

# WELSH DIVISION

1. All Welsh ponies six years & over, showing in breeding classes and all Welsh and Half Welsh/Part Bred ponies showing in performance classes must be measured or present a valid USEF measurement card. All owners, riders, drivers, handlers and trainers must be USEF members or pay the non-member fee.
2. All classes will be judged on performance and soundness unless otherwise noted.
3. All Welsh animals must be registered in the stud books of the Welsh Pony & Cob Society of America, Inc., or the Welsh Pony & Cob Society of Canada and must be entered under their full registered name, or if under one year, be eligible for registration.

**This group of classes will be held in the coliseum arena, the attached covered warm-up arena, and/or the outdoor arena located behind the main barn. Breeding classes will be double judged. Premiums paid and Prizes Awarded on ONE JUDGE'S placings only.**

Jr exhibitors must wear approved protective headgear (ASTM/SE) at all times whenever mounted or in a driven vehicle at all times while on the show grounds. Harness must be secured and properly fitted. Any rider violating this rule at any time must immediately be prohibited from further riding until such headgear is properly in place. **Three Entries Must Compete For Prize Money To Be Paid. Entries Received After 8/8 May Not Be Acknowledged.**

## WPCSA BREED CLASSES - (Article 110.2)

Animals are to be shown in hand at a walk and a trot except in group classes. Purebred Welsh to be judged 85% on breed type, conformation, way of going, quality and substance and 15% on disposition and manners. Natural reaching action is desired. Half-Welsh & Part-Breds to be judged 85% on conformation, way of going, quality and substance and 15% on Welsh breed type, disposition and manners.

**Entry Fee: \$25.00 Per Class \$8, \$7, \$6, 6 Ribbons**

### Tuesday - Double Judged Classes - Not USEF

#### Section A

- Class 1611 WPCSA Sec. A - Yearling & Under Colts  
Class 1612 WPCSA Sec. A - 2 Year Old Colts  
**WPCSA Junior Colt Champion Section A**  
Class 1613 WPCSA Sec. A Yearling & Under Fillies  
Class 1614 WPCSA Sec. A 2 Year Old Fillies  
**WPCSA Junior Filly Champion Section A**  
Class 1615 WPCSA Sec A Yeld Mares 3 Years & Over  
Class 1616 WPCSA Sec A Broodmares 3 Years & Over  
**WPCSA Senior Mare Champion Section A**  
Class 1617 WPCSA Sec A 3 & 4 Year Old Stallions  
Class 1618 WPCSA Sec A Stallions 5 Years & Older  
**WPCSA Senior Stallion Champion Section A**  
**WPCSA Grand Champion and Reserve Section A Cooler**

#### Section B

- Class 1619 WPCSA Sec. B Yearling & Under Colts  
Class 1620 WPSA Sec B - 2 Year Old Colts  
**WPCSA Junior Colt Champion Section B**  
Class 1621 WPCSA Sec. B Yearling & Under Fillies  
Class 1622 WPCSA Sec. B 2 Year Old Fillies  
**WPCSA Junior Filly Champion Section B**  
Class 1623 WPCSA Sec. B Yeld Mares - 3 & Older  
Class 1624 WPCSA Sec. B Brood Mares - 3 & Older  
**WPCSA Senior Mare Champion Section B**  
Class 1625 WPCSA Sec. B 3 & 4 Year Old Stallions  
Class 1626 WPCSA Sec. B Stallions - 5 Years & Older  
**WPCSA Senior Stallion Champion Section B**  
**WPCSA Grand Champion and Reserve Section B Cooler**

#### Section C/D

- Class 1627 WPCSA Sec. C/D Colts - Yearling & Under  
Class 1628 WPCSA Sec. C/D Colts - 2 Years Old  
**WPCSA Junior Colt Champion Section C/D**  
Class 1629 WPCSA Sec. C/D Fillies - Yearling & Under  
Class 1630 WPCSA Sec. C/D Fillies - 2 Years Old  
**WPCSA Junior Filly Champion Section C/D**  
Class 1631 WPCSA Sec. C/D Yeld Mares - 3 & Older  
Class 1632 WPCSA Sec. C/D Brood Mares - 3 & Older  
**WPCSA Senior Mare Champion Section C/D**  
Class 1633 WPCSA Sec. C/D Stallions - 3 & 4 Years  
Class 1634 WPCSA Sec. C/D Stallions - 5 & Over  
**WPCSA Senior Stallion Champion Section C/D**  
**WPCSA Grand Champion and Reserve Section C/D Cooler**

### WPCSA Supreme Champion and Reserve

*From Grand Champion and Reserve A, B, C/D*

#### Geldings

- Class 1635 WPCSA Section A Geldings - All Ages  
Class 1636 WPCSA Section B Geldings - All Ages  
Class 1637 WPCSA Section C/D Geldings - All Ages  
**WPCSA Supreme Champion and Reserve Gelding Cooler**

#### Half-Welsh/Part Bred

If entries warrant, classes will be split A/B crosses and C/D crosses

- Class 1638 WPCSA Half Welsh/Part Bred Fillies 2 & Under  
Class 1639 WPCSA Half Welsh/Part Bred Colts & Geldings 2 & U  
**WPCSA Half Welsh/Part Bred Junior Champion**  
Class 1640 WPCSA Half Welsh/Part Bred Mares 3 & Over  
Class 1641 WPCSA Half Welsh/Part Bred Stallions & Geldings-3 & O  
**WPCSA Half Welsh/Part Bred Senior Champion**  
**WPCSA Half Welsh/Part Bred Grand Champion Cooler**

## WPCSA PLEASURE DRIVING - (ARTICLE 113.1)

**WPCSA Gold sanctioned/USEF- A Rated  
Open to Section A and B Ponies**

To be shown to a suitable two or four-wheeled vehicle or four-wheeled vehicle for pairs, but not a viceroy, racing sulky or fine harness rig. Use of a bike style vehicle with floorboards and a basket is acceptable. To be shown both ways of the ring at a walk, working trot and trot on and stand quietly and except for tandems, **to back readily**. A properly attired groom or passenger *capable of rendering assistance in case of an emergency* is required for all pairs and tandems; unicorns and four-in-hands require 2 grooms/passengers. Failure to comply will result in elimination from the class. To be judged 75% on performance, manners, movement and style; 25% on breed type and conformation. Working classes are judged 100% on performance.

**Entry Fee in Qualifying Classes: \$30.00 \$35, \$20, \$15, 6 Ribbons**  
**Stake Classes: \$35.00 \$55, \$45, \$30, \$20, 6 Ribbons**

- Class 1642 WPCSA Conformation Pleasure Driving  
Class 1643 WPCSA Pleasure Driving Working  
Class 1644 WPCSA Conformation Pleasure Driving Stake  
**WPCSA Pleasure Driving Champion and Reserve Cooler**

## WPCSA ENGLISH PLEASURE - (Article 112.3)

To be shown at a walk, trot and canter both ways of the ring on light contact without martingale. To be judged 75% on performance, manners, movement and style, and 25% on breed type and conformation. Working classes to be judged 100% on performance

**Entry Fee in Qualifying Classes: \$30.00 \$35, \$20, \$15, 6 Ribbons**  
**Stake Classes: \$35.00 \$55, \$45, \$30, \$20, 6 Ribbons**

### WPCSA Small English Pleasure

WPCSA Gold sanctioned / USEF "A" Rated

Open to Jr Exhibitors riding Sec A & B Ponies not exceeding 12.2 hands

- Class 1645 WPCSA Small Conformation English Pleasure  
Class 1646 WPCSA Small English Pleasure Working  
Class 1647 WPCSA Small Conformation English Pleasure Stake  
**WPCSA Small English Pleasure Champion and Reserve Cooler**

### WPCSA Medium / Large English Pleasure

WPCSA Gold sanctioned / USEF "A" Rated

Open to Jr Exhibitors riding Sec B Ponies exceeding 12.2 but not over 14.2 hands

- Class 1648 WPCSA Med./Lg. Conformation English Pleasure  
Class 1649 WPCSA Med./Lg. English Pleasure Working  
Class 1650 WPCSA Med./Lg. Conformation English Pleasure Stake  
**WPCSA Med./Lg. English Pleasure Champion and Reserve Cooler**

### Adult English Pleasure

WPCSA Gold Sanctioned / USEF "A" Rated

Open to Section A and B Ponies ridden by a senior exhibitor

- Class 1651 WPCSA A/B Conformation English Pleasure - Adult  
Class 1652 WPCSA A/B English Pleasure Working - Adult  
Class 1653 WPCSA A/B Conformation English Pleas Stake - Adult  
**WPCSA A/B Adult English Pleasure Champion & Reserve Cooler**

### WPCSA Half Welsh/Part Bred English Pleasure

WPCSA Gold Sanctioned

Open to Half Welsh/Part Bred Ponies & Horses & Riders of any Age.

- Class 1654 WPCSA Half-Welsh/Part Bred Conformation Eng Pleasure  
Class 1655 WPCSA Half-Welsh/Part Bred English Pleasure Working  
Class 1656 WPCSA Half-Welsh/Part Bred Conformation Eng Pleasure Stake  
**WPCSA Half-Welsh/Part Bred Eng Pleasure Champion & Res Cooler**

### WPCSA Welsh Section C & D English Pleasure

WPCSA Gold Sanctioned / USEF "A" Rated

Open to Section C & D and Riders of any Age

- Class 1657 WPCSA C & D Conformation English Pleasure Under Saddle  
Class 1658 WPCSA C & D English Pleasure Working  
Class 1659 WPCSA C & D Conformation English Pleasure Stake  
**WPCSA C & D English Pleasure Champion & Reserve Cooler**

### WPCSA WESTERN PLEASURE - (ARTICLE 112.4)

To be shown at a walk, jog and lope both ways of the ring without a martingale, on a reasonably loose rein, without undue restraint. To be judged on performance, with emphasis on manners 65%; breed type, conformation and movement 25%; appointments 10%. Working classes are judged 100% on performance.

**Entry Fee in Qualifying Classes: \$30.00 \$35, \$20, \$15, 6 Ribbons**  
**Stake Classes: \$35.00 \$55, \$45, \$30, \$20, 6 Ribbons**

#### WPCSA ADULT WESTERN PLEASURE

WPCSA Gold Sanctioned / USEF "A" Rated

Open to Section A and B Ponies ridden by a Senior exhibitor

- Class 1663** WPCSA Adult Conformation Western Pleasure
- Class 1664** WPCSA Adult Western Pleasure Working
- Class 1665** WPCSA Adult Conformation Western Pleasure Stake  
**WPCSA Adult Western Pleasure Champion Reserve Cooler**

#### WPCSA C AND D WESTERN PLEASURE

WPCSA Gold Sanctioned / USEF "A" Rated

Open to Section C & D and Open to Riders of any Age

- Class 1666** WPCSA C/D Conformation Western Pleasure
- Class 1667** WPCSA C/D Western Pleasure Working
- Class 1668** WPCSA C/D Conformation Western Pleasure Stake  
**WPCSA C/D Western Pleasure Champion & Reserve Cooler**

#### WPCSA WESTERN PLEASURE

WPCSA Gold Sanctioned / USEF "A" Rated

Open to Section A and B Ponies ridden by a Junior Exhibitor

- Class 1669** WPCSA A/B Conformation Western Pleasure
- Class 1670** WPCSA A/B Western Pleasure Working
- Class 1671** WPCSA A/B Conformation Western Pleasure Stake  
**WPCSA A/B Western Pleasure Champion & Reserve Cooler**

#### WPCSA HALF-WELSH/PART BRED WESTERN PLEASURE

WPCSA Gold Sanctioned / USEF "A" Rated

- Class 1672** WPCSA Half-Welsh/Part Bred Conformation Western Pleasure
- Class 1673** WPCSA Half-Welsh/Part Bred Western Pleasure Working
- Class 1674** WPCSA Half-Welsh/Part Bred Conformation West Pleasure Stake  
**WPCSA Half Welsh/Part Bred Western Pleasure Champion & Res Cooler**

### WPCSA WELSH HUNTER - (ARTICLE 112.5)

To be judged 75% on performance, manners, movement and style; 25% on breed type and conformation. Working classes judged 100% on performance. Animals not exceeding 13.2 hands will jump 2'.0"; animals exceeding 13.2 shall jump 2'.6". Over fences (o/f): To be shown over a course of a minimum of six fences with eight jumping efforts of the required height. Under saddle (u/s): To be eligible, pony must have shown in and completed an over fence class. To be shown at the walk, trot and canter both ways of the ring. **May be required to hand gallop one way of the ring, but no more than eight animals at one time.**

**Entry Fee: \$110.00 for any Section \$35, \$20, \$15, 6 Ribbons**  
**Individual Classes may not be entered.**

#### Small Welsh Pony Hunter

WPCSA Gold Sanctioned / USEF "A" Rated

Open to Sec. A & B Ponies not exceeding 12.2 hands & ridden by a Jr exhibitor

- Class 1675** WPCSA Small Conformation Hunter Under Saddle
- Class 1676** WPCSA Small Working Hunter Over Fences
- Class 1677** WPCSA Small Conformation Hunter Stake  
**WPCSA Small Hunter Champion and Reserve Cooler**

#### Medium / Large Welsh Pony Hunter

WPCSA Gold Sanctioned / USEF "A" Rated

Open to Sec B Ponies over 12.2 hands but not over 14.2 hands and ridden by a Jr Exhibitor

- Class 1678** WPCSA Med./Lg. Conformation Hunter Under Saddle
- Class 1679** WPCSA Med./Lg. Working Hunter Over Fences
- Class 1680** WPCSA Med./Lg. Conformation Hunter Stake  
**WPCSA Med./Lg. Hunter Champion and Reserve Cooler**

#### Half Welsh/Part Bred Hunter

WPCSA Gold Sanctioned

Open to Half Welsh/Part Bred Ponies and Horses and Riders of any Age Breed type is not considered

- Class 1681** WPCSA Half Welsh/Part Bred Conformation Hunter Under Saddle
- Class 1682** WPCSA Half Welsh/Part Bred Working Hunter Over Fences
- Class 1683** WPCSA Half Welsh/Part Bred Conformation Hunter Stake  
**WPCSA Half Welsh/Part Bred Hunter Champion & Reserve Cooler**

### Adult Hunter

WPCSA Gold Sanctioned / USEF "A" Rated  
Open to Section A and B and Riders 18 years and older

- Class 1684** WPCSA Adult Conformation Hunter Under Saddle
- Class 1685** WPCSA Adult Working Hunter Over Fences
- Class 1686** WPCSA Adult Conformation Hunter Stake  
**WPCSA Adult Hunter Champion and Reserve Cooler**

### Welsh C and D Hunter

WPCSA Gold Sanctioned

Open to Sec C & D and Riders of any Age

- Class 1687** WPCSA C/D Conformation Hunter Under Saddle
- Class 1688** WPCSA C/D Working Hunter Over Fences
- Class 1689** WPCSA C/D Conformation Hunter Stake  
**WPCSA C/D Hunter Champion and Reserve Cooler**

### Low Hunter 18" or 2' - Article 112.8

WPCSA Gold Sanctioned

Division is open to Ponies/Cobs and Half-Welsh/Part Breds, Juniors and Adults. These **ANIMALS** may not compete in any other over fences division at that show where fence heights exceed 18". There are no restrictions on the rider unless they are restricted by other class rules. Long Stirrup riders are eligible if jumping 18" but Short Stirrup riders are not eligible to compete. Courses to be set at 18" or 2' with a minimum of 4 fences with 8 jumping efforts required. Jumps must be verticals (no cross rails). Riders may choose to jump 18" or 2'. Fence heights are not determined by the height of the animal. No animal may jump both 18" and 2" in this division at the same show. Over-fences classes must precede the under-saddle classes. To be judged 100% on performance. May either trot or canter the course. Not required to jog for over-fences classes

- Class 55** WPCSA Low Hunter Under Saddle
- Class 56** WPCSA Low Hunter Over Fences
- Class 57** WPCSA Low Hunter Over Fences Stake  
**WPCSA Low Hunter Champion and Reserve Cooler**

### SHORT STIRRUP HUNTER CLASSES - (ARTICLE 112.6)

Division is open to riders 12 years and under. Classes are open to all Ponies/Cobs/Half-Welsh/Part Bred, mares and geldings. **RIDERS** in this division, including the under saddle class, may not compete over fences in any other division except Short Stirrup equitation. Courses to be set at 18" with a minimum of 4 fences with 8 jumping efforts required. May either trot or canter the course. Over-fence classes must precede the under-saddle class. To be judged 100% on performance. To be eligible for the under-saddle class, animal must have shown in and completed an over-fences class. Under-saddle class animals will be shown both ways of the ring at a walk, trot and canter. Not required to jog for over-fences classes.

**Entry Fee: \$15.00 Per Class Trophy and 6 Ribbons**

#### WPCSA SHORT STIRRUP HUNTER

- Class 1690** WPCSA Short Stirrup Hunter Over Fences
- Class 1691** WPCSA Short Stirrup Hunter Over Fences
- Class 1692** WPCSA Short Stirrup Hunter Under Saddle  
**WPCSA Short Stirrup Hunter Champion and Reserve Cooler**

#### WPCSA SHORT STIRRUP EQUITATION

To be judged 100% on hands, seat and control and suitability of mount.

- Class 1693** WPCSA Short Stirrup Equitation Over Fences
- Class 1694** WPCSA Short Stirrup Equitation On The Flat

### Miscellaneous - No Ratings

- Class 1610** Welsh Warm-Up Hunter Fences 2'6 & 2'  
**Entry Fee: \$25.00 Trophy and Six Ribbons**  
**Short Sitrup Riders Will Have A Separate Warm-Up Time**

### Please Note All WPCSA Ponies Must Be Registered

All ponies (both Welsh and Half Welsh/Part Bred must be registered with the Welsh Pony and Cob Society of America, or Canada, or in the case of foals, be eligible for registration, in order to be eligible for any recognized class or division of this show. To find out about registration, contact the national office

### WELSH PONY and COB SOCIETY OF AMERICA, INC.

720 Green Street, Stephens City, VA 22655 540-868- 7669

#### APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Desiring to cooperate with breeders of Welsh Ponies and Cobs and to comply with the By-Laws and Rules of the Welsh Pony and Cob Society of America, Inc., I hereby apply for membership. (Complete and forward to National Office with fee for type of membership desired.)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**Dues:** Life \$1000, Annual \$45, Family/Firm \$60, Annual Adult \$50, Annual Assoc \$35, Junior \$30

Membership Year 1/1 thru 12/31 Indicate type of membership

See Next Page For Additional WPCSA Classes

**1695 WPCSA LEADLINE WALK (Tuesday)**

Classes open to riders 7 & under mounted on Ponies/Cobs / Half-Welsh/Part Breds, mares and geldings. The leading rein to be attached to the cavesson on the English bridle or to a noseband, cavesson or halter with a Western bridle while leaving control of the pony to the child. No chain leadlines allowed. Judged on equitation and suitability of mount at a walk. To stand quietly. To be led by an adult or a junior age 12 or over. Both handler and rider to be appropriately attired. English or Western attire is acceptable. No chain leadlines. **RIDERS** ineligible for other ridden classes except costume, leading rein, leadline walk-trot, and leadline walk-trot poles.

**Trophy and 6 Ribbons Entry Fee \$15.00**

**58 WPCSA LEADLINE WALK-TROT Art 115.5 (Tuesday)**

Classes open to riders 7 & under mounted on Ponies/Cobs / Half-Welsh/Part Breds, mares and geldings. The leading rein to be attached to the cavesson on the English bridle or to a noseband, cavesson or halter with a Western bridle while leaving control of the pony to the child. No chain leadlines allowed. Judged on equitation and suitability of mount at a walk and trot/jog. To stand quietly. To be led by an adult or a junior age 12 or over. Both handler and rider to be appropriately attired. English or Western attire is acceptable. No chain leadlines. **RIDERS** ineligible for other ridden classes except costume, leading rein, leadline walk and leadline walk-trot poles.

**Trophy and 6 Ribbons Entry Fee \$15.00**

**59 WPCSA Leadline Walk/Trot Poles Art 115.5 (Tuesday)**

To be ridden once around a course of four poles on the ground entirely at a walk OR entirely at a trot/jog. Poles are to be placed a minimum of 4 feet off the rail. Two on each side of the ring, simulating a hunter course. The poles should be placed far enough away from the entrance to provide an adequate sized area to do an opening and closing circle.

**Trophy and 6 Ribbons Entry Fee \$15.00**

**WPCSA Leadline Champion and Reserve Cooler**

**1696 WPCSA LEADING REIN (ARTICLE 115.1) (Tuesday)**

Section A, B, C or Half-Welsh/Part Breds, mare or gelding, 12.2 hands and under, to be ridden by junior exhibitors at least four, but not more than eight, years of age. To be shown on light contact and led by an adult. The leading rein to be attached to the cavesson on the English bridle or to a noseband, cavesson or halter with a Western bridle while leaving control of the pony to the child. No chain leadlines allowed. To be shown at a walk, on the right rein (clockwise), to line up and stand quietly. Ponies will be called out individually to stand, walk out and trot or jog back past the judge. **Ponies to be judged** on manners, suitability, breed type, conformation and turn-out. This is not an equitation class. **There are no restrictions for the pony or rider.**

**Trophy and 6 Ribbons Entry Fee \$15.00**

**1698 WPCSA WALK (ARTICLE 115.5) (Tuesday)**

Classes open to riders 11 & under mounted on Ponies/Cobs / Half-Welsh/Part Breds, mares and geldings. Judged on equitation and suitability of mount. English or Western attire is acceptable. **RIDERS** ineligible for other ridden classes except costume, leading rein, child's first pony, walk-trot and walk-trot poles. To walk both ways of the ring.

**Trophy and 6 Ribbons Entry Fee \$15.00**

**1697 WPCSA CHILD'S 1st PONY (ARTICLE 115.2) (Tuesday)**

Section A, B, C and Half-Welsh/Part Breds, mare or gelding 12.2 hands and under, to be ridden by junior exhibitors at least four, but no more than 10, years of age. Riders to be suitably dressed in Hunt, Saddle or Western attire including protective headgear. Ponies to be shown at a walk and trot or jog, both ways of the ring. **Ponies to be judged** on performance, manners and suitability. Conformation, way of going, manners, suitability and turnout to be emphasized. This is not an equitation class. **There are no restrictions for the pony or rider.**

**Trophy and 6 Ribbons Entry Fee \$15.00**

**Class 1699 WPCSA WALK-TROT - (ARTICLE 115.5) (Tuesday)**

Classes open to riders 11 & under mounted on Ponies/Cobs / Half-Welsh/Part Breds, mares and geldings. Judged on equitation and suitability of mount. To walk and rein back at spots marked. English or Western attire is acceptable. **RIDERS** ineligible for other ridden classes except costume, leading rein, child's first pony, walk and walk-trot poles. **Trophy and 6 Ribbons Entry Fee \$15.00**

**ADDITIONAL WPCSA RULES AND REGULATIONS**

Removing the bridle from an animal harnessed to a vehicle, or leaving an animal unattended while hitched, anywhere on the show grounds, will result in instant elimination and removal from the show grounds.

Junior Exhibitors must wear ASTM-SEI approved headgear at all times whenever mounted or in a driven vehicle at all times on the show grounds. Harness must be secured and properly fitted. Any rider violating this rule at any time must immediately be prohibited from further riding until such headgear is properly in place.

**Class 1700 WPCSA WALK-TROT POLES - (ARTICLE 115.5) (Tuesday)**

Classes open to riders 11 & under mounted on Ponies/Cobs / Half-Welsh/Part Breds, mares and geldings. Judged on equitation and suitability of mount. To be ridden once around a course of four poles on the ground entirely at a walk or entirely at a trot/jog. Poles are to be placed at a minimum of 4 feet off the rail, two on each side of the ring, simulating a hunter course. The poles should be placed far enough away from the entrance gate to provide an adequate sized area to do an opening and closing circle. English or Western attire is acceptable. **RIDERS** ineligible for other ridden classes except costume, leading rein, child's first pony, walk and walk-trot.

**Trophy and 6 Ribbons Entry Fee \$15.00**

**WPCSA JUNIOR WELSH HANDLER (Tuesday)**

Class open to juniors handling Ponies/ Cobs/ Half-Welsh/ Part Breds mares and geldings. Judged on the ability and skill of the Junior in handling their animal as in the breed ring. The show qualities of the animal shall not be considered, although cleanliness and grooming can be considered. Exhibitors enter to the left so as not to obscure the judge's view. The ring procedure should be the same routine used when judging standard halter classes. The judge evaluates the ability of the junior to follow directions, use space wisely, and execute the requested patterns. Juniors should appear "ring wise", be alert to the judging progression and be prepared for changes in the judging routine. This is not a showmanship class and a showmanship pattern should not be used.

**Trophy and 6 Ribbons Entry Fee \$15.00**

**Class 632 WPCSA JUNIOR WELSH HANDLER 12 Yrs & Under**

**Class 633 WPCSA JUNIOR WELSH HANDLER 13- 17 Years**

**WPCSA HUNTER SEAT EQUITATION - (ART 114.3)**

No Championship, WPCSA Gold Sanctioned

Classes open to Ponies/Cobs/ Half-Welsh/Part Breds. To be judged on the rider's appearance, seat, hands and control of their mount. Animals 13.2 and under jump 2'; animals over 13.2 jump 2'6". Over Fence (o/f) classes: to be shown over a minimum of six obstacles. Under saddle (u/s) classes: to be shown at a walk, trot and canter both ways of the ring. Test may be required. **Junior Riders Only**

**Trophy and 6 Ribbons Entry Fee \$15.00 Per Class**

**Class 1608 WPCSA Hunter Seat Equitation Over Fences -**

**Class 1609 WPCSA Hunter Seat Equitation Under Saddle**

**WPCSA CARRIAGE DRIVING - (ARTICLE 113.2)**

**WPCSA Gold Sanctioned**

*Open to all sections of Welsh and Half Welsh/Part Bred*

(wire wheeled vehicles may be used if stated in prize list.) Classes open to Ponies/ Cobs/Half-Welsh/Part Breds. To be shown both ways of the arena at a walk, slow trot, working trot and strong trot. To stand quietly, both on the rail and while lined up, and to rein back. In the slow trot the animal should maintain forward impulsion while showing submission to the bit. A properly attired groom or passenger *capable of rendering assistance in case of an emergency* is required for all pairs and tandems; unicorns and four-in-hands require 2 grooms/passengers. Failure to comply will result in elimination from the class.

**Entry Fee Per Class: \$25.00 6 Ribbons**

**Championship Class: \$35.00 Cooler, 6 Ribbons**

**1660 WPCSA Carriage Driving Turnout (Tuesday)**

To be judged primarily on the performance and quality of each turnout. To be shown both ways of the ring at a walk, slow trot, working trot and strong trot. To stand quietly and to rein back. To be judged 70% on the condition, fit and appropriateness of harness and vehicle, neatness and appropriateness of attire and overall impression; 30% on performance, manners and way of going.

**1661 WPCSA Carriage Driving Working (Tuesday)**

To be judged primarily on the suitability of the animal to provide a pleasant drive. To be shown both ways of the ring at a walk, slow trot, working trot and strong trot. To stand quietly both on the rail and while lined up and to rein back. May be asked to execute appropriate tests. To be judged 70% on performance, manners and way of going; 20% on condition and fit of harness and vehicle; 10% on neatness of attire.

**1662 WPCSA Carriage Driving Working - Same as Class 1661.**

**(Tuesday)**

**WPCSA Carriage Driving Champion and Reserve**

## THE SPORT PONY STAR SEARCH CHALLENGE

This is a **SPORT PONY STAR SEARCH QUALIFER** for the 2018 Royal Winter Fair Sport Pony Show.

**Entry Fee \$15.00 Per Class**

- 178 Sport Pony Foal Colt, Filly or Gelding
- 179 Sport Pony Yearling Colt, Filly or Gelding
- 180 Sport Pony Two Year Old - Colt, Filly or Gelding
- 181 Sport Pony Three Years Old & Over - Mare
- 182 Sport Pony Three Years Old & Over – Gelding
- 183 Sport Pony Three Years Old & Over – Stallion

**Champion & Reserve Champion  
1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Place in Classes 178-183**

**Grand Champion Ribbon**

**Presented by the NASPR if the pony is registered NASP**

**Tuesday**

**Ridden Ponies must be 3 years old or over as of January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018**

**Open To Mares, Stallions and Geldings**

**Entry Fee \$15.00 Per Class**

- 184 Sport Pony Dressage Suitability Exhibition (**Tuesday**)
- 185 Sport Pony Hunter Under Saddle Suitability Exhibition (**Tuesday**)

### ROYAL STARESEARCH FINALS

**Height restriction:** Ponies must measure 14.2 hands or under & may be measured before the class. Passport and/or Registration Papers are not necessary to participate, nor must the pony be a registered sportpony. All Sportpony type ponies are eligible to enter qualifying shows if they meet the show rules.

**ROYAL STAR SEARCH FINALS** The first place in each of the 6 in hand classes at the qualifying shows are eligible to enter to qualify for the **SPORT PONY STAR SEARCH CHALLENGE CUP**, held at the Royal Winter Fair in November 2018. Both under saddle classe winners also qualify for each respective class. General EC rules for sport horses will apply.

Adults **CAN** ride a pony. Stallions may **NOT** be handled or ridden by children at the Royal Winter Fair, but may at the qualifying show's discretion.

If the first place pony has already qualified at a previous show in 2018 then the second place pony becomes the qualifier. Once qualified a pony may still show at any of the qualifying shows. A list of shows & qualified ponies can be viewed at [www.royalfair.org](http://www.royalfair.org)

To compete in the 2018 Sportpony Finals at the Royal an entry **MUST** be made prior to the closing date and accepted by the Royal entry department. See [www.royalfair.org](http://www.royalfair.org) for entry forms, closing dates, rules & regulations.

At the Royal the **SPORT PONY STAR SEARCH** winner will be awarded the perpetual **MORTON SPORTPONY CHALLENGE CUP** and a silver keeper plate. Our sponsors, **DENWORTH EQUINE MANAGEMENT** award each qualifier with a ribbon throughout the year & \$1000.00 in prize money to the Staresearch Champion Class at the 2018 Royal.

For further sportpony info please contact Darlene Morton at [info@mortonstables.com](mailto:info@mortonstables.com)

**All WPCSA Exhibitors**  
**( Owners, Riders, Drivers, Trainers and/or Handlers) Must Sign This Form**  
**WPCSA ASSUMPTION OF RISK, RELEASE AND INDEMNIFICATION**

I have read the rules concerning competitions as printed in the WPCSA Handbook and Directory and agree to be bound by and subject to those Rules.

This document waives very important legal rights. Read it carefully before signing.

In consideration for WPCSA permitting me to participate in this Competition, and by signing this form blank, I agree as follows:

I AGREE that I choose to participate voluntarily in this Competition, as a rider, driver, handler, lessee, owner, agent, coach, trainer, junior exhibitor, or as a parent or guardian of a junior exhibitor. I AM FULLY AWARE AND ACKNOWLEDGE THAT HORSE SPORTS AND PARTICIPATION IN THIS COMPETITION INVOLVE SERIOUS RISK OF HARM INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, RISKS OF ACCIDENT, SERIOUS BODILY INJURY, INCLUDING DEATH, BROKEN BONES, HEAD INJURIES, TRAUMA, PAIN, AND SUFFERING, AND PROPERTY DAMAGE. I ASSUME ALL RISKS OF HARM TO ME, MY HORSE OR MY PROPERTY.

I AGREE for myself, my heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns to release AHA, the Competition, the facilities leased by the Competition and the owner(s) of the facilities, and all of their respective officers, officials, directors, employees, agents, personnel, volunteers, affiliated organizations and insurers (collectively, the "Released Parties") from any and all claims for damage, loss, or injury to myself, other persons, horses or other property belonging to me to the fullest extent permitted by law that arises out of or relates in any way to the Competition and my participation in the Competition INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, DAMAGES, LOSS, OR INJURY RESULTING FROM ANY ACTS, FAILURE TO ACT, NEGLIGENCE OR NEGLECT OF OTHER ENTRANTS, THE RELEASED PARTIES, THEIR CONTRACTORS OR INVITEES, as well as for theft, vandalism, fire, other casualty damage, or damage arising out of any defects in the premises.

I AGREE to indemnify and hold harmless (that is pay all losses, damages, attorneys fees and costs of) the Released Parties from and against any and all claims, demands, penalties, actions, losses, costs, damages, injuries, liabilities and obligations (including attorneys fees) of whatsoever kind and nature, which may be asserted against or incurred by any of them as a result of (1) my participation in the Competition or (2) any act, failure to act, or neglect (a) by me, my agents, employees, riders, handlers, trainers, coaches, drivers, contractors or invitees, or (b) by any animal owned or exhibited by me or in my custody or control.

I AGREE and represent that I am qualified and eligible to enter and/or participate in the Competition, and every horse I am entering is qualified and eligible as entered.

I AGREE to accept AS FINAL any decision of WPCSA, the Show Committee or Show Officials concerning my qualification or the qualification of my horse to enter the Competition or any results of the Competition, except to the extent that the Rules of AHA, the Competition, Equine Canada or USEF permit a protest or hearing of such decisions. Should a hearing be requested, I agree to accept AS FINAL the decision of the particular hearing body. I agree to release, hold harmless and not to sue WPCSA, the Competition Sponsor, their officers, directors, employees, volunteers or members concerning any decision of WPCSA, the Competition, its Show Committee, Show Officials or any hearing body that relates to my qualifications or my animal(s)' qualifications to enter the Competition or any results of the Competition.

I AGREE that WPCSA has the sole right to control, sell, supervise or give away (or assign to others the right to do so) the exclusive rights to broadcast, televise, reproduce, transmit and disseminate all or part of this event, and I agree that WPCSA may use or assign, in any way WPCSA sees fit, photographs, films, videos, audios, cablecasts, or other likenesses of me and my horse taken during the course of the Competition for the promotion, coverage or benefit of the Competition or WPCSA. Those likenesses shall not be used to advertise a product and they may not be used in such a way which implies endorsement of any company, product, product category or service. I hereby expressly and irrevocably waive and release any rights in connection with such use, including any claim to compensation, invasion of privacy, right of publicity, or to misappropriation.

By signing below as a parent or guardian of a junior exhibitor, I consent to the child's participation and agree to all of the above provisions, and further agree to assume all of the obligations of this WPCSA Assumption of Risk, Release and Indemnification personally and on behalf of the child.

**Rider**

**Owner**

**Trainer**

**Additional Party**

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**Signature**

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