of Rider is allowed.

When jumping in the Ring, the practice or collecting area, all Riders must wear protective headgear, according to the current approved BSI or European Standard. Skullcaps must be worn with a dark coloured plain peaked cover. Horses may wear protective boots, of a plain colour, for the jumping phase only; no weighted boots are permitted; no change of tack is permitted between jumping and flat phases. Jumps: Novice: minimum 2'3 maximum 2'6, maximum spread 2'6. Open: minimum 2'9 maximum 3'0, maximum spread 3'0 Please note that the height of the jumps may be raised at the National Championship Show at the discretion of the Course Builder/Show Director. Scoring: Jumping - 40, Style - 20, Conformation, movement and type - 20, Ride and manners - 20 Penalties: Knockdown - 10, 1st Refusal - 15 2nd Refusal - 20, 3rd Refusal - Elimination, Fall of Horse/Rider or Error of Course - Elimination Stepping back at any obstacle on the course will be counted as a refusal. Working Show Horse Judging: to be judged on jumping, style, conformation and ride. Movement, type and manners will all be considered. Judges should ask the class to gallop (conditions permitting). Exhibits should be judged under the same procedure as Working Hunters and they should be well schooled.

#### CLASS 15

**NOVICE WORKING SHOW HORSE** Open to Hack, Cobs, Maxi Cobs and Riding Horses, mares or geldings, 4 years old and over, exceeding 148cms. A Novice is a Show Horse that has not won a ridden first prize of £25 or more, or more than a total of £100 in any Working class, which were Affiliated to the Association at home or abroad, prior to 1st January of the current year. Winnings as a 4 year old are exempt unless that 4 year old has won an Open Working class of £25 or more. Snaffle bridles may be worn for Novice classes. For further conditions of entry, please refer to the BSHA Rule Book 2022, available online, together with all Registration Forms at www.britishshowhorse.org Jumps - minimum 2'6 maximum 2'9, maximum spread 2'9

#### CLASS 16

**OPEN WORKING SHOW HORSE -** Open to Hacks, Cobs, Maxi Cobs and Riding Horses, mare or gelding 4 years old and over, exceeding 148cms. Competitors and Horses must be registered with BSHA or have temporary membership with a Day Ticket. Riders must be 15 years of age or older. This class is a qualifier for The SEIB Working Show Horse of the Year Final to be held at the BSHA National Championship Show. The two highest placed horses in the top five, not already qualified, in each Open Working Show Horse class, will qualify for the Final; no Horse placed lower than fifth will qualify. Any Horse which is a Grade B Showjumper, Intermediate Eventer, or above, as at the 1st January of the current year, is not eligible to compete in any Working Show Horse class. A Rider may ride up to two Horses in the jumping phase but must then select one Horse to take through to the Ride and Conformation phases (if required). No change of Rider is allowed. Jumps minimum 2'9 maximum 3'0, maximum spread 3'0

#### **CLASS 17**

#### WESTOWN STUD WORKING HUNTER

In Horse of the Year Show qualifiers, Horse of the Year Show rules take precedence Competitors must make themselves conversant with these rules, a copy of which can be downloaded from www.hoys.co.uk Class 17 is a qualifier for this year's Horse of the Year Show, NEC Birmingham 5th – 9th October 2022. All Owners, Producers and Riders must be Members of the British Show Horse Association (BSHA), and all horses registered with the BSHA. Riders must be 15 years of age or older. Registration numbers must be quoted on entry forms. The highest placed unqualified horse in the first three will qualify to enter at the Horse of the Year Show. No horse lower than third place in its class will qualify. Qualification will be verified by the Horse of the Year show office

#### Pre Entry ONLY. Declarations for these classes taken at ringside. Rosettes to 10th place.

Class 17 – Entry Fee: £45.00 Includes £16.00 Horse of the Year Show Contribution Prizes: £40 - £20 - £15 - £10 (PRIZE MONEY RULE APPLIES) Working Hunter courses are not to be walked by competitors until the judge has given permission.

**HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW WORKING HUNTER:** For Working Hunters any weight, Mare, Gelding or Stallion (competing stallions must have a red, white & blue ribbon displayed in their tail) 4 years old and over exceeding 148cms. Any Horse which has qualified as a Grade 'A' Show Jumper or Advanced Event Horse as at 1st January in the current year is not eligible to compete in Working Hunter classes.. Fences will not exceed 1.14m (3ft. 9ins) there should be a minimum of 8 fences and a maximum of 12 fences. The course must contain a combination and should contain a water tray.

This class will be judged in two parts.

Part One (Jumping) will be judged first, without a jump-off. All clear rounds and any other horses the judges may require will go forward to the next part. A rider can ride up to two horses in the jumping phase but then must select only one horse to take forward into the ride and conformation section if so required (no change of rider is allowed).

This is a Horse of the Year Show Qualifier, all data given upon entry of this class is provided to Grandstand Media Limited and stored on the Grandstand Entries System. For full policy details please visit: www.grandstandentries.com.

Marks will be awarded in the following way: Phase I (60 MARKS) A: Jumping Points – 40 MARKS & B: Style while Jumping – 20 MARKS. Phase II (40 MARKS) C: Conformation - 20 MARKS & D: Ride – 20 MARKS In the event of equality the CONFORMATION MARK from Phase II will take precedence, followed by the RIDE MARK and then the STYLE Mark

#### **CLASS 18**

**OVERALL WORKING HORSE CHAMPIONSHIP.** For Horses that have been placed 1st & 2nd in classes 11 – 17 Prizes: Champion £20, Reserve Champion £10, 1st Reserve £5

#### PRIZE MONEY RULE FOR ALL CLASSES

Prize money will be paid out as follows in each section:-

1-4 competitors - 1st prize only

5-9 competitors - 1st and 2nd prize only

10 + competitors - 1st, 2nd and 3rd prize only

S.H.B.(G.B) in the North West – Ridden Points Competition.

Classes 12-17 are included in the S.H.B.(G.B) in the North West Ridden Points Competition. Points will be awarded to 1st - 4th places in each class. Horses can compete in any of the above classes. An award will be made to the horse attaining the highest number of points overall. To qualify horses that are not registered at the time of the show must be registered or over stamped with SHB (GB) by 30 September 2022.

#### THIS SHOW IS RUN UNDER BSPS RULES FOR THE PONY CLASSES & BSHA RULES FOR THE HORSE CLASSES. PLEASE REFER TO THE SOCIETY RULE BOOKS FOR FULL DETAILS ON THEIR RULINGS.



#### Aintree International Equestrian Centre (Trading as Aintree Racecourse Developments Limited) Terms and Conditions

1. These Terms and Conditions apply to all competitors and spectators and must be adhered to at all times. Entry into any competition, including the hire of the Centre, shall be deemed an acceptance of these Terms and Conditions.

2. Please also refer to the Aintree Racecourse Terms and Conditions which can be found at http://aintree.thejockeyclub.co.uk/pr-policies/termsconditions.

3. All persons entering onto the Racecourse, by virtue of admission, agree to be bound by these Terms and Conditions and the General Rules of the Competition.

4. Aintree International Equestrian Centre and Aintree Racecourse reserve the right to refuse entry/hire without stating the reason, and to cancel the competition and all rights of admission.

5. Any person causing any damage, disruption or unwanted behaviour will be asked to leave the premises and will not be permitted to participate any further in the show.

6. Aintree International Equestrian Centre and Aintree Racecourse do not accept any responsibility or liability for any injury, accident, damage or illness to any person, property or animal whatsoever, or for any loss whatsoever, arising out of, or occurring at any competition, show or event. It shall be a condition of entry/hire of the Centre that each entrant shall indemnify the organisers against any legal action whatsoever arising from any accident.

7. All competitors and attendees must take all reasonable precautions to avoid and prevent accidents occurring and must obey the instructions of the officials and stewards.

8. Parents or guardians are deemed responsible for their children and they must be supervised at all times.

9. Please also note that the Collecting Ring area is for the purpose of warming up. It is strictly not a viewing or standing area, nor is it to be used by anyone other than those entered in the current class.

10. BRITISH STANDARD APPROVED HARD HATS MUST BE WORN AT ALL TIMES WHEN MOUNTED. Full and correct attire must be worn by all competitors when competing or hiring the Centre. For show jumping all competitors and grooms, when mounted, must wear a British Standard skull/hard hat, which must be fastened. Failure to do so will incur elimination.

11. Any individual seen to be causing distress or suffering to any animal will be asked to leave the Racecourse and may be reported to the appropriate authorities.

12. No horse or pony under the age of 4 years shall be ridden at any competition.

13. Any persons responsible for a stallion must ensure that they are secure at all times including within the stables and the collecting ring, and correctly displaying the appropriate FEI approved ribbons and discs.

14. All horses and ponies competing or using the Centre must be fully vaccinated against equine flu, and must not have had any vaccination in the 6 days prior to attending.

15. Vaccination requirements for stabling may vary from time to time, as dictated by the British Horseracing Authority. Please see individual event page for details. Important updates will be published on our website and on our social media pages.

16. Horses and/or ponies must not be left unattended at any time when tied outside Horseboxes or trailers.

17. No horse and/or pony may be lunged in any area of the Racecourse. Strictly no lunging in the arena or collecting ring.

18. Competitors are requested, prior to leaving, to clean up any droppings, hay, straw or shavings from around their horsebox/trailer and to dispose of these at home.

19. Dogs must be kept on leads AT ALL TIMES and must be cleaned up after. Failure to do this will result in you being asked to leave the Racecourse. No dogs are allowed on the Racecourse track or in the stable yards AT ANY TIME.

20. It is recommended that all vehicles are fitted with a fire extinguisher.

21. Aintree International Equestrian Centre reserves the right to alter any schedule at any time without prior notice. Closing dates for all shows may be altered if the classes are full.

22. All entry and hire fees include VAT@20%. All entries and hire fees must be paid for in full prior to leaving the Centre. A £15 administration fee will be payable on any outstanding accounts or dishonoured cheques, plus interest.

23. No entry or stable fees will be refunded, unless the show is cancelled due to Covid 19 reasons.

24. Prize money not collected on the day will be forfeited.

25. If stables are in use for a show, a £20 cash deposit must be paid to the Stable Manager on arrival and will be returned once the stable has been inspected and has been fully emptied of bedding and hay.

26. Smoking is strictly forbidden in the stable area and in all buildings. Cigarette butts must be disposed of safely and in the bins provided.

27. All vehicles should be parked sensibly and enough room must be left for emergency access.

28. Any competitor who is considered by the organisers, stewards, judges to have received outside assistance without prior permission, will be eliminated from their Class.

29. It is the owners/riders responsibility to ensure that horses/ponies are the correct height for their class.

30. The decision of the Judge on the day in all classes will be final.

31. Photographs will be taken at Equestrian and Racecourse events by a professional, licenced photographer who has been approved by ARDL. Aintree reserve the right to use these photographs for advertising purposes to promote future events. No other photographers are permitted to photograph the event.

32. Aintree Racecourse Developments Ltd use Horse Monkey as their chosen event administration system. Entry form details will be added to this system to inform competitors that their entries have been received. If competitors do not wish for this information to be shared with our chosen entry system, then we will not be able to process and accept your entry.

33. Please also refer to our Privacy Policy.

34. Please adhere to our Covid 19 procedures in place (due to the ever-changing situation the most up to date guidelines will be on the relevant event page).



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