**Saturday saw the 37th Annual Shetland Pony Stud-Book Society National Breed Show take place at Clickimin, Lerwick. The glorious weather helped to make the show a momentous event. The show was officially opened by Mrs Helen Thomson, Shetland Pony stalwart, who was piped onto the show field in a Shetland Pony drawn carriage before dismounting to welcome all and get the proceedings under way. There were 408 entries, consisting of 301 ponies, across the 5 rings. Exhibitors attended from the length and breadth of Shetland and further afield including Orkney, Scotland and England, the farthest travelling from Gloucestershire. There were a large number of spectators on show day creating a very friendly and enjoyable atmosphere. Hundreds of people had travelled to Shetland from countries outside the UK just to see the pony including people from Australia, Canada, France, Germany, Holland, Denmark, Sweden, Norway, Austria, Switzerland and Finland to name just a few. The many nationalities contributed to the international flavour of the show with the 3 international judges who officiated alongside the 4 judges from the UK. Mr Stein Langorgen from Norway officiated in the In Hand Standard Black Pony Ring, M Ludovic Durand from France officiated in the In Hand Standard Coloured Pony Ring, Mrs Johanna Vaurio officiated in the In Hand Small Pony Ring, Mrs Pat Renwick, England and Mrs Anna Stevens and Mrs Dorothy Griffiths, Wales, shared the judging of the Ridden Ring classes and the Driven Ring was judged by Miss Alexandra Lanni from Scotland. There was strong competition across most of the classes with a very good standard of ponies forward. The judges were very pleased with the hard but enjoyable job they had to do.**

**At the culmination of ring judging Hools Janet from Hools Stud in Orkney took Black Ring Champion with Hollydell Hindsight from Hollydell stud in Nesting taking Reserve Champion. The Coloured Ring saw 3 year old chestnut colt Merkisayre Julian from Merkisayre Stud in Burra take the Champion honours with the Bay Broodmare Birchmoor Gizelle from the Barugh family in East Yorkshire taking Reserve Champion. The Small Pony Ring saw fierce competition with the ultimate Champion prize going to Beechnut of Berry owned by Bergli Stud, Walls with Amanda Slater’s homebred Breckenlea Solomon, from Tresta, taking reserve honours. The ridden ring saw 8 year old Heidi Dickie, from Culllivoe, taking the Ring Championship on her Lead Rein Pony, Klingrahoull Gypsy who is owned by her mother Ingrid. Arianne Fraser from Whalsay took Reserve Ring Champion with the black Stallion Hools Rising High who is bred and owned by Hools Stud in Orkney. The Hools’ Stud winning streak continued in the Driven ring with Toots Cromarty taking Champion driving Hools Voyager with Hannah budge form Bigton taking reserve honours with the veteran HRE Aladdin.**

**The top 5 ponies then went forward for the judging of the Supreme Championship, which was judged by the 5 ring judges. There was much deliberation as the judges scrutinised the ponies to choose the best. Eventual consensus was reached and the results saw Beechnut of Berry, from Bergli Stud, taking the Reserve Supreme Sash and Merkisayre Julian, from Merkisayre Stud, taking the top honours, quite an achievement as it was also Merkisayre Stud who took Supreme Champion at the first ever Breed show in Shetland in 2009! A real dream come true for George Tait and his family. Huge congratulations to all the competitors.**

**Shetland is a unique place and we are incredibly lucky to be the custodian of this very special pony who is loved worldwide and drew the hundreds of people from all corners of the globe to Shetland for the 10 days of celebration. Thanks to all the exhibitors and visitors who came. None of the events would have been possible without the thousands of volunteer hours that have been put in and also the very generous support of our sponsors, in particular the main show sponsor Garriock Brothers Ltd, ring sponsors Furunas Stuteri, Sweden, Sumburgh Hotel, South Park Fairy Stud, Marion & Brian Morris, Jersey and MacLeod Creek Shetlands, British Colombia, Canada, Northlink Ferries, Glansin Glass, Shetland Showing Tack, Native Pony Bridles, Promote Shetland, Shetland Reel Gin and our select sale sponsor S J Rendall Rendering Contractors. Thanks also to Austin Taylor and Kevin Jones for providing the fantastic photography services on a very long and hot day. Heartfelt thanks also must go to the incredible people who kept the show running so smoothly on show day, Kerry Eunson & Matt Fraser in the secretary’s office and all the stewards and runners Lee Moulder, Abigail Robertson, Leighton Anderson, Melody Goodlad, Nicky Beck, Susan Goodlad, Ailidh Risk, Anya Risk, Jade Stevenson, Gemma Irvine, Katrena Irvine, Charles Gear, Margaret Leslie and not forgetting Marion Anderson & Helen Dickson. The Pony Breeders of Shetland Association could not have done it without you. Shetland you have done yourselves proud.**

**Full results were as follows:**

**RING 1 RESULTS STANDARD BLACK PONIES**

1. **Gelding, any age: 1st Clothie Night Muscari ex Emma Anderson, 2nd Clothie Night Lightning ex Budge Family, 3rd Shoormal Vik ex Kelsey Arthur, 4th Ramnaberg Andy ex Annette Hunter, 5th Hools Voyager ex Hools Stud, 6th Laaward Olaf ex Sonja Flaws.**
2. **Yeld Mare: 1st Hools Janet ex Hools Stud, 2nd Bergli Holy ex Bergli Stud, 3rd Almnas Sum Sum ex Bergli Stud, 4th Black Rose Av Bergli ex Bergli Stud, 5th Eynhallow Dew ex Eynhallow Stud, 6th Merkisayre Juniper ex George Tait.**
3. **Stallion, 4 years and over: 1st Strauss of Auckhorn ex Steve Rendall & Ian Spence, 2nd Merkisayre Surety ex Bergli Stud, 3rd Eynhallow Dutch Prince ex Eynhallow Stud, 4th Hestigarth Kristoff ex Ingrid Sutherland, 5th Hollydell Hades ex Hollydell Stud, 6th Westpark Topstar ex Trevor Shaw.**
4. **Yearling Colt: 1st Millquoy Jedi ex Millquoy Stud, 2nd Bergli Vaar ex Bergli Stud.**
5. **2 year-old Colt: Bergli Norseman ex Bergli Stud**
6. **3-year-old Colt: 1st Hollydell Hindsight ex Hollydell Stud, 2nd Ladbury Elgin ex Millquoy Stud**
7. **Brood Mare, 4 years and over with own foal at foot: 1st Hollydell Hesitation ex Hollydell Stud, 2nd Bergli Hera ex Bergli Stud, 3rd Bayview Tiffany ex Dana Jamieson, 4th HRE Katey ex Budge Family, 5th American Pye of Auckhorn, 6th HRE Olympia ex Budge Family.**
8. **Colt Foal, not necessarily produce of a mare shown in class 7: 1st Kingsknowe Van Persie ex Kristen Wishart, 2nd Happyhansel Moonshine ex Happyhansel Stud, 3rd Musselbrough Draken ex Janice & Marcus Priest.**
9. **Filly Foal, not necessarily produce of a mare shown in class 7: 1st Bergli Viva ex Bergli Stud, 2nd Hollydell Hemera ex Hollydell Stud, 3rd Filska Tiana ex Sheena Anderson, 4th Clumlie Arizona ex Robin’s Brae Stud, 5th Happyhansel Sweet Molly ex Vaila Cumming, 6th Happyhansel Midnight Rain ex Vaila Cumming.**

**Best Black Foal: Bergli Viva**

1. **Yearling Filly: 1st Bergli Visette ex Bergli Stud, 2nd Millquoy J’Adore ex Millquoy Stud, 3rd Skaw Vaarie ex Fraser Family, 4th Hools J’Adore ex Hools Stud, 5th Bigton California ex Budge Family, 6th Hools Eminence ex Helen Heads.**
2. **2-year-old Filly: 1st Bigton Beauty ex Dana Jamieson, 2nd Millquoy Daegan ex Millquoy Stud, 3rd Bergli Helga ex Bergli Stud, 4th Eynhallow Contessa ex Eynhallow Stud, 5th Happyhansel Lovise ex Happyhansel Stud, 6th Laaward Una ex Sonja Flaws.**
3. **3-year-old Filly: 1st Bergli Gloria ex Bergli Stud, 2nd Hools Miss Jutland ex Hools Stud, 3rd Vinette of Berry ex Berry Stud, 4th Bigton Aurora ex Budge Family, 5th Birchmoor Snowbunting ex Elaine Tomlinson & Joy Barugh, 6th Eynhallow Black Beauty ex Eynhallow Stud.**

**Junior Champion: Hollyell Hindsight**

**Reserve Junior Champion: Bergli Gloria**

**Senior Champion: Hools Janet**

**Reserve Senior Champion: Strauss of Auckhorn**

**Overall Black Ring Champion: Hools Janet**

**Overall Reserve Black Ring Champion: Hollydell Hindsight**

**RING 2 RESULTS STANDARD COLOURED PONIES**

1. **Gelding, any age: 1st Klingrahoull Cavalier ex Mr & Mrs Bromwich, 2nd Clothie Pixel ex Rosanne Rendall, 3rd Hollydell Rannoch ex Julie Williamson, 4th Merkisayre Sea Biscuit ex Budge Family, 5th Filska Cossack ex Filska Stud, 6th Ulverscroft Midnight Red ex Kira Fraser.**
2. **Yeld Mare: 1st Merkisayre Dior ex George Tait, 2nd Brygarth Xanthe ex Michael Laurenson, 3rd Merkisayre Dally ex George Tait, 4th Clivocast Vanna ex Irvine Burgess, 5th Merkisayre Diva ex George Tait, 6th Muness Maple ex Robert Ramsay.**
3. **Stallion, 4 years and over: 1st Merkisayre Kelvin ex George Tait, 2nd Merkisayre Sea Dancer ex Sheena Anderson & Pam Williamson, 3rd Klingrahoull Copper-Berg ex Mr & Mrs Bromwich, 4th Birchmoor Rosethorn ex Elaine Tomlinson & Joy Barugh, 5th Musselbrough Expo ex Janice & Marcus Priest, 6th Clivocast Viking ex Sheena Anderson.**
4. **Yearling Colt: 1st Shoormal Hildin ex June Brown, 2nd Muness Macavoy ex June Brown, 3rd Schiehallion Kraken ex Jackie Syme.**

1. **2-year-old Colt: 1st Clumlie Viceroy ex Robin’s Brae Stud, 2nd Robin’s Brae Venture ex Robin’s Brae Stud, 3rd Nortwick Jarl ex Olga Smith.**
2. **3-year-old Colt: 1st Merkisayre Julian ex George Tait**
3. **Brood Mare 4 years and over with own Foal at foot: 1st Birchmoor Gizelle ex Barugh Family, 2nd Bergli Dimma ex Janice & Marcus Priest, 3rd Bayview Tia ex Sheena Anderson, 4th Mailand Scapa Special ex Dana Jamieson, 5th Promisehill Foula Fairy ex Robin’s Brae Stud, 6th Musselbrough Isla ex Sheena Anderson.**
4. **Colt Foal, not necessarily produce of a mare shown in class 19: 1st Filska Magnus ex Sheena Anderson**
5. **Filly Foal,** **not necessarily produce of a mare shown in class 19: 1st Bigton Daisy ex Budge Family, 2nd Clumlie Apollo ex Robin’s Brae Stud, 3rd Mailand Infinity ex Dana Jamieson, 4th Bigton Delta ex Budge Family, 5th Mailand Marvela ex Dana Jamieson, 6th Musselbrough Pandora ex Janice & Marcus Priest.**

**Best Coloured Foal: Bigton Daisy**

1. **Yearling Filly: 1st Clumlie Water Lily ex Robin’s Brae Stud, 2nd Happyhansel Promise ex Vaila Cumming, 3rd Filska Tia Maria ex Sheena Anderson.**
2. **2-Year-old Filly: 1st Grutness Ultra ex Sonja Flaws, 2nd Somahouse Ivy ex Sheena Anderson, 3rd Hestigarth Shakira ex Julie Sales, 4th Filska Zoe ex Sheena Anderson, 5th Schiehallion Angelina ex Jackie Syme, 6th Schiehallion Jade ex Jackie Syme.**
3. **3-Year-old Filly: 1st Brunatwatt Isla ex Robin’s Brae Stud, 2nd Clibberswick Riva ex Jem Roberts, 3rd Zainette of Berry ex Berry stud, 4th Merkisayre Dreamer ex George Tait, 5th Gue Rosalie ex Michael Laurenson.**

**Junior Champion: Merkisayre Julian**

**Reserve Junior Champion: Clumlie Viceroy**

**Senior Champion: Birchmoor Gizelle**

**Reserve Senior Champion: Merkisayre Kelvin**

**Overall Coloured Ring Champion: Merkisayre Julian**

**Overall Reserve Coloured Ring Champion: Birchmoor Gizelle**

**RING 3 RESULTS SMALL PONIES**

1. **Gelding any age: 1st Glenfall Tickety Boo ex Culingford & Duckworth**
2. **Yeld Mare: 1st Beechnut of Berry ex Bergli Stud, 2nd Foula Lightsome ex Magnie Manson, 3rd Lignite Dusky Beauty ex Robin’s Brae Stud, 4th Parlington Anneliese ex Parlington Stud, 5th Parlington Viola ex Lynda Cochrane, 6th Dazzle of Berry ex Berry Stud.**
3. **Stallion, 4 years old and over: 1st Parlington Quentin ex Parlington Stud, 2nd Kerswell Starbuck ex Amanda Slater, 3rd Robin’s Brae Starlight ex Amanda McLennan, 4th Zorgo of Berry ex Berry Stud, 5th Gabriel of Brygarth ex Carole Forteath, 6th Hermit’s Rocket ex Mr W Spence.**
4. **Yearling Colt: Robin’s Brae Whiskey ex Benston Stud, 2nd Gue Travis ex Gue Stud, 3rd Brygarth Kelpie ex Michael Laurenson, 4th Benstonholm X-Factor ex Annette Hunter, 5th Parlington Fabian ex Parlington Stud, 6th Tawna Cavalier ex Gue Stud.**
5. **2-year-old Colt: 1st Breckenlea Solomon ex Amanda Slater, 2nd Parlington Eros ex Parlington Stud, 3rd Benston Whisky Galore ex Benston Stud, 4th Brygarth Joey ex Michael Laurenson, 5th Gue Sjoberg ex A J Williamson.**
6. **3-year-old Colt: 1st Brygarth Isaac ex Michael Laurenson, 2nd Stackerhvi Karl ex A J Williamson.**
7. **Brood Mare 4 years old and over with own Foal at foot: 1st Robin’s Brae Orchid ex Bergli Stud, 2nd Gue Olivia ex Gue Stud, 3rd Glenbogie Fairyale ex Gue Stud, 4th Seva Rumba Lady ex Lauraine Manson, 5th Roseanna of Berry ex Bergli Stud, 6th Simonside Astrid ex Robin’s Brae Stud.**
8. **Colt Foal, not necessarily produce of a mare shown in class 31: Gue Uproar ex Gue Stud, 2nd Bergli orchard ex Bergli Stud, 3rd Benstonholm Yogi ex Annette Hunter, 4th Breckenlea Firecracker ex Amanda Slater, 5th Northharrier Yule ex Penny Gear, 6th Gue Suain ex Gue Stud.**
9. **Filly Foal,** **not necessarily produce of a mare shown in class 31: 1st Bergli Lona ex Bergli Stud, 2nd Breckenlea Gylana ex Amanda Slater, 3rd Breckenlea Symphony ex Amanda Slater, 4th Brygarth little Miss Sunshine ex Michael Laurenson, 5th Benstonholm Yazmin ex Annette Hunter, 6th Ruffloch Ruby ex Rosemary Cross.**

**Best Small Foal: Bergli Lona**

1. **Yearling Filly: 1st Robin’s Brae White Gold ex Robin’s Brae Stud, 2nd Breckenlea Savanna ex Amanda Slater, 3rd Bergli Alexandra ex Bergli Stud, 4th Ruffloch Coco ex Rosemary Cross, 5th Parlington Faith ex Cora Ramsey, 6th Gue Tarah ex Lynda Cochrane.**
2. **2-year-old Filly: 1st Parlington Esmeralda ex Parlington Stud, 2nd Merrylees Joanna ex Tracey Anne Anderson, 3rd Gue Skerry ex Gue Stud, 4th Gue Sophie May ex Gue Stud, 5th Enigma Maple ex Lynda Cochrane, 6th Kingsknowe Desire ex Kristen Wishart.**
3. **3-year-old Filly: 1st Gardie Jorgie ex Mr W Spence, 2nd Milday Arabella ex Gue Stud, 3rd Parlington Dorothy ex Parlington Stud, 4th Gue Robyn ex Gue Stud, 5th Benston Velvet ex Benston Stud, 6th Robin’s Brae Ulla ex Tracey Anne Anderson.**

**Junior Champion: Breckenlea Solomon**

**Reserve Junior Champion: Bergli Lona**

**Senior Champion: Beechnut of Berry**

**Reserve Senior Champion: Parlington Quentin**

**Overall Small Ring Champion: Beechnut of Berry**

**Overall Reserve Small Ring Champion: Breckenlea Solomon**

1. **Progeny Classes**
2. **3 ponies by same stallion: 1st Millquoy Daybreak, J’Adore & Jedi ex Millquoy Stud, 2nd Filska Zoe, Tia Maria & Magnus ex Sheena Anderson, 3rd Grutness Phyvix, Ultra & Laaward Shalder ex Sonja Flaws.**
3. **3 ponies out of same mare: 1st Robin’s Brae Quartz, Jewel & Starlight ex Amanda McLennan & Robin’s Brae Stud.**
4. **Stallion & 2 Progeny: 1st Strauss of Auckhorn, Hollydell Hades & Hindsight ex Hollydell Stud & Ian Spence, 2nd Kerswell Starbuck, Breckenlea Symphony & Savanna ex Amanda Slater, 3rd Parlington Quentin, Eros & Anneliese ex Parlington Stud, 4th Braywood Fudge, Glenfall Tickety Boo & Dragonfly ex Cullingford & Duckworth.**
5. **No Entries Forward**
6. **In Hand Veteran: 1st Clothie Night Echo ex Budge Family, 2nd HRE Dollar ex Megan Leslie, 3rd Parlington Quentin ex Parlington Stud, 4th Lignite Prima ex Robin’s Brae Stud, 5th Kinkell Gordon ex Jackie Syme. 6th Brygarth Nadia ex Michael Laurenson.**

**Champion** **Gelding: Clothie Night Muscari ex Emma Anderson**

**Reserve Champion Gelding: Glenfall Tickety Boo**

**Best Exhibitor bred Gelding: Glenfall Tickety Boo**

**RING 4 RESULTS RIDDEN PONIES**

1. **Horse of the Year Show NPS/Baileys Horse Feeds Mountain and Moorland Ridden Shetland Pony Championship** **Qualifier: 1st Hools Rising High & Arianne Fraser, 2nd Clothie Night Lightning & Emily Laurenson, 3rd Sir Winston Av Bergli & Aimee Budge, 4th Buxted Military Man & Rebecca Fraser, 5th Ulverscroft Midnight Red & Nina Fraser, 6th Mailand Silverstone & Rebecca McNab, 7th Clothie Night Echo & Katie Budge, 8th HRE Aladdin & Jemima Budge, 9th Clothie Night Yarrow & Connie Dickie.**

**53. NPS Scotland/Kilmannan Stud Novice Ridden Mountain & Moorland Championship: 1st Buxted Military Man & Rebecca Fraser, 2nd Sir Winston Av Bergli & Emily Laurenson, 3rd Shoormal Vik & Bethany Dickie, 4th Clothie Night Muscari & Emma Anderson.**

1. **NPS Scotland/Kilgraston School M&M First Ridden Championship: 1st Clothie Night Lightning & Fay Emms, 2nd Yitter of Grutness & Heidi Dickie, 3rd Hollydell Rannoch & Julie Williamson.**

1. **NPS Scotland/Kilgraston School M&M Lead Rein Championship: 1st Klingrahoull Gypsy & Heidi Dickie, 2nd Clothie Night Lightning & Fay Emms, 3rd Hools Janet & Layla Kirkness, 4th Hools Voyager & Daisy Irvine, 5th Shoormal Vik & Elise Sutherland, 6th Schiehallion Murphy & Lori Duncan.**

**Ridden Champion: Hools Rising High & Arianne Fraser**

**Reserve Ridden Champion: Klingrahoull Gypsy & Heidi Dickie**

1. **YOUNG HANDLERS 8 years and under: 1st Clothie Night Lightning & Fay Emms, 2nd Yitter of Grutness & Heidi Dickie, 3rd Hollydell Rannoch & Julie Williamson, 4th Schiehallion Murphy & Lori Duncan, 5th Eynhallow Dew & Finlay Brough, 6th Hools Voyager & Daisy Irvine.**
2. **YOUNG HANDLERS 9 - 12 year: 1st Klingrahoull Gypsy & Bethany Dickie, 2nd Hools J’Adore & Daisy Irvine, 3rd Clothie Zircon & Ashley Hunter, 4th Clothie Night Echo & Katie Budge, 5th Ramnaberg Andy & Shona Hunter, 6th Clothie Night Lighting & Emily Laurenson.**
3. **YOUNG HANDLERS 13 - 18 years: 1st Hermits Secret Dream & Reece MacLeod, 2nd Birchmoor Snowbunting & Emily Mayfield, 3rd Clothie Night Yarrow & Connie Dickie, 4th Clothie Night Muscari & Emma Anderson, 5th Hollydell Rannoch & Kailee Tait, 6th Clothie Pixel & Hannah-Lisa Laurenson.**
4. **Cradle Stakes Working Hunter (Lead Rein/Assisted)** : **1st Clothie Night Lightning & Fay Emms, 2nd Yitter of Grutness & Heidi Dickie, 3rd Hollydell Rannoch & Julie Williamson, 4th Schiehallion Murphy & Lori Duncan, 5th Ramnaberg Andy & Libby Hunter, 6th Yitter of Grutness & Logan Sale.**
5. **Novice Working Hunter: 1st Merkisayre Sea Biscuit & Aimee Budge, 2nd Clothie Night Echo & Emily Laurenson, 3rd Clothie Night Lightning & Katie Budge, 4th Buxted Military Man & Rebecca Fraser, 5th Clothie Night Yarrow & Connie Dickie, 6th Hools Rising High & Arianne Fraser.**
6. **NPS Scotland/Kingfisher Building Products Mountain & Moorland Open WHP Championship: 1st Hools Rising High & Arianne Fraser, 2nd Clothie Night Echo & Katie Budge.**

**Working Hunter Champion: Merkisayre Sea Biscuit**

**Reserve Working Hunter Champion: Hools Rising High & Arianne Fraser**

**Overall Ridden Ring Champion: Klingrahoull Gypsy & Heidi Dickie**

**Overall ridden Ring Reserve Champion: Hools Rising High & Arianne Fraser**

**RING 4 RESULTS DRIVEN PONIES**

1. **Pairs, Tandems, Unicorns: No entries**
2. **Pony driven to a single vehicle: 1st Hools Voyager & Toots Cromarty, 2nd HRE Aladdin & Hannah Budge, 3rd Ulverscroft Midnight Red & Kira Fraser.**
3. **Junior Whip: 1st HRE Aladdin & Ellen Thom, 2nd Ulverscroft Midnight Red & Nina Fraser.**
4. **Exercise Vehicles: 1st Hools Voyager & Toots Cromarty, 2nd HRE Aladdin & Hannah Budge**
5. **Cones Class 1st Hools Voyager & Toots Cromarty, 2nd HRE Aladdin & Hannah Budge**

**Driven Ring Champion: Hools Voyager & Toots Cromarty**

**Driven Ring Reserve Champion: HRE Aladdin & Hannah Budge**

**TheMerlin Trophy - Best Novice Pony: Brunatwatt Isla**

**The Seva Trophy - Best Broken Coloured Pony: Clumlie Viceroy**

**The NormandykesTrophy - Best Pony Bred in Shetland: Merkisayre Julian**

**The Seva Harry OTrophy - Best Pony Bred in Wales: Seva Rumba Lady**

**The Nashes Trophy - Best Exhibitor-Bred Pony: Merkisayre Julian**

**The Annwood and S.P.S. Australia Trophies - Best Broodmare: Hollydell Hesitation**

**Catchpole Trophy - Best Stallion: Strauss of Auckhorn**

**The Marshwood Rose Bowl – Best Junior Excluding Foals: Merkisayre Julian**

**Supreme Champion: Merkisayre Julian**

**Reserve Supreme Champion: Beechnut of Berry**