

***DIRECTIONS:** - Nord Vue Equestrian Centre is accessed from the M6 junc 41 or junc 42. Post code CA4 9TN. Take signs to Armathwaite from the southern end of High Heskett on the A6. Nord Vue is on the right hand side up a lane beside the utilities building.

NORD VUE EQUESTRIAN CENTRE, IN HAND SHOW, Sat Oct 24th, 2026

Judge – Mrs J Shiels, Haydon Bridge.

*This Event is being organised by Ellen Jones as an SPARKET EQUESTRIAN EVENT.

*Enquiries: -07787570736 www.sparketequestrianevents.co.uk for other event details

*PRE ENTRIES £14/ £16 per Class, close Wed 21st Oct 2026, times out Thurs 22nd Sept.

*ON THE DAY ENTRIES £20.. *ENTER ONLINE AT www.equoevents.co.uk



SPARKLE

All 1st, 2nd & 3rd placed exhibits in each Class qualify for 2027 SPARKLE CHAMPIONSHIPS on 26th & 27th June 2027.
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Caledonian Showing Championships

This show is a qualifier for the Caledonian Showing Championships, which offers competitors the opportunity to compete at a top level Championship Final in Scotland. With a draped main arena, amazing rosettes, special prizes, music, judges from the south and atmospheric Evening Performances, this is the show everyone wants to be part of at **Highfield @ Howe, Ladybank, Fife October 2027** Every horse & pony placed 1st in all Inhand, Ridden Showing classes (not fun classes) & Working Hunter/Pony classes will qualify to compete in any appropriate class at the Finals. All Champions & Reserves will qualify for the Champion & Reserves Stakes Finals. Qualification will be from placings, no qualification cards will be awarded in the ring, and no qualification can go down the line. All qualified horses and ponies will be listed on the Caledonian Showing

Championship Show's website www.caledonianchampionships.webs.com

- From this year, in order to participate in either Sparket or STARS Points, SPARKET Membership is needed for each competitor. Membership is £25 until 1st March, then increased rates apply. Membership is voluntary, you only need Membership to gain points for STARS, or SPARKET sashes and/or rosettes. SPARKET Membership is available on www.equoevents.co.uk

- SPARKET Shows are, and always will be open to all, Members and Non Members.

This Show is affiliated to EQUIFEST, which takes place at ARENAUK, Grantham, Lincs, in August 2027. The TWO highest exhibits not already qualified in each affiliated Class will qualify.

9:00am START, Judge – Mrs S Clarke

1. In Hand BEST TURNED OUT, Plaited/Coloured/Non &M. 4 yrs & over.
2. In Hand BEST CONDITION, Plaited/Coloured/Non M&M. 4 yrs & over.
3. In Hand BEST TURNED OUT, Plaited/Coloured/Non M&M. Youngstock.
4. In Hand BEST CONDITION, Plaited/Coloured/Non M&M. Youngstock.

1st & 2nd PRIZE WINNERS from Classes 1 to 4 eligible

Not B4 9:30am, Judge, Mrs S Clarke

5. In Hand Plaited Pony, any age, not exc 148cm.
6. In Hand Plaited Horse, any age, exc 148cm.
7. In Hand Critical/Rare/Foreign/Heavy Horse Breeds. Open to Arab, Freisian, American Quarter Horse, Falabella, Fjord, Haflinger, Dales, Cleveland Bay, etc. Breed to be stated on entry under “notes”.
8. In Hand Thoroughbred/Ex Racer/Been Race Trained.
9. In Hand Veteran Horse/Pony aged 15 years and over. Combined Age Class. Open to horses and ponies of any breed, height and type.
10. In Hand Cob (inc Traditional Coloured & Solid).
11. Youngstock, 3 yrs & under, Any type.

CHAMPIONSHIP, 1st & 2nd PRIZE WINNERS from Classes 5 to 11 eligible

10:15am approx, Judge – Mrs S Clarke

12. In Hand Coloured Youngstock. 1, 2, 3 years old. Any height/type
13. In Hand Traditional Solid Colour Feathered Cob or Hogged Cob. Any height/age.
14. In Hand Native Coloured Horse/Pony. Any height/age.
15. In Hand Traditional Coloured Horse/Pony. Any height/age.
16. In Hand Plaited Coloured Horse/Pony. Any height/age.

17. In Hand Coloured Pony not exc 143cm. Any type/age.

18. In Hand Coloured Horse exc 143cm. Any type/age.

19. **EQUIFEST In Hand Piebald/Skewbald** Open In Hand Piebald/Skewbald stallion, mare or gelding, any age. The first three places will also qualify for the BSPA Championship subject to their show rules and conditions.

CHAMPIONSHIP, 1st & 2nd PRIZE WINNERS from Classes 12 to 19 eligible

11:00 approx, Judge – Mrs S Clarke

20. Tiny Tots Handler, not to have attained 8th Birthday as of 1st Jan of current year, No Colts or Stallions and all ponies to be 4 yrs plus. Young Handlers must wear a conforming Hard Hat.

21. Junior Handler, to have attained their 8th Birthday but not their 12th Birthday as of 1st Jan of current year, No Colts or Stallions and all ponies to be 4 yrs plus. Young Handlers must wear a conforming Hard Hat.

22. Young Handler, to have attained their 12th Birthday but not their 18th Birthday as of 1st Jan of current year, No Colts or Stallions and all ponies to be 4 yrs plus. Young Handlers must wear a conforming Hard Hat.

CHAMPIONSHIP, 1st & 2nd PRIZE WINNERS from Classes 20 to 22 eligible

11.30pm approx, Judge – Mrs S Clarke

23. In Hand M&M BEST TURNED OUT, 4 yrs old & over.

24. In Hand M&M BEST CONDITION, 4 yrs old & over.

25. In Hand M&M BEST TURNED OUT, Youngstock.

26. In Hand M&M BEST CONDITION, Youngstock.

CHAMPIONSHIP, 1st & 2nd PRIZE WINNERS from Classes 23 to 26 eligible

27. In Hand Fell or Dales Pony, aged 4 years and over.

28. In Hand Fell or Dales Pony Youngstock, 1, 2 or 3 years

29. In Hand Mountain & Moorland Yearling (Any Breed)

30. In Hand Mountain & Moorland 2 year old (Any Breed)

31. In Hand Mountain & Moorland 3 year old (Any Breed)

32. In Hand Unregistered/Part bred M&M, any age. To be shown unplaited or plaited.

33. Equifest Open In Hand Small Mountain & Moorland, Stallion, Mare or Gelding, any age, (Ex/Dart/Shet/Welsh A&B)

34. Equifest Open In Hand Large Mountain & Moorland, Stallion, Mare or Gelding, any age, (Fell, Dales, High, Conn, NF, Welsh C & D)

CHAMPIONSHIP, 1st & 2nd PRIZE WINNERS from Classes 27 to 34 eligible

RULES

*All persons entering, competing or otherwise taking part in the above show shall be considered as having read and accepted the following regulations.

*NO CHILD AGED UNDER 3 YEARS ON SHOW DAY MAY COMPETE

*Numbers to be collected from the Secretary on the Show Day

*Riding Hats to standard BSI PAS015 1998, EN13841996, ASTM F1163, SNELLE2001, AS/NZS3838 1998, 2003, SAI GLOBAL must be worn at all times with the chinstrap fastened when mounted

*The Show organisers hold no responsibility for any accident occurring at this show.

*Horse Riding is a riskful sport, and you compete at your own risk.

*Horses must be four years old and over in all the ridden classes.

*Horses/Ponies DO NOT REQUIRE a JMB Height certificate.

*Any suitable bridles may be worn and handles on saddles in the Lead Rein are permitted.

*Spurs can only be worn when riding a horse exceeding 148cms. No Spur Rowels allowed.

*Spurs are not allowed in any Mountain & Moorland Classes and/or Veteran Classes and/or Junior Classes.

*Stallions/Colts MUST be handled by persons aged 14 years and over AT ALL TIMES and must not be left unattended at any time **STALLIONS MUST WEAR STALLION DISCS.**

*Any fall of horse/pony/rider in the class will result in immediate disqualification and they must leave the ring without re-mounting.

*Whips not to exceed 75cm (30").

*The Judge's decision is final.

*An exhibitor must not exhibit a horse/pony bred, sold, leased or produced by the Judge, his/her immediate family or his/her employer.

*An exhibitor may not show under a Judge for whom he/she has produced a horse/pony in the same year.

*A rider may not ride in a class judged by someone for whom he/she has ridden in a competition during the current year.

*Competitors may be photographed for Sparket Equestrian Events Publicity in Newspapers, Magazines, Face Book and other media forms on Show Days. By taking part in any Sparket Equestrian Event competitors agree to being photographed for publicity purposes.

*Horse Riding can be a dangerous activity. Nord Vue/Newton Rigg EC and/or Sparket Equestrian Events cannot be held responsible for libelous actions at his event by competitors or otherwise.

*PLEASE NOTE NO LUNGING AT ANY TIME in car park or arena.

*Anyone found to be misusing or abusing any person or animal (including horses) will be EVICTED from the premises IMMEDIATELY with no appeal.

*The use of side or running or draw reins is forbidden at any time.

*Please note that all Horses/Ponies at this event MUST be vaccinated for Equine Flu on a 12 month basis, having had the first 2 injections of the course.

*No horse/pony to compete within 7 days of a Flu inoculation.

*Any objections must be forwarded to the Secretary with £40 cash and a signed letter of complaint. Should the complaint be upheld the £40 cash will be returned to the objector.

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