

Dear Senior Show Jumpers

Rearsby Lodge Riding Club Senior Show Jumping Teams – 2010

The Show Jumping Area Qualifiers will be held at Eagle Moor on July 11th. Competing in teams is really exciting and last year was great, especially since our Senior Novice team qualified for Lincoln and then came third in the whole of the UK. But the qualifiers were really exciting with two great intermediate teams and one novice and an individual open. It would be fantastic to have history repeat itself.

Teams will jump two rounds, with the best three scores from each round to count for the team total. If one member of a team of four is eliminated in the first round they are allowed to jump in the second round. In the event of a tie, there could also be a third `jump off` round.

Don't forget the Style Jumping competition, this used to be known as Equitation Jumping.

Under BRC (British Riding Club) competition rules you **MUST** have a valid vaccination certificate which must accompany the animal to the competition. The certificate must be valid showing the initial 3 vaccinations. (The first 2 injections are to be given no less than 21 days and no more than 92 days apart). In addition a first booster injection must be given no less than 150 days and no more than 215 days after the second injection of the primary vaccination. Subsequently, booster injections must be given at intervals of not more 1 year apart. **VERY IMPORTANT, SO PLEASE SEND ME A PHOTOCOPY OF YOUR VACCINATION CERTIFICATE TO ENSURE YOU ARE LEGAL!**

Senior Novice: First Round maximum height 80cm, maximum spread 85cm, maximum spread of a triple bar 1m; Second Round maximum height 85cm, maximum spread 90cm.

Senior Intermediate: First Round maximum height 95cm, maximum spread 1m, maximum spread of a triple bar 1.3m, the height of the first two fences must not exceed 85cm. Second Round maximum height 1m, maximum spread 1.05m.

Senior Open: First Round maximum height 1.1m, maximum spread 1.15m, maximum spread of a triple bar 1.45, the height of the first two fences must not exceed 1m. Second Round maximum height 1.15m, maximum spread 1.2m.

The second round course may be raised and/or altered at the discretion of the judge and the Official Steward.

Style Jumping: The course will consist of seven obstacles (preferably coloured, to BSJA/SJAI standard or above), including a stile or narrow fence, plenty of "dog legs" and one double which should be towards the end of the course, set up with the spread fence going into the jump and an upright fence going out. The maximum height of any obstacle in Area competitions and at Championships will be 85cm and the maximum spread 90cm. Style (formerly Equitation) Jumping is for both Senior and junior riders. It is open to teams of four riders and to individuals. Riders jump one round and are judged on the style of their riding. Riders must salute the judge when entering the arena, and then canter on both reins until the signal to start is given; during this time, they will be judged for style on the flat. When jumping, the rider is judged on their position on take-off, in the air, on landing and in the following stride at each fence. After completing the round, the rider must again canter until the signal to finish is given; during this time, they will again be judged for style on the flat. Additional marks are awarded for rider effectiveness. Must be ridden in a snaffle bridle.

COMPETITION	DRESSAGE POINTS ALLOWED	BE/EI POINTS ALLOWED	BSJA/SJAI WINNINGS ALLOWED(f & g)
Novice Show Jumping		Nil (a)	Nil (d)
Intermediate SJ			£175
Open Show Jumping			£600
Style Jumping		10	£175

For every full year during which a horse/pony with BSJA winnings remains unregistered £50 may be deducted in order to calculate eligibility for BRC competitions. SJAI points should be converted into pounds by multiplying by 9 (for horses) or 2.5 (for ponies). If a horse or pony is re-registered with BSJA/SJAI all previous winnings/points gained prior to being un-registered will be re-activated.

I think I have given you most of the information that you need, except to say that when you decide to enter I will need a cheque from you made payable to RLRC in the sum of £14.00 BY 12TH June. Not a huge amount for such excitement! And if we do qualify for Lincoln the club will then pay all entry fees! Hurrah!

I will hopefully be at most of the shows on the lookout for all you showjumping seniors, so expect to be pounced on!!

Barbara Lloyd

Best wishes, Barbara Lloyd

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Name.....

Membership No.....Tel No.....

Name or Horse/Pony and Height.....

Novice / Intermediate / Open / Style Jumping (please indicated which classes you are interested in)

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