EASTERN CONNEMARA GROUP

Tam O'Shanter Breeding Qualifiers

Run at selected affiliated shows all over the British Isles - qualification for the Tam O'Shanter Breeding Championships at the BCPS Breed Show in July each year. The qualifying classes are as follows:

- In-hand pure-bred BCPS registered Connemara ponies, yearlings, 2yr olds and 3yr olds
 three qualifiers for each age group.
- In-hand pure-bred BCPS registered Connemara mares three qualifiers.

The Tam O'Shanter Breeding Championship was originally started by Carole Prentice of the Scottsway Stud, to promote British Connemara pony breeding.

The British Connemara Pony Society (BCPS)/Eastern Connemara Group are pleased to award its **Special Tam O'Shanter Breeding Qualifier Cards** to affiliated shows, under the following conditions:-

- Classes must be confined to ponies registered in the appropriate section of the BCPS Stud Book.
- The BCPS does not require that exhibitors are members of the Society
- Please see the separate attachment giving the BCPS Showing Rules found on the BCPS website www.britishconnemaras.co.uk under 'Shows & Competitions' click on 'Qualifiers'

Judging Rules

- Where there are two or more in-hand classes for pure-bred Connemara ponies, these classes must be judged by judge(s) on the official list of the BCPS.
- For those shows having only one pure-bred Connemara Class a BCPS Panel Judge would be preferred but if that is not possible an NPS M&M Panel Judge would be acceptable.
- Mixed Mountain & Moorland classes must be judged by a judge (or judges) on the official list of either the BCPS or NPS Mixed Mountain & Moorland Panel.

Any questions, please do e-mail Penny Makinson – info@tawnydunstud.co.uk or pennymak4@gmail.com

On behalf of the British Connemara Pony Society