

HENDERSYDE PARK HORSE TRIALS

UNAFFILIATED ONE AND THREE DAY EVENT

2ND – 4TH AUGUST, 2019

THREE DAY EVENT SCHEDULE

The Committee of Hendersyde Park would like to welcome you all to Scotland to a well established event, that has hosted the Scottish Championships at 90/100 and Novice level for British Eventing alongside their national classes, over many years.

THREE DAY EVENT

The new three day event is aimed at riders who would like to experience the fun of competing away from home at a 'mini Badminton', with stabling on site, a longer cross country course than for a normal one day event, dressage in a short arena for 80 level and a long arena for 90 and 100 with show-jumping in reverse order, at all levels, to provide an exciting climax to the weekend.

We plan to have the dressage on Friday, Cross Country on Saturday with a hog roast and disco in the evening; the Trot Up on the Sunday morning followed by the Show Jumping in the Main Arena and a mounted prize giving for the top ten competitors in each class. A more detailed timetable will be available in due course.

We hope to have prizes for the 'best dressed' at the trot-up, a team competition for everyone over the weekend, with medals and podiums for the winners – more information as plans progress!

We have some exciting prizes in mind for the winners of each 3 day class and there will be rosettes to 10th place.

THREE DAY EVENT FORMAT

The event format will run similarly to a FEI CCI short format affiliated event, and as such there will be no roads and tracks or steeplechase element. There will be a vet check on the Sunday morning prior to show-jumping. The event will run in line with current British Eventing rules unless stated otherwise in the Terms and Conditions.

STABLING

We have temporary Cheval Liberte stables on site which are offered on a first come, first served basis and will include two bales of bedding within the stabling cost. All extra bedding must be purchased from the Stable Manager and not brought to site for sustainability reasons. The stabling will be open from Thursday afternoon and costs £95 for the duration of the event. There will be no refund for on site stabling from 11th July as we will have incurred their cost. The stables must be left empty on departure. It is advisable to bring a door guard to clip on to the stable door to allow your horse to put his/her head out during the day. The doors must be closed at night. An indication of arrival time and day is required on the entry form for the Event. There are no hook-ups available on site, so it will be necessary to bring your own generator/torches etc.

RIDER NUMBERS

On arrival, please report to the Stable Manager where your stable and rider numbers will be allocated to you. Rider numbers will be paper numbers to put into your own number bib. Whilst your horse/pony is being ridden or out of his/her stable, your number must be worn, either in your bib or with a bridle number.

THURSDAY

The stabling will be open from 2.00 pm. Please where possible arrive before 6.00 pm. If you plan to arrive outside these times, please contact the Stable Manager, Fran Cooper on 07881-828832. There will be arena familiarisation on the Thursday afternoon between 2.00pm and 7.00pm for those who wish to walk their horses around the outside of the dressage arenas in the Main Arena, prior to the start of the competition on Friday.

FRIDAY

The dressage phase will consist of long arena tests for 90 and 100 level and short arena for 80. These will be performed in the Main Arena from 8.00 am. The warm up areas will be clearly marked and stewards will be on hand to ensure that you know where to go at the appropriate time. The cross country course will be open for walking during the day on Friday and we shall aim to have several guided course walks available throughout the day. The times for these will be available at the Stable Manager and Secretary's tent. There will be a delicious Pizza van and a cocktail bar in the stable area in the evening for those who wish to partake. A briefing may take place for competitors later in the afternoon which will be advertised at the Stable Manager's Office and the Secretary's tent, and which would be advisable to attend.

SATURDAY

The cross country courses are designed this year by Judith Shipton and built by Paul Ellis and his team. The courses will be solid, fair, educational and inviting at all levels, and built to British Eventing standards. There will be time consuming alternatives at more technical questions. The courses become progressively more technical at each height. The three day courses will be longer than a normal one day event course and care must be taken to ensure that

horses and ponies have done sufficient fitness work to enable them to participate without undue stress or risk of injury. Hendersyde has wonderful spectator viewing situated above the River Tweed on old, sheep grazed, sandy soiled parkland. We have a reputation for providing excellent ground in all weather, and have only lost one day in 19 years of competition.

In the evening we would like to invite those competitors who are stabling on site to a hog roast and disco in the stable area. These competitors will each receive one ticket to the hog roast and disco; further tickets will be available at £15 per head for others who wish to attend. It would be helpful for catering if you were able to intimate on your entry form to the event (under Special Requests) if you will require extra tickets, and if so, how many.

SUNDAY

A final horse inspection will take place commencing at 8.00 am (approximate times for each section will be advised on Saturday evening). This will take place in front of the Ground Jury who will be looking to check that your horse/pony is sound enough after the cross country to go forward safely to the showjumping phase. Following this, the showjumping will begin, and will be run in reverse order of merit. The times for the Showjumping will be listed at the Stable Manager and the Secretary. The course will be designed and built by the well known British Showjumping Course Designer, Michael Bainbridge and will be up to height for the class.

PRIZES

There will be a mounted prize giving for the top ten competitors at the conclusion of each 3DE class, with rosettes to tenth place and a sash to the winner alongside exciting prizes for those at the top of the leaderboard.

TEAM COMPETITION

The teams at each level will be put together by the Organisers once entries have been received, and will be available to view at the Stable Manager and Secretary's tent on arrival at the competition. The teams will be groups of four with three counting scores. The results of the team competition at each level will be announced and medals presented during the mounted prize giving at the end of each class. The top three teams at each level will be required unmounted in the Main Arena for a podium prize giving.

THREE DAY CLASSES

Event Class	Standard	Late Entry	Max Entries	
Stabling	Entry Price	Price		Cost
Class 1				
Unaffiliated				
3DE – 80cms	£175.00	£200.00	55	£95.00

Dressage Test: BE90 Dressage Test 96 (2016)

Cross Country: 80 cms max., Speed 435m per minute

Showjumping: 80 cms max., Speed 325 m per minute

Combinations not to have won an BE80 or above, before the close of entries.

Class 2

Unaffiliated

3DE – 90cms £175.00 £200.00 55 £95.00

Dressage Test: BE90 Championship Dressage Test 98 (2018)

Cross Country: 90 cms max., Speed 450m per minute

Showjumping: 90 cms max., Speed 325m per minute

Combinations not to have won a BE90 or above, before the close of entries.

Class 3

Unaffiliated

3DE – 100cms £175.00 £200.00 55 £95.00

Dressage Test: BE100 Championship Dressage Test 109 (2018)

Cross Country: 100 cms max., Speed 475m per minute

Showjumping: 100 cms max., Speed 325m per minute

Combinations not to have won more than 20 BE points (not Foundation Points) before close of entries.

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HOW TO ENTER

Entry is on line via BDWP for all classes except for the SEG Qualifier which is via Horse Events. Postal entries will be accepted, in an emergency, by our Entries Secretary, Miss Jen Caley, 10 Valebrook Road, Stathern, Leicestershire LE14 4EB.

Tel: 01949 729022/07808 689269.

Email: jennifercaley.jc@gmail.com with a cheque made payable to Hendersyde Park Horse Trials. You may enter more than one horse if you wish.

Entries will open on 20th June with the Ballot Date on 11th July. The Late Entry Surcharge will commence on 14th July and Entries will close on 22nd July. If classes are over-subscribed, a ballot will take place and a Wait List held for each class. Details of how the event will be balloted may be found on the Terms and Conditions page. Late entries are subject to availability.

We encourage people to enter the class at their established level. The Organisers reserve the right to refuse an entry they feel has entered an incorrect class, due to horse or rider's previous results.

Stabling for the 3DE classes is purchased on line at the time of entry to the class via BDWP, and will include two bales of bedding to be found in the stable on arrival.

Further bedding may be purchased on site from the Stable Manager at a cost of £8.00 per bale. No other bedding may be brought to site.

There is no hook up available – we suggest that you bring your own generator and bucket of sand/fire precaution if extra power is required.

Should anyone require accommodation, there are good B&B facilities in Kelso.

TIMES

Dressage and Cross Country times will be available on BDWP from 6.00pm on Wednesday, 31st July for 3DE competitors and Thursday, 1st August for ODE competitors.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

Our aim at Hendersyde is to provide an opportunity for everyone to enjoy a fun and educational event where no-one is afraid to ask for help or advice whilst maintaining high standards of safety for all concerned, whether it is for a competitor, spectator or volunteer. Civility to all is paramount to ensuring a happy weekend even when all has not gone to plan!

The horse trials will be run under British Eventing Competition Rules unless stated in this schedule.

It is compulsory that all riders' hats and body protectors comply with current British Eventing Competition rules.

It is compulsory that every person entering a class at Hendersyde Park Horse Trials who is under 18 years of age, is accompanied by a responsible adult for the duration of the event.

Stop watches may be worn for the cross country phase in all classes.

We will allow competitors to continue on the cross country course having had three cumulative refusals on course, if they are deemed safe to do so by the Organising team, but they will incur elimination. After consultation with the Steward, they may be allowed to continue the other phases of the competition HC. If a competitor has a problem at a fence, they will be allowed to miss it out and continue on the course, incurring elimination. After consultation with the Steward, they may be allowed to continue to the final phase of the competition HC.

Should the Organising team ask a competitor to leave the course in the interest of safety, or for any reason that they deem necessary, they will leave the course and incur elimination. Should a competitor have a fall in the show-jumping, they will be eliminated and will need to be passed fit to continue by the event doctor and the Steward before being allowed to proceed to the cross country on an HC basis.

Should a competitor have a fall on the cross country course, they will be eliminated and not allowed to complete that phase, however once passed fit by the event doctor, they may be allowed to compete in the show-jumping phase on an HC basis with the agreement of the Steward.

If asked to leave the cross country course for any reason, the competitor must do so immediately and at a walk.

The Steward's decision is final.

Any competitor who has a fall must be seen by the Event doctor as soon as possible on completion of the course. The doctor will be found at the Secretary or via the Stable Manager. No competitor will be allowed to continue in the competition until passed fit to do so by the doctor and confirmed by the Steward. Should a horse require attention by a vet for any reason, and the horse's connections be unavailable, we reserve the right to treat as required and move the horse to a place of safety.

Any veterinary work required during the competition/whilst on site at Hendersyde will be billed to the client whose horse has been treated, by Galedin Veterinary.

Should the event look likely to be cancelled due to adverse weather; we would ask you to check the website and BDWP for the latest news. This has only happened once in more than 20 years!

Should the Event have to be cancelled entry fees will be returned minus a £10 administration charge.

There will be no refund for on site stabling from 11th July, 2019 except in the event of cancellation of the event, when it will be refunded minus a £10 administration charge.

All horses and ponies must be 4 years old and over.

Competitors aged 10 – 12 years inclusive may only enter the 80 classes at Hendersyde. Competitors must be aged 10 at the time of entry to the competition and accompanied by an adult on the day of competition.

Any queries and complaints must be in writing and handed to the Organiser within 30 minutes of the incident together with a deposit of £50, which will be refunded if the objection is upheld. Outside assistance is forbidden at any time and will result in full elimination of the competitor from the competition.

No ATV's/Gators/Motorised cycles are allowed on site.

No mucking out of lorries on site, a fine of £50 to our charities will be levied.

Dogs must be kept on a lead at all times.

In the event of a ballot the following criteria will apply. Any incomplete entries will be removed first, followed by any third or more horses per rider. If more entries require balloting, this will be done across all entries. Priority will be given to those who entered the event early or offered help at the event.

Entries withdrawn before ballot date on 11th July will be refunded in full to include (on site) stabling, minus £25 admin charge. All withdrawals must be communicated in writing to the Entries Secretary. Withdrawals made on or after 11th July are at the discretion of the Organiser. If the Organiser is able to fill the withdrawn entry with another competitor in the same section, a full refund of the entry fee will be given, minus the £25 admin charge.

Smoking is only permitted in designated external areas and is prohibited in the stable compound at any time.

Hendersyde Park has two official photographers on site during the event and competitors should be aware that their images may be used in print or on the Hendersyde Park website to promote the event.

Entry constitutes an agreement to be bound by and abide by these rules and regulations.

PERSONAL EQUIPMENT AND INJURY INSURANCE NOTICE

The Organiser does not insure the rider, your horse, tack, vehicles or equipment. You are strongly advised to have in place your own adequate personal accident insurance at all times. The venue, or anyone involved in organising the event will not be held responsible for any accident, injury or loss to any person or their property, howsoever it may be caused.

HEALTH AND SAFETY

The Organisers of this event have taken reasonable precautions to ensure the health and safety of everyone present. For these measures to be effective, everyone must take all reasonable precautions to avoid and prevent accidents occurring, and must obey the rules and instructions of the Organisers, Officials and Stewards at all times.

DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Except for the negligence of the Organisers and their agents or others for whom in law they are responsible, the Organisers do not accept responsibility in respect of any accident, loss, damage, injury, illness or disease caused to or suffered by any horse, owner, rider, spectator, sponsor and others present at the site of the Event, and their property, vehicles and accoutrements.

RESERVATION OF RIGHT

The Organisers reserve the right to:

Cancel any class or section, or divide any class
Transfer competitors between sections of a class
Alter the advertised times
Refuse any entry