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# TDRC Show Dates

- Open Show Sunday 4th May 2025
- Open Show Sunday 8th June 2025
- Open Show Sunday 29th June 2025
- Open Show Sunday 20th July 2025
- Open Show Sunday 31st August 2025
- Hunter Trial Sunday 7th September 2025

All of our shows are held at the Redpost showground.  
The Hunter Trial will take place at Cuttery Farm, East Allington  
Totnes TQ9 7QD.

## Entries

Pre-entry only through [www.equoevents.co.uk](http://www.equoevents.co.uk)  
Once entered you may enter more classes on the day at our  
secretary hut, subject to classes having availability.  
Refunds are subject to our Terms and Conditions.

Member entry fee	£6.50
Non-Member entry fee	£7.50
Novelty pre entry fee	£4.00
Novelty on field	£4.50
Clear Round (Payable on field)	£3.50
First Aid payable for each competitor (including Clear Round)	£3.50
Hunter Trial entry fees as detailed on schedule	

**Judges' names will be posted on our Facebook page prior to  
the closing date of each event.  
These may be subject to change.**

# Qualifiers 2025

STARS (All dates are included for the qualifiers - Members ONLY)  
Classes: 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 26, 27, 30, 31, 32, 33, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 44, 50, 51, 52

Sunshine Tour (All show dates excluding 31st August 2025)  
Classes: All classes (not the senior section of class 1)

SWPA (All show dates excluding 31st August 2025)  
Classes: 11, 12, 16, 17, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 30, 33, 34, 35, 34, 40, 41, 44, 45, 46

## ROR Qualifier

8th June 2025 to be judged by Stephanie Hill  
Classes: 32, 46

## VHS Qualifier

29th June 2025 to be judged by Lindsay Caldwell  
Classes: 22, 44

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# Membership

Membership is £15 for the year, forms are downloadable from the club website [www.tdrclub.co.uk](http://www.tdrclub.co.uk) or can be sent by email to you upon request. Your competition number and members card for the season will be at the secretary hut to collect on show day.

At our show points are awarded to our members in all classes. i.e. 6 points for 1st, 5 for 2nd etc. At the end of the season these points will decide 1st, 2nd and 3rd placings and points determine our clubs special awards. These awards will be presented at our annual AGM and presentation. Information will be posted at the end of the season on our Facebook page

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Watch our FB page for more info on the show date and classes in which these awards will take place. Judged by Top Spec who will have a weigh bridge on the showfield during this event, feeding advice will also be available.

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# RoR Qualifier Information

## Tattersalls RoR AMATEUR Ridden Show Series Qualifier 2025

Open to all RoR and NR competition registered horses, 4yrs and over, mares and geldings owned, produced and ridden by an Amateur. Riders must be 15 yrs or over on the 1st January 2025. Horses should be ridden in a snaffle, pelham or simple double bridle with a plain cavesson noseband. Horses should be plaited. Racing injuries and blemishes ARE IGNORED in this series.

This series is open to AMATEUR riders ONLY - those employed in racing will be allowed to compete. Class will be judged under 'riding horse' format without 'type' being taken into consideration.

The judge will not ride in the qualifiers but will ride in the final. Competitors/handlers/grooms must wear a safety/kite mark hard hat with a chinstrap. **The first three go forward to the final at the Hickstead Derby Meeting. Prizes:** RoR rosettes 1st - 4th plus Tattersalls RoR official merchandise voucher 1st £20, 2nd £10, 3rd £5. Highest placed Veteran (15+) £10. For qualifiers held prior to July 31st 2025, the winner will qualify for the Tattersalls RoR Amateur Ridden Show Series Special at the Jockey Club National Championships on August 23rd 2025. Highest placed Veteran qualifies for the RoR Ridden Veteran Final on the same day,

### ***Amateur definition:***

The rules are as in the rule book with the following addition that an amateur may not show a horse owned or sponsored by a company or commercial firm. In addition, a person classed as an amateur must not be supported by a company in any way or act as brand ambassador whether financially or in kind. An amateur is a person who for the purpose of RoR classes does not/has not during the current season or previous season. Engage in (d) in breeding, livery, buying or selling, dealing or hiring horses in a commercial capacity. Horses must not have been stabled at or reside in a professional producer's/trainer's yard from January 1st 2024. Riders must not have ridden any animals produced by a professional/trainer in the current or previous season. Horses and riders must not receive any help from a professional producer/trainer at a SHOW in the current season. A rider who has ridden for a professional /producer trainer in the current or previous season must not have ridden horses at a show. Any breaches of this ruling will be taken seriously and will result in disqualification from future classes.

# RoR Qualifier Information

## Tattersalls RoR OPEN In Hand Show Series Qualifier 2025

Open to all RoR and NR competition registered horses, 3yrs and over, fillies, mares and geldings. Handlers must be 15 yrs or over on the 1st January 2025. Horses do not need to be shod to compete in the RoR Open in hand class. Horses can be shown in bitless/in hand bridles. Blemishes caused through racing will be ignored. All RoR members entering horses and/or participating in the show agree to be bound by the Retraining of Racehorses rules and regulations from time to time in force. Handlers/grooms must wear a current safety/kite mark hard hat with a chinstrap. **The first three go forward to the final at the Jockey Club RoR National Championships at Aintree August 2025.**

**Prizes:** RoR rosettes 1st-4th + Tattersalls RoR official merchandise vouchers 1st £20, 2nd £10, 3rd £5





# Charities for 2025



## **Erme Valley Riding for The Disabled Ltd**

Erme Valley Riding for The Disabled Ltd Is a unique equestrian facility in the South Hams that strives to give disabled people of all ages the opportunity to both enjoy the sheer exhilaration and the therapeutic benefits of horse riding.

[www.ridingatthebrook.co.uk](http://www.ridingatthebrook.co.uk)

## **Munchkins Miniature Shetland Rescue**

Munchkins Miniature Shetland Rescue was established in 2014 to provide a safe haven for miniature Shetland ponies in need, achieving charity status in 2015. We are dedicated to rescuing ponies from abuse, neglect and abandonment. At Munchkins every pony is treated as an individual, with their own unique personality and needs. We focus on providing specialized care, handling and plenty of extra 'TLC' to help each pony recover and thrive in a loving environment.

[www.mini-munchkins.org](http://www.mini-munchkins.org)

# Ring 1 - Showjumping

Clear Round jumping 9.30 - 11am

**12pm start**

All SJ classes are open to all.

1. 40cm - can be led assisted (Only Juniors are eligible for Sunshine Tour in this class)
2. 50cm - Junior & Senior
3. 60cm - Junior & Senior
4. 70cm - ***Kindly sponsored by Hughes Shoes***
5. 80cm
6. Novelty Class (to be decided on the day)

Horse/Ponies not to jump more than 3 classes to incl WH

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# Ring 2 - Working Hunter

Commences at 10am

7. 40cm - Pony not to exceed 128cm, rider 10 yrs & under on 01.01.25
8. 50cm Open
9. 60cm Open
10. 70cm Open - *Kindly sponsored by Elite Elegance*
11. 80cm Open
12. 90cm Open
13. Riding Club Pony - 148cm and under  
(May be led or assisted)
14. Riding Club Horse - Exceeding 148cms -  
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## Championship

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# Ring 3 - Ridden Showing

Commences at 9am

15. Best Turned Out
16. Lead Rein 128cm & under  
Riders not to have attained their 10th birthday before 01/01/25  
Snaffle Bridle only - *Kindly sponsored by VMS*
17. First Ridden  
Riders not to have attained their 12th birthday before 01/01/25  
Snaffle Bridles, no artificial aids
18. Lead Rein Equitation  
Rider not to have attained their 10th birthday before 01.01.25
19. First Ridden Equitation  
Rider not to have attained their 12th birthday before 01.01.25  
Pony not to exceed 148cms
20. Junior Equitation  
Rider not to have attained 18th birthday before 01.01.25
21. Senior Equitation - Rider 18 yrs & over. Rider to have attained 18th Birthday before 01.01.25
22. Veteran Ridden - Horses 14 yrs and over - *Kindly sponsored by Jaspers Event Caterers*
23. Small Breed Mountain & Moorland -  
*In loving memory of Sarah Jane*
24. Large Breed Mountain & Moorland
25. Part Bred Mountain & Moorland
26. Best Show Pony not exceeding 148cms
27. Show Hunter Pony not to exceed 153cms

**Championship**

*Kindly sponsored by Goodridge Farm*


# Ring 3 - Ridden Showing

Commences at 1pm

- 28. Concours D'Elegance
- 29. Competition/Sport Horse Type
- 30. Show Horse/Hack exceeding 148cms - **Kindly sponsored by VMS**
- 31. Ridden Hunter to exceed 153 cms - **Kindly sponsored by Jean Waldron in memory of Diamond White**
- 32. RoR ridden must have raced in GB (to be eligible for the Qualifier horses MUST have RoR competition membership).  
Riders must be 15 yrs or over on 01.01.25 - **Kindly sponsored by Summer's Retreat - Equine sports massage and rehab**
- 33. Ridden Cob (Pure, Traditional or Part Bred)
- 34. Ridden Arab - Pure, Part or Anglo
- 35. Ridden Coloured to include Native, Cob, Plaited and Traditional

## Championship


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# Ring 4 - In Hand

Commences at 9am

36. Best Turned Out
37. Coloured to include Native, Cob, Plaited and Traditional
38. Cob - Pure, Traditional or Part Bred
39. Youngstock - 1,2,3 year old
40. Small Breed Mountain & Moorland - *In loving memory of Sarah Jane*
41. Large Breed Mountain & Moorland - *Kindly sponsored by Jaspers Event Caterers*
42. Part Bred Mountain & Moorland
43. 4yr old & over open
44. Veteran Horse/Pony 14 yrs and over - *Kindly sponsored by HDH Construction*
45. Hunter, Hack & Riding Horse
46. RoR open in hand retrained racehorse must have raced in GB (qualifier horses MUST have current RoR competition membership).

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# Novelty/Utility Ring

Ring to be confirmed on day  
After lunch

47. Prettiest Mare
48. Handsome Gelding
49. Cheekiest Pony
50. Tiny Tots aged 4-8 years
51. Young Handler aged 8-12 years
52. Junior Handler aged 12-18 years
53. Pony Judge would like to take home

## Championship



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# New for 2025 - Open Hunter Trial

Cuttery Farm, East Allington  
Totnes TQ9 7QD

Sunday 7th September - 9.30am start

Maximum 2 rounds per horse/pony  
Rosettes to 10th place

- Class 1** 45cm over mini course - combination can be assisted or led
- Class 2** 60cm
- Class 3** 70cm
- Class 4** PAIRS - any height 70cm or above
- Class 5** 80cm
- Class 6** 90cm

## Entry Fees:

- Class 1** £20.00
- Class 2,3,5,6** £22.50
- Class 4** £35.00 per pair
- First Aid** £3.50 per competitor
- (Body protectors & skull caps MUST BE WORN)**

**In attendance** - Western Medical Services

**Catering** - Jaspers Event Caterers

**Photos** by TB Photography

**All entries via [www.equo-events.co.uk](http://www.equo-events.co.uk) - entries close 05.09.25**

# Photographers

**TB Photography**

We have a team of photographers to capture all those special moments this season. Photos will be available on their page after our events. [www.tazminebrownphotography.com](http://www.tazminebrownphotography.com)

# Catering

**Jaspers Event Caterers**

Jaspers really needs no introduction, and have catered for us now for years. They bring to our shows delicious burgers, cheesy chips and some amazing cakes. Husband and wife team Cliff and Hayley will keep you fed and water throughout our events.

# Vet on Call

**Blackdown Equine Vets**

We are delighted to have local vets Blackdown Equine as our 2025 vets on call. Thomas and his team are based locally and cover a wide area whilst offering a fantastic service. [www.blackdownequine.co.uk](http://www.blackdownequine.co.uk)



# Medical Cover

## Western Medical Services

WMS was formed in 2023 with a vision of becoming a pioneering medical events and ambulance services company. Founded by HCPC registered Paramedics they have knowledge and experience to deliver exceptional patient care. We are pleased to have them on board for this season. <http://www.westernmedicalservices.com>  
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# Showgrounds

## Redpost Showground

Redpost Showground is a purpose built showground consisting of 3 large grass arenas 2 of the grass arenas contain full sets of jumps. The Berry Arena has a full set of showjumps and the Hempston Arena contains a full set of Working Hunter Fences plus a small number of fixed fences. The showground is situated right next to Redpost Equestrian for any of those forgotten items on show day.

## Cuttery Farm

New for 2025 is our Hunter Trial to be held at Cuttery Farm, East Allington, Totnes. TQ9 7QD. This event will be open to both TDRM Members and Non-Members. Jaspers Event Caterers will be on site. This event will be covered by WMS and TB Photography.



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- All competitors and spectators shall hold the organisers TDRC and the landowners blameless and indemnify them against any legal proceedings ensuing from any kind of accident, loss or damage to horse/pony, rider, spectator, vehicle, dog or property.
- Any objection must be made in writing to the Secretary within 30 minutes and with a £10 deposit, refundable if objection upheld.
- The judges decision is final - any competitor or spectator arguing with a judge may be asked to leave the showground and will be banned from the club for the rest of the season.
- It is compulsory for any mounted persons under 18 yrs to wear a hard hat to current BS this rule also applies to under 12 yrs showing in hand. We strongly recommend that body protectors be worn when jumping.
- Any animal the committee deems to be in an unfit state will be asked to leave the showfield.
- No cantering or galloping outside the rings or in the lorry park
- No lunging in the lorry park
- Competitors **MUST** leave the ring at a walk.
- No warming up in showing rings, use warm up areas **ONLY**
- Stallions and Colts are permitted on the field by prior arrangement but on the understanding that you may be asked to leave by the committee if they are behaving in an unsuitable manner.
- All competitors must be correctly dressed for the classes they are in. Competitors will be banned for mistreatment of any animal, no refund will be given.
- All trophies from our presentation are held for one season and must be returned by the date posted on our FB at the end of the season. They must be returned in good clean condition with professional engraving only. Anyone returning trophies that breach this rule will not be allowed trophies in the future,
- All horses & ponies must have their annual vaccinations, passports may be spot checked.
- Any breach of the above rules will invalidate all entries for the remainder of the day, no refund will be given.
- By entering the showfield you are agreeing to these T&Cs. You are also accepting these T&Cs for anyone accompanying you to the event.
- ***In the event of the show being cancelled you will be offered to transfer your entries to our next event, if this is not possible a REFUND less any FEES will be made. There will be NO REFUNDS made if you are unable to attend the show. However a refund will be possible on production of a vet certificate issued for that horse/pony.***



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