

Poynton Horticultural and Agricultural Society founded in 1885

POYNTON SHOW
SATURDAY 26TH AUGUST 2017
SCHEDULE FOR

**VINTAGE AGRICULTURAL
MACHINERY SCHEDULE**

TO BE HELD AT POYNTON PARK, SOUTH PARK DRIVE,
POYNTON, CHESHIRE
SK12 1BN

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VINTAGE AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY SCHEDULE

**No vehicles will be allowed on the Show Ground
unless displaying an appropriate Vehicle Pass**

Safety

Safety of exhibitors and spectators should be the foremost thought of exhibitors. No tractor, engine or machines are to be run without a person in attendance. They **must** only be operated by an adult who is fully trained in its safe use and use by inexperienced or untrained persons is not permitted.

**PASSENGERS MUST NOT BE CARRIED ON TRACTORS
UNLESS THEY ARE DESIGNED OR ADAPTED FOR THE**

PURPOSE. Any use of equipment by persons under the age of 13 is prohibited. Use of equipment by persons over the age of 13 must be in accordance with the HSE Approved Code of Practice "Preventing Accidents to Children in Agriculture". Two persons must be present when vehicles are being reversed. Machinery must only be operated and demonstrated after ensuring that adequate precautions are taken to protect the operator and bystanders. Unsafe operation will not be allowed and may lead to eviction from the site and possible legal action by the relevant enforcing authority. Account must be taken of the risk to persons from materials which may be ejected from machines.

Machinery relying on oil pressure in a ram or similar device to support it must be physically propped to prevent collapse, irrespective of the type of safety device fitted to the hydraulic system. Account must be taken of the hazards that may be created during adverse weather conditions together with the risk of the exhibit being knocked over. Any ropes, chains or other devices used to tow trailers or vehicles on or off the event site or car parks should have been thoroughly inspected, be of adequate strength and be

constructed for the purpose. Drivers must hitch the tow chain or rope below the axle of the towing tractor. Only tractors fitted with an approved safety cab can be used for this purpose.

Introduction:

Following feedback from many competitors there will be no entrance fee. This will result in there being no prize monies, but there will be judging cards and plaques for all entrants (subject to the following rules).

Rules

1. Classification of Exhibitors - The Exhibitors are classified as follows:-

- (a) "Open"
- (b) "Junior" for juniors who are between the age of 13 years and their 16th birthday on the day of the show (see rule 18).
- (c) "Novice" for exhibitors who have not won a major prize at an Agricultural Show.

2. Entries

All entries must be submitted by Monday 21st August 2017 (the Monday prior to the Show). Late entries may be accepted up to 9.00 p.m. on Thursday 24th August 2017, however these entries can not be assured of a plaque.

3. Competitors

Competitors are allowed to stage as many exhibits as they desire in any one class or classes.

4. Notice and Numbers

It is the competitors responsibility to provide any descriptive notices they consider necessary for the judges and the general public. The Committee will provide entry numbers which must be affixed to the exhibit.

5.Reception of Exhibits

A member of the committee will be on the show ground from 6.00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m. if requested by the exhibitors on Friday the 25th August to receive exhibits. There will be a continual security presence with dogs during the night and early morning, although the committee cannot be responsible for any damage that may occur. Exhibits will be received on show day from 8.00 a.m. to 9.30 a.m. Judging will begin at 11.00 a.m. and all entries must be on the show ground half an hour before the judging commences. Late arrivals will be allowed on the show ground as directed by the committee, but will be ineligible for judging, although they will receive a plaque. Arrivals will not be accepted after 12 noon.

NB It is possible the Tractors first trip round the Main Ring will be at 10.00 AM.

6. Judges Duties

The judges will commence making their awards at 12.30 p.m. and no persons other than those appointed by the committee shall communicate with the judges whilst the judging takes place.

7. Basis of Judging

- 1.** Operation – the operation of all parts; motion drives etc.
- 2.** Appearance – the maintenance and restoration to excellent condition.
- 3.** Turn Out- the presentation of the machine and extras on display with information notice neatly arranged.
- 4.** Age and Originality – the amount of the original parts remaining on the machine taking into account its age

8. Awards and Plaques

The judges may decide not to make an award if they consider the exhibits shown in any one class to be unworthy, or if in an one class there are fewer than three exhibits. Awards will be made on merit. Plaques will be given to exhibitors present on the day and complying with rule 5.

9. Judges Decisions

The Judges decision is final

10. Disputes

Any objection or complaint must be notified to the committee before 2.00 p.m. (or after judging finishes) on the day of the show. The committee will hear the complaint and adjudicate thereon. Any complaint received after 2.00 p.m. will not be entertained. The decision of the committee is final.

11. Removal of Exhibits

Exhibits must not be removed from the show area before 5.30 p.m. If earlier removal is required this can be arranged **provided** the committee are advised on the entry form.

12. Entry to the Show

All exhibitors will be given an exhibitors pass which entitles them to free entry to the show ground. One additional exhibitors pass will be provided on request for an assistant required by the exhibitor.

13. Cars on the show ground

Cars, trailers etc, used for transporting machines may be left on the show ground in the special parking area provided, provided that they display a special car pass which may be requested on the entry form. On show day all vehicles must enter via the route which will be sent out with the car

pass.

14. Non – Competing Exhibitors

Exhibitors who wish to display machines which do not fall into one of the classes (e.g. more modern than the class limit) will be allowed to do so at the committees discretion and subject to space being available. They will be eligible for a plaque, but not for any award and must comply with all the rules.

15. Naming of Exhibits

Exhibitors are encouraged to identify their machine(s) with a label stating the manufacturers, type, age and any other relevant information. Presentation of this label will be taken into account during judging (see rule 7).

16. Junior Entries

Junior entries cannot be accepted in the tractor classes. Junior entries must be the work of the exhibitor in restoration and presentation. The judge may question the entrant on the engine and the work involved in restoring and presenting the exhibit.

17. Safety

Safety of exhibitors and spectators should be always kept in mind by the exhibitors. No tractors, engines and machines are to be run without a person in attendance. Only the driver may ride on the tractor on the Show Ground and in the Show Ring. **No passengers are to be carried. Instructions of the committee are to be obeyed immediately.**

18. Amalgamation of Classes

In the event of insufficient entries being received for a class the committee reserves the right to amalgamate classes.

19. Insurance

A valid third party insurance is required by all exhibitors for each exhibit.

NO ENTRY FEE IS REQUIRED

Tractor Classes – Open

Class 1001 Best Tractor

Agricultural Tractor, powered by an internal combustion engine manufactured prior to 31st December 1975.

Stationary Engine Classes

Class 1002 Best Horizontal or Vertical Engine – Open

Stationary engine, having a horizontal or vertical cylinder arrangement, manufactured prior to 31st December 1965.

Class 1003 Best Horizontal or Vertical Engine – Junior

Stationary engine, have a horizontal or verticle cylinder arrangement manufactured prior to 31st December 1965.

Working Machine Class – Open

Class 1004 Best Working Tractor or Engine

Agricultural/Road tractor or engine manufactured prior to 31st December 1975. Operating by belt drive or P.T.O. and agricultural machine manufactured prior to 31st December 1975 (Machine must not damage the show ground – no cultivating equipment eligible).

HEALTH & SAFETY

All exhibitors should comply with the requirements set out

in the Health and Safety Policy, organisation and arrangements of the Poynton Horticultural & Agricultural Society. Copies of this policy may be obtained from the Society Secretary and will be displayed in the Show Office prior to and during the Show.

Specifically, all exhibitors, trade stand occupiers and entertainment & catering providers are required to maintain their exhibits/areas in such a manner so as to comply with current Health and Safety Regulations and guidance, and to ensure that their activities do not endanger themselves, other exhibitors or members of the general public.

Further specific advice and guidance is available via the Show's Honorary Health and Safety Officer, who may be contacted via the Show Office.

Observance of the Regulations

All Exhibitors, their contractors and employees whilst on the show ground, shall be subject to the rules and regulations of the Society, as interpreted by the Society and the stewards and officials appointed by them.

In addition to all other conditions imposed each Exhibitor must observe, perform and comply with all the Health and Safety standards in force from time to time and in particular must make himself/herself familiar with all Health and Safety standards at shows, demonstrations, exhibitions and similar events. Special attention is required in respect of the following:- Vintage machinery, cattle/bulls, horses (equestrian and shires), fairs and its machinery and stalls, food stands including sweets and confectionery, alcoholic drink stalls and all electrical contrivances.

RETURN ENTRY FORMS TO:-

vintage@poyntonshow.co.uk

or

Mr Jon Leigh, 25, Alderley Close, Hazel Grove, Stockport, SK7 6BS

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SHOW GROUND UNLESS DISPLAYING AN
APPROPRIATE VEHICLE PASS.**

VINTAGE AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY SECTION

Entry Form 26th August 2017

Name.....Age (Juniors) Address

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.....Tel

email address.....

No of Exhibitors Tickets Required No. of car passes Required.....

Class	Description of the Exhibit	Appox Space

I agree to be bound by the rules of the attached schedule and confirm that I have valid third party insurance for each exhibit (Entrants under 18 to be countersigned by a parent or guardian).

Signed

Additional entry tickets & passes for the Showground Car Park are available,.

I require _____ extra tickets @£5 each £

I require _____ extra car passes @£5 each £

Cheque (payable to 'Poynton Show') enclosed £

email to: vintage@poyntonshow.co.uk

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