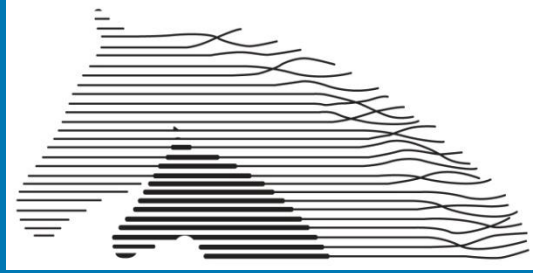


Connemara Pony Breeders' Society



Newsletter
September

Connemara Pony Breeders' Society, Clifden, Co Galway
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Welcome to our September newsletter.

DIARY DATES

- **2017 Annual General Meeting Sunday 22nd October**
- **CPBS Christmas Show: Saturday 9th December**
- **The new CPBS database and online database will be be and running by the end of the year**

From 1st December the CPBS office will no longer accept payments over the phone. All forms/applications can be submitted through our online system **or** by post **ONLY**.

The Showing Season

As the showing season draws to a close the CPBS, on behalf of exhibitors, congratulate and thank the Show Committees throughout the country who take on the extraordinary amount of work involved in organising the shows. Each show gives exhibitors the chance to show off the fruit of their year's work whether it be ponies, cattle, sheep, arts and crafts. They bring life, fun and excitement to their communities and are increasingly important to so many communities that are under various social and economic pressures in recent years. It is vital that owners continue to support the shows, several of which have not featured in this year's calendar. The message is clear—The shows need the exhibitors and the exhibitors need the shows. So, next year Be an Exhibitor.

Thanks to all chairs, secretaries, treasures, stewards, sponsors and innumerable others who help to make the showing season a success.

Reeling in the Years

21 YEARS AGO



Many will recognise the lovely Moy Johnny's Pride, bred by the late Johnny Lee, Moycullen and bought by the CPBS as a three-yr-old. All will recognise the wonderful Beartle Ó Máille.

The pic was taken by one of a group of American breeders during a visit to the spring inspections of 1996. It was forwarded by Doris Jacobi of Alberta

Social Media and Internet Policy Note

The CPBS recognises the importance of social media sites, the internet and all forms of electronic communication and therefore wishes to draw members' attention to the CPBS policy concerning the same and how any member's use of such operates within the rules of the society. For a full explanation they are referred to the explanatory note attached to the Rules of the Society found on the CPBS website www.cpbs.ie under Governance

Grievance Procedure

Should a member have an objection or complaint regarding shows or inspections they are referred to the Grievance Protocol as outlined by the society and are reminded that any complaint should be notified as outlined in the Protocol.

Please visit www.cpbs.ie for further information

*October Connemara Pony
Sales – Clifden
27th-30th October*

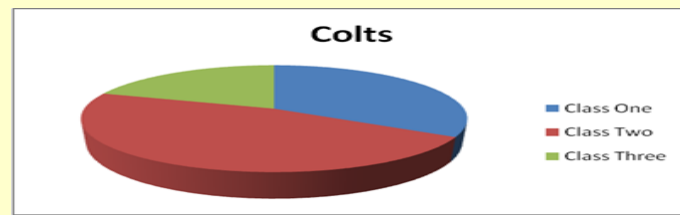
*2018 CPBS Membership
fee due before the 1st
March 2018*

Colts Mullingar 02/10/17

29 Presented

10 Class One (35%) 14 Class Two (48%) 5 Class Three (17%)

Full list of Class One colts and photos available on www.cpbs.ie



Fillies Autumn 2017

There will be CPBS representative at the Clifden Sales to complete transfer of ownerships. Please visit www.cpbs.ie for times staff will be present

Moycullen

59 Presented
55 Class One (93%)
4 Class Two (7%)
0 Class Three

Claremorris

25 Presented
17 Class One (68%)
8 Class Two (32%)
0 Class Three

Donegal

6 Presented
4 Class One (67%)
2 Class Two (33%)
0 Class Three

Mullingar

63 Presented
59 Class One (94%)
3 Class Two (5%)
1 Class Three (1%)

CPBS Office Opening Hours

**Office open to the
public**

Mondays: 2pm-5pm
Tuesdays: 2pm-5pm

Phone lines are open

Mondays: 9am-1pm
Tuesdays: 9am-1pm

Collectively

153 Presented
135 Class One (88%)
17 Class Two (11%)
1 Class Three (1%)

