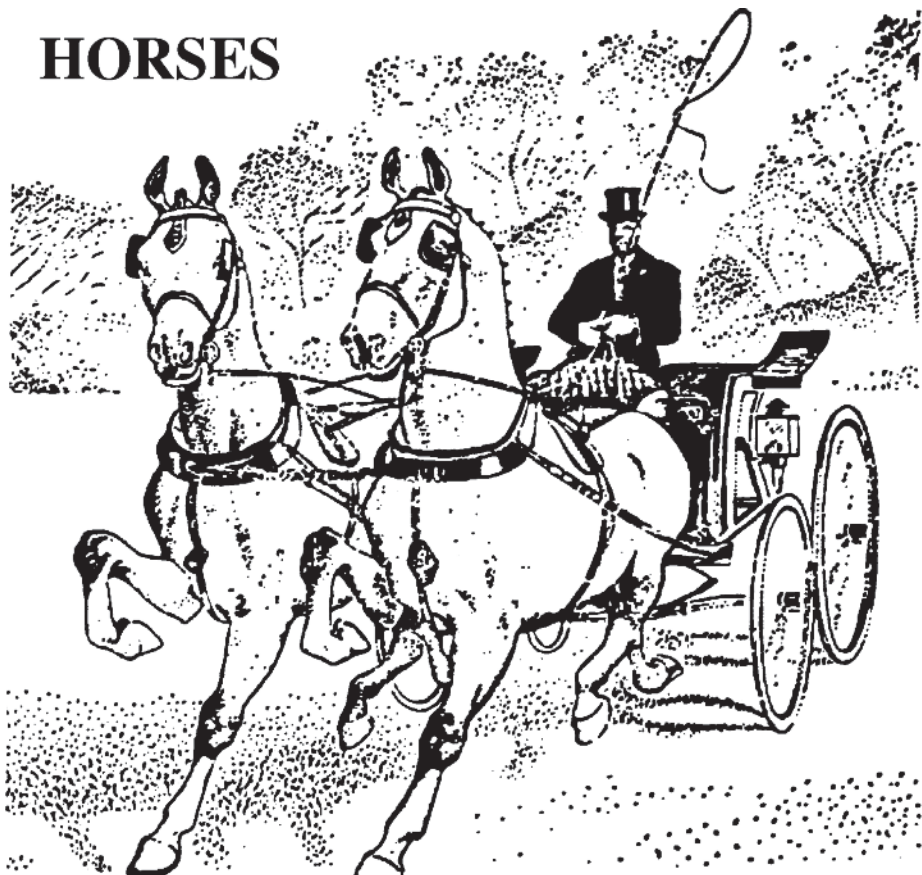


# HORSES



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THE USE OF MOTOR CYCLES ON THE SHOWGROUND IS PROHIBITED  
SHOW JUMPING ENTRIES CLOSE 1st MAY  
ENTRIES FOR ALL OTHER CLASSES CLOSE 1st APRIL

### SPECIAL CONDITIONS RELATING TO HORSE CLASSES

#### GENERAL

62. The attention of all Exhibitors is drawn to the General Regulations and Conditions of Entry on pages 8 to 11.
63. No horses to be exhibited in any Classes which do not conform to the provisions of the Docking and Nicking of Horses Act, 1949.
64. Arrival and Departure: Horses for which Showground stabling has not been booked must arrive at the Showground not later than ONE HOUR before the advertised time of judging, and may leave the ground after completion of judging, subject to being not required for a parade or any Championship.

- 65. Stabling:** The following facilities and regulations must be observed by all exhibitors:
- (a) Showground Stabling: Available for the Show Period (nights of 9th to 11th June inclusive) at £90 per box, or at the rate of £34 per box per night (inc. VAT).
  - (b) Overnight stables on the Showground are reserved from 1830 hrs on one day until 1800 hrs on the following day and must be vacated promptly to enable the stable to be cleaned for the next Exhibitor using the box.
  - (c) Application for Stabling must be made on the remittance form accompanying entry forms covering detailed requirements and fees in full. The final date for applications is 1st May, 2010 after which date no guarantee can be given that stabling on the Showground can be made available.
  - (d) Cancellation of Stabling: No application for refund of charges paid can under any circumstances be considered after 1st May, 2010, unless the Society is able to re-let the accommodation concerned.
  - (e) Exhibitor's Liability: An exhibitor or his servant who enters or makes use of any stable which has not been officially reserved for his use shall be liable to penalties contained in General Regulation 20 on page 10.

**66. Stable Bedding** (shavings) will be available from the Stable Manager. Initial bedding will be provided but any additional needs will be charged.

**67. Admission Tickets and Vehicle Passes:**

PLEASE NOTE THAT VEHICLES WITHOUT HORSE VEHICLE PASSES WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO ENTER THE SHOWGROUND.

- (a) All Exhibitors will receive free of charge admission tickets and vehicle passes in sufficient numbers to cover entries made to include themselves, grooms and riders. Provision is made on the Remittance Form for **additional tickets to be purchased to provide for Owners (if not the Exhibitor) who may not be Members of the Society.** (See also General Regulations 18(b) on page 14 regarding entry fees at Members/Non-Members rates).
- (b) Horse Exhibitors attending the Show daily may apply for a season car pass, free of charge, giving them parking in the outer car parks adjacent to the horse vehicle gate. This will only be allowed on a scale of not more than one per Exhibitor. (IT WILL NOT ADMIT TO THE SHOWGROUND).
- (c) **Caravans NOT towed by Horse Boxes.** Exhibitors may apply for a Caravan Pass at £30 inc. VAT each and valid for the show period. Caravan parking will be in the Red Car Park.
- (d) **VEHICLE PASSES OVERSTAMPED WITH THE DAY ON WHICH THE EXHIBITOR IS COMPETING ARE VALID FOR THAT DAY ONLY AND WILL NOT ADMIT ON THE PREVIOUS DAY UNLESS PRESENTED AFTER 1800 hrs. AND IF STABLING HAS BEEN BOOKED FOR THAT NIGHT. SUCH VEHICLES MUST BE REMOVED FROM THE SHOWGROUND AT A REASONABLE TIME AFTER COMPLETION OF THE COMPETITION ENTERED.**

**68. Vaccination:** All horses and ponies must have received two injections for primary vaccination against equine influenza, given no less than 21 days or more than 92 days apart. In addition, a booster injection must be recorded as having been given within each succeeding 12 months, subsequent to the second injection of the primary vaccination. Foals under 6 months of age are exempt from vaccination. A declaration that a proper vaccination has been carried out must be made on the remittance form. Correct Vaccination Certificates must be available for inspection by the Show Veterinary Officers. An incorrect or missing certificate will mean forfeiture of prize money. **DO NOT SEND CERTIFICATES WITH ENTRIES.**

- (a) **Horse Passports must be brought with you to the show as they may be checked.**

**DRESS**

**69. In the Hunter and Jumping Classes:** Gentlemen riders must be in uniform or hunting costume. Ladies side-saddle: In riding habit with hat. Top hat preferred. Ladies astride: In jacket, hat, breeches and boots.

*In the Hack, Riding Horse and Cob Classes:* Gentlemen riders must be in uniform or appropriate hacking costume - silk hat or bowler hat, breeches and boots or riding trousers. Ladies side-saddle: In riding habit with hat. Ladies astride: In jacket, hat, breeches and boots.

*In the Children's Riding Classes:* Boys and Girls must appear in appropriate riding dress and hats.

*In the In-Hand Classes:* Gentlemen should wear a suit or coat and trousers, collar and tie with a bowler hat. Ladies should wear a coat and trousers with collar and tie, or must otherwise be tidily and neatly dressed, and wear a hat or scarf.

If grooms and attendants are required to enter the Ring while judging is in progress Exhibitors are responsible for ensuring that they are **appropriately and tidily dressed. Hats must be worn. Mobile phones must be switched off whilst in the ring.**

**HARD HATS MUST BE WORN** at all times when riding anywhere on the Showground with chin strap attached when jumping.

## **HUNTERS**

**70.** Judging will in all respects be in accordance with the Hunters' Improvement Society Rules. Animals which have been hobbled or otherwise operated on for their wind are not eligible for entry in the Ridden and Working Hunter Classes. The S.H.B.G.B. reserves the right to have any animal in these Classes dope tested if they so require.

**71.** Conditions of qualification for the Hunter of the Year, 2009, are as shown below the headings of the Ridden Hunter and Working Hunter Classes. All animals entered in these Classes must be on the Hunters' Improvement Society 2010 Show Hunter Register. Registration numbers must be shown on the Entry Forms. Substitutes will not be accepted.

**72.** Animals entered in the Hunter and Working Hunter Classes may not also be entered for the Hack, Riding Horse or Cob Classes. Animals competing in the Working Hunter Classes may also compete in the Ridden Hunter Classes if eligible.

**73.** Any Hunter which in the opinion of the Judges is up to more than the weight specified for the Class in which it is entered shall be directed to a heavier weight Class.

## **HACKS**

**74.** All Hacks must be registered and be the property of Members of the British Show Hack, Cob and Riding Horse Association.

**75.** Animals entered in the Hack Classes may not also be entered in the Ridden Hunter, Ridden Cob or Riding Horse Classes.

## **COBS**

**76.** All Cobs entered must be registered and be the property of Members of the British Show Hack, Cob and Riding Horse Association.

**77.** Animals entered in the Cob Classes may not also be entered in the Ridden Hunter, Riding Horse or Hack Classes.

## **RIDING HORSES**

**78.** All Riding Horses entered must be registered and be the property of Members of the British Show Hack, Cob and Riding Horse Association.

**79.** Animals entered in the Riding Horse Classes may not also be entered in the Ridden Hunter, Ridden Cob or Hack Classes.

**80.** CHILDREN'S RIDING PONIES (B.S.P.S. Southern Championship Show) and WORKING HUNTER PONIES

(a) Judging will be under British Show Pony Society Rules and all ponies entered in Classes 540-543 and 575-577 must be registered and be the property of members of the B.S.P.S.

(b) No pony under four years of age may be exhibited.

(c) Spurs must not be worn in these Classes.

(d) Ponies in the Leading Rein, Child's First Pony and Novice Classes must be shown in snaffle bridles.

(e) In the Leading Rein Class the attendant must affix the lead rein to the noseband, on which it must remain while the pony is in the ring.

## **DECLARATIONS**

**81.** Ardingly Ring Showing Classes: Competitors must declare their intention of competing in the following Classes: Ridden Hunters Classes 376, Hacks Class 454, one hour before Class is due to start to the Ardingly Collecting Ring.

## **MOUNTAIN & MOORLAND PARADE**

**82.** All 1st and 2nd Prize Winners not forward for any Championship shall forfeit their Prize money.

**83. No lungeing to be carried out anywhere on the showground except in practice rings if not being used.**

**84.** All exhibitors in Working Hunter classes must declare or they will not be allowed to jump.