



## NZGCA Lower NI Spring Show Schedule and Entry Form

**This is a qualifying show for the Gypsy Cob Section at Horse of the Year 2022**

Hobson Horse Coach Indoor Arena  
81958 State Highway 2, Pahiatua  
Entrance is off Ranfurly Road

**Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> October 2021, 10.00am start.**

Entries close Sunday 10 October 2021.

### CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

1. Free entry for NZGCA members. Horses **MUST** be registered & the owner a financial member of the New Zealand Gypsy Cob Association Incorporated at close of entries. .
2. Non NZGCA members will incur an entry fee of \$15 per horse, and placings will not count as a HOY qualifier
3. No registrations required for The Heavy Horse section. This is NOT a HOY qualifier.  
For this event 'Heavy horse' is a large, strong heavily built horse. Eg Clydesdale, Drum, Shire etc to mature 15hh +
4. Back numbers are to be supplied by the competitor. NO back numbers available on the day
5. Age of horse is recognised as 1<sup>st</sup> August. Age of Rider/Handler as of date of the show
6. Height Certificates are not required.
7. ALL riders must wear protective headgear, which includes a retaining harness secured to the shell at two or more points at all times while riding as per RAS rules.
8. ALL Colts/Stallions – 12 months & over **MUST** be shown in a bridle & bit.
9. To wear 2 official 'S' identification badges, one attached to each side of their bridle/halter at all times, with the exception of foals.
10. Handlers & Riders must also wear two RAS official armbands (one on each arm) when in the ring
11. An attendant 17 years or over in addition to the handler/rider to remain on standby at all times
12. Pony Stallions must be ridden by riders 14 years & over. Stallions over 148cm must be led or ridden by a rider 17 years of age or older
13. No colts/stallions are to be left unattended or tied to floats/trucks at anytime while on the show grounds
14. An official can order any stallion/colt considered out of control or to be causing undue disquiet to other horses from the ring without recourse from the stallion/colt's owner/exhibitor/competitor
  - a. **Colts/stallions will be eliminated with no refund given if the above rules are not adhered**
15. Novice ridden has not had more than 5 wins in a ridden gypsy cob conformation class. Snaffle bits only. Novices are eligible to enter Open classes.
16. Protests must be accompanied by a \$50 deposit, refundable if the protest is sustained & submitted no later than half an hour after the incident that gave rise to the protest.
17. No Dogs permitted on the grounds, failure to comply will result in disqualification with no refund.
18. The NZGCA Committee reserves the right to alter/delete the programme as they see fit.
19. Any competitor or spectator found mistreating a horse, competing a horse deemed to be lame by the judge, arguing/fighting or being abusive to other competitors, judges or officials will be eliminated with no refund & asked to leave the grounds immediately. This includes ringside behaviour.

20. The show will be held wet or fine.
21. NZGCA accepts no responsibility for injury, loss or damage to Property, Horse, Handler/Rider or Spectator
22. Any Lapels, Badges, Rugs or similar that identify previous awards won are banned from being worn on the rider/handler or horse/pony in or near the ring.
23. **ALL manure/hay/rubbish must be picked up and placed in the appropriate muck bins.**

### **INHAND CLASSES**

#### **PUREBRED**

1. Best Presented Purebred Gypsy Cob
2. Purebred 3 years and under
3. Purebred Adult, 4 years and over
4. Best Paced Purebred
5. Best Mannered Purebred

***Champion & Reserve Champion Purebred Inhand Gypsy Cob***

#### **PARTBRED**

6. Best Presented Partbred Gypsy Cob
7. Partbred Draft Cob, three years and under
8. Partbred Sports Cob, three years and under
9. Partbred Draft Cob Adult, Four years and over
10. Partbred Sports Cobs Adult, Four years and over
11. Best Paced Partbred
12. Best Mannered Partbred

***Champion and Reserve Champion Partbred Inhand Gypsy Cob***

### **HEAVY HORSE – To mature 15hh and over (open to all heavy horses, NZGCA registration not required)**

13. Best Presented Clydesdale or Drum Horse
14. Clydesdale or Drum Horse 3 years & Under
15. Clydesdale or Drum Horse 4 years & Over
16. Best Paced Clydesdale or Drum
17. Best Mannered Clydesdale or Drum

***Champion and Reserve Champion Heavy Horse***

### **RIDDEN CLASSES**

18. Best presented Horse and Rider (pure, part & heavy horse)

#### **PUREBRED**

19. Novice 0-5 wins Purebred
20. Open Purebred
21. Best paced purebred
22. Best mannered purebred

***Champion & Reserve Ridden Purebred Gypsy Cob***

#### **PARTBRED**

23. Novice 0-5 wins Partbred
24. Open Partbred
25. Best paced partbred
26. Best mannered partbred

***Champion & Reserve Ridden Partbred Gypsy Cob***

### **HEAVY HORSE – To mature 15hh and over (open to all heavy horses, NZGCA registration not required)**

27. Novice 0-5 wins Heavy Horse
28. Open Heavy Horse
29. Best paced Heavy horse
30. Best mannered Heavy horse

***Champion & Reserve Ridden Heavy horse***

**No telephone or late entries accepted.**

Name of Owner: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ (I agree to the conditions of this show)

**Email entries to:- [secretary@nzgca.co.nz](mailto:secretary@nzgca.co.nz)**

Payments: Please include name and LNI SHOW as ref: : 03 1568 0431270 00