

AEMHS Miniature Horse Spring Expo & Show

On 26th May 2012

At Vale View Equestrian Centre

Old Dalby, Melton Mowbray, Leicestershire, LE14 3LX

This show is OPEN to ALL Miniature Horses of The World, to find the BEST IN THE WORLD
regardless of Society registration / membership.

BUT ALL AEMHS members receive 50% discount on all entry fees! (Annual adult membership £20).
Plus an extra section for AEMHS reg horses owned by members. (All Mini's are eligible for AEMHS Registration).

This affiliated AEMHS show is a QUALIFIER for the major Miniature Horse Societies of Great Britain's National Finals/Championship shows of 2012. * SEE LIST BELOW:

- 1.) **AEMHS Summer Grand Championships** (1st to 3rd in ALL classes qualify)
(19th Aug 2012 at: EQUIFEST, East of England Showground, Peterborough)
- 2.) **IMHPS Miniature Horse Of The Year Show 2012** (1st to 3rd in classes: 1-4, 13-16, 23-26, 31-33, 36-45 qualify)
- 3.) **MHCGB National Finals** (1st to 3rd in classes: 1-5, 8-9, 13-17, 20-21, 23-27, 29-33, 36-45, 53-54, 58-65 qualify)
- 4.) **ISS Champion Miniature Horse of Britain – Royal London 2012**
(1st to 3rd in classes: 1-5, 8-9, 13-17, 20-21, 23-27, 29-33, 36-45, 53-54, 58-62 qualify)

The Spring Expo is hosting the 3rd annual:

***MINI HORSE HIGH JUMP OFFICIAL WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP
and WORLD RECORD ATTEMPT !!!!**

Commencing at: 12 noon in Ring 1 (please note by entering you agree to be filmed)

This will be filmed for YouTube, Internet etc. ALL mini show-jumpers can enter.

Current World Record Holder: Ella Richardson's Ujenik Extasys Peblou
who achieved a new verified world record of 100cms in 2010. (Record still stands)

World Champion Mini Horse High Jumper 2011: Emma Armitage's La Vista Really Remarkable

We would like to thank all our generous sponsors for their on going support and they will be fully listed in the show catalogue.

Trade stands confirmed to date:

Teenie Weenies

"Teenie Weenie Rugs for Teenie Weenie Horses" also Dog & Cat accessories.

Miniature Horse Stables

"Especially designed for the Miniature in mind!" visit: www.miniaturehorseinformation.com for details.

Sponsorship sought

There are many different sponsorship packages available, please contact us for further information.

Many sponsors benefits include 'priority stabling', closer parking and a horse day stall in the collecting ring!

A.E.M.H.S. HEAD OFFICE, 196 High Road, Wood Green, London, N22 8HH
Show enquiries to: 07732 371267 or 07429 797997 or email: info@aemhs.com

www.aemhs.com

Please note:

Rings 1 & 2 will break at 12 noon to hold the **Jumping Section** including the **HIGH JUMP OFFICIAL WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP & NEW RECORD ATTEMPT Ring One – commencing at 9:00 am**

YEARLING Classes - open to horses born in 2011

- Class 1: Thoroughbred / Lightweight Type not exceeding 34 inches
- Class 2: Middleweight Type not exceeding 34 inches
- Class 3: Full Latin American including Falabella not exceeding 38 inches
- Class 4: Latin American blend (minimum 25%) not exceeding 38 inches
- Class 5: Native type including Shetland not exceeding 38 inches
- Class 6: AEMHS registered, not exceeding 38 inches
- Class 7: Exclusive Registered Hyperion Thoroughbred not exceeding 38 inches
- Class 8: Broken Colour Conformation class not exceeding 34 inches
- Class 9: Appaloosa & Pintoosa Conformation class not exceeding 34 inches

Jumping Section (In-hand classes break at 12 noon for the WORLD RECORD ATTEMPT & Jumping classes)

- Class J10: Puissance high Jump in-hand **World Record Attempt** - not exceeding 34 inches.
(Please note: The separate Record Attempt entry form **MUST** be completed and signed for J10)
- Class J11: Puissance high jump in-hand - exceeding 34 inches but not ex 38 inches.
- Class J12: Hunter-Jumper not ex 38" – judged on conformation, style & performance over a small course.

2 & 3 year old Classes - open to horses born in 2009 & 2010

- Class 13: Thoroughbred / Lightweight Type not exceeding 34 inches
- Class 14: Middleweight Type not exceeding 34 inches
- Class 15: Full Latin American including Falabella not exceeding 38 inches
- Class 16: Latin American blend (minimum 25%) not exceeding 38 inches
- Class 17: Native type including Shetland not exceeding 38 inches
- Class 18: AEMHS registered, not exceeding 38 inches
- Class 19: **2 year old** Exclusive Registered Hyperion Thoroughbred not ex 38 ins
- Class 20: Broken Colour Conformation class not exceeding 34 inches
- Class 21: Appaloosa & Pintoosa Conformation class not exceeding 34 inches

3 year old plus Class - open to horses born in 2009 or before.

- Class 22: **3 years old or over** Exclusive Registered Hyperion Thoroughbred not ex 38 ins

4 years old & over Classes - open to horses born in or before 2008

- Class 23: Thoroughbred / Lightweight Type not exceeding 34 inches
- Class 24: Middleweight Type not exceeding 34 inches
- Class 25: Full Latin American including Falabella not exceeding 38 inches
- Class 26: Latin American blend (minimum 25%) not exceeding 38 inches
- Class 27: Native type including Shetland not exceeding 38 inches
- Class 28: AEMHS registered, not exceeding 38 inches
- Class 29: Broken Colour Conformation class not exceeding 34 inches
- Class 30: Appaloosa & Pintoosa Conformation class not exceeding 34 inches

Scaled Down Show Horse Classes – any age

- Class 31: Hack type - not exceeding 38 inches
- Class 32: Hunter type - not exceeding 38 inches
- Class 33: Cob type - not exceeding 38 inches
- Thoroughbred / Lightweight Type Championship (1st & 2nd from classes: 1, 13, 23)
- Middleweight Type Championship (1st & 2nd from classes: 2, 14, 24)
- Full Latin American Championship (1st & 2nd from classes: 3, 15, 25)
- Latin American Blend Championship (1st & 2nd from classes: 4, 16, 26)
- Native Type Championship (1st & 2nd from classes: 5, 17, 27)
- AEMHS Registered Championship (1st & 2nd from classes: 6, 18, 28)
- Hyperion Thoroughbred Championship (1st & 2nd from classes: 7, 19, 22)
- Scaled Down Show Horse Championship (1st & 2nd from classes: 31, 32, 33)
- Broken Colour Conformation Championship (1st & 2nd from classes: 8, 20, 29)
- Appaloosa & Pintoosa Conformation Championship (1st & 2nd from classes: 9, 21, 30)

**Overall Supreme Championship – ALL Champion's, Reserve's & 1st Reserve's go forward.
(This will be held in Ring 1 after all Classes & Championships in both rings have finished)**

Please note:

Rings 1 & 2 will break at 12 noon to hold the **Jumping Section** including the **HIGH JUMP OFFICIAL WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP & NEW RECORD ATTEMPT**
Ring Two – commencing at 8:30am

NOVICE Classes – any age not exceeding 38 inches

Class 34: Novice Miniature Horse – Never to have won a first or second prize prior to 1st Jan 2012

Class 35: Novice handler – who has not shown any horse (in-hand) prior to 1st Jan 2012

Miniature Standard (Category B) Classes – (exceeding 34 inches but not exceeding 38 inches)

Class 36: 1 & 2 year old Thoroughbred / Lightweight type

Class 37: 1 & 2 year old Middleweight type

Class 38: 1 & 2 year old Heavyweight type

Class 39: 3 years old & over Thoroughbred / Lightweight type

Class 40: 3 years old & over Middleweight type

Class 41: 3 years old & over Heavyweight type

Class 42: Broken Colour Conformation class any age or type

Class 43: Appaloosa & Pintoosa Conformation class any age or type

Heavyweight Type Classes

Class 44: 1 & 2 year old – not exceeding 34 inches

Class 45: 3 years old & over – not exceeding 34 inches

Alternative Classes – any age not exceeding 38 inches

(All 1st and 2nd from classes 46 to 54 go forward to the “Alternative Championship”)

Class 46: X Factor Star quality class (*This class is for the horse with the most natural presence and attitude. Horses will enter the ring at the trot*)

Class 47: Young Producer – shown by a child 16 years or under. (*Judged purely on conformation / way of going of the horse as this IS NOT a ‘young handler’ class*)

Class 48: Best Mover (*Judged purely on movement at the trot*)

Class 49: Best Young Handler - 7 years and under on 1st Jan 2012

Class 50: Best Young Handler – over 7 years but under 16 years on 1st Jan 2012

Class 51: Best turned out and produced horse (Special 1st Sash to Best Mane and sash to Best Tail)

Class 52: Veteran – 11 years old or over

Class 53: Best Gelding – any type

Class 54: Extreme Mini class – 29 inches or under at maturity (*1 & 2 yrs must be no more than 28”*)

UK / European Heritage Bred Classes – *These classes are for horses registered in any Register held in UK / Continental Europe. The horses MUST be born and bred in Europe and horses must NOT be registered in any registers outside of UK or Europe. Horses imported in utero are not eligible.*

Class 55: Yearlings - not exceeding 38 inches.

Class 56: 2 & 3 year olds - not exceeding 38 inches.

Class 57: 4 years old and over – not exceeding 38 inches.

Colour & Markings Classes – any age not ex 38” - (Judged 50% on conformation & 50% on markings)

Class 58: Broken Colour Thoroughbred / Lightweight type

Class 59: Broken Colour Middleweight & Heavyweight type

Class 60: Appaloosa / Pintoosa

Class 61: Solid Colour

Class 62: Other Colour (*Inc: Palomino, Dun, Silver, Roan, Cremello*)

Performance Classes – not exceeding 38 inches.

Class 63: Novice Miniature Horse Driven to any carriage. (*Not to have won 1st or 2nd in Open Driven class*).

Class 64: Open Miniature Horse Driven to any carriage.

Class 65: Liberty – any age. (*The horse enters the ring with 2 handlers, bridle to be removed and horse is loose schooled for 1 1/2 minutes. Whips maybe used but MUST NOT touch the horse at any time. Handlers have a further 1 1/2 minutes to catch the horse. The owner must provide the required music on a CD*).

Miniature Standard (Cat B) Thoroughbred / LW Championship (1st & 2nd from classes: 36 & 39)

Miniature Standard (Cat B) Middleweight Championship (1st & 2nd from classes: 37 & 40)

Miniature Standard (Cat B) Heavyweight Championship (1st & 2nd from classes: 38 & 41)

Miniature Standard (Cat B) Colour Conformation Championship (1st & 2nd from classes: 42 to 43)

Heavyweight Type Championship (1st & 2nd from classes: 44 & 45)

Alternative Championship (1st & 2nd from classes: 46 to 54)

UK / European Heritage Bred Championship (1st & 2nd from classes: 55 to 57)

Colour & Markings Championship (1st & 2nd from classes: 58 to 62)

(The overall Supreme Championship will commence in Ring 1 after both Ring’s 1 & 2 have finished. ALL Champion’s, Reserve’s & 1st Reserve’s go forward to compete in the Overall Supreme).

Obstacle Ring – commencing at 2:00 pm

Class 66: In-Hand Obstacle Course – any type 2 years old and over not exceeding 38 inches.

PLEASE NOTE: The In-Hand Obstacle Course will be set up between 2pm and 4pm.

All competitors please present themselves, or a representative, with or without horse, for results and prize giving at 4pm. Prizes to all competitors.

Entry fee £5.00 – payable upon entry into the ring.

PLEASE NOTE: COLOUR CLASSES

Colour and Markings classes are judged 50% conformation / 50% markings.

BUT Colour Conformation classes are judged entirely on CONFORMATION & MOVEMENT (NOT on markings)

EXPLANATION OF THE “UK / EUROPEAN HERITAGE BRED” CLASSES:

Horses must be born in the UK or Europe PLUS they must be registered only in the UK or Continental Europe.

They must NOT be registered in any Association outside of Europe. Horses imported in utero are not eligible.

But they may have imported parents from any country in the world and the parents maybe registered anywhere.

GUIDELINES: In all Non-Native classes horses are presented freshly fully clipped (body and limbs) or recently clipped. Extended bridle path but untrimmed natural mane (as per an Arabian) & long natural un-banged tail (tapered/uncut end). These are guidelines to correct turnout, NOT rules.

GUIDELINES: In all Native type classes horses are presented un-clipped with full natural coat and un-trimmed feathering on the legs and a full mane and tail with no bridle path & a full natural un-pulled tail. (These are guidelines to correct turnout, NOT rules).

A.E.M.H.S. RULES

ALL PERSONS COMPETEING OR ATTENDING ANY A.E.M.H.S. AFFILIATED SHOW, WHETHER OR NOT A MEMBER OF THE SOCIETY, ARE SUBJECT TO THE RULES OF THE SOCIETY WHICH MUST BE OBEYED BY ALL PERSONS ATTENDING THE SHOW AND THIS IS A CONDITION OF ENTRY.

- RULE 1: THE GOVERNING MEMBERS OF THE SOCIETY / SHOW (THE DIRECTORS) RESERVE THE RIGHT TO REFUSE ENTRY TO ANY PERSON WITHOUT ANY EXPLANATION.
- RULE 2: THE JUDGES DECISION IS FINAL.
- RULE 3: THE SOCIETY, THE GOVERNING MEMBERS AND SHOW COMMITTEE ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY LOSS, INJURY OR DEATH TO ANY PERSONS OR THEIR ANIMALS AT ANY TIME WHILST ON THE SHOWGROUND WHETHER COMPETING OR NOT.
- RULE 4: THE SHOW COMMITTEE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO CANCEL, ALTER, AMEND, SPLIT OR AMALGAMATE ANY CLASSES AT ANY TIME.
- RULE 5: ANY ANIMAL SHOWING SIGNS OF DISEASE OR ILLNESS WILL BE ASKED TO LEAVE THE SHOW.
- RULE 6: ANY ANIMALS THAT ARE UNRULY / DEEMED TO BE UNSAFE WILL BE ASKED TO LEAVE.
- RULE 7: NO SUBSTITUTION ENTRIES, NO FEES WILL BE REFUNDED.
- RULE 8: LUNGING MAYBE PERMITTED BUT NOT IN COLLECTING AREAS. NO HORSES UNDER 2 YEARS OF AGE MAY BE LUNGED.
- RULE 9: DOGS MUST BE KEPT UNDER CONTROL AND ON A LEAD AT ALL TIMES. EXHIBITORS MUST PARK WHERE DIRECTED BY SHOW OFFICIALS.
- RULE 10: ALL EXHIBITORS ARE ADVISED TO HOLD PUBLIC LIABILITY INSURANCE.
- RULE 11: HORSES MUST BE 2 YEARS OLD OR OVER TO COMPETE IN ANY JUMPING. HORSES MUST BE 3 YEARS OLD OR OVER TO COMPETE DRIVEN.
- RULE 12: IF THERE IS ANY DISPUTE OVER A HORSES HEIGHT DEEMED TO HAVE REASONABLE GROUNDS BY THE JUDGE OR/AND COMMITTEE / DIRECTORS, THE PRIZE AWARDED TO THAT HORSE WILL BE SUSPENDED UNTIL A JMB CERTIFICATE IS OBTAINED.
- RULE 13: ENTRIES ON THE DAY MUST BE PAID IN CASH. YOU MAY ALSO JOIN AND BECOME A MEMBER ON THE DAY, BUT THIS MUST ALSO BE PAID IN CASH OR BY CHEQUE WITH A CURRENT CHEQUE GUARANTEE CARD.**

MINI HORSE HIGH JUMP WORLD RECORD ATTEMPT – ENTRY FORM

ENTRY CLOSING DATE:

11th May 2012

This Miniature Horse High Jump World Record Attempt is open to the world, therefore any miniature horse registered in any Society may enter for free as this is a true World Title. But AEMHS Registered horses who enter will receive a fabulous very special gold "World Record Attempt" sash and sponsored prize. All miniature horses are eligible to be registered in the AEMHS (at a cost of £15 if the horse already has a passport) or £25 including a passport issued for the AEMHS by a affiliated DEFRA PIO. Annual adult associate membership is £20 and Junior £10.

HORSE	HEIGHT AGE	OWNER & AEMHS MEMB NO	HANDLER & AEMHS MEMB NO	AEMHS HORSE REG NO (if applicable)

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

POSTCODE _____

TEL: _____ MOB: _____ EMAIL: _____

By entering and signing here I agree to be filmed for any media / press / TV use, also I agree that my image, my horse's image and the handler's image may be used for any promotional advertising purposes, (stills and moving footage). If the handler is under 18 years old, signature of parent or guardian is required.
 Plus, I agree to abide by all AEMHS Rules.
I certify that my horse does not exceed 34 inches or 33 inches if a 2 year old.
 SIGNED (Owner) _____ DATE _____

SIGNED (Handler – or parent / guardian if under 18 yrs) _____ DATE _____

Please send SIGNED entry form to:

Anglo European Miniature Horse Society
AEMHS Spring Expo Secretary
196 High Road
Wood Green
London
N22 8HH

Email: info@aemhs.com
 Tel: 07732 371267 or: 07429 797997

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SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES / FORM

Silver Sponsorship – one class £25, Name appears in schedule and programme plus space in the near-by V.I.P. Parking area.

Gold Sponsorship - Whole section £75, Section & Championship in sponsors name which will appear in the schedule and programme, Sponsors banner on ringside plus space in the near-by V.I.P. Parking area.

Platinum Sponsorship – whole section and Ring £200, Section and Ring in sponsors name will appear in the schedule, programme and website. Sponsors banner on ringside and space in the near-by V.I.P. Parking area. Plus one half-page advert in the programme. (PLUS for trade sponsors Flyer/Leaflet sent out with Schedules).

Diamond Sponsorship – whole section, Main Ring 1 and Overall Supreme in Show £300, benefits of the Platinum package plus the outstanding Supreme rosettes with the sponsor's name printed on the tails. Also one full page advert in the programme.

ALL sponsors (if requested) will receive 'priority' stabling and a 'stall' in the collecting ring

If you or your company / business would like to sponsor any other amount or have a suggestion to personalise your own package, please let us know.

Please write here the name of the package you would like to sponsor: _____ £ _____

Class number (s) or section / Championship you would prefer to sponsor if still available: _____

Name of sponsor (as you would like it to appear): _____

Contact name: _____ Tel: _____

Address: _____

Post code: _____ Email: _____

Please allocate me one day stall in the collecting ring area: (Tick if required)

I enclose a cheque made payable to **LUCKYS ROSETTES** for sponsorship of the AEMHS Spring Expo 2011.

Signed: _____

Please post to:

**AEMHS
Mini Horse Spring Expo Secretary
196 High Road
Wood Green
London
N22 8HH**

AEMHS SPRING EXPO STABLE BOOKING FORM

Vale View Equestrian Centre - 26th May 2012

You may have up to 3 miniatures in one stable.

Straw stables: £25 per night or Shavings stables £35 per night

PLEASE BOOK AND PAY FOR STABLES BY 11TH MAY 2012, THANK YOU!

Number of <u>Straw</u> Stables required @ £25 each:		Friday night: <input type="checkbox"/>	Saturday night: <input type="checkbox"/>	Both: <input type="checkbox"/>
Number of <u>Shavings</u> Stables required @ £35 each:		Friday night: <input type="checkbox"/>	Saturday night: <input type="checkbox"/>	Both: <input type="checkbox"/>
		Total amount enclosed: £		

Please provide us with a mobile telephone number that you can be contacted on whilst on the showground.

Please clean your stable out upon departure.

Also, where possible, please can all exhibitors try to arrive by 8pm on the showground, thank you.

Name:

Are you a sponsor? If so please tick as you will receive 'priority' stabling benefits *(if available)*.

Address:

..... **Post code:**

Email: **Tel:** **Mob:**

PLEASE MAKE CHEQUES PAYABLE TO: VALE VIEW EQUESTRIAN

Please post completed form and remittance to:

Vale View Equestrian Centre
Old Dalby, Melton Mowbray, Leicestershire LE14 3LX.

For further stable information please telephone: 01664 823739

