



— Blenheim Pony Club —

SPRING SHOW

— 2026 —

SUNDAY 11TH OCTOBER

MARLBOROUGH EQUESTRIAN PARK

Something for Everyone

ENTRIES CLOSE 7TH OF OCTOBER

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Conditions of Entry

1. No Plaiting required for this show.
2. Entries close on 7th October 2026. Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Secretary.
3. All entry fees must be paid in full by closing date or entry is not upheld. Entry Fee \$6 per class unless otherwise stated.
4. The committee, without assigning any reason may alter, amend, or combine classes.
5. The organizing committee reserves the right to alterations to the program as it sees fit.
6. The responsibility for the accuracy of the description or pedigree and, the eligibility of the animal to compete, rests solely with the exhibitor.
7. All foals must be led. Any foal exhibited running free will be disqualified from Judging.
8. Any animal deemed not to be under proper control, and/or to be a danger to the public or other competitors, will be required to be removed by the handler from the grounds immediately and will be disqualified. There will be no refund of entry or event fees.
9. Inhand Exhibitors must be present in tidy attire and sensible closed toe footwear. Stewards will ask competitors to leave the ring and only to enter once suitable footwear is worn. Any classes missed because of this will not be refunded.
10. Exhibitors must be aware if they are required for Championship judging, and only enter the ring when their number is called.
11. A panel of all judges using a points system shall carry out the judging of the Supreme awards.
12. REFUNDS will be made if requested by email within 7 days of the event and must be accompanied by a Doctor/Vet certificate OR at the discretion of the committee. An administration fee will apply to any refunds.
13. The judge's decision is final unless a valid protest is made on the grounds of disqualification.
14. Protests must be lodged with the Event Secretary within 60 minutes of completion of the judging of the class concerned and must be accompanied by a \$50.00 deposit. Deposit will be refunded if protest is upheld.
15. The organizing committee reserves the right to have an animal inspected by a vet if they suspect the animal to be sick or injured. If in the opinion of the vet, the horse is deemed to be unfit, the animal is to be removed from the grounds and the exhibitor is liable for vet expenses.
16. Yards and camping are available at Marlborough Equestrian Park. Please indicate on entry form. Yards will be allocated and must be cleaned out before the end of the event.
17. Competitors may enter more than one ring, but classes will not be held to wait for exhibits from other rings.
18. Once judging has commenced competitors may not enter the ring.
19. NOVICE Ponies can be ridden by any age rider (not including LR + FR)
20. Open ponies must be ridden by riders under 17 years.
21. Adults are able to ride "native" pony breeds, at this show.
22. DOGS are allowed on ground but must be on a leash or confined always.
23. Stallions MUST display 'S' tags always. Stallions must NOT be left unattended and require ONE competent handler and ONE person assisting outside the ring.
24. Age of Youngstock horse/pony is taken on 1st August. Age of Riders is as at 1st August
25. All Classes in Pony Club Section will be run under NZPCA General regulations.
26. NZPCA approved safety helmets to be worn always when mounted. Must be tagged Yellow.
27. Marlborough Equestrian Park is a smoke free venue – NO SMOKING on the grounds.
28. All muck and hay to be picked up from yards and parking area. Holes dug by horses to be fill in & rubbish taken away.
29. Recycled ribbons to 5th Place, Recycled sashes for Champion and Reserve. Supreme Champion sashes. Clear round ribbons for show jumping.

All enquiries to: blenheimpc@outlook.com

INHAND CLASSES

All inhand classes Start time 8:30am. \$6 per class

Ring 1 - Inhand Ponies

Class 1: Best Presented Pony and Handler

Class 2: Youngstock pony (first and second place to receive sashes for **Champion and Reserve Champion youngstock pony**)

Class 3: Show Pony Type Mare, Gelding or stallion 4 years and over, not exceeding 148cm. (cannot enter class 4)

Class 4: Hunter Pony Type Mare, Gelding or stallion 4 years and over, not exceeding 148cm. (cannot enter class 3)

CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION INHAND ADULT PONY - winners from classes 3 & 4 to parade with 2nd place to standby for Reserve.

Class 5: Best paced - open to all ponies any age

SUPREME INHAND PONY to be judged straight away in Ring 1 at the commencement of pony section winners of champion youngstock and champion adult pony to parade.

Ring 2 - Inhand Horses

Exhibits in this section to be 148cm & over (youngstock expected to mature over 148cm)

Class 10: Best Presented Horse and Handler

Class 11: Youngstock horse (first and second place to receive sashes for **Champion and Reserve Champion youngstock horse**)

Class 12: Hack Type Mare, Gelding or stallion 4 years. (cannot enter class 13)

Class 13: Sport horse or hunter type Mare, Gelding or stallion 4 years and over, (cannot enter class 12)

CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION INHAND ADULT HORSE - winners from classes 12 & 13 to parade with 2nd place to standby for Reserve.

Class 14: Best paced - open to all horses any age

SUPREME INHAND HORSE to be judged straight away in Ring 2 at the commencement of horse section winners of champion youngstock and champion adult horse to parade.

Ring 3 - Leisure

Any breed, including standardbreds eligible for this ring. Open to any age, exhibits 1 year & older must be led in a bridle (with bit)

Open to any Horse/Pony who do not fit the mould of a Show Horse/Pony (not eligible for hack, hunter, sport horse show pony etc)

Class 20: Best Presented Horse or Pony & Handler

Class 21: Leisure Pony Mare, Gelding or stallion – 4 years & over, not exceeding 148cm

Class 22: Leisure Horse Mare, Gelding or stallion – 4 years & over, exceeding 148cm

CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION INHAND LEISURE HORSE/PONY – Winners from Classes 21 and 22 to parade, with second placegetters to stand by for Reserve.

Class 23: Best Paced Leisure Horse or Pony

Class 24: Best Mannered Leisure Horse or Pony

Ring 4 - Miniatures

Open to registered and unregistered Miniatures.

Class 30: Best Presented Miniature Horse and Handler

Class 31: Miniature Foal or Yearling

Class 32: Miniature Two and Three-Year-Old

CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION MINIATURE YOUNGSTOCK – winners from Classes 31 & 32 to parade, with second place to standby for Reserve.

CHAMPION YOUNGSTOCK TO GO FORWARD FOR SUPREME CHAMPION MINIATURE

Class 33: Miniature Mare – 4 years and over

Class 34: Miniature Gelding or Stallion – 4 years and over

CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION MINIATURE ADULT – winners from Classes 33 & 34 to parade, with second place to standby for Reserve.

CHAMPION MINIATURE ADULT TO GO FORWARD FOR SUPREME CHAMPION MINIATURE

Class 35: Best Movement

Class 36: Best Head

SUPREME CHAMPION MINIATURE – Champion Youngstock and Champion Adult Miniature to parade

RIDDEN CLASSES

All Ridden Classes to Commence at 11am. \$6 per class.

Ring 1 - Show Ponies

Class 40: Best Presented Pony and Rider

Class 41: Best Novice Rider on a Pony not exceeding 148cm

Class 42: Best Open Rider on a Pony not exceeding 148cm

Class 43: Open Show Pony – not exceeding 133cm

Class 44: Open Show Pony – over 133cm and not exceeding 148cm

CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION SHOW PONY – winners from Classes 43 & 44 to parade, with second place to standby for Reserve.

Class 45: Open Saddle Hunter Pony – not exceeding 133cm

Class 46: Open Saddle Hunter Pony – over 133cm and not exceeding 148cm

CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION SADDLE HUNTER PONY – winners from Classes 45 & 46 to parade, with second place to standby for Reserve.

Class 47: Best Paced & Mannered Pony – Open to all Ponies

CHAMPION SHOW PONY AND CHAMPION SADDLE HUNTER PONY TO GO FORWARD FOR SUPREME RIDDEN PONY – judged at the completion of these classes.

Ring 2 - Ridden Hack / Park Hack

Class 50: Best Presented Park Hack or Hack & Rider

Class 51: Novice Park Hack – not exceeding 158cm, 0–5 wins

Class 52: Novice Hack – over 158cm, 0–5 wins

Class 53: Open Park Hack – not exceeding 158cm

Class 54: Open Hack – over 158cm

CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION HACK/PARK HACK – winners from Classes 53 & 54 to parade, with second place to standby for Reserve.

Class 55: Best Paced & Mannered Park Hack or Hack

Class 56: Best Rider on a Park Hack or Hack

CHAMPION HACK/PARK HACK TO GO FORWARD FOR SUPREME RIDDEN SADDLE HORSE.

Ring 3 – Saddle Hunter Horse

Saddle Hunter and Riding horse sections may be combined if entries are deemed insufficient at the organisers discretion.

Class 60: Best Presented Saddle Hunter & Rider

Class 61: Novice Saddle Hunter – 0–5 wins

Class 62: Open Saddle Hunter – over 148cm and not exceeding 163cm

Class 63: Open Saddle Hunter – over 163cm

CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION SADDLE HUNTER – winners from Classes 62 & 63 to parade, with second place to standby for Reserve.

Class 64: Best Paced & Mannered Saddle Hunter

Class 65: Best Rider on a Saddle Hunter

CHAMPION SADDLE HUNTER TO GO FORWARD FOR SUPREME RIDDEN SADDLE HORSE.

Ring 4 – Riding Horse

Class 70: Best Presented Riding Horse & Rider

Class 71: Novice Riding Horse – 0–5 wins

Class 72: Open Riding Horse – over 148cm and not exceeding 163cm

Class 73: Open Riding Horse – over 163cm

CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION RIDING HORSE – winners from Classes 72 & 73 to parade, with second place to standby for Reserve.

Class 74: Best Paced & Mannered Riding Horse

Class 75: Best Rider on a Riding Horse

CHAMPION RIDING HORSE TO GO FORWARD FOR SUPREME RIDDEN SADDLE HORSE.

SUPREME CHAMPION SADDLE HORSE – Champion Hack/Park Hack, Champion Riding Horse and Champion Saddle Hunter to parade for judging at the conclusion of all events in these rings.

Ring 5 Lead Rein and First Ridden Sections

11am start First ridden to commence after the completion of lead rein classes.

Lead Rein:

Lead rein riders are aged 10 years and under and must not be able to ride off the lead. (this includes in any public space or at pony club rallies)

Dress Code: Pony Club Uniform, Tidy jersey or similar. NO Jackets, handler attire not to be judged)

Class 80: Best Presented Pony and Rider (not handler)

Class 81: Best Walking

Class 82: Open Lead Rein pony not exceeding 128cm

Class 83: Stepping stones and weaving

Class 84: Egg and Spoon

CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LEAD REIN – winners from Classes 82, 83 & 84 to parade, with second place to standby for Reserve.

First Ridden:

First Ridden riders are aged 12 years and under and must not be able to canter in a group or in an open space nor have ever competed in any open ring events (this includes shows, jumping and dressage days)

Dress Code: Pony Club Uniform, Tidy jersey or similar. NO Jackets, handler attire not to be judged)

Class 90: Best Presented Pony and Rider

Class 91: Best Walking

Class 92: Open First Ridden pony not exceeding 128cm

Class 93: Stepping stones and weaving

Class 94: Egg and Spoon

CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION LEAD REIN – winners from Classes 92, 93 & 94 to parade, with second place to standby for Reserve.

Ring 6: Versatility Sections:

11am start adult riding classes to commence after the completion of under 18 classes.

Under 18 Riding Classes

This Section is designed for combinations who have not competed in the open show ring (Dress Code: Pony Club Uniform, Tidy Jersey or similar. NO Jackets)

Similar to 'Pony Club Classes', however, riders do not need to be Pony Club members to enter. Lead rein and first ridden pony club riders are encouraged to enter the standard lead rein/first ridden sections which are catered to the Pony Club syllabus.

Class 100: Best Presented combination

Class 101: Best Trotting Class (riders will not be asked to canter)

Class 102: Best Pony Club Type pony or hack

Class 103: Shepherds Hack/Pony

Class 104: Stepping stones and weaving

CHAMPION & RESERVE Under 18 Section – winners from Classes 101, 102 & 103 to parade, with second place to

standby for Reserve.

Class 105: Jump class (cross bar not exceeding 65cm)

Adult Riding Classes - Welcome Ring

This Section is designed for combinations who have not competed in the open show ring designed for adults wanting to have a casual and welcoming competing experience (Dress Code: Adult Riding Club Uniform, Tidy Jersey or similar. NO Jackets)

Riders over 18 years old.

Class 110: Best Presented combination

Class 111: Best Trotting Class (riders will not be asked to canter)

Class 112: Best Combination

Class 113: Shepherds Hack/Pony

Class 114: Stepping stones and weaving

CHAMPION & RESERVE Under 18 Section – winners from Classes 111, 112, & 113 to parade, with second place to standby for Reserve.

Class 115: Jump class (cross bar not exceeding 65cm)

AFTERNOON CLEAR ROUND JUMPING

Jumping to commence at 1pm, \$7 per class or 3 rounds for \$20

Class 120 Ponies 30 cm

Class 121 Hack 30 cm

Class 123 Ponies 50 cm

Class 124 Hack 50 cm

Class 125 Ponies 60 cm

Class 126 Hack 60 cm

Class 127 Ponies 70 cm

Class 128 Hack 70 cm

Class 129 Ponies 80 cm

Class 130 Hack 80 cm