

LOTHIANS RIDING CLUB

DRESSAGE SHOW



Date: Sunday 29th July 2018

By kind permission of Martha Green

Venue: Cousland Park Training and Livery Centre, Cousland Farm Dalkeith EH22 2PD

New for 2018
 *1. *Additional Novice Class*

 *2. *Best Turned Out Combination over 3 shows trophy, rosette & prize for Winner*
 (Members & Non Members Eligible)

Commencing 9.00am approx

CLASS	CLASS NAME	TEST	CLASS INFORMATION
1	Walk Trot / Intro	Intro Test C (2016)	This Class is for <u>true novice combinations and or young horses.</u> Combination not to have won 3 x 1 st at Walk Trot / Intro Level or gained 1 st or 2 nd place at Prelim Level or above.
2	Restricted Prelim	Prelim 7 (2002)	Horse & Rider combination not to have won more than 3 x 1 st at Prelim Level and above.
3	Open Prelim	Prelim 13 (2006)	No restrictions but rule 15 applies.
4	Restricted Novice	Novice 27 (2007)	Horse and Rider combination not have won more than 3 x 1 st at Novice Level and above.
5	Open Novice	Novice 30 (2006)	No restrictions but rule 15 applies.
6	Open Elementary	Elementary 49 (2009)	No restrictions but rule 15 applies

Additional Information

1. Rosettes and Members points 1st to 6th place
2. **ENTRIES CLOSE MIDNIGHT ON Tuesday 24th July 18 - NOTE ENTRIES ARE ONLINE ONLY.**
www.clubentries.co.uk/lothians. No field entries
3. Entry Fees : Members £11.00 and Non Members £13.00
4. This show is open to both Riding Club members and non RC members aged 18+ (see rule 7)
5. **Maximum entries for each class enter early to be guaranteed entry.** All Members guaranteed entry.
6. First Aid, Catering and Toilets on site.
7. Times will be available on Thursday 26th July 18 on the website www.lothiansridingclub.co.uk or by calling Donna McKay on 07768 023658 between 7pm & 9pm.
8. In case of bad weather, query or if you are unable to attend please call Donna on 07768 023658 or email elliechloe@hotmail.com
9. If you need help with online entry please email Karen Richardson on karen_richardson@btinternet.com

Lothian's Riding Club Rules for Dressage Shows 2018

Please read these rules carefully

Health & Safety Rules

1. Lothians Riding Club, the organising committee, the owners of the show ground or any agent acting on their behalf cannot be held responsible or accept any liability for loss, damage, accident, injury or illness to horses, ponies, riders, owners, grooms, ground spectators or any other persons or property whatsoever.
2. The organisers of this event have taken all 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 accidents occurring and must obey the instructions of the organiser and all officials and stewards.
3. **All riders when riding, whether competing or not, must wear hard hats, with strap properly adjusted and fastened and in accordance with the standards indicated on British Riding Clubs website. Links can be found on Lothians website. Any rider found to be wearing a hat to a lower specification will be disqualified.**
4. Body Protectors are not mandatory, however if you wish to wear one, we suggest that body protectors should be a BETA Level 3 (purple label) which has been manufactured in the year 2009 or after.
5. Riders must wear correct footwear and be smartly dressed and if possible wear a smart jacket.
6. Riders who fall off during the competition must be deemed fit to continue riding and if they wish to do so they do it entirely at their own risk.
7. **All riders must be 18 years and over. Be a member of a Riding Club (not necessarily LRC) or hold your own 3rd Party insurance cover. Insurance Policy details must be provided from on entry form.** 18 year olds must provide proof of age if required.
8. All horses to be 4 years and over.
9. Cantering allowed ONLY in the practice and competition areas
10. Horses and Riders MUST REMOVE ANY RUGS BEFORE THEY ENTER THE ARENA. Lothian's Riding Club officials are not responsible for removing rugs from horses entering the arena.
11. Horses are only permitted to compete in a maximum of 3 Dressage classes in any one day.

Additional Rules

12. Lothian's Riding Club members will receive league table points. A 2 layer points system based on position in class and dressage score. Dressage Points will only be awarded for the first two classes members enter. To qualify for Points your Membership must be fully paid up in advance of any show, those who rejoin or join at a show are not able to qualify for the points at that show.
13. Entry for all classes must be made in advance no field entries available. Entry fees only refunded if the show is cancelled or the classes are full. Lothians Riding Club reserves the right to cancel a show if insufficient pre-entries are received.
14. Lothian's Riding Club reserves the right to refuse entries. Classes will not be held up to wait for competitors arriving late or who are not ready to compete at the correct time.
15. In view of fairness **please do not enter classes competitively that you are not eligible for**, HC entries are acceptable. HC Entries do not qualify for members points.
16. In order of fairness and transparency **Competitors, Family Members or Associates must not approach the Judge prior to the commencement of the class under any circumstances.** Failure to comply with this rule will result in **disqualification from that class and any other classes that the Judge is judging on the day.** Once the class has finished, the Judge may be approached.
17. The Judges decision is final. Any complaints to be made in writing to the secretary and accompanied by £20. The complaint must be made within one hour of the incidence.
18. BHS Riding Club Rules 2018 apply to the show.
19. Please take your rubbish home with you and leave the venue tidy.
20. Please check the website www.lothiansridingclub.co.uk for updates, particularly for any decisions made due to bad weather including venue changes. Directions to the venue can be found on the Club Website.