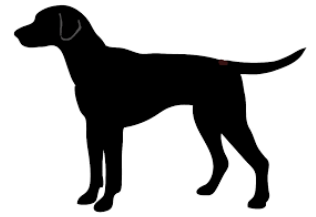


BERGH APTON HORSE SHOW

& Fun Dog Show



Monday 25th May 2026

**BERGH APTON MANOR,
Threadneedle Street, Bergh Apton,
NR15 1BL**

**By kind permission of Mr & Mrs Bertram
In aid of Bergh Apton Church**

SCHEDULE & RULES

It is a condition of entry that each entrant has read, understood and agrees to be bound by the Rules which can be found on Page 5 of this Schedule

Entry Fees: £11.00 per class for advance booking & payment.
Late (after midday Friday 22nd May) entries/payments accepted at £2 extra per class.

NB - No late entries accepted for Dressage classes

Equestrian Fun Classes (Classes 32-38) £8.00 per class
No extra fee for late entry to these classes

In addition, a single First Aid Charge of £4 per competitor is payable.

Advance Entries would be greatly appreciated – and will save you time and money on the day.

Emailed/postal entries to be received by Friday 22nd May 2026
Cheques payable to Bergh Apton PCC

Official Photographer: Richard Weller-Poley Photography

Catering: TBC

Show Secretary: Mrs Karen Orme
Event Secretary: Mrs Shirley Rimmer

Admin Telephone: 01508 480576

Email: ba_horseshow@outlook.com

Online registration via www.myridinglife.com or www.hadrc.co.uk

Admin Address: c/o Kents Cottage, Threadneedle Street, Bergh Apton, NR15 1BJ

For downloadable copies of all documents visit <https://berghapton.org.uk/events/>

Sponsors:-

This list is still 'under construction'
Christine Osborne Rosettes (Sashes & Rosettes Supreme Championship)

**RING 1 –
All ridden mounts to be 4 years & older**

9:30am

Judge: Mrs Lesley Bradfield

- 1. Best Turned Out In-Hand and Ridden.** Lead rein permitted. If used, lead rein to be attached to noseband only, and a snaffle bridle to be used.
- 2. Tiny Tots Lead Rein Pony** (rider aged 5 & under). Mare or gelding. To be led by an attendant and shown in a snaffle bridle. Lead rein to be attached to the noseband only.
- 3. Lead Rein Pony (Rider age 6-9 - older SEND riders admitted but excluded from regular grading).** Leading Rein. Mare or gelding, To be led by an attendant and shown in a snaffle bridle. Lead rein to be attached to the noseband only.
- 4. Walk and trot only.** Any horse/pony.
- 5. First Ridden.** To be shown in a snaffle bridle only. Canter at rider's option.
- 6. Ridden Show Pony/Hunter Pony.** Height up to 148 cm.
- 7. Open Ridden Mountain and Moorland** Open to Mountain & Moorland ponies registered with their respective Pure-bred Societies of Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland and Welsh A, B, C & D, Connemara, Dales, Fell, Highland and New Forest stallion, mare or gelding. Rider any age.
- 8. Ridden Colours.** Piebald / Skewbald stallion, mare or gelding horse or pony any height. Riders any age. Classes may be divided depending on entries.

CHAMPIONSHIP A

**1st and 2nd prize winners of classes 1 – 8.
Champion and Reserve champion to qualify for the supreme championship**

**RING 1
All ridden mounts to be 4 years & older**

Not Before 1pm

Judge: Mrs Lesley Bradfield

- 9. Ridden Veteran.** Horse or Pony aged 15 years & over.
 - 10. Riding Horse.** Open Riding Horse, mare or gelding.
 - 11. Ridden Hunter.** Open Ridden Hunter, mare or gelding.
 - 12. Ridden Cobs.** Open Ridden Cob, mare or gelding.
 - 13. Open Ridden Colours.** Palominos / duns / spots / roans
 - 14. Ridden Dark colours.** Blacks/ browns / bays / chestnuts / greys.
 - 15. Ridden Rescue**
 - 16. Concours d'Elegance In-hand or ridden ♦.** Lead Rein Allowed. Hard hats must be worn.
- ♦ PLEASE NOTE THIS CLASS WILL NOT BE HELD UNTIL ALL IN-HAND AND RIDDEN CLASSES HAVE FINISHED.

CHAMPIONSHIP B

**1st and 2nd prize winners of classes 9 - 16
Champion and Reserve champion to qualify for the supreme champion**

RING 2

9:30am

Judge: Janet Smithers

- 17. In-hand Pony/Hunter Pony.** In-hand pony under 148cm. Open to Riding/Show/Hunter Ponies. Any age stallion, mare, colt, filly or gelding.
- 18. In-hand Horse.** Any Riding horse/hack/hunter exceeding 148cm. Any age
- 19. In-hand Colours.** In-hand Open to Piebald / Skewbald / Palomino / Dun / Spot / Roan; stallion, mare, colt, filly or gelding, any age. Classes may be divided depending on entries.
- 20. In-hand Traditionals and Anything Hairy.** Horse/ pony any height any colour. Any age.
- 21. Open In-hand Mountain and Moorland.** Open to Mountain & Moorland ponies registered with their respective Pure-Bred Societies of Dartmoor, Exmoor, Shetland and Welsh A, B, C & D, Connemara, Dales, Fell, Highland and New Forest stallion, mare or gelding. Any age
- 22. In-hand Young Stock.** 1, 2 & 3 year old.
- 23. In-hand Rescue Horse or pony** any height,
- 24. In-hand Dark colours & Greys.** Blacks / browns / bays / chestnuts / greys. Horse or pony.
Any height Any Age
- 25. In-hand Veteran.** Open mixed age - Horse or pony aged 15yrs & over.
- 26. In-hand Cob Type.** Any height.
- 27. In-hand Foreign Breeds.** Horse or pony any height. Any age.

CHAMPIONSHIP C

1st and 2nd prize winners of classes 17 - 27
Champion and Reserve champion to qualify for the Supreme Championship

RING 2

All ridden mounts to be 4 years & older

Not before 1:30pm

Judge: Janet Smithers

- 28. Introduction to showing.** Ridden - 4 years old & over Lead rein permitted. Horse or pony any height. This class is for combinations competing for the first showing season. Walk and trot only when in the 'go round'.
- 29. Ridden Novice.** 4 years old & over. Horse and rider combinations not to have been placed 1st in more than 3 ridden classes. Walk and trot only in the 'go round'. Classes will be split depending on number of entries.
- 30. Family Horse/Pony.** 4 years old & over. To be ridden by an adult and child under 14 years.
- 31. Utility Horse or Pony *** 4 years old & over. Lead rein permitted.
- *Utility - To complete a simple obstacle course with tasks designed to reflect qualities of a utility horse or pony. Competitors may be required to jump some small fences. A short individual show required. Snaffle bridle only permitted.*

CHAMPIONSHIP D

1st and 2nd prize winners of classes 28 – 31
Champion and Reserve champion to qualify for the Supreme Championship

~ SUPREME CHAMPIONSHIP ~

All Ridden & In-hand Champions & Reserve Champions (A, B, C & D only) to compete
Sashes & Rosettes sponsored by Christine Osborne Rosettes, 01508 480386

Ring 3

9am - 12.45pm Dressage (On a 20 x 40 Grass Arena) Judge: Jackie Staff

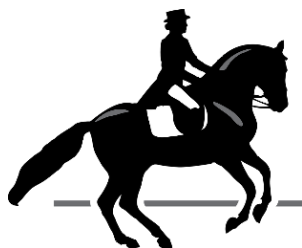
Please state your chosen test on entry form.

Entries £11 per class

No late entries - all entries must be received by mid-day Friday 22nd May 2026

Classes are run on British Dressage (BD) Rules

Classes A, B & C are the new BD classes and using the new marking sheets



CLASS A Intro 1 or 2 – your choice

CLASS B Prelim 1

CLASS C Novice 1

CLASS D Introduction to Dressage
(Riders under 16 years)

- Lead rein (pony is not to be held)
- Assisted from side lines



Ring 3

Not before 1.30pm

Judge: Jackie Staff

Fun Classes 33– 39 can be either ridden or In-hand unless otherwise stated. All unplaced competitors will receive a special rosette.

32. Prettiest Mare

33. Handsomest Gelding

34. Young handler

35. Pony / Horse the judge would like to take home

36. Best kept feet – open to shod & unshod

37. Loveliest natural mane and tail

38. Fancy dress.

CHAMPIONSHIP E

1st and 2nd prize winners of classes 32-38

RULES - BERGH APTON HORSE & FUN DOG SHOW 2025

Bergh Apton Manor, Threadneedle Street, Bergh Apton, Norwich, Norfolk, NR15 1BL

1. It is a condition of entry that each entrant has read, understood and agrees to be bound by these Rules.
2. Those attending the Show are to take all reasonable precautions to avoid and prevent accidents. Mr and Mrs Bertram & the Organisers of the Show accept no liability in respect of any accident, loss, damage, injury or illness to any person, animal or property however caused.
3. All competitors are required to have their own third-party liability insurance, and to have insured whatever property and livestock brought to the show that is their own or for which they have responsibility.
4. Dogs must be kept on leads and under control at all times. Any mess must be picked up, bagged and removed from the site.
5. Riding hats; at all times whilst mounted on horseback, riders must wear properly fitted and fastened protective headgear which complies with the latest British Standard. This requirement also applies to anyone under 14 years of age entering ponies/horses in the In-hand classes.
6. In the interests of safety, the wearing of face or body jewellery is not permitted in any class.
7. Bridles, unless otherwise stated any suitable bridle may be used. Ponies shown on the lead rein may only be shown in a snaffle bridle.
8. All ridden ponies or horses must be 4 years old and over.
9. The ages of riders and horses are to be taken at 1st January 2024.
10. In the interests of safety, horses/ponies may only be walked in the trailer lines – no trotting or cantering is permitted.
11. No animal to be left unattended in the lorry/trailer park.
12. Owners/riders are responsible for the welfare of their animal and to ensure that no horse/pony is over-competed.
13. Juvenile competitors under the age of 16 years must be supervised by a responsible adult.
14. Any stallion must be ridden/handled by a competent person with a minimum age of 14 years.
15. Stallions, mares or geldings may compete in any class unless otherwise stated.
16. In-hand classes are open to all ages.
17. Lorries and trailers must not be mucked out onto any part of the show ground.
18. The Organisers reserve the right to split or amalgamate any class.
19. Judging times are as accurate as possible but can be subject to change
20. Entry fees are non-refundable unless a class has been cancelled by the Organisers.
21. The Judges' decisions are final.
22. No judge will be competing in classes.
23. Interference from outside the ring will result in elimination and a requirement to leave the ring.
Exception: Assisted Dressage – a person can be present in or at the arena but must not touch the pony unless absolutely necessary.
24. The Organisers of the Show reserve the right to refuse entries without giving a reason, or to require the removal from the site of any animal not considered by the Officials to be adequately under control. Similarly, any owners exhibiting abusive or threatening behaviour will be asked to remove themselves and their animals from the site.

BERGH APTON FUN DOG SHOW

Monday 26th May 2025

Bergh Apton Manor, Threadneedle Street, Bergh Apton, NE15 1BL

Registration starts at 11.30am

First class starts at 12.30



Advance booking not necessary

Judge: Mary Starling

All dog classes are £3.00 per entry.

1. Dog with the waggiest tail.
2. Prettiest canine
3. Handsomest canine
4. Dog that looks most like its owner.
5. Best veteran dog (8yrs and over)
6. Young Handler (14yrs and under)
7. Best Paw Shaker
8. Best Trick
9. Best Brace (Pair)
10. Dog the judge would most like to take home
11. Championship*



*** Championship - Best in Show**

1st and 2nd prize winners from all dog show classes