

DONKEY & MULE SOCIETY OF N. Z. (INC)



NORTH ISLAND SHOW

Schedule of Classes

Sunday 25 February 2024, show starts at 9:30 am

Venue: Kumeu Showgrounds, Access Road, Gate 1

Schedules & Entry forms available from

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Details also available on the Society website

Entry fee: \$5.00 a class or \$30.00 per donkey or mule over all the classes.

ENTRIES CLOSE

20th February 2024

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Ribbons will be awarded for every class up to 4th place, with champions and reserve champions having sponsored sashes & rosettes

Judge Mrs Sara Ball

DONKEYS: IN HAND SECTION

To be judged on type, sound conformation and movement.

Age for entry in Section One is determined from 1st August.

Note each donkey can go in only one class in this section (apart from Best Presented and Novice, and Miniatures can also enter their miniature championship class.)

Class 1: Best Presented Donkey on a lead rein

(50% animal, 25% gear, 25% handler)

Class 2: Novice Donkey

Any age which has not won more than 3 first prizes in an in hand show class up to day of the show.

Class 3: Donkey Foal (born since August 1, 2023)

Class 4: Donkey yearling (born since August 1, 2022)

Class 5: Jenny 2 & 3 years (born since August 1, 2020)

Class 6: Gelding 2 & 3 years (born since August 1, 2020)

Class 7: Jack 2 & 3 years (born since August 1, 2020)

CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION YOUNGSTOCK DONKEY

from classes 3 to 7, second place winners to stand by until Champion awarded

Second place winners to stand by until Champion awarded, donkey that placed 2nd to the Champion to be judged with other 1st placed winners for Reserve Champion.

Geldings to be given equal considerations to jennies and jacks.

Class 8: Donkey jenny over 4 years

CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION JENNY

Class 9: Donkey gelding over 4 years

CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION GELDING

Class 10: Donkey jack over 4 years

Best type of jack most suitable for breeding donkeys with good conformation and movement.

CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION JACK

SUPREME CHAMPION IN HAND DONKEY

Supreme Champion to be judged from the Champion Young stock and Champion Adult Jenny, Gelding and Jack.

MULES: IN HAND SECTION

To be judged on conformation and movement

Class 11: Best Presented Mule on a lead rein

(50% animal, 25% gear, 25% handler) 1st Prize Best Presented sash

Class 12: Mule 3 years and under

Class 13: Molly Mule 4 years and over

Class 14: John Mule 4 years and over

CHAMPION IN HAND MULE and RESERVE CHAMPION IN HAND MULE

To be judged from classes 14 to 16. Second place winners to stand by until Champion awarded. Mule that placed 2nd to the Champion to be judged with other 1st place winners for Reserve Champion.

PERFORMANCE DONKEYS & MULES

Class 15: Ridden donkey or mule on a lead rein.

Donkeys and mules will be judged at the same time but awarded separately.

To be judged on the suitability of the animal for the rider and both to be judged as a unit. (mount to be 3 years or over. Rider 12 years or under). The lead rein may be attached to the bit for safety.

Class 16: In Hand Performance Challenge

The challenges will be judged on willingness, style and accuracy. The Challenge Class will consist of four challenges, which will be chosen from the Challenge list by the judge.

Class 17: Hurry-Scurry

A timed event negotiating cones, small jump and going around a barrel

Class 18: Bending

Donkey or mule to be led around cones and to be judged against time and accuracy.

Class 19: Long reining

Donkey or mule to be long reined over 4 challenges. To be judged on style, willingness and accuracy.

CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION PERFORMANCE DONKEY

CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION PERFORMANCE MULE

Championship to be awarded on a points basis

6 points for first; 4 points for second; 2 points for third; 1 point for fourth.

If there is a tie for Champion or Reserve Champion then the donkey or mule with the most firsts is the winner.

**The Donkey & Mule Society Rules of Showing apply.*

**Jacks must display an (S) tag at all times while on the grounds and Jacks over 2 years to wear a bridle or stallion chain*

** Competitors/attendees are at the show at their own risk, and they are liable for any damage caused by them or any animals in their charge.*

**The Committee reserves the right to change, amalgamate, or delete any class as it sees fit.*

**The decisions of the Judges are final.*

**The Committee has the right to refuse entry to any competitor.*

**The Committee may cause the removal of any donkey/mule it considers dangerous.*

**It is the responsibility of all exhibitors to ensure that no donkey/mule is brought to the grounds displaying symptoms of contagious or infectious diseases.*

**Hard hats must be worn by mounted competitors*

** Only members of the Donkey & Mule Society of NZ are eligible for trophies.*

In the event of any circumstances not covered by the above, the Committee's decision shall be final.

ENTRY FORM DONKEY & MULE SOCIETY NORTH ISLAND SHOW

Entries close 20th February 2024

\$5.00 each class, \$30 max per equine

Entry 1	
Registered Name:	
Registered Number:	
Handler Name:	
Owner Name & Phone:	
Classes Entered:	

Entry 2	
Registered Name:	
Registered Number:	
Handler Name:	
Owner Name & Phone:	
Classes Entered:	

Entry 3	
Registered Name:	
Registered Number:	
Handler Name:	
Owner Name & Phone:	
Classes Entered:	

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