

Club Rules 2015

Dressage

1. The decision of the judges to be accepted in every case as final.
2. Only officials and competitors are allowed into the ring.
3. Correct footwear (no plimsolls or trainers) and hard hats with harness conforming to BHS rules must be worn at all times when mounted anywhere on the showground. Back protectors are recommended but not compulsory. Dress code may be altered at the discretion of the judges due to weather conditions.
4. Whips are allowed, but must **not exceed 75cm in length**. Spurs are permitted.
5. Riders are not allowed to gallop horses on the showground. Failure to comply will result in exclusion from the meeting.
6. Horses and ponies must be walked to and from the collecting rings and around crowded areas in the Show Ground.
7. No horse or pony under 4 years old may compete in any Class.
8. Anyone entering a Class non-competitively may not compete that Class again on that day.
9. Dogs must be kept on the lead at all times. Please bag and bin their foul.
10. Age of rider as at 1 January 2015.
11. The Club championships will be decided on points for the same rider/pony or horse combination throughout the year. Riders must be members to be eligible for points (from the date of joining). Points are awarded 4, 3, 2, 1.
12. A competitor who competes 'on the lead rein' in any Class may not compete 'off the lead rein' in any other Class at that Show.
13. The Club reserves the right to refuse entry to the Show Ground or Class to any person or persons without prejudice.
14. Objections must be lodged with the Show Secretary, in writing, within 10 minutes of the Class finishing, together with a deposit of £20.00, refundable if the objection is upheld.
15. It shall be a condition of entry that each entrant shall indemnify the promoters against any legal action arising from any accidents whatsoever.
16. No claim can be entertained for anything which might happen to competitors, spectators, their property, servants or horses, in connection with, or arising out of this Horse Show and Gymkhana.
17. Objectionable or abusive language around collecting rings will not be tolerated and entry to Classes may be refused.
18. The Committee reserves the right to measure any pony if so required. Life height certificates are not accepted.
19. All riders to be aged 3 years and over at 1 January 2015.
20. If you enter Classes 1 or 2 or both, you may not enter Classes 4 or 5.
21. British Dressage affiliated riders not to compete at same level as their affiliation.

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Insurance: Tilney Show Committee cannot accept liability however caused, by an individual, animal, or vehicle. Tilney Committee strongly advise all participants/riders to have an up to date third-party insurance, providing full coverage of participants in all events, equestrian or otherwise, and all vehicles.

DRESS CODE

With the exception of Classes 1 and 2, turnout should be as follows:-

- Tack- Snaffle bridle with either cavesson, drop or flash noseband. English style saddle.
- Show Jackets must be worn – plain or tweed/check allowed.
- Jodphurs/breeches – white, beige or cream.
- Gloves must be worn and should be of a light colour.