The Donkey Breed Society Registered Charity No: 292268 Company Registration No: 01903405

NATIONAL DONKEY SHOW SCHEDULE In celebration of the Queen's Platinum Jubilee Incorporating the Supreme Championships 20 AUGUST 2022 To be held at Moreton Morrell College

Society President: Mr John Porter

Show Director: Mrs Rosemary Clarke

Show Chairman: Mrs Carole Travell

Show Secretary: Mrs Barbara Whale donkeybreedsocietytreasurer@gmail.com 07768 686425 or 01889 504424 (work)

Society Website: www.donkeybreedsociety.co.uk

CLOSING DATE FOR ALL ENTRIES: FRIDAY 15TH JULY 2022

Judges

Non-Driven Classes	Mrs Elaine Lewis
Driven Classes	Mr Roger Jacobs
Supreme Champions	Mr Chris Porter

Agility

Committee

Mrs Rosemary Clarke Mrs Carol Morse Mr Robert Sims Mrs Trudy Affleck

Miss Chelsey Bailey Mrs Barbara Roger Ms Liz Brown Mrs Pam Moon

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Stewards

Show Chief Steward: Mr Rob Sims

Mrs Anna Turner Mr Barry Morse

Committee members + Mrs Jane Lewis Miss Rebecca Giles-Lee Ms Clare Strang Miss Joy Wilcox

Mr Vernon Lewis Mrs Caroline Giles-Lee

Donkeys entered in the In Hand Showing and Supreme Championship Classes at this event are restricted to donkeys registered with the Donkey Breed Society or whose passports have been over-stamped by the Society, whose ancestry (where known) has been registered with and entered into the Pedigree Stud Book or any other DBS register appropriate to their status.

NOTICES

After an absence of two years the Society is bringing back a much loved event to celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee.



Given the levels of Covid that exist in society this year the event is on a smaller scale than might otherwise have been expected being contained into just one day.

Any donkey that pre-qualified for the 2020 or 2021 Championships remains eligible to enter the 2022 show as a Pre-Qualifier, however the donkey will now be in the class appropriate to its current age and/or sex, not that at the time it qualified.

For this year only a young person will be categorised as a Junior if they are under the age of 18 on the day of the show, making them eligible for the Junior awards.

SOCIETY RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR THE SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW

These are available on request from the Show Secretary; however, they are also available to all through the Society website - <u>www.donkeybreedsociety.co.uk</u>. Please ensure you have read these before making your entries for the event, as you will be asked to confirm that you have done so.

CATALOGUES

Catalogues must be pre-ordered to avoid wastage; there is space on the entry form to do this. Copies can be ordered from the Secretary over the weekend and sent to you afterwards at an additional cost of £2.00 to cover packing and postage. Pre-ordered price £3.00, delivery after the show £5.00.

EXHIBITOR NUMBERS

Exhibitor numbers will be posted out prior to the event, however the numbers themselves will also be emailed to you as there will not be any spares on the day.

ARRIVAL TIME

All classes will automatically follow on from the pre-ceding class(es) so please ensure you take this into account in planning your arrival time.

TROPHY COLLECTION

We try to be as accommodating as possible with trophy collections, according to the manpower we have available, once again we are imposing opening times, which will be posted nearer the event.

DOCUMENTATION AND OTHER CHECKS

Random checks will be made to ensure that all donkeys are fully vaccinated in accordance with the venue rules (see below), are accompanied by their passport, have been micro-chipped and the exhibitor has appropriate public liability insurance cover

Venue

ARENAS - WALKWAYS - REFUSE

These must be kept free of droppings throughout the duration of the event. All refuse must be put into the correct bins or taken away with exhibitors. Failure to comply with these rules could render any offender to a charge from the college.

STABLES

Stabling will be available at a cost of £35.00 for one night and £30.00 for a second night. Any exhibitor hiring a stable will be expected to leave it clean and tidy - any fine imposed by the venue will be passed onto that exhibitor. Should a stable not be considered to be clean and tidy on arrival please provide photographic evidence so we may take the matter up with the college.

VACCINATIONS/PASSPORTS

All horses, ponies and donkeys attending events at Moreton Morrell must have received at least their first two vaccines. Animals with full programs are advised to have six monthly boosters, however annual boosters are acceptable. All vaccines need to have 7 clear days before attending the event. It is every exhibitor's responsibility to ensure all animals are vaccinated correctly from the start date of their program. Moreton Morrell reserve the right to undertake their own random checks and any person being in charge of an animal not being in compliance will both be asked to leave the site. All animals must have passports with them.

ACCOMMODATION

This year we will not be making use of the student accommodation. It will, however, be possible to camp or if you come with a caravan there is electric hook up on site.

Emailing of Entry Forms, Electronic Payment of Entry Fees and Refund Policy

Completed entry forms may be scanned and emailed to the Show Secretary -<u>donkeybreedsocietytreasurer@gmail.com</u>. Anyone wishing to make their entry in this manner must pay their entry fees electronically and submit a copy of the payment advice. Receipt of the funds will be checked, and a response sent as soon as possible confirming receipt of the entry or requesting further information as necessary.

If you are unable to scan completed entry forms but still wish to pay electronically please feel free to do so and ensure you enclose a copy of the payment advice along with your entry forms.

Electronic payments should be made to Lloyds Bank, Account Name: Donkey Breed Society, Sort Code: 30-64-97, Account Number: 31968768

In the event the Society is forced to cancel the event all entry fees paid will be refunded in full. Any exhibitor wishing to cancel their entries from and including 16th July 2022 will receive a refund, after deducting a £20.00 administration fee, on the production of an appropriate medical certificate from a vet (for the donkey) or a doctor (for the exhibitor).

Protective Headwear (General Rule 29)

Protective headwear is required for all ridden and some driven classes. This must comply with the latest BSI standards, which are: PAS 015 (1998/2011) with BSI Kitemark Or VG1 with BSI Kitemark

(PAS 015 - 1998 is being withdrawn from 01 January 2023)

It is also strongly recommended that Junior members wear a hat of the same standard when handling any donkey/mule or entering any in hand or fun class.

Show Schedule

The organisers reserve the right to amalgamate or split classes as appropriate based on the entries received by 15 July 2022.

All pre-qualified in hand championship donkeys must enter their appropriate class; they do not have to be forward, but the entrant must declare whether they will be forward or not when making the entry.

Please note that the words 'to follow or follow on' in the timetable mean 'exhibitors are ready and waiting in plenty of time'. Where an exhibitor in the driving class needs to collect another turnout, they must make the ring steward aware of this and an agreed waiting time obtained.

RING ONE

The morning classes will commence at 10:00 and will automatically follow on until lunch time, when classes will restart at 13:00 and also automatically follow on. Ages in junior classes relate to the children, not the donkey and for this year only the upper limit is extended to under 18 years of age.

Class No.	Class Details and Awards
1	Junior Condition and Turnout - Ridden or in hand J30 - 3-8 years old - The Thirkleby Trophy J31 - 9-12 years old - The Choristor Cup J32 - 13-17 years old - The Sandon Saddlery Trophy
2	Young Handlers The overall winner will become the Young Handler Champion who will be awarded the Jackdaw Championship Trophy, a sash of honour and a winner's rosette The exhibitor placed second overall will become the Reserve Young Handler Champion and will receive a reserve's rosette.
	J33 - 3-8 years old - The Ansdell Trophy J34 - 9-12 years old - The Spencer Trophy J35 - 13-17 years old - The Felindre Trophy
3	Young Rider The overall winner will become the Young Rider Champion who will receive a sash of honour and a winner's rosette The exhibitor placed second overall will become the Reserve Young Rider Champion and will receive a reserve's rosette.
	J36L - Leading Rein 3-8 years old - The Little London Trophy J36R - Ridden 3-8 years old - The Copwood Trophy J37 - Ridden 9-12 years old - The Langdale Trophy J38 - Ridden 13-17 years old - The Mizpah Trophy
4	Condition and Turnout SF1 - Male donkey - The Buckland Trophy SF2 - Female donkey - The Svendsen Trophy
5	Pet Donkey (SF8) - to be judged entirely on suitability to be a family pet - yearlings and above, no colts or stallions The Demelza of Sunny Glen Trophy
6	Working Donkey - donkeys aged 4 and over SF11 - In Draught - The Phillippa Trophy SF9 - Under Saddle or Pack & Panniers - The South-Eastern Working Donkey Trophy

LUNCH Classes restart at 13:00

Class No.	Class Details and Class Award - For the definition of 'Senior & Junior' please see rule 52 in the general show rules and regulations.
7	Stallions The highest placed Veteran will be awarded the Jane Neil Memorial Trophy M2 - Senior Stallions - The Summerhays Trophy M1 - Junior Stallions - The Lindrick Trophy
8	Geldings The highest placed Veteran will be awarded the Samson of Highmount Trophy M11 - Senior Adult Geldings - The Berrowhill Trophy M10 - Junior Adult Geldings - The Borwick Trophy
9	Mares, with or without foal at foot <i>The highest placed Veteran will be awarded the Stewart Trophy</i> F22 - Senior Barren Mare - The Munstead Trophy F20 - Junior Barren Mare - The Emma Trophy F23 - Senior Brood Mare - The Stakers Trophy F21 - Junior Brood Mare - The Kittochill Trophy
9a	 Foals The overall winner will become the Foal Champion who will receive The Westra Championship Trophy and a winner's rosette The exhibitor placed second overall will become the Reserve Foal Champion and will receive The Reserve Foal Championship Trophy and a reserve's rosette. F14 - Senior Filly Foals - The Braughing Minette Trophy F15 - Senior Colt/Gelding Foal - The Easter Trophy F16 - Junior Foal - The De Wesselow Trophy The Sire of the Foal Champion will be awarded The Yan of Thornhill Trophy and The Dam of the Foal Champion will be awarded The Bridlecroft Trophy
10	Fillies 1 to 3 years F17a - Senior Yearlings - The Parklands Trophy F17b - Junior Yearlings - The Pinetops Trophy F18a - Senior 2 year olds - The Hunter's Brook Trophy F18b - Junior 2 year olds - The Pericles Trophy F19 - 3 year old fillies - The Peregrine Trophy
11	Geldings 1 to 3 years M7 - Yearlings - The Grafton Trophy M8 - 2 year olds - The Tatu of Grafton Trophy M9 - 3 year olds - The Brandeston Trophy
12	Colts 1 to 3 years M3a - Senior Yearlings - The Grange Trophy M3b - Junior Yearlings - The Jasper Trophy M4 - 2 year old colts - The Rumshott Trophy M5 - 3 year old colts - The Grove Hill Trophy

The highest placed donkey in each section in classes, 7 to 12, excluding class 9a, that has not prequalified for the In Hand Championship will go forward to the appropriate Championship. In the event there were no pre-qualified donkeys in a class then the second placed donkey would also qualify for the Championship.

Class No.	Championship Details and Championship Award
C1	DBS British Filly Championship The Winner - The Plurenden Gilly Champion Trophy The Reserve - The Justa Trophy
C2	DBS British Youngstock Gelding Championship The Winner - The Watergates Trophy The Reserve - The Gamlingay Trophy
С3	DBS British Colt Championship The Winner - The Govan Colt Champion Trophy The Reserve - The Trinitas Trophy
C4	DBS British Youngstock Championship - The champions and their reserves from the Filly/Youngstock Gelding/Colt Championships The Winner - The Sandon Pentecost Championship Trophy The Reserve - The Samuel Whiskers Reserve Championship Trophy
С7	DBS British Stallion Championship The Winner - The Bramshill Championship Trophy The Reserve - The Blackford Reserve Championship Trophy
С5	DBS British Adult Gelding Championship The Winner - The Fratelli Bosatta Championship Trophy The Reserve - The Calpier Reserve Championship Trophy
C6	DBS British Mare Championship The Winner - The Trumpet House Championship Trophy The Reserve - The Wallington Reserve Championship Trophy
C8	DBS British Supreme Championship - Champion Youngstock, Adult Gelding, Mare and Stallion together with their Reserves The Winner - The DBS Supreme Championship Trophy The Reserve - The DBS Reserve Championship Trophy
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All donkeys qualifying for the In Hand Championship will be awarded a qualifying rosette before entering the ring for the above championships. All Championship winners will be presented with a sash of honour and a winner's rosette. All Reserve Champions will be presented with a reserve's rosette.

RING TWO

Classes will commence at 10:00 and will automatically follow on until completed.

Class No.	Class Details and Awards
D1	Long Reining for donkeys 3 years and over SF25 - Juniors - The Barrows Trophy SF26 - Open - The Stovey Croft Trophy
D2	Open Driving - maybe split between Private/Trade/Exercise with trophies awarded to the highest placed: D51 - Best Multiple - The Drewitts Trophy D52 - Private Driving - The Stella Walker Trophy D53 - Exercise Vehicle - The Cleeve Trophy D54 - Trade Vehicle - The Langley Trophy

Class No.	Class Details and Awards
D3	Dressage D55 - Novice - open to single turnouts where the whip is the novice and has never won a driven dressage class. A caller is permitted with NO penalty. The Genevieve Trophy D56 - Open - for single and multiple turnouts - the use of a caller will result in a 15 point penalty - The Trumpet House Trophy
D4	Best Whip SF31 - Open - The Glendene Tabo Trophy SF32 - Senior - for whips aged 60 or over - The DBS Bus Pass Trophy
D5	Junior Whip SF27 - for junior whips aged 10 to 17 (extended to under 18 for this year only) The Sternberg Trophy
Class No.	Championship Details and Championship Award
C11	Concours D'Elegance - This is judged entirely on presentation and the ability to demonstrate a pleasing picture from those donkey turnouts entered at the Show. All drivers are automatically entered for the award with the winner being presented with the Daisy Trophy.
C12	Driven Novice Award - The Claygate Novice Driving Trophy is awarded to the most successful novice whip, in the opinion of the judge, from those receiving Novice Rosettes in classes D2 and D3 and either D4 or D5
C13	Supreme Driving Championship - The eligible entrants are the two highest placed turnouts from class D2 (or all sections if the class is split on vehicle type) and the two highest placed turnouts from each of the two sections in classes D3 and D4 provided the entrants have completed in the driving classes D2, D3 and D4. The DBS British Supreme Driving Championship Trophy and for the reserve The Borwick Reserve Championship Trophy
	RING THREE

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This class will be judged on obedience and time taken with points deducted if pressure is exerted on the lead rein. One entrant only in the arena at a time. The first person may enter at 11:00 and the last must enter no later than 14:30. There will be a lunch break from 12:30 to 13:00 hours.

Class No.	Class Details and Class Award
SF20	Donkey Agility - any sex, yearling and above

The Josephina Weaver Challenge Shield

CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES to reach the Hon Secretary by - 15TH JULY 2022

The same entry form is to be used for in hand and driving classes. Please feel free to copy the form or email the Hon Show Secretary for further copies which can be emailed back to you. Further copies of this schedule can also be emailed to you.

Your entry forms, together with the Fees and Declaration sheet and any other sundry forms that are applicable to your booking as well as a cheque, made payable to 'The Donkey Breed Society' or a bank payment advice for the sum shown on the entry fees sheet should be returned to:

The Honorary Show Secretary, DBS Championship Show

Mrs Barbara Whale, Holly Berry House, Rough Park, Hamstall Ridware, Staffordshire, WS15 3SQ.

Tel: 07768 686425 or 01889 504424 (work) and email: donkeybreedsocietytreasurer@gmail.com

Donkey Breed Society 2022 National Show Class Fees and Declaration Closing Date - 15 July 2022

DECLARATION AND ENTRY FEES

PASSPORTS: All donkeys and mules must be accompanied to the event by an Equine Passport, those for donkeys must be issued by or over-stamped by the Donkey Breed Society. It is the responsibility of all entrants to ensure their donkey(s) have a passport before signing this entry form; should any entrant be found not to have a valid passport their entry will be deemed to be null and void and any prizes they may have won will be forfeited.

HEALTH: I confirm that the donkeys/mules for whom entries have been made and whose particulars are listed on the entry forms, accompanying this declaration, are owned by me, in my care and have shown no symptoms of an infectious or contagious disease up to the date of my entry, and that they have not knowingly been in contact with any other equine showing any such signs or symptoms. I confirm I have read the equine flu notices in the general rules and the show schedule.

GENERAL/NOVICE: I hereby certify that the particulars contained on my Entry Forms are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, and any donkey/mule that I have entered in a novice class has not won a first prize, as per the definition for that class. I confirm that I have read the General and Additional Rules and agree to abide by them. I understand that I am responsible for the accuracy of my entries, and that if they prove to be incorrect, they may be null and void.

LIABILITY: I, the undersigned exhibitor, engage that my servants, my assistants and I hold entire responsibility for the donkeys entered on my entry forms and accept without restriction the Statutes, Regulations and Jurisdiction of the Donkey Breed Society. Furthermore concerning my entries, I agree to declare any possible conflict of interest with the Judges appointed and present on the day.

THIRD PARTY INSURANCE COVER: It is mandatory that all entrants hold Third Party Liability Insurance Cover to be able to enter and be forward at this year's show. Please bring your renewal documentation with you as it may be subject to spot check.

OTHER: In signing this form I hereby consent to my name being included in the catalogue for this event.

PRINT NAMI	E - ENTRANT		
Signature o	f Entrant		
Date of Birt	th, if the entrant is under 18 on 20 August 2022		
Parents Sigi if the entran	nature 		
	First Name		DBS Membership No.
Entrant:			
Address:			
		Pc	ostcode:

We require consent from anyone who is not a member of the Donkey Breed Society to be able to use relevant personal information for this show, to report results in print and on social media and allow use of photographs taken at this event to be used for future show publicity. If you, or a member of your team, is NOT a member of the Donkey Breed Society you/they must provide their name and delete the word "consent" or the words "do not consent" as appropriate.

I consent/do not consent to the use of my data as described in the above paragraph

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Classes		Entry Fee per Class		Number of Classes	Number of People	Payable
Junior Classes	1 to 3	£5.00				
Fun Classes	4 to 6	£8.00				
In Hand Classes	7 to 12	£10.00				
Driving Classes	D1 - D5	£10.00				
Agility Class	SF20	£8.00				
Catalogue	Pre-ordered price £3.00, or	der during the	event	price £5.00		
Administration						3.00
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Stables	Fri			35.00		
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Donation	Please tick if this can be gift aide	d				
Total Payable						

CLASS FEES

Cheques should be made payable to the Donkey Breed Society; they should be sent to Mrs B J Whale, Holly Berry House, Rough Park, Hamstall Ridware, Rugeley, Staffordshire, WS15 3SQ to reach her no later than Friday 15th July 2022. For anyone who wishes to make an electronic payment this should be made to Lloyds Bank and a copy of the electronic advice included with your entry forms - Account Name: Donkey Breed Society, Sort Code: 30-64-97, Account Number: 31968768

Name				
Telephone Number				
Email Address				
	riday Only	Saturday Only	Friday + Saturday	
Mares + Foals				
Mares + Geldings				Breakdown of stables required
Stallions + Colts				

2022 Donkey Breed Society National Show Entry Form A private Company Limited by Guarantee - Registered No. 1903405 Registered as a Charity No. 292268

Please DO NOT include more than one donkey on this form except where you enter a multiple in the driving classes which case please indicate on the reverse the other donkey names and their sex; in these instances, only, no further entry forms are required unless those donkeys are taking part in other classes.

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Donkey Na	ame:					Sex - Colt/Geld	ling/Filly	/Mare/Stallior		dentify which)	
Please pro	ovide:	Date of Birth				Stud Book No. (Mandatory for Championship)			or		
On	ice your cla	ss entries are r	nade, please gi	ve the addit	ional informatio	n required	for the D	riven Classes	and the In	Hand Champion	ship
Class No: Other Handler/Whip Tick if a Junior Class No: Other Handler/Whip		Other Handler/	Ither Handler/Whin		Tick if a Junior Class No:		Other Handler/Whip				
For Driving Classes, please provide the following information: Vehicle(s) Make and Type:					_						
Pre-qualifiers for the In Hand Championships please attach the qualifying card (we need the show name and date) and provide the following information:			Sire:	Dam:							
Show Name	e & Date:	Will the donkey be forward in th class?						ard in the			
Entrant/Ex	chibitor	Print Na	Print Name DBS No.								
Owner, if ı	not the ent	rant Print Name DE					DBS No.	DBS No.			
If there are one or more Junior entrants above a parent/guardian of each must sign below agreeing that they will ensure that their child (named above and who must be a member of the Donkey Breed Society and whose date of birth is provided below) will abide by the Rules and Conditions o Entry, which have been made available to them. Please continue overleaf if there are more than two juniors. A Junior is aged under 18 on 20/08/22.						onditions of					
Junior 1	Print Nam	e	Signature Junior's Date of bin				of birth				
Junior 2	Print Nam	е		Signature Junior's Date of birt				of birth			

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GENERAL RULES FOR ALL SOCIETY SHOWS

- 1. All owners and exhibitors of donkeys must be fully paid up members of The Donkey Breed Society.
- 2. The exhibitor will always be held responsible for the conduct of both themselves and their representatives, and rude or unacceptable behaviour towards any Donkey or Mule, a Steward or a Judge will be penalised in accordance with the committee's wishes.
- 3. No person may deliberately enter or show a donkey/mule under a judge who is known to have owned, bred, leased, sold produced prepared or shown that donkey/mule.
- 4. No donkey/mule should be entered or shown under a judge who currently owns or leases the sire of that animal or owned or leased the sire at the time of covering. The breeder is the mare owner.
- 5. No donkey/mule may be shown under a judge who has previously exhibited on behalf of the owner in the current season.

- 6. Every exhibit must have been resident in the UK for 3 months prior to the event and no nominated or substitute entries will be permitted except for physically handicapped drivers registered in Riding for the Disabled Association's Group.
- 7. In the event of a donkey being sold between the time of entry and the date of the show the entry will be deemed to be owned by the person who submitted the entry; any trophy awarded will be the responsibility of that person.
- 8. In the event of the death of an exhibitor between the date of entry and the date of the show the legal representative of the deceased will be deemed to be the exhibitor.
- 9. Leased donkeys must be entered by the lessee who must have completed a Leasing Agreement form and lodged such with the Society Stud Book Registrar, and the Passport Administrator must be informed for the National Database, in accordance with the Passport Act 1998. The lessee shall then be responsible for signing the declarations on the Statement of Entry Form.
- 10. All donkey foals must have their entry into the appropriate DBS Register applied for and acknowledged by the Stud Book Registrar before the close of entries.
- 11. Foals under six months old must be accompanied by their dams.
- 12. Orphan foals under three months of age are not eligible for entry.
- 13. No foal under 6 weeks of age is permitted to be present on the show ground.
- 14. All donkeys/mules must have received at least their first two vaccines. Animals with full programs are advised to have six monthly boosters, however annual boosters are acceptable. Please see the schedule for each specific Society event you are entering to see what the venue specific matters are relating to vaccinations.
- 15. All animals must have passports with them.
- 16. Any donkey/mule coughing or showing signs of an infectious disease must be isolated immediately pending a veterinary examination. The decision of a Veterinary Surgeon on this or any other referral will be binding. Fees incurred will be the sole responsibility of the owner.
- 17. No exhibit may enter the class late or be taken from the ring without permission of the judge through the ring steward.
- 18. No unauthorised person will be permitted to enter any show ring during the judging.
- 19. If any donkey/mule or handler behaves in a dangerous or inappropriate manner they will be asked to leave the ring immediately.
- 20. All entire male donkeys/mules, yearlings and over, must be dressed in a bridle and bit, with the leading rein/driving reins correctly attached to the bit, for all their classes.
- 21. All entire male donkeys/mules, yearlings and over must not be left tied outside a stable/lorry etc unless they are attended by a competent adult at all times.
- 22. Colts / stallions must not be tied in any thoroughfare or area where other animals and people not directly associated with the donkey/mule need to pass. When stabled

(or kept on a lorry/trailer) they must wear a leather or safety head collar at all times.

- 23. No colts or stallions may be entered for any junior class.
- 24. A recognised bitless bridle may be used in all ridden / driven classes unless an entire male donkey/mule is being exhibited, in which case rule 20 applies.
- 25. Blinkers are NOT mandatory in long rein and driven classes.
- 26. All driven and ridden donkeys/mules must be 4 years old or over.
- 27. All long-reined donkeys/mules must be 3 years or older.
- 28. No whips over 30" or 762mm in length overall will be permitted in any class other than long-reining and driving.
- 29. All riders must wear a hard hat in the correct manner which conforms to the current BSI standards and carries the BSI kite mark. The standard is reviewed every two years and from time to time some of the standards are replaced in full.
- 30. In all ridden classes a correctly fitted saddle and bridle must also be fitted.
- 31. Riders in ridden class must comply with the following criteria, with the Judge's decision in the event of any issue being taken as final:
- a. Donkeys /Mules up to 10.2hh-not over 8stone/50.80Kg or 48in/121.90cm
- b. Donkeys/Mules 10.2hh to 11.0hh not over 8stone/50.80Kg or 54in/137.20cm
- c. Donkeys/Mules 11,0hh to 12.0hh not over 9 stone/57.15Kg or 60 in/152.40cm
- d. Donkeys/Mules 12.0hh to 14.0hh not over 10stone/63.50Kg or 66 in/167.50cm Donkeys/Mules over 14.0hh riders to be of a suitable weight.
- 32. No unauthorised feeding of donkeys/mules will be allowed.
- 33. Noise should be kept to a minimum at all times especially at night.
- 34. All official show signage, or signs erected by the venue, must be strictly adhered to.
- 35. Dogs to remain in the parking area and kept on leads at all times, please clear up their mess.
- 36. The stewards will take responsibility for clearing any droppings in the rings, but owner/exhibitors must clear up any droppings made by their animal in any other area of the site.
- 37. The committee acting on behalf of the DBS council reserves the right to accept or reject any entry, to cancel, or postpone the show, to cancel, divide or amalgamate classes, to change classes from one ring to another, to change judges from one class to another, or appoint additional or substitute judges without due warning or without explanation.
- 38. The Committee will adhere as closely as possible to the final published timetable and no class will commence earlier than stated, unless with the prior agreement of all exhibitors.
- 39. All Trophies are challenge trophies and remain the property of the DBS.

- 40. All trophies must be returned to any member of the show committee by the fifteenth of July each year or with permission can be handed in at the show secretary's office (for which a receipt must be obtained, if you don't obtain a receipt you remain liable for that trophy).
- 41. In the event that trophies are not available for presentation the previous holders are personally responsible for arranging delivery to the current year winners and the committee reserves the right to reject any future entries from winners who did not return trophies.
- 42. All reasonable precaution must be taken to prevent loss or damage to the trophies. Notice of loss or damage must be reported to the Show Secretary or Show Treasurer within 21 days.
- 43. All trophies must be engraved in the style already set.
- 44. Neither the Society nor the Committee shall be responsible for any injury, fatal or otherwise, loss or damage, however caused, that may occur to any exhibitor or potential exhibitor their appointed representative, any spectator, servant or any other person, or their property, donkey or other animal.
- 45. Every exhibitor shall on entry be deemed to indemnify and hold harmless the Society and the Committee from and against all actions and suits, expenses and claims on account thereof.
- 46. Any exhibitor or representative wishing to make a protest regarding a class must lodge an application in writing to the Show Secretary office together with twenty pounds within fifteen minutes of the completion of judging of the class, unless it is a driving class, in which case the protest must be made within one hour.
- 47. A notice of protest posted at the show office shall be deemed to be sufficient notice to all interested parties, who must attend the protest committee at such time and place notified when the objection will be investigated.
- 48. The Protest Committee reserves the right to refer any objection to any authority or organisation to adjudicate thereon in whole or in part, the decision of the Protest Committee will be final.
- 49. The Protest Committee will comprise the Chairman of the Society, the Honorary Show Secretary, the Honorary Chief Steward, and if required the appropriate Judge's ring steward.
- 50. If on investigation the protest is not upheld the sum deposited shall be forfeited to the funds of the Society.
- 51. Any infringement of these or any other prescribed rules or conditions will if so ordered by the committee subject the exhibitor, to the forfeiture of any award to which they may otherwise be entitled, or such other penalty as determined by the committee.

Additional Definitions/Information for In Hand Classes at the Supreme Championships

52. Like all equines, donkeys and mules have an official birthday on 01 January each year so that they are deemed to be a yearling on the 1st January immediate, following their birth and a 2-year-old on the following 1st January and so on. For the sake of clarity, the following definitions apply to Seniors and Juniors.

Category	Definition
Junior Foal	01 June to 07 July in the current calendar year
Senior Foal	01 January to 31 May in the current calendar year
Junior Yearling	01 June to 31 December in the previous calendar year
Senior Yearling	01 January to 31 May in the previous calendar year
Junior Gelding	Is aged 4 to 7
Junior Stallion	Is aged 4 or 5
Junior Barren Mare	Is aged 4 to 7
Junior Brood Mare	Is aged 5 to 7
Senior Gelding	Is aged 8 to 19
Senior Stallion	Is aged 6 to 19
Senior Barren Mare	Is aged 8 to 19
Senior Brood Mare	Is aged 8 to 19
Veteran - Aged 20 and over	Aged 20 and over

53. PROGENY POINTS AWARDS - Points are awarded to the sire / dam where eligible, and the highest scoring sire will win the Stallion Progeny Points Award, while the highest scoring dam will win the Mare Progeny Points Award. Points will be awarded in the In Hand classes at the Championship show and from pre-gualified donkeys who are not forward at this show. The parent of the pre-qualified progeny will be awarded 6 points for each pre-qualified donkey, but those donkeys will not be eligible for in hand class points. For non- pre-gualified donkeys who enter the In Hand Classes the following are points are awarded to the parents of the progeny as follows; 6 for 1st, 5 for 2nd, 4 for 3rd, 5for 4th 2 for 5th and 1 for 6th. In addition, there will be 4 points for each parent of the Individual Champions and a further 2 points for the parents of the Reserve Champions. There are 4 points for each parent of the DBS British Supreme Champion and 2 points for the parents of the DBS British Reserve Champion. Those donkeys registered in the Stud Book as well as those entered in other appropriate DBS registers are eligible for the awards. The winning mare and stallion must be owned on the date of the show by a fully paid up member of the society. If the winning donkey(s) are deceased the award will still be made. If the owner(s) of the winning donkey(s) are deceased the Society shall retain the trophy(s) for that year. As the results cannot be ascertained until after the show the trophies will be presented at the Society Annual General Meeting. In the event of a tie all winners will hold the trophy(s) for equal periods.

Additional Rules, Procedures and Information for Driving Classes

- 54. Entrants may give the names of 2 drivers on their entry forms, each of whom must be a fully paid up, current member of the DBS.
- 55. The Judges and or Chief Steward have the authority to remove any donkey/mule deemed to be unfit from any class.
- 56. The same turnout must be used for all British Supreme Driving qualifying classes however an exercise vehicle may be used instead of the trade vehicle for a show drive and dressage class.
- 57. The private driving class will be judged in accordance with British Driving Society standards.
- 58. No vehicle entered in the private driving class can enter the exercise class.
- 59. Entries in the trade class must not be driven from the ground.
- 60. In the exercise vehicle class, providing the vehicle and harness are clean safe and fit correctly, they will not be taken into consideration in the judging.
- 61. This rule may be superceded by information in the schedule but in the absence of any other information this rule will be deemed to apply:
- a. In the novice section of dressage, entrants are permitted a caller who must be used for the whole test.
- b. The entrant provides the caller and ensures they are on time.
- c. The use of a caller will result in a penalty of 15 points, which will be deducted from the test total.
- 62. Best Whip Class the vehicle and harness, providing they are safe, will not be taken into account in the judging. Judging will be based entirely on the whips ability to drive correctly in the traditional English manner.
- 63. Junior Whips must have a competent adult present with them at all times, the adult may be in the vehicle or on foot.
- 64. A stallion may be driven by a junior whip only when accompanied by an experienced adult whip who must be present in the vehicle at all times.
- 65. Multiple turnouts (e.g. pairs, tandems, teams etc.) can enter an extra animal, but the names of animals for the turnouts must be declared to the Steward before the class is entered.
- 66. STUBBINGS TROPHY Points will be awarded to entrants with any disability, driving a suitable vehicle or a vehicle purpose built to carry a wheelchair. The vehicle is to be driven in the traditional English style or the driver is to use reins with any necessary adaptations. The whip may be carried by an able-bodied companion. The points will be awarded as follows for each position in each class 6 for 1st, 5 for 2nd, 4 for 3rd, 3 for 4th, 2 for 5th and 1 for 6^{th.} The trophy will be awarded to the entrant with the highest total score. In the event of a tie the trophy will be shared on a time basis. Eligible entrants must mark their entry forms with a large "D" in the top right-hand corner.