



Brent Pelham

Spring Hunter Trial

Organised by and on behalf of The Puckeridge Hunt

Sunday 19th April 2020

Postal Entries Close Wednesday 15th April. Late entries on the day if numbers permit.

THE PARK, BRENT PELHAM, BUNTINGFORD, HERTFORDSHIRE, SG9 0AT

By kind permission of Major and Mrs T.P.E. Barclay

*The Brent Pelham Cross Country Course will be open for Schooling on
Sunday 26th April 2020, between 9.00 a.m. - 1.00p.m.*

The Committee would like to thank the Sponsors

And everyone who has helped to make this event possible

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Brent Pelham Hunter Trial Rules



Penalties

- 1st refusal - **20** penalties
2nd refusal - **40** penalties
3rd refusal – **Elimination**
Jumping an “L” fence – **15** penalties
- Stepping back in front of an obstacle will be classed as a refusal.
- A horse crossing its own tracks between parts of a combination fence (e.g. A and B) will be scored as having refused
- A horse which knocks a flag or a post over will not be penalised if the horse’s shoulders pass the correct side of the flag.

Fall of Horse or Rider and Elimination

- Any fall of horse on any part of the course, (or horse trapped on an obstacle), will incur elimination. **The competitor must leave the course immediately.**
- An unseated rider incurs **65** penalties. The rider may remount and continue if the Judge is satisfied that he or she is fit to do so. If the Judge believes that the rider is not sufficiently fit, **he or she will be eliminated and must leave the course immediately.**
- In the event of a fall of horse or unseated rider, the Fence Judge will complete an accident form.
- At the Judge’s discretion, competitors who are eliminated may continue around the course, providing that they give way and do not obstruct any other competitor. However the Fence Judges have the authority to request that **the competitor leaves the course at any time. MISUSE OF THE WHIP or DANGEROUS RIDING are examples for which such a request may be made.**

Pairs

- Competitors will be judged on their ability to jump side by side over fences which have been marked as “Dressing Fences” on the Course Plan. Penalties will range from zero for a perfectly synchronised jump, to 5 penalties when the two competitors are several horse lengths apart. The scoring for the dressing of fences will be prioritised over the pairs’ overall time taken around the course.

Optimum Time

- The course will be measured and an optimum time set according to weather and ground conditions on the day. The times taken and any penalties incurred by the first 6 competitors will be displayed after each class. Optimum times will not be published.

Outside Assistance

- On the Main Course incurs elimination, except when the rider is dismounted.
- On the Mini Hunter Trial Course some outside assistance, approved by the judge, is permitted in all Clear Round Classes.
- In all other Mini Hunter Trial Classes lead rein competitors will be deducted 20 penalties. Up to 20 penalties may be deducted for any other assistance...



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Please note 1st Aid contribution is now included in the entry fee for each class

9.30 a.m.	SHORT COURSE	Entry fee
Class 1	BEGINNERS PAIRS – fences approx. 70cms-75cms (2' 3''-2'6'') <i>Judged on a dressing fence with an optimum time</i>	£13.50 per rider
Class 2	BEGINNERS INDIVIDUAL – fences approx. 70cms-75cms (2' 3''-2'6'') <i>Judged on an optimum time</i>	£16

NOT BEFORE 11.30 a.m.	FULL COURSE	
Class 3	PAIRS – fences approx. 75cms (2'6'') <i>Judged on a dressing fence with an optimum time.</i>	£16.00 per rider
Class 4	NOVICE – fences approx. 75cms (2'6'') <i>Combination not to have been placed 1st, 2nd or 3rd in a hunter trial at this height or above. Judged on an optimum time</i>	£21
Class 5	SMALL OPEN– fences approx. 75cm - 80cm (2'6'' - 2'9'') <i>Judged on an optimum time</i>	£21
Class 6	OPEN– fences up to 90cm (3' approx) <i>Judged on an optimum time</i>	£21

9.00 a.m. **MINI HUNTER TRIAL – In a restricted area**

Classes 7, 9 and 10 open to horses and ponies of any height

Class 7	OPEN CLEAR ROUND - fences approx. 45cms (1'6'') <i>Entries until 12.30 p.m. Competitors may compete in pairs if they wish. No penalties for leading reins /assistance – rosettes for all clear rounds</i>	£6
Class 8	JUNIOR CLASS – fences approx. 45cms (1'6'') <i>Judged over an optimum time Ponies 14.2h.h. and under</i>	£6
Class 9	OPEN CLEAR ROUND – fences approx. 60cms (2'0'') <i>Competitors may compete in pairs if they wish. No penalties for leading reins /assistance – rosettes for all clear rounds</i>	£6
Class 10	OPEN CLASS – fences approx. 60cms (2'0'') <i>Judged over an optimum time</i>	£6

Rosettes kindly donated by
**RosSDales Hertfordshire
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**Rosettes will be awarded to
sixth place in each class**

**A trophy will be awarded to the
winners of each class**

**Hunt cups including
The Dimsdale Trophy
will be awarded to
The highest placed member of**

The Puckeridge Hunt

P.H.S.C.

P.H. branch of the Pony Club

P.H. Western branch of the Pony Club

ON THE DAY: REFRESHMENTS - VET ON CALL - FIRST AID COVER

CURRENT VACCINATION CERTIFICATES REQUIRED

**All the courses will be open for
walking on Saturday 18th April from
2.00 p.m. till dusk**

**Dogs must be kept on leads at
all times, including when walking
the course**

***Mini Hunter Trial* All entries taken on the day.**

- Please complete enclosed entry form in advance and have correct money ready to avoid a delay at the Mini Ring. Thank you!

***Main Courses* Payment by cheque or bank transfer.**

- Closing date for postal entries Wednesday 15th April
- Late entries £5.00 extra on the day if classes not full
- No transfer of classes accepted after the closing date
- Online entries will be open 01.03.2020 <https://clubentries.com/puckeridgehunt/>

Dress

- Jockey skull caps to B.E. or Pony Club current standards with a flexible peak, fastened at all times when mounted
- Back protectors to B.E. or Pony Club current standards
- Medical Armbands
- The wearing of head cameras or stop watches will NOT be permitted on the course

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Class	Name of Rider	Name of Horse/Pony	Entry Fee (On the day £5.00 Extra)
£			
I am a member of either: Tick here <input type="checkbox"/>		The Puckeridge Hunt The Puckeridge Hunt Branch of The Pony Club The Puckeridge Hunt Western Branch of The Pony Club, P.H.S.C.	TOTAL £

See separate entry form for Mini Hunter Trial. (FILL OUT AND PAY ON THE DAY AT THE RINGSIDE)

Conditions of entry

1. The Judge's decision is final.
2. No horse or pony may be ridden more than once in a class. (Mini Hunter trial classes exempt)
3. The event is organised by and on behalf of The Puckeridge Hunt. Neither The Puckeridge Hunt nor any person acting on their behalf accept liability whatsoever for any loss, damage, accident, illness affecting any person, animal or property, whether caused by negligence, Breach of Contract, Breach of Trust or in any other way whatsoever.
4. It should be considered a condition of entry that each competitor and spectator shall indemnify the organisers or any person acting on their behalf against legal action arising from accident or incident.
5. 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 instruction of the organisers, officials and stewards.
6. All dogs must be kept on leads at all times.
7. All veterinary expenses incurred on the day must be paid directly to Tyrrells Equine Clinic. www.tyrrellsequine.co.uk

CURRENT VACCINATION CERTIFICATES REQUIRED ON THE DAY

I have read and agree to abide by the Rules and the Conditions of Entry:

Name: _____ please print

Signature: _____

To be signed by parent or guardian if competitor is under 18 years of age

Address: _____

Postcode: _____ Email: _____

Online entries will be open 01.03.2020: <https://clubentries.com/puckeridgehunt/>

**OR please confirm payment has been made to: Miss L. Byford 2. Chapel Lane, Newport, Essex, CB11 3QP
Mobile: 07855535834**

Cheque payment, payable to: Brent Pelham Cross Country Account and posted with entry form to: Laura Byford

BACs transfer to: account number: 70203416, sort code: 20 36 98, reference: surname & class number.
Entry form must be scanned & emailed to: laurabyford94@hotmail.com

Brent Pelham **MINI HUNTER TRIAL** Entry Form

USE FOR MINI HUNTER TRIAL ONLY. Complete and pay on the day at the ringside.

Please ensure that you have read and agree to abide by the full Hunter Trial Rules and Conditions of Entry before adding your signature to this form.

Class	Name of Rider	Name of Horse/Pony	Entry Fee
Please add 1st Aid contribution @ £2 per rider if ONLY competing in this ring			
Riders who also enter main classes pay 1st Aid on their main Entry Form			£
TOTAL £			

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Address: _____

Postcode: _____ Telephone number: _____

Email: _____

Pay at the ringside on the day. To avoid unnecessary delay at the Secretary's Trailer, please have the correct money wherever possible. Thank You.

Cheques payable to: BRENT PELHAM CROSS COUNTRY ACCOUNT