



SEASON: 2021

Our mission is to develop character, confidence and a sense of community through good horsemanship & competition



Established over 60 years ago and still providing the very best in friendly, well organised, local horse showing events; for all the family.

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About Us

THE CLUB:

Urmston and District Riding Club is a very popular, local and friendly show that has grown annually since its inception in 1956. Set on the outskirts of Urmston near Manchester, in 40 acres of Greenland, our showground makes the perfect setting for a fun day of showing horses and ponies alike. Founded in the 1950's by the late Larry Morrissey with the help of his friends; Mr John Oakes, Mr Don Spencer and Mr Frank Burton the show's popularity grew, and members flocked from afar to take part in our events.

Our shows still have the exciting and sociable atmosphere they did when we started 62 years ago. Whether you want to show off your skills in our in-hand ring, enjoy our ridden classes, compete in the show jumping rings or just simply have a go at our very popular novelty classes; there really is something for all the family to have a go at.

MEMBERSHIP:

Membership prices are as follows: Individual membership £20.00 or family membership (max 2 adults & 2 children) £32.00. Please visit our website for online membership including details on discounted memberships.

ENTRIES:

Entries are priced at: £8.00 Members / £10.00 Non – Members

Pre Entries only via the website

For more information on pre-entries please visit our website where you can book in.

Entries open 1st April 2021

2021 SHOWDATES & QUALIFIERS

- Sunday 25th April 2021 –Trailblazers, NCPA, STARS
- Sunday 23rd May 2021 – CHAPS, TCGA, Trailblazers, NCPA, STARS
- Sunday 13th June 2021- CHAPS, TCGA, Trailblazers, NCPA, STARS
- Sunday 4th July 2021 – Trailblazers, NCPA, STARS
- Sunday 1st August 2021 – NCPA, STARS
- Sunday 19th September 2021 ***Double Points, Supreme Show***

**** Grand Supreme Championship****

19th September 2021

£300.00 CASH PRIZE

**Awarded to Grand Supreme, Reserve Supreme and First
Reserve**

Sponsored by Scott Dixon of UK Nationals

(Members only, must have attended 2 shows)

**** RISING STAR AWARD****

**Entries nominated from each show to compete on the
19th September 2021 for £250.00 sponsorship package**

Sponsored by Riverbank Coffee

(Under 18's Members only)

Ring 1 – Equitation/Mini – 9:00am prompt start

Class 1 - Senior Equitation-To have had 18th birthday by 01.01.2020**STARS Qualifier**

Class 2 - Junior Equitation-Not to have had 18th birthday by 01.01.2020**STARS Qualifier**

Class 3 - Lead Rein Equitation-Not to have had 10th birthday by 01.01.2020**STARS Qualifier**

Class 4 - First Ridden Equitation-Not to have had 12th birthday by 01.01.2020**STARS Qualifier**

Class 5: Open Best Turned Out inc Lead Rein**STARS Qualifier**

Class 6: Lead Rein Showing-Not to have reached 10th birthday by 01.01.2021**STARS Qualifier**

Class 7: First Ridden- 12yrs & under, exhibits not to exceed 128cms (12.2hh) **STARS Qualifier**

CHAMPIONSHIP All 1st and 2nd place Prize Winners are eligible.

Champion and Reserve will go forward to Supreme Championship in Ring 3

NOT BEFORE 11am

RING 1: NOVELTY CLASSES

Our novelty classes have been kindly sponsored by Lisa Talbot of CBK Interiors.

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CBK Interiors, 386 Barlow Moor Road, Chorlton, Manchester, M21 8BH TEL: 0161 881 5316

Classes 8 - £5.00 per class or 6 classes for £20.00

Class 8 - Walk, Trot Class,

Class 9 - Young Handler (class may be split) **STARS QUALIFIER**

Class 10 - Bonny Pony

Class 11 - Pony Judge would most like to take home

Class 12 - Nicest Tail

Class 13 - Prettiest Face

Class 14 - Best combination



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Champion and Reserve will go forward to Supreme Championship in Ring 3

Classes 2 – 14 to go forward for RISING STAR CHAMPIONSHIP as voted on by Judges and Committee

RING2: IN HAND–Start 9.30am

Class 15: Youngstock (Foals, 1, 2 or 3 year olds as of 01.01.2021) ****STARS Qualifier****

Class 16: Open Coloured Youngstock *

Class 17: Welsh–will be split if sufficient entries (A&B class and C&D class) ****STARS Qualifier****

Class 18: M+M (Excluding Welsh) ****STARS Qualifier****

Class 19: Veteran /Senior Pony/Horse–all breeds 15 years & over ****STARS Qualifier****

Class 20: Open Best Condition

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NOT BEFORE 11:00

Class 21: 14.2hh and under– Open to any breed, any height ****STARS Qualifier****

Class 22: Over 14.2hh –Open to any breed, any height ****STARS Qualifier****

Class 23: Coloured/Spotted/Palomino /Dun/Roan ****STARS Qualifier****

Class 24: Cob (Inc. Show/Traditional & Native)

Class 25: Hunter/ROR/Foreign breeds –Open to any age, any height

Class 26: Arab/PBA/Anglo– Class will be split for qualifiers.

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RING 3: RIDDEN–Start 9.30am

Class 27: Novice Horse/Pony exc M&M

Horse not to have won a first in an open ridden class before 1st January in the current year. Snaffle bit only, horse/rider any age.(class will be spilt if sufficient entries)

Class 28: Novice Rider

Rider not to have won a first in an open ridden class before 1st January in the current year. Snaffle bit only, horse/rider any age. (class will be spilt if sufficient entries)

Class 29: Veteran Rider (40 Years Young)

Class 30: Open Ridden Showing–and for qualifiers. ****STARS Qualifier****

Class will be spilt if sufficient entries

Class 31: Show Hunter Pony (153cms and under) ****STARS Qualifier****

Class 32: Show Hunter (Exceeding 153cm) ****STARS Qualifier****

Class 33: Riding Club Horse/Pony ****STARS Qualifier****

Required to jump a small 'X' pole fence.

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Champion and Reserve will go forward to Supreme Championship in Ring 3

NOT BEFORE 12:00

Class 34: Veteran /Senior Pony/Horse (15+) ****STARS Qualifier****

Class 35: Novice M&M

Horse not to have won a first in an open ridden class before 1st January in the current year. Snaffle bit only, horse/rider any age. (class will be spilt if sufficient entries)

Class 36: Junior Mountain & Moorland

Not to have attained their 18th birthday but to have had their 12th Birthday by 01.01 in the current year

Class 37: Open Mountain & Moorland Small Breeds

Class 38: Open Mountain & Moorland Large Breeds

Class 39: Coloured/Spotted/Palomino ****STARS Qualifier****

Class 40: Ridden Cobs Incl. Show/ Native/ Traditional and Vanner ****STARS Qualifier****

Class 41: Arab(incl. Pure, Part bred Arab and Anglo)

CHAMPIONSHIP All 1st and 2nd place Prize Winners are eligible.

Champion and Reserve will go forward to Supreme Championship in Ring 3

Any Handlers in classes 15-26 under the age of 16 to be put forward for the RISING STAR CHAMPIONSHIP

RING 4: JUMPING--Start 12.00pm

Clear Round 12pm to 12:30pm--£3.50 per entry

Class 43 – Lead rein

Class 44 – Absolute beginners (competitor/horse must not have won 1st prize)

Class 45 – 55cm

Class 46 – 65 cm

Class 47 – 75cm

Class 48 – 85cm

Class 49 – 95cm

**Any Handlers in classes 43-49 under the age of 16 to be put forward for the RISING STAR
CHAMPIONSHIP**

Rules for Judges & Qualifiers

NCPA – 25th April, 23rd May, 13th June, 4th July, 1st August .

This show is a qualifier for N.C.P.A Pony of the Year Show. First and second prize-winners will qualify. Affiliation number 230/20

CHAPS –23rd May and13th June shows - AFFILIATION NUMBER: (21091)

This show is affiliated to The Coloured Horse & Pony Society (UK). Affiliation No. (21091) Both owner and the rider/exhibitor need not be a member of CHAPS (UK) nor must the horse or pony be registered with CHAPS (UK) to compete. However, in order to Qualify both Owner and Rider/Exhibitor need to be a current showing member and present their valid Qualifier card IN THE RING for signing by the judge. Members to apply in writing to CHAPS (UK) for appropriate qualifier card. The CHAPS (UK) Championship Show will be held on 12th – 14th August 2021. Shows held on or after 09th August 2021 of Championship show will count as 2022 qualifiers. The following classes are CHAPS (UK) Qualifying Classes: Class 27: Novice Horse & Pony / Class 16: In hand Open Coloured Youngstock / Class 23: In-Hand Open Coloured / Class 19: In-Hand Veteran Senior Pony or Horse / Class 29: Ridden Veteran Senior Pony or Horse / Class 39: Ridden Open Coloured. For full rulings and information on competition/qualification, please refer to the CHAPS (UK) Members' Handbook; or visit www.chapsuk.com for rulings. Only "Coloureds" horses and ponies (as defined in the current CHAPS UK Members Handbook) may compete these classes. All stallions, 4 years old and over entering these classes must be graded with CHAPS (UK). All stallions must wear Stallion ID Discs in the ring without exception.

TRAILBLAZERS -25th April, 23rd May, 13th June, 4th July show's only. The 4 highest placed combinations will qualify from each Showing & Working Hunter Qualifier for the Trailblazers Championship Finals regardless of the number of entries in the Qualifier. Once a Competitor has qualified at a Trailblazers Qualifier they will be issued by the venue with a congratulations letter telling them that they have qualified. The Competitor will then have the choice to take up the qualification or not. Should the Competitor decide to accept the qualification for the Championship Finals, they should purchase a direct qualification card from the venue at a cost of £12 per card.

Cards are issued per qualifying partnership and will permit them to enter any showing or working hunter class for which they are eligible to compete in, at the Championship Finals. Once the qualification card has been received the competitor must send this onto the Trailblazers Show Secretary (details on the qualification card) in order to be sent a Trailblazers Championship Finals schedule at the beginning of June prior to the Championships.

TRADITIONAL GYPSY COB ASSOCIATION (TOYS) – 23rd May, 13th June shows

TGCA Classes at Urmston & District Riding Club – Affiliation No

20/2604/ULT, 20/3105/ULT, 20/1406/ULT & 20/0908/ULT

All in hand and ridden classes are qualifiers for the Best of Breed finals at TGCA National Championship Show, The Traditional of the Year Show "TOYS". Full details can be obtained from the TGCA website: www.tgca.co.uk

TGCA breed classes are qualifiers for the Best of Breeds Finals at the Gypsy Cob Associations (TGCA) National Breed Championship Show "TOYS". Classes are open to all traditional gypsy cobs. Part Bred classes are open to all part bred traditional gypsy cobs and are qualifiers for the part bred finals at TOYS. The exhibit must have one parent that is pure bred traditional gypsy cob. Stallions – All stallions (four years and over) in order to enter any TGCA affiliated class MUST be TGCA registered, have passed TGCA stallion evaluations and their TGCA stallion disc displayed on their bridle. Stallions and colts over the age of two MUST be shown in a stallion bridle with metal bit and chain lead as per current TGCA rulebook.

Current TGCA members must present their membership card qualification card to the judge in the ring for signature. Non-members must receive qualification card from judge and have 21 days to join the TGCA and register their horse to validate the qualification. Please refer to www.tgca.co.uk for further details including memberships, horse registrations and showing rules, contained within the members handbook.

TGCA Championships: 23rd May and 13th June show's

Quest for a Star Championship: TGC – 1st, 2nd and 3rd from TGCA classes above may go forward to the Quest for a Star Championship as per the below rule:

Only current TGCA members and horse/pony that is already registered can exhibit in this championship. Membership card and Members qualification card (specific to that exhibit) must be presented upon entry into the ring. The champion and Reserve qualify for the Ultimate Star Championships at TOYS.

Go for Glory Championship: PB – 1st, 2nd and 3rd from the TGCA Part Bred classes may go forward to the Go for Glory Championship. For 2021 TOYS qualifiers, the handler/rider and exhibits (apart from stallions) do not have to be TGCA Members/registered on the date of the show. The champion and reserve qualify for Crowning Glory Championships at TOYS.



TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR UDRC SHOWS 2021

It is imperative that we keep everyone safe during these times. The committee and organisers have taken steps to ensure the safety of all competitors and cannot accept responsibility for any illness or injury. Anyone found to not comply with the rules set out as follows will be asked to leave the showground and membership with UDRC will be retracted.

By entering the UDRC Shows on the 2021 it is implied that you have accepted the following terms and conditions;

- By entering you are consenting to sharing your details with the relevant authorities for Tracking and Tracing purposes should there be a risk of infection.
- You MUST NOT ATTEND IF YOU OR A MEMBER OF YOUR HOUSEHOLD/SUPPORT BUBBLE HAVE DEVELOPED ANY SYMPTOMS OF COVID-19. These include: high temperature/fever/continued cough/loss or change in sense of smell or taste/shortness of breath. If you have been contacted for tracing purposes you must not attend and you should self-isolate. We are encouraging individuals to complete rapid lateral flow testing. Any individual with a positive test MUST self-isolate.
- Individuals are limited to one groom/one driver per combination. No spectators will be allowed on the showground. Cars/trailers and lorries will be checked upon entry to the showground.
- All competitors must be members before competing at ALL UDRC shows. Competitors will be unable to join on the day. Membership for the 25th April 2021 show will close on the 23rd April 2021.
- If you have not received your combination number by the 24th April 2021 then you will be required to collect your number on the morning of the show.
- Pre- Entries are encouraged via the website. Competitors intending to enter on the day will require their own masks and the correct fees for the entries. No change will be given. Pens will not be provided, please bring your own.
- Individuals attending the UDRC showground will be required to adhere to the traffic flow system.
- The use of face masks is encouraged and individuals are asked to responsibly use hand sanitiser when required. Face masks cannot be worn whilst riding.
- Individuals are required to maintain the 2m distance at all times unless in your support bubble.
- All horses competing at UDRC have to be up to date with their vaccinations. If your horse is showing any symptoms at the showground, you will be asked to leave.

It remains YOUR responsibility to adhere to these rules for your own safety.



CLUB RULES

DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY: The Trustees, Organisers, Urmston & District Riding Club, Committee or any persons acting on their behalf will not accept responsibility for any accident, loss, damage, injury or illness to horses, owners, riders or spectators or any person, animal, or property whatsoever from any cause.

1. Membership is open until the 30th April 2021. Members will not be eligible to join after this date. Membership ages are as follows: LR 10 years & Under, FR 10 years – 12 years, Junior 12-18 years and Senior 18 years + as of the 1st January 2021.
2. Correct standard hard hats must be worn by all riders at all times in all events.
3. Whips exceeding 30inches are not allowed.
4. Riders must walk on the showground at all times unless in the designated warm up area.
5. The Judges decision is final.
6. It is the competitor's responsibility to be prepared for the class when it is called. If the competitor cannot enter the ring when it is called they must inform the Judge or Steward of the circumstances. If the class is called and the competitor misses the class no refunds will be given.
7. Entry fees will only be refunded should a class be cancelled.
8. All colts/stallions must be handled by an individual 16 or over.
9. Competitors are the only people permitted in the ring.
10. The decision of the Committee is final and binding.
11. Entry fees must be paid before any horse or rider enters the ring.
12. Non Members cannot win any cup, trophy or shield. Non Members cannot compete in the Grand Supreme Show and will not be nominated for the Rising Star Award.
13. All complaints or objections must be made in writing to the club secretary within 24 hours of the incident with a fee of £20.00 which will be refunded if upheld.
14. Any competitor deemed not in control of their animal will be asked to leave the showground. All dogs must be kept on leads.



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