



BLACKDOWN HILLS RIDING CLUB
(www.blackdownhillsridingclub.com)

UNAFFILIATED
DRESSAGE COMPETITION

on
SUNDAY 19th September 2010
at
Bicton Arena
Yettington, nr Budleigh Salterton, Devon EX9 7DP
(By kind permission of Clinton Devon Estates)

To include qualifiers for the
Western Somerset Regional Dressage Championships
at
Stockland Lovell (see below)
also

Express Eventing Competition (See separate schedule for details)
on

Saturday & Sunday 18th & 19th September 2010

Organiser: Dressage - Sarah Eccles, 2 Harpitt Close, Willand, Devon, Ex15 2RX Tel: 01884 33901

Organiser: Express Eventing – Claire Dean, Horn House, Horn Road, Kentisbeare, Cullompton, Devon EX15 2AX Tel: 01884 266501 (see additional schedule).

The Western Somerset Dressage qualifying classes are open to both senior and junior members of the following Area 12 Riding Clubs: Witheridge, Taunton & District, West Somerset, Exeter, Quantock, Sid & Otter Valley, North Devon or Blackdown Hills.

Refreshments available

Unaffiliated Dressage Classes

- Class 1** **Prelim 1 (2006) Open to all (short arena)**
- Class 2** **Prelim 12 (2005) WSRDC qualifier (short arena)**
Open to all riders, but will include the Qualifier for WSRDC.
(Please advise on entry form if eligible with name of riding club)
- Class 3** **Novice 28 (2008) Open to all (short arena)**
- Class 4** **Novice 27 (2007) WSRDC qualifier (short arena)**
Open to all riders, but will include the Qualifier for WSRDC.
(Please advise on entry form if eligible with name of riding club)

(Classes 1 & 3 will be on grass. Classes 2 & 4 will be on a surface)

Rosettes to 6th place.

Plus rosette to highest placed BHRC member in each class

The first two competitors in classes **2 and 4** will qualify for the **Western Somerset Region Dressage Championships** to be held at Stockland Lovell Sunday 10th October 2010.

Qualification eligibility:

The first two competitors in classes **2 and 4** will qualify for the **Western Somerset Region Dressage Championships** to be held at Stockland Lovell Sunday 10th October 2010. To be eligible, **horses in the Prelim class must have no BD points, and horses in the Novice class no more than 49 BD points at the time of the qualification.**

Riders must also be a member of one of the following Area 12 Riding Clubs:

Witheridge, Taunton & District, West Somerset, Exeter, Quantock, Sid & Otter Valley, North Devon or Blackdown Hills.

If the first and/or second placed riders in a qualifying class have already qualified, the qualification passes down to the next unqualified riders

The winners at the Stockland Lovell Championships will receive a training grant with the trainer of their choice. For more details about the competition and other qualifiers please visit

www.westsomersetridingclub.co.uk

Entry Fees

£8.00 Blackdown Hills RC Members

£9.50 Non BHRC members and all other entries

(Late entries, if accepted will be £1.50 extra per class)

Numbers will be limited and accepted on a first come first served basis. Classes may close before the closing date if full. A waiting list will be kept and therefore early notification of withdrawals would be appreciated.

RULES

This event is run in accordance with current BRC rules

By entering this competition, competitors accept the risks involved in horse riding and competing. Save for death or injury caused by the negligence of the landowner or officials of Blackdown Hills Riding Club for which they are legally responsible, the landowners and officials will not accept any liability for any accident, loss, injury or damage to competitors, property, vehicles, animals or spectators of any description.

This event is covered by British Riding Club's insurance but competitors are advised to hold their own personal injury insurance cover. The organiser reserves the right to alter the schedule or advertised start time, refuse any entry and cancel any class or competition should conditions be or become unsuitable.

The organisers have taken reasonable precautions to safeguard the health and safety of everyone present. For these to be effective, competitors and spectators are required to take due care at all times and to obey any notices or requests made by official stewards in the interests of their own and others safety.

Hats to current British Safety Standards must be worn and securely fastened when mounted. Dress code in accordance with BRC rules, a copy of which will be available at the Secretary's Office.

The judges decision is final. Objections must be made to the Secretary's Office within 15 minutes of the results or incident with a £10 deposit. The deposit will be reimbursed if the objection is upheld.

Please keep dogs on a lead at all times, including around the lorry park. Please remove litter and droppings from the lorry park. No Lunging allowed in warm up arena.

No horse can be entered twice in one class and all horses/ponies must be 4 years and over.