

Topthorn Arena, Grove Farm, Debenham Road, Stowmarket, IP14 6BX

Sunday 29th November 2026

To Be Judged by Mrs V Green, Miss B Pooley

Photography by Emily Harris (sample images can be found on her facebook page Emily Harris Photography, usually with 48hrs of the show)

Prices

£12 for all Classes Pre-Entered £15 – On the Day Entry £15

Fun Classes £5 a class Pre-entered and on the day

£3 First Aid and Clear up fee per entrant

Pre-entries accepted until 8pm on the 25th November 26

On the day entries excepted at £15 per class

Please Enter via https://showcase.lite.events or email the below address with the relevant details

Contact Information

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Rules and Regulations

All persons competing or attending any The Showcase Series show are subject to the following rules which must be obeyed at all times by all persons attending the show

1. Once an entry has been made, no fees will be refunded without a vet/doctors certificate.

2. The judge's decision is final. Any objections must be made in writing to the show secretary within 30mins of the incident and be accompanied by a deposit of £10.00 refundable only if the objection is upheld.

3. AT ALL TIMES when mounted, riders MUST wear correctly fastened protective headgear to BS EN 1384, PAS015 or ASTM F1163 standards.

4. The organizers reserve the right to refuse entry to any class or the show-ground 5. All dogs must be kept on leads.

6. Children's age is to be taken on the date of the show.

7. No person shall allow a stallion for which he/she is responsible, to compete or be prepared to compete, in any competitions without taking adequate precautions to ensure that other members of the public are not put at risk of injury.

8. Stallions and Colts may be led by a child as long as the child is competent, if the judge considers the child not in control they may ask for the exhibit leave the ring

9. Please do not muck out your lorry/trailer onto the fields.

10. Please take your litter home with you or use the bins provided.

11. Smoking is only permitted in designated areas, and prohibited around the stables.

12. All bookings of the centre, once confirmed, are liable to a 50% cancellation fee should they be moved or cancelled.

13. The Showcase Series reserve the right to cancel, add or amend any of the competitions as they see fit, due to weather conditions and insufficient entries

14. Children must be under adult supervision at all times.

15. All horses/ponies must only move through areas shared with pedestrians at walk.

16. No Venue, nor any of its representative or staff shall be held liable for any accident, injury, damage or loss what-so-ever.

17. Any animal showing signs of disease or illness will be asked to leave the show ground immediately

18. Please conduct yourself in a courteous manner, any abuse to person or animal will not be tolerated and will be asked to leave the show-ground.

19. ANY person whether spectator or competitor, that has been banned from any other affiliated show within the last 2 years will not be permitted to attend A TSS Show

20. Competitors are advised to have public liability insurance

21. Any complaints must be taken up with the secretaries with a deposit of £40 within 20 minutes of the incident.

22. This show will be run with a social media code of conduct. Any cyber bullying, coercion of judges or show team members will not be tolerated in any way. Slanderous or libel comments put on social media will be taking seriously and action taken.

23. NO lunging in collecting rings.

24. Should a competitor have any link to a judge (or visa versa) in the current or previous year of the show by means of, producing, selling, loan or lease of an animal, showing of an animal (free or for a fee), teaching, sponsorship or brand ambassador, they will not be permitted to judge, or be judged at TSS shows by those persons. A judge may also not judge an animal they have bred. Should this rule found to be broken you will be withdrawn. Judges are permitted to refuse to judge any persons they feel have contravened this ruling.

25. No horses to be tied and left unattended tied to the lorry or trailers

26. All novice class exhibits to be shown in a snaffle or snaffle variation with a single rein.

27. Lead Rein exhibit riders should not exceed 9 years old as of Jan 2024 and ponies should not exceed 128cm. Snaffle bridles only, with the leadrein attached to the noseband.

28. First Ridden exhibit riders should not exceed 11 years old as of Jan 2024 and ponies should not exceed 128cm. Snaffle bridles only.

29. Junior exhibits must not exceed 16 years old as of Jan 2024. Juniors may ride a stallion as long as competent and may use double bridles or double reins, gags and grackle nose bands are permitted for juniors doing working hunter classes.

30. Horses and ponies do not need to be registered to show with us, but may affect qualification to other championships and society qualifiers

Sponsorship Packages

We rely on your generosity to enable these shows to run, allow better prizes and allow the show to develop. We are grateful for any support you can offer in any way. If you wish to have a chat about a tailor made package please feel free. Sponsorship is a great way to advertise your business to a wide community



FUN CLASS SPONSORS- £10 A fun image created for Facebook, wording of your choice and a personalised gift bag for your class winner.

CLASS SPONSORS- **£25** Your logo and contacts on our sponsor board, your business/chosen wording announced by our commentary team, you wording of choice on your chosen class first rosette and sash, your gift bag for your chosen class with be gift tagged with your logo and contacts, gift bag will contain your business stationary and any gift you wish to supply. Free mince pie if you are in attendance. Bring a stall along for only a £10 pitch fee.

CHAMPIONSHIP SPONSORS- **£75** custom made Christmas poster for sponsor board and business stationary displayed in the cafe area. All sashes, prizes and rosettes will be printed with the wording of your choice. Gift bags with unique prices to your winners will be tagged with your details and custom picture and logo. If you have a stall, you have free pitch space. Business or wording of choice will be announced during your chosen Championship. Free Mince pice for 2 and 2 hot drink vouchers if you are in attendance

SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP- **£100** All the above is included in this package. Absolutely beautiful prizes. Garlands, rosettes, prizes and rugs to the winners, all adorned with your choice of wording. 2x meal vouchers will also be included. The ultimate Sponsorship of an amazing Show! We can hang ring banners if provided

All sponsors mentioned in the schedule and shared via Facebook in all show promotion

Special Christmas Awards!

Each class a special spirit of Christmas award will be given to the competitor displaying the best Christmas spirit. Being awarded one of these awards will see you into the Spirit of Christmas Championship, where best Christmas spirits will be crowned champions. This will be before the main inhand and ridden championship and the champion and reserve will then earn a slot in the Christmas Overall Championship!!

Our judges will also be looking out for a special combination in both the ridden and inhand that will receive a special rosette for making the nice list and one for the naughty list!! There is always a cheeky pony amongst us!!

To start at 09.00am

To be Judged By: Mrs V Green &

Ring 1- Indoor

Class 1- Young Handler- Open to any horse or pony handled by anyone 16 and under. To be judged on the handling of the animal being shown not the conformation of the animal being shown

Class 2- Adult Handler- Open to any horse or pony handled by anyone 16-44 years old. To be judged on the handling of the animal being shown not the conformation of the animal being shown

Class 3- Senior Handler- Open to any horse or pony handled by anyone over 45 years old. To be judged on the handling of the animal being shown not the conformation of the animal being shown

The Elf Recruit Championship- 1st and 2nd from class 1-3



Class 4- Open Inhand Novice- not to have won more than 3 firsts this season, please use this class how it is meant to be used. This class is for horses new to showing or in their first season. If you won classes before 2023 then this excludes your horse from this class.

Class 5- Youngstock- Open to 2024 foals, yearlings, 2 & 3year olds. A special Follow The Star rosette will be award to the best foal, yearling, 2 year old and 3 year old

Class 6- Miniature Horses & Shetlands- Open to any miniature horse or Shetland pony

Class 7- Mountain & Moorland - Open to shetlands, Welsh A+B+C+D, Exmoor, and Dartmoor, Connemara, New Forest, Dales, Fells, Highlands. Class will be split into small and large Breed in entries allow, if not split the highest place Small and large will receive a rosette and be invited into the supreme

Class 8- Cobs and Cob Types- Open to any cob type, traditional, hogged or native

Class 9- Plaited Ponies- Open to SHP, SP or PB

Class 10- Solid Colour Horse or Pony - Open to any horse or pony of solid colour base, this will include roans, palomino, buckskin etc facial and leg markings are permitted

Class 11- Coloured Horse or Pony- Open to any horse or pony with a broken coloured coat pattern including blagdon or splash type markings

Class 12- Home Produced Horse or Pony- open to horses and ponies that are owned and cared for by their owner and shown by the owner of family member. Horses and Ponies must not have been in a producers yard in the past two years

Class 13- Show Horse- open to Hacks, Hunters, Cobs, RoR's and Riding Horses

Class 14- Foreign and Rare- open to any foreign breed, Arabian, Warmblood, Haflinger etc, or Rare breed Shire, Suffolk Punch, Welsh B etc

Class 15- Veteran- open to any horse or pony over the age of 15

Class 16- Open Mare- open to any horse or pony

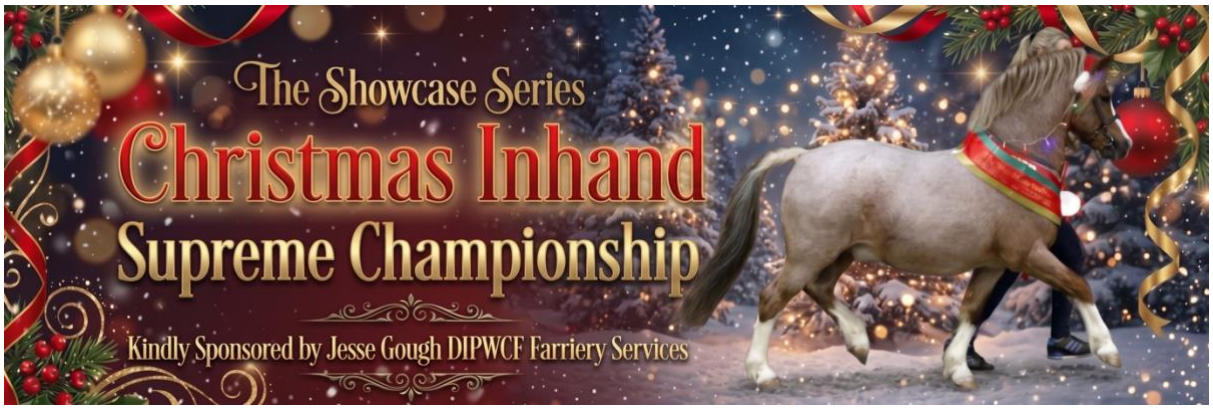
Class 17- Open Stallion or Gelding- open to any horse or pony

Inhand Spirit of Christmas Championship- any one with a spirit of Christmas card



Overall Inhand Christmas Supreme of Show- 1st & 2nd from Classes 1-17

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This set of classes will be held in Ring 2 (Top End of the Indoor Arena)

These classes may be ridden or inhand

To Start at 10.30am

To be Judged: Miss B Pooley

Class 18- Childrens Walk and Trot- this class is designed for very young children either on the lead rein or just going off the lead rein. This class is strictly for non produced combinations. Assistance is welcomed.

Class 19- Tiny Tots Young Handler- this class is designed for children under 6 years old that just want to have a little go with their ponies. Assistance is welcomed

Class 20- Horse or pony the judge would like for Christmas- you will be required to convince the judge why they would want your horse or pony under their Christmas tree on Christmas morning, show off their tricks and personalities, this is the only class of the year I will allow judge bribery!!

Class 21- Winter Wonderland Fancy Dress- as many members as you like can take part in this class, in any form of Christmas/winter fancy dress. Time to get your thinking caps on we look forward to seeing your creations

Class 22- Handy Helper Elves- mums, dads, grandparents, partners etc, any one that normally helps get your ponies ready, transports them, or stands about all day to hold them. No show gear required.

Class 23- Most Christmasy Pair- perfectly matched or a beautiful mismatch, bring in your best pair.

Class 24- My Best Friend- Tell the judge why your horse/pony is your best friend, what's on his Christmas list and his favourite things to do and eat.

Class 25- Festive Pooches- we all know dogs are a huge part of our stable lives so lets meet them, see their best tricks and how the assist your show days.

The North Pole Championship- 1st and 2nd from classes 18-25



The Christmas Hobby Horse Championship- open to any one with a hobby Horse, this class will be judged on turnout and performance. Each exhibit will enter invidually at walk and then trot and canter at set markers, a final group go round will complete the judging.



Lunch Break Approx 1pm- 30mins

<u>To start NOT before 1.30pm</u>

<u>To be Judged By:</u> Mrs V Green

<u>Ring 1- Indoor</u>

Class 26- Novice Horse or Pony- for horses or ponies to be in their first season of showing or not to have won 4 times this year

Class 27- Lead rein- Open to any pony, riders should not exceed 9 years old, leadreins should be attached to the noseband.

Class 28- First Ridden- FR rider not to exceed 12 years old, ponies not to exceeding 133cm.

Class 29- Junior Ridden- Open to any pony, riders not to exceed 17years old

Reindeer Recruit Championship- 1st and 2nd from classes 26-29



Class 30- Ridden Mountain & Moorland - Open to shetlands, Welsh A,B,C & D, Exmoor and Dartmoor, Newforest, Dales, Fell, Connemara and Highland. Class will be split into small and large Breed in entries allow, if not split the highest place Small and large will receive a rosette and be invited into the supreme

Class 31- Open Ridden Pony- Open to any Non-Native pony under 153cm

Class 32- Ridden Solid Colour- Open to any horse or pony of solid colour base, this will include roans, palomino, buckskin etc facial and leg markings are permitted

Class 33- Ridden Coloured Horse or Pony- Open to any horse or pony with a broken coloured coat pattern including blagdon or splash type markings

Class 34- Ridden Home Produced Horse or Pony- open to horses and ponies that are owned and cared for by their owner and shown by the owner of family member. Horses and Ponies must not have been in a producers yard in the past two years.

Class 35- Ridden Show Horse- open to Hacks, Hunters, Cobs, RoR's and Riding Horses

Class 36- Ridden Veteran- open to any horse or pony over the age of 15

Class 37- Ridden Open Mare- open to any horse or pony

Class 38- Ridden Open Gelding or Stallion- open to any horse or pony

Ridden Spirit of Christmas Championship- any one with a spirit of Christmas card



Overall Ridden Christmas Supreme of Show- 1st & 2nd from Classes 26-38

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