



SEASON KICK-OFF FEATURE SHOW

Sunday 27 October, 2024

Judge: Michelle McKenzie

Talunga Park, Mt Pleasant

**** Estimated 10.30am Start **** Our Show will commence immediately after the completion of the MHAA® Classes, which are being held in the same ring before ours and which commence at 9.00am. If the MHAA® Show finishes early, our Show will not commence before 10am

Our Show will be held in the ring on the northern side of the oval adjacent to the goal posts.

MINIATURE PONY CLASSES:

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| 1. Best Presented Miniature Pony & Junior Handler | ** <u>NOTE: NO WORKOUT</u> ** |
| 2. Best Presented Miniature Pony & Adult Handler | ** <u>NOTE: NO WORKOUT</u> ** |

MINIATURE PONY BREED CLASSES:

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| 3. Filly | 1 year and under | |
| 4. Filly | 2 years | |
| 5. Mare | 3 years to 7 years | CHAMPION MARE / FILLY |
| 6. Mare | 8 years & Over | RESERVE CHAMPION MARE / FILLY |
| 7. Colt | 1 year and under | |
| 8. Colt | 2 years | |
| 9. Stallion | 3 years to 7 years | CHAMPION STALLION / COLT |
| 10. Stallion | 8 years & Over | RESERVE CHAMPION STALLION / COLT |
| 11. Gelding | 1 year and under | |
| 12. Gelding | 2 years | |
| 13. Gelding | 3 years to 7 years | CHAMPION GELDING |
| 14. Gelding | 8 years & Over | RESERVE CHAMPION GELDING |

“ SUPREME MINIATURE PONY ”

Eligible for Supreme: Champion Mare / Filly ~ Champion Stallion / Colt ~ Champion Gelding

APPENDIX PONY CLASSES: *** These Classes CANNOT be combined with the Miniature Pony Classes above.

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| 15A. Best Presented Appendix Pony & Junior Handler | ** <u>NOTE: NO WORKOUT</u> ** |
| 16A. Best Presented Appendix Pony & Adult Handler | ** <u>NOTE: NO WORKOUT</u> ** |

APPENDIX PONY BREED CLASSES:

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| 17A. Appendix Filly | 2yrs & under: | CHAMPION APPENDIX FILLY / MARE |
| 18A. Appendix Mare | 3yrs & over: | RESERVE CHAMPION APPENDIX FILLY / MARE |
| 19A. Appendix Colt | 2yrs & under: | CHAMPION APPENDIX COLT / STALLION |
| 20A. Appendix Stallion | 3yrs & over: | RESERVE CHAMPION APPENDIX COLT / STALLION |
| 21A. Appendix Gelding | 2yrs & under: | CHAMPION APPENDIX GELDING |
| 22A. Appendix Gelding | 3yrs & over: | RESERVE CHAMPION APPENDIX GELDING |

SUPREME APPENDIX PONY

Eligible for Supreme:

Champion Appendix Filly / Mare ~ Champion Appendix Colt / Stallion ~ Champion Appendix Gelding

HANDLER CLASSES: MINIATURE PONY:

23. Novice Handler: Any age: Miniature Pony: Those eligible – anyone not having won an AMPS Handler Class

*** Kindly Note – Winner of Novice Handler NOT eligible to go in for Champion Handler ***

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| 24. Junior Handler | 9 years and under | |
| 25. Junior Handler | 10 years to 14 years | CHAMPION CHILD HANDLER |
| 26. Junior Handler | 15 years to 17 years | RESERVE CHAMPION CHILD HANDLER |

HANDLER CLASSES: MINIATURE PONY: Contd

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| 27. Adult Handler 18 years to 30 years | |
| 28. Adult Handler 31 years to 46 years | |
| 29. Adult Handler 47 years to 66 years | CHAMPION ADULT HANDLER |
| 30. Adult Handler 67 years & Over | RESERVE CHAMPION ADULT HANDLER |

HANDLER CLASSES: APPENDIX PONY:

31A. Novice Handler: Any age – Appendix Pony: Those eligible – anyone not having won an AMPS Handler Class
 *** Kindly Note – Winner of Novice Handler NOT eligible to go in for Champion Handler ***

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| 32A. Junior Handler 9 years and under | |
| 33A. Junior Handler 10 years to 14 years | CHAMPION CHILD HANDLER - APPENDIX PONY |
| 34A. Junior Handler 15 years to 17 years | RESERVE CHAMPION CHILD HANDLER - APPENDIX PONY |
| 35A. Adult Handler 18 years to 25 years | |
| 36A. Adult Handler 26 years to 50 years | CHAMPION ADULT HANDLER - APPENDIX PONY |
| 37A. Adult Handler 51 years & over | RESERVE CHAMPION ADULT HANDLER - APPENDIX PONY |

SPECIALTY CLASSES:

COLOUR CLASSES: MINIATURE PONY:

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| 38. SOLID (includes Black, Bay, Brown, Chesnut) | |
| 39. PINTO (includes all Pinto Patterns, Sabino, Tobiano, Overo, Tovero, Splash, etc) | |
| 40. DILUTE (includes Dun, Buckskin, Grulla, Palomino, etc) | |
| 41. PALOUSE | |
| 42. ANY OTHER COLOUR (Includes Grey, Pintaloosa, Roan) | CHAMPION COLOUR EXHIBIT MINIATURE PONY |
| | RESERVE CHAMPION COLOUR EXHIBIT |

COLOUR CLASSES: APPENDIX PONY:

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| 43A. SOLID (includes Black, Bay, Brown, Chesnut) | |
| 44A. PINTO (includes all Pinto Patterns, Sabino, Tobiano, Overo, Tovero, Splash, etc) | |
| 45A. DILUTE (includes Dun, Buckskin, Grulla, Palomino, etc) | |
| 46A. PALOUSE | |
| 47A. ANY OTHER COLOUR (Includes Grey, Pintaloosa, Roan) | CHAMPION COLOUR EXHIBIT APPENDIX PONY |
| | RESERVE CHAMPION COLOUR EXHIBIT |

48. Hand Led – Miniature Pony Ridden Class
 49A. Hand Led – Appendix Pony Ridden Class

Approved Helmets MUST but worn for ALL HARNESS
 & HAND LED RIDDEN CLASSES

Miniature & Appendix Long-Reining Classes: Ponies 2 years & over eligible to enter.

- LR1. Long-Reining - Miniature Pony - Novice (Not eligible for Champion)
 LR2. Long Reining – Miniature Pony -
 LR3. Long Reining - Obstacle - Miniature Pony
 LR4A. Long-Reining - Appendix Pony - Novice (Not eligible for Champion)
 LR5A. Long Reining – Appendix Pony -
 LR6A. Long Reining - Obstacle: - Appendix Pony

MINIATURE PONY IN HARNESS:

See Conditions of Entry for Harness Conditions of Entry & guidelines

- H1. Novice Miniature Pony in Harness – eligible Mare, Stallion, Gelding (Not eligible for Champion)
 H2. Miniature Pony In Harness
 H3. Miniature Pony In Harness – Obstacles

APPENDIX PONY IN HARNESS:

- H4A. Novice Appendix Pony in Harness – eligible Mare, Stallion, Gelding (Not eligible for Champion)
 H5A. Appendix Pony In Harness
 H6A. Appendix Pony In Harness – Obstacles

IMPORTANT: Please read the Conditions Of Entry Sheet, as by signing the Entry Form, you are deemed to have agreed to abide by ALL the Conditions Of Entry.

ENTRIES TO BE RECEIVED BY: MIDNIGHT FRIDAY 18TH OCTOBER, 2024

Classes 48 – H6A **\$5.50 per Class**

Members are advised that it is now a condition of our Insurance that Waivers are signed by ALL Members competing or attending AMPS® Shows or Promotional Events. I have been able to negotiate with our Insurers that these Waivers only have to be signed once a year at the beginning of our Show Season and therefore if this is your first Show of this season you will have to sign the Waiver that is sent with the Show information. This Waiver must be sent back with your Show Entries, as you will not be permitted to show if you have not returned the signed Waiver Form to me prior to the Show.

If you have any queries with regards to this, please Contact me.

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1. All exhibits must be registered with Australian Miniature Pony Society Inc and in name of a current financial Member.
2. All exhibits to adhere to the Australian Miniature Pony Society Inc Showing Standard ~
REMINDER: FOALS OF THE CURRENT SEASON MUST NOT BE CLIPPED -- THIS MEANS NEVER BEEN CLIPPED !!!
3. The Show Disputes Committee, or a designated representative of Committee, reserves the right to inspect any exhibit.
4. **Branding / Micro-chipping: Ponies must be branded or micro-chipped before being shown, but Foals under the age of eight months being shown independent of their dams are excluded. However, irrespective of age, if a registered AMPS® Pony has been sold by the breeder, it MUST be branded or micro-chipped.**
5. Copies of both sides (if required) of relevant Registration papers and/or Foal Recordings must be sent in with the Entry Form and carried with you on the day of the Show. You should also carry your Membership Card with you.
6. Members are required to sign their own Entry Forms. If ponies are being entered by other than the Registered Owner, a letter of authority MUST be provided. In the case of jointly owned ponies, one signature is acceptable.
7. Show Entries MUST be submitted in the name of the AMPS® Member, NOT the Stud name as these are not recognized by the Society as being the Member.
8. Names of Ponies MUST be in full, as they are recorded in the data base and on the Registration Certificate, not shortened.
9. If a Miniature Pony measures over 87cm at a Show & the Member accepts the measurement, the Pony can show as an Appendix Pony on the day. The Member must surrender the Miniature Papers & / or return to the office within 28 days.
10. Age of exhibit is at 1st August, preceding the date of the Show.
11. Age of Handler is at the date of the Show. However, please note: 17 year old Junior Members stay in same age category for rest of season, if they turn 18 during the season.
12. ALL Handlers (irrespective of age) must be current Financial Members of the Australian Miniature Pony Society Inc, either in their own right, or part of a Joint or Family Membership.
13. All Foals must be led by a competent Member; Colt Foals can only be led by a competent Member, 18 years & over.
14. ALL ENTIRES (Colts or Stallions) 2 years and over, must be shown in a bit.
15. ALL ENTIRES (Colts or Stallions) irrespective of age, can ONLY be handled by a competent Member, 18 years & over.
16. All handlers must be suitably attired in the ring.
17. Approved Helmets MUST be worn for ALL Harness and Hand Led Ridden Pony Classes.

AMPS® SA SEASON KICK-OFF FEATURE SHOW - CONDITIONS OF ENTRY – RUN UNDER AMPS® RULES:

18. **Harness Classes:** AMPS® Harness Classes are based on the Australian Carriage Driving Society Inc (ACDS) regulations; for further clarification check their website: www.acds.org.au It is a Member's responsibility to check these Rules.
 - Ponies 3 years & over are eligible to enter Harness Classes.
 - The wearing of an approved Helmet is compulsory as per AMPS® Rules.
 - A competent Adult SHOULD accompany Youth Drivers and MUST accompany Youth Drivers under 12 years.
 - It is recommended for Headers to be in the line-up.
 - Headers must be AMPS® Members and wear show attire.
 - All Ponies must have blinkers on the bridle.
 - Head-checks are NOT permitted.
19. All protests must be lodged with the Show Convener within 15 minutes of the completion of the Class, together with a \$100-00 fee which will be reimbursed if the protest is upheld. The Protest Committee's decision is final.
NO PROTEST WILL BE HEARD WITHOUT THE \$100-00 FEE BEING PAID.
20. **DRUG TESTING:** The Show convener reserves the right to randomly drug test Ponies at any time throughout the Show. Any Ponies found to have a positive result will be banned from the remainder of the Show and show season and penalties will be invoked on the owner and/or exhibitor and/or handler of the Pony. Further, if there is a positive result, the owner/exhibitor MUST pay all the costs of testing and associated expenses. In signing the Entry Form for the Show it is acknowledged that drug testing could take place at any time throughout the Show.
21. Exhibitors will be responsible for cleaning up all manure and rubbish from around their floats, cars or any area they occupy on the grounds. The owners of the grounds will on-charge any cleaning expenses to Members not adhering to this condition.
22. Members are reminded that they are responsible for Non-Members who accompany them and that they can be disciplined by the Federal Committee if the behavior of those persons warrants such action. This ruling also applies to Members who bring the Australian Miniature Pony Society Inc into disrepute.
23. Neither the Australian Miniature Pony Society Inc, SA Promotional Group, nor the owner of the grounds will accept liability for any accident, damage, injury or loss to ponies, competitors, or spectators or any of their belongings or any other persons or property.
24. Photographs maybe taken at this Show and maybe published in relevant media outlets as part of a record of the Show. In signing the Entry Form, you are agreeing to the publication of said photos. If you do not wish to have your Pony photographed, you must submit a letter, with your Entry Form to the Show, advising the Show Convener.
25. **Hot Weather & Inclement Weather Policy:** If the weather forecast for Mt Pleasant, on the Thursday night preceding the Show, is 36 degrees or higher, then the Show will not be held. The same applies if inclement weather or weather that is considered dangerous is forecast, the Show will not be held. All Members entered in the Show will be contacted via text or phone to confirm that the Show is not being held. The Show will also not be held if there is a bushfire, or flooding in the area in the days preceding the Show, to prevent any travel by Members through affected areas. Note 25 below regarding Refunds.
26. **Refunds** may be permitted under some conditions. If the Show is postponed or cancelled by the SA Promotional Group, entries maybe transferred to another Show, or refunded less the relevant Admin Fee.
27. **Evacuation Procedure:** In the event Talunga Park Oval needs to be evacuated, Show Officials will give direction to all persons in attendance. Dependent upon the emergency, direction may be following consultation with the emergency authorities or relevant Council Representative/s. It is important that these directions are followed. Any injury, loss or death associated to the failure to follow the evacuation directives will be the responsibility of the Member signatory.
28. Members are reminded that we are a Height Society and that the measurement of Ponies is important and that any Pony may be measured at any and / or all Shows. All Ponies will be measured at their first Show of the Season and any Member who refuses the measurement of their Pony will not be allowed to Show until the Pony has been measured. See Condition 9 re Ponies measuring over 87cm. By signing the Entry Form, Members are deemed to agree to have their Pony measured if requested.
29. **On completing & signing the Entry Form, it is accepted you have agreed to ALL Conditions of Entry that apply to this Show & will abide by them. In addition to AMPS® Conditions of Entry, ALL Talunga Park, Conditions of Entry apply.**

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UNFORTUNATELY WE WONT HAVE CATERING AT THIS SHOW

LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING MEMBERS AT THE SHOW

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