## **SHOW REGULATIONS**

- 1. A 'Local' Exhibitor is a person who lives, owns or rents land and/or property in the "local" area. (See list of parishes at the bottom of the front inner page). The exhibit will also qualify of it has been quartered in the "local" area for three months prior to the day of the show. (evidence of this may be required).
- 2. The 'Local' restriction does not apply to two classes in the Pets Section or to the Heavy Horse Classes or the Puissance Event. Also, it does not apply to the 'Open' Cattle or Horse and Pony or all the arts and handicraft classes where entries will be accepted from an area 30 miles in radius (please refer to the exact ruling on this matter in the Cattle Section).
- 3. Entry Fees must be enclosed with the Entry Form. No entry fee can be refunded.
- 4. The Committee will not be held responsible for any accident, damage, loss or injury that occurs on the Show ground.
- 5. The times stated in this schedule are approximate and whilst every effort will be made to adhere to them they cannot be guaranteed.
- 6. The Committee reserves the right to cancel, amalgamate or split any Class. At the discretion of the Judge not more than two prizes will be awarded in any class where there are fewer than four entries. The Committee reserves the right to re-allocate prizes if necessary.
- 7. To qualify for entry in Children's Classes entrants must be the age that may be stipulated for a Class on the day of the Show.
- 8. All trophies are Perpetual Challenge Prizes and, as such, remain the property of the Committee who hold them on behalf of the donors. They must be returned to the Society in good and clean condition by 1<sup>st</sup> July in the year following the Show. Winner's colours are: 1<sup>st</sup> Red, 2<sup>nd</sup> Blue, 3<sup>rd</sup> Yellow
- 9. An animal entry must be on the Show ground at least one hour prior to the commencement of it's Class. An entry cannot be taken from the Show ground before 4.30pm, unless by special agreement.
- 10. Each entry must be in the charge of an attendant who will be required to conform to any regulations that the Committee may have to enforce. Prize winners will be required for exhibition and parade in the Show Ring at such times and in such order as may be determined by the Stewards. Owners or attendants will be required to accompany winning entries at this time and failure to comply with this, or any other similar request of the Stewards, will result in the forfeit of the prize.
- 11. Horses and ponies must not be ridden in public areas unnecessarily and must elsewhere be ridden in a careful and courteous manner at all times.
- 12. Horses and ponies under 4 years of age may only be shown in hand and not under saddle or ridden. Contravention of this regulation will result in disqualification.
- 13. A competitor who is late in entering the ring, who displays the wrong number or who is incorrectly dressed, is liable to be disqualified.
- 14. The only persons allowed to enter the ring will be competitors, judges, stewards and Society officials.

- 15. The Committee will have the right to insist on the removal from the Show ground of any animal that they consider to be unfit, unwell or out of control in any way.
- 16. A Judge's decision will be final in all matters falling within their jurisdiction.
- 17. An objection of any kind must be made in writing and delivered to the Secretary, together with a deposit of £5, as soon as possible but not later than 3.00pm on the day of the Show. The objection will be considered by the Committee, or by a forum of its members, and their decision will be final. If the objection is found to be frivolous the deposit will be forfeited. Any Committee member who might have an interest as a competitor in the outcome of the consideration will not be eligible to take part in the matter.
- 18. Any dispute must be referred to the Committee whose decision in the matter will be final. On Show day the Show Director will have the power of the Committee invested in him under these regulations.

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