

GENERAL RULES & CONDITIONS

THE COMPETITION WILL BE RUN UNDER BRC RULES FOR DRESSAGE

1. Riding is a risk sport – **ALL COMPETITORS TAKE PART AT THEIR OWN RISK** and are expected to exercise due care at all times and to obey all notices placed for their control. The Organisers and Owners of the Venue shall not be responsible or accountable in any way whatsoever for any loss, injury or damage that may happen from any cause or circumstances whatsoever, to competitors, their servants, agents, other members of the public, any animals, property or vehicles brought into the Venue or whilst entering or leaving the same, or for anything else in conjunction with or arising from, or attributable to the Competition. It shall be a condition of entry that each Competitor shall hold the Organisers blameless, and indemnify them against any loss, damage or legal proceedings. **SPECTATORS**, whether or not connected with competitors are also required to comply with the above conditions for their own safety.

COMPETITORS WILL BE EXPECTED TO ABIDE BY HEALTH AND SAFETY RULES WHICH WILL BE POSTED ON THE DAY.

2. THE JUDGE'S DECISION IS FINAL.

3. All accidents/incidents/falls shall be reported to the secretary (whether or not First Aid attention was required) and assistance must be given in recording the event in the accident/incident book. The BHRC recommend that all competitors should have adequate personal sports insurance.

4. **DRESS:** It is the responsibility of all competitors to wear a hat complying with current BRC standards. Waistcoats (plain navy or black) are now permitted and in excessively hot weather, competitors may be allowed to ride without jackets at the discretion of the judge. However, if wearing a waistcoat or riding without a jacket a suitable shirt that covers the arms must be worn

5. Please work-in in the designated area.

6. Anyone riding or handling a horse/pony in a manner that is considered by the Organisers to endanger the safety or wellbeing of any horse, pony, rider, spectator or official will be asked to leave the showground

7. The horse or pony is only to be ridden on site by the person competing.

8. No refund of entry fees will be given after closing date.

9. **No horse may compete in more than 3 Classes.**

10. Any person using physical or verbal abuse against any committee member, judge, steward, official or helper will be asked to leave the showground and banned from entering competitions in the future.

11. It is your responsibility to report to the steward on time for your test. No refunds will be given.

12. All dogs must be kept on leads.

PLEASE REMOVE ALL DROPPINGS AND

LEAVE THE CAR PARK TIDY



OPEN UNAFFILIATED SUMMER DRESSAGE LEAGUE COMPETITION 2022

**Saturday pm 18th June
Saturday pm 16th July
Saturday pm 13th August**

AT

**THE PADDOCKS
BICKENHALL, TAUNTON,
SOMERSET TA3 6TS
by kind permission of Kate Baker**

Entries for each event to:

Mrs J Perrior

Newtown Farm

Bickenhall

Taunton TA3 6UF

Tel: 01823 480349

E-mail: jillperrior@yahoo.co.uk

Online schedules can be downloaded from:

www.blackdownhillsrc.co.uk

All competitions will be held in an outdoor arena
Please check the prospective weather conditions beforehand and only ring the show secretary the evening before to check the event is going ahead if the weather is in doubt. In the event of a cancellation the event will be carried over to the next convenient date and all entries will stand
You do not have to enter the league – you may enter an individual event if you wish, with the possibility of being placed and awarded a rosette.

CLASSES

Saturday 18th June commencing 1.00pm

CLASS 1 BD INTRO A 2008 WALK & TROT (rosette to all entries)

Restricted to combination of horse and rider not to have been placed 1st in any dressage event.

CLASS 2 PRELIM. 7 2002 (rev. 2016)

Class 3 Prelim 13 2006 (rev. 2016)

Class 4 “Have-A-Go” Dressage to Music

All entries in by 13th June to Jill Perrior. Times will be posted on our web site and Facebook on Thursday 16th. Alternatively, please ring for times between 7pm and 9pm on Thursday 16th - Tel: 01823 480349

Saturday 16th July commencing 1.00pm

Class 1 BD Intro B 2009 Walk and Trot (rosette to all entries)

Restricted to combination of horse and rider not to have been placed 1st in any dressage event.

Class 2 Prelim 12 2005 (rev. 2016)

Class 3 Novice 27 2007

Class 4 “Have-A-Go” Dressage to Music

All entries in by 11th July to Jill Perrior. Times will be posted on our web site and Facebook on Thursday 14th. Alternatively, please ring for times between 7pm and 9pm on Thursday 14th - Tel: 01823 480349

Saturday 13th August commencing 1.00pm

Class 1 BD Intro C 2009 Walk and Trot (rosette to all entries)

Restricted to combination of horse and rider not to have been placed 1st in any dressage event.

Class 2 Prelim 18 2002 (rev. 2016)

Class 3 Novice 28 2008

Class 4 “Have-A-Go” Dressage to Music

All entries in by 8th August to Jill Perrior times will be posted on our web site and Facebook on Thursday 11th. Alternatively, please ring for times between 7pm and 9pm on Thursday 11th - Tel: 01823 480349

“HAVE-A-GO” DRESSAGE TO MUSIC

TIME ALLOWED 4 - 5 MINS

Mandatory Moves: Halt at beginning and end of test – Walk & Trot **OR** Walk, Trot and Canter on both reins, to include circles and/or a serpentine - Free Walk on a Long Rein - Any additional moves may be performed (except canter if you opt for the Walk & Trot Test).

DRESSAGE TO MUSIC RULES & CONDITIONS

All DTM test are timed from the first halt to the final halt which has to be on the A – C centre line, but not necessarily at D, X or G.

No more than 20 seconds of introductory music may be played before the entry at A. A definite signal to start i.e. a big wave, must be given

All BHRC DTM Test will take place in a 20m x 40m Arena.

In the event of a tie the competitor or pair with the highest mark for Artistic Presentation will be placed highest,

Music must be recorded on a standard CD and it is recommended that each rider has at least one spare copy to hand. CD's must be handed to commentator at least 30 minutes before the scheduled time of their test. The CD and the case must be marked with the competitors name and which class they have entered. Competitors may provide their own technical adviser to be present to supervise the playing of the CD

The judges are looking for music that suits the horse, a test that covers the entire arena and looks neat, with a happy horse and rider. A well-executed, simple test that is a joy to watch, will beat an over ambitious test.

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All classes are open to adults and juniors

Points system – 1st. = 6 points, 2nd. = 5 points, 3rd. = 4 points, 4th. = 3 points, 5th. = 2 points, 6th. = 1 point.

Rosettes will be awarded to 6th. place, with a special rosette to the highest placed BHRC member in each class.

The ‘Cassie Shields’ will be awarded to the senior & junior rider with the most points accumulated over all classes on the three dates - rosettes will be awarded to the winner and runner up in each section.

There may a BHRC photographer, an independent photographer, or both at this event. For a donation to club funds, BHRC **may** be able to forward their images to competitors.

BHRC SUMMER DRESSAGE LEAGUE 2022**ENTRY FORM**

Send to: Secretary, Mrs J Perrior
Newtown Farm, Bickenhall, Taunton, Somerset TA3 6UF

ENTRY FEE: £9 per class BHRC Members - £10 per class non BHRC Members
Late entries are at the discretion of the secretary and will incur a £1 surcharge per class

| CLASS | DATE | NAME OF HORSE OR PONY | AGE OF HORSE OR PONY | RIDER | BHRC MEMBER | FEE |
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TOTAL

NAME:

ADDRESS:

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TEL. NO:

EMAIL ADDRESS:

ICE DETAILS:

Entry denotes compliance with the rules and conditions of the competition

SIGNATURE DATE.....

I enclose a cheque to the value of: £..... Payable to Blackdown Hills Riding Club

I have sent a BACS payment of: £..... on:(date)

with reference: DRESSAGE (& date/s) (surname)

NatWest Sort Code 60-23-05 Account no: 74506439 Blackdown Hills Riding Club