

NORTH WEST IRISH DRAUGHT & HUNTER SHOW

Affiliated to IDHS (GB) Registered Charity No. 1080522



NEW
VENUE...

SUNDAY 4th August 2024
Northcote Stud
Northcote Road, Old Langho,
Blackburn BB6 8BE

IDHS (GB) Affiliated Qualifiers for:

MOORBENNHALL ID YOUNGSTOCK CHALLENGE
IDHS (GB) ID SPORT HORSE YOUNGSTOCK CHALLENGE
THE IDHS (GB) £2000 RIDDEN CHALLENGE

Also eligible classes for the
SPORT HORSE BREEDING IN THE NORTH WEST POINTS SCHEME

And new to the show this year....
Royal International 2025 Ridden Qualifiers

IDHS (GB) Affiliated Classes

A full range of In Hand Irish Draught and Irish Draught Sport Horse classes
Ridden Irish Draught & Irish Draught Sport Horse

Open In Hand & Ridden Classes (do not have to be Irish Draught)

In Hand Hunters,
Novice Ridden Horse, Ridden Small Hunters / Cobs & Maxi Cobs
Ridden Hunter

ENTRIES CLOSE: 28th JULY 2024

On line entries via: Horse Monkey
On the day entries – additional £5 entry fee

ENTRY SECRETARY: Mrs K Ainsworth. Clough Head Farm, Dean, Bacup, Lancashire OL13 8RG
TEL: 07766 445 398 **Email:** nidhs.entries@gmail.com

GENERAL ENQUIRIES: Carol Rudd **TEL:** 07860 102 256

Overnight and day stabling *may be* available at Northcote Stud. Early contact is advisable.
Please contact them directly on: 01254 790025 / 07774 968006

QUALIFIER INFORMATION:

Q1 - The Moorbennhall Irish Draught Youngstock Challenge.

The two highest placed Pure Breds from each age group that have not already qualified in Classes **1, 2 & 3** - yearlings, two-year-olds and three-year-olds - eligible for Class 1 on the Irish Draught Breed Register or if one or both have already qualified, the horse next in line in each age group by an ID Class 1, ID Class 2 or RID (GB) sire, out of a Graded dam or if one or both have already qualified, the horse next in line in each age group will qualify to go forward to their respective final which will be held at the IDHS(GB) National Championship Show on 7th and 8th September 2024 at Onley Grounds Equestrian Complex, Willoughby, Rugby, Warwickshire CV23 8AJ.

Qualifiers will be contacted by a member of the Show Team. Qualifiers are required to complete an online form at www.idhsgb.org.uk to inform the IDHS (GB) that they have qualified for the Final.

In the Final, there will be three preliminary classes with the two highest placed semi-finalists from each class going forward to the Championship where the Champion will receive £500 and the Reserve Champion £150.

Q2 - The IDHS (GB) Irish Draught Sport Horse Youngstock Challenge.

This show is a Qualifier for The IDHS (GB) Sport Horse Youngstock Challenge. The two highest placed Sport Horses from each age group that have not already qualified in Classes **7,8 & 13** - yearlings, two year olds and three year olds (**must have a minimum of 25% proven ID breeding**) - or if one or both have already qualified, the horse next in line in each age group will qualify to go forward to the final, which will be held at the IDHS (GB) National Championship Show on 7th & 8th September 2024 at Onley Equestrian Centre, Onley Grounds Farm, Willoughby, Rugby, Warwickshire CV23 8AJ.

Qualifiers will be contacted by a member of the IDHS Show Team. Qualifiers are required to complete an online form at www.idhsgb.org.uk to inform the IDHS (GB) that they have qualified for the final.

In the final, there will be three preliminary classes with the two highest placed semi-finalists from each class going forward to the Championship where the Champion will receive £500 and the Reserve Champion £150

Q3 - The Irish Draught Horse Society (GB) £2,000 Ridden Challenge.

The highest placed horse (not already qualified) from **Classes 15 & 16** will qualify for the final of the IDHS (GB) £2,000 Ridden Challenge which will be held at the IDHS (GB) National Championship Show on 7th & 8th September 2024 at Onley Equestrian Centre, Onley Grounds Farm, Willoughby, Rugby, Warwickshire CV23 8AJ.

A horse may only qualify for the final once, regardless of the type or number of classes won, placed in or entered. Qualifiers will be contacted by a member of the IDHS Show Team. Qualifiers are required to complete an online form at www.idhsgb.org.uk to inform the IDHS (GB) that they have qualified for the Final. In the Final, the Champion will be awarded £1,000 prize money, and a trophy. The Reserve Champion will be awarded £500 and 3rd to 7th inclusive will be awarded £100 each. In addition, the highest placed Purebred Irish Draught will receive a trophy and £100, and the highest placed Sport Horse will receive a trophy and £50.

Q4 - Sport Horse Breeding In the North West Points Competition

To qualify for points, horses must be registered with or overstamped by SHB (GB) to qualify.

Classes eligible at this show:

In-hand Classes: Irish Draughts; Irish Draught Sport Horses; In Hand Hunters

The Gilbertson Trophy will be awarded to the horse attaining the highest number of points overall

Ridden Classes: Open Ridden Small Hunter, Open Ridden Hunter, Ridden Irish Draught & Irish Draught Sport Horse.

An award will be made to the horse attaining the highest number of points

Q5 – Royal International Horse Show 2025 British Horse Feeds and IDHS (GB) Ridden Championship Series
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The 2 highest-placed horses (not already qualified) from Classes 20 and 21 will qualify for the final to be held at the Royal International Horse Show Hickstead, on July 26th,) 2025. (provisional) Qualification can be passed to 3rd place if the highest-placed horses have already qualified and if in the opinion of the judges, the exhibit is of sufficient quality.

Purebred Irish Draught horses must be registered with or overstamped by the IDHS (GB). Purebred stallions must be the progeny of a graded mare (ID Class 1, ID Class 2, RID, AID, or Supplementary Grade Up) by an ID Class 1, Class 2, RID(GB) stallion and be inspected or overstamped by the IDHS (GB) and classified as ID Class1 Class 2, or RID(GB).

Owners of Pure Bred Irish Draught horses must be FULL members of the Irish Draught Horse Society (GB).

Irish Draught Sport Horses (including stallions) must have a minimum of 25% proven Irish Draught breeding and must be registered on the Irish Draught Sport Horse Register.

Owners do not have to be members of the Irish Draught Horse Society (GB)

All horses must be in the correct ownership and must be 4 years and over and 153cm (15hh) or over

Stallions MUST be ridden and handled by an experienced person over the age of 18 and identified by a white and red tail ribbon

GENERAL RULES:

Important: It is a condition of entry that all owners/exhibitors must have 3rd party public liability insurance for their horses to compete

- 1. Health and Safety:** The Show Team accept no responsibility for accidents to spectators, competitors, animals or their property, in connection with or arising from the Show. Admission is granted and entries accepted only on recognition of this condition. The North West Irish Draught & Hunter Show accepts no responsibility for any injury arising from any failure to comply with the Show Rules.
- 2. Riders & Handlers** It is the sole responsibility of all to ensure that whilst mounted, they wear appropriate clothing and footwear and a correctly fitting riding hat/skull cap with an integral adjustable harness complying with the minimum current European standards. These hats are compulsory for competitors aged 18 years and under. This also applies to handlers and grooms
- 3. Age of riders/handlers.** No rider/handler under sixteen years of age on the day of the show is eligible to compete in any classes. (Riders & handlers of colts and stallions MUST be 18) Proof of age may be required.
- 4. The Show Team** reserves the right to rearrange times, amalgamate or cancel classes and adjust prizes money accordingly. They also reserve the sole right to interpret rules and conditions and to finally settle and determine all or any matter, question or difference arising from Show policy.
- 5. Judging:** the Judge's decision is final. Any objections must be made in writing to the Show Secretary within 30 minutes of the completion of the class with a £50 cash deposit which will be forfeited if the objection is not upheld.
If in the opinion of the judges/stewards any horse is regarded to compromise the safety of other competitors, horses or spectators, they will be asked to leave the ring.
A fall of horse or rider in any ridden class will lead to elimination from the class.
- 6. Tack:** Bitless bridles, running gags, market harboroughs, side, draw or running reins are not allowed in any class. The use of Swales, Sam Marsh bits and gags with double bridles are actively discouraged. Chifney bits are not allowed in the show ring.
Boots and martingales are not permitted in any flat ridden class.
No tack which conceals an animal's conformation or identifies an animal, its owner or sponsor is allowed in any ring.
- 7. Children** Parents/carers of children and young people under the age of 16 years are responsible for their supervision at all times whilst at the Show. No prams or pushchairs are allowed in the arenas.
- 8. Dogs** are allowed in the outdoor areas of the Show but MUST be on a short lead at all times. (No flexi or extending leads in the vicinity of any horse, ring, box, car park or stable areas)
- 9. Owners must** clean up all mess after their pets.
- 10. No Smoking** in any of the arena or near stables

IMPORTANT ENTRY INFORMATION:

Owners of all Pure-bred Irish Draught horses in affiliated In-hand & Ridden classes must be FULL members of the IDHS(GB). This rule does not apply to owners of Irish Draught Sport horses.

- Classes 1 – 12, 15 & 16** are affiliated to the Irish Draught Horse Society (GB) and only horses registered with or overstamped by the IDHS (GB) and in the correct ownership are eligible for entry. Registration numbers to be stated on the entry form and entries will be sent to the IDHS (GB) prior to the Show to confirm eligibility
- **Pure Bred Breeding and Youngstock** In-hand exhibits must be the progeny of a Graded / Inspected Mare (ID Class 1, 2, RID (GB), AID or Supplementary Grade Up) and be by a Class 1, 2 or RID (GB) stallion on the Irish Draught Breed Register.
 - **Sport Horses** must have a minimum of 25% proven breeding and be registered on the Irish Draught Sport Horse Register.
 - **Ridden horses** must be 4 years and over and 153cm (15hh) or over.
 - **STALLIONS:**
 - **Competing stallions** must be the progeny of a Graded / Inspected Mare (ID Class 1, 2, RID (GB), AID or Supplementary Grade Up) by a Class 1, 2 or RID (GB) stallion and be inspected or overstamped by the IDHS (GB) and classified as ID Class 1, 2 or RID (GB),
OR be a Registered Irish Draught Sport Horse Stallion
 - They must display a red, white and blue ribbon in their tails.
 - In-hand stallions and 1, 2 and 3 year old colts must be bitted and shown by an experienced handler of 18 years or over.
 - All riders of stallions must be 18 years of age or over.
 - **ENTRY FEES:**

It is a condition of entry that all owners/exhibitors must have 3rd party public liability insurance for their horses to compete

Competitors may enter more than one class but the Show Team will not be responsible if clashes occur

Classes	IDHS (GB)	Pre-Show	* On the day
Classes 1- 19	Member	£20	£25
	Non-member	£25	£30
Classes 20 & 21 Royal International 2025 Qualifiers (inc £11 levy)	Member	£31	£36
	Non-member	£36	£41
Mandatory First Aid per rider/handler		£4	£4

*** On The Day entries for affiliated IDHS (GB) classes: you MUST bring your horse's passport for us to check registration & class eligibility.**

- Electronic entries and On The Day entry forms must be fully completed and the correct fees paid to be eligible for entry to the appropriate classes.
- No entries will be accepted without appropriate First Aid fee for **each** rider /handler
- No entry fee refunds except for cancellation of the Show or a Class by the Show Team
- All competitor numbers to be collected on the day. In line with DEFRA regulations, random passports checks will be done when you collect your back number.

PRIZE MONEY:	Classes:	1 st £20
	Championships:	Champion £30 Reserve Champion £20

NEW EQUINE FLU vaccination information: In order for any horse to compete it must have had the primary course of flu vaccinations consisting of two injections given no less than **21** days and no more than **60** days apart.

The first booster is given between **120** and **180** days
 Additional boosters should then be given within 6 or 12 months depending on the governing body you are competing under.

Foals do not require vaccinations prior to weaning

There is no requirement for horses that have received their primary course and first booster before 1 January 2024, to be re-vaccinated provided that they have been vaccinated in compliance with the 2023 Veterinary Regulations.

GDPR STATEMENT:
 By entering this show you give your consent to personal data being held by the NW ID & Hunter Show and being shared / processed by IDHS(GB) in accordance with the Society's Privacy Policy (available on their website at <https://idhs.gb.org.uk/legal/privacy-policy/>) and UK General Data Protection Regulation.

NW Irish Draught & Hunter Class Planner

Ring 1 8-30am Irish Draught In Hand

Judge: Mrs S Deakin

Class 1 ID Yearling

Class 4 ID Graded Mares

Class 2 ID 2yr old

Class 5 ID Brood Mares

Class 3 ID 3yr old

Class 6 ID Foal

Championship 1

Ring 2 8-30am Irish Draught Sport Horses In Hand

Judge: Mr M Maher-Burns

Class 7 IDSH Yearling

Class 9 IDSH Brood Mare

Class 8 IDSH 2 & 3yr old

Class 10 IDSH Foal

Championship 2

Affiliated Maturity Classes:

Judge: Mrs S Deakin

Class 11 IDSH Maturity

Class 12 ID Maturity

Championship 3

Open In Hand Classes:

Judge: Mr M Maher-Burns

Class 13 Hunter Youngstock

Class 14 Hunter In Hand

Championship 4

Ridden Classes

Not before 12 noon

Affiliated Ridden Class:

Judges: Conformation: Mrs S Deakin

Ride: Mr J Cookson

Class 15 Irish Draught

Class 16 Irish Draught Sport Horse

Championship 5

Open Ridden Classes:

Judges: Conformation: Mr M Maher-Burns

Ride: Mr J Cookson

Class 17 Ridden Novice

Class 18 Ridden Small Hunter / Cob / Maxi Cob

Class 19 Ridden Hunter

Championship 6

Royal International Qualifiers (2025)

Judges: Conformation: Mr M Maher-Burns

Ride: Miss M Bowling

Class 20 Ridden Irish Draught

Class 21 Ridden Irish Draught Sport Horse

IDHS (GB) AFFILIATED IN HAND - IRISH DRAUGHT HORSES

Main Arena Ring 1

JUDGE: Mrs S Deakin (Warwickshire)

Start: 08.30 a.m.

NOTES:

**A Graded mare or filly is one which has been inspected or overstamped by the IDHS (GB) and passed into one of the following categories: ID Class 1, 2, RID(GB), AID or Supplementary Grade Up*

See notes on QUALIFIERS for:

- **Q1 – Moorbennhall Irish Draught Youngstock Championship**
- **Q4 - Classes 1 - 6 eligible for the Sport Horse Breeding in the North West Points Scheme**

All 1, 2 & 3 year old COLTS must be bitted and shown by an experienced handler of 18 years of age or over

- CLASS 1 YEARLING COLT, FILLY or GELDING by a Class 1, 2 or RID (GB), ID sire, out of a
(Q1,Q4) *graded dam
- CLASS 2 2 YEAR OLD COLT, FILLY or GELDING by a Class 1, 2 or RID (GB) ID sire, out of a
(Q1,Q4,) *graded dam
- CLASS 3 3 YEAR OLD UNINSPECTED COLT, FILLY or GELDING by a Class 1, 2 or RID (GB) sire
(Q1,Q4,) out of a *graded dam
- CLASS 4 IRISH DRAUGHT GRADED MARES. *Graded mares, 4 yrs & over barren or in foal
(Q4)
- CLASS 5 IRISH DRAUGHT BROOD MARES. *Graded mares, 3 yrs & over with own foal at foot
(Q4)

**Bowland Irish Draught Horses have generously awarded the winner a free covering by a stallion of your choice, currently standing at the Stud.
(2025 season only)**

- CLASS 6 FOAL - COLT OR FILLY Produce of a *graded mare entered, eligible or would have been
(Q4) eligible for entry in Class 5 and eligible for Class 1 on the ID Breed Register

CHAMPIONSHIP 1: IN HAND IRISH DRAUGHT CHAMPIONSHIP

1st & 2nd from Classes 1 - 6 to compete

Champion to receive £30 and a voucher for a bridle kindly donated by Black Country Saddlery



Reserve Champion to receive £20

IDHS (GB) AFFILIATED IN HAND - IRISH DRAUGHT SPORT HORSES

Main Arena Ring 2

JUDGE: Mr M Maher-Burns (Cheshire)

See notes on QUALIFIERS for:

- Q2 – IDHS (GB) Irish Draught Sport Horse Youngstock Championship
- Q4 Classes 7 - 10 eligible for the Sport Horse Breeding in the North West Points Scheme

All 1, 2 and 3-year-old COLTS must be bitted and shown by an experienced handler of 18 years of age or over

CLASS 7 ID SPORT HORSE YEARLING COLT, FILLY or GELDING
(Q2,Q4) Registered on the ID Sport Horse Register

CLASS 8 ID SPORT HORSES 2 & 3 YEAR OLD COLT, FILLY or GELDING
(Q2,Q4) Registered on the ID Sport Horse Register.
This class will be split if there are sufficient entries in each age group

CLASS 9 ID SPORT HORSE BROOD MARE. (In foal or with own foal at foot)
(Q4) 4 yrs & over with a minimum of 25% proven Irish Draught breeding and be registered on the Irish Draught Sport Horse Register.

**New Hill Farm Stud have generously awarded the winner a free covering by a stallion of your choice, currently standing at the Stud.
(2025 season only)**

CLASS 10 FOAL - COLT or FILLY eligible for the ID Sport Horse Register
(Q4) From mare in either **Class 5** or **Class 9** eligible for the ID Sport Horse Register ie min 25% proven ID breeding. (An ID Sport Horse foal at foot from a brood mare that is not a registered ID Sport Horse is eligible for Class 10. The Mare is not eligible for Class 9)

CHAMPIONSHIP 2: IN HAND ID SPORT HORSE CHAMPIONSHIP

1st & 2nd from Classes 7 - 10 to compete
Champion to receive £30 and Reserve Champion to receive £20
Both will receive a voucher kindly donated by

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IDHS (GB) AFFILIATED IN HAND *Con't*

Main Arena Ring 2

See notes on QUALIFIERS for:

- **Q4 - Classes 11 & 12 eligible for the Sport Horse Breeding in the North West Points Scheme**
- ***A Special Rosette will be awarded to the Highest Placed Veteran (Over 15 years) in each of the Maturity classes***
- ****All Stallions must be bitted and shown by an experienced handler of 18 years of age or over***

JUDGE: Mrs S Deakin (Warwickshire)

CLASS 11 (Q4) ID SPORT HORSE MATURITY *Stallion, mare or gelding. 4 yrs & over registered on the IDSH Register.

CLASS 12 (Q4) IRISH DRAUGHT MATURITY *Stallion, mare or gelding. 4 yrs & over registered on IDHS (GB) Breed Register

CHAMPIONSHIP 3: ID & IDSH MATURITY IN HAND ID CHAMPIONSHIP

1st & 2nd from Classes 11 & 12 to compete

Champion to receive £30 and a voucher for a coat kindly donated by



Reserve Champion to receive £20

Main Arena Ring 2

OPEN IN HAND CLASSES To follow Sport Horse classes

Note - These classes are open to any breed of horse including Irish Draughts

See notes on QUALIFIERS for:

- Q2 – IDHS (GB) Irish Draught Sport Horse Youngstock Championship
- Q4 - Classes 13 & 14 eligible for the Sport Horse Breeding in the North West Points Scheme
- All 1, 2 and 3-year-old COLTS must be bitted and shown by an experienced handler of 18 years of age or over

JUDGE: Mr M Maher-Burns (Cheshire)

CLASS 13 IN HAND HUNTER YOUNGSTOCK 1, 2 or 3 year old Filly, Gelding or Colt.
(Q2, Q4) Open to any breed to exceed 15hh at maturity

CLASS 14 IN HAND HUNTER Open to mare or gelding 4 years old and over
(Q4)

CHAMPIONSHIP 4: OPEN IN HAND CHAMPIONSHIP

1st & 2nd from Classes 13 -14 to compete

Champion to receive £30 and a painting kindly donated by Hoof & Hound Pet Portraits



Reserve Champion to receive £20

Classes 15, 16 and Championship 5 are sponsored by Dragonstar Protection

IRISH DRAUGHT See notes on QUALIFIERS for:

- Q3 - IDHS (GB) Irish Draught £2000 Ridden Challenge
- Q4 - Classes 15 & 16 eligible for the Sport Horse Breeding in the North West Points Scheme
- A Special Rosette will be awarded to the Highest Placed Veteran (Over 15 years)

JUDGES: Conformation: Mrs S Deakin (Warwickshire)
Ride: Mr J Cookson (Cheshire)

CLASS 15 RIDDEN IRISH DRAUGHT
(Q3,Q4) Stallion, mare or gelding 4yrs & over registered on the Irish Draught Breed Register

CLASS 16 RIDDEN IRISH DRAUGHT SPORT HORSE
(Q3,Q4) Stallion, mare or gelding 4yrs & over registered on the ID Sport Horse Register

CHAMPIONSHIP 5: RIDDEN ID/IDSH CHAMPIONSHIP

1st & 2nd from Classes 15 -16 to compete

Champion to receive £30

Reserve Champion to receive £20

Additional prizes awarded by :



OPEN RIDDEN CLASSES

See notes on QUALIFIERS for:

- Q3 - IDHS (GB) Irish Draught £2000 Ridden Challenge
- Q4 - Classes 18 & 19 eligible for the Sport Horse Breeding in the North West Points Scheme

Please note: These classes are open to any breed of horse including Irish Draughts

JUDGES: Conformation: Mr M Maher-Burns (Cheshire)
Ride: Mr J Cookson (Cheshire)

CLASS 17 **OPEN** NOVICE RIDDEN HORSE Over 15hh, any breed.
Stallion, mare or gelding 4yrs and over.
Not to have been placed 1st in any ridden class before 1st January 2024
Horses in this class will not be ridden by the judge

CLASS 18 **OPEN** RIDDEN SMALL HUNTER / COB / MAXI COB any breed
(Q3,Q4) Stallion, mare or gelding 4yrs and over.
Small Hunter (not exceeding 15.2 hh (158cm). Cobs including Maxi Cobs

CLASS 19 **OPEN** RIDDEN HUNTER Over 15hh, any breed.
(Q3, Q4) Stallion, mare or gelding 4yrs and over

CHAMPIONSHIP 6: OPEN RIDDEN CHAMPIONSHIP

1st & 2nd from Classes 17 -19 to compete

Champion to receive £30 and Reserve Champion to receive £20

Both will receive a voucher kindly donated by



ROYAL INTERNATIONAL (2025) QUALIFIERS:

See notes on QUALIFIERS for:

- Q5 - Royal International Horse Show 2025 - British Horse Feeds and IDHS (GB)
Ridden Championship Series
- **All stallions MUST** be ridden and handled by an experienced person over the age of 18 and identified by a white and red tail ribbon

JUDGES: Conformation: Mr M Maher-Burns (Cheshire)
Ride: Miss M Bowling (Lancashire)

CLASS 20 RIDDEN PUREBRED IRISH DRAUGHT (first 2 to qualify)
(Q5) Open to mares, stallions and geldings 4 years and over, registered with or overstamped by the IDHS (GB)

CLASS 21 RIDDEN IRISH DRAUGHT SPORT HORSE (first 2 to qualify)
(Q5) Open to mares, stallions, and geldings 4 years and over, with a minimum of 25% proven Irish Draught breeding registered on the Irish Draught Sport Horse Register