

**Carolina Carriage Club**

**Oct 8**

**Welsh classes are all on Oct 8**

**Show starts at 9:00 AM**

**WPCSA Bronze Sanctioning Applied For**

Location: FENCE Foothills Equestrian Nature Center 3381 Hunting Country Road, Tryon, NC 28782  
Phone: 828-859-9021

Show Secretary:

Secretary is Jean Wright at 828-280-5777 or email [ccshowsecretary@gmail.com](mailto:ccshowsecretary@gmail.com)

Mail Entries to - Price Story 14 Independence Ln w Mills River NC 28759

Show Organizer –Linda Algire

WPCSA show – Deborah Branson

Show Committee members: Jackie Lewis and Price Story

Show information and prize list will be posted on [www.carolinacarriageclub.com](http://www.carolinacarriageclub.com)  
and

[www.carolinapony.com](http://www.carolinapony.com)

This Welsh show is part of the Carolina Carriage Club open driving show. The prize list for the rest of the show can be found by contacting the show secretary at [ccshowsecretary@gmail.com](mailto:ccshowsecretary@gmail.com) or at the website for the Carolina Carriage Club

Judge:

Mary Ann Boyden ([maryanne.boyden@gmail.com](mailto:maryanne.boyden@gmail.com))

Rules Committee:

Deborah Branson

DeDe Bushnick

David Frump

Vet on Call – Tryon Equine

Emergency Personnel – 911 –

**SHOW STARTS PROMPTLY AT 9:00AM**    **Entries will be taken the day of the show**

**FEES: Pre-entry** \$15.00 per class

Post-entry after Sept 17th

Grounds fee per trailer \$10.00 (not stalled)

Stalls—\$25.00 per night or \$60 for weekend

WPCSA fee: \$5.00 per pony

\$15 office fee withheld for no-show/withdrawals prior to 09/17/15. After 9/17 half of the entry fees refunded with a note from your vet, all stabling and grounds fees refunded.

Camping Fees: --\$30 per day or any part thereof, includes electricity and water. Limited availability. Only campers are allowed in camping area—no day horse trailers.

## **General Information & Rules**

### **POST ENTRIES TAKEN DAY OF THE SHOW**

**All entry forms must be completed and signed. All horses/ponies showing in WPCSA classes must have a legible copy of the Welsh Certificate of Registration on file with the secretary and a measurement card or be measured at the show.**

**The judge's decision is final.**

All Welsh ponies six years & over, showing in breeding classes and all Welsh, ½ Welsh and Part bred showing in performance classes **MUST BE MEASURED** or present a valid WPCSA or USEF measurement card. Measuring will be done between 8 and 8:30 AM on show day or by appointment.

The judge, rules committee or show grounds manager may intercede in any situation that appears unsafe to exhibitors, animals or bystanders to reduce the possibility of accident or injury. Any acts of discourtesy or disobedience to the judge or officials, or the part of the owner, rider or groom shall disqualify the ponies and the owner shall forfeit his/her entry fee and other fees.

**Removing the bridle from an animal harnessed to a vehicle or leaving an animal unattended while hitched, anywhere on the show grounds, will result in instant elimination and removal from the show grounds. *Wire Wheeled Vehicles Permitted in all driving classes.***

**Junior exhibitors must wear approved protective headgear (ASTM/SEI) at all times whenever mounted or in a driven vehicle at all times while on the show ground. Harness must be secured and properly fitted. Any rider violating this rule at any time must immediately be prohibited from further riding until such headgear is properly in place.**

## **WPCSA Class Descriptions**

WPCSA CARRIAGE DRIVING (Article 113.2) Wire wheeled vehicles may be used. Classes open to Ponies/Cobs/Half-Welsh/Part Breds. To be shown both ways of the arena at a walk, slow trot, working trot and strong trot. To stand quietly, both on the rail and while lined up, and to rein back. In the slow trot the animal should maintain forward impulsion while showing submission to the bit. A properly attired groom or passenger capable of rendering assistance in case of an emergency is required for all pairs and tandems; unicorns and four- in-hands require 2 grooms/passengers. Failure to comply will result in elimination from the class.

Class 3. WPCSA CARRIAGE DRIVING TURNOUT (Article 113.2.3) To be judged primarily on the performance and quality of each turnout. To be shown both ways of the ring at a walk, slow trot, working trot and strong trot. To stand quietly and to rein back. To be judged 70% on the condition, fit and appropriateness of harness and vehicle, neatness and appropriateness of attire and overall impression; 30% on performance, manners and way of going.

Class 10. WPCSA CARRIAGE DRIVING WORKING (Article 113.2.3) To be judged primarily on the suitability of the animal to provide a pleasant drive. To be shown both ways of the ring at a walk, slow trot, working trot and strong trot. To stand quietly both on the rail and while lined up and, to rein back.

May be asked to execute appropriate tests. To be judged 70% on performance, manners and way of going; 20% on condition and fit of harness and vehicle; 10% on neatness of attire.

Class 30. WPCSA OBSTACLE/CONES DRIVING (Article 113.2.3) Obstacle/Cones to be judged 100% on performance. Course plan must be announced and posted one hour before competition is to begin. Competitors may walk the course. Martingales and overchecks are prohibited in obstacle classes for all vehicles. Side checks are optional. Failure to comply incurs elimination. Refer to specifications in rulebook (Article 113.2.3) for the type of obstacle/cones classes being offered.

WPCSA Obstacle - Gamblers Choice. Driven over a course where obstacles each carry specific point value according to difficulty. Obstacles may be driven in any order and any direction. Each obstacle may be driven twice but not in succession. Most points accumulated in given time wins.

1. To be driven over a course of unnumbered obstacles each carrying a specific point value.
2. Each driver has the same amount of time to negotiate as many obstacles as possible. Each obstacle is assigned a point value according to its degree of difficulty and each driver tries to amass as high a score as possible within the time allowed.
3. After passing through the starting line, the driver may drive through the obstacles, in any order, from any direction. Each obstacle may be driven twice, but not in succession. If driven a third time, no points will be awarded.
4. No obstacle may be redriven once it has been disturbed. (Exception: obstacles which are designed to be knocked down).
5. No points will be awarded for an incorrectly completed obstacle. If the obstacle is incorrectly driven, but not disturbed, it may be attempted again.
6. In this class the circling rule does not apply. If an animal should refuse or run out at an obstacle without disturbing it, the driver may elect not to attempt it and may drive to another obstacle without penalty. The obstacle may be attempted later, and if correctly driven, the appropriate points will be recorded.
7. A signal will sound at the end of the allowed time and the driver must then exit through the finish markers when the total time on the course will be recorded.
8. If the signal sounds when the competitor is committed to an obstacle, the competitor may complete the obstacle and receive the appropriate points, then proceed through the finish markers for total time to be recorded. Whether or not the competitor was committed to the last obstacle at the signal will be left to the discretion of the judge.
9. Placings are determined on a high score basis. Time will decide ties. If a tie occurs in both points and time, the winner will be decided by a drive-off.

**Directions** to Foothills Equestrian Nature Center 3381 Hunting Country Road, Tryon, NC 28782

Phone: 828-859-9021

<http://www.fence.org/equestrian-center>

For a Google map **click here**.

From I-26, east or west:

Take S.C. Exit #1 from I-26, toward Landrum, S.C. Go 1.5 miles, then turn right onto Bomar Road (look for the Land Mart on the corner). Go one short block and turn right

onto Prince Road. Follow Prince Road for approximately 1.5 miles and turn left onto Hunting Country Road (just before the I-26 overpass). Follow Hunting Country Road for approximately 3/4 mile. The entrance to the Equestrian Center, Mane Gate Lane, will be on your left just before the I-26 underpass. For the main FENCE entrance for the FENCE Center, hiking trails and TROT barn, continue on Hunting Country Road under the I-26 underpass to the main FENCE gates on your right.

From Greenville or Greer on Highway 14:

At the intersection of Route 14 and Route 176 in downtown Landrum (at the railroad tracks), turn onto Route 176, toward Tryon. Go about 1.5 miles, to Greenwood Road on the right. Turn onto Greenwood Road, then turn almost immediately left onto Blockhouse Road. Follow Blockhouse Road for approximately 6/10 mile to a stop sign, and turn right onto Hunting Country Road. Follow Hunting Country Road for 3.4 miles to the main FENCE entrance on the left. For the Equestrian Center's main gate, continue on Hunting Country Road under I-26, to Mane Gate Drive on the right.

From Tryon on Route 176:

Travel south on 176 to the South Carolina state line. Bear left onto Ridge Road (at Mimosa Carpet on your left). Cross railroad tracks and bear left onto Hunting Country Road. Continue 3.4 miles to the FENCE entrance on your left, or continue straight for a short distance to the Equestrian Center's main gate on the right.

From Columbus on Highway 108:

Go south on Walker Street from downtown Columbus. Travel two blocks to four-way stop and turn right onto Peniel Road. Stay on Peniel Road past Tryon Estates and Morgan Chapel Village, then bear right at fork onto Golden Road. Continue 1.6 miles to stop sign at River Road, which is unpaved. Turn right, then immediately left over a steel bridge onto Morgan Chapel Road. Follow Morgan Chapel Road .7 miles to end, then turn left onto Hunting Country Road. Continue .5 miles to FENCE entrance on your left, or continue straight for a short distance to the Equestrian Center's main gate on the right.

**Accommodations:**

Motels

Day's Inn, Columbus, NC: 828-894-3303 (Suggested with equestrian discount)

Comfort Inn, Spartanburg, SC: 864-576-2992

Bed & Breakfast/Bed & Barn

**Barking Fox Farm Guest House**, Landrum, SC: 864-457-7300

**Butterfly Creek Inn**, Columbus, NC: 828-894-6393

**The Cottage at Bronze Ridge** ("Bed and Barn"), Tryon NC 828-894-8473

**Country Mouse Inn**, Landrum SC 864-457-4061

**Fox Trot Inn**, Tryon, NC: 828-859-9706

Green River Bed and Breakfast, Green Creek, NC: 828-863-4705

**Green River Plantation**, Rutherfordton, NC 828-286-1461

**The Melrose Inn**, Tryon, NC: 828-859-7014

Mimosa Inn, Tryon, NC: 828-859-7688

Saluda Inn and Wine Sellar, Saluda, NC 828-749-9698

**The Oak Bed and Breakfast**, Saluda, NC 828-749-2000

**The Orchard Inn**, Saluda, NC: 800-581-3800

**1906 Pine Crest Inn & Restaurant**, Tryon, NC: 828-859-9135

**The Red Horse Inn**, Landrum, SC: 864-895-4968

Tryon Old South, Tryon, NC: 828-859-6965

**Woodlane House**, Columbus NC

**The Yellow House Inn**, Landrum SC 800-543-0714

Food will available on the grounds.

Shavings will be available for purchase. If you need feed or hay during the show, the secretary's office can direct you to a store that is open.

**WELSH PONY & COB SOCIETY OF AMERICA, INC. MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION**

Applicant(s) Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Website \_\_\_\_\_

\*NOTE: All Annual Memberships expire on December 31 of the current year, regardless of date submitted.

Type of Membership (check one): Fee (Add \$10 for Foreign Memberships) All Canadian & Foreign payments must be in U.S. Funds.

\_\_\_\_ Renewal \_\_\_\_ New Membership

\_\_\_\_ \$1,000 Life – Individual Only

\_\_\_\_ \$1,000 Junior Life – Individual Only – Birth Date \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ \$60 \*Annual Family/Firm – Immediate family unit or a corporation/firm or association \*List names below

\_\_\_\_ \$50 Annual – Individual Only

\_\_\_\_ \$35 Annual Associate – Individual Only – \*Limited Membership Privileges. No discount on registration & transfer fees; no vote; will not receive yearbook or be listed in the Member/Breeder Directory

\_\_\_\_ \$25 Annual Junior - Individual Only - Age 18 & Under - Birth Date \_\_\_\_\_ No vote; will not receive yearbook or be listed in the Member/Breeder Directory

\*Family/Firm membership please list individuals' names, name of designated voter & dates of birth for children under 18.

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\*New members receive a literature packet: Member-breeder list, Welsh Pony Leaflet; Welsh Cob Brochure; Care/Feeding booklet; Fee Schedule; WPCSA Newsletter; WPCSA Rulebook & By-Laws; 3” WPCSA Window Decal.

**Complete form & mail with fee to: Welsh Pony & Cob Society of America, Inc., 720 Green St., Stephens City, VA 22655**

Amount Enclosed \_\_\_\_\_ or charge to my (circle one) Visa or MasterCard

Name as it appears on card \_\_\_\_\_

Card Number \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**WELSH SHOW ENTRY FORM**  
**One entry form per rider/pony combination**

Registered name of pony \_\_\_\_\_

Registration Number \_\_\_\_\_

AGE \_\_\_\_\_ Color \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_\_\_ Height \_\_\_\_\_

Sire name & number \_\_\_\_\_

Dam name & number \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF Exhibitor \_\_\_\_\_ WPCSA # \_\_\_\_\_

**(IF JUNIOR)** Age \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Name and Address of Pony/ Horse Owner

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Phone \_\_\_\_\_ WPCSA # \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

CLASSES:

Class Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Total classes \_\_\_\_\_ X \$15.00 = \_\_\_\_\_

WPCSA fee \$5. per horse/pony \_\_\_\_\_

Stall \$25 per night or \$60 for show - \_\_\_\_\_

Camping Fees: --\$30 per day or any part thereof, includes electricity and water. Limited availability. Only campers are allowed in camping area—no day horse trailers. \_\_\_\_\_

Shavings must be preordered at \$6 per bag.

Total amount due: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please make checks payable to: Carolina Carriage Club

SEND ENTRIES TO: Price Story (Show Secretary) 14 Independence Ln w Mills River NC 28759

***ALL ENTRIES MUST INCLUDE: copy of registration papers, Coggins and measurement card (or have pony measured the day of the show) and signed entry form.***

Every entry at a WPCSA sanctioned show shall constitute an agreement and affirmation that all participants: 1) shall be subject to the rules of the WPCSA, CWC and the local competition; 2) every animal and exhibitor is eligible as entered; 3) agree to be bound by the rules of the WPCSA, CWC and the local competition and accept as final any decision of the WPCSA, CWC or competition on any questions arising under said rules and agree to hold the competition, the WPCSA, CWC their Officials, Directors and Employees harmless for any action taken; 4) agree that they participate voluntarily in the competition fully aware that equine sports and the competition involve inherent dangerous risks and by participating they expressly assume all risks of injury or loss and agree to indemnify and hold the WPCSA, CWC, the competition and their Officials, Directors, Employees and Agents harmless from all claims including injury or loss during or in connection with the competition whether or not such injury or loss resulted, directly or indirectly, from negligent acts or omissions of said Officials, Directors, Employees and Agents of the WPCSA, CWC or the competition.

Signature of Owner \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Rider or driver (parent/guardian if rider is under 18)

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