



## Horse Section

Ring Championship - Champion £25 - Reserve champion £10

**Supreme of Show £75 - Reserve supreme of show £30**

Todmorden Game & Country Fair is a fun, busy, welcoming show which prides itself on supporting the local community and businesses. We hope this shows in our horse schedule and there are classes for everyone. Our judges are professional and have many years' experience but are happy to give you encouragement and pointers to help you on your way to success with your horse/pony. We look forward to meeting you and your horses/ponies and hope you have a fantastic day!

Saturday 2nd July 2022

Centre Vale Park,  
Burnley Road,  
Todmorden,  
OL14 7LG

**- Qualifier for TSR Showing Finals**

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**Entries close 25th June 2022**

Vet:- Hirds & Partners – on call

Farrier on the day – Chris Smith 07787342510

## General Rules

1. All exhibitors must have adequate public liability insurance.
2. It is the exhibitors responsibility to check if the show is still taking place due to bad weather.
3. The organisers reserves the right to refuse any entry.
4. The organisers reserve the right to cancel or amalgamate any classes.
5. The organisers accept no responsibility for loss or damage, injury or accident to spectators, exhibitors' or riders or their property as a result of attending this show. Please take appropriate care to prevent such accident or loss to yourselves and others.
6. The decision of the judge is final.
7. Hard hats must be worn at all times when mounted or handling horses. Minimum standard PAS 015 (1998, 2001 or 2011) and VG1 01.040 (2014-12) all with BSI Kitemark.
8. Objections or protest must be made in writing to the secretary accompanied by a fee of £25 which may be forfeited to the show funds in the event of the objection being over ruled.
9. No litter is to be left on the show ground. CLEANING OUT OF HORSE BOXES AND TRAILERS IS STRICTLY FORBIDDEN.
10. Under no circumstances is any animal to be exhibited under a judge who is known to have bred, leased, sold or produced.
11. All grooms entering the ring must be correctly dressed and must wear a hat in the ring (standard above).
12. Lead Rein competitors must be aged 3yo and over and lead rein must be fixed to the nose band. Snaffles only in lead rein classes.
13. No spurs allowed in Equitation classes.
14. No horse or pony to be left unattended tied outside a horsebox/trailer.
15. Whips not to exceed 75cms (30inc).
16. Due to **vehicle (4 ton axle) weight restrictions** on the show ground please can we ask all competitors, where possible, to arrive in a 4x4 and trailer or 3.5 ton horse box. Vehicles which appear to be overweight will be weighed and may be turned away.
17. The organisers retain the right to ask any rider to dismount if they are considered too heavy for the horse or pony being ridden.
18. May I remind everyone to please to please travel your horse/pony with their passport, it's the law (spot inspections may occur).
19. Colts and stallions must correctly bitted only be handled by anyone 18yo or over and must be identified with a ribbon in the tail and/or a bridle badge.
20. Mistreatment of any animal on the show ground will not be tolerated, the competitor/handler may be asked to leave the show ground.
21. Dogs must be kept on a lead AT ALL TIMES and cleaned up after. Barking dogs will be asked to be taken to a quiet place away from horses/ponies.
22. No canter/galloping outside of the competition and warm up rings.
23. No lunging anywhere on the show ground.

Horses and ponies are not to come onto the field if their flu injections are not up to date. Only horses and ponies who receive their yearly booster or horses/ponies who are restarting (must be 7days or more after their 2nd injection) will be permitted onto the show field. We may ask to see their passport to check their vaccination record.

**TSR Showing Finals** - This show is a qualifier for the TSR NAF Five Star Showing Finals. All In Hand & Ridden classes are qualifiers. You Do Not have to be a TSR member to qualify or enter a final. The Rider/Handler qualifies and can enter any horse/pony in any number of Finals! The 4 highest placed handlers/riders will qualify in each class. Competitors MUST have their qualification record sheet signed by judge/steward/secretary, record sheets are available FREE from the TSR website. Full details at <https://www.theshowingregister.co.uk/>

### NEW FUN CLASSES FOR 2022

Fun class - Novelty classes to be judged by 3 show attendees with a 'strictly come dance with me' style judging points. Held in the main arena around noon. Time will be confirmed closer to the day. £5 per class or £12 for all three.

**Class N1** - Fancy dress - Best costume. Please ensure children are safe and horse/pony to be handled and/or ridden safely at all times.

**Class N2** - Best trick - Can your equine kick a football? Hold a bucket? Pull a blanket off his back? Whatever their trick, come and show us.

**Class N3** - Matching quadruple - Two equines and two handlers/riders. Everyone can be colour coordinated or sparkly or wearing pink spots! This class is to match as best you can, ridden or in hand.

\*No trotting or cantering in these classes unless it is part of your 'tick' please see secretary when entering, thank you.

**Each rider/handler must pay £2 towards first aid. You only pay this once.**

**\*Classes are £10 before the day or £12 on the day.\***

**Discount on x4 classes -**

**A handler/rider booking x4 classes pays £35 instead of £40 (book before the day and can be used on more than one horse)**

**Every Rider/handler entered receives two tickets onto the fair.**

## Ring 1

Start 8:30 am

Judge: TBC

### In Hand

Pre entry fee £10.00 per class (£12 on day) plus £2.00 per competitor for first Aid

**Class 1** - Best condition in hand

**Class 2** - Young handler (max age 9yo) & junior handler (10yo - 16yo) will be judged separately if sufficient entries

**Class 3** - Senior handler - Any horse 4yo+. Ideal new to showing class

**Class 4** - Open showing - Ponies and horses to be judged separately

**Class 5** - Veteran horse or pony 15yo+

**Class 6** - Foreign breeds - Non native UK e.g Arab, PRE, Friesian etc

**Class 7** - RoR any age - Retrained racehorse

### **In hand Championship - 1**

**1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup>** Prize winners of classes 1 - 7 to come forward for the **Championship**. Champion to receive £25.00 Reserve to receive £10.00. **Champion and reserve to enter Supreme of Show**

### **Ridden Showing**

**Class 8** - Open best figure '8' in trot - Ideal beginners class, open to all

**Class 9** - Novice ridden showing, any height horse 4yo+, any age rider

**Class 10** - Open showing - not exceeding 14hh

**Class 11** - Open showing - 14hh+

**Class 12** - Ridden veteran horse or pony 15yo+

**Class 13** - Ridden foreign breeds - Non native UK e.g Arab, PRE, Friesian etc

**Class 14** - Riding club horse/pony, max jump height 50cm, will split class if sufficient entries.

**Class 15** - Open RDA showing ridden

### **Ridden showing championship**

**1st and 2nd Prize** winners of **classes 8 - 15** to come forward for the **Championship**. Champion to Receive £25.00 Reserve to receive £10.00. **Champion and reserve to enter Supreme of Show**

**LUNCH** - Not before 1pm for Equitation classes

### **EQUITATION**

Judge: TBC

**Class 16** - Lead rein equitation - riders maximum age 9yo

**Class 17** - First ridden equitation - max age 12yo (open to just off lead rein)

**Class 18** - Junior equitation 13yo-17yo

**Class 19** - Senior equitation

**Class 20** - Local rider freestyle equitation - Show your riding skills in your own show for the 'Best local rider trophy' (riders must live within 10 miles of Todmorden)

### **Equitation Championship**

**1st and 2nd Prize** winners of **classes 16 - 20** to come forward for the **Championship**. Champion to receive £25.00 Reserve to receive £10.00. **Champion and reserve to enter Supreme of Show**

## Ring 2

Start 8:30am

Judge: TBC

Pre entry Fee £10.00 per class (£12 on day) plus £2.00 per competitor for first Aid

### In Hand

**Class 21** - Open young-stock 1, 2 & 3yo - any breed - Handler minimum age 16yo

**Class 22** - M&M small breeds - Open to Registered Pure Bred Dartmoor, Exmoor and Shetland ponies 4 yrs and over, Rider any age.

**Class 23** - M&M Large breeds - Open to Registered Pure Bred New Forest, Fell, Dales, Highlands and Connemara ponies 4 years and over rider any age.

**Class 24** - Welsh A & B - Open to registered ponies 4yo and over, rider any age

**Class 25** - Welsh C & D - Open to registered ponies 4yo and over, rider any age

**Class 26** - Cob - Traditional and Maxi to be judged separately

**Class 27** - Open Hunter - Lightweight, Middleweight and Heavyweight

**Class 28** - Heavy horse - All draft horses pure and part bred

### ***In hand championship - 2***

***1st and 2nd Prize winners of classes 21 - 28 to come forward for the Championship. Champion to receive £25.00 Reserve to receive £10.00. Champion and reserve to enter Supreme of Show***

### LUNCH

#### **Not before 1pm £10 per class**

**Class 29** - M&M Lead rein - Children 9yo and under

**Class 30** - M&M First ridden - Children 11yo and under. All purebred M&M ponies.

**Class 31** - M&M Open ridden small breeds

Open to Registered Pure Bred Dartmoor, Exmoor, and Shetland ponies 4 yrs and over, Rider any age.

**Class 32** - M&M Open ridden large breeds

Open to Registered Pure Bred New Forest, Fell, Dales, Highlands, and Connemara ponies 4 years and over rider any age.

**Class 33** - Welsh A & B Open ridden for registered ponies over 4yo, rider any age

**Class 34** - Welsh C & D Open ridden for registered ponies over 4yo, rider any age

### ***M&M and Welsh Championship***

***1st and 2nd Prize winners of classes 29 - 34 to come forward for the Championship. Champion to receive £25.00 Reserve to receive £10.00. Champion and reserve to enter Supreme of Show***

**Class 35** - Cob - Traditional and native

**Class 36** - Maxi cobs

**Class 37** - RoR 4yo+ - Retrained racehorse

**Class 38** - Open Ridden Hunter - Lightweight, Middleweight and Heavyweight

**Class 39** - Ridden Heavy horse pure and part bred

### ***Ridden Showing championship - 2***

***1st and 2nd Prize winners of classes 35 - 39 to come forward for the Championship. Champion to receive £25.00 Reserve to receive £10.00. Champion and reserve to enter Supreme of Show***

***All ring champions and reserve champions are welcomed back for the 'Supreme of show'  
Supreme to receive £75, reserve supreme £30***