

Shetland Pony Stud Book Society

Driven Performance Awards Scheme

GENERAL RULES

1. All ponies must be registered in the Shetland Pony Stud Book and must be 4 years old or over.
2. All ponies must compete under their registered name. It is not permissible to enter under a "pet" name. One of the main aims of these performance awards is to encourage publicity for the registered Shetland Pony.
3. The Awards Scheme is limited to the British Isles.
4. The year extends from 1st November and ends on the 31st October each year.
5. Rules, information and entry forms are obtainable from:-
Mrs. W.A. Keeley, 51 High Street, Albrighton, Wolverhampton. WV7 3JF.
Telephone 01902 372238. email carejects@rmgwak.freeseerve.co.uk.
6. Awards must be entered on the cards provided. The appropriate Awards Scheme section number/s should be entered on the card. **NO PHOTOCOPIES OF FORMS WILL BE ACCEPTED.** Any specific notes should be added on the top of the form in red (e.g., first year in scheme, etc.). Forms must be signed by the **event/show official**. **Failure to do so will result in disqualification.**
7. All cards **must** be returned to the address above (see item 5) by October 31st. Trophies should also be returned by this date, but separate arrangements can be made in writing to the secretary before this date. **NO LATE FORMS WILL BE ACCEPTED and cards will be declared void after that date.**
8. The entry fee will be £10.00 for each TURNOUT entered. For example, if a single is part of a pair this will be two turnouts. There is one entry fee that covers all Awards Scheme Sections. Please make cheques payable to **Shetland Pony Account**.
9. Points will be awarded as follows to both ponies and Whips and Junior Grooms.

1 st	10 points	4 th	7 points	7 th	4 points	10 th	1 point
2 nd	9 points	5 th	6 points	8 th	3 points		
3 rd	8 points	6 th	5 points	9 th	2 points		
			Champion 5 points.		Reserve 2 points.		

Please include your placing as well as how many other competitors there were in the class.

For Rallies, Picnics, Drives out - 5 points will be awarded for completion of the drive at whatever distance. Show drives will also attract 5 points in addition to any placings.

Non-Competitive Demonstrations will attract 5 points.

For competitors in HDT events please include individual scores in the designated sections as well as the overall placings.

Bonus points for Whips of all three categories: Having gained the following **WITHIN THE YEAR**:

If you are in the Veteran Category (over 60) please state on your form!

BDS Proficiency Tests: Level 1 = 10. Level 2 = 20. Level 3 = 30.

Level 4 = 40. LHHI = 50. **Road Assessment = 10 points.**

Tandem Bars 20 points.

Training Days = 2 points.

Junior Groom (8 – 18 years 1st January) scores points in all sections within the scheme for each turnout they groom for.

If you are giving professional instruction no points can be gained.

10. Each Turnout must be declared and paid for individually. Ponies can be declared and paid for in as many turnouts as desired, but scores will be restricted to individual turnouts. The scores for individual ponies cannot be cumulative between turnouts.

The Overall Championships will be decided on overall scores from individual turnouts and individual whips.

ALL TROPHIES MUST BE RETURNED TO THE SECRETARY NOT A DAY LATER THAN 31 OCTOBER

A presentation lunch is scheduled for Sunday 4^h January 2009 at the Holiday Inn, Stoke on Trent. (M6 Junc 15)

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DRIVEN PERFORMANCE AWARDS SCHEME
CATEGORIES IN WHICH POINTS ARE AWARDED.

In addition to the trophies rosettes are awarded down to fifth place.
In all junior sections rosettes are awarded down to tenth place.

Driven Trials – Clothie Inshture Trophy

RDA - Lathom Trophy.

Rallies and Picnics – McDuff Trophy

Charity – Tankard

Private Drive – Singles – Mirabell Trophy

Private Drive – Multiples – Dandy of Denstone Trophy

Performance – Meonwara Cup

First Year in Scheme – Trophy

Five Events or Less – Evostick Trophy

Novice Pony – Trophy

Exercise Vehicles – Blue Chinz Trophy

Exercise Vehicles – pneumatic tyres – Champion Trophy

Best Veteran Pony – Lockinge Max Trophy – for ponies 20 years and over.

Non Competitive Demonstrations –Cashmere’s Black Velvet Quaich.

Best Stallion – Lark Rise Trophy

Best Gelding – Trophy

Best Mare – Trophy

Champion – Trophy

Reserve Champion – Trophy

Waterside Galahad Trophy – to be presented to the pony, turnout, whip, stud that it was felt did the most to promote the Driven Shetland Pony in that particular year.

Junior Whip - David Snowdon Trophy

Junior Groom – Trophy

Intermediate Whip – Wee Jamie Trophy

Veteran Whip – Trophy.