

## JERSEY HORSE DRIVING SOCIETY SPRING SHOW

The Hackney pony Stapleford Pocket Rocket owned by Rachelle Bownes and driven by Tom Robinson won both the Show Championship and the On the Move Championship also the Victoria Foods Qualifier, never losing his enthusiasm throughout the day, not only as a single but also partnered as a pair and tandem with his stable companion Ovington Hermes winning five classes between them.

Reserve Show Champion was Ivor Barette with his imposing pair of Gelderlander's Unique and Uniform driven to a Roof Seat Brake.

Reserve On the Move Champion went to Deen Bownes' Welsh Section C Laurtom Gold Spark driven by Julie Chalker, Julie also won the Novice class with another Welsh section C, Anna.

The Judge Gordon Marks from Cambridge decided to award Fleur White and Vincent Obbard in the Novice whip class equal first. The two Exercise Classes were won by Rachelle with Ovington Hermes (pony) and Laura Jeffries with Charlie (horses).

The Van or Light Trade was won by John Vibert driving Yorkshire Ben, his wife June in second place with Burnhead Jester won the Best Brass Trophy; Brian Raffray was third with Charles Le Cornu's Lisette.

Phyllis Gouedart driving Midsummers Magic to a Ralli Car won the Country class from Zoë Gallichan driving Shirley Le Marquand's Bleachgreen Firecracker.

Two tandems and a pair contested the multiple class, all three very different in their own way, Tom with Pocket Rocket as leader to Hermes took the red ribbon from Ivor Barette's pair a close second, third was John Vibert with the black Dales as wheeler and Grey Fell as leader, and later won the Concours D'Elegance for horses, Emma Le Marquand sparkled with her striking outfit to win the pony division driving Bev and Ian Le Marquand's Staines AP Pip, Judged by Anne Le Moine Grey.

Kieran O'Conner drove Ovington Hermes to victory in the Young Driver Class with Ellie Carre and Kim Gallichan second and third respectively also driving very correctly

The On The Move Classes unique to Jersey where the competitors are not required to do a show but simply to show off their horses paces, the first and second places going through to the Championship. Lisa Fenlon with her lovely bay pony Rangeview Riddle and Zoë Gallichan with Staines AP Pip qualified for the small pony class. Julie and Laurtom Gold Spark and Sheila Vetier with Charlie went forward for the ponies not ex: 14.2, John Vibert with Yorkshire Ben in the horse class and Tom with Pocket Rocket and Margaret Robinson with Gemma for the Hackney's. The seven contenders strutted their stuff to catch the judge's eye and were brought in, in reverse order, leaving the last two hackney's do another round, finally the championship went to Tom with Margaret in reserve spot.

The Osborne Qualifiers for the British Driving Society Championships at Towerlands were won by the following (some winning more than one with different turnouts) Rachelle Bownes (3) Tom Robinson (2) Phyllis and Peter Gouedart, IvorBarette and Kieran O'Conner.

### **Results.**

**Pairs or Tandems, Exercise Vehicles.** 1, Rachelle Bownes Stapleford Pocket Rocket & Ovington Hermes.

**Novice Class.** 1 Julie Chalker (Anna) 2, Fleur White (Zodiac) 3, Vincent Obbard (Max)

**Novice Whip.** Equal 1, Fleur White (Zodiac) & Vincent Obbard (Max)

**Single to a 2or 4 wheeled Exercise Vehicle.** 1, Rachelle Bownes (Hermes) 2, Julie Chalker (Laurtom Gold Spark) 3, Emma Le Marquand (Staines AP Pip) 4, Leonie Surcouf (Rangeview Rowan)

**Private Driving, Ponies or Horses ex: 13.2** 1 Laura Jeffries (Charlie) 2, June Vibert (Burnhead Jester) 3, Margaret Robinson (Gemma)

**Private Driving, Ponies not ex: 13.2.** 1, Tom Robinson (Stapleford Pocket Rocket) 2, Rachelle Bownes (Ovington Hermes) 3, Peter Gouedart (Midsummers Magic) 4, Emma Le Marquand (Staines AP Pip)

**Open Van or light Trade.**1, John Vibert (Yorkshire Ben) 2, June Vibert (Burnhead Jester) & Best Brass. 3, Brian Raffray (Lisette de Cornesiere).

**Country Class.** 1, Phyllis Gouedart (Midsummers Magic) 2, Zoë Gallichan (Bleachgreen Firecracker).

**Pairs and Tandems.** 1, Tom Robinson (Stapleford Pocket Rocket & Ovington Hermes).2, Ivor Barette (Unique & Uniform) .3, John Vibert (Yorkshire Ben & Burnhead Jester).

**Show Champion** Tom Robinson (Stapleford Pocket Rocket)

**Reserve Show Champion** Ivor Barette (Unique & Uniform).

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

**Concours D'Elegance, Ponies.** 1, Emma Le Marquand (Staines AP Pip ) 2, Phyllis Gouedart (Midsummers Magic). 3, Tom Robinson (Marbon M'Lord).

**Concourse D'Elegance Horses.** 1, John Vibert (Yorkshire Ben & Burnhead Jester) Runners Up. Ivor Barette (Unique & Uniform). Laura Jeffries (Charlie) Margaret Robinson (Gemma).

**Non Hackney On the Move not ex:12.2.** 1, Lisa Fenlon (Rangeview Riddle) 2, Emma Le Marquand (Staines AP Pip). 3, Kieran O'Conner (Marbon M'Lord).

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

**Non Hackney Horse on the Move.** 1, John Vibert Yorkshire Ben.

**Hackney Horse or Pony on the Move.** 1. Tom Robinson (Stapleford Pocket Rocket) 2, Margaret Robinson (Gemma).

**On The Move Champion** Tom Robinson (Stapleford Pocket Rocket)

**Reserve on the Move Champion** Margaret Robinson (Gemma)