



MILLSTREET PONY & YOUNG RIDER GRAND PRIX SHOW 2026 RULES & CONDITIONS

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1. GENERAL TERMS & CONDITIONS

1.1 The Show Organisers and Directors reserve the right to refuse or reject any entry, alter the published schedule, amend competition times, or change arenas where necessary.

1.2 The Organising Committee accepts no responsibility for any accident, injury, illness, damage, loss, or theft to persons, horses, ponies, vehicles, equipment, or property occurring at the event.

1.3 By submitting an entry, all competitors and connections acknowledge that they have read, understood, and accepted these Rules and Conditions in full and agree to abide by them without reservation.

1.4 Competitors are responsible for ensuring that all entry information submitted online is correct. The Organising Committee accepts no responsibility for errors made by competitors or their agents during the entry process.

1.5 Withdrawal of stabling and special classes must be submitted in writing to admin@millstreethorseshow.ie. Entry withdrawals must be made via SJI Live for entries made on that platform.

1.6 Any form of abuse to our competition officials or staff will result in disqualification and no refund will be processed.

2. COMPETITION RULES

2.1 The Millstreet Pony & Young Rider Show will be conducted under the current Showjumping Ireland (SJI) National Competition Rules.

2.2 All competitors must have their horse or pony passports available for inspection daily.

2.3 Random veterinary inspections, blood testing, and microchip verification may be carried out throughout the show by the appointed veterinary team or authorised officials.

2.4 'Young Rider' refers to any rider who is under the age of 25 on the 31 December 2025.

2.5 Riders who do not show up in time for their class or their allocated time slot will be withdrawn without refund for each class this occurs in.

3. ENTRIES & PAYMENTS

3.1 All standard competition entries must be made through SJI Live.

3.2 Entries for Special Classes including:

- Pony Young Irelander
- Pony Discovery
- Pony Producer

must be submitted online through:

www.millstreet.horse (using the Equipe platform)

3.3 Full payment must accompany all entries at the time of booking to be considered valid.

3.4 Payments are processed automatically through Stripe, and all fees will be charged immediately to the competitor's credit card.

3.5 All Finals must be paid for upon declaration via SJI Live

3.6 The Organising Committee reserves the right to accept or refuse any entry.

3.7 Non-runners may receive a refund following the show, subject to a €15 administration fee per entry.

3.8 Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Show Secretary and will incur a €10 late entry fee per class.

3.9 Substitutions are permitted only where either:

- the same rider is retained, or
- the same horse/pony is retained.

3.10 Pony Premier classes are subject to current SJI Pony Premier Rules and Conditions.

3.11 Special Classes; Breeding & Production focused classes marked on suitability, type, potential and conformation:

- Pony Young Irelander: Loose Jumping for 3 and 4 year old ponies. Ponies will be judged in their respective height categories; 128cm, 138cm and 148cm. Prize money for this class is claimed from Horse Sport Ireland.
- Pony Discovery: 4 & 5 year old ponies ridden under saddle. Ponies will be judged in their respective height categories; 128cm, 138cm and 148cm.
- Pony Producer: 6 & 7 year old ponies ridden under saddle.

No hind or performance boots are permitted in these classes.

Breeding must be submitted at the time of entry for these classes as well as breeder details.

Full T&Cs are available from the show office in line with the Department of Agriculture Food and the Marine.

These classes are funded by the Breeding Grant Initiative under National Breeding Services with thanks to the Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine, and delivered by Horse Sport Ireland.

4. PRIZE MONEY

4.1 All prize money and refunds will be paid in Euro (€).

4.2 Prize money will be issued by cheque payable to the account holder named on the online entry system unless otherwise arranged by the Organising Committee.

4.3 Where applicable, refunds may be returned directly to the credit card used for payment.

4.4 Any official protest must be submitted in accordance with FEI Articles 163–169.

5. STABLING

5.1 Standard stabling for the duration of the show is €120.

5.2 Limited Main Stable bookings are €150 for the duration of the show.

5.3 All stabling must be pre-booked and paid for in advance through the online booking system.

5.4 Stables will be pre-allocated by the Stable Manager.

- 5.5 The Stable Manager will endeavour to accommodate all requests; however, due to demand, specific stable requests cannot be guaranteed.
- 5.6 Competitors may not move horses or ponies from their allocated stable block without prior approval from the Stable Manager.
- 5.7 Under no circumstances may a horse or pony occupy a stable other than the one allocated to it.
- 5.8 Stable aisles and doorways must remain clear at all times. Decorations, tack trunks, hay/haylage or alterations to stable structures are not permitted.
- 5.9 On arrival, competitors must present their allocated stable number to stable staff.
- 5.10 Horse and pony passports must be available upon arrival, as random microchip verification may be conducted.
- 5.11 Stallion owners must provide electric fencing around stable fronts where required. The Organising Committee accepts no responsibility for incidents involving unsecured stallions.
- 5.12 Competitors are responsible for ensuring that all horses and ponies have up-to-date vaccinations.
- 5.13 Stable Cancellations must be submitted in writing before 5:00pm on Friday 19th June 2026 to qualify for a 50% refund.
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6. CANCELLATIONS & SHOWGROUND REGULATIONS

- 6.1 Cancellations must be submitted in writing before 5:00pm on Friday 19th June 2026 to qualify for a 50% refund.
- 6.2 No refunds will be issued after this date.
- 6.3 The showgrounds will open from 2:00pm on Wednesday 1st July 2026. Early arrivals will not be permitted.
- 6.4 Showground gates close nightly at 8:00pm.
- 6.5 Scooters, quads, and all MPVs are strictly prohibited on the showgrounds and may be confiscated.
- 6.6 Tents are not permitted on site.
- 6.7 Dogs must remain on a lead at all times.
- 6.8 The Organising Committee reserves the right to refuse stabling to any horse or pony.
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7. HORSE WELFARE

- 7.1 Any competitor found in breach of rules pertaining to horse welfare will be immediately disqualified at the discretion of the Ground Jury.
- 7.2 In such cases:
- all prize money will be forfeited,

- entry fees will not be refunded,
- and FEI Jumping Rules Article 243 will apply.

7.3 Any behaviour deemed abusive, inappropriate, dangerous, or contrary to horse welfare standards will result in disciplinary action by the Organising Committee.
