

North West Open Championships 2024

Saturday 21st September - In Hand

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| 1. Best Conditioned A & B | 8.00am |
| 2. Best Conditioned C & D | 8.45am |
| 3. Welsh Yearlings | 9.45am |
| 4. Welsh 2 & 3yr Olds | 10.30am |
| 5. Welsh A | 11.30am |
| 6. Welsh B | 12.30pm |
| 7. Welsh C Mares & Geldings | 1.00pm |
| 8. Welsh C Stallions & Colts | 2.00pm |
| 9. Welsh D Mares & Geldings | 2.45pm |
| 10. Welsh D Stallions & Colts | 3.45pm |
| 11. Welsh Veteran 15yrs & over | 4.15pm |

Evening Performance

5.30pm

Sunday 22nd September - M&M

In Hand

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| 12. M&M Youngstock (3yrs & under, exc welsh) | 8.00am |
| 13. Miniature Horse | 8.45am |
| 14. M&M Large Breeds (exc welsh) | 9.30am |
| 15. M&M Small Breeds (exc welsh & Shetland) | 10.30am |
| 16. Shetland | 11.00am |
| 17. M&M Veteran (exc welsh) | 11.45am |

Ridden

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| 18. Novice M&M Junior 16yrs & Under* (exc lead rein) | 12.15pm |
| 19. Novice M&M Senior over 16yrs* | 1.15pm |
| 20. M&M Lead Rein 9yrs & Under* | 2.15pm |
| 21. M&M First Ridden 12yrs & Under* | 3.00pm |
| 22. Ridden M&M Large Breeds (exc welsh) | 3.30pm |
| 23. Ridden M&M Small Breeds (exc welsh) | 4.30pm |
| 24. Ridden M&M Veteran (exc welsh) | 5.00pm |

Evening Performance

5.30pm

Saturday 28th September - In Hand

25. Best Conditioned (non M&M/Exc Welsh)	8.30am
26. Yearlings (non M&M/Exc Welsh)	9.30am
27. 2yr Olds (non M&M/Exc Welsh)	10.00am
28. 3yr Olds (non M&M/Exc Welsh)	10.45am
29. Open Showing 148cms & Under	11.30am
30. Open Showing over 148cms	12.15pm
31. Pure Bred Arab	1.00pm
32. Part Bred Arab	1.45pm
33. Part Bred M&M (inc welsh)	2.45pm
34. Veteran Non M&M 15yrs & Over	3.30pm
Evening Performance	5.00pm

Sunday 29th September - In Hand

35. Sport Horse	8.30am
36. Show Hunter 153cms & Under	9.15am
37. Show Hunter Over 153cms	9.45am
38. Show Cob inc Maxi Cob (hogged & trimmed)	10.30am
39. Heavy Horse Pure & Part Bred	11.15am
40. Duns, Cremello, Palomino & Spotted	11.45am
41. Coloured Youngstock (up to 3yrs)	12.45pm
42. Coloured Native/Cob/Traditional not exc 148cms (To be shown in natural state or fully hogged & trimmed)	1.45pm
43. Coloured Native/Cob/Traditional exc 148cms (To be shown in natural state or fully hogged & trimmed)	2.45pm
44. Solid Colour Traditional Gypsy Cob	3.45pm
45. Coloured Non Native (plaited)	4.45pm
Evening Performance	6.00pm

Saturday 5th October - Equitation & Showing

46. Lead Rein Equitation 9yrs & Under* (13.2hh & under)	8.30am
47. Junior Equitation 12yrs & Under*	9.30am
48. Intermediate Equitation 13 to 17yrs*	10.30am
49. Senior Equitation 18yrs & Over*	11.30am
50. Lead Rein Showing 8yrs & Under non M&M (13.2hh & under)	12.30pm
51. First Ridden Showing 12yrs & Under non M&M (13.2hh & under)	1.15pm
52. Riding Club Pony 148cms & Under (fence 65cm)	2.00pm
53. Young Handler 6-10yrs (148cms & under)	3.00pm
54. Young Handler 11-14yrs	4.00pm
55. ^Concours'd'Elegance Junior Ridden (14yrs & Under)	5.15pm
Evening Performance	5.15pm

Sunday 6th October - Ridden Showing

56. Novice Ridden 148cms & Under non M&M*	9.00am
57. Novice Ridden Over 148cms non M&M*	10.00am
58. Veteran Non M&M 15yrs & Over	11.00am
59. Part Bred Ridden Arab	12.00pm
60. Pure Bred Ridden Arab	12.45pm
61. Ridden Showing 148cms & Under non M&M	1.30pm
62. Ridden Showing Over 148cms non M&M	2.15pm
63. Part Bred M&M inc Welsh	3.00pm
64. Duns, Cremello, Palomino & Spotted	3.45pm
Evening Performance	5.00pm

Saturday 12th October - Ridden Showing

65. Novice Ridden Welsh*	8.30am
66. Ridden Welsh A & B	9.30am
67. Ridden Welsh C	10.00am
68. Ridden Welsh D	11.00am
69. Ridden Welsh Veteran 15yrs & Over	12.00pm
70. Coloured Native/Cob/Traditional not exc 148cms (To be shown in natural state or fully hogged & trimmed)	1.00pm
71. Coloured Native/Cob/Traditional exc 148cms (To be shown in natural state or fully hogged & trimmed)	2.00pm
72. Coloured Non Native (plaited)	3.00pm
73. Solid Colour Traditional Gypsy Cob	3.45pm
Evening Performance	5.00pm

Sunday 13th October - Ridden Showing

74. Ridden Sports Horse	9.00am
75. Hack / Riding Horse	10.00am
76. ROR	11.00am
77. Ridden Hunter 153cms & Under	11.30am
78. Ridden Hunter exc 153cms	12.15pm
79. Ridden Heavy Horse Pure & Part Bred	1.15pm
80. Show Cob inc Maxi Cob (hogged & trimmed)	1.45pm
81. Riding Club Horse over 148cms (fence 70cms)	2.45pm
82. ^Concours'd'Elegance Senior Ridden (over 14yrs)	3.45pm
Evening Performance	4.45pm

Saturday 19th October - Working Hunter

Drawn orders.

Please note there will be no Evening Performance for Working Hunter Classes. Presentation ceremony will take place after the top 10 competitors have been pulled forward at the end of each class.

83. Novice M&M 143cms & Under (inc welsh) **8.00am**
Max Height 65cms
84. Novice M&M exc 143cms (inc welsh)
Max Height 70cms
85. Novice Working Cob (To be shown in natural state or fully hogged & trimmed)
Max Height 65cms
86. Novice WH 148cms & Under
(exc welsh, m&m, native/traditional cob) (must be plaited) Max Height 70cms
87. Novice WH Over 148cms
(exc welsh, m&m, native/traditional cob) (must be plaited) Max Height 80cms

Novice Supreme Championship (1st placed winners from 83 - 87)

Not before 1pm

88. Open M&M 143cms & Under (inc welsh)
Max Height 70cms
89. Open M&M exc 143cms (inc welsh)
Max Height 80cms
90. Open Working Cob (To be shown in natural state or fully hogged & trimmed)
Max Height 75cms
91. Open WH 148cms & Under
(exc welsh, m&m, native/traditional cob) (must be plaited) Max Height 80cms
92. Open WH Over 148cms
(exc welsh, m&m, native/traditional cob) (must be plaited) Max Height 95cms

Open Supreme Championship (1st placed winners from 88 - 92)

Sunday 20th October - Showjumping

93. 148cms & Under - Max height 65cms 8.00am
94. 148cms & Under - Max height 75cms
95. 148cms & Under - Max height 85cms
96. 148cms & Under - Max height 95cms
97. Over 148cms - Max Height 75cms
98. Over 148cms - Max Height 85cms
99. Over 148cms - Max Height 95cms
100. Over 148cms - Max Height 105cms

EVENING PERFORMANCE

6.00pm

101. S.Hayden Plant & Agri Accumulator

(Joker fence will be 1.20m, fences start from 70cm & increase in height throughout the course, horses & ponies placed separately if sufficient entries)
For more info see www.northwestchamps.com

102. Mini Major Relay Championship

For more info see www.northwestchamps.com

Saturday 26th October -Team Showjumping

Class 103.

Teams of 4 made up of any combination - horses/ponies, juniors/seniors.

Heights - 60cm, 70cm, 80cm & 90cm.

You must have at least 1 rider in each height section.

Round 1:

60cm

70cm

80cm

90cm

Course Change

Round 2:

60cm

70cm

80cm

90cm

Jump Off - 80cms (only 1 team member needed)

Team Presentation

For more info see www.northwestchamps.com This is limited to 25 teams!

GRAND FINALE

6.30pm

104. **Two Fence Challenge**, start height 1m.

(horses & ponies placed separately if sufficient entries)

For more info on this class please see www.northwestchamps.com

105. **AAA 24hr Road Rescue Pony Puissance** - 148cms & Under (start height 1m)

106. **AAA 24hr Road Rescue Horse Puissance** - Over 148cms (start height 1.10m)

For more info see www.northwestchamps.com

AFTER PARTY TO FOLLOW!

- Please note it is PRE ENTRIES ONLY and they will be limited.
- Entries & stabling open Monday 2nd September at 8am.
- Entries will need to be done online at www.horsemonkey.com
- Stabling you will need to call 07989674885.
- Please note this will be the only way to do entries so make sure you have made an account on Horse Monkey.
- Entries close Thursday 11pm of the week you are competing.

We look forward to seeing you all!

FOR FAQ & RULES PLEASE NEXT PAGE:

- ANYONE FOUND IN A MARE / GELDING STABLE WITH A STALLION, YOUR ENTRIES WILL BE VOID & YOU WILL BE ASKED TO LEAVE THE SHOWGROUND.
- Annual Vaccinations needed - horses must of had at least the first 2 vaccinations. Horses must be at 7 days clear from any vaccination.
- Entries close the Thursday night at 11pm of the week you are competing.
- Once entries have closed no changes or refunds can be done.
- If you require a refund you will receive 50% back, refunds have to be collected from Croft Top & must be before the end of the last weekend.
- Entries are limited to 35 in hand & 30 for ridden classes.
- * Denotes snaffle bit only for these classes (wilkie snaffles are allowed)
- ^ Denotes this will be the first class of the evening performance
- The first class of the day will start PROMPT
- No classes will commence before Not Before Times
- Please note if the curtain has closed you will not be allowed in the ring. - No refunds given
- It is the responsibility of the competitor to be ready for the class. - No refunds given.
- Judges TBA and will be announced on the website 07/08/2024
- Running order for Evening Performances will be as the day time classes with a supreme of each evening
- Child handler classes will not go into supreme, they will have their own supreme championship on completion of their classes in the evening performance.
- Young handlers must wear hard hats
- Top Hats are allowed at exhibitors own risk at Evening Performance only.
- Lead Rein & First Ridden Classes are not permitted to wear Top Hats.
- All ages as of 01/01/2024
- Novice deemed as that combination of horse and rider not to have won a first place within that discipline previous to 01/01/2024

Fall of Horse or Rider / Loose Horse:

- In the event of a fall either horse or rider in any ridden class, that exhibit must retire & must not be remounted in the ring.
- If a horse gets loose in the ring for whatever reason, it will be eliminated & must leave the ring.
- - This applies to all classes.

- No foals allowed
- Rider age four years and over
- No animal under the age of four years may be competed under saddle
- Colts and Stallions must be HANDLED BY A COMPETENT PERSON (minimum age of handler is 16yrs)
- For stallions M&M Small Breeds Rider must be 12yrs & Over
- For stallions M&M Large Breeds Rider must be 14yrs & Over

- Animals & Property will be considered as being in the exhibitors charge
- Croft Top will not be responsible for loss, damage or injury to persons, equines or property.

- Judges decision is final
- Any objection must be lodged in writing within 30 minutes of the incident accompanied by a £30 deposit, which will be forfeited if the objection is over-ruled.

- Abuse to any judge, steward, member of staff or competitor will not be tolerated and the individuals involved will be asked to leave.

- No spurs allowed in any Equitation, M&M, Junior or Novice showing classes

- No dogs allowed in any arenas

- Only food and drink purchased on the site to be consumed in the arenas.

- No classes will include a judge ride

- Limited stabling is available on site
- Please book early to avoid disappointment.
- Stabling times are 8am - 7am £30.00
- Minimal bedding in, can bring own or purchase off us.

- ANYONE FOUND WITH A STALLION IN A MARE/GELDING STABLE, YOUR ENTRIES WILL BE VOID AND YOU WILL BE ASKED TO LEAVE THE SHOW GROUND.

- NO STABLES CAN BE SOLD PRIVATELY. ALL CANCELLATIONS MUST BE DONE THROUGH CROFT TOP EC. IF STABLES ARE SOLD WITHOUT OUR KNOWLEDGE ENTRIES WILL BE VOID. WE DO HAVE WAITING LISTS AND IS NOT FAIR ON OTHER PEOPLE.

- We as organisers reserve the right to amend any of these rules at any time, change the schedule or substitute judges if needed.

**A warm welcome awaits competitors & spectators old and new from the North
West Open Championship Team**