

# **Camborne Show**

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Camborne Show Society (Charity No. 295971)



## **HEAVY HORSE SECTION SCHEDULE 2026**

**Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> July 2026**

**Gear Farm**

**Camborne TR14 7QW**

**Heavy Horse Judge: Mr David Udy, Cornwall**

**Ridden Class Judge: Miss Julie Rogers, Cornwall**

**Ring Steward: Mr Steve Putt**

**Commentator: Mr P Clarke MBE**

## **Entries & Enquiries to the Show Secretary**

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**Entry Fees:** £20.00 per Horse (any number of classes)

Travelling Subsistence: £30.00 per Horse  
Plus £25.00 per horse for Harness and Turnout Classes – Classes 7, 8 & 9

Vehicle and handler passes will be sent out prior to the show for all entries  
received by: Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> July 2026

**NO LATE ENTRIES**

**1<sup>st</sup> Class S.A.E required please for your passes**

**Rosettes:** To all entrants

**Sashes:** For Champion and Reserve Champion

**Trophies:** To all class winners and Specials

**PLEASE NOTE: Parking is available adjacent to the Heavy Horse ring but as vehicle movement on the showground is restricted you are requested to be on site by 8.30am and remain there until 4.00pm. Latecomers will be directed to the main lorry park.**

**JUDGING COMMENCES PROMPT AT 10am**

Classes 1 to 3 for **ANY** recognised Heavy Horse Breed.

Class 1.	<b><u>In hand 3 years old and under.</u></b> 1, 2 or 3 year old Colt, Filly or Gelding (Please ensure Colts are properly harnessed and handlers 18 years or over)
Class 2.	<b><u>In hand 4 years old and over – Geldings.</u></b>
Class 3.	<b><u>In hand 4 years old and over – Mares.</u></b>
Those placed first and second in classes 1.2 and 3 will be judged for <b>BEST IN SHOW.</b>	
Best in Show	<b><u>The winner will qualify for the West of England Heavy Horse In Hand Championships</u></b>
Class 4.	<b><u>Young Handler – ASSISTED</u></b> Exhibitors must be accompanied in the ring by an adult, no colts or stallions to be shown or handled, hard hats must be worn.
Class 5.	<b><u>Young Handler – 12 to 16 YEARS</u></b> No colts or stallions to be shown or handled, hard hats must be worn  (Every Young Handler entrant receives £5.00 prize money)
<b>BREAK FOR LUNCH</b>	
Class 6.	<b><u>Alan Tillier Driving Class</u></b>  Long Rein without implement. Horse and Handler will complete four manoeuvres AT THE WALK <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ A Figure of eight</li> <li>❖ A reverse into a box</li> <li>❖ Gate</li> <li>❖ A complete turnabout in a circle</li> <li>❖ A Zig Zag between traffic cones</li> </ul> The circle will be constructed from plastic Traffic Cones. <b><u>THIS WILL BE AGAINST THE CLOCK.</u></b> The handler and horse completing in the shortest time and with the lowest penalty points will be the winner.

Class 7.	<b><u>Working Harness</u></b> No bells, plumes and patent leather and minimal brasses Marks: - 75% Harness and 25% Horse
Class 8.	<b><u>Show/Decorated Harness</u></b> <b>The winner of class 8 will qualify for the West of England Championships</b> Marks: - 75% Harness and 25% Horse
Class 9.	<b><u>Heavy Horse Turnout</u></b> Singles, Pairs or Teams - Agricultural wagon or implement, trade or pleasure vehicle
Class 10.	<b><u>Ridden Heavy Horse</u></b> – Horses 4 Years and over An individual show at walk, trot and canter will be required. Judge will not ride. Flights to be removed from horses' manes please. <b>The winner of class 10 will qualify for the West of England Championships</b> See rules attached.
Class 11.	<b><u>Concours d'Elegance</u></b> – Ridden Horses 4 years and over Walk and trot, individual display may be asked. Lead rein welcome

### **GRAND PARADE**

Owners and horses are asked to parade for the final presentation of Trophies and to be entitled to travelling subsistence.  
Camborne Show Special Rosettes to all on parade.

### **SPECIAL TROPHIES**

To be awarded during the Grand Parade

- 1- Best Veteran – 16 years and over
- 2- Best Turned Out Horse
- 3- Best Cornish Bred Horse
- 4- Best Plaited Horse
- 5- Best Shod Horse
- 6- Farrier of Best Shod Horse

**ALL TROPHIES MUST BE SIGNED FOR BEFORE LEAVING THE SHOWGROUND.**

## **RULES OF THE SHOW**

Bullying and Bad behaviour towards People or Animals will not be tolerated

Any Bad behaviour towards our committee and officials will result in immediate warning and possible banning

The Judge's decision is final

Any complaints must be made in writing with a £30 deposit, if the committee see the complaint unfit the deposit may not be returned.

Juniors 14 years and under must wear a hard hat at all times in the showing

Correct and clean turnout of both horse and handler/rider is a condition of entry, determined by the Judge and steward.

Once judging has commenced no late comers will be accepted into the ring

Failure to comply with the rules will result in loss of entry and possible removal from the showground

### **Equine Flu**

All equine entries must comply with current equine flu vaccination requirements.

Please ensure that you bring your horse's passport as random checks will be carried out. Anyone who's horse is not vaccinated will be asked to leave the show ground.

There will be no refunds or travel subsistence paid.

### **Public Liability Insurance**

All exhibitors must have public liability insurance and a copy of the policy MUST be available for production at the showground if requested.

It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to have adequate liability insurance to indemnify the organisers of the event for any claims against death, injury, disease or damage to any person, vehicle or property arising from or caused by the actions of their horse or rider/driver during any activities being carried out in connection with the event.

**THE WEST OF ENGLAND**

**HEAVY HORSE CHAMPIONSHIPS 2026**

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**To be held on SUNDAY 13<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2026 at the Turnpike Showground, Shaftesbury,  
Dorset**

**CHAMPIONSHIP CLASSES:**

**HEAVY HORSE CHAMPION IN-HAND**

**HEAVY HORSE CHAMPION IN SHOW/DECORATED HARNESS**

**RIDDEN HEAVY HORSE**

**RULES OF QUALIFICATION:**

1. In-Hand Qualifiers must be from **Recognised Heavy Horse Breeds** of any age; Stallions, Colts, Mares, Fillies and Geldings. Harness and Ridden Qualifiers are open to horses 4 years old and over.
2. (a) The In-Hand Qualifier must be the Show Champion of the day. If the Champion is already qualified at a previous Qualifier Show then the Qualifier position can go down the line to 4<sup>th</sup> place, at the Judge's discretion. If the top 4 horses have already qualified then no Qualifier can be awarded.  
  
(b) The Show Harness and/or Decorated Harness Qualifier must be the highest placed on the day, down to 4<sup>th</sup> position at the Judge's discretion.  
  
(c) The Ridden Qualifier must be the highest placed on the day down to 3<sup>rd</sup> place if the winning horse has already qualified
3. The Ridden Championship will follow the Rules of the British Ridden Heavy Horse Society. Horses must be registered in the main British Stud Books of the Shire, Clydesdale, Suffolk or Percheron Society at the time of qualification and must be entered in the name and ownership they are registered.

A Ride Judge will ride all exhibits forward at the Championship Final. If an exhibitor declines the Judge's ride the horse will not be placed.

At shows where there is no Ride Judge, a stand/individual show will be required. Riders will be required to give a short individual or set show at walk, trot and canter lasting approximately 2 minutes. Change of rein and lengthened strides in trot and canter must be shown. Rein back, (optional) stand still and obedience to the leg must also be demonstrated.

Horse should leave the ring at a walk.

Entries will not be asked to jump.

If there is both a ride and confirmation judge a marking system will be used; split as follows:

Ride/manners marks to be awarded out of a possible 50.

Confirmation/type assessment to be awarded marks out of a possible 50.

When judging classes using the mark system horses should be stripped for the Confirmation Judge.

Where there is equality of marks the ride mark takes precedence, however if a tie remains the Ride Judge's decision is final.

4. If a Qualifier is subsequently unable to attend the Championships on 13<sup>th</sup> September at the Turnpike Showground (between Shaftesbury and Gillingham in North Dorset) then the Championship Secretary must be notified no later than 8<sup>th</sup> September 2026. The Qualification can then be passed to the next eligible horse.

Each horse that qualifies will receive a Qualifier rosette.

#### **AWARDS AT CHAMPIONSHIP 2026**

**EACH CHAMPION: £150 Prize Money, Sash and Rosette**

**EACH RESERVE CHAMPION: £100 Prize Money, Sash and Rosette.**

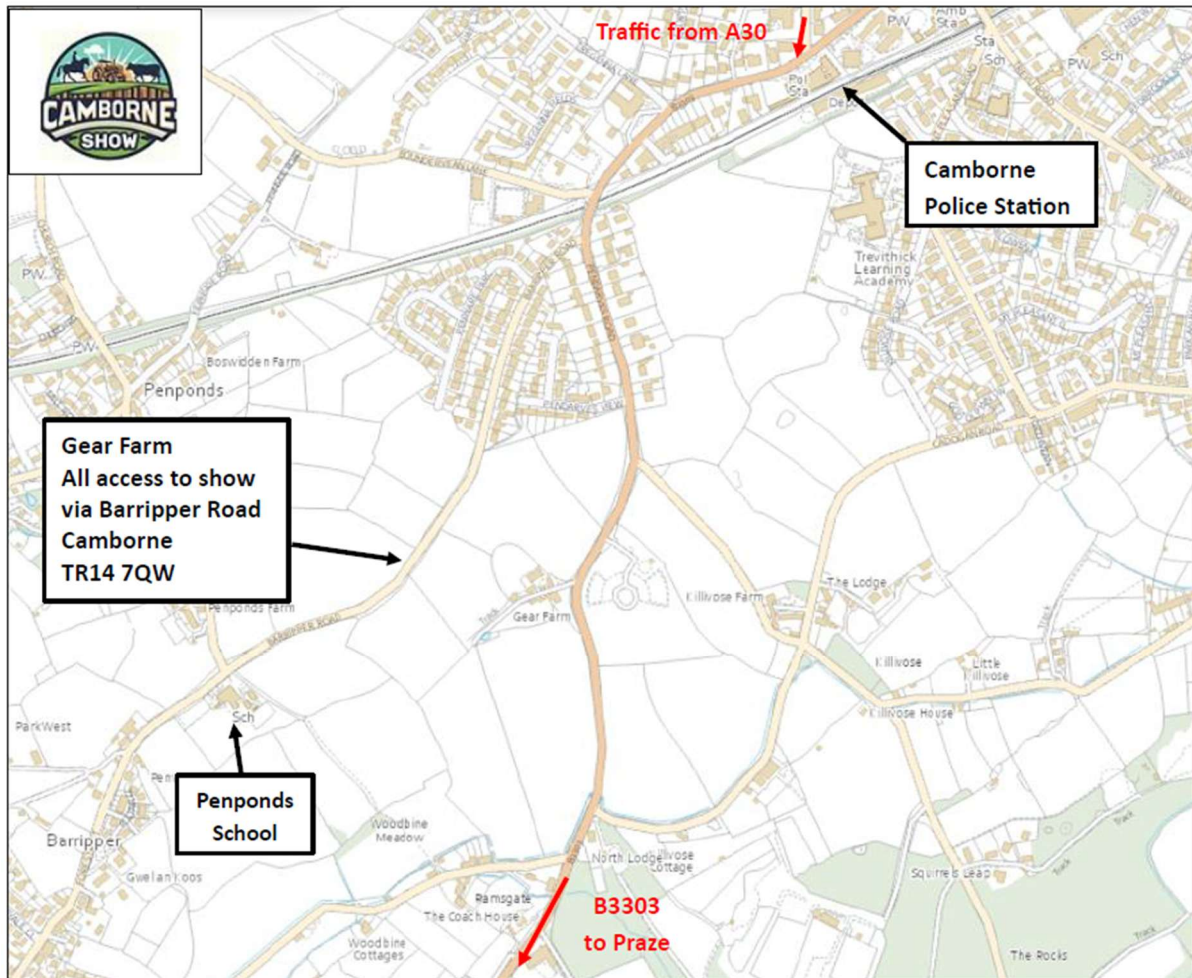
**THE REMAINING FINALISTS ATTENDING CHAMPIONSHIP: Travel grant and Rosette**

If exhibitors have any queries, please contact the West of England Heavy Horse Championship Secretary, Erica Macey-Bracken at The School House, Cranborne Middle School, Damerham Road, Cranborne, Dorset BH21 5RP. Mobile: 07958 921089 Email: wessexheavyhorsesociety@gmail.com

#### **SPECIAL NOTE**

Horses qualifying for the Championship and others from the same stables may enter and take part in the Wessex Heavy Horse Society's Annual Show on the same day. Schedules are available from the Championship Secretary at the address above. Overnight/day stabling will be available at the Show.

For further help go to the website [www.camborne-show.org.uk](http://www.camborne-show.org.uk) and see **Show Details / Show Location** for directions to showground



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