

# The Dales Pony Society

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### **Application to License a Dales Pony Stallion**

This form to be completed by the Owner and returned to the Secretary for Council approval in or after **January** of the second year following the year of the pony's birth.

NAME OF COLT		Reg. No
Date of Birth		
Sire		Reg. No
Dam		Reg. No
Colour of Colt		
Markings:		
Head		
Body		
Forelegs and Hooves: Left (Near)		
Right (Off)		
Hindlegs and Hooves: Left (Near)		
Right (Off)		
OWNER'S DECLARATION: (to be completed by all owners – con	tact the Secretary	y to nominate a main point of contact if required)
I certify that the foregoing particulars are correct and that I as Society stallion licensing scheme. I confirm the colt has been to by the DPS office (for information, please contact the Secreta	tested clear of th	
Signed	Date	Tel
Name	Address	
		Postcode

When requested please pay the license fee of £120 (members) or £150 (non-members) by BACS transfer otherwise make cheques payable to the Dales Pony Society.

Please do not send your pony's passport at this stage.

Personal information that you supply to us may be used in a number of ways. For example: to contact you about a stallion licence application or to share passport information with DEFRA and other Passport Issuing Organisations, in order to fulfil our legal obligations. Full details of our privacy policy can be found on our website; if you prefer a hard copy, please ask the Secretary.



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### **Guidance on Licensing a Dales Pony Stallion**

Please note that full information on the DPS Stallion Licensing Procedures can be found in the Members' Handbook or on the DPS website. The information below is for guidance only.

#### Owner

- 1. Ensure the colt is registered under your name with the Society, submit a transfer of ownership if not (fees apply).
- 2. All colts must be FIS clear. Ensure the colt has been FIS tested and this has been recorded by the Secretary, contact the Secretary if you need to have your colt tested (fees apply).
- 3. Contact the Secretary for the relevant stallion licensing forms and sample bag and to check your colt is eligible for licensing or provisional licensing (as detailed in the DPS Stallion Licensing Procedures).
- 4. Ensure your colt is well handled as a veterinary examination will take place as part of the procedure and a Veterinary Surgeon will not attempt to examine an unmanageable pony. Unbroken colts should be halter trained and accustomed to being handled.
- 5. Complete the Application to License a Dales Pony Stallion form in full. Ensure white markings are noted correctly and that all owners have signed and completed the owner's declaration.

  Note: Overseas applicants are required to send photographs of the pony with the application, to include views from both sides, front and rear of pony, plus additional photos if needed clearing showing any white markings.
- 6. The application will go to the DPS Council for approval, the Secretary will contact you with their decision.
- 7. If approved, a veterinary examination report form is then required (alternatively, and to speed up the process, this can be submitted at the same time as the application form). Your Veterinary Surgeon is required to examine the colt and complete the form in full, please ensure the Veterinary Surgeon signs and stamps the form. The Veterinary Surgeon is also required to take a hair sample from the colt at the time of examination. (Cost of examination is the responsibility of the colt owner).
- 8. The Secretary will advise if the veterinary examination is satisfactory and if the pony is being awarded a stallion licence. If approved, the Secretary will then ask for the stallion licence application fee and for the pony's passport to be sent to the office for updating. In some cases, the Council may ask to inspect the pony, as detailed in the Members' Handbook alongside appeal information.

### **Veterinary Surgeon**

Please note that Dales Pony colts are only eligible for licensing as a stallion if they have the correct markings: 'A white star and/or snip on the head. White to the fetlocks of the hindlegs only.'

Mismarked ponies showing more white than this are registered as Section B and are not eligible for licensing.

- 1. Ensure the pony's description and microchip matches that within the passport; thoroughly check the heels of the front feet for white markings which may be hidden by feather.
- 2. Complete the Veterinary Report on the Examination of a Dales Pony Colt for a Stallion Licence form in full, checking off the list of criteria as appropriate.
- 3. Two year old colts are eligible to apply, it is likely that their moving inspection will have to be done loose rather than through lungeing.
- 4. Please sign, date and stamp the form.
- 5. Take a hair sample from the colt and place in the DNA sample bag provided; ensure there are a good amount of hair bulbs present on the sample and details on the bag have been filled in correctly.