

Join The American Connemara Pony Society



You'd be hard-pressed to find folks who love their horses more than Connemara people. That tells a lot about the ponies and their people. If you own a Connemara (or half Connemara) or have always WANTED to own one—join the ACPS and get to know more about these wonderful ponies and see what we are all about!

Visit: www.acps.org ACPS Membership: \$40 senior, \$25 junior

Member benefits: Horse Shows (USDF/USEF Points) ♣ Clinics ♣ Bi-Monthly Magazine ♣ Ads and Classifieds
Calendars ♣ Membership Directory ♣ Directory of Breeders and Farms ♣ Breed Registry & Inspections ♣ Year End Awards ♣ Scholarships ♣ Pony Profiles ♣ Bookstore & Pony Apparel Store ♣ and more!

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“For me, *Aladdin* was the essence of everything a rider would want to have in an equine partner. There were his extraordinary athletic talents of course, but beyond those he was a horse possessed with a truly golden character - kind, considerate, virtuous, brave. He lived his life as a member of our family - performing dressage, rounding up cattle, and giving countless bareback rides to tiny children - he did it all with grace. That grace is what made him forever a special horse.”

—CATHERINE MACK (on award winning foundation sire of 73 foals)

**You too, will soon be shouting in Gaelic...
Is breá liom Ponáí Chonamara!**

Translation: I love my Connemara Pony!

“Years ago a Connemara stole my heart on the first day. She was beautifully balanced, very kind and so, so comfortable. These cherished traits are prominent in most Connemaras. They are lovely movers, natural jumpers, and very quick learners. Best of all, their personality draws people toward them. They're considered a true family member by most because they're so people-oriented and because of their great versatility.”

—PENNY DAWSON

2011 ACPS Region I Events

Connemara "Tea"

Traditional informal gathering for all members

Sunday, March 20

Belchertown, MA

Contact: Joanne McCluskey, 413-323-6185

or joanne@mahorse.com

Field Day

Spring Clinic that always promises "functional fun" for both pony, rider and spectator!

Sunday, May 8 (location TBA)

Contact: Sarah McRae, 802-276-2144 or

runsvt@sover.net

Breed Show

Competitive but Fun & Friendly! Classes for all.

Saturday & Sunday, July 30-31

GMHA, So. Woodstock, VT

Contact: Linda Haines, 603 934-3895 or

troutranch@metrocast.net

ACPS Annual Meeting

Judges clinic, meetings, auction and banquet.

September 15 thru 18

Boxborough, MA

Contact: Amy Plavin, 802-732-8033 or

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ACPS Region I

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*Katherine Short on Windy Hollow Lilia.
Winners of the 2010 Golden Shamrock Award.*

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REGION I & II

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Gaelic for: We love Conemaras!



*Bella Singleton with Tower Hills Meghan
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VISIT OUR PONIES IN C-BARN

**Breed Demo at 11 am on Saturday,
November 13th in the Coliseum.**

The Connemara Pony

Irish ponies famous for their athleticism,
affectionate nature and willing attitude.



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