

JERSEY HORSE DRIVING SOCIETY ANNUAL SHOW 7/8 AUGUST 2010

The thirty ninth Annual Show was held at the showground on St Lawrence main road on 7th and 8th August. British Driving Society judge Jane Brightwell from Surrey was making her second visit having judged some fourteen years ago, she was most impressed with the quality of turnouts, the standard being comparable with England also the ability of the junior drivers to drive coachman style.

The first day's morning programme was mainly for in hand classes, there were some welcome new members with lovely cobs which it is hoped will mature into driving horses of the future. Fleur White with her Welsh section C Abercippyn Zodiac had a very successful day with three wins and two thirds, however it was Lisa Fenlon's bay mare Rangeview Riddle who won the **In Hand Championship** with Charlie Ahier's vanner Boblands Miss Margaret in reserve.

A Shetland and a Miniature horse were winners of their age group for Tara Hill and Donelda Guy in the youngstock classes.

The over 13.2 single long reining class had five entries, the winner being the Hackney Gemma in the hands of Kim Gallichan, seven entries in the under 13.2 class saw a win for Ovington Hermes in the hands of Rachelle Bownes whilst the pairs winner went to Stapleford Pocket Rocket and Marbon M'Lord in the hands of Tom Robinson.

The afternoon was devoted to driving classes in exercise vehicles, the novice driving horse and the novice whip classes were won by Fleur White, and the junior whip was won by Kieran O'Conner driving Ovington Hermes from Kim Gallichan driving the cob Charlie and Ellie Carre driving the evergreen veteran pony Bleachgreen Firecracker.

Rounding off the day were the "On the Move" classes judged on the way of going, winner of the horse class was the Piebald cob Robert driven by Charlie Ahier, the large pony class saw a win for Laurtom Gold Spark driven by Julie Chalker whilst the small pony class was won by Ovington Hermes driven by Rachelle Bownes and the Hackney class was won by Tom Robinson driving Stapleford Pocket Rocket, these winners went forward to the **In the Move Championship**. Laurtom Gold Spark rose to the occasion with his extravagant paces to clinch the title with Stapleford Pochet Rocket in reserve.

Sunday's classes are for private driving in traditional carriages. Ovington Hermes headed the not exceeding 12.2 class from stable mate Stapleford Pocket Rocket, Midsummers Magic driven to a Stanhope gig by Peter Gouedart won the exceeding 13.2 class, Gemma the hackney won the horse class driven by Margaret Robinson, the country class was headed by Stapleford Pocket Rocket whilst the popular van class with four entries was won by Charlie Ahier's Boblands Miss Margaret sporting a new collar went brilliantly, The new Best Brass Trophy presented in memory of Edward Godel a past president went to John Vibert. It was good to see Beverley Le Marquand's ponies out, all be it driven by different drivers whilst Beverley is sidelined driven as a pair by Julie Chalker to win the pairs class.

The Pony Champion was Ovington Hermes, reserve spot went to Stapleford Pocket Rocket.
The Horse Champion was Gemma, reserve went to Boblands Miss Margaret.

The Combination Class had two entries in first place was Ovington Hermes and Stapleford Pocket Rocket driven by Tom Robinson, second was John Vibert driving Burnhead Jester and Yorkshire Ben, both

driven as Tandems. All the winners were eligible for the **Supreme Championship** which deservedly went to Ovington Hermes who went so well throughout the whole show. Reserve Supreme, went to Staines Ap Pip and Staines Minstrel driven by Julie Chalker.

Concours D'Elagance classes were judged by Donelda Guy stepping in at the last moment her winner in the horse class was Laura Vetier with Charlie and in the pony class Zoe Gallichan won with Cwmnant Coffee Cream.

Finally the whip classes were contested. Christianne Beardow (formally Creber) won Combination Whip with Beverley's ponies, Tom Robinson the Gentleman Whip and Rachelle Bownes the Lady Whip rounding off a memorable show for her and her ponies.

The Society extends grateful thanks to the many helpers who contributed to the success of the show.

RESULTS

Heavy Harness Horse ex: 14.2 hh 1, Charles Ahier ((Boblands Miss Margaret) 2, Dave Gallichan (Robert) 3, John Vibert (Yorkshire Ben) Light Harness. 1, K. Heffron (Janton Versache) 2, Margaret Robinson (Gemma).

Harness Pony ex: 12.2hh 1, Fleur White (Abercippyn Zodiac) 2, Carol Gay (Cathedine Amazon) 3, Julie Chalker (Laurtom Gold Spark) 4, Simone Garton (Fulford Comet) 5, Kim Gallichan (Charlie).

Harness pony not ex: 12.2hh 1, Lisa Fenlon (Rangeview Riddle) 2, Emma Le Marquand (Tirymor Myffanwy) 3, Tom Robinson (Stapleford Pocket Rocket) 4, Tara Hill (Helawi Acer) 5, Leonie Surcouf (Rangeview Rowan).

Veteran Horse or Pony. 1, Emma Le Marquand (Bleachgreen Firecracker) 2, Kieran O'Conner (Marbon M'Lord).

In Hand Champion Rangeview Riddle reserve Boblands Miss Margaret.

Youngstock Class 2yr Donelda Guy (Meadowfox Magic Dragon), 1yr Tara Hill (Helawi Horatio).

Pairs Long Reining 1, Tom Robinson (Stapleford Pocket Rocket/Marbon M'Lord) 2, Lisa Fenlon (Rangeview Rowan/Rangeview Riddle).

Ex; 13.2 Long Reining 1, Kim Gallichan (Gemma) 2, Sheila Vetier (Charlie) 3, Emma Eden (Scrumpy) 4, Dave Gallichan (Robert) 5, Peter White (Quarte Quatre).

13.2 & under Long Reining 1, Rachelle Bownes (Ovington Hermes) 2, Tom Robinson (Stapleford Pocket Rocket) 3, Fleur White (Abercippyn Zodiac) 4, Leonie Surcouf (Rangeview Rowan) 5, Julie Chalker (Glynoch Miss Anna).

Private Driving for Novice Horse or Pony 1, Fleur White (Abercippyn Zodiac) 2, Dave Gallichan (Robert).

Novice Whip 1, Fleur White (Abercippyn Zodiac) 2, Dave Gallichan (Robert).

Young Driver 1, Kieran O'Conner (Ovington Hermes) 2, Kim Gallichan (Charlie) 3, Ellie Carre (Bleachgreen Firecracker).

Best Non Hackney on the Move ex: 14.2 1, Charlie Ahier (Robert)

Best Non Hackney on the Move ex: 12.2 1, Julie Chalker (Laurtom Gold Spark) 2, Laura Vetier (Charlie) 3, Fleur White (Abercippyn Zodiac)

Best non Hackney not ex: 12.2 1, Rachelle Bownes (Ovington Hermes) 2, Leonie Surcouf (Rangeview Rowan) 3, Lisa Fenlon (Rangeview Riddle).

Best Hackney 1, Tom Robinson (Stapleford Pocket Rocket) 2, Margaret Robinson (Gemma).

On the Move Champion Laurtom Gold Spark reserve Stapleford Pocket Rocket.

Private Driving ponies not ex: 12.2 1, Rachelle Bownes (Ovington Hermes) 2, Tom Robinson (Stapleford Pocket Rocket)

Private Driving ponies ex: 12.2 1, Peter Gouedart (Midsummers Magic) 2, Sheila Vetier (Charlie) 3, June Vibert (Burnhead Jester)

Private Driving Horses. 1, Margaret Robinson (Gemma)

Country Class 1, Tom Robinson (Stapleford Pocket Rocket) 2, Phyllis Gouedart (Midsummers Magic) 3, Julie Chalker (Staines Ap Pip/Staines Minstrel) 4, Brian Raffray (Lisette de Cosnerie) 4, Zoe Gallichan (Cwmnant Coffee Cream)

Best Van or Light Trade 1, Charles Ahier (Boblands Miss Margaret) 2, Brian Raffray (Lisette de Cosnerie) 3, John Vibert (Yorkshire Ben) 4, June Vibert (Burnhead Jester). Best Brass John Vibert.

Open Pairs 1, Julie Chalker (Staines Ap Pip/Staines Minstrel) 2, Ivor Barette (Unique/Uniform).

Pony Champion (Ovington Hermes) Reserve (Stapleford Pocket Rocket).

Horse Champion (Gemma) Reserve (Boblands Miss Margaret).

Best Tandem, Unicorn or Team. 1, Tom Robinson (Ovington Hermes/Stapleford Pocket Rocket) 2, John Vibert (Yorkshire Ben/ Burnhead Jester).

Supreme Champion Rachelle Bownes (Ovington Hermes) **Reserve Supreme** Julie Chalker (Staines Ap Pip/ Staines Minstrel)

Concours D'Elegance 13.2 & under. Winner. Zoe Gallichan (Cwmnant Coffee Cream) reserves; Emma Le Marquand, Tom Robinson.

Concours D'Elegance ex: 13.2 Winner. Laura Vetier (Charlie) reserves; Ivor Barette, Charles Ahier, John Vibert.

Open Combination Whip 1, Christianne Beardow (Staines Ap Pip/Staines Minstrel) 2, John Vibert (Yorkshire Ben/ Burnhead Jester).

Gentleman Whip 1, Tom Robinson (Stapleford Pocket Rocket) 2, Peter Gouedart (Midsummers Magic)

Lady Whip 1, Rachelle Bownes (Ovington Hermes) 2, Emma Le Marquand (Bleachgreen Firecracker)