



NZ Golden Horse Society Championship Show Schedule

North Island

Saturday the 18th January 2026

Waikato Equestrian Centre

Pukete Road, Hamilton

Best Presented Starts 8.45am

**Other in hand classes not to start before
9 am**

**3 rings for the day. We will work with
people in multiple rings. Please let us
know.**

**entry \$ 8.00 per class for Members \$12 Non-
Members**

Membership can be paid with entries \$25

**\$30 ground fee per horse- includes yard fee,
and admin fee.**

\$12 per night to stay on grounds, per horse

1st \$10, 2nd \$6, 3rd \$4, ribbons for all other placings

Entries Close 9th January 2024– No Late Entries

Entries online : EVO events

Or e-mail: wendyblithe@hotmail.com

Rules and General Conditions Of Entries

1. All Horses and Ponies- must be in yards, no tying to trucks or floats. This includes companion ponies. Yard and ground fee will apply to every horse or pony. Yard numbers will be allocated. Please use only your allocated yard. If damages happen, contact Wendy. To allocate a new yard.
2. No Shampooing of horses or ponies at wash bay – please help to conserve water.
3. This show is run under the Showing Rules of the N.Z Golden Horse Society Inc.
4. Please be kind to your fellow competitors on the day and afterwards.
5. All competitors must be current financial members to get reduced membership fees, membership can be paid with entry.
6. The Committee reserves the right to alter/amalgamate classes without notice.
7. Ponies may be ridden by riders over 17 years of age.
8. No person under the age of 17 years may handle a colt/stallion
9. All ponies/hacks are recognised as being born on 1st August
10. No plaiting, hoof black or makeup allowed, no dying of legs or body. No false tails or quarter marks.
11. No Body clipping 3 weeks prior to the show
12. A novice horse may have no more than 5 wins, please be honest.

13. **NGZH Horse or Pony registration number** must be shown on the entry form. Registration to be completed 2 weeks prior to entries closing.
14. camping and yards on grounds available.
- 15. All MANURE / HAY / RUBBISH must be removed from around your trucks or floats, and yards (please clean up) Bring your own bucket and shovel**, Manure can be left in manure pit beside wash bay.
16. New Zealand Golden Horse society, Show Volunteers, Organisers take no responsibility for any damage or theft to/of a competitors personal belongings. Vehicle, equipment, horse or pony while on the venue called WEC.
17. **NO DOGS** are permitted on the grounds and this includes in vehicles
18. All competitors compete at their own risk
19. While mounted you **MUST** have / be wearing a ESNZ / NZPC / RAS tagged Helmet and appropriate Footwear
20. All stallions and colts must be wearing a bit and displaying "S" stallion bridle tags and armbands, vests and must be supervised at all times while on the grounds
21. No refunds on entries unless an application is in writing and is made with Farriers letter or Doctors or vet certificate
22. If refund application is successful – refund will be 80% of entry fees, 20% will be held as an admin fee
23. All competitors are responsible to have their exhibitor number displayed whilst competing (this can be a chest number holder, arm number holder or a back number)
24. Ridden Horses or Ponies are to be 4 years of age and over
25. Entries received / accepted will be acknowledged with a reply email , Exhibit numbers will be sent after the closing date of entries.
26. Entries will not be accepted until payment shows in the account. Must be received with entry, prior to entry closing date.
27. We are unable to add classes on the day.
28. Please let your stewards know on the day if showing multiple horses in the same ring or different rings, so we can try to accommodate you getting to all your classes.
29. All horses must be shown in a bit – only exceptions are foals and miniatures.
30. Height Certificates are **NOT** required at our show, Ponies are up to and including 148cm, Hack over 148cm.

Inhand Classes= Start 8.45am

Class 1. Best Presented – Palomino

Class 2. Best Presented – Buckskin

Class 3. Best Presented –Double Dilute

Class 4. Best Presented Broken colour/Appaloosa

Class 5. Champion Best Presented- winners of the above classes, 1,2,3,4

Palomino and Sooty Palomino classes – Ring 1 9am

Class 6. Best Colour

Class 7. Best Mane & Tail

Class 8. Foal & Yearling

Class 9. 2 & 3 year old

Class 10. Champion Palomino Youngstock and Reserve Champion Youngstock, winners from class 8 & 9

Class 11. Pony 4 years and over

Class 12. Hack 4 years and over

Class 13. Champion Palomino Adult and Reserve Champion Adult, winners from class,11,12

Class 14. Judges Choice- all Palominos

Buckskin – Ring 2 9am

Class 15. Best Mane & Tail

Class 16. Best coloured

Class 17. Foal & yearling

Class 18. 2 & 3 year old

Class 19. Champion Buckskin Youngstock and Reserve Champion Youngstock, winners from 17,18

Class 20. Pony 4 years and over

Class 21. Hack 4 years and over

Class 22. Champion Buckskin Adult and Reserve Champion Adult, winners 20,21

Class 23. Judges Choice – All Buckskins

Double Dilute – Ring 3 9am

Class 24. Best Mane & Tail

Class 25. Best Coloured

Class 26. Foal or Yearling

Class 27. Best 2 & 3 year old

Class 28. Champion Double dilute Youngstock and Reserve Champion Youngstock winners from class 26,27

Class 29. Pony 4 years and over

Class 30. Hack 4 years and over

Class 31. Champion Double Dilute Adult and Reserve Champion Adult, winners from class 29,30

Class 32. Judges choice all Double Dilutes

Broken Coloured & Appaloosa- Ring 3 will follow Double dilutes

Class 33. Best Mane & Tail

Class 34. Best Colour / Markings

Class 35. Foal or Yearling

Class 36. Best 2 & 3 year old

Class 37. Champion broken coloured & Appaloosa Youngstock and Reserve Champion Youngstock, winners from class 35,36

Class 38. Pony 4 years and over

Class 39. Hack 4 years and over

Class 40. Champion Adult broken coloured & Appaloosa and Reserve Champion Adult, winners from class 38,39

Class 41. Judges choice Broken coloured and appaloosas

Special Classes All colours together

Class 42. Best Head Pony

Class 43. Best Walk Pony

Class 44. Best Movement Pony young stock 3 years and under

Class 45. Best Movement Pony 4 years and over

Class 46. Best Head Hack

Class 47. Best Walk Hack

Class 48. Best Movement Hack young stock 3 years and under

Class 49. Best Movement Hack 4yrs and over

Class 50. Supreme In hand – to be judged from all In hand Champions, classes 10,13,19,22,28,31,37,40

Winner to stay for Judging of Grand Supreme – after the ridden classes.

Class 51- The Alveen Walters “Golden” Memorial -

This is free to enter for anyone who has not received a “champion” at any A & P show – in **ANY** section. For either the horse or handler. It is a celebration to all those wonderful competitors who support “Golden Horse” classes, but have never received a Champion.

Open to all colours, all ages.

Special Champion & Reserve ribbons will be presented. No Prize money

Class 52. Handler 17 years and over.

Class 53. Handler 16 years and under.

Class 54. My Precious Gem child Encouragement award – this will be judged at the same time- (as handler class 16 years and under) for handlers 16 years and under. Kindly Sponsored by Rochelle Lemberg.

There will be a ½ hour break after the completion of In hand classes.

Ridden Classes not to start before 11am.

Lead Rein & First Ridden Ring 1

Open to both Lead Rein and First Ridden competitors, Riders 17 years and under. Combination Not able to compete in other Ridden Sections . Any sized mount.

All Classes are combined for Lead Rein & First Ridden competitors – except when specified.

Class 59. Best Presented

Class 60. Best Walk

Class 61. Best Trotting

Class 62. Best Mount for Lead rein

Class 63. Best Mount for First Ridden

Class 64. Best Paced and Mannered

Class 65. Best Combination Lead Rein

Class 66. Best Combination First Ridden

Class 67. Best Rider Lead Rein

Class 68. Best Rider First Ridden

Class 69. Champion and Reserve Lead Rein, winners from class 62,65,67

Class 70. Champion and Reserve First Ridden,winers from class 63,66,68

Class 71. Supreme Lead Rein or First Ridden

Class 72. Fancy dress led Rein/first Ridden **\$5 entry fee, no prize money, special Rosettes.**

Hack Ring 2

Class 73. Best Presented Hack

Class 74. Best Walk

Class 75. Best Trotting Hack

Class 76. Novice Hack 0-3 wins

Class 77. Novice hack 0-5 wins

Class 78. Novice Champion & Reserve Hack, from class 76 & 77

Class 79. Open 148 to 158cm

Class 80. Open over 158

Class 81. Novice Hack Paced and Mannered up to 5 wins

Class 82. Open Paced and Mannered Hack

Class 83. Best Combination

Class 84. Champion and Reserve Hack, winners from class ,79,80,83

Pony Ring 3

Class 85. Best Presented Pony

Class 86. Best Walk

Class 87. Best Trotting Pony

Class 88. Novice Pony 0-3 wins

Class 89. Novice Pony 0-5 wins

Class 90. Novice Pony Champion& Reserve, from class 88,89

Class 91. Open pony up to 138cm

Class 92. Open pony 138cm to 148cm

Class 93. Novice Pony Paced and Mannered up to 5 wins

Class 94. Open Paced and Mannered Pony

Class 95. Best Combination

Class 96. Champion and Reserve Pony, from class 91,92,95

Special Classes Hacks and Ponies together

Class 100. Novice Rider- under 17 less than 5 wins

Class 101. Novice Rider – over 17 less than 5 wins

Class 102. Open Rider under 17

Class 103. Open rider over 17 up to 30

Class 104. Open Rider over 30

**Class 105. Champion and Reserve Rider, from
class.100,101.102,103,104**

Class 106. Supreme Ridden- *to be judged from all
ridden Champion's Pony,Hack, Lead
Rein & First Ridden Excluding rider
classes., **Class 71,78,84,90,96***

**Class 107: Grand Supreme Exhibit (to be
judged from the supreme in hand & Supreme
Ridden Exhibits)** To receive dress rug
From Class 50,106

Class 108. Fancy Dress ridden (Hacks and
ponies- excluding Led rein and first
ridden) Will be held after Grand
Supreme. **\$5 to enter, no prize
money, special rosettes**